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# PROGRAM OF THE NATIONAL CONGRESS, WASHINGTON, D. C. MAY 20 TO 23, 1928

Sunday Afternoon-(Time to be announced.)—Church service at the Church of the Epiphany. Reverend Z. Barney Phillips, rector. The sermon will be preached by the Chaplain General, the Rt. Rev. Philip Cook, L.L. D. Monday Morning-9:30-Opening session, with addresses of welcome by the President of the District of Columbia Society, S. A. R.; Mrs. Alfred J. Brosseau, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution; the State Regent of the District of Columbia D. A. R., and others. Monday Afternoon-12:30-Adjournment for luncheon. 1:30—Session resumed. Report of National Officers and Chairmen of National Committees. Monday Evening-8:30-President General's reception, to be held at the

new Headquarters Building, 1227 Sixteenth Street

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3:00—Special conferences of State Society Presidents, State Society Secretaries, and Chapter Officers.

4:00—Special service at the Amphitheater at Arlington for the presentation of the S. A. R. Insignia to the Museum at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

Tuesday Evening—
7:00—Annual banquet of the Society at the Mayflower
Hotel. Speaker to be announced later.

Wednesday Morning— 9:30—Session with final business until completion and election of officers. Adjournment.

Wednesday Afternoon— 2:00—Excursion to Mount Vernon by boat down the Potomac, landing at the place where George Washington came on his trips to Mount Vernon. At this time of year this is a most delightful trip.

Thursday Morning—
The Golf Tournament of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. This plan originated in Pittsburgh last year and its culmination will be at this time, when many of the contestants of last summer will meet this year to face on the links. A beautiful cup is the trophy offered. All S. A. R. golfers are urged to remain for this. See MINUTE MAN for December for conditions.

# CONGRESS HEADQUARTERS AND HOTEL RATES

The Headquarters of the National Congress of the Sons of the American Revolution will be at the Mayflower Hotel, Connecticut Avenue, between L and M streets. This beautiful hotel was chosen for many reasons; the first and most interesting to our members is that its location is but two and one-half short blocks from the new Headquarters of the Society, on Sixteenth Street. Another most

satisfactory reason is that the rates given below are not only most reasonable, but the management are giving to each guest at this Congress a 25 per cent discount on the regular rates, as set forth in their rate cards. This, of course, is a most gratifying arrangement. It is also understood that these rates will be extended to any member for the Golf Tournament on Thursday, or even longer, and to any others remaining over. Then, to the satisfaction of the Committee on Arrangements, there have been set aside ample rooms for the registration of delegates and for smaller meetings and conferences, and, finally, an absolute guarantee has been given that there will be no other convention held at this hotel during the session of the Sons of the American Revolution, thus eliminating the overcrowding of the hotel, as has happened on other occasions. A large number of rooms have been set aside for the delegates to our Congress, and it is suggested that those who expect to attend will make their reservations as soon as possible, directly to the hotel, and they will receive immediate attention.

The rates are as follows: Rooms—One person, \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8, \$9 to \$18 per day. With double bed, for two persons, \$7, \$8, \$10 to \$18 per day. Rooms, with twin beds, for two persons, \$9, \$10, \$11, \$12, \$15, to \$18 per day. Suites, consisting of parlor, bedroom and bath, one or two persons, \$16 to \$35 per day. When more than the above-stated number of persons are to occupy one room or suite, an additional charge of \$2.00 per day is made for each extra person.

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WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS TO WASHINGTON FOR THE CONGRESS, PLEASE DO NOT FAIL TO ASK FOR CERTIFICATE FROM TICKET AGENT. THIS CERTIFICATE WILL ENTITLE YOU TO A HALF-FARE TICKET RETURNING, ONLY IF 250 OF THESE CERTIFICATES ARE TURNED IN TO THE VISÉ OFFICER AT WASHINGTON, D. C. ASK FOR CERTIFICATE IN ANY EVENT, AS IT MAY HELP OTHERS TO GET THEIRS.

# SUGGESTIONS AND COMMENTS

Issues of the Official Bulletin for December, 1921, and June, 1922, will be very acceptable at National Headquarters.

Compatriots are referred to our advertising pages for information as to available copies of Year Books and the Official Bulletin.

Attention of State societies, Chapters, and compatriots is called to the decision of the National Executive Committee, as noted in the minutes of the special meeting held on August 6—published in the October Minute Man—that a registration fee of \$5 be charged for each delegate, alternate, or guest in attendance on the National Congress of 1928.

Mr. Harrison Gray Otis, President of the newly organized North Carolina State Society, writes: "One year ago today (February 24) I went after my first S. A. R. applicant. Since then I've helped enroll over 225 members." If one man can enroll 225, is there any compatriot who would not blush to fail to enroll one new member?

Upon request, the Secretary General will furnish to any State Secretary or Registrar a copy of a special ruling with regard to the mailing of membership certificates, obtained from the Third Assistant Postmaster General.

A set of four attractive post cards showing exterior and interior views of National Headquarters will be mailed on receipt of twenty cents; an unusually fine set of eight views of Washington may be obtained for eighty cents. Sales of these cards will net an excellent percentage, which will be used for the benefit of the Headquarters Fund. Address the Secretary General.

Attention is directed to our advertising pages of this issue, where it will be observed there are a number of new insertions. The patronage of our compatriots and readers is respectfully urged for our advertisers at all times, and you are requested to mention The Minute Man when writing to advertisers. This will help us to hold our present clients and to obtain new ones!

A number of copies of "Washington's Journey" are available at National Headquarters, postpaid, upon receipt of \$1.00. This is an interesting and authentic monograph, reciting the details of Washington's journey from Philadelphia to Cambridge to take command of the American Army in 1775. It is illustrated by colored prints and a map of the route, and should be an acceptable addition to any historical library.

Half-tone cuts of pictures which have been produced in The Minute Man in recent issues are accumulated at National Headquarters and are rapidly increasing. The Editor will be glad to dispose of any of these which might be desired for a very nominal price. They represent a considerable percentage of the cost of printing the magazine and are rarely used more than once. If you are interested, please communicate with the Secretary General.

Chapter Officers! Don't forget that your chapter may win the Special Banner offered for the chapter securing the largest increase of members during this fiscal year. There is still time to round up all those belated applications that have been promised for so long. The donor of this banner is Mr. Edward D. Shriner, Vice-President of the Maryland Society, and the object, of course, is to stimulate chapter growth. The diligent and persistent Membership Committee is the one that will win this for its local chapter.

A New Jersey Chapter, appealing to its members for support of the National Headquarters Fund, reminds each compatriot: "You have recently become part owner in a splendid piece of property in Washington, D. C., the new National Headquarters of the Sons of the American Revolution.

"This beautiful edifice will be a fitting and perpetual memorial to our patriotic ancestors and will serve as a *strategic location* from which the officers of the National Society will direct its patriotic activities." (The italics are ours.)

The above is quoted, believing that this point, namely, personal ownership jointly with every other compatriot, is one which should be stressed and taken to heart by each and every member of our Society. Remember our slogan: "A United Effort for Our National Headquarters and Progress!"

Pursuant with the experimental policy adopted by the Executive Committee this year of having the Secretary General visit certain localities where his presence has been requested or indications have been received that the visit of a National Officer might be helpful in solving local problems, Mr. Steele will go in March to Louisiana and other points in the South, at the invitation of the State and local compatriots. Plans are also being perfected for him to visit Los Angeles and other Western and Southwestern points during the summer.

President General Rogers and the officers at National Headquarters have been much gratified by the many responses to the letters issued in behalf of the legislation favoring the George Rogers Clark Memorial Lighthouse appropriation, and H. R. No. 10,171, in behalf of our National Headquarters. It is felt that these letters have been very effective in securing support for these important measures, and appreciation is hereby expressed for the prompt and willing responses on the part of our compatriots.

Mr. George S. Godard, President of the Connecticut State Society, officially represented Connecticut on the occasion of the Fifth Annual Connecticut State Sunday, at Valley Forge, on January 29, 1928, when impressive services were held in the Washington Memorial Chapel under the auspices of the Connecticut State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mr. Godard was appointed to represent Connecticut by his Excellency the Honorable John H. Trumbull, Governor of Connecticut, and was the speaker of the occasion, taking for his topic "The Importance and Necessity of Intelligent Study, Teaching, and Writing of History."

Mr. Secretary and Registrar! Please make sure that your new applicant has not only his name, but his address, given completely on his application paper. As noted on page 375 of the December Minute Man, the mailing addresses for The Minute Man are supplied directly from the application papers. It is most important that street and number be included, as a magazine will sometimes fail of delivery where this is lacking, when letters or first-class mail would find their destination. Much loss to the Society and much annoyance to compatriots will be avoided if this request is complied with.

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# MEETING OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE S. A. R.

Held at Cleveland, Ohio, on Friday, February 24, 1928, at 9:30 a. m.

Present: Hon. Ernest E. Rogers, President General, presiding; Directors General Wilbert N. Barrett, Harry F. Brewer, Ganson Depew, Frederick W. Millspaugh, R. C. Schanck, Josiah A. Van Orsdel, Frank B. Steele, Secretary General and Louis A. Bowman, Treasurer General.

The following National Officers and guests were also present: Past President General Harvey F. Remington, New York; Chancellor General William J. Askin, Pennsylvania; Vice-Presidents General Winford L. Mattoon, of Ohio, and Harry G. Colson, of Illinois; Loren E. Souers, President, Ohio Society, Ohio; Miles S. Kuhns, Vice-President, Ohio Society; Harry N. Hoard, Past President, Ohio Society, and Robert P. Boggis, Secretary, Western Reserve Society, Cleveland; 1. Webb Saffold, Cleveland.

Messages of regrets for absence and greetings to the committee were received from Director General Overfield of Utah, Vice-President General Rowley of California, Mr. Godard of the Connecticut Society, and Director General Henry F. Baker of Maryland.

The meeting was called to order by the President General and opened with a short prayer by Judge Remington.

It was moved by Director General Millspaugh that the Secretary General send greetings to the absent members. Motion adopted.

The Secretary General presented the minutes of the meeting of October 18 as printed in THE MINUTE MAN, which were, on motion, approved as printed.

The Secretary General read his report, which was approved and ordered placed on file.

Treasurer General Louis A. Bowman read a summary of his report, with an estimate of expenses and receipts up to and including the fiscal year ending April 1, 1928.

The President General brought up the question of finances of the National Society, especially with reference to the New Headquarters in Washington, D. C.

After a very full and interesting discussion along these lines, Director General Millspaugh moved that the Treasurer General be authorized to pay out of current funds the interest due on February 27, 1928, on mortgage loan on the Headquarters Building, 1227 16th Street N. W., Washington, D. C., and later take such means as may be necessary to reimburse his funds for operating expenses. Motion adopted.

It was moved by Director General Brewer that the Executive Committee authorize the Treasurer General to borrow such funds, on collateral or otherwise, if necessary, in conjunction with the President General and the Secretary General. Motion adopted.

The Treasurer General's report was then accepted and placed on file.

The President General presented the resignation of Hon. Albert M. Spear as Vice-President General for the First District. Director General Brewer moved that the resignation of Judge Spear be accepted. Motion adopted.

The President General announced that he had appointed George S. Godard, President of the Connecticut Society, as Vice-President General in place of Judge Spear.

Director General Schanck moved that the President General's appointment of Mr. George S. Godard be approved, and that Mr. Godard be elected as Vice-President General for New England District. Motion adopted.

The President General announced the appointment of Director General Millspaugh as Director of Statistics. Upon motion, this appointment was approved.

A communication from Registrar General Culver in reference to the awarding of the banner at the National Congress was read. After a full discussion, it was moved that in awarding the banners the rule shall be that they shall be awarded under the conditions now in existence, but that in making the award in future they shall be presented to States only that have been in existence at least one year preceding the Congress at which it is presented. Motion adopted.

The application of a requisite number of members from the State of North Carolina having been received, it was moved by Director General Millspaugh that, the former Society in North Carolina having become non-existent, the Executive Committee, acting in behalf of the National Board of Trustees, hereby grant to the applicants from that State a State Charter, and that the President General and Secretary General be authorized to issue said charter. Motion adopted.

Director General Millspaugh moved that a vote of thanks be extended to Major John F. Jones, of South Carolina, and Mr. Harrison Gray Otis, of Rocky Mount, North Carolina, for their splendid work in organizing this State Society in North Carolina. Motion adopted.

President General Millspaugh moved that, Dr. Smithwick, of Louisburg, having been nominated for National Trustee for North Carolina after the granting of the charter, Dr. Smithwick be elected National Trustee from that State. Motion adopted.

The Secretary General brought up the matter of designation of a member or officer of the Society in France to take the oath or attestation to applications for membership. Upon the ruling and opinion of Chancellor General Askin, it was moved by Director General Barrett that Comte de Luppé, Registrar, or A. B. Cudebec, Secretary of the French Society, or their successors in office, be designated and authorized to take such oath or affirmation to applications received in France.

The Secretary General brought up the matter of E. B. Heimstreet, of Wisconsin, for a State News Bulletin. After some discussion, this matter was laid on the

The Secretary General brought up the matter of a binder for The Minute Man, and, upon motion, it was referred to the Printing Committee.

The President General stated that, while on his recent trip across the continent of 11,000 miles, he had found an urgent demand from the Western States, especially from Los Angeles, Colorado, and Louisiana, for an officer of the National Society to go to these several places and work with the local compatriots toward the systematic increase in membership, and though at a former meeting of the Executive Committee he had been authorized to carry out some such plan, he was bringing this matter to the attention of the Executive Committee for further discussion and advice.

After a full discussion, it was moved by Director General Barrett that the Secretary General be authorized to take a trip to Louisiana and California, stopping en route to visit other State societies or chapters in order to assist such societies, not only in this campaign for new members, but for Headquarters funds,

and that the details of such trip or trips be left to the President General and Secretary General to work out. Motion adopted.

The President General brought up for discussion the matter of a communication from Mr. Chauncey P. Overfield, asking for a possible postponement of the National Congress for one week.

After a discussion the Secretary General was asked to write to Mr. Overfield, stating the reasons why it would not be feasible or possible to postpone the Congress this year.

Secretary General brought up the matter of an offer of suggestion from Ward, Wells, Dreshman and Gates to conduct an extensive campaign for funds for the Headquarters in Washington, and, after motion of Director General Brewer, it was moved that the matter of a possible arrangement with this or any other concern be left to the Headquarters Committee, together with the President General and Secretary General. Motion adopted.

Recess to 2:15 p. m.

Luncheon by President General at hotel.

2:30 p. m.—Session resumed.

A letter of the President General from Vice-President General Rowley, of California, was read by Secretary General Steele, and it was moved by Director General Van Orsdel that the Secretary General print, after editing, such portion of this interesting and suggestive communication as may be deemed necessary. Motion adopted.

Director General Millspaugh moved that the Secretary General write Vice-President Rowley, asking him to prepare concrete amendments to the Constitution to cover parts recorded in his letter. Motion adopted.

Director General Brewer brought up the matter of the possible cut in appropriations by Congress in allowance for uniforms for R. O. T. C.

Director General Brewer presented the following resolutions advocated by the Committee on Americanization for adoption throughout our State organizations, and the same were endorsed by the Executive Committee:

Whereas in every State university or land-grant college there is maintained a unit of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps, under the supervision of officers of the United States Army stationed there for that purpose; and

Whereas the last two years of the course in military science are optional with students and not obligatory; and

WHEREAS the training the students receive in the R. O. T. C. is valuable as preparing men to assume military duties, should occasion ever require, it is more valuable in time of peace in the training it gives in discipline, executive ability, scientific knowledge, and physical deportment; and

WHEREAS every reasonable inducement should be given the young men to get

them to complete this course of instruction; now, therefore, be it Resolved, That this Society, appreciating the foregoing premises and desirous of putting itself on record as favoring the wholesome work done by the College R. O. T. C. units throughout the country, and desirous of aiding such units as much as possible, does hereby protest against the regulation now in force allowing each soldier but \$7.50 as against the cost of his uniform, and respectfully urges the appropriation committees of Congress to adopt the schedule asked for by the War Department this year—i. e., the sum of \$36 per uniform—which is equitable and just and will be the means of permitting many young men of worth and ability to continue the course which they otherwise could not do under present conditions; and be it further

Resolved, That these articles be sent to all of the members of Congress from this State, to the President of the United States, and to the Chief of Staff of the United States Army.

Director General Brewer moved that the President General appoint a committee to confer with proper committees in House and Senate to urge the increased allowance named in the resolutions above. The motion was adopted and the matter referred to the Legislative Committee named below, with power.

Director General Van Orsdel presented his report on immigration, and, after discussion, Judge Van Orsdel was asked to write an answer to Mr. Paul Stinchfield's request for further action on the National Origins Plan, stating the position of the Committee on Immigration and the Executive Committee at the present time.

Director General Millspaugh moved that the Executive Committee express its appreciation to Judge Van Orsdel and the Immigration Committee, and that the letter of Mr. Stinchfield be referred to said committee. Motion adopted.

Letter of Representative Bland, of Virginia, was read and, on motion, laid on table temporarily.

Also matter of bill to exempt from taxation the New Headquarters Building in Washington.

It was moved by Mr. Schanck that the President General appoint a Legislative Committee to assist on legislative matters in Washington, and that the Bland letter and taxation matter be left to this committee. Motion adopted.

The President General appointed Hon. Josiah A. Van Orsdel, of the District of Columbia, Chairman; Vice-President General Ernest J. Clark of Maryland, and Secretary General Frank B. Steele, of Washington, D. C.

Treasurer General Bowman brought up the matter of the Certificate Fund, and it was moved by Mr. Brewer that the Certificate Fund be merged with the General Fund. Motion adopted.

The President General brought up the question of The Minute Man and the possibilities of further advertising to reduce cost. This matter was discussed very fully.

Director General Millspaugh brought up the matter of Citizenship Medals for Mountain Schools and moved that the Executive Committee authorize the presentation of one medal to each officially endorsed mountain school, expense to be taken out of Mountain School Fund now available. Motion adopted.

The Secretary General presented the proposed program, submitted by John Paul Earnest, for the meeting of the National Congress in May, which was approved.

Director General Barrett moved that the vote taken by mail by the Executive Committee with reference to the Pierson and Crain account be ratified, approved and confirmed, namely, that the sum of \$750 be paid in full settlement of this account. The motion was adopted.

Director General Van Orsdel, chairman of the Committee on Constitutional Amendments, presented his report and, after a full and complete discussion, the following amendments were, upon a motion of Director General Van Orsdel, unanimously adopted, and the Secretary General was directed to send such amendments to the State Presidents in accordance with the provisions of Article IX.

# PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

ARTICLE III.—Membership

Amend section I, line I, by changing the words "the Society" to read "this Society."

Strike out section 2.

Amend section 3, line 1, to read "application for membership shall be made through any State Society."

Insert after fourth paragraph an additional paragraph, as follows:

"In the transfer of a member of the Children of the American Revolution, or the Children of the Revolution, copies of his papers admitting him into either of those Societies, approved by the Registrar of the State Society and the Registrar General of the National Society, shall be accepted in lieu of the regular form of application blank used by this Society."

# ARTICLE IV .- National and State Societies

Amend section 3 by inserting after the word "Constitution," in the 7th line, the following sentence:

"It shall be the duty of the State Society to establish local chapters within its own jurisdiction in any community where ten or more members reside and in which no chapter exists, and to endow the chapters so established with such powers as it may deem proper, not inconsistent with the Charter of the National Society or with this Constitution."

# ARTICLE V .- Officers and Trustees

Amend the second paragraph of section 4 by substituting for the word "three-fourths," in the seventh line thereof, the word "majority."

# ARTICLE VII.-Meetings and Elections

Amend section 3, paragraph 4, to read: "One delegate from every fifty members of the State Society within a State, and for a fraction of twenty-five or over. In the selection of the delegation from any State, each chapter of not less than twenty-five nor more than fifty members shall be entitled to elect one delegate, and one delegate for each additional fifty members; provided, that if the number of delegates so elected by the chapters, availing themselves of the right hereby conferred, are not sufficient to fill the quota to which the State is entitled, the State Society, under rules prescribed by it, shall select sufficient number of delegates at large to fill such quota.

There being no further business, on motion, the meeting of the Executive Committee adjourned.

Frank B. Steele, Secretary General.

#### EDITOR'S NOTE:

Below are extracts from the letter of Vice-President Rowley referred to in the

"I call your attention to what seems to me to be a failure in operation in our processes in the consideration of suggestions for the good of the order. We have an official reports committee at each Congress . . . this routine has

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gotten into a rut . . . unless there is further action upon such matters, it resolves itself down to the reports submitted being approved by the committee in their immaterial . . . parts and matters of importance being entirely eliminated from consideration after the convention. I suggest that there should be a follow-up to take care of such instances, as it would seem obvious otherwise that only the least important matters are to be passed upon at all . . .

"I referred (in annual report) to the necessity of so changing and rearranging our machinery of operations as to put the affairs of this Society actually into the hands of all of its members, and to so broaden the opportunities for effective expression of the States and their memberships as to make the Society national in fact. . . . The national organization is the only group that can and should direct its affairs if the State societies are to be able to accomplish any important purposes . . . I desire to refer again to the necessity of a coordination of our State societies into a working whole through leadership from the top. . . . The important opportunities of possible activity of this Society obviously are and must be national. . . .

"I call attention again to the obvious impossibility in practice of one-half of the United States, geographically, ever being represented in our annual meetings in any worthwhile proportion, unless and until some process is arranged for allowing the States to formulate their opinions at home and express them in their proportions at the national meeting. . . .

"Again I believe it is necessary . . . to effectively pursue our important purposes that arrangements be at once made to so alter our machinery of operations as to do away with the travesty of purely pro forma action by incidental attendance of very small minority numbers in trustees' meetings. . . . Under the congressional charter of our National Society, its affairs are explicitly and very plainly committed to the Society's trustees. . . . I repeat . . . that the most effective constitution of the Board of Trustees of this Society would appear to be automatically the State Presidents and National Officers. . . . I want to reiterate that it is entirely inconsistent with American theory of government that a personally appointed committee should become a legislative body. We should promptly adjust this situation by causing the Executive Committee to be an Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees, which would, obviously, take care of any requirements not met by the Board of Trustees as a whole, just as easily as an entirely separate group. . . .

"While I do not insist upon it as the only method of selection of an Executive Committee, I do submit . . . that possibly the automatic constitution of Vice-Presidents General as the Executive Committee, with the inclusion of some at least of the recent Past Presidents General, would provide a well-distributed and presumably effective group for this purpose. Such an arrangement would, obviously, give the entire country its hearing in an effective way. . . . and in addition it would be both logical and reasonable. . . .

"There is to be observed continuingly here in this part of the country the lack of interest in the national organization through the lack of opportunity in the past to cooperate with it, because, as I see it, of our organization processes at the top. . . .

"I take the liberty of suggesting these thoughts out of a desire for better things in the future through the opportunity to make our entire organization effective rather than merely some parts of it. It seems also obvious to me that when we may put our organization in a position to accomplish larger purposes and have such accomplishments to our credit, we will not be faced with the constantly recurring discussion of how to get new members. It will be vastly easier to enlist membership when the operations of the Society more obviously and notoriously interest eligibles."

# OUR BANNERS

The staff at National Headquarters were greatly pleased to receive, early in February, two beautiful banners for display on the exterior of our new building. One, the gift of Director General Ganson Depew, President of the Empire State Society, is a lovely American Flag; the second, generously donated by Mr. Herbert White, Past President of the Connecticut State Society, in response to the "hint" offered in The MINUTE MAN for December, is a beautiful Sons of the American Revolution Banner. The two are exact in size and were floated from the poles placed for the purpose just above and at either side of the front doorway, both on Lincoln's Birthday and on Washington's Birthday. Both days were lovely with sunshine and a fresh breeze kept the two beautiful banners constantly waving, to the admiring gaze of all passersby, and contributed a real thrill to all compatriots who were passing, many of whom visited Headquarters on these days.

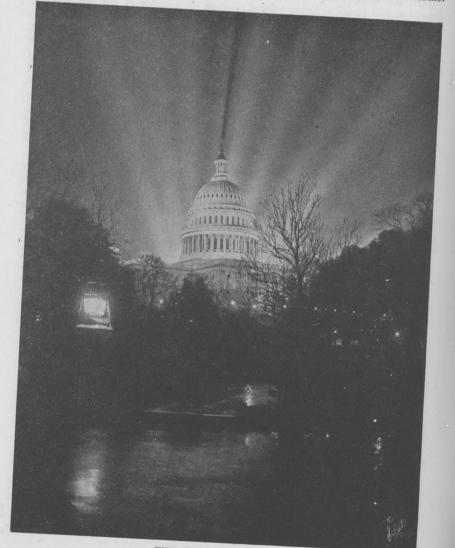
THE MINUTE MAN takes pleasure in expressing appreciation and gratitude to the generous donors. We shall be proud indeed to have our lovely emblems floating from Headquarters during the National Congress sessions in May, at which time it is hoped hundreds of our compatriots will see them and experience the same thrill!

If your address needs to be changed, please send both old and new address to the Secretary General, 1227 16th Street N. W., Washington, D. C., promptly on receipt of this issue of THE MINUTE MAN.

# WASHINGTON AND ITS MANY ATTRACTIONS

At any time of the year, Washington is an interesting city to visit, for there are so many places and things to see; but in May, when all the trees and foliage are in full bloom and the lovely parks and drives are redolent with flowers and verdure, there is no place in this whole country that is so delightful in which to spend a week or so as this the Capital of the Nation.

The Congress of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution will begin its sessions in this lovely city on the third Monday in May, the 21st, and this is the loveliest part of the spring season, before the very warm weather



THE CAPITOL AT NIGHT

sets in, and those of the compatriots who are expecting to attend the Congress will be amply repaid for their visit.

It is hoped that some of the pictures illustrating this article will serve to give added interest and inspire a full delegation of our compatriots from every State.

Starting at the Capitol, which stands in majestic grandeur at the head of Pennsylvania Avenue, and where our lawmakers will be in session when the S. A. R. Congress meets, it is interesting to mention some of the outstanding and famous buildings and memorials that every visitor to Washington should see when in this remarkable city. No attempt will be made to describe the Capitol itself, for it has been told of in story and song too many times, but nothing that can be said of it will portray its beauty and dignity, and it must be seen to be appreciated.

Right within walking distance of the Capitol is, of course, the beautiful Congressional Library, and again this beggars description. It is so wonderful in all its many beauties that one seems to be transported into another sphere. It is fairly voluptuous in its ornamentation and wealth of symbolic decoration, and one is speechless in awe of all that is to be found here.

On each side of the Capitol are the two fine office buildings, one for the Senate and the other for the House of Representatives, which are well worth seeing.

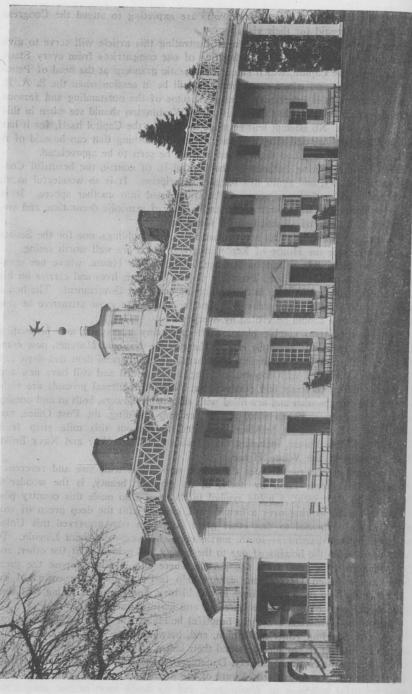
Next in order, though not in distance, is the White House, where our compatriot, the most distinguished President Calvin Coolidge, lives and carries on his most important official duties in the conduct of our great Government. The house and grounds of this newly renovated first residence are most attractive at this time of year and should be visited by everyone.

Between these two notable places there are many interesting and fascinating buildings and places to see. Of course, there is the National Museum, now combined with the Smithsonian Institution, where one could spend days and days, and then, unless surfeited with too much seeing, could return and still have new and wondrous things to study and ponder over. The Agricultural grounds are right next to the Smithsonian and are filled with seasonable flowers, both in and outside of the greenhouses. Then there is the Treasury Building, the Post Office, and many other Government buildings scattered throughout this mile strip from Capitol to White House, including the massive Old State War and Navy Building, just beyond the White House.

Now come to the two shrines that touch our hearts with awe and reverence. Standing on a little knoll by itself, in its majestic beauty, is the wonderful Washington Monument, a noble symbol to the man who made this country possible; and then, looking over a limpid pool, skirted with the deep green of soft grass, is the memorial to that other great American who preserved this Union to her sons and daughters—south, north, east, and west—Abraham Lincoln. To look down from the heights of one to the beauty and nobleness of the other, and to look across the pool from the portals where sits in silent repose the great figure of Abraham Lincoln, one cannot help feel that there are enshrined the spirits of the two most noble lives in our history, and that it is fitting that they should face each other in these beautiful and majestic memorials.

Near these memorials are three beautiful buildings, the home of the American Red Cross, the Pan American Union, and, between these two, one that will be of special interest to our members and their ladies, namely, the home of our great sister society, the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution. This is pronounced by architects and lovers of the finest in structural art as one of the most beautiful buildings in Washington, and no doubt most of our compatriots will wish to visit this and see what our friends in the D. A. R. have accom-

MOUNT VERNON



plished in the matter of owning property and the consequent increase and progress which the society has attained largely as a result of this fact.

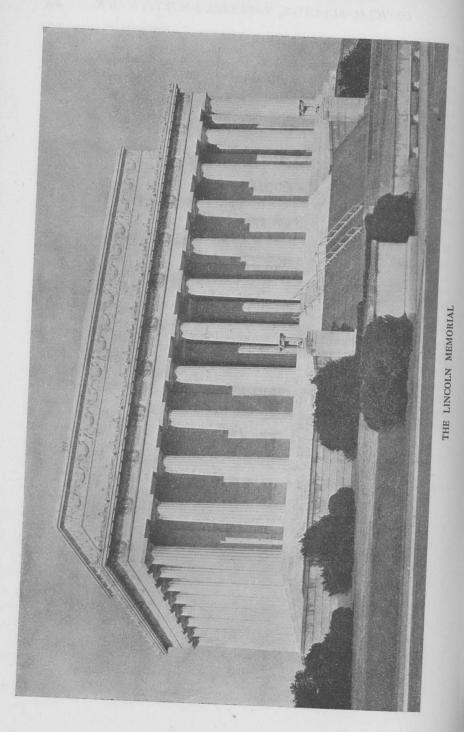
Every pilgrim to Washington must visit Mount Vernon, the home of Washington, and plans are being made that this may be done by all who attend the Congress, in comfort and with pleasure. Also, Arlington must be seen, with its great Memorial to the Unknown Soldier and the many other monuments to our great heroes. The program of our forthcoming Congress provides for a special ceremony at the Unknown Soldier's Tomb, when our Official Insignia will be placed among other similar mementoes in the museum which is part of the memorial.

For those who are specially interested in Masonic affairs, the Scottish Rite Temple will be a mecca—one of the most beautiful structures, both as to exterior and interior, one could ever see, possibly. Art lovers will find wonderful collections of incomparable value in the National Museum, the Corcoran Gallery, and the Freer Gallery, the latter being a private collection.

And now, last but far from least, is the splendid new Headquarters of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. This beautiful building, purchased last spring by unanimous resolution of the Congress at Richmond, is in the heart of one of the most attractive parts of the city, and within a few minutes' walk of the Mayflower Hotel, where sessions of the Congress will be held. It is at the corner of Scott Circle, one of those famous spots that stand out in Washington's many lovely places. It is in the heart of the "Embassy District," and its flags will be flying and its doors will be opened wide to receive the delegates and their guests, and its rooms and facilities will be at their disposal. It will be a second headquarters, and reception committees of both compatriots and ladies will be present at all times to show off its many attractions and assist the compatriots in any way possible. There will be shown what this great National Society is trying to do to carry out our great ideals, and it is felt that the delegates will appreciate the true significance of having such a remarkably fine building in this city of Washington.



NEW HAMPSHIRE AVENUE, WASHINGTON, D. C.



# The President General's Message

605 Pequot Avenue, New London, Connecticut, March 5, 1928.

Compatriots:

My last message was written in Los Angeles. From there Mrs. Rogers and I proceeded to the Grand Canyon and on to Houston via New Mexico. Then we went to New Orleans, Pensacola, Jacksonville, St. Petersburg, Columbia, Richmond, Washington, and reached home on December 22, having been absent nine and one-half weeks.

In St. Petersburg a new Chapter was organized on the evening of December 9 at the Princess Martha Hotel and the Charter list left open for additional Charter

Members.

We were at the National Headquarters building in Washington one week attending to official business. It so happened that December 14, the day of our arrival, was the anniversary of the death of Washington, and arrangements had been made for me to lay a wreath in the tomb of George Washington, the Patron Saint of our Society.

The next day, in accordance with prearranged plans, I called at the White House upon Compatriot Calvin Coolidge, the President of the United States, and was received most cordially by him. Also, while in Washington I had the privilege of calling upon Compatriot William Tyler Page, the Clerk of the House of Representatives and the author of the American's Creed, to congratulate him on his laudable effort in writing the Creed, which is so widely and favorably known throughout the United States.

During the past two months I have attended: January 7, a reception by the Colonel Jeremiah Wadsworth Chapter of Hartford; January 9, the annual convocation of the Bridgeport Chapter, D. A. R.; January 20, the annual banquet of the Pennsylvania Society in Pittsburgh; January 25, present at the installation of officers of the Chaplain Ebenezer Baldwin Chapter in Danbury, Connecticut.

Washington's Birthday banquets and meetings: February 21, New York City Chapter; 22nd Convocation of Patriotic Societies at Carnegie Hall, New York City; also reception at President Hartshorne's home in East Orange, New Jersey, and in the evening with the New Jersey Society at its annual banquet in Elizabeth; 23rd, lunched with the officials of the New Jersey Society at Newark; 24th, attended the meeting of the Executive Committee in Cleveland and in the evening met with the Western Reserve Society in Cleveland; 25th, with the Toledo Chapter, and the 27th with the Buffalo Chapter.

It was my intention at the beginning of my term of office to make a prompt research survey, but it was soon found it would take nearly a whole year to do this work as some of our states were not in a position to respond quickly. Therefore, I appointed Director General F. W. Millspaugh, of Nashville, Tennessee, as Director of Statistics, which appointment was ratified at the meeting of the Executive

Committee in Cleveland.

Herewith is appended his most illuminating membership report, covering the United States for the past six years, which will be supplemented at the National Congress by general statistical information. It will be noticed that New England, the former stronghold of our patriotic work, has actually fallen behind. The Executive Committee in Cleveland elected George S. Godard, President of the Connecticut Society, as Vice-President General of New England to fill a vacancy, and as Mr. Godard's Society has already in this fiscal year received nearly as many new members as it did in the previous six years, it is hoped that the tide in New England has turned for the better.

The personal survey of the field leads me to state several observations in addi-

tion to those listed in the December MINUTE MAN.

(1) The absolute necessity is conceded everywhere of a headquarters building where the National Society can assemble its several departments for economical, efficient and helpful executive administration.

(2) While all departments of effort should be promoted, especially that of increased membership, yet one paramount problem before us is the raising of funds for our National Headquarters building. The membership has been faithfully circularized by Director General Henry F. Baker, Chairman of the National Headquarters Committee, and it now remains for the officers of State Societies and Chapters to personally enter the campaign, apportion the names and quota and raise the funds before the next National Congress. Some states already are

(3) With the advent of the National Headquarters building, the great lack of a national outlook is gradually diminishing. State Societies are seeking information pertaining to the activites, dues, meetings, and plans of other State Societies,

realizing the need of a national centralized clearing house.

(4) THE MINUTE MAN, mailed to each member without additional cost to him, is the only uniform medium of periodic contact. After years of discussion and trial this plan, as seen from many viewpoints, is the most satisfactory. Several patriotic societies are still trying to solve the problem of the distribution of their organization periodicals without, as yet, apparent success. While a satisfactory medium of communication, yet it is expensive, costing about 50 per cent of our entire operating budget. It will prove a helpful channel of advertising to certain houses, and those interested in the space should write Secretary General Steele. Sufficient advertising would materially lower the cost of publication.

(5) It was observed that certain portions of the United States are fertile fields for recruiting new members. Secretary General Steele recently went to North Carolina to assist Vice-President General Major John F. Jones and Compatriot Harrison Gray Otis in organizing the North Carolina State Society. Compatriot Otis was elected President of the Society and within a few weeks organized a local Chapter of the S. A. R. at his home city, Rocky Mount. President Otis is

the City Manager of Rocky Mount.

When in Los Angeles and New Orleans, a call for help in recruiting was received and upon formal application the Executive Committee voted at its meeting in Cleveland to send the Secretary General to the assistance of the Compatriots in those fields. The Secretary General will also stop over for a day while en route

(6) There are other observations which will be submitted at the next National Congress, but may I say that what our State Societies need is not so much visitation on the part of the President General, which of necessity is quite formal and brief, but they should have conscientious, considerate and able administration by him at the National Headquarters. The President General, in my opinion, should as a rule only visit when especially requested, but the Secretary General, until this Society can afford a field organizer, should answer the SOS calls and stay long enough to be of real and permanent help.

ERNEST E. ROGERS. President General.

# STATISTICAL MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Prepared By

Frederick W. Millspaugh, Nashville, Tenn.

Director General

Department of Statistics

Below is a statement showing:

(A) Membership as of March 31, 1921.
(B) Membership as of March 31, 1927.
(C) Net gain in the six-year period.
(D) Net loss of the six-year period.
(E) Number of new members admitted in six years.

New England District	"A"	"B"	"C"	"D"	"E"
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Connecticut	1,150	1,070	-1.1.1	65	95
Maine	329	264		56	600
Massachusetts	1,811	1,755		32	34
New Hampshire	198	166			134
Rhode Island	392	425	33	33	26
Vermont	212	179			
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North Atlantic District					0.61
New Jersey	1,590	1,591	1		861 866
New York	1,701	2,085	384		- 000
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Delaware	99	108	114		249
District of Columbia	497	611	33		181
Maryland	474	507	489		790
Pennsylvania	697	1,186	409		
	1,767	2,412	645		1,255
South Atlantic District					
	47	78	31		49
Florida	16	62	46		44
Georgia		13	13		10
North Carolina		393	393		408
South Carolina	250	413	163		258
Virginia	230				-
	313	959	646		769
Southern District					
Alabama		23	23		8
Kentucky	200	272	72		143
Louisiana	305	311	6		186
Mississippi		23	23		17
Tennessee	107	342	235		296
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Central District	612	9/1	337		
Central District		211	1 10		161
Indiana	232	244	12		394
Ohio	765	951	186		269
West Virginia		269	269		
	997	1,464	467		824
Great Lakes District					
	1,189	1,173		16	584
Illinois	690	746	56		288
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During the six-year period every district but two has gained in its membership; and in Atlantic, Southern, and Central.

#### IN MEMORIAM

#### GEORGE ELTWEED POMEROY

The National Society, and the Ohio Society in particular, has suffered a distinct loss in the death, on January 26, of Compatriot George Eltweed Pomeroy.

Mr. Pomeroy was Past President of the Ohio Society and one of its charter members. He served for a number of terms as a member of the National Executive Committee. Mr. Pomeroy was prominent in banking and in real-estate circles in his own city of Toledo and elsewhere. He was always active locally and nationally in our own organization of the Sons of the American Revolution and a member of several patriotic societies, notably the Colonial Wars

Appropriate resolutions were adopted by the Ohio State Society and the Anthony Wayne Chapter of Toledo, of which Mr. Pomeroy was one of the founders.

The funeral services were conducted from his home, in Toledo, on Saturday, January 28. Representatives of the National Society were present, and officers of the Ohio and Michigan State Societies also attended. Telegrams of condolence and a wreath were sent on behalf of the National Society. Mr. Pomeroy is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mathilda W. Pomeroy, and a sister, Mrs. Charles R. Scadding, of Portland, Oregon, to whom is extended the sincere sympathy and condolences on behalf of the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution.

#### WILLIAM REYNALE SANDERS

We feel it is fitting to here express our sense of loss in the death, on January 28, of William Reynale Sanders, of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mr. Sanders was President of the Ohio Society, Sons of the Revolution, in 1923, and General Delegate, representing the Ohio Society in the General Society. He was Chairman of the Committee on Union of the General Society, Sons of the Revolution, at the time of his death, and had been very favorable and very active in the efforts toward a merger of the two organizations, Sons of the Revolution and Sons of the American Revolution, on an equitable basis. At the time of his death he was Deputy Governor of the National Society of Colonial Wars and had served three times as Governor of the Ohio Society of Colonial Wars.

# REPRESENTING THE NATIONAL SOCIETY

It has been a privilege of the Secretary General, since taking up his residence in Washington, to represent the National Society on a number of ceremonial occasions. First and most impressive of these was the occasion of the dedication of the Canadian Monument to American soldiers of the World War who had served in the armies of Canada. This took place on Armistice Day, at Arlington Cemetery, and was described in detail in the December Minute Man. Upon this occasion the Secretary General, with Vice-President General Josiah A. Van Orsdel, placed a handsome wreath upon the beautiful "Cross of Sacrifice." Shortly after this, on December 2, it was a pleasure to attend the ceremonies

of dedication of the Memorial Stone presented by the State of New Mexico in the Washington Monument. The President of the United States was in attendance upon this occasion and, except for inclement weather, the ceremonies were of much interest.

On December 14 President General Ernest E. Rogers arrived in Washington, at the conclusion of his long trip across the continent, and, this being the anniversary of the death of George Washington, a small party was formed to go to Mount Vernon on this afternoon, where President General Rogers placed a wreath, in behalf of the National Society, upon the sarcophagus of our revered first President. The gates of the tomb were opened especially for this purpose, and we print here a small snap-shot taken by another visitor at the spot, who was so courteous as to furnish us with the original for reproduction.



LAYING A WREATH AT THE TOMB OF WASHINGTON ON THE ANNIVERSARY OF HIS DEATH

Left to right: President General Rogers, Mrs. Rogers, Secretary General Steele, Mr. Williams S. Parks, Mrs. Steele.

On February 11, with other members of the Society from the District of Columbia, the Secretary General attended the services at St. Thomas Church, where the Massing of the Colors was observed, under the auspices of the local group of the Loyal Legion. This was the first annual service of the kind, was both beautiful and impressive, and was attended by many. The next day, February 12, under the auspices of the Military Order of the World War, special ceremonies in honor of Abraham Lincoln were held, at which time the Secretary General placed a wreath on behalf of the National Society. The Marine Band furnished appropriate music, and the address of the day was made by Senator Frank B. Willis, of Ohio, and was very fine. Many other organizations were represented upon this occasion and the beautiful Memorial was a scene of deep and impressive significance, appropriately commemorating the Great Emancipator.

On February 21 it was the privilege of the Secretary General to accept the invitation of Principal Johnson, of the Henry D. Cook School, to make a tenminute address on George Washington before the assembly of the school. Upon

the conclusion the Secretary General offered one of the Society's Good Citizenship Medals to the school, the plan of award to be followed.

On February 22, at the joint celebration of the Sons of the American Revolution, the Daughters of the American Revolution, and the Children of the American Revolution, an annual event of impressive dignity and inspiration, the Secretary General represented the National Society in presenting greetings to the assembled audience. The presiding officer on this occasion was Mr. Kenneth S. Wales, President of the District of Columbia Society, S. A. R., and the program was arranged by a committee of which Mr. William S. Parks, formerly Secretary-Registrar General of the National Society and Past President of the District of Columbia Society, was chairman. The ceremonies were enhanced by the presence of the French Ambassador, M. Paul Claudel, who also spoke briefly. The address of the day was made by Hon. Alben W. Barkley, U. S. Senator from Kentucky, and it was inspiring and deeply interesting, fully worthy of the anniversary and of the great man in whose honor the meeting was held. Music by the Marine Band, a vocal solo, the Recessional by Mr. James E. S. Kinsella, the reading of extracts from the letters of George Washington by Mr. Samuel Herrick, Past President of the D. C. Society, S. A. R.; the presentation of a medal to a girl student of the George Washington University, in behalf of the National Society, D. A. R., completed a program of unusual interest.

# NORTH CAROLINA ORGANIZED

Through the persistent efforts of our energetic Vice-President General, Major John F. Jones, of South Carolina, a start was made in the thriving and progressive State of North Carolina a year or so ago to form an organization; but, largely because of the distance from his headquarters in Columbia and the important fact that he had been unable to get just the right man in the State north of him to take the initiative, the movement did not gain much headway until, by a lucky chance for the National Society, S. A. R., the former Vice-President of the West Virginia Society, Harrison Gray Otis, was made the city manager of the city of Rocky Mount, North Carolina. Although Mr. Otis, because of his having only recently assumed his duties in that fine city, was loath to undertake the work, Major Jones persuaded him to help, and then the matter took shape in double-quick time.

Everyone remembers Mr. Otis' splendid work in Clarksburg, West Virginia; how he came to the meeting in Huntington, where this Society was started less than a year ago, with the signed applications and checks for over one hundred eligibles, and that Clarksburg won out in a friendly contest for place as Chapter No. I in that State. In this thriving city of West Virginia the George Rogers Clark Chapter of over one hundred and fifty members is as live an organization as we have in our Society.

With characteristic energy, Mr. Otis began his work not only in Rocky Mount, but throughout the whole State, and the manner in which he went after it brought immediate and remarkable results.

In less than a month after he had first communicated with Major Jones and the National Headquarters the matter came to a head, and on Monday, February 6, there was held in Rocky Mount a meeting of about twenty-five men, who were either already members of our Society or eligible. These men were, of course, mostly from that city, but the encouraging part of it was that there were

four or five other cities represented, including Raleigh, Greensboro, Louisburg, and Warrenton, the party from Raleigh driving over and back that same night.

Secretary General Frank B. Steele was present to represent the National Society. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Otis, and Major Jones was called to the chair and, after stating the objects and reasons for forming a Society of the S. A. R. in North Carolina, Mr. Otis was made temporary chairman. It developed that he had already sent in some twenty or more applications, and that he had a list of eighty-six names who were ready and willing to join, and most of these had paid their first year's initiation fees and dues! Of this list of petitioners for a North Carolina organization, forty-one were already members of the National Society and forty-five others were desirous of joining.

Upon the temporary organization being perfected, a motion was made to have a formal application made to the Trustees of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution for a charter for this State organization. This charter has now been granted by the Executive Committee, acting for the National Board of Trustees, and the North Carolina Society will at a formal meeting receive their new charter some time late in March, and at that time elect permanent officers.

The officers elected at the temporary meeting were as follows:

President, Harrison Gray Otis; Vice-Presidents, Park Mathewson, Raleigh; Ernest W. Wilson, Asheville; Halmagh E. Coleman, Greensboro; Julius E. Willoughby, Wilmington; J. Edward Allen, Warrenton; Wiley M. Pickens, Lincolnton; William G. Bramham, Durham; Eugene Holt, Burlington; Secretary-Registrar, Samuel L. Arrington, Rocky Mount; Treasurer, Thomas A. Avera, Rocky Mount; Historian, William T. Whitsett, Whitsett; Chaplain, Rev. F. H. Craighill, Rocky Mount; National Trustee, Dr. D. T. Smithwick, Louisburg.

Many of those present spoke enthusiastically of the possibilities of a large and flourishing organization in North Carolina, among them being Dr. D. T. Smithhad helped materially in this initial effort; also, Mr. Halmagh E. Coleman, of lina, and Park Mathewson, now of Raleigh, formerly of New York, and at one pledged themselves to assist in the work of organization of chapters in their respective cities, and it is felt that, with this successful start and with the leader-leading Southern States in the S. A. R.

At 6 o'clock that same evening all of the members and prospective members of the new North Carolina Society, Sons of the American Revolution, attended the weekly meeting of the Current Topics Club of Rocky Mount, a unique organization of the leading men of that thriving place, and addresses were made by Secretary General Frank B. Steele on the history, objects, and accomplishments of the Sons of the American Revolution, pointing out the essential need that a branch of this Society should be formed in that State, and an address by S. A. R. Newsome, Secretary of the North Carolina Historical Commission, in which he told of some of the excellent work being done by that commission to preserve the records of the papers for the State.

Since the meetings described above the work has been progressing with uninterrupted zeal on the part of Mr. Otis and the other enthusiastic organizers. A recent letter announced the completed papers of over one hundred applicants in the hands of the officers of the new North Carolina Society. The original

petition of the applicants for a State Society was forwarded to the Secretary General and presented as an exhibit to the members of the Executive Committee at its meeting in Cleveland on February 24. This list will be increased by the names of all incoming applicants between the date of the organization meeting and that on which the formal charter will be presented, late in the month of March, all of which will be engrossed on the charter.

The formation of a chapter at Rocky Mount was also immediately perfected, and the first formal meeting of this chapter was held on February 22, at the local high school, when the chapter conducted appropriate public exercises, the fifty local signers of the petition for a chapter charter attending in a body and, after the exercises, meeting for formal election of officers.

Application has been received from Tarboro for a chapter and definite movements are under way for chapters at Raleigh, Greensboro, Lincolnton, and Asheville.

The following letter from Major Jones, with reference to the new State Society, completes the story:

Office of Special Commissioner for North and South Carolina Major John F. Jones

COLUMBIA, S. C., February 10, 1928.

Mr. Frank B. Steele, Secretary General, S. A. R., Washington, D. C.

DEAR MR. STEELE: I am pleased to report that, after five and one-half years of effort, on February 6 there was organized at Rocky Mount a North Carolina State Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, with 89 names secured. The Board of Officers elected gives promise of remarkable success. Hon. Harrison G. Otis, formerly of West Virginia, who one year ago enlisted within three months 165 members to the Society of that State and put it upon the map of our National organization, was elected President of the North Carolina Society. I shall turn over to them all matters in my hands relating to the North Carolina work, and this closes my relations to it as Special Commissioner.

In publishing reference to this noticeable event, while I may be called the "daddy" by reason of such persistent efforts, I would have special credit go to Mr. Otis. At my request he took up this task of creating a local chapter and widened his efforts as a Special Deputy Organizer, personally enlisting fifty men locally, and the enthusiastic interest of delegates from other parts of the State gives assurance as to the future growth of this new State Society.

Yours sincerely,

JOHN F. JONES, Special Commissioner.

# LET US DEFEND OUR INSTITUTIONS

Under the above caption the Minneapolis Journal writes in part as follows:

"The graduates of the public schools of America compare most favorably with the graduates of any other school system in the world. The system is one around which every citizen who loves his country should rally, when it is attacked and defamed. It is the nursery of the ideals upon which the existence of the Nation depends. In the public schools the pupils are taught to love knowledge for its own sake, to love truth because it is truth, to revere democracy and liberty and to believe in the sacredness and inviolability of law and order.

"The most distinctive American institution in this country is the public school

system. It should be defended against any and all defamers."

# A MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN OF PUBLICITY

To members of the National Committee:

Permit me to express my appreciation of your interest in the S. A. R., which has led you to accept a place representing your State on the "National Publicity Committee."

While several months have elapsed since your nomination was forwarded to President General Rogers, your chairman has been at work. Mr. Rogers' administration is the first, I believe, to have a National Publicity Committee. He visualized the good that such a committee could accomplish by placing the S. A. R. before the country through the press and by photographs. At the start, a new committee must feel its way and experiment a bit. This we have been doing, with interesting results already accomplished.

On the attached sheet appear "Six Points for the National Publicity Committee." Mr. Rogers and I will appreciate your co-operation on these "six points." May I hear from you?

Cordially,

CLARK BELDEN, Chairman, National Publicity Committee.

JANUARY 28, 1928.

P. S.—I should appreciate your advising me of your business connection, so that I may compile an accurate list of the committee.

# SIX POINTS FOR THE NATIONAL PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

## Point No. 1

First. Several months ago photographs were taken of the Executive Committee on the steps of Mr. Rogers' home at New London. Copies and descriptive data were supplied to various nation-wide photograph syndicates in New York and to certain leading papers direct. These photographs were widely reproduced. More recently the same procedure was followed with regard to a photograph taken at Washington, wherein President General Rogers and other S. A. R. officials were received by President Coolidge. Considerable very helpful publicity has also been obtained by virtue of Mr. Rogers' 11-000-mile trip, recently completed; also by the public ceremonies incidental to taking over the new Headquarters at Washington.

# Point No. 2

Second. Each State should have a separate Publicity Committee to handle important S. A. R. events held by its local societies or the State Society. Perhaps your State now has a State Publicity Committee. If not, may I suggest that you get in touch with your State President and set up such a committee. It should have a representative from each local Society. It should have occasional meetings and operate on a well-defined policy. This committee should set before the people of its State interesting aspects of the work of the S. A. R.

# Point No. 3

Third. I believe that more thought should be given to constructive publicity by all of the various State and local societies. Each Society should make definite arrangements with the newspapers whenever they hold meetings of unusual

interest and have speakers of importance. Arrangements can often be made to have photographs of speakers and officers made and sent to the various newspapers in a given State or community. Each local Society should have a competent man in charge of this publicity—a member of the State-wide publicity committee. He should arrange for special interviews with prominent visiting speakers, for special photographs and for write-ups of unusual events. May I request that you, as the member of the National Publicity Committee representing your State, write a letter to the President of each local Society, outlining the importance to the S. A. R. of the proper attention to publicity.

# Point No. 4

Fourth. May I request that you inquire from time to time in your State as to any unusual occasion which your State or any of your local societies will hold. Such an unusual occasion happened when President General Rogers laid a wreath on the Washington Elm at the University of Washington, at Seattle. This elm was transplanted from New England. When similar occasions are held, please arrange to have a good (non-copyrighted) photograph taken. Please send me six copies of it, together with a brief description, so that I may prepare these for national newspaper distribution. Such pictures must have a wide-spread interest.

#### Point No. 5

Fifth. Shortly I shall send out some new material regarding the progress in raising the funds for the new Headquarters. I shall appreciate it if you will mimeograph copies of this material and release it to the leading daily newspapers in your State.

#### Point No. 6

Last, but not least, may I say that President General Rogers and I will welcome any suggestions you care to make for developing the publicity work of the S. A. R. Won't you kindly give us the benefit of your thoughts?

### THE WORK AT HEADQUARTERS

It might be interesting to the members generally to know some of the activities at the new Headquarters which has been functioning in Washington since October 1st, last.

Shortly before the 1st of October, the Registrar General moved from the Hill Building, in Washington, where he had been maintaining offices for about two years, and established his office on the third floor of the new Headquarters, 1227 Sixteenth Street N. W. These offices are large and airy, with an excellent western light and in every way fitted for the arduous work of this office.

On October I, the Secretary General moved from Buffalo, and now, for the past five months, these two officers have been working in close contact and cooperation, with the result that much time and no little expense has been saved in the carrying out of the many details of the Society's routine work.

Probably the most important matter is that of issuing the certificates to members through the State Societies. In the past, because of the distance that these certificates had to be sent, and some untoward circumstances during the past year, there had always been many unfortunate delays, and sometimes it was

several months before a member who was elected into the Society received his certificate of membership. An illustration of how quickly this work can be done now is demonstrated in a recent instance, when some forty applications were sent in by one State. These were passed upon on January 7 by the State Society, they were received by the Registrar General on the 9th or 10th, examined and approved and the certificates given to the engrosser, and by him returned with others on the 30th of January. As the certificates had been signed by the President General on one of his several visits to the National Headquarters, they were signed by the Registrar at once and turned over to the Secretary Gneral, who signed, sealed, wrapped, and placed them in the mail, directed to the State Secretary, on February 3.

This was less than one month from the time of admission by the State Society. When it is taken into consideration that the engrossers do this work in the evenings only, this is a most excellent result.

In the matter of the details of the two offices of the Secretary General and the Registrar General, it may be said that there is hardly a day but some consultation is required, and in a few minutes matters that took several days correspondence can be settled at once.

Naturally the correspondence of these officers has increased very greatly, for the very fact that there is a central place to which officers and compatriots can write makes a natural increase in correspondence. With most excellent assistance, all of this increase in correspondence is taken care of promptly and the many inquiries given the closest attention.

The fact of being in Washington, where many activities that affect not only the work of our Society, but of the whole nation, brings to the officers at the Headquarters opportunity to take part in these movements, and the Secretary General has been invited to many conferences, meetings, and hearings that deeply affect the work of the S. A. R. To enumerate these briefly may be of interest to the compatriots generally:

In January a conference was held of representatives of some thirty-five patriotic organizations in Memorial Continental Hall, which was presided over by Mr. Fred Marvin, of the Key Men of America. This conference was called to meet the evident intention of certain blocs or interests that were trying to change or amend the immigration law of 1924. Addresses were made by many men and women of prominence, among them being Representative Albert Johnson, Chairman of the House Immigration Committee, and whose name the law of 1924 bears. As is well known, Mr. Johnson is against any change in the present immigration law, and for better enforcement of the deportation of aliens who are unlawfully in this country. It is, of course, of interest to know that he is one of the most enthusiastic members of the S. A. R.

At another session strong addresses were made by Senator David Reed, of Pennsylvania, in favor of the National Origins feature, which has been postponed from time to time, and, strange as it may seem, on the same platform, advocating the same idea, was Senator "Pat" Harrison, of Mississippi, a strong political opponent of Senator Reed, but in harmony on this idea.

Many letters have been received at Headquarters from compatriots from all parts of the country, but particularly from those residing on our western coast, urging that the National Society Officers take a strong stand in advocating this National Origins Clause of the Immigration Bill. It might be well to state here that the officers of the National Society felt that, as such, they could go no farther in committing the Society than our National Congress at its 1927 ses-

sions had done in endorsing this legislation, though in sympathy with those compatriots who felt so strongly on this subject. The resolutions adopted by this conference are printed on another page, in the article on Immigration Legistation

The Secretary General attended all these meetings and took an active part in several of the minor discussions.

It may not be generally known that there is now before the House of Representatives a bill to provide for the proper use of the Flag. Up to this time this has been regulated by a code which was prepared by a conference of a number of patriotic and military societies which met in Washington several years ago, but not until now had there been a definite bill before the Congress of the United States to make this matter official, and the Secretary General was called into a preliminary conference with a number of representatives of patriotic societies held at the Navy Building, and many differences were threshed out. Then, later, there was held before the Judiciary Committee of the House a hearing on this proposed bill, and, together with others, the Secretary General of the S. A. R. was called upon to make a statement of our views. It is hoped that this bill will become a law in the near future, and it has every chance.

Another conference that was most important was one for the National Defense, and there again there were some thirty-one women's organizations represented. This conference again was called at Memorial Continental Hall and was presided over by Mrs. Alfred J. Brosseau, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Many delegates were in Washington from many States and it was most successful. These splendid women, mothers of men who not only fought and died in the World War, together with patriotic women who want peace, but who see clearly, and not as some misled women do, that this great land of ours must have adequate defense if we wish to preserve our integrity and save our boys from slaughter if war should come again—these women stood up and were counted for what should be done for National Defense and urged upon our Congress to support such measures as would bring peace to the Nation, both on the land and the seas.

A most cordial invitation was sent to the Headquarters of the S. A. R. and other patriotic societies and the Secretary General attended several of the most important meetings.

Finally, and if not the most important result of establishing the Headquarters in Washington, is the splendid hospitality and co-operation of our sister Society, the Daughters of the American Revolution. From the very first day, the several officers and heads of departments have given the officers at the S. A. R. Headquarters the most valued assistance and have in many instances gone out of their way to do many pleasant things. As is known, the Editor and Chairman of the D. A. R. Magazine opened their pages to us for an article describing our beautiful building; this seemed to be widely read, because many pleasant letters were received. Their officers have called our officers in to many of their interesting conferences, and last, but not least, certain concessions as to the investigation of their records have been granted to the Secretary and Registrar General which will in the future growth of the S. A. R. be invaluable. It is not too much to say that these two organizations, working together to preserve the ideals of the remarkable men who made this country possible, can assert an influence in the country the possibilities of which are untold.

It has been a matter of extreme gratification to the staff at Headquarters, and to the National Officers generally, to learn that so many compatriots from other

cities have personally visited the new building since it was opened, in October. Hardly a day, and certainly never a week, passes but visitors come, and it is felt that all go away delighted and with a just feeling of pride and pleasure in the fact that our Society has acquired and is occupying this beautiful property.

# A PROUD RECORD

Compatriot Tyler Emerson Barrett has just been admitted to the Empire State Society, qualifying under *sixteen* ancestors, *seven* of whom fought in the Battle of Lexington, April 19, 1775!

Below is an epitome of their partial service:

# IN BATTLE OF LEXINGTON

In Captain Benjamin Blaney's Company, from Malden, Massachusetts

4 Joseph Barrett, Jr. (original application).
Joseph Lyndes and his son Benjamin (and also another son, Jos., Jr.).

Phineas Sprague, Jr., whose father

I Phineas Sprague was captain of his own company at Lexington.

2 Thomas Emerson and his son William were in another company.

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Wermont Militia:
Reuben Sanborn and

Christopher Pease and his son Samuel.

New Hampshire Regiments:

John Lovering and his son Simeon, and
Lieutenant Daniel Kingsbury, whose son

I Daniel Kingsbury, Jr., was in a Massachusetts regiment.

Morgan's Rifle Regiment of Connecticut:

Samuel Porter, in Captain Hawkins Boone's Company.

I Rev. Ebenezer Bailey signed the Association Test in Westmoreland, New Hampshire, in 1776.

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It may be interesting to note the following intermarriages of the foregoing patriots:

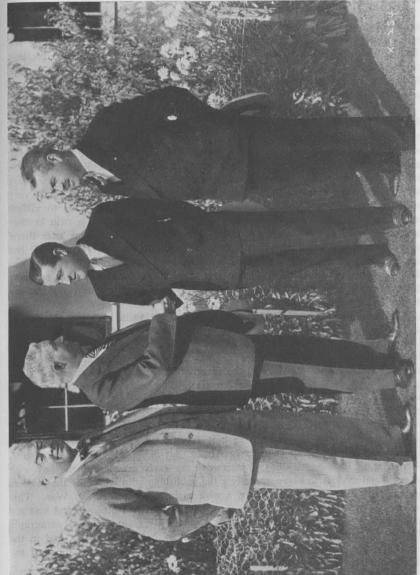
John Lovering married the daughter of Samuel Pease;

Samuel Pease married the daughter of Samuel Porter;

Simeon Lovering married the daughter of Reuben Sanborn; and

Daniel Kingsbury, Jr., married the daughter of the Rev. Ebenezer Bailey, all of whom are listed above.

Compatriot Tyler Emerson Barrett has kept up the record of his many patriotic ancestors, as he served his country in the Mexican situation of 1916 with the First Armored Motor Battery of New York State. He was mustered out of this enlistment with honor and afterwards served in the World War,



# THE FRENCH DEAD "OVER HERE"

By Paul Linebarger, of the D. C. Society, S. A. R.

Ample preparation has been made as a great patriotic base, for the perpetual observation of respect for our brave American soldiers who died "over there," in the Great War. No such preparation was made or could have been made for the French heroes of our Revolutionary alliance, who over a century ago, laid down their lives "over here," most of whom lie in forgotten graves. Can we not do something to correct this unfortunate oblivion? You will understand me better when I tell you of the little that has already been done in this behalf.

In 1890-1900 I was an auditeur bénevole in the Law Faculty of Paris, France. Student life in the Latin Quartier at that time was delightful: one continued, long, lovely suspense of novelty, but I think that I enjoyed even more the quiet journeys and brief sojourns in the Provinces, where I went to the homes of my college chums, for a week-end visit. Among the French families that I thus visited, there was a dear old octogenarian French lady, who declared to me upon my introduction: "I have asked François to bring you to visit us, for a very selfish reason. Americans are very rare in France, so I shall have to violate my duty as a hostess and ask a favor of you. My mother had a twin brother whom she loved as her own life's blood. This beloved brother went 'over there' to fight for your American cause. Alas; he laid down his life there. All her life long mother mourned the loss of her twin brother. Her dying request was that we should try to locate his grave 'over there.' Oh, we have written so many letters; we have done such a lot of thinking. Can't you help us carry out my mother's dying request?"

Deep and touching indeed came this appeal to me from the dear old French lady. I put forth serious efforts to try to bring her some consoling information. I even made the long visit down to Les Passages, the little port in the Pyrenees, from which Lafayette sailed. There was a time when my studies in the law school at Paris were almost secondary to the research work that I undertook in behalf of the French dead "over there" in America. The range of research was stupendous and hence official support was lukewarm, because of the alleged impossibility of complete accomplishment.

From the Paris Law School I went to the University of Heidelberg, Germany. Even there I continued the work as best I could by making excursions to the French border provinces, particularly Alsace, but again with negligible results. Returning to Chicago, in 1895, I interwove my early practice of the law with schemes and devices to carry into effect the publishing of a roster of the soldiers and sailors of France who had fought with us in the Revolutionary War. This roster was to serve as the basis for the whole work I had planned, and was not alone a "creature of my imagination," as you shall see in the next paragraph. This labor, however, was interrupted by the Spanish-American War, and in the hard service of a shavetail lieutenant of cavalry I had little time to think of my cherished work for the dead and forgotten French patriots.

Returning from the war, I had just about rebuilt my law practice so that I could enjoy some leisure for my pet patriotic labor when I received the tender of an appointment as United States Judge in the Philippines, which I accepted with precipitate alacrity, the only regret I had in accepting the honor being that I would have to abandon my Combattants Français idea. However, I turned the work over by recommendation to Ambassador Jules Cambon, Senator Shelby

Cullum, General Horace Porter, and to the French Consul at Chicago, M. Henri Meron, and other gentlemen who had been sympathetic in their expressions. Eventually I was delighted to find that even during my absence on the other side of the world, a huge and beautiful octavo book, illustrated and manufactured in the most costly manner, had been issued by the French Ministry of War. This handsome and expensive volume containing rosters of French Revolutionary patriots was the result of research work that had been carried on for years entirely at the cost of the French Government. Our own Government replied to this expression of good will by generously translating the volume into English in a liberal edition.

So then and there I found my base for action fully set. I looked forward to the time when relief from judicial duties would give me an opportunity to go further with my plan. Alas, again I was to be disappointed, for after six years' judicial service, resiging in 1907 to become the legal advisor of Dr. Sun Yat Sen, the great Chinese moralist and political leader, I found that as far as leisure was concerned that I had jumped out of the pan into the fire, for compared with revolutionary work in China, the hardest judicial life is a symposium of joyous and uninterrupted leisure. Thus again my plan was interrupted. However, as I have said, the base is laid; the beautiful and costly books entitled "Les Combattants Français" can be found in every principal library of the world. But what do these books avail if they are not put to some practical use for further research work?

Thus far the work has been entirely volunteer and thus practically without expense. What is done in the future will be better done if we follow the volunteer method. So who will volunteer with suggestions, with information, with advice, with at least an expression of support? The work is no longer a one-man job; it belongs to the American people, and particularly to the Sons and Daughters of the American Revolution.

Will you help?

(Editor's Note.—In an earlier communication Mr. Linebarger makes some specific suggestions of practical ways to "help" which are here appended:

#### "What Might Be Done

"I. An address to be given before each of our State Societies, based upon astudy of the archives contained in 'Les Combattants Français' (the volume above referred to). Such an address would be of real informative value to our members.

"2. The decoration at some appropriate time of some of the graves of these now almost forgotten French heroes who came to America to lay down their lives under the command of General Washington.

"3. Further communication with the French Government to ascertain if there have been any other additional rosters discovered since the research work done by the French Ministry of War in 1899-1900.

"4. The apointment of a Foreign Relations permanent committee by the National Society for the purpose of assembling information not only concerning the "Combattants Français," but enlarging the scope of such effort to include all alliances which were accepted by the Revolutionary authorities.")

# NOT A DESCENDANT OF LAFAYETTE

Early in the new year a newspaper clipping reached the Editor of THE MINUTE MAN portraying an old lady of peasant type and with evidences of poverty, under which it was stated that the original was said to be a descendant of General Lafayette-his great-granddaughter-and that she was living in poverty in an obscure attic of Paris.

Believing this to be of interest to all our members and particularly to those of our Society in France, and that, if true, an opportunity was provided for some appropriate work of relief, the writer sent the clipping to the Secretary of our Society in France, Major Cudebec, suggesting that it might be worth while investigating. The following letter has been received in response and is here published for the interest and information of any who may have seen the picture mentioned, as it was undoubtedly given a wide distribution by our American press:

SOCIETY IN FRANCE, SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

PARIS, January 24, 1928.

FRANK B. STEELE.

Secretary General, National Society, Sons of the American Revolution, 1227 16th Street N. W., Washington, D. C.

My Dear Secretary General: I am pleased to be able to give you authentic information concerning the alleged great-granddaughter of General Lafayette, as mentioned in your letter of January 5th.

The Marquis (President of our Society) and Marquise de Chambrun lunched at my home a few days ago and I brought up this matter, as the Marquis is the nearest living descendant of Lafayette.

It appears that publicity of a similar nature had already appeared in Paris papers, and the Marquis and Marquise de Chambrun went to the address and found that the lady in question was of unsound mind and at different times she imagines that she is the descendant of various prominent families. A thorough investigation proves that no evidence whatever exists to substantiate that Melle Godard's ancestors had ever had anything to do with the Lafayette family, even as servants. The family records of the entire descendants of General Lafayette have been carefully kept and Marquis de Chambrun can be depended upon to verify these facts better than any other living person.

As is sometimes the case, the newspapers have made up the story without any foundation whatever.

For your further information would say that Marquis de Chambrun spent many years of his younger life in Washington, D. C., as first secretary of the French Embassy, and the present Marquise was an American girl, related, I believe, to the Longworth family of Cincinnati. For the past thirty years, however, the Marquis has been a member of the French Chamber of Deputies and is considered among the most distinguished French statesmen.

During the past few years I have heard many interesting personal tales related by the Marquis concerning General Lafayette, which I doubt have ever been published. I have made memorandum of them as I think they will be of interest to those who come after us.

Cordially yours,

ALBERT B. CUDEBEC, Secretary.

# REPORT OF THE STATUS OF IMMIGRATION LEGISLATION NOW PENDING BEFORE THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES

As acting chairman of the Committee on Immigration and Naturalization of the Sons of the American Revolution, I deem it important that the members of the committee should be advised of the status of the proposed legislation now pending in Congress. Undoubtedly strong efforts will be made during the present session of Congress to repeal or amend the present immigration law, and the patriotic societies of the country should rally to the support of the friends of the

Some time ago word was received from the patriotic Sons of America that they present law. had a representative here in Washington by the name of James H. Patten. Mr. Patten became active in urging the various patriotic organizations to prevent the appointment of members of the foreign bloc in Congress to membership on the Congressional Committee on Immigration. I am pleased to report that the present committee in Congress is a very fair and able one, that will not be dominated by the foreign bloc.

A most important conference was held in Washington on the 19th and 20th of January, with representatives present from 31 groups of patriotic and civic bodies, to discuss the immigration question, especially matters relating to proposed legislation in Congress. Mr. Frank B. Steele, Secretary General of the Sons of the American Revolution, was present and represented that Society at all the meetings. The meetings were held in the Memorial Continental Hall of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Mrs. Alfred Brosseau, the President General, and Mrs. Walker, the Vice-President in charge of defense, both took an active part in the meetings.

At the afternoon meeting Representative Albert Johnson, a member of our committee, spoke, placing particular stress upon his Deportation Bill and the lack of sufficient funds with which to carry on the work of deportation. He made a vigorous fight in the House of Representatives to have the appropriation for this work increased from \$200,000 to \$500,000. This was bitterly opposed by members of the foreign bloc, resulting in the defeat of the proposed increase. Mr. Johnson, however, is hopeful of getting the increase in the Senate and is using every effort to that end. I trust the members of the committee will realize the importance of the efforts of Mr. Johnson in this matter and the necessity of having sufficient funds appropriated to carry on this important work. I understand that Mr. Johnson is opposed to the repeal or any amendment of the present immigration law, and it would seem that if this can be accomplished it is about the best that we can hope for from Congress at the present session.

At the evening meeting of the conference Senator "Pat" Harrison, of Mississippi, and Senator David Reed, of Pennsylvania, spoke. Though these Senators oppose each other politically, they are in full accord on matters of immigration and both are strongly in favor of the National Origins clause of the present law. Some of our friends in Congress are not strongly in favor of the National Origins idea, principally because they deem it impractical. Secretary Hoover has declared that it is impossible of accurate computation and, therefore, could not be successfully carried into effect. Unquestionably there is some merit in this objection. It would seem, however, that a law might be framed calling for as accurate a computation as possible and making the figures thus obtained the maximum basis for immigration from the various countries. I deem it very important that the National Origins idea should, if possible, be retained in the present law, even if postponement of its operation should be conceded for, say, another year.

On December 6, 1927, Senator Copeland, of New York, introduced a bill to repeal the National Origins clause of the present law. He introduced on the same date a joint resolution to permit wife or husband and minor children of an alien admitted to permanent residence in the United States who has declared his or her intentions to become citizens of the United States. These bills, of course, are very dangerous and should be resisted in every way possible.

This resolution has aroused strong opposition in the patriotic societies of the country. On January 27, 1928, the Immigration Restriction League, Inc., of New York, passed very strong resolutions in opposition to these measures, which have been sent to the President, members of the Cabinet, and members of both Houses of Congress.

Within the last month or six weeks many letters and telegrams have been received at the National Headquarters of the Sons of the American Revolution in Washington regarding the immigration situation and especially from our associates on the Pacific coast. Our officers at National Headquarters will keep close watch on the trend of matters here in Washington, and should it become necessary to get behind our friends in Congress in order to preserve the ground already gained, our organizations throughout the country will be notified and rallied to their support. It is my opinion, however, after canvassing the situation, that the strongest position for our Society to assume is to travel along with our friends in Congress and support them in holding the ground already gained, and in gaining new footholds where possible, rather than to be bombarding them with suggestions for legislative measures that are impossible of enactment at the present time.

Attached hereto is a copy of the resolutions adopted by the conference, which you will observe is a strong endorsement of the present law, together with the retention of the Origins clause.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed)

Josiah A. Van Orsdel, Acting Chairman.

# RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE

Whereas the Immigration Act of 1924, passed by an overwhelming vote in both houses of Congress in response to the nation-wide demand of the American people, was a well-considered and statesmanlike measure for restricting immigration to the United States and provides a fair basis for apportioning the immigration still permitted, in accordance with the present composition of the American people; and

Whereas the total annual immigration legally admitted to the United States, now about 450,000, without counting the illegal immigration, remains far too large; and

Whereas it is generally conceded that quota restrictions should be extended to Mexico, the West Indies, and the countries of Central and South America, from which we are receiving a large unassimilable immigration, detrimental to American labor; and

Whereas the illegal entries of aliens over our land borders and into our seaports are continuing on a large scale, there is need of much larger appropriations by Congress to check this evil and also to deport the thousands of alien criminals

and others already now in the country who are subject to deportation under our laws; therefore be it

Resolved by this conference, attended by delegates representing 31 patriotic and civic organizations, assembled in Memorial Continental Hall, at Washington, D. C., on the 19th day of January, 1928, under the auspices of the Key Men of America, to consider immigration problems, that we urge upon Congress the continuance of the basic provisions of the Immigration Act of 1924, including the National Origins system, as the permanent basis for apportioning the quotas, the extension of quota restrictions to Mexico, the West Indies, and the countries of Central and South America, the decrease of the total quota immigration in accordance with the principle of National Origins, and the enactment of more strict legislation, supported by adequate appropriations, to countries which have succeeded in evading our laws designed to exclude the dangerously criminal and insane; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be sent to the President of the United States, and to members of the Cabinet, the Senate and the House of Representatives.

# OFFICIAL MARKERS

Compatriots in attendance at the National Congress at Washington next May will be pleased to find on exhibition at National Headquarters the Official Grave Markers adopted by the National Society about two years ago as the appropriate and dignified emblem for suitably marking in a permanent, artistic and not too conspicuous manner, the last resting places of our revered dead of the Revolutionary struggle. Dr. Thomas J. W. Brown, Chairman of the National Committee, announces that he will be present in person to explain and exhibit the markers and to answer any questions with regard to them.

The National Society is anxious to encourage this appropriate work and compatriots are urged to bring with them, or send in advance to Headquarters, if possible, any data they may have with regard to the burial places of their own ancestors, whether marked or unmarked; and if the latter is the case, to seriously consider the matter of making arrangements to use this beautiful bronze disk for the purpose of correcting this situation. It is the desire of the National Society to have the officially adopted marker used very generally, so that there will be uniformity in this work and that our Official Marker may come to be generally recognized in all parts of the country.

Prior to the adoption by the National Society of an Official Grave Marker, the inquiries and requests for something of this kind sponsored by the National Society and available upon application at the National Headquarters seemed an insistent demand.

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A very brief résumé of the history of the acquirement of this Official Grave
Marker may not be amiss for the benefit of newer members of the Society.

In the very early days we find the adoption of a grave marker recorded in one of the first yearbooks published. This was a very heavy and rather large cast bronze marker upon an iron rod, designed to be sunk into the ground where it might be reinforced with concrete. In design it simulated the Official Cross of the Society, with the letters S. A. R. upon it, which was to indicate "Soldier—or Sailor—of the American Revolution," as the case might be. This original marker has been used extensively by certain State societies especially in New

England. The objection to markers of this type is that it is most difficult to keep them in an erect position, even when embedded in concrete; and furthermore, whether from pure vandalism or the actual value of the bronze, they have so often been stolen from the cemeteries where they were placed that in many instances, there now remains nothing to mark the grave save a rusty and bent iron rod. The result was a gradual lessening of interest in the marker described, and finally a decision to replace it with one of an entirely different type designed for more permanency and more in keeping with the dignity of the Society; the decision being made because of apparent demand for a more acceptable marker.

A marker of the type now in use was first referred to in the 1918 Yearbook, pages 196 and 226, and illustrated on page 127, and recommended for adoption by the Executive Committee with power to make provision for its manufacture and sale. For various reasons action on this was deferred from year to year, in The Minute Man for December, 1923, on page 60, a comprehensive report this Committee at the time, gave a history of the former markers adopted and used by the Society prior to the present marker. In 1924, at the Executive Committee meeting held at Salt Lake City, the present marker was officially adopted, and the Secretary General authorized to contract for its manufacture.

This beautiful bronze disk, illustration of which accompanies this article, is made from a die, of the best materials obtainable, and, as can be readily seen, is designed to be firmly cemented into a headstone or monument. This insures



permanency, as it would be most difficult to detach it. The illustration is exact size. The name of the Society is plainly discernible upon inspection, and the Cross of the Society, with the profile of Washington in the center, as on our

Official Insignia, all in full relief, forms the design. A sufficient field of plain bronze remains whereon to engrave the name of the soldier, with his rank. The workmanship and finished medallion is vastly superior to a cast bronze marker, made from a pattern, as such have a tendency to shrink unevenly, which might result in small defects in the lettering; or small air holes might occur in the metal and not be detected until years after the marker had been placed in the headstone.

The National Society has invested a very substantial sum of money to provide this beautiful marker in the expectation that there would be a very ready sale for them, and that the first five hundred markers of the original purchase would be quickly disposed of; that the Society would soon be reimbursed for its financial outlay; and that upon the reimbursement of this outlay that there would then be built up a fund which might be used by the National Society in marking many neglected graves unclaimed by our present members, and in possibly giving other care to such places as had suffered neglect. The dies from which these markers are made are the property of the Society, so that, upon the exhaustion of the present supply, the markers may be supplied at much less cost than the first order.

It is a matter of disappointment to the officers of the Society that our expectations as to the sale of the markers has not been realized, and there is on hand at the present time a large portion of the original purchase. It is felt that the State societies and chapters should give the matter of suitably marking Revolutionary graves the attention which this noble work deserves, and take advantage of the opportunity which the National Society now offers of procuring a marker of distinctive appearance and dignity.

This is an appeal, therefore, by the Chairman of the National Committee, Dr. Thomas J. W. Brown, of Washington, that the repeated requests, appearing in every issue of The Minute Man, be now seriously taken to heart by every State Society and Chapter President, to appoint a committee—this need be only one individual if preferred, but one who is interested and will function—to ascertain not only the possible location of unmarked Revolutionary graves in your immediate vicinity, but to inquire of your members as to the facts with respect to their own ancestors' graves, and forward this information to Headquarters.

A further appeal is hereby made to each and every compatriot of the Society to make the marking of his Revolutionary ancestor's grave his special business this summer, if possible, and an invitation is extended to each to send to National Headquarters all the available data with regard to his ancestor's last resting place, his service and rank, to be indexed and recorded for future reference.

Please do not delay this important action!

# WASHINGTON'S VISITS TO PROVIDENCE

By HOWARD W. PRESTON

This is the eighth in the second series of short radio talks broadcast under the Auspices of the Rhode Island Society, Sons of the American Revolution, through Station WJAR, Providence, Rhode Island, on February 21, 1928.

George Washington visited the town of Providence three times in 1776, in 1781, and in 1790.

Four buildings that were honored by his presence still remain: The Stephen Hopkins House, corner of Benefit and Hopkins Streets: the old State House.

between North Main and Benefit Streets; the Mansion House, on Benefit Street; and the John Brown House, 52 Power Street.

The first visit was on Tuesday, April 5, 1776, when Washington after the evacuation of Boston by the British, was on his way to New York. General Gates, later the hero of Saratoga, accompanied him.

He was met by the company of cadets and light infantry at the Sayles, or Pidge, Tavern, still standing, in Pawtucket, just north of the Providence line, and now number 584 Pawtucket Avenue. He was escorted to the home of Stephen Hopkins, where he was to be entertained. Stephen Hopkins was easily the most important Rhode Islander of the time. He had been Chief Justice for six years and later Governor for ten years and was now at the Continental Congress, in Philadelphia, as a delegate from Rhode Island. The Governor's stepdaughter Ruth was Washington's hostess.

The Hopkins house then stood on South Main, corner of Hopkins Street. Later it was moved up this street, on the north side, where it remained until last fall, when, as this site was needed for the new Providence County Courthouse, it was removed across the street to the corner of Benefit and Hopkins Streets, where it will be restored and open for public inspection.

The next day, Wednesday, Washington had a conference with the Governor and council and in the evening attended a ball at Hacker's Hall. The next morning, Thursday, April 7, he set out for Norwich, Connecticut.

Washington visited Providence for the second time when returning from his conference with Count Rochambeau at Newport.

Leaving Newport Tuesday morning, March 13, 1781, Washington rode up the island of Rhode Island, crossed Bristol Ferry, passed through Bristol and Warren to the Lower Ferry, East Providence, where he was met and escorted to the house of Deputy Governor Jabez Bowen, on the east side of Market Square, where the Providence Washington Building now stands. That night the town was illuminated.

Wednesday, Washington was entertained at the old State House and in the evening attended a ball. It was on this visit that Moses Brown met the General with Stephen Hopkins at the Governor's home.

Thursday morning Washington set out for the camp at Newburgh on the Hudson.

Washington's third and last visit was in 1790. President Washington came by boat from Ney York to Newport and after a day and night there sailed up the bay to Providence, Wednesday, August 18, 1790. He was accompanied by Thomas Jefferson and Governor Clinton of New York.

He was escorted by a procession from the boat to Daggetts Tavern, later the Mansion House, still standing on Benefit Street.

The next day was a busy one for the President. He visited the college under the guidance of President Manning, went on board John Brown's new East Indiaman, partook of refreshments at several mansions, including John Brown's, which stands at 52 Power Street, delivered several addresses and after a state banquet with its accompanying toasts, at the old State House, took the packet for New York at 4 o'clock.

Remember, Washington visited Providence three times—1776, 1781, and 1790—and four Washington buildings still remain.

# ALIEN INFLUENCE

By Harold K. Bowen U. S. Immigrant Inspector

(Note.—The Minute Man is indebted to *The Pilgrim News Letter*, national organ of the Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims, for this article. Mr. Bowen is President of the Iowa S. A. R. and Advisory Committeeman on Americanization and Aliens, National Society, S. A. R.)

George Washington warned against "insidious wiles of foreign influences." Framers of the Constitution observed that through "alien ideas and influence" governments perished within themselves, and decreed that a Senator must have been a citizen for nine years in order that there might not be created "a channel for foreign influences in national councils." Had all the legislators been as wise and observing as were our founders, this article would never have been written.

Americans today are aroused by the facts which daily confront us. Our foreign-born population is 13,920,692 persons, while each year nearly as many newcomers arrive from Mexico as from England. Approximately 60,000 undesirable aliens are confined in the State and Federal institutions at our expense, against whom deportation proceedings have not been instituted. We have Sacco-Vanzettis and armies of "alien ideas and influences" led by mere girls barely in

Considerable comment has resulted through the appeal of the Secretary of Labor for 150 immigrant inspectors for warrant and deportation work, which he regards as one of the most important functions of the Immigration Service at the present time. There will be a struggle of minds before the 150 immigrant inspectors are secured. Some of our great capitalists, who would increase their own forces whenever their business shows a profit, will be foremost in attacking the proposition. Nevertheless, the U. S. Immigration Service turned over to the U. S. Treasury a balance of \$1,250,000 as a result of last year's operation, all of which sum was paid to us by aliens coming to this country. The income from collection of head taxes amounted to \$4,229,499; the consular service collected over \$3,000,000 for alien immigration visas; a total of \$7,500,000 was gathered as a result of the operation of the immigration laws.

In this connection I am reminded of the report of the National Committee on Immigration of the Sons of the American Revolution, which said: "We must stand squarely back of our representatives in Congress, who have thus far fought such a good fight, and show them that we are likewise willing to do everything in our power to keep the faith." I would urge all patriots to stand squarely back of the few Congressmen who are really engaged in the fight for immigration restriction, and stand squarely back of the other Congressmen to see that they prove their Americanism. We must stand squarely back of our immigrant inspectors, who for so long have fought and urged the assertion of Americanism by our Congressmen. Many of these Congressmen, it must be remembered, owe their election to sections of the country made up largely of foreigners, but they must be American. No one deserves to be a member of Congress who cannot thus prove his Americanism.

I hope that our great patriotic organizations have been truly accused of leading in this fight for immigration restriction, but I am not aware that many members of the Society of Mayflower Descendants are actively engaged in the fighting in the front ranks of the battlefield. The officers of the United States

Immigrant Inspectors Association are known as Scarinzi, Wyman, Cowen, Conry, and Coyne. A humanitarian leader, and perhaps the greatest leader in the fight for restriction, is Hon. James J. Davis, himself a former immigrant, having been born in Wales.

We can only be reminded of the words of Francis Scott Key, author of "The Star-Spangled Banner," as delivered on the Fourth of July, 1831: "Men who inherit an estate generally prize it and enjoy it less than the ancestor who earned it, and we who inherit freedom may learn to value it less than the men who won it. Let us not indulge the unworthy thought that to us is left the privilege of enjoyment without the obligations of duty. We are responsible for the most sacred of trusts—to our country, to the world, to our God."

The U. S. immigrant inspectors are engaged in the great work of keeping out of these United States those of foreign ideas and influence in order that members of Congress may be responsible not to foreign constituents, but to American constituents.

# WHAT "THEY" THINK

The unqualified endorsement of those who have tried a plan and found it worthy, is the best criterion for those who need encouragement in venturing a trial of the same, and with this in mind we are here quoting from the actual letters of a number—not nearly all—of the friends of the Good Citizenship Medal Plan.

This issue of The Minute Man is probably the last one that will reach you before the school year in your city or town has closed. Therefore this is the Chairman's last appeal for your personal support of this best-of-all ideas for this current school year. While to begin early in the school year is best, still, it is never too late, and if the medals are offered now for the first time, the Plan can be put into more satisfactory operation again next year at the beginning of the school term in September. In many places two awards are made, one for each school term.

Our newest large giver is the Cincinnati Chapter, which proposes to offer eighty medals to every eighth grade in the city's schools in June! We like to see it go this way in the large cities; but we like just as well to learn of the distribution of the awards in the smaller and more rural communities. Many chapters offering the medals extend the award to the schools throughout their own county, which is very desirable.

Please read the comments below, then "Go and do likewise":

"The S. A. R. have devised an admirable plan for the development of patriotism, one worthy of our consideration and adoption. Their plan of award is based on what a boy's classmates know him to be. This makes the medal offered, and its award, unique."

"We have offered many medals for scholarship, but these are the first, to my knowledge, that are offered for really constructive work in making better Americans out of good Americans."

"Essays on citizenship are good without a doubt, and produce good results, but these medals are given for *being* a good citizen, not merely knowing what good intelligent appreciation of the advantages of good citizenship."

"Particular stress should be laid, in explaining the conditions of award, on the fact that an unworthy selection made by the class reflects directly on those mak-

ing the choice and care should be taken that the student body understands that neither social popularity, athletic achievement nor scholarship should be the determining factor in the selection; in practice, however, those worthy of the honor for high ideals of citizenship frequently have these other gifts, also."

"Very encouraging reports are coming in as to the value of these medals in training our young citizens in the appreciation of the best ideals of America, and your chairman feels that one silver dollar cannot be better expended than in teaching our youth to think of good citizenship in terms of himself and his associates rather than in terms of nebulous and little understood government."

"In closing up the year's work I feel constrained to write you a personal note and tell you how much we appreciate the interest which you have shown in the citizenship work of the local schools. Please accept our thanks and may we express the feeling that the work which you have made possible has been decidedly worth while."—(Supt. of Schools at Saulte Ste. Marie, Mich.)

"I appreciate the medal and will keep you posted another year. You will be pleased to know that it was won by a girl who has made a very fine record for general improvement this year—a girl whose opportunities had been small, until she came here about two years ago; and she is fired with a big ambition and will make good, I am sure; and your medal has given her an inspiration."—(A School Superintendent.)

"Nearly fifty medals were distributed, these being won on the basis of the requirements as laid down by the National Society."

"As Chairman of the Ohio Society on these medals, I wish to call to you and your chapter's attention the merits of this medal in our public schools. Three years ago these medals were first introduced into the Columbus public schools. . . . Mr. J. G. Collicott, Superintendent of the Public Schools, as well as the teachers, are most enthusiastic in the use of this medal in the schools."

"We are sure of the co-operation of all teachers, principals and superintendents. That gives us confidence to introduce it to all school authorities. For four years my work has been in five towns, and without exception a continuance of the work is requested. When the question is asked the authorities, 'Do you want the medals presented this year?' the answer always is 'Certainly.' One marked effect has been the increased attendance of parents and friends at the closing exercises."

"The Columbus public schools have taken great interest in these medals and the study of the Constitution of the United States. Six hundred students have already been selected from the whole and who will directly compete for these medals."

"I am writing to ask if you have given consideration to the wonderful opportunity to stimulate civic pride and patriotic ardor in the rising generation by applying our plan of medal awards in your public schools? Many who have tried it have found it of great benefit, not only in arousing an interest among the pupils, but also as a means of securing a valuable publicity for the Society and its great service to the public in an educational way."

"Situated on the border as we are, we always have a few students from the Republic of Mexico. This year is the first time two of these students have been nominated by their classmates to receive S. A. R. medals. The principal of the school has asked me whether such children are eligible, since loyalty to the United States is one of the qualifications for receiving the prize."—(Asst. Supt. of Schools, El Paso, Tex.) (Note: Answered in the affirmative.)

"Last year I gave two Grammar School Medals at one of our schools, just to try the effect on the children; they went big, better than the \$10 I used to give. This year I am giving two each to five schools. Please find \$10 check enclosed for the medals."

"This movement, which I instituted in our schools last June, is having a very great effect in the schools. The teachers and principals assure me that there has never been anything done before that has made so deep an impression and that is scuring a constantly increasing amount of interest of stimulation among the pupils in their endeavor to be the recipient of a citizenship medal. I have advised the schools that this will be a permanent institution."

"I feel that this medal of yours does more real good along the line of good citizenship than all the other forms of effort put together. . . . They seem to me to be one of the very best incentives to the making of good Americans. . . Our teachers are so pleased with the results that we expect to continue them indefinitely. . . I can't think of anything that can be bought for a dollar that yields anything like so much in possibilities of permanent value."

"This prize served to increase the interests of the pupils and was the cause of friendly competition on the part of all the boys and girls in the eighth grade. selected the first week in June. . . . The medal was awarded to Barbara Supervisor.)

# IN EXPLANATION

GEORGE WASHINGTON CHAPTER, Springfield, Mass., November 19, 1927.

FRANK B. STEELE,

Secretary General, National Society, S. A. R., 1227 16th Street N. W., Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir and Compatriot: In reply to a letter from Frederick W. Plummer, published in the October number of The Minute Man, page 236, I wish to claim to priority in making awards for Good Citizenship or giving testimonials therefor. The footnote which Mr. Plummer quotes refers to local (Springfield) schools only. The idea of a suitable testimonial, accompanying the award, was is obvious and we have received many commendations from various parts of the Westerstein and the support of the States.

We congratulate the city of Northampton in having such a noble and patriotic citizen as Mrs. Edward E. Wood who, since June, 1919, has annually presented gold coins and accompanying certificates for Good Citizenship in the schools of that city, in memory of her son who gave his life in the World War. Such a fact is worthy of more than passing notice; it should stimulate work along In this correction.

In this connection, I may add that, since April 19, 1911, the George Washington Chapter has annually awarded two prizes in gold to the students of the American International College in this city for excellence in work in Good Citizenship; and, since April 17, 1913, the Chapter has given a yearly scholarship in the same institution.

Very sincerely yours,

JOHN F. STREETER,

President.

# EVENTS OF STATE SOCIETIES

Arkansas Society.—A regular meeting was held January 12, at which two new members were added, making a total of six during the last three months. The death of Compatriot George W. Clark on November 7 last was noted. He was President of the Society in 1919 and by his earnest activity proved himself a most valuable worker and he will be greatly missed in our ranks.

The Committee on Medals is pushing the awarding of citizenship medals in the junior high schools of several cities of the State.

The Society celebrated Washington's Birthday with the annual dinner, which was held at Hotel Marion, Little Rock, with a program of vocal and instrumental selections. An address by former Governor Compatriot Thomas C. McRae, the subject being "Robert E. Lee," and greetings from the Daughters of the American Revolution, by Mrs. Allen Cox, State Regent, were features of the program. Eight members have been received during the year and three by transfers from other societies. Officers elected for the ensuing year were: Fay Hempstead, President; J. R. Alexander, First Vice-President; E. C. Newton, Second Vice-President; K. P. Alexander, Secretary; T. M. Cory, Treasurer; J. C. Ballard, Registrar. Governor T. C. McRae was elected Honorary President ad vitam.

California Society.—One of the national problems which is of deepest interest to the California Society is the restriction of immigration, and the State Society's Committee on Immigration, of which Mr. Paul Stinchfield is the able and energetic chairman, has been extremely active in behalf of support of the present Immigration Act, and in urging passage of the National Origins Clause, during this session of Congress. The California Society has committed itself to a definite program of effort along this line and has unquestionably exerted a wide and favorable influence on the points which it endorses so urgently, and has found an almost unanimous attitude of sympathy and support throughout the organization.

President Carl A. Brown, of the California Society, has appealed to his members for support of the National Headquarters Building in Washington, pointing out the value of the establishment of a central place from which the business of the Society could be handled permanently without being shifted from place to place with the residence of the chief executive and the separation of the other executives of the society at widely distant points, as heretofore.

It was announced that the definite campaign to raise the allotment of the California Society in support of the new building would be inaugurated early in January, and that the sum of \$10,000 designated as the quota was not out of proportion to the size and standing of the Society. California is ready to assume its share and will undoubtedly make a splendid showing at the National Congress in May.

Colorado Society.—The annual banquet of the Colorado Society was unique, and can be followed by other societies with great profit. The idea originated with Dr. Clarkson N. Guyer and the result was one of the best banquets ever held. It was an endeavor to reincarnate the men and spirit of February, 1782, when the first celebration of Washington's Birthday was held in Richmond, Virginia. The speakers entered into the thought with enthusiasm, and as the toasts were given in the manner of that period and confined to those perilous days, it proved intensely interesting. This idea could be made a very choice manner of presenting our early history at any time before schools or clubs. Let any group

in a chapter arrange such a program of *short* talks, and present it with a chairman calling on the different ones to respond—in the manner of the character they are taking.

Retiring President Benjamin F. Young presided both at the banquet and at the business meeting earlier in the day. The invocation was given by Dr. Bayless, and Compatriot Clarkson N. Guyer was toastmaster. The speakers included Louis G. Carpenter, Edward W. Milligan, Malcolm Lindsey, Harold H. Niles, Frank M. Keezer, Hon. John T. Adams, Edward V. Dunklee, and Dr. Bayless, all speaking briefly and carrying out their addresses in the manner described above. The banquet closed with entertainment and taps by the local Boy Scouts.

The annual meeting in the afternoon was well attended.

J. Wilfred Corr was elected President. Other officers chosen were W. W. Kirby, Vice-President; Frank Merriam Keezer, Secretary and Registrar; Walter D. Wynkoop, Treasurer; Dr. David C. Bayless, Chaplain, and Dr. L. C. Wheeler, Historian. Board of Directors of the Society is composed of Julius C. Gunter, Dr. Clarkson N. Guyer, Malcolm Lindsey, Benjamin F. Young, Frederick S. Warren, L. G. Carpenter, John T. Holbrook, and John T. Adams.

Denver Chapter.—The annual meeting was held on January 19th, and the reports of the officers show the chapter to be in good condition as to finances and work accomplished, but remains stationary in membership. One important historical marker was erected, which is reflecting great credit upon the Society.

Judge Henry J. Hersey (whose death occurred on January 19th of this year) gave more than fifty addresses on the Constitution, and through his efforts members of the Colorado and Denver Bar associations gave more than 100 similar addresses. In the death of Judge Hersey, who was formerly State President, we feel a great loss, as he was one of our most influential members.

During the year the chapter distributed several hundred copies of his pamphlet on the Constitution. Several radio talks were also given on the same subject. Thirty illustrated lectures were given during 1927, before approximately 6,000 people, on early Western history and the Indians of this region. The programs for the monthly meetings this coming year will be mostly related to early Colorado history.

The following officers were elected: President, George A. Stough; Vice-President, Gerald L. Schuyler; Secretary, Edward W. Milligan; Treasurer, Walter D. Wynkoop; Chaplain, Rev. Elmer E. Weller; Board of Managers, Dr. Clarkson N. Guyer, Chairman; Robert R. Peale, John T. Holbrook, William A. Letton, Spencer Cole.

Pueblo Chapter held a reception and program on the evening of December 19, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Sabin, at which time announcement was made of an essay contest for all high-school students of Pueblo County. The essays are to be on the "Scenes and Characters Surrounding the Valley Forge Campaign," and awards will be presented in the early spring. At the reception the exercises opened with a musical program of old-time selections, followed by the singing of "America." Mr. S. S. Packard, President of the Pueblo Chapter, made an address of welcome, followed by a brief address by Mrs. Herman W. Nash and the singing of "The Sword of Bunker Hill." Dr. R. W. Corwin spoke on "Medicines and Surgery During the Revolutionary Period." Other vocal selections completed a very delightful program. The officers of the D. A. R. chapters in Pueblo and vicinity were guests.

Connecticut Society.—Chaplain Ebenezer Baldwin Branch, Danbury.—In the presence of President General Ernest E. Rogers, of New London, the newest



local branch of the Sons of the American Revolution received their charter on January 25, at a special meeting of the Board of Managers of the Connecticut Society, held at the Danbury Club.

Twenty-five descendants of Revolutionary patriots were guests of the Rotary Club at the Hotel Green for the noonday luncheon, and President General Rogers, who is also State Treasurer, was one of the speakers.

At the Danbury Club George S. Godard, State Librarian and President of the Connecticut Society, presided and requested Rev. John Maurice Deyo to deliver the invocation. Routine business was quickly dispensed, and Mr. Rogers spoke of his recent trip about the country in his official capacity, and concluded by congratulating the local chapter upon their organization and urged the members to greater endeavor in patriotic work.

Mr. Godard, after recalling his visit to Danbury last April on the occasion of the Sesquicentennial Anniversary of Tryon's Raid, turned over to Earle H. Payne, the local President, a photostat copy of the resolutions of the State Society authorizing the Danbury organization, and then presented the beautifully engrossed charter. Mr. Payne, who is largely responsible for the foundation of the local group, responded, with the assurance of support to the State and National Societies, and on behalf of the Branch thanked the party for their presence in Danbury.

Congratulatory messages were received from the General Gold Selleck Silliman Branch of Bridgeport, the General David Humphries Branch of New Haven, the Nathan Hale Branch of New London, the Captain John Couch Branch of Meriden, the Colonel Jeremiah Wadsworth Branch of Hartford, the Connecticut Society of Founders and Patriots of America, the Connecticut Society of Colonial Wars, the Connecticut Society of the Cincinnati, and, through the State Librarian and State Treasurer, the congratulations of the State of Connecticut.

Out of town guests were the President General Ernest E. Rogers of New London, Treasurer of the State of Connecticut, the President of the Connecticut Society, George S. Godard of Hartford, State Librarian, State Vice-Presidents Major Charles Sprague of Bridgeport and W. W. Buckingham of New Haven, State Secretary Robert F. Bradley of Bridgeport and the following members of the Board of Governors of the State Society: Frederick A. Doolittle of Bridgeport, William Hanford Burr of Westport, Harry H. Pritchard of Bridgeport, Frank E. Sands of Meriden and E. J. Morgan of Bridgeport.

The officers of the local Branch delegated to receive the charter was composed of Earl H. Payne, local President; Wilbur F. Tomlinson, Vice-President; Harry E. Targett, Secretary; Rev. John Maurice Deyo, Chaplain; James R. Case, Registrar; and Compatriots, Elijah Sturdevant, Judge C. E. Mason, Senator Charles E. Peck, Martin H. Griffing, Sr., and H. F. Beardsley.

In its name the local Branch commemorates the services of Chaplain Ebenezer Baldwin (1745-1776), a native of Norwich and graduate of Yale, 1763, and tutor there for four years, who was called to the First Church of Danbury in 1770, and who officiated during the exciting years which preceded and marked the beginning of the Revolution. The Congregational clergy of New England were conspicuous for patriotism, and among them Reverend Baldwin stood out, as his contemporary addresses and sermons bear evidence, and although his office was pacific, nevertheless he arrayed himself in military armor and added heroic example by turning out with the militia in 1776 for the defense of New York. He fell a victim to a

prevalent camp fever and by his will returned his settlement to the church, establishing a parsonage. His library became the nucleus of the Danbury Free Library.

The Connecticut Society is looking forward to the organization of new chapters in the near future at Waterbury and Stamford.

District of Columbia Society.—The regular December meeting of this Society, held on December 15, took the form of a reception and entertainment in honor of President General Ernest E. Rogers, who was a guest at the National Headquarters at the conclusion of his long trip across the continent and through the Southern States, begun in October, President Kenneth S. Wales presiding. A brief business meeting preceded the entertainment, at which nominations for officers to be elected in February were presented and plans discussed for securing the Society's quota for the National Headquarters Fund. Delegates to the annual Congress, which will meet in Washington in May, were also nominated. Mr. Rogers and Secretary General Steele were then presented to the members, the President General addressing the Society upon his recent trip of eleven thousand miles, which he felt had been of the greatest value to him in his work, and that his visits had also been of aid and stimulus to the organizations and compatriots with which he had made contact. A musical program followed, with Miss Katherine Riggs harpist and Mrs. Florence Howard, soprano, giving delightful selections, which were much enjoyed.

The Annual Ladies' Night of the District of Columbia Society was held at the Hotel Washington on the evening of January 18, and was a very delightful affair. The guests of honor were General John J. Pershing, Mrs. Alfred Brosseau, President General D. A. R.; Mrs. James M. Willey, State Regent D. A. R. Others at the guest table included Secretary General Frank B. Steele, Mrs. Steele, Mr. James M. Willey, General and Mrs. Eli A. Helmick, President Kenneth S. Wales, of the District of Columbia Society, presiding, and Mrs. Wales.

Ceremonies of installation of new members and of the presentation of War Service Medals to eligible compatriots preceded the addresses of the evening and were conducted with military precision under the direction of Mr. S. S. Williamson, Registrar, and Mr. Henry White Draper, Historian of the Society, assisted by buglers from the U. S. Marine Band. The visiting ladies each brought greetings from their respective organizations, as did the Secretary General on behalf of the National Society S. A. R., after which President Wales introduced General Helmick, who presented General Pershing. The General made a short address, stressing the growing friendship between the World War veterans of America and those of Europe as a powerful influence toward the establishment of world peace, stimulated by the recent convention in Paris of the American Legion. The evening concluded with dancing.

On February 22 the District of Columbia Society joined in the annual Patriotic Celebration of Washington's Birthday with the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Children of the American Revolution. Mr. William S. Parks was chairman of the Program Committee, assisted by Mrs. John M. Beavers, Vice-President General D. A. R., and Mrs. James M. Willey, State Regent of the District of Columbia D. A. R. Mr. Kenneth S. Wales, President of the D. C. Society S. A. R., presided. Greetings were offered by Mrs. Willey, representing the D. A. R., by Secretary General Frank B. Steele, on behalf of the National Society S. A. R., and by Mrs. Richard E. Claughton, for the C. A. R. The assembly, led by Miss Adelaide Beard of the C. A. R., gave the Pledge to the Flag, and, led by Master Edward Fuller, repeated The American's Creed. The



A. R.; General Helmi; Kenneth S. Wales, A. R.; Mrs. Josiah D. Registrar General, nt General, D. A. strict of Columbia, R. C. TABLE, ANNUAL LADIES' y General, S. A. R.; Mrs. Mrs. James tor General, S. A

Star-Spangled Banner was sung, led by the United States Marine Band, which played several selections during the program, which has been described in greater detail on another page of this issue. This annual Joint Celebration is an outstanding event in the ceremonies of this anniversary each year, and is conducted under the auspices of the respective societies in successive years, this year being the turn of the S. A. R.

The District of Columbia Society held its annual meeting and election of officers at noon on February 22, polls being open from twelve o'clock until two. A larger attendance than for many years marked this meeting and, following the announcement of the result of the election, and reports, an enthusiastic rally in behalf of the National Headquarters was held, when over \$1,000 was subscribed from the floor by members present toward the Headquarters Fund. Mr. Robert Humphreys, of Galveston, Texas, Vice-President of the Texas Society and President of the Galveston Chapter, was present and spoke a few words.

The election of officers and managers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Kenneth S. Wales; Vice-Presidents, William K. Cooper, William A. Miller, Dr. Arthur D. Call; Secretary, Robert C. Tracy; Treasurer, Charles Y. Latimer; Registrar, Major Harry A. Davis; Assistant Registrar, Dr. Francis A. St. Clair; Historian, Walter B. Patterson; Chaplain, Rev. Ze B. Phillips; Board of Managers, Admiral George W. Baird, Dr. Mark F. Finley, Hon. Josiah A. Van Orsdel, Capt. Evelyn B. Baldwin, Henry W. Samson. Delegates and alternates to the Annual Congress were also elected.

Idaho Society.—The annual meeting of the Idaho Society was held in the Blue Room of the Owyhee Hotel, Boise, February 22, in the afternoon. In the evening at 6 o'clock the compatriots and their ladies attended the twentieth annual Washington dinner at the Owyhee Hotel. Hon. Henry Z. Johnson delivered the address of the evening, "Watchman, What of the Night?" The Pioneer Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, held a delightful Colonial ball on Tuesday evening, February 21, at the Elks Home, to which compatriots were invited and many attended. At the business meeting the following officers were elected: President, Col. Marshall W. Wood; Secretary-Registrar-Treasurer, Frank G. Ensign; Historian, C. L. Longley; Chaplain, Rev. R. B. Wright; Managers, Charles F. Adams, J. L. Driscoll, T. Bailey Lee, Judson Spofford, and Charles W. Wayland.

Illinois Society.—The annual meeting of the Illinois Society was held in Chicago on Saturday, December 3, 1927. The date was an anniversary of the admission of Illinois to statehood in the Federal Union and the 38th annual celebration of that event by the Illinois Society. Luncheon was served at the Hotel La Salle. The "Presentation of the Colors and Salute" were led by Lieut. S. T. Holzman and associates of the "Combat Medal Men's Association."

An address was given on "The American Legion" by Allan T. Gilbert, attorney, who had participated in the American Expedition and could give out from memory an account of many interesting experiences. An interesting address was given by Judge Edmund T. Jarecki, of the Cook County Court, on "Patriotism at the Ballot Box." The Judge was born in Poland, and his address included splendid references to his feeling of love and loyalty to his motherland beyond the sea, a fealty which had helped him to extend the same thought to the American Union. Other excellent talks were given and were much enjoyed.

The following officers were elected for the year 1928: Lewis K. Torbet, President; James G. Skinner, Andrew H. Burgess, Vice-Presidents; Louis A. Bowman, Secretary; Henry R. Kent, Treasurer; George A. Brennan, Historian; Cecil R. Boman, Registrar; Rev. Howard A. Dalzell, Chaplain; Matthew Mills, Chancellor; Dunlap C. Clark, Sergeant-at-Arms; additional members of Board of Managers, William G. Adkins, Henry W. Austin, James Edgar Brown, James M. Eddy, Dorr E. Felt, Chancellor L. Jenks, George V. Lauman, William P. Reed, John D. Vandercook. Harry G. Colson was elected Delegate at Large.

The first meeting of the new Board of Managers of the Illinois Society was held at the Hotel La Salle, in Chicago, with a luncheon on January 7. President Lewis K. Torbet presided and presented some skeleton outlines for an energetic campaign for the extension of practical service to the Illinois commonwealth by enlarging the membership of the Illinois Society. It was unanimously agreed to have a real "enthuser" meeting of the Board with a dinner at the Hotel La Salle on the evening of January 16. Harry F. Brewer, of Elizabeth, New Jersey, was the speaker. Mr. Brewer gave an interesting talk on "Americanization" concerning our nation and its government. His address was stimulating. It will the benefits of interchange of visits by members of the different State Societies.

The second Board Meeting of the Society was held in the "Presidential Suite" of the Hotel La Salle on the evening of January 16, prefaced by a dinner served under the special hospitality of Compatriot Thornton, Manager of the hotel and member of the Board. The meeting was well attended. The entire meeting, of ways and means for improvement and for enlarging the membership.

President Torbet made a vigorous plea for bringing into the membership. young men. He believes that there is a large latent element in the citizenship of the State which is eligible and which should be aroused and invited to come in.

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A patriotic occasion was enjoyed by the members at the Washington-Lincoln luncheon in Chicago on February 11. President Torbet introduced Bishop Edwin H. Hughes, of the Methodist Church, who gave an eloquent address on both the Father and the Preserver of the Federal Union. Bishop Hughes said much on spoke feelingly on the genuine aristocracy of Washington and of the simple of the control of the simple of the control.

The members were earnestly recommended by President Torbet to write their Senator and Congressmen, urging the retaining of the National Origins feature of the immigration law of 1924, and also urging the support of House Bill No. Some Clark, whose heroic leadership rescued Illinois and adjacent territory from enemy possession during the Revolutionary War.

EVANSTON CHAPTER.—Dwight S. Bobb was elected President of the EVANSTON CHAPTER when its annual meeting was held on November 28 at the University son; Secretary, Lawrence G. Weaver; Treasurer, John W. Knight; Chaplain, agers also includes George A. Ballard, John M. Bowman. The Board of Managers also includes George A. Ballard, John A. Briggs, Clyde D. Foster, George A. Cameron, Everett T. March, Walter B. Smith, and Philip D. Johnston.

The Evanston Chapter was organized May 4, 1926, by fifteen members of the Illinois Society residing in Evanston. The Chapter now has forty members and expects to add greatly to its membership list this year. The Chapter aims to encourage patriotic activities and spread greater appreciation of our Government and the Constitution of the United States through open meetings, talks on patriotic subjects and co-operation with other organizations interested along insider lines.

George Rogers Clark Chapter, Peoria.—A regular meeting was held on December 3 at the Creve Coeur Club and was greatly enjoyed. The compatriots gathered at dinner and the business meeting followed. Reports of officers showed a fine condition of the treasury and membership. It was decided to procure a stock of the Society's rosettes for convenience of the members, provide the officers with a supply of stationery, and to prepare a revised list of the members of the Chapter to date.

Officers were elected as follows: President, George H. Greene; Vice-President, George W. Cole; Secretary, Charles K. Lubbe; Treasurer, Willard D. Clark; Registrar, M. C. Batchelder. These officers were then installed in formal manner. Resolutions on the death of Compatriot Robert H. Smith, a valued member, were adopted and copies directed to be sent to the family. Discussion as to ways and means of increasing membership and of securing larger attendance at meetings followed, and it was decided to hold regular monthly meetings with a definite program for each; an Attendance Committee was appointed by the President to bring to the attention of members each scheduled meeting and urge their presence. By the several plans discussed, it is hoped to create a much greater interest in the work of the Chapter and to greatly increase the membership.

On January 9 the Chapter held its regular monthly meeting, with President Greene in the chair. The latter presented the matter of the National Headquarters Fund and was directed to take active steps to further this project. Compatriot Cole, chairman of the Entertainment Committee, introduced Compatriot Grant Miles, who presented the speaker of the evening, Mr. Frederick Arthur Stowe, who addressed the Chapter on Conditions in Europe. Mr. Stowe is Editor of the Peoria Journal-Transcript, and one of the editors appointed by President Coolidge to visit Europe as messengers of information and good-will.

Indiana Society.—The Indiana Society held its annual meeting and banquet on the evening of February 25 in Indianapolis on the roof garden of the Indianapolis Athletic Club. The date on which this meeting was held was the anniversary of the fall of Fort Sackville. This was a red-letter day in the history of the Indiana Society, as upon this auspicious occasion a new membership of over one hundred was received into the Society with formal ceremonies of welcome. A large majority of these incoming members are or have been identified with the Society of the Sons of the Revolution, who of their own volition and without solicitation have expressed their desire to become compatriots of this Society. A cordial welcome is extended to them and to all new members, and it is felt that the cordial relations of the past, now cemented by actual membership into the ranks of our organization, will bring a strength and enthusiasm into the Society which will be of utmost benefit and prove mutually helpful.

A large delegation from the newly organized Chapter at New Castle attended the meeting, and guests from away included Vice-President General Frederick W. Millspaugh, of Tennessee, and Wilford L. Mattoon, of Ohio, representing

the National Society, and Director General Harry F. Brewer, of New Jersey, who made the address of the evening on Americanization.

The annual meeting of the Indiana State Society was held in the afternoon, and at 6 p. m., a special meeting of the Sons of the Revolution took place, followed at 6:30 by a joint session of the two societies, at which time a merger was effected, by-laws adopted, and the following officers elected: President Emeritus, Hon. U. Z. Wiley; Honorary President, O. L. Watkins; President, Thomas A. Daily; Vice-Presidents, Clarence A. Cook, Dr. Fletcher Hodges, Frank B. Fowler, and Thomas J. de la Hunt; Secretary-Treasurer-Genealogist, John F. Clearwaters; Registrar, George E. Morgan; Historian, Clarence H. Smith; Chaplain, Bishop Frederick D. Leete; Nominee for National Trustee, Hon, Sidney S. Miller. The Board of Managers includes Scott R. Brewer, Cornelius F. Posson, Charles L. Barry, Herbert E. Redding, E. U. Graff, Blair Taylor, Col. R. L. Moorhead, Charles A. Breece, St. Clair Parry, Frederick R. Kautz, Chester A. Jewett, Austin H. Brown, Hon. Charles F. Remy, Herbert Briggs, Elward W. Warner, Clinton H. Given, Samuel R. Harrel, and Newton F. Keister.

The banquet program was presided over by Honorary President Mr. Oscar L. Watkins, and Past President Cornelius F. Posson acted as toastmaster. Invocation was pronounced by the Chaplain, Bishop Leete. Secretary Clearwaters made a brief report of the preceding business meeting, after which the toastmaster recognized for brief greetings State officers of the D. A. R., C. A. R., Colonial Wars, Colonial Dames and Mayflower Descendants, and the President of the George Rogers Clark Memorial Commission, Mr. William Fortune, and the President of the Patrick Henry Chapter, Mr. Greenstreet. Vocal solos were interspersed throughout the program, after which Mr. Brewer's address was listened to with deep interest and attention. The new President, Mr. Thomas Daily, was presented, and in turn presented the newly elected officers to the assembly.

Iowa Society.-The Iowa Society has had an active year. During the twelve months past there have been received forty-five new members, plus one transfer, with several applications pending, which it is hoped will enable the Society to find at the end of the fiscal year that it has had the largest increase of membership of any year of its history. A special effort has been made, also, to reinstate former members.

The Board of Managers has decided to publish a list of the membership, with addresses, first in the March issue of the Old Continental, the publication of the State Society, and later to issue this in booklet form, together with the Constitution, immediately after the annual meeting on April 19.

The Society expects to be represented at the National Congress in Washington in May. In January Secretary George A. Jewett, while attending a convention at Minneapolis, had the pleasure of meeting with the Board of Managers of the Minnesota Society at dinner. Iowa and Minnesota are competitors in their membership drives, and Secretary Jewett admits that Iowa will have to "go some" if it is to keep pace with its northern neighbor!

James Harlan Chapter of the D. A. R., Mount Pleasant, have appointed a Committee on Cooperation with the S. A. R. Miss May Felton, Regent, believes a new Chapter can be installed at that place. An eligible list of sixteen names has been submitted.

The D. A. R. at Independence have submitted a list of eligibles to the S. A. R.

Miss Harriet I. Lake, Regent of the Daughters of American Colonists in Iowa, is assisting in the work of building up the S. A. R. membership.

The Society of Mayflower Descendants is being organized in Iowa by our State

The annual meeting of Woodbury County Chapter, No. 3, Sioux City, was President, Harold K. Bowen. held on January 25. The Chapter accepted an invitation to select representatives to act with representatives of the other fifteen patriotic organizations of the city in forming a central body to have charge of the proper observance of patriotic anniversaries and the like, and ordered that the new President and Secretary represent this Chapter in the organization of such central body.

Professor Maurice C. Latta, of the department of history of Morningside College, gave the address of the evening upon the subject, "Diplomatic History

A rising vote of appreciation was given Rev. Charles E. Snyder, the retiring of the Revolution." President, for the efficient work done by him during the two years of his incumbency, during which time this Chapter has contributed more members to the State Society than any other Chapter.

The officers elected for the coming year are: President, Guy J. Tomlinson; Vice-President, Edwin B. McClure; Secretary-Treasurer, Henry A. Hoskins.

Kansas Society.—The annual banquet of the Kansas Society took place on February 23, with one hundred and eighteen present. The officers elected were: President, William A. Biby; Vice-President, William E. Connelley; District Vice-Presidents, Pope W. Allen, Topeka, Dr. F. A. Lewis, Hiawatha, H. S. Martin, Lawrence; Secretary, P. W. Bruce; Treasurer, Charles E. Bruce; Registrar, Homer Eiler; Historian, Griffith Bonner; Chaplain, Rev. Aaron Breck. The retirement of Mr. William E. Connelley, who has served the Society for a number of years as its active President, was accepted with regret, but his active interest in the welfare of the Society is expected to continue. Addresses were made by Hon. A. F. Williams, U. S. District Attorney, and Governor Ben S. Paulen.

Louisiana Society.—The thirty-eighth annual meeting of the Louisiana Society took place on the evening of December 3 at the St. Charles Hotel, New Orleans, at which time President General Ernest E. Rogers was guest of honor, with Mrs. Rogers, as they swung around the circle on their long trip through the country from the Pacific coast. A patriotic program was presented by the New Orleans Boy Scouts. Compatriot R. N. Sims presided as toastmaster. The impressive Flag Ceremony of the Louisiana Society was held, and salutations to the flags of the United States, old France, Spain, modern France, Louisiana, New Orleans, and the flag of the Society were given by George C. H. de Kernion, Genealogist of the Louisiana Society and former Chancellor General of the National Society.

A history of the flags of the United States, with examples of the national emblem at each period, was presented by Scouts under the direction of H. C. Hoehn, Scoutmaster.

Mr. Rogers described plans for a system of increased efficiency and closer co-ordination throughout the whole Society, and referred to the work of the National Society in inaugurating Flag Day and Constitution Day.

Other addresses were made by Henry W. Robinson, Historian of the Louisiana Society, and Compatriot Meloncy C. Soniat. At the business meeting, held earlier, the State Society voted \$100 toward the National Headquarters Fund,

and at the same time announcement was made of the gift of \$100 of Compatriot George S. Burnam, a former member of this Society, for the same object, the check being sent through the Treasurer of the Louisiana Society that credit might be given to it in the total subscriptions.

Before leaving New Orleans Mr. and Mrs. Rogers were driven down to the Caernarvon Crevasse, where the forced break was made in the levee during the flood period to save New Orleans from inundation. The accompanying photograph shows Mr. and Mrs. Rogers on top of the new dike, which is being built to take the place of the one that was torn away by the use of thousands of pounds of explosives. To the rear and left are seen one of the great dredges used in building the levees. To the right, a smaller "leveling dredge" used for finer work.



MR. AND MRS. ROGERS ON THE LEVEE AT NEW ORLEANS
In the background are seen the dredges used in excavating where the great crevasse is being repaired (See text, Louisiana events).

Maine Society.—Harry B. Ayer, of Biddeford, was elected President of the Maine Society at the annual meeting, Wednesday afternoon, February 22, at the Lafayette Hotel. Other officers chosen are Willis B. Hall of Cape Elizabeth, Secretary; Henry True Hooper, of Portland, Treasurer; Clarence E. Eaton, of Portland, Registrar; Edward K. Gould, of Rockland, Historian; the Rev. Alfred S. Hawkes, York, Chaplain; Archie L. Talbot, Lewiston, Librarian; William M. Ingraham, of Portland, Charles P. Barnes, Houlton, Vice-Presidents; Orin P. Weymouth, Portland, Edward J. Haskell, Portland, Walter D. Thurber, East Winthrop, Russell M. Hosmer, Brunswick, and Frank C. Allen, Portland, Board of Managers.

A new office was created, Warren C. King, of Portland, being elected Color Bearer. The banquet followed at 6:30, when, as a new feature, the winners of the Good Citizenship Medals the past two years in Portland were guests of the State Society. Dr. Charles H. Bangs, Past President of the Massachusetts Society, spoke on "The Many-Visaged Washington," illustrated.

Other speakers were Mrs. William Smith Shaw, State Regent D. A. R., Mr. William B. Jack, Superintendent of Schools in Portland, and Miss Constance E.

Sterling and Daniel Mardegian, two of the Medal winners. Retiring President Convers E. Leach presided as Toastmaster.

Previous to the State election the members of the Old Falmouth Chapter elected as follows: President, Judge William M. Ingraham; First Vice-President, Frank C. Allen; Second Vice-President, William G. Newhall; Third Vice-President, Warren C. King; Secretary, Dr. Cecil P. Brown; Treasurer, Herbert Libby; Registrar, Convers E. Leach; Color Bearer, Warren C. King; Board of Managers, Henry True Hooper, Ellsworth F. Hayden, Edward I. Richardson and Lawrence Carter Brown.

Maryland Society.—At a meeting and dinner held on the evening of December 13 at the Y. M. C. A. at Hagerstown, a Washington County Chapter of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution was organized, with Albert Heard as temporary Chairman and J. Frank Ridenour temporary Secretary. The meeting was called by Alexander Armstrong, S. E. Phillips, Cyrus Flook and R. Paul Smith. Mr. Armstrong presided.

Ernest J. Clark of Baltimore, President of the Maryland Society S. A. R. and Vice-President of the National Society, was one of the speakers. Mr. Clark declared Maryland had more persons eligible to become members of the Society than any other of the original Colonies.

Other officers and members of the National and State Organization present who spoke were Frank B. Steele, Washington, Secretary-General of the National Society; Francis B. Culver, Washington, Registrar-General; Henry F. Baker, Baltimore, Past President of the Maryland Society. Other officers of the Maryland Society in attendance were George S. Robertson, Baltimore, Secretary; Edward D. Shriner, Sr., Frederick, Vice-President; Louis A. Rice, Frederick, and S. Johnson Poe, Baltimore, Directors; and Edward D. Shriner, Jr., Secretary of Sergeant Lawrence Everhart Chapter of the Maryland Society of Frederick.

This is the second local Chapter to be formed under the Maryland Society.

President Clark has several others in prospect.

SERGEANT LAWRENCE EVERHART CHAPTER, Frederick, held its annual celebration on Washington's Birthday.

Massachusetts Society.—The compatriots of the Massachusetts Society assembled at their headquarters, 9 Ashburton Place, Boston, on Wednesday morning, February 22, at 11 o'clock and marched in formation to attend the Governor's reception at the State House, headed by our Continental Guard and field music in uniform. From the Governor's reception they marched to the Hotel Bellevue, where dinner was served at 12:30 o'clock.

Following the dinner, Colonel Frederic Gilbert Bauer, Past President of this Society, spoke, his subject being "Baron Friedrich von Steuben and the Training of the Continental Army of Valley Forge."

Goodfellowship has been the keynote of the popular monthly luncheons held at the State Headquarters this year. The informality is appreciated by all and the compatriots feel that they are at liberty to come and go at such time as their needs demand.

Following the social session of the luncheon on December 12, the members assembled in Wilder Hall for a few announcements, after which Walter K. Watkins, Secretary of the Massachusetts Society, by special request read his very interesting paper on "The Sojourn in and around Boston of the 7,000 British and Hessian Troops of General Burgoyne, captured at the Battle of Saratoga,"

At the luncheon of January 9, Frederick Silsbee Whitwell, President of the Massachusetts Society of Colonial Wars, was the special guest.

Compatriot Frank W. Tucker, of the Winthrop Historical Society, made a short address on some of the historic features of the Old Rumney Marsh Burying: ground, which he is seeking to preserve.

Compatriot E. J. Cox, the "drummer boy" of our Continental Guard, presented the Society with a frame containing photographs of the Continental Guard in three formations: One at the old State House, Boston, showing the Guard in the position of salute, with Governor Fuller at the end of the line; the second, a larger photograph, showing the Guard in the parade at Bennington, Vermont, in platoon. The third shows the guard in column at New Bedford, with the flags blown out by a strong wind, showing the entire design.

Compatriot Curtis H. Bangs, of Providence, for more than 25 years a member of the Rhode Island Society, responded briefly to an introduction, bringing the felicitations of the Rhode Island Society and of the Edward Bangs Descendants, of which he is President.

George Washington Chapter, Springfield.—The stirring days of '76 were brought back at the "ladies' night" meeting of the George Washington Chapter, held with impressive and formal ceremonies at the Hotel Kimball on January 18. Lieut.-Gov. Frank G. Allen, a member of the organization, and Benjamin N. Johnson, President of the Massachusetts Society, gave brief addresses. Mrs. Elizabeth M. Ramage, representing the Children of the American Revolution, and Mrs. Helen B. Cook, representing the Daughters of the American Revolution, also spoke.

The opening of the meeting, preceding the dinner, was marked by colorful marches and rituals. The bugle sounded as the flags were unfurled and the entire assemblage stood as the members pledged the Flag and joined in singing "America." After the dinner, roll call of new members was made, who were brought to Col. John F. Streeter, chapter President, for presentation.

President Benjamin N. Johnson, of Lynn, representing the State Society, spoke of his recent trip to Greece, and told of the love Greece entertains for Americans because of their humanity to that little nation in contrast to the indifference of some European nations.

Lieut.-Gov. Allen, after bringing the greetings of Massachusetts, said everyone ought to be proud to be a citizen of this State, and spoke of the State Flag. He lauded the State in its leadership in industries, in public health problems, in the attitude of the State government in regard to the welfare of its citizens.

Compatriot Henry A. Booth, for many years Secretary of George Washington Chapter, was elected President of the chapter at the annual meeting in the Nyasset Club on the evening of February 22, succeeding Dr. John F. Streeter, who after two terms as President declined to consider another term, especially as he had been made a member of the State Board of the Massachusetts S. A. R.

The main address by Dr. Zenos E. Scott on "American Ideals in Citizenship" was a plea for recognition of responsibilities of citizenship by a greater number, a larger spirit of optimism and patience, together with acknowledgment of the worth of the American school system. Dr. Scott decried dwelling too much on the cost of government, emphasizing rather the good derived.

The following officers were elected: President, Henry A. Booth; First Vice-President, Ralph P. Alden; Second Vice-President, Dr. Frederick S. Hopkins; Third Vice-President, William T. Rayner; Secretary, Irving S. Brooks; Treasurer, Leland F. Bardwell; Chaplain, Rev. Herbert E. Thayer; Historian, Ernest

N. Bagg; Registrar, J. Stuart Kirkham; Auditor, Winsor B. Day; Trustee of the Permanent Fund, Charles W. Bosworth. Ballard S. Sexton of Sumner Avenue was admitted as a new member.

During the dinner Dr. Streeter, the retiring President, told of the significance of the hand salute. The report of the Secretary, Mr. Booth, showed 209 members, the largest in the State. Other annual reports indicated a prosperous year.

Presentation of a World War Service Medal was made to one of the newer members of the chapter, Compatriot Sexton.

The chapter will award Good Citizenship Medals to the junior high schools of Springfield this year as last, accompanied by an engrossed certificate.

Among its other activities announced as a part of the chapter's program for the year was the part the Springfield Sons have taken in subscribing to the fund to place a memorial window to Rev. Lawrence Washington, the great-great-grandfather of George Washington, who was buried in the All Saints' churchyard in Maldon, England, January 21, 1652.

George Washington Chapter is issuing a new handbook and ritual which contains many new features. Perhaps the most interesting of the information that has been culled is the record of graves of soldiers and sailors of the American Revolution in Springfield.

The booklet referred to contains a fine sketch of the chapter, which was organized on April 27, 1894, and it is noteworthy that the first President, Andrew S. Bryant, who carries a Distinguished Service Medal for his heroism in the Civil War, who was at the meeting, was the first President of the chapter.

The record shows that up to date the chapter has presented 29 World War Service Medals. There is a list of members, and the pamphlet also contains the impressive ritual of the S. A. R.

BERKSHIRE COUNTY CHAPTER will observe Washington's Birthday anniversary by a joint banquet with the D. A. R. chapters. Since February 22 falls on Ash Wednesday, the meeting will be held on the evening of February 21, when Whitman Richmond of this chapter will show moving pictures of the recent floods and of the Stafford Hill and Benning celebrations.

The floods which ravaged the city of North Adams called for service and sacrifice to the extent that it was deemed inadvisable to hold the usual fall meeting of the Chapter.

A large collection of Berkshire history originally deposited in Stockbridge is now in Boston. This chapter and the local D. A. R. chapters are now uniting to secure photostatic copies of the Dwight Collection containing the muster rolls and records of patriotic service of the Berkshire District.

NEW Bedford Chapter.—The officers for the year 1928 of New Bedford Chapter, elected at the annual meeting of the chapter held on January 29, are as follows: President, Lieut. Arthur W. Forbes; First Vice-President, Arthur D. Delano; Vice-President and Secretary, Edward Drake; Treasurer, Harry C. Robinson; Registrar, Charles E. Woodworth; Historian, William M. Emery; Chaplain, Harry L. Pope; Auditor, Francis T. Hammond.

OLD BOSTON CHAPTER.—The 214th and 215th meetings of the chapter were held in connection with the December and January luncheons of the Massachusetts Society on December 12 and January 9. On the later occasion one-third of the membership of Boston Chapter were present, and were united in the sentiment that all members should affiliate themselves with some local chapter in order to help to strengthen the entire Society and make more efficient its activity. The members also favored the bill in Congress (H. R. 5689), providing for "the erec-

tion of a memorial to General George Rogers Clark, who conquered and held for the American Nation the Great Northwest Territory."

Michigan Society.—The annual convocation of the membership of this Society will be held at the Michigan Union, Ann Harbor, Thursday, April 19, the anniversary of the Battle of Lexington. All members are entitled to attend, participate in the proceedings, and vote. Officers for the enusing year, members of the Board of Managers, and delegates to the National Congress to be held at Washington May 20-23 will be selected. Many distinguished guests will be present.

The program will consist of the annual meeting for transaction of business, and election at 2:30 p. m., followed by a reception in honor of the visiting members and ladies, at the William L. Clements Library, on the university campus, during which the custodian, Randolph Greenfield Adams, Ph. D., will explain the collection of Americana and exhibit many original documents of the Revolutionary War. Tea will be served.

At 6:00 p. m. the reception in honor of the National Officers will be held at the Michigan Union, followed by the banquet. The principal guests and speakers include President General Ernest E. Rogers, New London, Connecticut; Vice-President General Henry G. Colson, Chicago, Illinois; Past President General Wilbert H. Barrett, Adrian, Michigan; National Trustee, Dr. Frank Ward Holt, Detroit; President, Clarence Cook Little, and Regent, Junius E. Beal, of the University, and Arthur H. Vandenberg, Historian of Michigan Society, S. A. R. Prof. Arthur Scott Aiton, Ph. D., will give a ten-minute talk on "Michigan in the American Revolution." Rev. Jos. A. Vance, President of Michigan Society, will preside.

The Daughters of the American Revolution are invited. Visiting ladies will be welcomed by a local committee.

The Michigan Society has accepted over sixty members up to this date during the current year, distributed throughout the State, but in greatest numbers naturally in Detroit, which chapter has had an increase of about thirty-five; in Grand Rapids, Lansing and Adrian, where the chapters are flourishing and active Losses to the Society by death are fourteen and by transfer seven.

Kent Chapter, Grand Rapids, held a meeting on January 16 at the home of Waldo M. Ball. President Joseph R. Gillard presided. The speaker was Mr. Harry Glass, who made an appeal for more steadfastness to fundamental American ideals. An attendance of over forty listened with interest to the address, during which the speaker read some of his own poems. The Chapter took favorable action on the request from National Headquarters for support of the bill for appropriation to the memorial to George Rogers Clark, and inspected an interesting collection of relics of John Ball, pioneer, of Grand Rapids, the statue to whose memory is here reproduced.

On March 19 the Chapter will meet at the home of Compatriot Mark Norris and be favored with an address by Mr. Karl Detzer, "No Flags Flying," a tale of the A. E. F. Secret Service.

Some years ago Daniel W. Tower, then Secretary of Kent Chapter, and in the spirit of the Sons, to commemorate and emulate the pioneers, sought to have the city erect a suitable memorial to John Ball, one of its first inhabitants and benefactors. Mr. Tower died and the project was dormant until a committee of Kent Chapter, S. A. R., again interested the city government to appropriate funds for a statuary group by P. P. Coppini, comprising the seated figure of John Ball



ACCOUNTS TO JOHN BALL, PIONEER BENEFACTOR OF GRAND RAPIDS

with two of his great-grandchildren, a boy and a girl, standing at his knees, looking up into the face of their grandfather, who is charming them with stories of the early beginnings of Grand Rapids. John Ball's grandson, Waldo M. Ball, the father of the great-grandchildren in the memorial, is a member of Kent Chapter, S. A. R. The memorial is located at the right of the entrance to the original John Ball Park of forty acres, the gift of Mr. Ball to the city; but the present was so little appreciated then that the city fathers at first declined to receive it because of its rough topography and seemingly poor quality. The refusal was reversed and the city developed it, at comparatively small cost, into one of the most unique and beautiful parks in the country, and here tens of thousands greeted Lindbergh on his visit in August.

DETROIT CHAPTER held a meeting on December 13 at Hotel Statler, followed by a buffet lunch. The speaker of the evening was Prof. Everett S. Brown, holding the Chair of Political Science in the University of Michigan, whose topic was "The Diarist in Early American History." Many striking and interesting stories of early American historical situations were related.

The chapter celebrated Benjamin Franklin's birthday, Tuesday, January 17, at a noon luncheon at the Statler Hotel. Herbert F. Goodrich, professor of law at the University of Michigan and secretary of the Michigan State Bar Association, was the principal guest and spoke on the topic, "Legal Reform and Our Constitutional Rights." President Charles S. McDonald presided. The committee on National Headquarters reported that in the campaign for raising funds for this purpose Michigan stands third among the list of States contributing.

Washtenaw Chapter, Ann Arbor, met for its annual meeting at Michigan Union on February 22, and heard Prof. Ulrich B. Phillips, American history professor at Michigan University speak on "The Old Dominion," based on chapters from his own book soon to be published. Officers elected for the ensuing year are: Walter B. Ford, President; Vice-President, Dr. Harry A. Cole; Secretary-Treasurer, Warren W. Florer; Historian, Dr. Wilbert B. Hinsdale; Chaplain, Rev. Edgar L. Moon. Dr. Hinsdale, retiring President, who has served the chapter in this office for seven years, was warmly praised for his fine work and interest, and his retirement deeply regretted.

CHANCELLOR JOHN LANSING CHAPTER presented Good Citizenship Medals to the boy in each junior high school in the city who had been selected by his classmates and teachers to receive the award. The presentation was made early in January for the closing term, and for the following semester ending in June the junior high school in East Lansing will be included in the awards, making four in all. It is expected another year to extend this privilege to outlying villages in the vicinity of Lansing.

Minnesota Society.—The annual meeting of the Minnesota Society took place on the evening of January 9, at the St. Paul Athletic Club, St. Paul. The guest and speaker for this occasion was Mr. Harry F. Brewer, of Elizabeth, New Jersey, Director General of the National Society. Mr. Brewer spoke on the subject of Americanization, of which committee of the National Society he is the chairman. His address was of deep interest to his hearers and gave an inspiration and encouragement to the workers in this field in the Minnesota Society, which has always been extremely active in this line of work. At noon of the same day, upon the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Brewer at Minneapolis, compatriots of the local Chapter entertained Mr. Brewer at a round table luncheon at the Minneapolis Athletic Club, while Mrs. Brewer was the guest of Mrs. R. W. White and other ladies of the D. A. R. at luncheon. Later, both were driven around the city of

Minneapolis and to Fort Snelling, where Colonel Welsh received them and showed them about the fort and the new chapel.

The officers of the Minnesota Society elected at the evening meeting are Charles P. Schouten, of Minneapolis, President; Vice-Presidents, Ernest H. Davidson, St. Paul, and Arch Coleman, Minneapolis; Secretary, Albert R. Van Dyck; Treasurer, E. St. Claire Snyder, both of Minneapolis; Registrar, Herbert C. Varney, of St. Paul; Historian, Calvin D. Decker, Minneapolis; and Chaplain, Captain Frank C. Rideout, of Fort Snelling, Honorary Vice-Presidents include Clifford L. Hilton, Hon. Frank B. Kellogg and Hon. Walter H. Sanborn, for St. Paul, and Hon. Walter H. Newton and Gen. George E. Leach, for Minneapolis. The Board of Managers is composed of H. L. Beecher, New Ulm; Elmer F. Blu, Duluth; Charles J. Buxton, Owatonna; W. E. B. Dunlap, Montevideo; C. E. McMillan, Luverne; Dr. C. L. Scofield, Benson; Rev. Irvin L. Seager, Hutchinson; Hon. Julius E. Haycroft, Fairmont; Anson B. Jackson, Jr., Lisle D. Tucker, Charles A. Wahlford, W. B. Irwin, Kelsey S. Chase and John M. Finkelson, of St. Paul; and Roy P. Igmundson, Lawrence L. Conrad, Dr. Ray R. Knight, Marstin E. Tallant, John H. Louis, and Frank H. Kurtz, of Minneapolis. Mr. Walter H. Wheeler was nominated for National Trustee.

President Schouten has appointed committees for the year and has given special attention to the committee to secure funds for the National Headquarters, with Compatriot Captain Lisle Tucker, of St. Paul, as chairman. Captain Tucker has had successful experience in this kind of work, and it is hoped Minnesota will have no trouble in raising its quota under his direction. The Minnesota Society has appropriated a definite amount from its treasury to be expended in the promotion of Good Citizenship Medal awards, and it is hoped to greatly increase this work throughout the coming year. Captain Frank C. Rideout is chairman.

Dr. Leslie B. Keyes will be chairman of the Membership Committee, which will not only have the duty of securing new members, but will make an active canvass to reinstate former members, and will also have the work of establishing new Chapters under its charge. It is hoped to increase the number of Chapters in the State by at least two this coming year.

A new Committee on Military Affairs and National Defense, with Lieutenant-Colonel Conrad as chairman, has been appointed by President Schouten. This committee will exert itself to lead an active fight in the State legislature to retain the R. O. T. C. in the University of Minnesota; take charge of the award of the watch which the Minnesota Society has presented for two years past for the best essay on citizenship at the C. T. M. C. at Fort Snelling during the summer; and making all contacts with the national defense forces which the Society is ready to encourage, patriotic legislation, anti-radical propaganda, etc.

With all the above activities before the Society, with a definite goal in each to attain, the Minnesota Society has set itself a program which may well be an example for many other State organizations to emulate. The chairmen are alive to their responsibilities and will surely inspire their respective groups to bend every effort to full accomplishment.

MINNEAPOLIS CHAPTER, No. I.—The annual meeting of this Chapter took place on Monday, December 5, 1927, at a luncheon at Donaldson's Tea Rooms, with a good average attendance. President Ray R. Knight presided. The President gave a report of the activities of the Chapter during the year past, referring particularly to the work of the Americanization Committee and the presentation of the Saber in the fall to Cadet Willard G. Heberling, of the Military Corps at the University of Minnesota, who had qualified as the best platoon leader in the corps.

This presentation is an annual award by the Minneapolis Chapter and is much appreciated. The Chapter has acquired nine new members during the year, the present membership being at this date one hundred and seventy-five. Reports from all committees showed the work of the chapter as in an excellent condition of activity; that on Americanization showing fine co-operation with kindred organizations in the city and the Minneapolis Council of Americanization. The Committee on Publicity pointed out that an unusual amount of fine newspaper notices had been accorded the Chapter's activities, as well as those of the State Society. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Roy P. Igmundsen; Vice-Presidents, John J. Louis and Laurence L. Conrad; Secretary, Ben W. Palmer; Treasurer, Rollo W. White; Chaplain, Dr. J. T. Bergen; Historian, Calvin D. Decker; Directors, A. C. White, Edgar A. Barry, Dr. Leslie Keyes, with Past Presidents, ex-officio, Dr. Douglas F. Wood, Charles P. Schouten, and Dr. Ray R. Knight.

Vice-President General Charles P. Schouten spoke briefly on the work of the National Society, with special reference to the new National Headquarters Building recently acquired at Washington.

Minneapolis Chapter, for its outstanding work of this winter, has prepared a program of motion pictures entitled Chapters from the Life of Abraham Lincoln. A descriptive folder has been printed and widely distributed, and during January, February, and March these pictures will be shown at the East Vocational High School, Minneapolis, through the combined auspices of the Chapter and the Minneapolis Council of Americanization, without charge.

GENERAL WARREN CHAPTER, Montevideo, resumed its monthly meetings in October on the anniversaries of Revolutionary events. Meetings are held in the railroad club rooms, furnished free by the railroad. This Chapter will co-operate with the Minnesota Historical Society in matters pertaining to local history. The subject of S. A. R. citizenship medals will be taken care of this year. Several application papers have been prepared by the Chapter President, and several more applicants in sight.

Missouri Society.—This Society celebrated the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of Saratoga on October 17 with a dinner at the Hotel Chase, at which President Casper S. Yost presided and gave an address on "The Significance of Saratoga." The formal address was made by Rev. William L. Sullivan, D. D., on "Liberty and Nationalism." The S. A. R. choristers, male quartet, sang songs of American wars, our well-known patriotic hymns and war-time popular airs being presented as typical of each of our country's conflicts—"Yankee Doodle" for the War of the Revolution, the "Star Spangled Banner" for 1812, "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground" for the Civil War, "A Hot Time in the Old Town" for the Spanish War, and "Over There" for the World War. The Missouri Society has active committees on Patriotic Education, with Hon. Edward J. White as chairman; Ways and Means, George R. Merrell, chairman; Recruiting, J. Alonzo Matthews; Publicity, Henry A. Chapin; Membership, Dr. John R. Lionberger; and Library, F. G. Williamson, chairmen, respectively.

Vice-President Samuel P. Cochran, of Dallas, Texas, visited the Society on February 14 and was entertained at luncheon by the officers at that time.

The Society's Committee on Patriotic Education has sent a communication to the School Department of St. Louis advising them of an award of the Society's Good Citizenship Medal, to be given for the best oration on the Constitution

of the United States. The subjects for debate as suggested by the committee to be chosen by the pupils are as follows:

- I. Resolved, That our Constitutional Government is more indebted to Thomas Jefferson than it is to Alexander Hamilton for the underlying principles which form the basis of our free institutions.
- 2. Resolved, That the Federal Government, since the Civil War, has materially encroached upon the constitutional powers of the different States.
- 3. Resolved, That George Washington contributed more to the adoption of the Constitution of the United States than any other citizen.
- 4. Resolved, That the Federalists did more to establish republican government under the Constitution than the States Right Party.
- 5. Resolved, That the Constitution of the United States provides for the best form of government the world has ever known.
- 6. Resolved, That a republican form of government such as the Constitution provided for is preferable to a constitutional monarchy.

Montana Society.—The compatriots of the Montana Society held their thirty-fourth annual State convention on Wednesday, February 22, at Helena, and closed by celebrating the birthday of George Washington with a banquet at the Placer Hotel in the evening. The Society is in a flourishing condition. Applications were issued to a large number, and the membership has increased 10 per cent, with only one death. Resolutions of respect were adopted for John M. Minor, who died January 10, 1928.

Resolutions were adopted endorsing-

The Immigration Act of 1924, including the National Origins Plan—a new deportation act, similar to H. R. 344 of the last Congress;

A law for the annual registration of all aliens;

A law placing all nations under the quota;

The bill of Congressman Box, of Texas, putting Latin America in immigration resolution;

H. R. 5689 (Thatcher Bill), providing for the George Rogers Clark Memorial Lighthouse at Ohio River Falls;

The George Rogers Clark Memorial at Vincennes, Ind.;

The establishment of the Abraham Lincoln memorial at Lincoln City, Ind.; That teachers in educational institutions be required to take the oath of allegiance;

Favoring compulsory instruction in the Federal Constitution;

The erection of a suitable memorial to James Madison;

And the suitable celebration of the 200th birthday anniversary of Washington, February 22, 1932.

Officers elected for 1928: President, Charles H. Loud, Miles City; Vice-President, Alfred G. Badger, Butte; Secretary-Treasurer, Leslie Sulgrove, Helena; Registrar, John Edgerton, Helena; Chaplain, Robert W. Getty, Galen; Librarian, Harvey Cook, Big Timber; Board of Managers, Arthur White, Savage, chairman; Carl L. Brattin, Sidney; Frank S. Hedges, Saco; Edwin A. Lindsay, Miles City; Ralph Brice, Hamilton; Charles W. Rhule, Basin; Harold J. Knowlton, Butte; Myron V. Wilson, Helena; Marshall F. Miller, Beach, N. Dak., and Francis W. Sharpe, Great Falls.

Nebraska Society.—Annual meeting of the Nebraska Society was held at Lincoln, February 22. A strong program was prepared, which attracted many of the members living out in the State.

Officers for 1928 were elected as follows: President, A. L. Bixby; Vice-Presidents, J. J. Snipes, Horace E. Newton; Secretary-Registrar, Addison E. Sheldon; Treasurer, Philip K. Slaymaler; Historian, Otto W. Meier. Reports showed the society in excellent condition. An active campaign for increased membership and establishment of new chapters was agreed upon. The wide distribution of Good Citizenship Medals was favorably reported upon by Vice-President Newton of Aurora, who is a member of the National Committee.

Dr. Benjamin F. Bailey, former State President presided as Toastmaster at the banquet, and introduced the guest and speaker, Vice-President General Charles P. Schouten, of Minneapolis, who spoke on the organization work of the National Society, giving some account of the work in Minnesota. Compatriot Anson B. Jackson, Secretary of the St. Paul Minnesota Chapter, also a guest, followed with an address upon the Federal Constitution.

Omaha women of the D. A. R. have prepared a bronze tablet to place upon the First Presbyterian Church at Bellevue, the oldest church building in the State. This building is about three blocks from the old Presbyterian Mission Building, the oldest building of any kind in Nebraska. The securing and preservation of Its preservation for the future, with all its memories of the Nebraska Society. and the noted men who have slept beneath its roof, is well worth while. Presihistorical building in the State.

Compatriot Fred Eastman, of Omaha, is superintendent of mail service west of Omaha. Mr. Eastman is a bird student, an historical writer, and an active worker for the S. A. R. Thus far he has sent in more new names for membership than any member for 1927.

Lincoln Chapter has held noon luncheon meetings in 1927. One of the results of these meetings is the memorial tablet of the founding of Lincoln placed upon the new million-dollar Burlington station and commented upon by travelers from all parts of the world. It is felt that it would greatly strengthen the S. A. R. work if every group throughout the State would hold monthly noon luncheons together. There is no lack of topics for conversation where a group of S. A. R. men are gathered.

New Hampshire Society.—Good Citizenship Medals have served as a stimulus for the activities of the New Hampshire Society. From present indications, from thirty-five to fifty medals will be awarded to pupils in the eighth grade in the schools of the State. School superintendents and junior high school principals are particularly enthusiastic in their commendation of the idea embodied in the medal. The interest has been awakened by the activity of President Charles A. Holden, of Hanover.

New Jersey Society.—The New Jersey Society held in Elizabeth, on the evening of Washington's Birthday, the usual celebration of this anniversary. The dinner was served in the new Masonic Temple, President Richard Hartshorne presiding. Nearly 300 covers were laid, the D. A. R. being well represented by dent General, and other well-known members. President General Ernest E. Rogers brought greetings from the National Society and narrated his recent trip to the Pacific Coast while making a survey of the societies in twenty-five States. Director General Josiah A. Van Orsdel, of Washington, gave a very illuminating

and informative address on the fundamental law of the country and the various amendments made to the Constitution, following the fifteenth, none of which strengthen appreciably the great document. He particularly stressed the fact that the 18th amendment might well have been eliminated, as it is a matter for States to police the commonwealths and not the Nation. General William Mitchell, formerly of the air defense service, of Middleburg, Virginia, gave an account of the military power and of the air service especially, and other speakers were Guy G. Gabrielson, member of the Assembly, and Congressman Franklin W. Fort. Other special guests of the occasion were Hon. Joseph S. Frelinghuysen; President of New York Chapter General Oliver B. Bridgman and Mrs. Bridgman; and Past President General Colonel Ames and Mrs. Louis Annin Ames, of New York; Vice-President General Frederick de G. Hahn, former Chaplain General Rev. Frank A. Smith, and Past President of the New Jersey Society, John Leonard Merrill, representing the Founders and Patriots. After the speechmaking the floor was cleared for dancing, which continued till after midnight. The committee in charge of the affair consisted of Compatriots Willard I. Kimm, Past President Harry F. Brewer, John K. Leeds and Harry A. Kniffin.

A very interesting exhibit of early Americana was arranged under the personal supervision and through the efforts of Mr. John K. Leeds and Mr. Willard I. Kimm, which will be described in a later issue of The Minute Man.

President and Mrs. Hartshorne entertained at a reception and tea in honor of the President General and Judge and Mrs. Van Orsdel, the latter being President General of the C. A. R., at their home in East Orange, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

On the following day, Thursday, a group of the New Jersey compatriots entertained the President General at an informal luncheon at the Newark Athletic Club, at noon. Policies of the Society were discussed informally.

The New Jersey Society issued "The Compatriot," an eight-page leaflet, early in January, which it is proposed to have printed quarterly in the interests of the organization, State and National. A feature of the publication is a department of personal paragraphs relating to the members, which has been widely and favorably commented upon. It is planned to enlarge the succeeding numbers if there is a demand for space by the Chapters, or the State Society's activities call for more pages. The possibility of a monthly issue, except during the summer, will be considered.

For the seventeenth consecutive year, Secretary Pierson presided at exercises in the City Hall, East Orange, on the morning of February 13, in memory of Abraham Lincoln's Birthday. President Taft initiated this observance with his presence in 1912. After the exercises this year, a procession was formed and proceeded to the Oraton Parkway, a half mile distant, where a wreath was placed on the Lincoln Statue.

President Richard Hartshorne presided at the dinner of 1,000 covers at the Mosque, on February 18, given by the American Legion of Essex County in honor of Vice-President Dawes and Commander Edward E. Spafford of the Legion.

President Hartshorne, Secretary Pierson, and Compatriot W. Frank Bower, President of Orange Chapter, represented the New Jersey Society at the luncheon of the New Jersey Society, Daughters of the Revolution, at the Newark Athletic Club, on January 3rd, commemorating the 151st anniversary of the Battle of Princeton.

The Board of Managers held a dinner meeting at the Hotel Berwick, Newark, on February 10, at which Dr. Frederick E. Emmons, of Elizabeth, gave an ad-

dress on "Our European Neighbors," illustrated with lantern slides. He made a plea for a stronger international spirit among Americans.

ELIZABETHTOWN CHAPTER held a meeting in Elizabeth on February 14. Reports were received of a membership drive which gives promise of adding a large number of members to its roster. Harrison B. Johnson has been elected Secretary in place of Hugh Nelson who has been demitted to the Maryland Society.

Orange Chapter observed the 222nd anniversary of the Birthday of Benjamin Franklin with a dinner at the Hotel Suburban, East Orange, on January 19, two days following the event. Judge Adrian Lyon, Past President of the State Society, was the principal speaker and President W. Frank Bower presided. The Chapter has sent a check for \$68 to the Treasurer of the National Headquarters Fund, the proceeds of a card party held on December 6. Printed copies of the new Chapter Constitution and By-Laws have been mailed to the members during the past few weeks. One of the changes is the holding of the annual meeting in March instead of April. This year the Chapter observes its 25th anniversary. Samuel H. Libby, of East Orange, gave an address before the Chapter on February 16, on "Washington, the General and Statesman."

Monthly meetings of the Chapter Board of Trustees, held at the home of Compatriot Bower, President, during the winter, have been well attended, a feature being an informal discussion at the close of the business meeting on the general welfare of the Chapter. A gold jewel of the Society has been presented to the President, who is to wear it during his term of office and then pass it on to his successor.

Montclair Chapter met at the home of Compatriot Charles C. West, Montclair, on January 17th, and listened to an informing address on "The Merchant Marine," by A. S. Mack, a member of the U. S. Shipping Board. The Chapter on January 4th attained its 18th anniversary, and President Sherwood, who presided, alluded to it in his introductory address. The chapter has a membership of 300, which is the largest in the State.

The chapter held, at the George Inness Junior High School Auditorium, Montclair, on Thursday, February 9, a Lincoln Memorial meeting, the speaker being Howard R. Cruse, Grand Master of Masons of New Jersey, which was a brilliant patriotic peroration on the life of Lincoln. President Louis Sherwood presided, and a program of musical numbers was given.

The chapter held its annual service in memory of Washington at the First Congregational Church, Sunday, February 20. The speaker was Dr. William R. Ward, who retired last year as President of the State Society. A feature of the service was the Massing of the Colors. President Sherwood presided.

NEWARK CHAPTER was addressed by Benjamin F. Jones, of Maplewood, at the meeting held on December 29th at the State headquarters. His subject was "Service." The decorations were in keeping with the holiday spirit; a Christmas tree, decorated, was a feature of the evening. President S. H. M. Agens presided.

Mr. J. Glenn Anderson, of Maplewood, gave an address, January 26, on the anniversary of the Battle of Princeton. A brief account of the battle was read by Secretary Pierson, of the State Society. President Agens presided.

According to custom of many years the chapter participated in services at the Trinity Church Cathedral, Newark, on the morning of Washington's Birthday, February 22. Afterward the chapter led a procession to Washington Park and there placed a wreath on the Washington statue. Nova Caearea Chapter, D. A. R., has placed a similar tribute.

PARAMUS CHAPTER on December 15 elected these officers for the new year: President, J. Oscar Bunce; Vice-President, Charles H. Spencer; Secretary, J. Phillips Van Huyck; Treasurer, Bevier Smith; Registrar, Arthur J. Goff; Historian and Necrologist, Ira W. Travell; Chaplain, Rev. Henry D. Cook; Trustees, Cornelius Doremus, Frederick Chamberlain, Howard D. Crane, Carl M. Vail, James C. Meyers and Edward L. McCarroll. The chapter is planning an automobile pilgrimage to Princeton on June 23 next. At the meeting on March 16 the speakers were General Charles H. Burrows, on "My Civil War Experiences," and Rev. William Shriber on "Conglomerate America, Its Social and Industrial Problems."

PASSAIC VALLEY CHAPTER met at the home of Alfred W. Alesbury, Summit, on January 16. Colonel G. L. McEntee gave an address on his experiences in the Philippine Islands, and there was a pleasing order of exercises. Robert W. Chasteney, President, presided.

Dr. Willie Fletcher Johnson, of New Providence, editor of the North American Review, gave an address at the meeting of the chapter, on February 20, on "Abraham Lincoln." It was held at the home of Registrar Harold Moore, in Summit.

South Jersey Chapter joined with Old Gloucester and Francis Hopkinson chapters of the S. R., at the Indian King Inn, Haddonfield, headquarters of the first-named organization, on December 9, and all agreed to work in unison in the matter of placing memorials in historical places in South Jersey. Edward C. Geehr, President of the South Jersey Society, presided. He presented, in behalf of the chapter, a gold insignia of the Society to Rear Admiral Reynold T. Hall, his predecessor in office, who had served five years.

Empire State (New York) Society.—The formal organization of a new Chapter of the Empire State Society was consummated on February 15, when President Ganson Depew, accompanied by Registrar Charles A. Hale, of the State Society, went to Albion to preside and assist in the organization of the Lemuel Cook Chapter at that place. The Chapter is named for the ancestor of one of its distinguished members, Hon. Sanford T. Church, Justice of the Supreme Court of New York State. The visitors were warmly welcomed by the members, and a delightful banquet crowned the occasion. Short addresses were made by President Depew, Mr. Hale, and Judge Church. Compatriot Frank Tanner, of Buffalo, was also a guest. President Bernard Ryan is the presiding officer of the new Chapter and was largely instrumental in its formation.

On Washington's Birthday, President General Rogers was the guest of Secretary Charles A. Hale, of the New York Chapter, at the annual celebration of the Sons of the Revolution in Carnegie Hall, New York City. The display of the colors of various participating patriotic organizations made a beautiful sight on this occasion and gave a glory of color throughout the great hall. Conspicuous among them were the banners of the S. A. R. Music by the New York City Police Band and an oration by Senator Charles C. Dill, of the State of Washington, completed a fine program. At the close of the ceremonies, Mr. Rogers was presented to Dr. Darlington, of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, and to Mr. John A. Voorhis, President of the Board of Electors. Mr. Voorhis is ninety-nine years of age and presides regularly over the meetings of his Board. Mr. Rogers expressed the hope that he would have the pleasure of congratulating Mr. Voorhis next year upon his 100th anniversary.

Upon the conclusion of these ceremonies, Secretary Hale, accompanied by

Compatriot Washington Custis Lee Cumpson, repaired to the broadcasting of Gimbel Brothers, where the former gave a ten-minute address on George Washington, followed by a shorter talk by this descendant of George Washington's brother, Col. Samuel Washington.

Mr. Cumpson said in part: "Like many people who have ancestors, I admit quite frankly that I display considerable indifference to them. But this does not mean that I am not daily and hourly conscious with pride that I am one of the nearest living relatives of Washington and Lee, names writ as large as any in the history of the country and transmitted to me with an honor which is my constant care never to tarnish. Therefore my theme here today, my only thought, is a very simple one. Do not let us go back to those days to find out what to do, because we live in another age and the circumstances are absolutely different; but let us be men of that kind; let us feel at every turn the compulsions of principle and honor which they left. Let us free our vision from temporary circumstances and look abroad at the horizon and take into our lungs the great air of freedom which has blown through this country and stolen across the seas and blessed people everywhere; and, looking east and west and north and south, let us remind ourselves that we are the custodians in some degree of the principles which have made men free and government just."

The distinguished services of Compatriot Charles Evans Hughes at the Pan-American Conference in stopping the onslaught of some of the representatives of the South American republics on the policies of the United States with respect to its treatment of certain countries to the south of us remind the older compatriots of the patriotic activities of two of our former members, Presidents Grover Cleveland and Theodore Roosevelt.

At the annual church service of the Sons of the Revolution, the New York Chapter was represented by its President, Gen. Oliver B. Bridgman; its Secretary, Charles A. Hale; and one of its managers, Compatriot Arthur D. Cree, Sr.

Dr. Edward Hagaman Hall, formerly Registrar and Vice-President of the Empire State Society, was recently tendered a testimonial dinner at the Hotel Commodore, New York City, by the Laymen's Club of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine.

Compatriot Hamilton Fish, Jr., M. C., member of the Newburgh Chapter, recently introduced into the House of Representatives a resolution to outlaw war. Buffalo Chapter.—At a dinner meeting held in the Chinese Room of the Hotel Statler, compatriots of Buffalo Chapter and ladies enjoyed greatly the address of Dean Marsh, of the University of Buffalo, on Robert E. Lee.

President Leslie J. Bennett presided at the meeting, and announced that in his absence on a trip to Africa William E. Otto will preside at future meetings.

Among those present at the dinner were Maj. Josiah W. Willis, who recalled shaking hands with General Lee when a youth in the Union Army.

On the evening of February 27 the Chapter entertained in honor of President General Ernest E. Rogers, who visited Buffalo upon his return from the Executive Committee meeting held at Cleveland on the 24th. The Secretary General, Frank B. Steele, former Secretary for many years of Buffalo Chapter, was also a guest and was warmly greeted by his friends in his home city. Mr. Ganson Depew, President of the Empire State Society and Director General of the National Society, was also present. In the absence of President Bennett, Mr. William E. Otto, Vice-President, presided. Greetings were offered by Mrs. John Miller Horton, Regent of Buffalo Chapter, D. A. R., and brief addresses by the National Officers who were guests. Mr. Rogers made an address, in the course

of which he warmly commended the work of Mr. Steele in Washington, and emphasized the value to the organization as a whole of the new National Headquarters there.

Syracuse Chapter.—Through the personal activity of President Claude P. Terry and Compatriot F. N. Decker, chairman of the Membership Committee of Syracuse Chapter, twelve new members have very recently been admitted to the Chapter, and these new members are in turn actively seeking to increase the membership, and much is anticipated from this renewed activity.

The Chapter held its annual banquet meeting on Washington's Birthday, at the Hotel Syracuse, in conjunction with the local D. A. R. and other patriotic organizations.

At the meeting of the Board of Managers, held on February 8, ways and means were discussed of securing the Chapter's quota in behalf of the National Head-quarters. The work of the Chapter in placing markers on Revolutionary graves, school medal contests, and other activities of the Society were discussed and plans formed for conducting these in an active manner. It was voted to send the Secretary to the annual Congress at Washington in May.

Col. Cornelius Van Dyck Chapter held its quarterly meeting at Sirker's Restaurant in Barrett Street on Tuesday evening, December 13, following a dinner at six o'clock. A short business meeting was held, after which the compatriots listened to an interesting address by Compatriot A. J. Colmen, who attended the recent convention of the American Legion in Paris as a delegate from the local post and whose comments on his experiences were greatly enjoyed. President C. E. Bennett presided. On March 13 the Chapter held its regular meeting, at which time Professor W. Leon Godshall, of Union College, spoke on the subject, "Some Results of Washington's Foreign Policy."

At the annual meeting of the Gansevoort-Willett Chapter, Rome, held February 7, the following officers were elected for 1928: President, A. R. Kessinger; Vice President, Col. Weston Jenkins; Secretary, James E. Barnard; Treasurer, W. B. Eames; Registrar, G. L. Prescott; Historian, O. P. Backus.

North Carolina Society.—The successful preliminary organization of a North Carolina Society of the Sons of the American Revolution is told in detail on other pages of this issue of The Minute Man and will not be repeated here, but hereafter notes of the activities of this newly created Society may be expected to regularly appear in these columns. The Society is considering applications for establishment of local Chapters at Tarboro, Raleigh, Greensboro, Lincolnton, and Asheville, and these will be perfected one by one in the order in which a sufficient number of applications would indicate the local interest in such movements. This also will influence the selection of the city in which the meeting will take place when the Charter of the North Carolina Society will be formally presented and permanent officers installed, which it is hoped to consummate in the latter days of March.

ROCKY MOUNT CHAPTER, Rocky Mount.—Fifty petitioners for a local chapter of the North Carolina Society S. A. R. attended the exercises in observance of Washington's Birthday at the high school on the afternoon of February 22, and immediately after the close of the exercises, met in formal session to organize and elect officers. Mr. Harrison G. Otis, Acting President of the State Society, presided, and the election of Chapter officers resulted as follows: President, Thomas H. Battle; Vice-Presidents, W. S. Wilkinson, Jr.; F. Y. Arrington, J. L. Horne, Jr.; Secretary-Registrar, B. A. Powell; Treasurer, R. S. Gorham;

Chaplain, Thomas A. Avera. Committees were chosen as follows: Constitution and By-Laws, W. S. Wilkinson, Jr., F. S. Spruill, and W. C. Divine; State Meeting, J. L. Horne, Jr.; R. L. Arrington, R. D. Gorham; Membership, H. W. Winstead, J. B. Hilliard, S. L. Arrington. This committee has set itself a goal of one hundred members before the close of the Charter Membership List, which is set for March 31, the end of the fiscal year of the National Society, S. A. R. The chapter immediately decided to take up the work of the Good Citizenship Medal awards and will offer these to each of the grammar schools and the high

school of Rocky Mount at the end of the present semester, in June.

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The exercises at the high school in commemoration of Washington's Anniversary, the first public effort of the new chapter, were well attended and an interesting program was enjoyed. The principal oration was delivered by Rev. C. K. Proctor, pastor of the First Methodist Church, upon the life and example of George Washington. The music by the high school orchestra and vocal selections were of a patriotic nature and added much to the program.

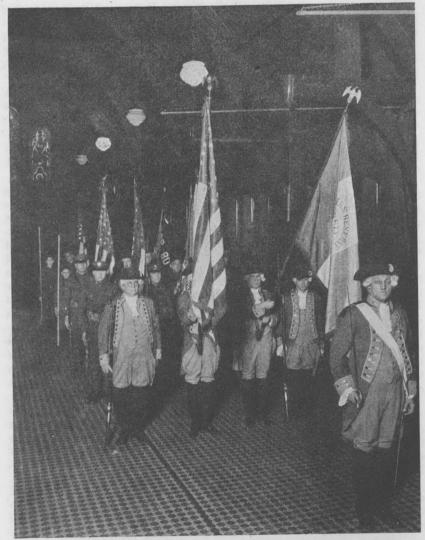
Ohio Society .- Anthony Wayne Chapter, Toledo .- At the annual meeting of this chapter recently held the following officers were elected: President, Capt. Grant S. Taylor; Vice-Presidents, Hon. Roy H. Williams, W. W. Farnsworth; Recording Secretary, Frederick A. Boardman; Corresponding Secretary, Frazier Reams; Treasurer, Fray F. Stone; Registrar, James Nye; Chaplain, John D. Rhoades; Genealogist, Charles R. Barefoot; Historian, Robert F. Nachtrieb: Flag Custodian, Lyman F. Crabbs.

The Executive Committee met at the Toledo Chamber of Commerce on January 12, when President Grant outlined his plans for the ensuing year and appointed committees with the following chairmen: Membership, Charles R. Barefoot: Americanization, Hon. James Austin, Jr.; Service, Joseph A. Yager; Publicity and Entertainment, Henry Middleton; Preservation of Historic Sites and Monuments, Walter J. Sherman; Patriotic Education, Floyd G. Crandell; Auditing, Paul Austin. The chapter also maintains a committee charged with the handling of funds for a scholarship at Berea College, of which Ira C. Taber is chairman; a committee to represent the chapter on the Toledo Soldiers' Memorial Association, of which Walter J. Sherman is chairman; committee to aid in the proper observance of Memorial Day, of which Carl Eyster is chairman. All committees function actively and if not represented at three successive meetings of the Chapter Executive Committee, a new committee is appointed.

President Taylor is actively urging support of the National Headquarters Fund, and all indications point to a fine response for this object, and a very prosperous year.

On the evening of February 25, at the Hotel Commodore Perry, the ANTHONY WAYNE CHAPTER was host to President General Ernest E. Rogers at a banquet, at which time the Ursula Wolcott Chapter and Fort Industry Chapter, D. A. R., jointly met with the S. A. R. The local members of the Colonial Dames and the Daughters of 1812 also participated. Officers accompanying Mr. Rogers from the Executive Committee meeting held the previous day at Cleveland were: State President Loren E. Souers, of Canton, and Hon. Miles S. Kuhns.

WESTERN RESERVE Society, Cleveland.—The annual ceremony of the Trooping of the Colors, by Western Reserve Society, Sons of the American Revolution. was observed in Trinity Cathedral on Sunday, December 18, at 4 p. m. This ceremony is unique in that the S. A. R. invited the various local military organizations to send their color guards to participate with their own color guard in Troop-



S. A. R. COLOR GUARD OF WESTERN RESERVE SOCIETY AT CLEVELAND At ceremony of the Trooping of Colors, December 18, 1927. Compatriot J. Webb Saffold, Captain.

ing the Colors. The S. A. R. Color Guard marched in the uniform of Washington's infantry, and, as the various military units participating were organized at different periods in the country's history, the whole presents a picture in color guards of the military history of the United States. The S. A. R. in Colonial uniform, the Cleveland Grays in their tall black shakos and gray dress uniforms, the 145th Infantry in modern khaki, and the American Legion in their uniforms of the World War, presented a colorful picture which was brought down to date by the Boy Scouts. The Daughters of the American Revolution were invited to attend this ceremony,

The Rev. Kirk B. O'Farrell, minister of Emanuel Episcopal Church, preached a stirring sermon on George Washington. Calling upon his hearers not to forget the labors of those who founded this Nation, he dwelt upon Washington's fearlessness, his unselfishness, and his faith in God. The Rt. Rev. Bishop Leonard, of the diocese of Ohio, gave the benediction and the battalion of color guards followed the choir in their recessional.

In spite of the bitter cold weather, a goodly number of people from all walks of life witnessed the ceremony and the beautiful cathedral was well filled. Those who witnessed the ceremony pronounced it most impressive.

President Harry H. Hoard, of WESTERN RESERVE Society, appointed Compatriot Charles R. Putnam chairman of the Committee on Arrangements and the Battalion of Color Guards was commanded by Compatriot J. Webb Saffold, captain of the Colonial Guards, W. R. S., S. A. R.

On February 24 the Western Reserve Society held its annual meeting and luncheon at the Hotel Statler. A commemorative address was delivered by the Reverend Kirk O'Farrell, of Emanuel Episcopal Church. Installation of new members was a feature of the program.

On the evening of February 24 the chapter held a reception, banquet and smoker in honor of President General Ernest E. Rogers and the members of the National Executive Committee and other visiting National Officers, who had been meeting in executive session at the Hotel Cleveland throughout the day. The banquet was held at the High Noon Club, the Colonial Guard and Drum Corps, pictured in illustration of the text above, being in full uniform as escort to the National Officers. President General Rogers addressed the members with regard to the Society, and the Hon. John J. Sullivan, Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals of Ohio, also spoke. The newly elected President of the Western Reserve Society presided, Mr. G. S. Beckwith. The Secretary General, Mr. Steele, was called upon to introduce the National Officers present, each of whom gave a brief word of greeting.

RICHARD MONTGOMERY CHAPTER, Dayton, held a meeting at noon on December 10, at which Dr. W. A. Galloway, of Xenia, spoke, telling of the early history of this section of Ohio and of the settlers of the Miami Valley. Dr. Galloway has been collecting much data on the early history of Greene and Montgomery counties, which is to be put in book form by the Ohio Archeological Society. He exhibited many rare charts and maps he has found after diligent search.

Dr. Galloway's great-great-grandfather, James Galloway, Sr., and Tecumseh, the Indian chief, were great friends. A short sketch of the five military invasions made against the Shawnee Indians and of the 35 forts in the Miami country, most of them established by Anthony Wayne and William H. Harrison,

Maj. W. W. Neifert, President of the chapter, presided. He read letters from Wilbur Wright and Julienne schools, thanking the Society for having supplied flags to the schools.

On January 22 the chapter enjoyed hearing Compatriot Horace S. Kiefer, of Springfield, President of the George Rogers Clark Chapter of that place, speak on the treatment of criminals.

On February 22 the chapter, with the Jonathan Dayton Chapter, D. A. R., held a joint celebration at the Dayton Woman's Club, which took the form of a Colonial reception and banquet. There were about one hundred and fifty guests assembled for the dinner, who were presented to George and Martha Washington. handsomely attired in the full dress of Colonial days. Compatriot R. C. Ellis

represented the first President and Mrs. A. H. Dunham was most charming as his wife. The dining room of the club, bedecked with many flags, includinghistoric Colonial flags, flags of Ohio, and the flag of the United States, made an attractive setting for colorful costumes of the guests. A program of music was given during the dinner and a quartet in costume gave several selections. Miss Ida Smith and Major William Neifert gave brief addresses of welcome, and the roll call of ancestors was read by Reuben Holmes. Taps was sounded by buglers from the Patterson School. After dinner the hosts and hostesses, in costume, grouped themselves in the doorway of the drawing-room and in an informal manner gave in conversational style various experiences of the characters represented.

Oklahoma Society.—Tulsa Chapter.—On Friday evening, January 20, the members of Tulsa Chapter held their midwinter banquet at the Mayo Hotel. Some fifty members with their ladies were in attendance. Aside from several musical features of the evening, the membership and their guests were entertained by a splendid patriotic address by Dr. Claude E. Hill, of the First Christian Church of this city. The past year has been a most prosperous one for the Tulsa Chapter, its membership having doubled during that period, over twenty of the new compatriots having come in by original application. It would be difficult to discover a more enthusiastic alignment of compatriots than the membership of Tulsa Chapter.

The Senior Vice-President of the State organization, Compatriot George E. Bennett, has been the acting President of the State Society; Mr. Bennett is a member of Tulsa Chapter and is now and has for some time given much interest to the matter of school medals. The chapter has discovered that the noonday luncheons which are a biweekly feature, have been a great stimulus to preserve an interest. This is now one of the regular luncheon clubs of the city; meeting every two weeks to discuss everything of public interest and particularly such affairs as relate to good citizenship, and then go out girded up with a high resolve to find a new member-and some one usually gets him. There is nothing like a personal touch.

At a recent meeting of the State Society at Oklahoma City, Mr. John B. Meserve was elected President of the State Society. Mr. Meserve is the President of the Tulsa Chapter.

Oregon Society.-At the annual election of officers for the Oregon Society, held February 22, the following were elected: President, Amedee M. Smith; Vice-President, Robert G. Dieck; Secretary, Palmer Fales; Treasurer, C. D. Tillson; Registrar, Irving L. Rand; Managers, Richard W. Montague, L. D. Bosley, W. L. Verry, and William Biddle Wells, who with the officers constitute the Board. Hon. Wallace McCamant was nominated for National Trustee.

Pennsylvania Society.-Governor John S. Fisher and President General Ernest E. Rogers were the guests of honor at the annual reception and dinner of the Pennsylvania Society on the evening of January 20, at the clubhouse of the Pittsburgh Athletic Association. More than two hundred compatriots of the Society met the Governor and Mr. Rogers at the reception preceding the dinner, at which Compatriot John L. Walker, President of the Pennsylvania Society, was master of ceremonies and presided. The honorary reception committee appointed by President Walker included the Past Presidents of the Society-Albert J. Logan, Albert A. Horne, James D. Hancock, Thomas S. Brown, Omar S. Decker, Dr. S. B. McCormick, Wickliffe C. Lynne, Rulef C. Schanck, and Walter Gabell. Mr. J. Boyd Duff was chairman of the entertainment committee.

Col. Franklin J. Blackstone, Vice-President of the Pennsylvania Society, had charge of the assembling of the colors, an impressive ceremony which preceded the banquet. After the playing of "The Star-Spangled Banner," the assembly joined in the Pledge to the Flag, and the invocation was given by the Chaplain of the Pennsylvania Society, Rev. George C. Fisher.

President Walker introduced Governor Fisher, whose membership in the Society has just been announced, although he stated in his address that he had been eligible for sixty years. It was announced by Governor Fisher that every historical site in Pennsylvania is soon to be adequately marked according to their significance, the work to be done by the Pennsylvania Historical Commission.

The Chancellor General of the National Society, Mr. William J. Askin, Jr., who is also Secretary of the Pennsylvania Society, introduced President General Rogers who spoke of the early history of Pennsylvania, its great importance today and the part it played in carrying out the principles of the pioneers of liberty. He also told of his recent trip to the West and the South in the interests of the National Society, which had been invaluable to him as an opportunity to make personal contacts with the members in many sections of the country and to obtain a background as to the needs of the societies and compatriots in the places he had visited. A quartet interspersed the addresses with delightful vocal music, and at the conclusion the colors were retired with ceremony, after which dancing was enjoyed.

The Pennsylvania Society has been active in the formation of new chapters since the early fall and will soon be able to announce the complete organization and the elected officers for chapters at Harrisburg, York, Indiana, and Wilkinsburg, while the two new chapters at Dormont and Philadelphia are already functioning.

Compatriot Harris L. Awl, of Wilkinsburg, chairman of the Chapters Committee of the State Society, has been very active in this work and it is the ambition of the State Society to have a chapter in every county of the State.

The GENERAL ARTHUR St. CLAIR CHAPTER, as the new organization formed at Dormont is called, was organized in the early fall, although it did not receive its formal charter until later. However, it has been actively functioning under temporary officers appointed at the time of the tentative organization, with active committees on Education, Grave Marking, Library, Membership and Publicity. A fine meeting was held on December 30, to which other patriotic organizations including the local post of the American Legion and the members of the School Board and school faculties were invited. A musical and oratorical program was enjoyed. The occasion of this meeting was the anniversary of the birth of General Arthur St. Clair, for whom the chapter is named, and of whose life and deeds Col. F. M. Sparry gave a brief story at the meeting. On Friday evening, January 27, the chapter met to elect permanent officers as follows: E. M. Golden, President; John Haudenshield, Secretary; L. G. Fishach, Vice-President; Dr. S. G. McGarvey and Homer Nixon, Second Vice-Presidents; Harry Russell, Third Vice-President; C. C. Polling, Corresponding Secretary; Sidney B. Foster, Treasurer; George W. McEwen, Registrar; George McNeilly, Historian; Rev. J. A. McEwen, Chaplain; J. C. Fisher, Chairman of Publicity; W. C. Lyle, Membership; Professor Moore, Education.

On Wednesday evening, February 8, at Old Bethel Church, in whose yard

there are buried fifteen Revolutionary Soldiers, the above officers were installed with elaborate ceremony, and the formal charter bestowed upon the chapter by President John L. Walker, of the Pennsylvania State Society. All members of patriotic organizations in the near vicinity were invited. The chapter is planning for many patriotic celebrations and in the near future will hold a meeting at the General Neville Farm, on Bower Hill Road, when it is expected that Allegheny County will transfer this farm to become a county public park. Near here is old St. Luke's Episcopal Church, which was the first church west of the Alleghery Mountains.

CONTINENTAL CHAPTER, newly organized in the city of Philadelphia, met to organize on December I and held a later meeting at the Bellevue Stratford to receive its charter on January 16. The officers elected were: President, Dr. L. N. Boston; Vice-President, Charles M. Irwin; Secretary, J. Alfred Coxe; Treasurer, William D. Vrooman; Registrar, Pierce M. Gabell; Historian, Hugh D. Scott; Chaplain, Dr. Joseph Fort Newton. The Board of Governors include Walter Gabell, Dr. Nelson M. Brinkerhoff, Hobart Hankin, Edward T. Alexander and J. Harry Mitchell. By-Laws were also adopted and other details of organization completed.

VALLEY FORGE CHAPTER, at New Bethlehem, held a formal dinner at the Hotel Bethlehem on February 22. The new President, Charles A. Heckman, presided. At a recent board meeting plans were made for the publication of educational talks in the local newspapers, to acquaint the public with the ideals and principles of the Sons of the American Revolution. This Chapter has many applications pending and is inaugurating a systematic drive for increase.

PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER.—At the annual meeting of the Philadelphia Chapter on January 16, the officers and Board of Managers were elected as follows: President, H. L. Wynne; Vice-President, Dr. Warren Matlack; Secretary, Jesse A. MacIntire; Treasurer, Herman W. Fernberger; Registrar, James K. Helms; Historian, F. H. Reeder. Board of Managers: Major Samuel A. Wynne, John F. Edwards, Warner R. Heston, Henry S. Weber, George W. Duncan, Allen W. Graves, Howard P. Lippincott, Jr., T. Preston Johnson.

The annual custom of the chapter in placing a wreath at the Equestrian Statue of Washington on the parkway near the new Art Museum was observed as usual and the chapter was assisted by the Boy Scouts and the chapter colors were presented. At noon on the same day a commemorative luncheon was held at the Bellevue Stratford, to which members and their families were invited. Compatriot Lawrence C. Hickman presented a paper. On the evening of February 18, members of the chapter made their annual visits of respect to Compatriot John D. Lewis, the chapter's Real Son, it being his birthday. Each member sent Compatriot Lewis a post-card greeting.

George Washington Chapter, of Washington, Pennsylvania, announces the newly elected officers—Murray S. Pollock as President and S. B. Braden, Secretary.

NEWCASTLE CHAPTER met on January 6, with President John L. Walker as guest of honor, who issued a warning against the spread of radicalism in this country.

Vice-President McKain and Treasurer Wall, of the State Society, were also guests. Following the dinner, the annual election of officers was held and Compatriot Joseph S. Rice was elected President.

FORT NECESSITY CHAPTER, Uniontown.—At its second annual banquet at the White Swan, on February 13, Fort Necessity Chapter presented a program of

exceptional interest, instruction, patriotism, and inspiration. Compatriots, their ladies and guests, to the number of two hundred and forty-six, were present. A very fine oration picturing vividly the life and work of the Great Emancipator was delivered by Wooda N. Carr on Abraham Lincoln, in which the life, sacrifices, and achievements of the Martyr President were effectively portrayed. Mr. Carr gave his audience history, biography, patriotism, and practical application, and characterized, as the outstanding attributes most comprehensively descriptive of the man, his "uncommon common sense" and his tolerant attitude toward humanity.

Dr. M. D. Proctor, Superintendent of Schools, was the second speaker and gave a very fine address, built upon a quotation from the late Senator Lodge, "Of all the ideals that lift men up, the hardest to fulfill is the ideal of sacrifice." He emphasized the need of libraries, of playgrounds, and of better schools.

The President of the Pennsylvania State Society, S. A. R., Mr. John L. Walker, was a special guest of the chapter on this occasion, and in his brief talk on the work of the organization declared that the Pennsylvania Society was a leader in furthering the objects of the organization. He appealed for support of the National Headquarters at Washington and urged increase of membership upon the chapter. He paid tribute to the D. A. R. in their work and co-operation.

President Walker paid splendid tribute to FORT NECESSITY CHAPTER, saying its organization and interest displayed by its members was an example and inspiration throughout the State. He told of the accomplishment of the Pennsylvania Society in instituting seven new chapters this year, since the formation of Fort Necessity Chapter, and praised the work of President Hustead and officers associated with him for their effective co-operation in the work of the organization.

President Hustead, who presided, called attention to the fact that FORT NECES-SITY CHAPTER now has one hundred and twenty-nine members, and holds its annual banquet on the anniversary of Lincoln's birth as the date on which its charter was received. Among other interesting features of the meeting, a letter was read from the Governor of North Carolina congratulating FORT NECESSITY CHAP-TER upon its organization and the work of the S. A. R. This letter completes the letters of felicitation received by the chapter from governors of each of the Thirteen Original Colonies.

Officers elected at the annual meeting were: President, J. Edgar Hustead; Vice-Presidents, Dr. Harry J. Bell, M. B. MacDonald, George H. Krepps; Secretary, J. C. Whaley; Treasurer, H. H. Hess; Chaplain, Rev. A. H. Hibshman; Historian, M. M. Hopewood. Managers: J. H. Lynn, R. K. Warnock, Robert M. Bowie, J. N. Abraham, J. Espey Sherrard, Basil A. Brownfield, J. F. Gray, Thomas A. Brownfield, Clarence S. Flenniken, Dr. H. B. Guiher, J. Benton Crow, and the President, Secretary, and Historian.

South Carolina Society.—Major John F. Jones, President of the South Carolina Society, represented his organization at the impressive ceremonies incident to the unveiling of a beautiful tablet to the four South Carolina Signers of the Declaration of Independence, presented by the Daughters of the American Revolution of South Carolina and placed in the Hall of the House of Representatives in the State House at Charleston. The ceremonies were of deep interest and the time of presentation was chosen to coincide with the annual gathering of the South Carolina Daughters for conference. Mrs. O. K. Mauldin, State Regent,

D. A. R., presided. The National Society, D. A. R., was represented by Mrs. W. B. Birney, Vice-President General; the National Society, S. A. R., by Major Jones, Vice-President General and State President. The other distinguished guests included Governor Richards, of South Carolina; Lieutenant Governor Thomas B. Butler, and many others. Major Jones made one of the addresses of the occasion and the entire program was of unusual interest.

Major Jones and Mr. John H. Bell, Secretary-Treasurer of the South Carolina Society, S. A. R., went to Rocky Mount, North Carolina, on February 6, upon the occasion of the organization meeting of the new North Carolina Society, S. A. R., details of which have been described elsewhere. Major Jones for five and a half years has labored with uninterrupted zeal to get this society on its feet, as he has done for the same period in South Carolina. Distance made the work discouraging, and the want of a proper local leader. In the securing of the interest and initiative of Mr. Harrison Gray Otis, who has undertaken with such success to organize North Carolina, Major Jones has been most happy and has relinquished the work into the hands of the latter with a feeling of pride and pleasure that such a splendid future is assured and that another star is added in the field of the National Society's galaxy of State Societies.

Tennessee Society.—John Sevier Chapter, of Chattanooga, held its annual meeting on December 1. An interesting program was presented and much enthusiasm aroused. The officers elected for the following year are: Gen. Clarence S. Steward, President; Clarence T. Jones and Thomas S. Myers, Vice-Presidents; Willard Keen, Secretary-Registrar; Charles L. Hall, Jr., Treasurer; Junius B. French, Chancellor; Dr. Raymond Wallace, Surgeon; Adolph S. Ochs, Historian; Clarence R. Avery, Chaplain. The chapter has set itself a membership goal of 100, to be reached by March 1.

ISAAC SHELBY CHAPTER, Humboldt, held on February 22 a joint meeting with Clement Scott Chapter, D. A. R., at the home of Mrs. J. W. McGlathery. A program of brief addresses and patriotic music was enjoyed.

Vice-President Dudley S. Tanner, of Mount Pleasant, has located near Gordonville, the grave of Captain Ambrose Blackburn, a Revolutionary Soldier, who was the ancestor of Mrs. Harry Hyman, Honorary State Regent of Texas, D. A. R. This grave will be marked with appropriate ceremony in the early summer.

On February 22 a metting was held at the Richland Hotel, in Pulaski, at which a tentative chapter organization was formed. Vice-President Thomas A. Jones, of the State Society, has taken the initiative in this movement and it is hoped a permanent active chapter will result. Vice-President Dudley S. Tanner, of Mount Pleasant, was the speaker of the evening and the banquet was attended by members from Columbia, Mt. Pleasant, and Fayetteville. Vice-President General Frederick W. Millspaugh was also a guest of honor and speaker. Twenty-six citizens of Pulaski are the nucleus for this new chapter and will compose its charter membership.

Utah Society.—Hon. Franklin Riter was unanimously elected President of the Utah Society at the annual meeting, held in Salt Lake City, December 27, 1927, and Hon. Malcolm A. Keyser was unanimously elected Vice-President. Other officers elected were: Secretary, Capt. Gordon L. Hutchins; Treasurer, Lorenzo Richards; Registrar, C. P. Overfield; Chaplain-Archdeacon, William F. Bulkley; Historian, R. Murray Stewart. Honorary Vice-Presidents for life were elected, being the three surviving charter members, Gen. George H. Penrose, who is

the founder of the Utah Society, Judge Morris L. Ritchie, and Dr. Elias S.

The Utah Society enters into the year 1928 with very great promise. President Riter is one of the foremost lawyers of Utah and Vice-President Keyser is a former President of the Chamber of Commerce of Salt Lake City and a business executive of prominence in the State of Utah.

President and Mrs. Riter entertained the compatriots of the Utah Society and their wives at a reception tendered in honor of the Society at their spacious home in Salt Lake City on February 22. The receiving line consisted of President and Mrs. Riter, Vice-President and Mrs. Keyser, and Director General and Mrs. Chauncey P. Overfield, and the reception was a brilliant function and one of the most delightful in the history of the Utah Society.

Medals for patriotic oratory are being given very generally throughout the State of Utah at the various colleges and high schools of the State. The official medal of the National Society is very generally used and is much admired and treasured by the successful contestants.

Vermont Society.—The Vermont Society has taken a prominent part during the past year in the 150th anniversary of the Independence of Vermont and of the Battle of Bennington. Three memorials of permanent value have been issued to commemorate these events-two by the United States Government and the third by the Vermont State Sesquicentennial Commission. The first of these is the Vermont-Bennington half dollar. The second memorial is called the "Green Mountain Boy Stamp" and is one of the most artistic United States postage stamps ever issued. The third is a die-struck medal of bronze bearing upon one side the design of Fay's Tavern, where the council of war was held immediately before the Battle of Bennington. On a ribbon entwined among the laurel leaves of the border is inscribed the names of 14 of the heroes who participated in that battle. The Vermont Society held its annual meeting Tuesday, February 21, at Hotel Vermont, Burlington.—From the Massachusetts Society, S. A. R., Bulletin.

At the annual meeting Vice-President Hamilton presided in the absence of the President, Mortimer R. Proctor. Reports of the officers and committees were received. A Committee on Nominations reported the following list of officers, who were, upon ballot, elected: President, Mortimer R. Proctor, of Proctor; Vice-President, Dr. James M. Hamilton, of Rutland; Secretary, Walter H. Crockett; Treasurer, Clarence L. Smith; Registrar, Harry S. Howard; Historian, Walter H. Crockett; Chaplain, Rev. Isaac Chipman Smart, D. D., all of Burlington. Board of Managers: Byron N. Clark, Burlington; James F. Dewey, Quechee; Willard B. Howe, Burlington; John O. Baxendale, Burlington; Dr. Henry A. Elliott, Barnet; E. M. Harvey, Monpelier; H. A. Smith, St. Johnsbury. Committees on Audit, Obituaries, and Historical Memorials were appointed.

In the evening the dinner was held at the Hotel Vermont, in which the various patriotic societies of the State participated. The dinner was preceded by a reception held in the hotel parlors. The toastmaster was Hon. Edwin M. Harvey, Governor of the Colonial War Society of the State and a member of the Board of Managers of the Vermont Society, S. A. R. Hon. John E. Weeks, Governor of Vermont, delivered a brief but eloquent address on the character of George Washington. Judge E. M. Harvey and Mrs. Kathryn W. Kittredge, of Springfield, Vt., State Regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution, made brief addresses. Miss Theodora A. Peck, representing the daughters of the War of 1812, read an original poem. Rev. I. D. Smart, D. D., Chaplain of the Vermont Society, Col. John H. Nims, and Col. Robert N. McCuen, formerly State Commander of the American Legion, also spoke briefly.

The principal speaker of the evening was Lieut. Col. Thomas J. Dickson, Chaplain-General, First Division, A. E. F., Washington, D. C., who spoke on "America and Verdun with Homage to New England."

Virginia Society.-The annual meeting of the Virginia Society was held on Washington's Birthday, February 22, 1928, in Richmond. Much important business was transacted by the large number of members present. At 3 p. m. on the same day a most interesting meeting in commemoration of General George Washington took place in the Hall of the House of Delegates, in which various patriotic societies and the Legislature of Virginia participated.

The annual banquet of the Society was held in conjunction with the Sons of the Revolution in Virginia, on the night of February 22, in the Commonwealth Club of Richmond. Major Hotchkiss presided as toastmaster and several compatriots and members of our sister Society spoke on subjects of interest. An enjoyable musical program was rendered during the dinner. The committee in charge of arrangements for the day consisted of Compatriots Thomas Tunstall Adams, Edgar Granville Gunn, and Robert Lecky, Jr.

The semiannual meeting of the Virginia Society was held in Phi Beta Kappa Hall of William and Mary College, Williamsburg, October 19. President E. D. Hotchkiss, of the Virginia Society, presided.

Compatriot Robert Lecky, Jr., of Richmond Chapter, declared that Virginia should lead, the United States co-operate, and France once more be represented on the field of Yorktown with soldiers who fought shoulder to shoulder with American troops, at the celebration in 1931 of the Sesquicentennial of the Surrender of Lord Cornwallis to General Washington at Yorktown. Unanimous resolutions were passed at the meeting for the committee from the S. A. R. to co-operate with the Virginia General Assembly in celebrating this historic event. President Hotchkiss will appoint the committee.

Rev. Miles Colvin Daughtrey, of the Eastern Shore, was named State Chaplain to succeed the late Bishop William Cabell Brown, at this meeting in Williamsburg. Resolutions of sympathy for the family of Bishop Brown were passed.

Lieutenant-Governor Junius E. West, of Virginia, and Charles M. Wallace, Secretary of the Virginia Society, addressed the gathering at Yorktown on October 10, commemorating the surrender of Lord Cornwallis to General Washington in 1781. Compatriot Wallace's address on "America's Debt to Lafayette" was most instructive and interesting and will probably be published in THE MINUTE MAN at an early date.

President General Ernest E. Rogers and Mrs. Rogers visited Richmond in December and were entertained at luncheon in the Jefferson Hotel by Major Elmore D. Hotchkiss, President of the Virginia Society, and Mrs. Hotchkiss. Several compatriots and their wives attended the luncheon.

President Hotchkiss has been named chairman of the National Society Committee on Observance of George Washington's 200th Birthday, 1932; Robert Lecky, Jr., is Secretary, and Dr. J. A. C. Chandler, President of William and Mary College, Williamsburg, is a member.

RICHMOND CHAPTER has inaugurated a movement to erect a suitable monument to the memory of James Madison, Father of the Constitution and fourth President of the United States. A fund will be raised by the S. A. R. and other interested societies and individuals throughout the country to build this memorial

in Richmond, Virginia. The charter for the James Madison Memorial Corporation has been submitted to the State Corporation Commission for approval and popular solicitation of subscriptions to this fund will be started immediately thereafter. Every person contributing at least one dollar shall become a member of the corporation. Compatriot Charles M. Wallace is secretary and treasurer.

At the February meeting of RICHMOND CHAPTER, Secretary General Frank Bartlett Steele and Mrs. Steele were present. Compatriot Steele gave an interesting account of the work of the National Society and expressed his approval of the restoration of historic places in Virginia at the present time, notably old Williamsburg, the Colonial and former State Capitol, which will be made over into its appearance of the days of the Colonial governors. Refreshments were served by the Daughters of the American Revolution, and several musical numbers rendered by local artists. Mrs. Sarah Lee Fain, delegate from Norfolk in the General Assembly, spoke on the value of woman's work and influence in public affairs, and Senator Lloyd Warren, of Portsmouth, made some remarks of historic and present interest.

The following morning the Secretary General and Mrs. Steele were entertained by a drive about the city before leaving for Washington, visiting particularly the John Marshall House and the famous and beautiful Battle Abbey, memorial to Confederate heroes.

The annual meeting of the Norfolk Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, was held in the dining room of the Chamber of Commerce on February 3, resulting in the election of the following officers for the current year: Junius W. Calvert, President; Jerome P. Carr, Vice-President; J. A. Swingley, Secretary-Treasurer; Robert M. Hughes, Historian; W. I. Gilkeson, Registrar. The officers, together with the following members, were named as the Board of Managers: Thos. W. Shelton, Tom Moore, W. G. Womble, T. J. Ackiss, and Dr. Cary E. Via.

The annual Banquet of the Norfolk Chapter was held at the Monticello Hotel Tuesday evening, February 7, at which time a number of distinguished guests were entertained by the Society.

This was Ladies' Night and was well attended. Judge William H. Sargeant, Past President, acted as toastmaster and introduced the speakers. Mr. Frank B. Steele, Secretary General, was a guest of honor and spoke upon the work of the National Society, emphasizing the value of our new Headquarters and the need of increasing membership, especially to offset the insidious work of radical elements. Dr. W. A. R. Goodwin, of Williamsburg, spoke on the remarkable work of restoration of the old Colonial city that is being undertaken there, telling of the initial steps in this plan of procuring title to property, which later will be used on which to rebuild the historic structures of the old days and bring back the semblance of the town of old. Other speakers were Miss Alethe Serpell, Past Vice-President General and Regent of Old Bridge Chapter, D. A. R., who is deeply interested in the Society for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities, and who spoke of the tablet which is to be placed on the London wharf from which sailed the three tiny sloops of adventure which carried the one hundred and five intrepid souls who landed and formed the little settlement at Jamestown, Virginia, in 1607. There were many amusing incidents connected with the efforts to secure permission to place this tablet, which will be unveiled this coming summer. Mr. Robert M. Hughes, Historian of the Chapter, made an interesting address on "Heroic Virginia Women." Patriotic airs were played by an orchestra between the speeches and during the dinner.

Washington Society .- MOUNT VERNON CHAPTER, at Mount Vernon, Washington, meets monthly and endeavors to promote the interests of the Society as well as its small numbers will permit. The President is Allen R. Moore and the Secretary and Treasurer is Howard H. Allen.

The President General, Hon. Ernest E. Rogers, visited the chapters of the State of Washington on November 7 and 8. At Olympia, Jesse Martin Hitt, State Vice-President, arranged the program. Reception by Governor Roland H. Hartley and the Supreme Court of the State. Mrs. Warren Tolman, Past State Regent, D. A. R., gave a tea in his honor. At Tacoma a tea was given in honor of the President General and Mrs. Rogers by Miss Kershaw, sister of President Kershaw, of Tacoma Chapter, after which the President General and his party visited the rose show, which was held in the Winthrop Hotel, Tacoma, at which were displayed varieties of roses grown in Washington in November.

SEATTLE CHAPTER, at Seattle, gave a banquet at the New Washington Hotel on the evening of November 7th, and on the 8th the President General visited the University of Washington and placed a wreath upon the marker of the scion of the Washington Elm. The president of the university being in the east, he was represented by Dean Thompson and Prof. Edmund S. Meany. At the conclusion of these ceremonies Mrs. Rogers was the guest of the combined chapters D. A. R., at Seattle at a luncheon at the Wilsonian, and the President General and Past State Presidents were the guests of the State President at a luncheon at the Arctic Club.

During his stay in the city the President General was shown the Boeing Airplane plant and the port terminals and cold-storage warehouses and docks.

Vice-President General Hunting met the President General at Portland and accompanied him during his visit to our State. The President General's party was welcomed at Tenino, Washington, by the State Reception Committee-Past State President Jesse Martin Hitt, Rev. Ambrose M. Bailey, D. D., and Mrs. Bailey, President Henry J. Gorin and Mrs. Gorin.

The Washington State Society held its annual meeting on Washington's Birthday, at the Chamber of Commerce. Fully 90 per cent of the membership was either present or in touch with the proceedings by voting upon propositions brought before the meeting. The following officers were elected for the ensuing vear: President, William T. Beeks; Vice-Presidents, Harry V. Wurdemann, Jesse M. Hitt, George O. Swasey; Registrar, Walter B. Beals; Historian, John C. Gregory; Secretary-Treasurer, Ira C. Brown; Chaplain, Frederick L. Forbes, D. D.; National Trustee, Henry J. Gorin. Members of Board of Managers: Charles C. Brown, Ernest B. Hussey, Percy B. Hunting, Paul D. Range, George A. Virtue, Elias A. Wright, Henry E. Bacon, Walter F. Meier, and William T. Beeks.

In the evening, at the Gowman Hotel, the annual banquet was held, with a public installation of officers. Past President Harry Denton Moore officiated as installing officer. Compatriot Harry G. Rowland, TACOMA CHAPTER, was toastmaster.

Mr. Herbert Augustine Washington, who was introduced by Compatriot Harry Denton Moore, gave a history of a locket containing the hair of George Washington which he had inherited, and exhibited photographic copies of official documents which proved conclusively that the locket is authentic. This locket was passed into the hands of all present and was received with reverence.

Compatriot A. Scott Bullitt was the speaker of the evening and chose for his

subject the Constitution of the United States, at the conclusion of which Major Bullit received an ovation.

This was one of the most enthusiastic meetings in the history of the Society and was brought to a close by all pledging themselves to use every effort to increase the membership and to reduce the delinquent list to the irreducible minimum.

SEATTLE CHAPTER elected the following officers on February 22: President, Elias A. Wright; Treasurer, Major Ira C. Brown; Secretary, Clarence L. Gere.

West Virginia Society.—Under the auspices of George Rogers Clark Chapter, No. 1, of the West Virginia Society, S. A. R., and the Daniel Davisson Chapter, D. A. R., of Clarksburg, a very fine observance of the 196th anniversary of the birth of George Washington was held in the auditorium of the Washington Irving High School, that city, on the evening of February 22. The members of the Sons of the Revolution were also special guests of the occasion. The meeting was presided over by Compatriot Hon. Harvey W. Harmer, formerly State Senator, as chairman, and notable addresses were made by Judge J. C. McWhorter, of Buckhannon; Homer W. Williams, and Hon. Haymond Maxwell, of Clarksburg, each treating of Washington as statesman, as soldier, and as citizen, respectively. Judge McWhorter alluded to Washington as a matchless leader, with dauntless courage and never-failing patriotism, and declared that to besmirch his character was to endanger the ideals by which the Republic lives.

Judge Maxwell dwelt on the statesmanship of Washington, paying eloquent tribute to him as one who had led the disgruntled colonies into unity and cooperation. Mr. Williams was particularly severe in his denunciation of the modern-day effort to play to the sensational and yellow in booklore and journalism by magnifying personal faults and defects which in real truth were incidental and not constitutional in life and mean nothing in final analysis of character, and declared that such efforts only enshrine our American hero more firmly in our hearts. The program was further enhanced by the interspersing of patriotic orchestral and vocal musical selections.

Resolutions were introduced endorsing the bills now pending in Congress favoring the erection of the Memorial Lighthouse to George Rogers Clark and for greater restriction of immigration and were unanimously adopted. The chapter held an executive meeting on January 27 to formulate plans for the above observance.

Wisconsin Society.—E. B. Heimstreet, Secretary of the Wisconsin Society, has located another grave of a Revolutionary Soldier in Wisconsin. A list of other such graves was published in a recent issue of The Minute Man. Eli Pierce, born in 1762, in England, enlisted in January, 1776, with Col. Zippett's Rhode Island Minute Men; furloughed in June, 1776; transferred to Amasa Soper's Co. of Colonials and served three years; was in the battle of Monmouth; was allowed a pension April 20, 1818. He died on the 26th day of December, 1852, at Whitewater, Wisconsin. He married Polly Lyon, of Woodford, Vermont, who also received a pension. Mr. Pierce is buried in the old burying ground near the old Ward school. The Sons of the American Revolution will repair and decorate the lot and put up a marble headstone next spring.

The Wisconsin Society has a favorable outlook for the coming year. An executive meeting of the Society was held in Milwaukee on February 2 to make plans for the annual meeting and banquet on February 22. Secretary Heimstreet reported five new members since the last meeting. Plans for raising Wisconsin's quota for the benefit of the National Headquarters Building were discussed and much interest in this project was expressed.



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### QUESTIONS

(326) CALDWELL.—Wanted: Information to identify the Revolutionary War service of one John Caldwell, my ancestor, who was certainly at Valley Forge. His daughter was born at Kinderhook, New York, and members of the family were scattered about that vicinity and across the line in Massachusetts. Among the New York troops and the Massachusetts troops of that section there appeared four John Caldwells, but I cannot determine which one was my ancestor. Is there any record of New York and Massachusetts troops who served at Valley Forge? (J. A. R.)

[Note.—"Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors of the Revolution" or "Saffell's Soldiers of the Revolutionary War" may possibly help the inquirer; also, inquiry addressed to the Commissioner of Pensions, and to The Adjutant General, War Department, Washington, D. C., may afford information.— Editor.]

(327) **BROWN.**—Wanted: Ancestry of James Wythe Brown and Green (or Greenbury) Brown. I am a great-grandson of Jethro Brown, of Raleigh, North Carolina, and a large number of relatives who emigrated to Texas from Caswell County, North Carolina, would be interested, as there is some confusion in the data which we have. (J. H. H.)

(328) **SEARS.**—Wanted: Record of the Revolutionary War service (if any) on the part of William Bernard Sears, born (1732) in London, England, who came while a young man to America and settled near Centreville, Fairfax County, Virginia. He was an architect and surveyor and superintended the erection of many edifices in Virginia; was reputed to have been a cousin of General Charles Lee, and there has been a Lee or a Washington Sears in every generation to the present. He married Elizabeth Whaley (1751-1823), daughter of James and Ann (Talbot) Whaley. (W. S. H.)

(329) MORRIS.—Wanted: Revolutionary War ancestry of David Morris (born 1796), who married Nancy Cooper (born 1801), and died at an advanced age. The family appears to have had connections in Maryland and in Fayette County, Ohio. (W. D. M.)

(330) I. HOLMES .- Wanted: Name of the father of Frederic Clinton Holmes, born (1828) at Portage, New York; killed (1862) at the battle of Harrisonburg, Pennsylvania. His mother was Phœbe Van Liew, daughter of Conrad Van Liew.

2. DODGE.—Wanted: Names of the parents of Augustus Dodge, born (1796)

at Newport, New York; died (1879) at Pike, New York.

3. RICE.-Wanted: Parentage of Eliphalet Rice, a Revolutionary soldier, born (1747) at Ashford, Connecticut; died (1819) at Homer, Cortland County, New York. (E. D. H.)

(331) WEST-MORRIS-FULTON.—Wanted: Ancestry, military services, and personal history of Benjamin West, whose sister Mary married Jonathan Morris and settled (1747) in Chester County, Pennsylvania; also, ancestry, etc., of Jona-

than Morris.

David Morris (born 1766) was the son of Jonathan Morris, and married (1790) Mary Fulton, sister of Robert Fulton. Would appreciate information, also, about

said David Morris and the Fulton family. (D. Y. B.)

(332) PENFIELD.—Wanted: Date and place of death of Samuel Penfield, a Revolutionary soldier, born (1735) at Branford, Connecticut; married (1758), at Meriden, Connecticut, Rebecca Scovil (born 1740), and had issue: Jesse (1759), married (1782) Mary Upson; Samuel (1761); Abigail (1764); Denison (1766); John (1768); Asahel (1770), married Eunice Mather; Elizabeth (1772); Rebecca (1775); Hannah (1777); Phebe (1779); Mintie (1783), and Jeremiah (1785), married (1806) Jemima Parkis. (C. E. B.)

(333) HIATT-CARTER-MAXWELL.—Wanted: Names of parents and grandparents of the following: Uriah Hiatt, born (1806) in Highland County, Ohio; died in Morgan County, Indiana; married (1841) Angelina Carter, daughter of Joshua Carter (son of Nathaniel) and his wife, Elizabeth Maxwell (daughter of James and Sarah Maxwell). These families came from Virginia to Highland

and other Ohio counties. (T. H. S. S.)

(334) THOMAS-ZELL.-Wanted: Birth and parentage of Susan Thomas (died 1857) and her husband, Anthony Zell (died 1848), of Lower Merion Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. (M. L. L.)

(335) I. BRADLEE.-Wanted: Information on the descendants, in the first and second generations, of Captain John Bradlee, of the Revolution, whose grave in Milton, Suffolk County, Massachusetts, is indicated by a monument with the

official S. A. R. grave-marker. 2. HEWES .- Wanted: Parentage of Helen Hewes, who married Henry Thorpe Turton and lived in Brooklyn, New York. She was descended from the Hewes family that resided in Suffolk County, Massachusetts, during the Revolutionary period and was a great-granddaughter of Captain John Bradlee aforesaid. (G.L.K.)

(336) PRICE.-Wanted: Ancestry of William Caswell Price, of Virginia, who married (date unknown) Margaret McNeece. The family is supposed to have come from Delaware, and William Caswell Price is believed to have been the son of a Revolutionary patriot. (F. F. L.)

(337) HUGHES.-Wanted: Ancestry of Elizabeth Hughes (born 1738)), of Maryland, who married (about 1765) Jeremiah Stokes and who is said to have been a sister of "the military officer, - Hughes, who was detailed to bandage the eyes of Major Andre prior to his execution." (T. G.)

(338) I. YATES.-Wanted: Parentage and ancestry of John Yates and his wife, Eleanor Mitchell Yates, who moved (1810) from Maryland to Leitchfield, near Grayson Springs, Kentucky, and whose son, Robert Elliott Yates, served in the War of 1812 and the Kentucky Legislature in 1814.

- 2. JENNINGS.—Wanted: Parentage and ancestry of John Jennings, of Virginia, grandfather of Eleanor Mitchell Yates. His brother Daniel came over from Birmingham, England, to Virginia, and thence removed to Sumter, South Carolina, where he enlisted for service in the Revolution.
- 3. WOODWARD.-Wanted: Parentage and ancestry of Thomas Woodward, who defended Charleston against the British attack under Sir Peter Parker, and after whom the D. A. R. Chapter of Winnsboro, South Carolina, was named. (E. Q. Y.)
- (339) HEWES.—Wanted: Information regarding the children and grandchildren of George Robert Twelves Hewes, who was a member of the Boston Tea Party. I wish to establish a connection between him and Helen Hewes, who married Henry Turton and resided in Brooklyn, New York. (G. L. K.)
- (340) TUGGLES.—Wanted: To ascertain where Henry Tuggles is buried and whether his grave is marked. He was a private in Captain James Franklin's Company, also designated as Captain Clough Sheldon's Company, in a regiment known as the 10th Virginia until about September, 1778, and after that date as the 6th Virginia. He enlisted November 26, 1776, and was discharged November 7, 1779. (L. B. M.)

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- (341) I. CHEW.—Wanted: Information as follows: Nathaniel Chew (died (1731) of Gloucester County, New Jersey, married Mary ---, and left issue: Richard, Jeffrey, Joseph, Nathaniel, Susannah, Mary, Priscilla. The maiden name of the widow Mary (---) Chew, who married (1734) Jeffrey Clark, is wanted.
- 2. JOHNSON-VANNEMAN.-Wanted: Ancestry of Margaret Johnson (or Giljohnson), who married, in October, 1605, Garret Vanneman, of Gloucester County, New Jersey, one of the signers of the Concessions and a member of Captain Abraham Enloyes' company of Penn's Neck Militia.
- 3. VAN KULIN.—Wanted: Ancestry of Lydia Van Culin (Kulin), believed to have been daughter of Jacobus Van Culin, freeholder of Gloucester County, New Jersey. She married (1724), at Trinity Church (Raccoon), Swedesboro, New Jersey, Jacob Mattson, alias Dahlbo, constable of Gloucester County.
- 4. DENNY.—Wanted: Ancestry of Thomas Denny, who married (about 1712) Maria Justice (Justisson, Gustaffson) and died (1744) in Gloucester County, New Jersey. Issue: Catharine, Maria, Elizabeth, Gunilla, Christina, and Thomas, who was sheriff of Gloucester County in 1797.
- 5. STEELMAN.-Wanted: Surname of Sarah -, first wife of Jonas Steelman (1760-1842), a native of Swedesboro, New Jersey, by whom she had issue: Charles, James, and Elizabeth Steelman. Jonas Steelman married (2) Mary Sweeten.
- 6. **HENDRICKSON.**—Wanted: Information as to parentage and wife of Albert Hendrickson (died 1715), of Chester County, Pennsylvania, who served (prior to 1714) as private in Captain John Lloyd's Company of Piles Grove, New Jersey Militia. He left issue: Albertus, James, Tobias, Johannes, Elizabeth, and Isabel. (R. K. C.)
- (342) BULKLEY.—Wanted: Lineage (with dates), Revolutionary record, etc., of — Bulkley, a Connecticut Minute Man (1776), whose son, Joseph Bulkley, was born about 1800. The latter's son, Anthony Bulkley (twice in the Army) married Fannie De Groot, and their son, James Greer Bulkley, of the Navy, married Elizabeth Lent, who had issue: Charles Bulkley, of the Spanish-American

War. The Bulkleys lived at one time in Litchfield, Connecticut, and later in New York. (C. C. W.)

- (343) I. BARRANGER.—Wanted: Place of burial, names of wife and children, and other information relating to George H. Barranger, who lived (1750-1792) near Gold Hill, Rowan County, North Carolina. He was prominent, a member of the Provincial Congress (1775), captain of militia, State Senator and member of Legislature.
- 2. BAKER.—Wanted: Similar information (as above) relating to William Baker, of Northumberland County, Pennsylvania, who once owned a lot in the original town of Sunbury; also lived in Muncy Township and was a Revolutionary soldier. His name appears in the 1790 Census. (A. R. M.)
- (344) I. BABCOCK-ADAMS.—Wanted: Parentage, Revolutionary War record, etc., of John Babcock and his wife, Mary Adams, "cousin of President Adams."
- 2. FOSTER-DRAPER.—Wanted: Parentage, Revolutionary War record, etc., of William Foster and Mary Draper, who were married at Dedham, Massachusetts. (S. B. F.)
- (345) **BARBER.**—Wanted: Revolutionary War record of Valentine Barber, who received for his services a grant of land in Ovid Township, Seneca County, New York. According to family record, he married the sister of General Israel Putnam, but this may be incorrect. He had one son, Jeremiah. (G. B.)
- (346) 1. MOULDER (MOHLER).—Wanted: Parentage and ancestry of Alfred Moulder (Mohler), of Pennsylvania, born 1812, died August 10, 1900; married Sarah Jane Warner, born February 18, 1812, daughter of James Warner, born 1770.
- 2. WARNER.—Wanted: Parentage and ancestry of James Warner, of Massachusetts, born 1779; married Eliza Wadkins.
- 3. DINSMORE.—Wanted: Parentage and ancestry of James Dinsmore, of Glenburn, Maine, born 1792.
- 4. **DRAPER.**—Wanted: Parentage of Nathan Draper, of Massachusetts, descendant of James Draper, who came from England to America in 1647 and settled at Roxbury, Massachusetts; born, June 7, 1764; married Hannah —. What is the name of Nathan Draper's father? Also any other information.
- 5. HARDING.—Wanted: Ancestry of Caleb Harding, of Vermont or Maine, descendant of Israel Harding, of Maine, born 1764. (W. E. D.)
- (347) **WOMACK.**—Wanted: Parentage and Revolutionary War service of Thomas or Thomas A. Womack, born (1740-1745) in Virginia, perhaps in Halifax or Lunenburg counties. He married (about 1766), in Halifax County, Lovisa Rice, and moved (in 1769) to Rowan County, North Carolina, with his wife and two children, where tradition says he took part in the Regulator Movement against British oppression. He later removed to Lincoln and Rutherford counties, North Carolina, and the census of 1790 shows that his widow, Lovisa Womack, with six sons and a daughter, was then head of the family residing in Rutherford County. Three of the sons are known to have been named Abner, William, and James, who moved (1810) to Tennessee.

A fee of five dollars is promised by Mr. George A. Womack, of 1910 North 11th Avenue, Nashville, Tennessee, to the first person sending a certified record establishing the parentage of Thomas or Thomas A. Womack, and

another or additional fee of five dollars to the first person sending a certified record of his services as a soldier in the Revolution. (G. A. W.)

- (348) I. **ELLINGTON.**—Wanted: Information concerning the birth, ancestry, arrival in America, death, wife, and descendants of John Ellington, who married Ellison, at Hempstead, New York, in 1628. He is mentioned (1657) as a brother-in-law of Lawrence Ellison, of Hempstead, in the "History of the Allison Family."
- 2. **ELLINGTON.**—Wanted: Information (as above) concerning John Ellington, who is mentioned (1712) as appointed to survey Ellington's Branch on order of the court of Prince Georges County, Virginia, and at various dates from 1720 to 1739 in said county.
- 3. **ELLINGTON.**—Wanted: Information (as above) and record of marriage of David Ellington, who is mentioned (1732) in the "History of Bristol Parish" (Ferry Chapel Church), Prince Georges County, Virginia. His will (1773), proved in Amelia County, mentions wife Martha and names his children.
- 4. **ELLINGTON.**—Wanted: Information (as above) concerning John Ellington, whose will (1783), proved in Amelia County, Virginia, names children and certain grandchildren.
- 5. **ELLINGTON.**—Wanted: Information concerning David Ellington (born 1741), a Baptist minister (1771) in Amelia County, Virginia, and in Lunenburg County from 1781 to 1791. Was he a son of Lewis Ellington? Wanted: Ancestry, names of wives, brothers, sisters, and descendants.
- 6. **ELLINGTON.**—Wanted: Full information, names of children, and descendants of Daniel Ellington, father of Obedience Ellington, who was married (1764) in Amelia County, Virginia, to Stephen Evans.
- 7. **ELLINGTON.**—Wanted: Full family data concerning the following-named Ellingtons in the Revolution: John (in Virginia Infantry); John (in 10th Pennsylvania); William (in North Carolina Militia); David (in Virginia and North Carolina militia) died (1855), in Morgan County, Kentucky, a pensioner; Ward (in Amelia County, Virginia militia); Simeon (in Georgia militia). (J. S. C. E.)
- (349) McIntire-Leonard.—Wanted: Ancestry, history, and Revolutionary records of William McIntire and his wife, Sarah Leonard, who were married (1780) at West Springfield, Massachusetts, where they lived on the Bates farm, and thence moved (in 1806) to Kinderhook, New York, where they lived on the Deming farm. They had issue: Molah, who married (whom?) and lived at Winsted, Connecticut; Marcia (married?), who taught school at West Springfield; Mary, born (1797) at West Springfield, married (1), in 1815, Philo French, and (2), in 1825, Daniel Stearns, and died (1887) at Berea, Ohio; Daniel, born (1799) at Pittzfield, Massachusetts; died (1870) at Conklin, New York; married (1820) Joanna Howard and had issue. Was there more than this one son? (G. A. S.)
- (350) BARNES.—Wanted: Parentage, dates of birth and death, marriage and name of wife of Matthew Barns (Barnes), who was a farmer near Amagansett, Long Island, died about 1763, and is said to have been a descendant of "Charles, the Schoolmaster." (A. V. B.)
- (351) **SOWASH** (**SOASH**).—Wanted: Revolutionary War record, dates and places of birth, death, and marriage of John Sowash, who married Catherine Thomas; also, date of birth and marriage of their son, David Sowash. It is believed that the said John Sowash was born in Maryland and died in Pennsylvania. (G. W. S.)

#### ANSWERS

(256) I. ROBINSON.—If the writer in the June, 1927 issue of The MINUTE MAN, who answered the Robinson query, will communicate with Mrs. J. E. Robinson, 1411 Main Street, Bloomington, Illinois, who has spent ten years in research work on this family, a considerable amount of information may possibly be obtained through an interchange of data.

(294) 2. SUTHERLAND.—From "Sutherland Records," by Douglas Merritt, State Library, Albany, New York: Roger Sutherland (c. 1720-1798), whose will was proved at Stamford, Connecticut, was the son of William Sutherland, of Bangall, Dutchess County, New York. Roger married (1) Abigail — (died 1752?) and (2) Mary Schofield. He had issue, among others, Hannah Sutherland, and his will may give her husband's name.

From "Ye Historie of Greenwich, Connecticut," by S. P. Mead (page 663): "Roger Sutherland (c. 1719-1798) married (1) Abigail —— (d. 1757) and (2) in 1758 Mary Scofield. He had issue, among others, by first wife, a daughter, Hannah, born March 15, 1751."

From "New York in the Revolution," the following names appear in the Sixth Regiment of Dutchess County Militia: "Captain Roger Souther, Captain Roger Southerland" (mentioned twice).

(294) 4. ADSIT.—From "New York Genealogical and Biographical Record," volume 41, page 181:

Tombstone Inscriptions in Very Old Cemetery One Mile North of Bangall, Dutchess County, New York

Samuel Adsit died April 11, 1806, in his eighty-fourth year. John Adsit died January 20, 1708, in his forty-seventh year.

Elizabeth, wife of John Adsit and late wife of William R. Sutherland, died June 25, 1805, in her fiftieth year.

Deacon Nathan Canfield died July 30, 1803, in his fifty-third year. (C. E. B.) (302) 2. SWOPE.—"The Swope Family," published by Gilbert E. Swope, Newville, Pennsylvania, in 1896, may be seen in any large library, perhaps. I am advised that numerous "Mary Swopes" are mentioned in this book, but none of them married a Thompson and none was a sister of Michael Swope.

The names of two Michael Swopes appear. One was a son of George and Margaret (Huffheim) Swope, who was born (in 1794) near Baltimore and moved to Kentucky, and later to Illinois. He had four sons and one daughter; no Mary connected with this family. Colonel Michael Swope seems to be of another line. He was one of the first settlers of York, Pennsylvania, Judge of the Orphans' Court of York County (1767-1772), member of the Assembly (1768-1776), and was elected by the Assembly to the Council of Safety. He married (1) Mary Spangler and had children, whose names are not given. He married (2) Eva — and had sons, but nothing is said about them. (J. C. C.)

(318) MARKLEY.—The following may prove helpful to the inquirer: One Henry Markley, born (1770) in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, married (1791) Jane, daughter of a Captain Morrison, of the British Navy. Henry Markley died (1832) at Cedar Falls, Iowa, and his wife in 1843. A son, James, was born March 25, 1802, and died June 5, 1871. His son, Henry H. Markley, lives at Edgewater Place, Auburndale, Florida and may be able to give some data. (A. E. H.)

(322) **DUVALL.**—The query by C. A. G. C. interests me. I have some account of Thomas Duvall, who married (1) Nancy Keith and (2) Diana (not Hannah) Davis. Nancy Keith was my great-great-aunt. Thomas Duvall and

Nancy Keith were married in Nelson County, Kentucky, November 10, 1796 (license). She died November 20, 1807, leaving children: Alexander (married Nancy Hinton); John (married Amy Harned, not Annie Barnett); Lydia (married John Cash); Katharine (married Thompson Cash), and Gabriel (married (1) Eleanor Mary McGill and (2) Elizabeth Hynes Slaughter). "C. A. G. C." gives Thomas Duvall by his first wife a daughter, Anna, who is represented as marrying Vardiman Bowles. This is news to me. There was a Vardiman Bowles living, about 90 years ago, in the neighborhood of the Keiths and Duvalls, with wife Anna. I would like to have the proof that she is the daughter of Thomas Duvall and by his first wife, and not the second. My account of Thomas Duvall comes from his descendant who always lived near the Kentucky home of the Duvalls, who gives the children of Thomas Duvall by his second wife as William, Lewis, Jacob, Thomas, Sarah, Ann, and Nellie. Was not Thomas Duvall's daughter Anna by his second wife rather than by first?

In 1911 I received a letter from Robert Slaughter Duvall, aged 72 at that time and a grandson of the above Thomas Duvall, whose information seems to be reliable. He says that the above Thomas Duvall was born in Maryland in 1777 and died in Hardin County, Kentucky, in 1847. He gives the father of Thomas Duvall as one Miles Duvall, who married a Miss — Tarleton. (One of Gabriel Duvall's sons was named Miles.) Miles Duvall was drowned in the Potomac River, after which his widow, with five sons and two daughters, came to Kentucky, probably about 1790, settling first in Nelson County, Thomas later going to Hardin County. The Nelson County, Kentucky, marriage records show the following items:

Sebastian Shehan and Polly Duval, February 26, 1790.
Benjamin Loan and Ann P. R. Duval, January 20, 1792.
John Lewis Duval and Lydia Harte, January 3, 1793.
Abraham Chenoweth and Elenor Duvall, February 19, 1795.
Thomas Duval and Nancy Keith, November 10, 1796.
Jacob Duval and Elizabeth Ricketts, June 22, 1802.
John Huffaker and Precilla Duvall, August 18, 1802.
William P. Duval and Nancy Hynes, October 3, 1804.
Gabriel Duvall and Polly Grable, August 9, 1814.

There are just enough males here to make the five sons of Miles Duvall. I do not know, however, that they are all the sons of Miles. One of the females might be the widow of Miles Duvall. I have always supposed that Miles Duvall was a descendant of the Huguenot Mareen Duvall, but have never found the proof. (A. L. K.)

#### NOTES AND BOOK REVIEWS

"George Washington, Colonial Traveler, 1732-1775," by John C. Fitzpatrick, published by the Bobbs-Merrill Company, of Indianapolis, Indiana, is a recent gift to our National Headquarters library through the courtesy of the publishers. As the reader must observe from the title of the book, Washington began his "travels" very early in life, but the first stages were obviously involuntary and devoid of any remarkable incidents.

The compiler, by means of excerpts mostly from Washington's diary, has reproduced in chronological sequence the complete itinerary of this Virginia gentleman up to the outbreak of the Revolution, with a sufficiency of data and an exactness with respect to dates that might serve as a pattern for versatile lawyers whose business leads them not infrequently to devise alibis for their clients.

Here we find Washington himself telling us nonchalantly and without any apparent sense of shame or any evidences of contrition that he attended the races, placed bets on his favorite horses, played at cards and "treated the ladies." Modern muck-rakers and smart Alecks in a field of so-called literature have attempted to crawl out of their own slimy obscurity and to attract popular attention by publishing and accentuating such incidents in the life of Washington with the object of besmirching his character and his times.

Their efforts, of course, are futile, for we are reminded: Tempora mutant et nos mutamur in illis! The standards of one age should not be applied in condemning the morals or the ethics of another period. We ourselves, living in glass houses, cannot afford to throw stones at the past. If Washington, the gentleman of the old régime, a scion of cavaliers and a member of the colonial gentry class, were permitted to translate himself in the spirit from the dignified and respectable atmosphere of the Federal Republic with which he was familiar into the miasma of this strange modern democracy of ours, where peasants in "Packards," peasants in palaces, peasants in politics and peasants in power thrive and in large measure dictate the policies of government, he would doubtless be glad to retire to the solitudes of Mount Vernon forever. The spirit of the old régime and the spirit of the new order will always remain antipathetic.

"George Washington, Colonial Traveler," is an interesting compilation that is worth reading, and will be welcomed by all students of "Washingtoniana." The book contains a very satisfactory index.

The National Society's library department is greatly indebted to C. Hale Sipe, Esq., of Butler, Pennsylvania, for the gift of a copy of his book, "The Indian Chiefs of Pennsylvania," whose publication was announced in the December issue of The Minute Man.

Mr. Sipe treats the subject of Indian lore and history in an interesting and enlightening manner. The book is a high-grade contribution to the history of the Pennsylvania Indians, their traditions, their conflicts with the white man. It is more than that, for it is also a scholarly contribution to Pennsylvania history and to the history of our country. It is indexed. The price is \$5.00, with a discount of 20 per cent on orders of three copies or more.

"1776," by Jonathan Rawson, has been received by the National Society. The volume is "a day by day story of 1776 as seen and lived by the people of that year"—certainly, a most important year in our country's history!

The genealogy of the "Welles and Allied Families," from Misses Catherine J. and Frances S. Welles, has been presented through the courtesy of the compilers, The American Historical Society, Inc., of New York, N. Y. Beside the historical value of the text, this de luxe edition is a splendid achievement of the printer's and binder's art and mystery. It is illustrated by coats of arms and by engravings of local scenes and landmarks belonging to the English homes of the families whose lineages are traced, in several instances, through royal and noble lines to the days of Charlemagne. This book was published for private distribution.

The genealogy of "Captain John Kirkpatrick of New Jersey" (1739-1822) and of his sisters, by William Clinton Armstrong, has been donated by the author. It is a well-constructed genealogy of a branch of the Kirkpatricks of Wattie's Neach, Scotland, and New Jersey, with an account of the family connections, the Linns, Roys, et al. Indexed and bound in red T cloth, 82 pages, this book may be purchased, at \$3.00 per copy, from William C. Armstrong, Blairstown, N. J.

It is our pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of several other valued gifts to our library, among which we mention: the "Fowke (Fooks) Family," by Herbert

C. Fooks, Esq., of the Baltimore, Md., Bar, from the press of J. W. Stowell Printing Co., Federalsburg, Md.; the "History of John Barns and his Descendants," compiled by Rev. J. A. Barnes, D. D., and Milford E. Barnes, M. D., and donated by the latter; the "History of La Grange College, Ala.," presented by H. W. Hill, secretary of the Alabama State Society, S. A. R.; chart of the "Descendants of James Reed (1710-1799)," an Ulster Scot who settled in what is now Adams County, Pa., compiled and donated by W. B. Reed, of Washington City, and a recently elected member of the D. C. Society.

The publication, in the near future, of the third volume of "Virginia Soldiers of 1776" is promised by the compiler, Louis A. Burgess, of Richmond, Va. Those who are fortunate enough to possess Vols. I and II of this series will recognize

the importance of this announcement.

Compatriot W. Mac. Jones, of Richmond, Va., Genealogist General of the National Society, S. A. R., has transcribed and edited for publication "The Douglas Register," being a detailed record of births, marriages and deaths, together with other interesting notes, as kept by the Rev. William Douglas, from 1750 to 1788. These christenings, marriages and funerals are concerned principally with Northam Parish and Manakin-Town, Goochland County, and with Louisa County, as well as the counties of Albemarle, Chesterfield, Cumberland, Hanover, Henrico, Fluvanna, Orange, Powhatan, Spotsylvania, etc. The Douglas family records will appeal to descendants of the American branch of this family. There is, moreover, an index of Goochland wills up to 1825, and the notes on the Huguenot families that settled at Manakin-Town will be found of especial interest and value. This book is published by J. W. Fergusson and Sons, Richmond, Va., and the subscription price is \$10.00 per copy.

Enlarging upon his pamphlet account of Tryon's Raid on Danbury, in April, 1777, the Battle of Ridgefield and the Battle of Compo, Compatriot James R. Case, of Danbury, Conn., is planning to publish during the summer of 1528, an appendix of over one thousands names of participants in the battles, sufferers during the raid, prisoners taken, etc. There will be photographs, portraits and maps, and any compatriot having ancestors whose names should be on the list mentioned is requested to communicate with Mr. Case, giving the name, rank, residence, nature of the service and also the National S. A. R. number of the writer.

"Gentleman Johnny Burgoyne," being the misadventures of an English general in the Revolution, by F. J. Hudleston, librarian of the British War Office, 367 pages, handsomely bound, and with many illustrations, a bibliography and an index, at the price of \$5.00, is announced by R. V. Coleman, 522 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

The Robinson Genealogical Society, of which Mr. Frederick W. Robinson, 950 Park Square Building, Boston, Mass., is the treasurer, is engaged in publishing data and information concerning the Robinson and allied families.

All persons who are interested in the subject of the "Combattants Français," or French officers and soldiers, etc., who participated in the American Revolution, should communicate with Mr. Paul M. Linebarger, 2006 R Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Francis B. Cerlora. Registrar General.

## In Memoriam

R. Page Aleshire, West Virginia Society, April 25, 1927.
William Hanford Allee, Connecticut Society, April 21, 1927.
Walter Lesene Anders, Oklahoma Society, December 29, 1927.
CLINTON C. Andersy, Illinois Society, December 5, 1927.
Bridgewafer M. Arnold, New Jersey Society, December 3, 1927.
Edward Perry Avery, Connecticut Society, December 29, 1927.
CHARLES H. Baker, New Jersey Society, December 28, 1927.
Edward F. Baker, Pennsylvania Society, November 3, 1927.
Walter S. Baker, New Hampshire Society, December 16, 1927.
Marcus W. Baldwin, District of Columbia Society, —, 1925.
I. Gardder Bartlett, Massachusetts Society, November 11, 1927.
Rev. Charles Elmore Bennet, District of Columbia Society, May 17, 1927.
Adolphid Bruner Bennet, Connecticut Society, October 17, 1927.
Rev. Charles Elmore Bennet, District of Columbia Society, May 17, 1927.
William Bascom Bissell, Connecticut Society, December 30, 1927.
IRA F. Barnard, Pennsylvania Society, December 2, 1927.
William Clark Breckenring, Minesota Society, December 2, 1927.
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MILOSO HALL Brinkerhoff, Ohio Society, September 2, 1927.
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MILOSO E. Bryant, Massachusetts Society, December 16, 1927.
MILLES W. Bullock, Michigan Society, August 14, 1926.
Dr. W. M. Burleson, Michigan Society, August 14, 1926.
Dr. W. M. Burleson, Michigan Society, November 17, 1927.
George F. Card, District of Columbia Society, January 6, 1928.
CHARLES Edward Chapuler, Connecticut Society, Junuary 6, 1928.
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THOMAS J. CHEEK, District of Columbia Society, Junuary 6, 1927.
THOMAS J. CHEEK, District of Columbia Society, Junuary 7, 1927.
George H. Clement, District of Columbia Society, Junuary 27, 1927.
TURLEY COBURN, District of Columbia Society, Movember 7, 1927.
George H. Clement, Distric Frank E. H. Gary, Massachusetts Society, November 17, 1927.
John G. Gerwick, Washington State Society, no date given.
H. B. Gill, Pennsylvania Society, July, 1926.
William Langley Granbery, Tennessee Society, November 29, 1927.
Dr. Lelan O. Green, Illinois Society, December 14, 1927.
Robert Foote Griggs, Connecticut Society, December 18, 1927.
Herbert Spencer Hadley, Missouri Society, December 1, 1927.
Herbert Spencer Hadley, Missouri Society, September 13, 1927.
Herney B. Hawley, Iowa Society, February 4, 1928.
Edwin Lansing Heath, Connecticut Society, January 1, 1928.
William C. Heath, Michigan Society, November 14, 1927.
Elisha Hewitt, Connecticut Society, Innuary 12, 1928.
Colonel Charles S. Hill, U. S. A., New Hampshire Society, September 5, 1927.
Frank W. Hine, Michigan Society, no date given.
Charles E. Holden, Michigan Society, Reptember 9, 1927.
Charles G. Hovatter, Kansas Society, November, 1927.
Harvey Hubbell, Connecticut Society, November, 1927.
Norman Fairbanks Hutchinson, District of Columbia Society, December 21, 1924.
Gideon S. Ives, Minnesota Society, December, 1927.
Dr. James M. Jackson, District of Columbia Society, —, 1925.

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Charles H. Jonas, District of Columbia Society, May 4, 1926.
Frank H. Jonas, New Jersey Society, December 19, 1927.
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Frank Gilman Krilog, Massachusetts Society, September 7, 1927.
Simon Curtis Keffin, Massachusetts Society, September 30, 1927.
Claude F. King, District of Columbia Society, September 30, 1927.
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RICHARD HINKLE LYNCH, Maryland Society, November 12, 1927.
RICHARD HINKLE LYNCH, Maryland Society, May 2, 1927.
ROBERT S. MCCLUER, Kansas Society, April, 1922.
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## ADDITIONS TO MEMBERSHIP

There have been enrolled in the office of the Registrar General from November 30, 1927, to February 22, 1928, 405 new members, distributed as follows: Alabama, 4; Arkansas, 5; California, 8; Connecticut, 47; District of Columbia, 11; Florida, 13; Georgia, 2; Idaho, 2; Illinois, 16; Indiana, 7; Iowa, 8; Kansas, 4; Kentucky, 10; Louisiana, 3; Maine, 4; Maryland, 6; Massachusetts, 8; Michigan, 13; Minnesota, 5; Missouri, 1; Nebraska, 1; New Hampshire, 3; New Jersey, 33; New Mexico, 1; New York, 46; North Carolina, 32; Ohio, 27; Oklahoma, 13; Oregon, 8; Pennsylvania, 13; Rhode Island, 6; South Carolina, 4; South Dakota, 4; Tennessee, 7; Texas, 4; Utah, 3; Vermont, 1; Virginia, 8; Washington, 2; West Virginia, 10; Wyoming, 2.

One hundred and twenty-nine supplemental claims have been approved from the following State Societies: Alabama, 3; Arkansas, 2; California, 2; Colorado, 1; Connecticut, 21; District of Columbia, 11; Florida, 4; Georgia, 2; Illinois, 7; Indiana, 2; Iowa, 1; Kentucky, 1; Louisiana, 2; Maryland, 1; Massachusetts, 4; Michigan, 6; Minnesota, 3; Nebraska, 4; New York, 22; North Carolina, 6; Ohio, 6; Oklahoma, 1; Oregon, 1; Pennsylvania, 2; South Carolina, 3; South Dakota, 1; Tennessee, 1; Texas, 3; Vermont, 2; Virginia, 3; Washington, 1.

## CORRECTIONS

Vol. XXII (Oct., 1927), p. 304: In pedigree of Cornelius N. Pigot (45030), lines 4 and 5, read great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of James Abeel, Quartermaster General in Continental Army, with rank of Colonel.

Vol. XXII (Oct., 1927), p. 305: In pedigree of Edgar Seltzer Reeser (44862), line 2, read Alice June (Seltzer) Reeser instead of Alice Jane, etc. The same correction applies in the case of Warren Mintzer Reeser (*ibid.*).

Vol. XXII (Oct., 1927), p. 340: In pedigree of Myron Thomas Skinner (45207), lines 3 and 4, read great-grandson of *Jonathan Skinner*, Corporal in Conn. Militia. (He was a son of Joseph Skinner.)

Vol. XXII (Dec., 1927), p. 451: In pedigree of Milton Wesson Dickinson (45528), line 2, read Sophia Letitia (Dickinson) Dickinson instead of Sophia Letitia (——) Dickinson.

Vol. XXII (Dec., 1927), p. 463: In pedigree of Hermon Elisha Sullivan (45625), line 2, read grandson of Charles and Mary Reynolds (Miller) Ingersoll.

### **ADDENDA**

As the following records, all of which belong to the March (1927) quarter, were omitted from a later issue of the magazine, they are now published for the first time, in this place.

- EARLE DODGE HOLMES, Casper, Wyo. (43108). Son of Elba De Forest and Catherine (Dodge) Holmes; grandson of Daniel and Adelia Eliza (Newcomb) Dodge; great-grandson of Augustus and Hannah (Darbee) Dodge; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel and Hannah (Kimball) Darbee; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Levi and Abigail (Sissons) Kimball; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of William Sissons, private in Conn. Troops.
- DOUGLASS BAILEY WILLIAMS, Clarksburg, W. Va. (44913). Son of James William and Lena Douglass (Bailey) Williams; grandson of Douglass Moxley and Henrietta (Davisson) Bailey; great-grandson of Granville George and Charlotte (Despard) Davisson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of George Izard and Jemima (Pindall) Davisson; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Daniel Davisson, Major in Va. Militia.
- GEORGE ALVIN WILLIAMS, Clarksburg, W. Va. (44914). Son of James William and Lena Douglass (Bailey) Williams. Same 44913.

- JAMES EDWARD WILSON, Clarksburg, W. Va. (44915). Son of Levin James and Mary Evelyn (Dougherty) Wilson; grandson of John and Mary Dennis Handy (Bowland) Dougherty; great-grandson of John Nairne and Susan (Dixon) Bowland; great-grandson of *Thomas Dixon*, Lieutenant in Md. Militia.
- ROBERT RISSLER WILSON, Clarksburg, W. Va. (44916). Son of Gideon Camden and Louisa Ann (Rissler) Wilson; grandson of Daniel Davisson and Susan (O'Bannon) Wilson; great-grandson of Benjamin Wilson, Captain in Va. Militia.
- FREDERIC GORDON WOOD, Amigo, W. Va. (44917). Son of Joseph Alexander and Harriet (McGraw) Wood; grandson of James Simpson and Ellen (Alexander) Wood; great-grandson of Joel and Roxalena (Morris) Alexander; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Polly (Barnes) Morris, 3rd; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Catharine (Carroll) Morris, 2nd; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of William Morris, Sr., defender of "Fort Morris" on the Great Kanawha River and subsequently on scout duty.
- GEORGE ORVII, LE YOUNG, Buckhannon, W. Va. (44918). Son of William Henry and Elnora (McGee) Young; grandson of Festus and Rachael (Graham) Young; greatgrandson of Robert and Lydia (Gould) Young; greatgrandson of Henry Young, private in Mass. Troops.

## Records of 405 New Members and 129 Supplementals, Approved and Enrolled by the Registrar General from November 30, 1927, to February 22, 1928

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

- BENJAMIN AUSTIN ACKER, N. Y. City, N. Y. (45993). Son of Benjamin Clapp and Maria M. (Hatfield) Acker; grandson of Stephen Ward and Mary R. (Clapp) Acker; great-grandson of John K. and Christina (Acker) Clapp; great-grandson of Benjamin Acker, private in N. Y. Militia.
- CLINTON JAMES AHERN, Jr., Dwight, Ill. (46058). Son of Clinton James and Emma (Romberger) Ahern; grandson of Charles and Nellie (Ensign) Romberger; great-grandson of Edward Hooker and Martha (Hunt) Ensign; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Timothy and Emily Catherine (Robinson) Ensign; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of David and Catherine (Coe) Robinson; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Timothy Robinson, Colonel in Mass. Militia.
- LEWIS ANDREW ALBERTSON, Asbury Park, N. J. (45955). Son. of Charles L. and Adelaide Mary (West) Albertson; grandson of Levi and Caroline E. (Stewart) Albertson; great-grandson of Daniel and Sarah (Harding) Albertson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Abraham Harding, Captain in N. Y. Militia.
- MICHAEL MORRISON ALLISON, Chattanooga, Tenn. (45631). Son of Hugh Lawson White and Mary (Ramsey) Allison; grandson of William Lee and Catherine (——) Allison; great-grandson of *Thomas Allison*, served in N. C. Troops.
- EDWARD ALSTON, Inez, N. C. (46188). Son of Archibald Davis and Missouri Florida (Alston) Alston; grandson of Willis and Sarah Madaline (Potts) Alston (parents of Missouri F.), Nicholas Faulcon and Elizabeth Crawford (Davis) Alston (parents of Archibald D.); great-grandson of John Alston (father of Willis), Captain in N. C. Line; Joshua Potts, Captain in N. C. Troops and deputy Quartermaster, Archibald and Elizabeth (Hilliard) Davis, private and musician in N. C. Troops (pensioned); great<sup>8</sup>-grandson of Isaac Hilliard, Captain in N. C. Troops.
- SAMUEL MORGAN ALVORD, Bolton, Conn. (45675). Son of Elijah Anson and Cynthia Ann (Warner) Alvord; grandson of Martin and Martha Burleigh (Clark) Alvord, Ashbel and Hannah (Morgan) Warner; great-grandson of Saul and Eleanor (Kellogg) Alvord, Jr., Cornet in Conn. Light Horse and member of Committees of Bolton, Conn.; Joseph Clark, private in Conn. Troops, Ichabod Mape and Mary (Talcott) Warner; great-grandson of Saul Alvord, Sr., Corporal in Conn. Troops, member of Bolton Town Committees; Martin Kellogg, Captain in Conn. Militia; William Talcott, Lieutenant in Conn. Troops.
- CLAYTON ROBERT ANDERSON, Albion, N. Y. (45983). Son of William Hamilton and Alta Roxanna (Root) Anderson; grandson of Warren and Phoebe Ann (Fuller) Root:

- great-grandson of Lyman and Roxanna (Barnum) Fuller; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Reuben and Polly (Cash) Fuller; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Stephen Fuller, Captain in Conn. Forces in Wyoming Valley, Pa., Campaign.
- GEORGE WILLIAM ANGELL, Medford, Mass. (45772). Son of William H. and Carrie Belle (Lapping) Angell; grandson of John William and Mary Jane (Lasher) Angell; great-grandson of Nelson and Jane (Lasher) Angell; great-grandson of Israel and Honor (Brown) Angell; great-grandson of Israel Angell, Colonel in R. I. Troops.
- WALTER CASE ANTHONY, Newburgh, N. Y. (45990). Son of Theodore V. W. and Mary Hasbrouck (Case) Anthony; grandson of Walter and Sarah (Hasbrouck) Case; great-grandson of Isaac and Hannah (Birdsall) Hasbrouck; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonathan Hasbrouck, Colonel in N. Y. Miltia.
- BENJAMIN BROOKS ARDERY, Paris, Ky. (45561). Son of Sidney Smith and Nannie (Sidener) Ardery; grandson of Lafayette and Anne Elizabeth (Breckenridge) Ardery; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (McConnell) Ardery; great-grandson of John Ardery, private in Pa. Militia.
- EDWARD KIRK ARMSTRONG, Grand Rapids, Mich. (45537). Son of Edward Ames and Lillian Eliza (Kirk) Armstrong; grandson of Newton Thorne and Mary Electa (Wolcott) Kirk; great-grandson of Oliver Ellsworth and Eliza (Woodruff) Wolcott; great-grandson of Abiathar and Mary (Warner) Wolcott; great-grandson of Samuel Wolcott, Captain (subsequently, Major) in Mass. Militia.
- LLOYD VAN HORN ARMSTRONG, Upper Montclair, N. J. (45475). Son of Jesse Carter and Isa D. (Anderson) Armstrong; grandson of David Smith and Deborah Tabor (Lilly) Anderson; great-grandson of David and Mercy (Childs) Anderson; great-grandson of James Anderson, private in Mass, Troops.
- CHARLES HAMMOND ARRINGTON, Rocky Mount, N. C. (31517). Son of Alfred William and Mary Elizabeth (Hammond) Arrington; grandson of Benjamin Williams and Martha Ann Fluellen (Moore) Arrington; great-grandson of Carter and Rhoda (——) Arrington; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Mourning (Ricks) Arrington; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Arthur Arrington, Staff Officer, and deputy Quartermaster General for N. C.
- FRANK YOUNG ARRINGTON, Rocky Mount, N. C. (31518). Son of Edwin Frank and Georgia (Proctor) Arrington; grandson of Benjamin Williams and Martha Ann Fluellen (Moore) Arrington. Same as 31517.
- ROBERT LEE ARRINGTON, Rocky Mount, N. C. (46189). Son of Benjamin Frank and Cora (Tyree) Arrington; grandson of Joseph and Sarah Rebecca (Moore) Arrington; great-grandson of Alfred Williams and Martha (Williams) Moore; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James Moore, sailor on N. C. privateer schooner "Hannah."
- SAMUEL LEWIS ARRINGTON, Rocky Mount, N. C. (31519). Son of Thomas Mann and Florence (Avera) Arrington; grandson of Archibald H. and Catherine E. (Wimberley) Arrington; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Nicholson) Arrington; great-grandson of Arthur Arrington, Staff Officer, and deputy Quartermaster General for N. C.
- HARRIS HARRINGTON ASHMAN, West Barrington, R. I. (45056). Son of Peter and Amando Matilda (Harrington) Ashman; grandson of John and Ruth Ann (Camburn) Harrington; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Marple) Camburn; great\*grandson of Isaiah Marple, private in N. J. Militia.
- BERT MILTON ATKINSON, St. Augustine, Fla. (44085). Son of W. Y. and Susan Cobb (Milton) Atkinson; grandson of W. H. and Lucy Hall (Hearn) Milton; great-grandson of John and Susan Amanda (Cobb) Milton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Homer V. and Elizabeth Jane (Robinson) Milton; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John Milton, Captain in Ga. Continental Troops, Aide-de-Camp to Generals Lincoln and Marion.
- THOMAS ARRINGTON AVERA, Rocky Mount, N. C. (31520). Son of Harlow Dibble and Mary Tempie (Arrington) Avera; grandson of Benjamin Williams and Martha Ann Fluellen (Moore) Arrington. Same as 31517.
- WILLIAM WHITEHEAD AVERA, Rocky Mount, N. C. (31521). Son of Harlow Dibble and Mary Tempie (Arrington) Avera; grandson of Benjamin Williams and Martha Ann Fluellen (Moore) Arrington. Same as 31517.
- JAMES EDWIN AYRES, Sioux Falls, S. D. (43261). Son of Amos Edwin and Lucy Margaret (Hoskins) Ayres; grandson of James Edwin and Mary Luella (Gould) Ayres; great-grandson of William Augustus and Almira Seymour (Platt) Ayres; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Ann (Greenly) Ayres; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Ebenezer and Thankful (Lockwood) Ayres; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Jonathan Ayres, Corporal in Conn. Troops,

- SAMUEL HUTCHINS BACK, Danielson, Conn. (46076). Son of Harry E. and Ena Davenport (Hutchins) Back; grandson of Roscius and Harriet Cutler (Robbins) Back, Samuel and Ellen Maria (Weatherhead) Hutchins; great-grandson of William A. and Mary Rosebrooks (Wallis) Robbins, Lucius and Sophia (Moore) Back, Theophilus and Joanna (Paine) Hutchins; great-grandson of Ebenezer Robbins, private in Conn. Militia and Rangers, David and Persis (Rosebrooks) Wallis, private in Mass. Militia, Samuel and Amy (Whiton) Moore, Judah and Elizabeth (Abbey) Back, Peleg Paine, private, Corporal and Sergeant in Mass. Troops; great-grandson of John Rosebrooks, private in Mass. Troops, John Moore, private in Conn. Troops, Judah Back, Lieutenant in Conn. Militia.
- HERBERT HOLDEN BACON, Indianapolis, Ind. (44147). Son of Charles Sumner and Blanche (Holden) Bacon; grandson of William Sherman and Elizabeth (Roseberry) Bacon, Charles Nathaniel and Martha A. E. (Wheeler) Holden; great-grandson of Jonathan and Huldah (Davis) Bacon, Nathaniel and Rhoda Maria (Longley) Holden; great-grandson of Jonathan Bacon, Corporal in Mass. Troops, Stephen and Rhoda Parker) Longley; great-grandson of Joshua Longley, private in Mass Troops.
- EMERSON DONLEY BAKER, Tulsa, Okla. (46001). Son of William Arthur and Genevra Jane (Donley) Baker; grandson of Benjamin Franklin and Sarah Ann (Hurst) Baker; great-grandson of Charles and Almira (Hunt) Baker; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel and Betty (Tiffany) Baker; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Herman Baker, private in Mass. Troops.
- HERBERT PERCY BAKER, Elizabeth, N. J. (45970). Son of Abram P. and Rebecca (Bowie) Baker; grandson of Barnabas and Polly (Chafee) Baker; great-grandson of Abner Baker, private in Mass. Troops.
- WILLIAM ELI BAKER, Elkins, W. Va. (45272). Son of Eli and Margaret (Sexton) Baker; grandson of Isaac and Maria (Stalnaker) Baker; great-grandson of Adam and Naomi (Morgan) Stalnaker; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Zedekiah Morgan, teamster in Conn. Quartermaster's Department.
- EGBERT HENRY BALLARD, Swampscott, Mass. (45766). Son of Henry Miles and Sarah Maria (Davis) Ballard; grandson of William E. and Samantha E. (Wood) Davis; greatgrandson of Kennison Morrison and Cynthia M. (Root) Davis; greatgrandson of Jared and Betsy (Lester) Root; greatgrandson of Azariah Root, Lieutenant Colonel in Mass. Troops.
- JAMES BRYAN BANISTER, East Orange, N. J. (45956). Son of James Albert and Lydia Slater (Birdsall) Banister; grandson of Isaac and Cynthia (Baird) Banister; great-grandson of William and Elizabeth (Vail) Baird; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Benjamin Vail, Captain in N. Y. Militia.
- GEORGE HORACE BARBER, Neb. (38517). Supplementals. Son of Horace Kimball and Martha Elizabeth (Reed) Barber; grandson of Calvin and Polly Brooks (Hall) Barber; great-grandson of *Thomas Barber*, private in Conn. Militia, *Jonathan* and Mary (Kimball) Hall, Jr., private in Conn. Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan* and Mary (Stow) Hall, Sr., private in Mass. Troops; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Abner Stow, Corporal in Mass. Minute Men.
- FRANCIS ALEXANDER DUNCAN BARNES, New Rochelle, N. Y. (45951). Son of Coleman and Queen Victoria (Noble) Barnes; grandson of Francis Colgate and Charlotte A. (Townsend) Barnes; great-grandson of William E. and Lavania M. (Townsend) Barnes; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Horace and Rebecca Brush (Cornell) Townsend; great<sup>3</sup>grandson of William Cornell, Ensign in N. Y. Militia.
- IRVING HOWARD BARNETT, Sand Springs, Okla. (43499). Son of George W. and Sallie Adams (Howard) Barnett; grandson of William and Martha (Adams) Howard; great-grandson of Samuel and Ellen R. (Barnett) Adams; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Adams, private in Va. Continental Line.
- OTTO RAYMOND BARNETT, Glencoe, Ill. (46051). Son of Theodore J. and Eugenia Maria (Hodge) Barnett; grandson of Philander and Eugenia Maria (Barker) Hodge; great-grandson of William and Sally (Abbott) Hodge; great\*-grandson of Benjamin Hodge, private in Conn. Troops.
- TYLER EMERSON BARRETT, N. Y. City, N. Y. (45795). Son of Charles Watson and Anna Tyler (Lovering) Barrett; grandson of Augustus and Sarah Jane (Emerson) Barrett, John Leonard and Ellen A. (Tyler) Lovering; great-grandson of Peter and Nancy (Lynde) Barrett, George and Almira (Sprague) Emerson, John and Hannah Porter (Pease) Lovering, Austin and Almira (Kingsbury) Tyler; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph

- Barrett, Jr., Minute Man in Mass. Troops, Benjamin and Mary (Sprague) Lynde, Minute Man in Mass. Troops, William and Mary (Vinton) Emerson, private in Mass Troops, Simeon and Sarah (Sanborn) Lovering, private in N. H. Troops (pensioned), Samuel and Sarah (Porter) Pease, private in Vt. Troops, Daniel and Hannah (Bailey) Kingsbury, Phineas and Sarah (Fuller) Sprague; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Joseph Lynde, Minute Man in Mass. Troops, Thomas Emerson, Minute Man in Mass. Troops, John Lovering, private in N. H. Troops, Christopher Pease, private in Vt. Militia, Samuel Porter, private in Conn. Troops, Reuben Sanborn, private in Vt. Militia, Ebenezer Bailey, signer of Association Test in Westmoreland, N. H. (1776), Daniel and Mary (Thurston) Kingsbury, Lieutenant in N. H. Troops, Phineas and Jemima (Burditt) Sprague, private in Mass. Troops; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Phineas Sprague, Captain in Mass. Troops (at Lexington), Daniel Kingsbury, private in Mass. Troops.
- JOHN WILLIAM BARTHOLOMEW, Lakewood, Ohio (46230). Son of Nelson M. and Irene (Moore) Bartholomew; grandson of William C. and Polly (Johnson) Bartholomew; great-grandson of Benjamin Johnson, sergeant in Conn. Troops. Pensioned.
- HYMAN LLEWELLYN BATTLE, Rocky Mount, N. C. (31513). Son of Thomas Hall and Sallie (Hyman) Battle; grandson of Kemp Plummer and Martha Ann (——) Battle; great-grandson of William Horn and Lucy Martin (Plummer) Battle; great-grandson of Joel and Mary Palmer (Johnston) Battle; great-grandson of William and Charity (Horn) Battle; great-grandson of Elisha Battle, member of N. C. Provincial Congress, delegate to N. C. State Convention, member of Committee of Safety for Edgecombe County, N. C.
- IVAN PROCTER BATTLE, Rocky Mount, N. C. (46184). Son of George Cullen and Lizzie (Philips) Battle; grandson of Joseph Sumner and Mary Ann (Horne) Battle; great-grandson of Jethro and Martha (Lane) Battle; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Elisha Battle, delegate to N. C. Provincial Congress.
- KEMP DAVIS BATTLE, Rocky Mount, N. C. (31514). Son of Thomas Hall and Elizabeth Mershon (Davis) Battle; grandson of Kemp Plummer and Martha Ann (——) Battle. Same as 31513.
- THOMAS HALL BATTLE, Rocky Mount, N. C. (31515). Son of Kemp Plummer and Martha Ann (----) Battle. Same as 31513.
- PHILIP ROHRER BECHER, Dayton, Ohio (45811). Son of Gustav and Easter (Rohrer) Becher; grandson of Samuel H. and Harriet (Wiggin) Rohrer; great-grandson of Samuel and Rebecca (Wise) Rohrer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Christian and Maria (Forrer) Rohrer, Jr.; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Christian Rohrer, Sr., private in Pa. Militia.
- WALTER WHITNEY BEERS, Md. (38644). Supplemental. Son of William and Garaphelia Gallatin (Howard) Beers; grandson of Abel and Elizabeth (Whitney) Beers; great-grandson of David Beers, private in Conn. Militia.
- JOHN WESLEY BEESON, Ga. (36850). Supplemental. Son of William Baker and Mary Ann Frances (Sibert) Beeson; grandson of David and Elizabeth (Cook) Sibert; greatgrandson of John Sebert, private in Ga. Troops.
- ULRICH RISCHE BEESON, Waldo, Ark. (37949). Son of Jesse Dentler and Clara (Rische) Beeson; grandson of Harmon Vedder and Rachel Lowry (Rupp) Beeson; great-grandson of William and Eva (Vedder) Beeson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Henry Beeson, patriot, built blockhouse and supplied flour for American Army.
- ALPHONSO WALLACE BELCHER, Winthrop, Mass. (45767). Son of John Wesley and Helen F. (Chase) Belcher; grandson of Samuel and Mary (Whiting) Belcher; greatgrandson of Joseph and Rachel (Shute) Belcher; greatgrandson of Jonathan Belcher. Minute Man and member of the Guard at Pullen Poynte, Chelsea, Mass., April 19, 1775.
- ARTHUR INSLEE BENNETT, East Orange, N. J. (45957). Son of Horace T. and Carrie E. (Vanderhoof) Bennett; grandson of James G. and Margaret (Prudden) Vanderhoof; great-grandson of Moses and Sarah Ann (Snyder) Prudden, Jr.; great-grandson of Moses and Bethia (Miller) Prudden; great-grandson of Moses Prudden, Lieutenant in N. J. Militia.
- BYARD WILMARTH BENNETT, South Orange, N. J. (45958). Son of Horace T. and Carrie E. (Vanderhoof) Bennett. Same as 45957.
- WILLIAM WARDLAW BENSON, Decatur, Ala. (45477). Son of Joseph P. and Mary E. (Ramsey) Benson; grandson of James Key and Lucy (Drake) Benson; great-grandson of William Benson, private in S. C. Militia, Adjutant in S. C. Troops.

- WILLIAM SPENCER BENTLEY, Sioux Falls, S. D. (43262). Son of Isaac and Alma Euphema (Smith) Bentley; grandson of Randall Spencer and Helen Ogilvie (Scott) Bentley; great-grandson of William and Hannah (Gardner?) Bentley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Caleb Bentley, private in R. I. Militia.
- LEIGH BAMBER BERGEN, Paterson, N. J. (45952). Son of Joseph A. and Mercedes (Bamber) Bergen; grandson of William L. and Carmine (Goetschius) Bamber; greatgrandson of John H. and Mary Ann (Berry) Goetschius; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jacob and Hannah (Banta) Goetschius; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Johann Mauritius Goetschius, Major in N. J. Troops.
- COURTICE HAVENS BERRY, Hartford, Conn. (46117). Son of Samuel Havens and Mary Jane (Courtice) Berry; grandson of Thomas R. and Alice Maria (Havens) Berry; great-grandson of Samuel H. and Eliza (Welles) Havens; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Henry and Ruth Hale (Wright) Welles; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Elijah Welles, private in Conn. Troops.
- VICTOR SAMUEL BETTS, Wilton, Conn. (46077). Son of Samuel and Harriett Frances (Jennings) Betts; grandson of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Gregory) Betts; great-grandson of Elijah and Betsey (Patchen) Betts; great\*-grandson of Elijah Betts, private in Conn. Militia.
- CHARLES ELBERT BIBY, Pinckneyville, Ill. (45157). Son of Elbert Wilson and Elizabeth Ann (Corder) Biby; grandson of William Azariah and Harriet Evans (Reynolds) Corder; great-grandson of John Allen and Abigail (Baskin) Reynolds; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William Reynolds, private in N. C. Continental Troops.
- FREDERICK ALFRED BOSWORTH, Chicago, Ill. (45059). Son of Alfred Wellington and Elise (Schirmer) Bosworth; grandson of Frederick and Melinda (Rice) Bosworth; great-grandson of Frederick Bosworth, private in Mass. Troops.
- FLETCHER PARK BOUTON, St. Petersburg, Fla. (44086). Son of Tilton Clark Hall and Annie Sydney (Whitehouse) Bouton; grandson of Samuel Fletcher and Ann Louisa (Hall) Bouton; great-grandson of Robert and Lucinda S. (Capen) Hall; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James and Ruth Morrill (Abbot) Hall; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Benjamin Abbot, Sergeant in N. H. Troops.
- TILTON CLARK HALL BOUTON, St. Petersburg, Fla. (44087). Son of Samuel Fletcher and Ann Louisa (Hall) Bouton; grandson of Robert and Lucinda S. (Capen) Hall; great-grandson of James and Ruth Morrill (Abbott) Hall; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Benjamin Abbot, Sergeant in N. H. Troops.
- GIBSON BOWLES, Portland, Oregon (45930). Son of Samuel Clark and Edity Clare (Gibson) Bowles; grandson of John Shirley and Elizabeth (Bonnell) Bowles; greatgrandson of Marcus Seneca and Martha (Rifner) Bonnell; greatgrandson of Clark and Elrey (Wykoff) Bonnell; greatgrandson of Aaron Bonnell, private in N. J. State Troops, artificer and private in N. J. Militia.
- WILLIAM HARLOW BRADFORD, Augusta, Me. (45729). Son of William Earle and Nellie (Tobey) Bradford; grandson of William Holmes and Elizabeth (McFarland) Bradford; great-grandson of Elijah and Betsy (Dearborn) McFarland; great-grandson of Josiah and Rebecca (Springer) McFarland; great-grandson of Stutley Springer, private in Mass. (R. I.) Troops.
- NEWTON CASE BRAINARD, Hartford, Conn. (46078). Son of Leverett and Mary (Bulkeley) Brainard; Grandson of Amaziah and Huldah (Foote) Brainard; great-grandson of William Brainard, Ensign in Conn. Troops.
- PETER A. BRANNON, Montgomery, Ala. (45480). Son of George Thomas and Stephie (Green) Brannon; grandson of Stephen Clements and Martha Turner (Bass) Greene; great-grandson of Miles and Martha Wyche (Jackson) Greene; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Drury and Lucy (Myrick) Jackson; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John Myrick, private in Ga. Troops.
- ELWOOD REESE BREISCH, Sr., Cheyenne, Wyo. (43111). Son of Aaron and Elizabeth (Braun) Breisch; grandson of Jacob and Barbara (George) breisch; great-grandson of *Henry Breisch*, private in Pa. Militia.
- CHARLES HARRISON BRELSFORD, Dayton, Ohio (45807). Son of William H. and Sarah (McQuig) Brelsford; grandson of Ezra and Jane (Watkins) Brelsford; greatgrandson of Joshua and Nancy (Colvin) Watkins; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William Watkins, drummer in Md. Continental Line.
- JOHN VANDERBURGH BROADHURST, Salt Lake City, Utah (45086). Son of Robert Allan and Mabel Ralston (Dwight) Broadhurst; grandson of Theodore T. and Helen

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- Vanderburgh (Richardson) Dwight; great-grandson of William A. and Cornelia (Sullivan) Richardson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of George Rogers Clark and Helen (Van Der Burgh) Sullivan; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Henry Van Der Burgh, Captain in N. Y. Troops.
- GEORGE EDWIN BRONSON, Medina, N. Y. (45994). Son of William Henry and Hannah (Minthorn) Bronson; grandson of Edwin Horatio and Editha Sophronia (Savage) Bronson; great-grandson of David and Thankful (Fish) Bronson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David and Ann (Camp) Bronson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Josiah Bronson, private in Conn. Troops.
- ARTHUR S. BROWN, Tilton, N. H. (42288). Son of Hiram C. and Lucinda Jane (Worthen) Brown; grandson of Simeon R. and Louisa K. (Judkins) Brown; great-grandson of Samuel and Hannah (Kimball) Judkins; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jeremiah and Molly (Foote) Kimball; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Reuben Kimball, Captain in N. H. Militia.
- ASHLEY MORSE BROWN, Sioux Falls, S. D. (43259). Son of Marshall Richard and Eloise (Ashley) Brown; grandson of Oliver Perry and Martha Sherman (Vail) Ashley; great-grandson of James Wellington and Rebecca Austin (Sherman) Vail; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Henry and Martha (Denison) Sherman; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John and Rebecca (Austin) Sherman; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Roger Sherman, Signer of the Declaration of Independence, from Rhode Island.
- CLAUDE BENSON BROWN, Syracuse, N. Y. (45984). Son of William Murphy and Frances Elizabeth (Jullien) Brown, Jr.; grandson of William Murphy and Catherine Matilda (Bradley) Brown; great-grandson of Gustavus Alexander Scott and Nancy (Murphy) Brown; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Ann (Scott) Brown; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of William Brown, Surgeon of Va. Flying Camp, Surgeon-General of Hospital and Physician and Director-General of Hospital.
- JOHN DANIEL BRUMBAUGH, Moultria, Ohio (45815). Son of Oliver and Tamzon Celesta (Huston) Brumbaugh; grandson of John Thomas and Catharine (Smith) Huston; great-grandson of John and Averilla Jane (Vandegrift) Huston; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of George and Lydia A. (Hawkins) Vandegrift; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Richard Hawkins, Clerk in the 5th Battalion, Washington County Pa. Militia.
- JOHN GRIER BUCHANAN, Pittsburgh, Pa. (45883). Son of John Jenkins and Ellen (Grier) Buchanan; grandson of James Galloway and Amanda Fitz Allen (Jenkins) Buchanan; great-grandson of George and Mary (Junkin) Buchanan; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph Junkin, Lieutenant in Pa. Militia.
- HORACE DAVIS BUCK, St. Johnsville, N. Y. (46000). Son of Moses and Borredell (Greenwood) Buck; grandson of Joshua and Louisa (Barnes) Buck, Hollis and Cordelia B. (Gower) Greenwood; great-grandson of Moses Buck, private in Mass. Troops, James and Susannah (Norton) Gower; great-grandson of Cornelius and Lydia (Claghorn) Norton; great-grandson of Peter Norton, private in Mass. Troops.
- HUGH STRAIGHT BUFFUM, Cedar Falls, Iowa (45507). Son of Erwin Solomon and Eva N. (Sullivan) Buffum; grandson of Albert Gallatin and Mary (Love) Buffum; greatgrandson of Solomon and Rhoda (Howe) Love; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Moses Howe*, private in Mass. Troops.
- PAUL SANFORD BUNKER, Defiance, Ohio (Maine 45728). Son of Stephen Sans and Euna Rich (Sanford) Bunker; grandson of George Albert and Mary Emma (Mooers) Sanford; great-grandson of Samuel Warren and Lucy (Trowbridge) Sanford; great-grandson of John and Hannah (Colson) Sanford; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Lemont) Sanford; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of John Lemont, Captain in Mass. (Maine) Troops.
- LYLE ROBERTS BURTON, Council Bluffs, Iowa (45509). Son of George Clarence and Cora (Roberts) Burton; grandson of William Whittenham and Jane Abigail (French) Roberts; great-grandson of Alvin Smith and Nancy (Dennis) French; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Ebenezer French, private in Conn. Troops, George and Abigail (Griswold) Dennis; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Isaac Griswold, private in N. H. Troops.
- PHILIP RAYMOND CALDER, Melrose, Mass. (45773). Son of William Edward and Grace Mabel (Oakes) Calder; grandson of William M. and Sarah S. (Pearson) Calder; great-grandson of Robert and Elizabeth (Davis) Calder; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Elizabeth (Lewis) Calder; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Robert and Ann (Davis) Calder; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of William Calder, Captain in Mass. Militia.
- MALCOLM JOHN CAMERON, West New Brighton, N. Y. (45991). Son of John Malcolm and Elizabeth Helen (Fitz Patrick) Cameron; grandson of John and Fanny (Hawkes) Cameron; great-grandson of William and Nancy (Call) Cameron; great-grandson of

- Daniel and Lucy (Ambler) Call; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Jacquelin Ambler, Va. State Treasurer and member of Governor's Council in Revolutionary War.
- GEORGE CLEVELAND CAPEN, Hartford, Conn. (46079). Son of Josiah Cleveland and Alice Lucina (Burr) Capen; grandson of Josiah and Jane (Spencer) Capen; greatgrandson of Josiah and Betsy (Wadsworth) Capen; greatgrandson of Joseph Wadsworth, Captain in Conn. Cavalry, member of Washington's Life Guards and Commissary General in Continental Army.
- CHARLES FORD CARMAN, Berkeley Springs, W. Va. (45273). Son of Thomas C. and Phebe C. (Pruden) Carman; grandson of Ludlow and Euphemia (Kitchel) Pruden; great-grandson of Ford and Elizabeth (McCarty) Kitchel; great-grandson of Abraham Kitchel, delegate to Morris County, N. J. Convention (1775) and member of Committee of Safety.
- FLOYD EUGENE CARPENTER, Adrian, Mich. (45538). Son of Horace Burt and Ida E. (Munn) Carpenter; grandson of Daniel Burt and Laura (Cook) Carpenter; greatgrandson of John Hathorn and Elizabeth (Cook) Carpenter; greatgrandson of Moses Bassett Cook, private in N. Y. Troops.
- JOHN RICHARD CARPENTER, Putnam, Conn. (46080). Son of John and Emily A. (Chandler) Carpenter; grandson of Richard and Cynthia (Walker) Carpenter; great-grandson of William and Cynthia (Hopping) Walker, private in Conn. Troops, pensioned; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Ephraim Walker, private in Mass. Artificers.
- HENRY EWELL CHARLES, Paterson, N. J. (45709). Son of John S. and Mary (Wall) Charles; grandson of John S. and Julia A. (——) Charles; great-grandson of Toplady and Elizabeth Cary (Curtis) Charles; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Edmund and Anne (Cary) Curtis; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Thomas Cary, Captain in Warwick County, Va. Militia.
- WINSOR CHASE, Chicago, Ill. (46060). Son of Winsor and Mary Ann (Clark) Chase; grandson of Abner and Catherine (Curtis) Chase; great-grandson of Abner Chase, private in Mass. Troops.
- EDWARD AUGUSTUS CHASTENEY, Rutherford, N. J. (45959). Son of Edward Augustus and Rebecca Schwerin (Westervelt) Chasteney; grandson of John J. Van Buren and Phoebe Ann (Bogart) Westervelt; great-grandson of Jacobus and Elizabeth (Nagle) Westervelt; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Isaak and Vrontje (Arianse) Westervelt; great<sup>3</sup> grandson of Jacobus Westervelt, private in N. Y. Militia:
- CORNELIUS CHRISTIANCY, Sr., Fla. (39048). Supplementals. Son of Cornelius Evert and Frances W. (Hesser) Christiancy; grandson of Abram Van Eps and Caroline Catherine (Barhydt) Christianse; great-grandson of Cornelius Lewis and Catherine (Clute) Barhydt; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jan Baptist and Catalyntje (Van Vorst) Clute, private in N. Y. Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Peter Clute, private in N. Y. Militia, Jellis Van Vorst, private in N. Y. Militia.
- CORNELIUS CHRISTIANCY, Jr., Allandale, Fla. (44088). Son of Cornelius and Martha Prince (Howes) Christiancy; grandson of Cornelius Evert and Frances W. (Hesser) Christiancy; great-grandson of Abram Van Eps and Caroline Catherine (Barhydt) Christianse; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Evert and Eva (Van Eps) Christianse; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Cornelis Christianse, private in N. Y. Militia.
- AUSTIN HENRY CHURCH, Chagrin Falls, Ohio. (45806). Son of Henry and Martha (Preble) Church, Jr.; grandson of Henry and Clarissa (Sanderson) Church; great-grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (Kellogg) Church; great-grandson of Joseph Church, private in Mass. Troops.
- HARRY CORNELIUS CLAIR, JR., Portland, Oregon (45931). Son of Harry Cornelius and Clara Rebecca (Logan) Clair; grandson of Charles Radcliffe and Sylvia (Keeler) Logan; great-grandson of Lewis and Rebecca (Stevens) Keeler; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Luke and Jemina (Benedict) Keeler; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Phineas Keeler*, private in Conn. Troops.
- JOHN LAWRENCE CLARK, Ellicott City, Md. (45246). 'Son of James and Elizabeth Roberta (Booker) Clark; grandson of William Thomas and Mildred Ann (Lee) Booker; great-grandson of Peter and Nancy (Fowler) Booker; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Edward Booker, Captain in Va. Militia.
- I.F.E. D. CLARK, Calif. (44462). Supplemental. Son of William Squire and Cecilia (Griffin) Clark; grandson of Jonathan and Maria (Ryan) Clark; great-grandson of Jonathan and Catherine (Jonas) Clark; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Clark*, Captain in N. J. Continental Artillery.

- MILTON EDMUND CLARK, Pensacola, Fla. (44089). Son of William Edgar and Clifford (Fulcher) Clark; graandson of Edmund Murphey and Louisa Catherine (Matthews) Clark; great-grandson of Charles and Sara (Murphey) Clark; great-grandson of Charles Clark, Ensign in N. J. State Troops.
- LLOYD KENNETH CLEVELAND, Traverse City, Mich. (45539). Son of Lyndon King and Lottie A. Jenkins) Cleveland; grandson of Daniel and Emily Monroe (Cornwell) Cleveland; great-grandson of Enoch and Parmelia (Jenney) Cleveland; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Solomon Cleveland, private in Conn. Troops, pensioned.
- CHARLES B. CLINGMAN, Union Grove, Wis. (46061). Son of William M. and Mary (Siegfried) Clingman; grandson of Josiah and Maria (Simpson) Clingman; great-grandson of George W. and Mary (Bright) Clingman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Michael Clingman, Captain in Pa. Militia.
- FREDERICK AMES COATES, Quincy, Mass. (45774). Son of William Henry and Mary Catherine (Ames) Coates; grandson of Bernice Darwin and Sarah Etta (King) Ames; great-grandson of Alfred and Deborah (Dow) Ames; great-grandson of Barnabas Ames, private in Vt. Militia.
- EDWARD WORTHINGTON COCKEY, Baltimore, Md. (45244.) Son of Joshua Frederick and Nannie (Talbott) Cockey; grandson of Adam Denmead and Mary Ann (Cockey) Talbott; great-grandson of Joshua Frederick Cockey and Eliza (Denmead) Talbott; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Edward and Frances (Thwaites) Talbott; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Edward Talbott, member of Committee of Observation for Baltimore County, Md.
- WILLIAM DAWSON COFER, Bluefield, W. Va. (45274). Son of Pleasant Dudley and Caroline R. (Garrett) Cofer; grandson of George and Frances (Dawson) Cofer; greatgrandson of Robert Dawson, Sergeant in Va. Troops.
- WILLIAM OSBORNE COFER, Bluefield, W. Va. (45275). Son of William Dawson and Elizabeth (Fleshman) Cofer; grandson of James Paschal Leigh and Martha T. (Bailey) Fleshman; great-grandson of Simeon Buford and Ann (Leigh) Fleshman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Benjamin and Delilah (Shirley) Fleshman; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of James Shirley, private in Va. Troops.
- RICHARD WILLIAM COGSWELL, Bridgeport, Conn. (46081). Son of Richard Baldwin and Lucy Maria (Alexander) Cogswell; grandson of Edwin Lawrence and Sarah C. (Lawrence) Cogswell; great-grandson of Richard Colt and Electa (Lawrence) Cogswell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Benjamin Cogswell, private in Conn. Troops.
- REDMOND SELECMAN COLE, Tulsa, Okla. (43495). Son of James Buchanan and Virginia Lee (Bedford) Cole; grandson of Alexander Marshall and Mary (Selecman) Bedford; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth Burke (Howard) Bedford, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Mary Ann (Marshall) Bedford, Sr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Bedford*, member of Committee of Safety, Charlotte County, Va.
- BEVERLY PRESTON COLEMAN, Norfolk, Va. (45710). Son of Edward N. and Cora Virginia (Almand) Coleman; grandson of Ferdinand G. and Elizabeth (Phillips) Coleman; great-grandson of Elliott Coleman, private in Va. Militia.
- FRANK HARVEY COOK, Newark, N. J. (45971). Son of Thomas H. and Ruth Ann Man (Sloan) Cook; grandson of John and Ruth (Man) Sloan; great-grandson of Joseph Man, Jr., private in Mass. Troops.
- SETH ABRAHAM COOK, Minn. (43062). Supplemental. Son of William and Margaret (Gifford) Cook; grandson of Jesse and Sarah (Marshall) Gifford; great-grandson of Benjamin Marshall, private in Va. Militia. Pensioned.
- HARRY HERBERT CORSON, Nashville, Tenn. (45628). Son of Harry Herbert and Sadie (McGuire) Corson; grandson of John and Jane Mary (Burrows) Corson; greatgrandson of Samuel and Christiania (Bryson) Burrows; great²-grandson of John Burrows, express rider in N. J. Continental service. Pensioned.
- JOHN BRUCE COX, El Dorado, Ark. (37947). Son of Charles Wilkins and Carrie (Bruce) Cox; grandson of John Thomas and Catharin (Rowan) Cox; great-grandson of Isaac and Lydia (Cazort) Cox; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Sarah (Clark) Cox; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Isaac Cox, Sergeant in N. J. Troops. Pensioned.
- LEROY PALMER COX, Westerly, R. I. (45057). Son of Leroy F. and Clara (Anderson) Cox; grandson of James and Christiana V. (Bricker) Anderson; great-grandson of Frederick and Catherine (Haupt) Bricker; great-grandson of Valentine Haupt, Jr., Captain in Pa. Militia.

- WILLIAM RADFORD COYLE, Bethlehem, Pa. (45884). Son of Randolph and Mary Lovel (Radford) Coyle; grandson of Randolph and Jane Jackson (Moore) Coyle; greatgrandson of Alexander and Ann Margaret (West) Moore; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Roger and Marianne (Craik) West; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of James Craik, Chief Physician and Surgeon of Continental Army.
- FRANCIS HOPKINSON CRAIGHILL, Rocky Mount, N. C. (31522). Son of James Brown and Margaret Susan (Smith) Craighill; grandson of William Gilmor and Elizabeth Upshur (Bowdoin) Smith; great-grandson of Isaac and Maria (Hopkinson) Smith; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Francis Hopkinson, member of the Continental Congress and signer of the Declaration of Independence from New Jersey.
- WILLARD HODGE CRAWFORD, Toledo, Ohio (45824). Son of Zachariah H. and Elta (Shinn) Crawford; grandson of David and Sarah (Webb) Crawford; great-grandson of Isam and Elizabeth (Cassady) Webb; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Cassady*, private in Va. Line.
- RODMAN CRUTCHFIELD, Pikeville, Ky. (45554). Son of Andrew J. and Elizabeth Lee (Watts) Crutchfield; grandson of Willie and Mary Jane (Hawkins) Watts; great-grandson of Dabney and Jane (Watts) Hawkins; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William Strother and Katherine (Gallehue) Hawkins; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Moses Hawkins, Captain in Va. Militia.
- WOODFORD CRUTCHFIELD, Pikeville, Ky. (45555). Son of Andrew J. and Elizabeth Lee (Watts) Crutchfield. Same as 45554.
- CLARK BRIGGS CUMINGS, Washington, D. C. (45870). Son of Burton Isaac and Alica Maria (Briggs) Cumings; grandson of Daniel Clark and Catherine B. (Woodruff) Briggs; great-grandson of Asa and Lucy (Clark) Briggs, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Asa Briggs, Sr., private and Sergeant in Vt. Troops, also in Naval Service. Pensioned.
- WILLIAM ANDREW CUMMING, Portland, Oreg. (45929). Son of Andrew Mitchell and America (Walters) Cumming; grandson of Paxton and Eliza (Davidson) Cumming; great-grandson of William Mitchell and Elizabeth (Vance) Davidson; great-grandson of David Vance, Lieutenant in N. C. Continental Troops. Pensioned.
- EDWARD HARLOW CURRIER, San Bernardino, Calif. (N. J. 45972). Son of Edward Merrill and Ella (Hooker) Currier; grandson of Arthur Melvin and Mary Ann (Merrill) Currier; great-grandson of Henry Merrill and Hanna (Reed) Currier; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William Currier, private in N. H. Troops.
- WILLIAM FABENS CUSHING, Big Springs, Texas (45420). Son of Louis Thomas and Mary Rebecca (Johnston) Cushing; grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth Adelaide (Baldwin) Cushing; great-grandson of Aaron and Betsy Esther (Marett) Baldwin; great-grandson of Enoch Baldwin, Corporal in Mass Troops.
- WARREN WOOD CUSTIS, Dayton, Ohio (46228). Son of William Oscar and Fannie Rebecca (Wood) Custis; grandson of Nathan S. and Abigail Eddy (Patterson) Wood; great-grandson of Thomas and Rebecca (Hummer) Patterson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Elizabeth (McFarland) Patterson; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John Patterson, Captain in Pa. Troops.
- MILLS COLGATE DAUGHTREY, Va. (45106). Supplementals. Son of William Lamb and Beatrice Josephine (Hines) Daughtrey; grandson of Mills Copeland and Margaret P. (Beale) Daughtrey, Thomas Colgate and Sarah Augusta (Eppes) Hines; great-grandson of Jesse and Margaret Patience (Lamb) Beale, Hamlin Lee and Christian (Skinner) Eppes, Robert and Nancy Peate (Elliott) Hines; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Richard Lamb, Quartermaster in Va. Continental service, Henry Skinner, private in Va. Troops (pensioned), William Hines, private in Va. Troops.
- CLAUDE BOWMAN DAVIS, Chicago, Ill. (46052). Son of Henry Harris and Anna (Latham) Davis; grandson of Robert Turner and Sarah Ann (Bowman) Latham; greatgrandson of Abraham and Nancy (Gatewood) Bowman; greatgrandson of Abraham Bowman, Colonel in Va. Troops.
- JAMES MADISON DAVIS, D. C. (42806). Supplemental. Son of Thomas Rush and Cinderella (Young) Davis; grandson of William and Elizabeth (Carter) Davis; greatgrandson of James and Jane (——) Davis; great<sup>a</sup>-grandson of David Davis, private in S. C. Militia.
- EDSON HART DEAL, Nampa, Idaho (40625). Son of Willard Wallace and Flora Lucy (Hart) Deal; grandson of Peter Edson and Ann Eliza (Beckwith) Deal; great-grandson

- of John and Barbary (Gruber) Deal; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Conrad Diehl, Sergeant in Pa. Militia.
- WILLARD WALLACE DEAL, Nampa, Idaho (40624). Son of Peter Edson and Ann Eliza (Beckwith) Deal; grandson of John and Barbary (Gruber) Deal; great-grandson of Conrad Diehl, Sergeant in Pa. Militia.
- IRA HAMIL/TON DEAN, Rock Springs, Wyo. (43112). Son of George and Jane (Hamilton) Dean; grandson of James Kelsey and Mary Ann (Post) Dean; great-grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (Barrows) Dean; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Solomon and Prudence Wales (Moulton) Barrows; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Barrows*, Lieutenant in Conn. Troops.
- RICHARD GARRET DEMAREST, JR., Bridgeport, Conn. (46082). Son of Richard Garret and Mary Esther Wright (Smith) Demarest; grandson of Richard Garret and Ellen (Stites) Demarest; great-grandson of William and Sarah (Rush) Stites; great-grandson of William Stites, private in N. J. Militia.
- EDWARD BRADFORD DENCH, New York City, N. Y. (45796). Son of Josiah Bradford and Frances (Lester) Dench; grandson of Isaac and Sarah F. (Bradford) Dench; greatgrandson of Isaac and Martha (Bent) Dench; greatgrandson of Gilbert Dench, Captain in Mass. Militia.
- WILLIAM LESTER DENCH, New York City, N. Y. (45797). Son of Josiah Bradford and Frances (Lester) Dench. Same as 45796.
- MILTON COLES DODD, Millburn, N. J. (45973). Son of Milton Coles and Mary Mason (Reynolds) Dodd; grandson of Bethuel Lewis and Susan E. (Jaques) Dodd; great-grandson of Lewis and Elizabeth (Baldwin) Dodd; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Matthias Dodd; private in N. J. Militia.
- FRANK HAYES DODDS, Buffalo, N. Y. (45985). Son of William Johnston and Mary (Hayes) Dodds; grandson of Samuel and Elizabeth (Johnston) Dodds; great-grandson of Joseph Dodds, Jr., Lieutenant in Pa. Troops.
- FRANCIS CLYDE DOUDS, St. Petersburg, Fla. (44090). Son of Joseph Clyde and Pamelia Adelaide (Rice) Douds; grandson of Allen Briggs and Frances Sophia (Hastings) Rice; great-grandson of Barnabas and Pamelia (Fox) Hastings; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonathan Hastings, Corporal in Mass. Troops.
- WILLIAM TRUMAN DRURY, Frankfort, Ky. (45562). Son of George H. and Lou Ellen (Harris) Drury; grandson of William Truman and Virginia (Pratt) Harris; greatgrandson of James Brookbank and Louisa (Thompson) Pratt; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William Pratt, Sergeant in Md. Troops.
- FRANCIS MARION DURHAM, Columbia, S. C. (44418). Son of John Woodward and Mary Wagner (Mobley) Durham; grandson of John Woodward and Margaret Daniel (Turner) Durham; great-grandson of John and Cynthia (Woodward) Durham; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Charnel Durham, Captain in S. C. Troops.
- WILLIAM HOFFER EARNEST, Harrisburg, Pa. (45885). Son of Napoleon and Mary A. (Hoffer) Earnest; grandson of William and Leah (Desh) Earnest; great-grandson of John and Catharine (Rahm) Earnest; great-grandson of Christopher Earnest, private in Pa. Troops, John Michael and Sophia (Ross) Rahm, Court Martial man in Pa. Militia; great-grandson of Conrad Rahm, Corporal in Pa. "German Regiment."
- HENRY WIRT THOMAS EGLIN, Fortress Monroe, Va. (45861). Son of Benjamin and Anne (Thomas) Eglin; grandson of Henry Wirt and Julia (Jackson) Thomas; greatgrandson of John Henry and Margaret (Dailey) Thomas; greatgrandson of John Thomas, private in Morgan's Va. Regiment.
- FREDERICK OTHO EICHELBERGER, Dayton, Ohio (45822). Son of Daniel Arthur and Anna Neil (Crum) Eichelberger; grandson of Daniel and Eliza Ann (Rouzer) Eichelberger; great-grandson of John and Katherine (Zimmerman) Eichelberger; great-grandson of John (Frederick) Eichelberger, private in Pa. Rifle and Militia Troops.
- NATHANIEL THOMAS ENNETT, Richmond, Va. (45706). Son of George Noble and Lucretia Ann (Borden) Ennett; grandson of Barclay Dulaney and Margaret Dulaney (Chadwick) Borden; great-grandson of William and Ann M. (Dulaney) Borden; greatgrandson of William Borden, member of N. C. Provincial Congress (1776).
- LAMAR EPPERLY, Bluefield, W. Va. (46026). Son of John and Elizabeth Ellen (Akers) Epperly; grandson of George and Nancy (Shanks) Akers; great-grandson of Blackburn and Elizabeth (Lesueur) Akers; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Martel Lesueur, private in Va. State Troops. Pensioned.

- W. KENNEY ERDMAN, New York, N. Y. (Ky. 45556). Son of Ernest and Lizzie (Kenney) Erdman; grandson of William McCreary and Juliet (Porter) Kenney, Jr.; greatgrandson of William McCreary and Ann (Smith) Kenney; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Matthew and Elizabeth (Huston) Kenney; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of James Houston, private in Va. Militia.
- WALTER COURTNEY EUWER, Upper Marlboro, Md. (D. C. 45871). Son of Walter D. and Anna M. (Courtney) Euwer; grandson of David M. and Violetta L. (Fox) Courtney; great-grandson of Samuel and Maria (Moylan) Fox; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Stephan Moylan, Aide to General Washington, Colonel in Continental Dragoons until close of war.
- JOSEPH SHELLEY FAIRBANKS, Stamford, Conn. (46083). Son of William Henry and Catherine (Shelley) Fairbanks; grandson of Andrew Graham and Sarah (Chapin) Fairbanks; great-grandson of David and Sarah (Graham) Fairbanks; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel Fairbanks, private in Conn. Line.
- EDGAR WINTHROP FARWELL, Brockton, Mass. (45768). Son of George and Martha J. (Packard) Farwell; grandson of Nelson and Martha P. (Ames) Packard; greatgrandson of Luke and Lucinda (Battles) Packard; greatgrandson of Josiah and Rebecca (Perkins) Packard, Jr.; greatgrandson of Josiah Packard, Captain in Mass. Troops.
- ROBERT FLAGG, Syracuse, N. Y. (45793). Son of Henry and Lovina (Sanders) Flagg; grandson of Peter and Betsy (Moore) Flagg, Jr.; great-grandson of Peter Flagg, private in N. Y. Troops. Pensioned.
- ROBERT CUSTIS FLESHMAN, Bluefield, W. Va. (46027). Son of James Paschal Leigh and Martha Thomas (Bailey) Fleshmann; grandson of Simeon Buford and Ann (Leigh) Fleshman; great-grandson of Paschal Greenhill and Elizabeth A. (Scott) Leigh; great-grandson of John Leigh, Sergeant in Va. Line.
- ROBERT SMITH FOSS, Laconia, N. H. (42286). Son of Robert W. and Eliza W. (Jones) Foss; grandson of Robert and Hannah (Hill) Foss; great-grandson of *Jeremiah Foss*, private in N. H. Militia.
- DEAN EDWARD FOSTER, Tulsa, Okla. (43500). Son of George Dalphin and Elizabeth P. (Dean) Foster; grandson of Daniel Hawkins and Mary E. (Anderson) Dean; greatgrandson of George Crossman and Dolly (Bennett) Dean; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Abiatha and Freelove (Hawkins) Dean; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Daniel Hawkins, Captain in N. H. Militia.
- WYGANT DuBOIS FOWLER, Newburgh, N. Y. (45992). Son of Henry DuBois and Anna (DuBois) Fowler; grandson of Peter Van Benschoten and Eliza (DuBois) Fowler; greatgrandson of Caleb and Catharine (Sebring) Fowler; greatgrandson of Isaac Fowler, Jr., signer of Goshen, N. Y., Association (1775), Lieutenant in Orange County, N. Y., Militia.
- EUGENE CARLTON FOX, Birmingham, Mich. (45545). Son of Horace Eugene and Grace (Buck) Fox; grandson of Curtis and Elizabeth (McRae) Buck; great-grandson of Cyrus Curtis and Laura Hollister (Newton) Buck; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel Beebe and Harriett (Fairchild) Buck; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of James Buck, Captain in Conn. Militia.
- WILBUR RUSSELL FREEMAN, Crawford, N. J. (45974). Son of William Henry and Rose Nellie (Russell) Freeman; grandson of William Chadwick and Mary Catherine (Hammond) Freeman; great-grandson of Edmond and Elizabeth (Chadwick) Freeman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Edmond and Sabra (Allen) Freeman; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Silas Freeman, private in N. J. Troops.
- RAYMOND DANIEL, FULLER, Waterport, N. Y. (45977). Son of George and Mary Elizabeth (McKennan) Fuller; grandson of David and Joan (Sebring) Fuller; greatgrandson of John and Hannah (Jagger) Fuller; greatgrandson of John and Amy (Shaw) Fuller; greatgrandson of Stephen Fuller, Captain in Conn. Forces in Wyoming Valley, Pa., Campaign.
- GUY GEORGE GABRIELSON, East Orange, N. J. (45960). Son of Frank August and Ida (Jansen) Gabrielson; grandson of Richard and Laura (Dean) Jansen; great-grandson of Isaac and Charlotte (Lakey) Dean; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James Lakey (Lackey), private in Mass. Troops.
- FREDERICK HAY GANTT, Columbia, S. C. (44419). Son of John Mackall and Ellen Reynolds (Hay) Gantt; grandson of Richard Allen and Mary Louisa (Hay) Gantt; great-grandson of Frederick Jay and Susan Cynthia (Brown) Hay; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Ann Hawkes Hay, Colonel in N. Y. Militia.

- ANDREW PHILLIPPE GATCH, Baltimore, Md. (45248). Son of Milton Wallace and Ida (Phillippe) Gatch; grandson of Francis McCormick and Selina (Barber) Gatch; great-grandson of Emley and Rebecca Paxton (Orr) Barber; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Robert and Sarah (Paxton) Orr; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Thomas Paxton, Lieutenant-Colonel in Pa. Troops.
- WILLIAM NAHUM GATES, Cleveland, Ohio (46231). Son of William Nahum and Ada (Cook) Gates; grandson of Nahum Ball and Sarah Sophia (Monteith) Gates; greatgrandson of John and Abigail (Ball) Gates; greatgrandson of Silas Gates, Captain in Mass. Militia.
- CHARLES CALVIN GILBERT, Nashville, Tenn. (45629). Son of John Calvin and Tranquilla (Gracey) Gilbert; grandson of William Newton Ramsey and Nancy (Sharp) Gracey; great-grandson of John Gracey, private in N. C. Troops. Pensioned.
- GLENN MAYFIELD GOODMAN, Laurel, Miss. (43766). Son of Laurin C. and Minnie (Mayfield) Goodman; grandson of Stephen A. and Mary Elizabeth (Chandler) Mayfield; great-grandson of George Washington and Polly (Cheek) Mayfield; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Stephen Mayfield, private and spy in N. C. Light Horse Troops.
- HARVEY GOODWIN, Hartford, Conn. (46084). Son of Harvey Burdette and Anne (Bramley) Goodwin; grandson of Harvey and Frances Adelia (Elmore) Goodwin; greatgrandson of Pitts and Miriam (Gilbert) Goodwin; great²-grandson of Joseph Gilbert, Sergeant in Conn. Line (pensioned), Ebenezer Goodwin, member of Committee of Inspection, New Hartford, Conn.
- JAMES SAMUEL GORHAM, Rocky Mount, N. C. (46190). Son of Henry Wise and Josephine George (Cherry) Gorham; grandson of Edwin and Mehitabel (Hodges) Gorham; great-grandson of James Gorham, member of Committee of Safety for Pitt County, N. C., delegate to N. C. Provincial Congress at New Bern and Hillsboro, Colonel in N. C. Troops.
- RICHARD SPEIGHT GORHAM, Rocky Mount, N. C. (46191). Son of Frank and Etta (Jenkins) Gorham; grandson of Richard Hodges and Mary (Cherry) Gorham; great-grandson of Edwin and Mehitabel (Hodges) Gorham. Same as 46190.
- ROBERT DIGGS GORHAM, Rocky Mount, N. C. (31523). Son of Edwin and Mary Ann (Wimberley) Gorham; grandson of George Lewis and Frances Jane (Whitfield) Wimberley; great-grandson of George William and Catherine Diggs (Hart) Whitfield; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Richard and Catherine (Diggs) Hart; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Henry Hart, Colonel in N. C. Troops.
- HENRY ALEXANDER GRADY, Clinton, N. C. (46192). Son of Benjamin Franklin and Mary (Bizzell) Grady; grandson of Alexander Outlaw and Nancy (Sloan) Grady, Henry A. and Celestia (Robinson) Bizzell; great-grandson of Henry and Elizabeth (Outlaw) Grady, Gibson and Rachel (Bryan) Sloan, John and Charlotte (Matthews) Robinson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Alexander Grady, private in N. C. Troops, James Outlaw, private in N. C. Troops, William Robinson, Captain in N. C. Militia, Kedar and Mary (Whitfield) Bryan; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Needham Bryan, delegate to N. C. Provincial Congress and member of the Governor's Council.
- CLARENCE CHARLES GRAVES, Chicago, Ill. (46062). Son of Charles Hiram and Fmma (Westfall) Graves; grandson of Hiram Nelson and Mary V. (Cody) Graves; great-grandson of Nelson Horatio and Sally (Rogers) Graves; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Major and Abigail (Lankton) Graves; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Stephen and Ruth (Jerome) Graves; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Zerubbabel Jerome, private in Conn. Troops.
- JOHN EDWARD GRAY, Louisville, Ky. (45563). Son of Calvin and Mary Frances (Coyle) Gray; grandson of Weeden and Harriet (Dixon) Coyle; great-grandson of James and Patsy (Sleet) Coyle; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James Sleet, Sergeant in Va. Troops. Pensioned.
- JOHN ELAM GREELEY, Stillwater, Minn. (45577). Son of Elam and Hannah (Hinman) Greeley; grandson of Judson and Elizabeth (Stickney) Hinman; great-grandson of Eliphalet Stickney, private in Vt. Militia.
- WILLIAM HUGHSON GREEN, Sumter, S. C. (44421). Son of John Thompson and Zadah Bascom (Hughson) Green; grandson of Charles Henry and Elizabeth Jane (Green) Green, John Scott and Eliza Randolph (Turner) Hughson; great-grandson of William and Eliza (McDonald) Green (parents of Jane), John J. and Clementine (Hines) Green (parents of Charles Henry), Shirley Carter and Sarah Lining (Bascom) Turner; great-g

- grandson of John Thompson Green (father of William), Captain in S. C. Troops, John McDonald, private in S. C. Troops (pensioned), Richard Green (father of John J.), Captain in S. C. Troops, Thomas and Eliza (Randolph) Turner; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Robert Randolph, Lieutenant in Va. Continental Dragoons.
- ELIAS POWELL GRIFFIN, Newburgh, N. Y. (45798). Son of Henry I. and Phebe T. (Powell) Griffin; grandson of Charles D. and Ruletta (King) Griffin; great-grandson of Adam and Rachel (Wyatt) Griffin; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel Wyatt, private in N. Y. Militia.
- ALBERT WILLIAM GULLICKSON, Chicago, Ill. (46053). Son of William and Jennie (Cole) Gullickson; grandson of George B. and Mary (Rooney) Cole; great-grandson of Thomas B. and Jane Electa (Mason) Cole; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Russell and Mary (Brayton) Cole; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Freegift Cole, member of Committee to collect provisions for Shaftsbury, Vt., Militia Company.
- JULIUS CALDEEN GUNTER, Colo. (41819). Supplemental. Son of Thomas Montague and Marcella (Jackson) Gunter; grandson of Julius C. and Harriette (McCreary) Jackson; great-grandson of Christopher and Catherine (Rhodes) Jackson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel Jackson, private in N. C. Troops.
- RICHARD LLOYD HALL, Madison, Neb. (43195). Son of Ransom Brissette and Alice (Hardie) Hall; grandson of Julius F. and Zadah (Ransom) Hall; great-grandson of Guy and Elizabeth Ann (Thomas) Ransom; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Calvin Ransom, private in Mass. Troops.
- FRANK KIRKWOOD HALLOCK, Cromwell, Conn. (46085). Son of Winthrop Bailey and Mary Kirkwood (Kent) Hallock; grandson of Samuel Titus and Sarah Constance (Bailey) Hallock; great-grandson of Winthrop and Martha (Stanwood) Bailey; great-grandson of William Stanwood, Lieutenant in Mass. Troops.
- SUMMERS HARDY, Okla. (43488). Supplemental. Son of Henry and Martha Adelaide (Underwood) Hardy; grandson of Robert F. T. and Rebecca (Lindsey) Underwood; great-grandson of John and Bethany (Hammons) Lindsey; great-grandson of John Lindsey, Captain of Horse, Major and Lieutenant-Colonel in S. C. Militia.
- FISHER SANFORD HARRIS, Salt Lake City, Utah (45087). Son of Fisher Sanford and
   (—) Harris; grandson of Nathaniel Freeman and Margaret Susan (Fisher) Harris; great-grandson of Caleb and Mahala Barlow (Cowdrey) Fisher; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of George and Susan (Joynes) Fisher; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John Fisher, Ensign in Va. Continental Line.
- HOWARD HAGAMAN HARRISON, Newark, N. J. (45975). Son of Joseph Todd and Ida Gaston (Amerman) Harrison; grandson of John Todd and Sarah E. (Dow) Harrison; great-grandson of Lewis B. and Catherine (Todd) Harrison; great-grandson of John I. and Ann (Castner) Todd; great-grandson of James Todd, private in N. J. Militia.
- JOSEPH TODD HARRISON, Jr., Newark, N. J. (46251). Son of Joseph Todd and Ida Gaston (Amerman) Harrison. Same as 45975.
- JOSEPH LOUGHERY HAWKINS, Indianapolis, Ind. (44148). Son of Crawford Tucker and Mabel Cordelia (Cross) Hawkins; grandson of Charles A. and Harriet Virginia (Tucker) Hawkins; great-grandson of Robert and Ann Brown (Fatherson) Hawkins; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Benjamin F. and Sarah (Chambers) Hawkins; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John and Sallie (Mason) Hawkins; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Philemon Hawkins, Colonel in N. C. Militia.
- GARRETT SARVENT HENRY, Long Island, N. Y. (46201). Son of William Hamilton and Mary Alice (Sarvent) Henry; grandson of Horatio Morris and Sarah Ann (Nugent) Henry; great-grandson of William Hamilton and Eliza Ann (Neal) Henry; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Hugh Henry, patriot, active in opposition to the British, and signer of Oath of Allegiance at Lancaster, Pa.
- GEORGE A. HERRICK, Waterbury, Neb. (45511). Son of George and Caroline Howe (Raymond) Herrick; grandson of Henry and Elizabeth (Prescott) Herrick; great-grandson of Henry Herrick, Sergeant in Mass. Troops.
- ROBERT WEBSTER HERRICK, Edgewood, R. I. (45058). Son of Frank Ware and Fannie Russell (Benjamin) Herrick; grandson of John Milton and Bettie (Livermore) Benjamin; great-grandson of Samuel and Olivia (Metcalf) Benjamin; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel Benjamin, Lieutenant in Mass. Continental Troops.
- SAMUEL TYLER HEWLETT, Bridgeport, Conn. (46086). Son of George Tyler and Nettie Laura (Wilson) Hewlett; grandson of Valencourt and Imogene (Barnes) Wilson;

- great-grandson of Richard and Luca (Barnes) Wilson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Silas and Rachel (Bishop) Barnes; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Joy Bishop, Jr., private in Conn. Troops.
- DAVID GEORGE HIBBS, Merion, Pa. (45886). Son of George Lacy and Quindaro (Dearth) Hibbs; grandson of John Jackson and Elizabeth (Jackson) Dearth; great-grandson of Maxwell and Tamer (Hibbs) Dearth; great2-grandson of Randolph Dearth (Death), private in Westmoreland County, Pa., Rangers.
- FORD HICKS, Chicago, Ill. (46054)). Son of Melancthon Woolsey and Mary (Van Arman) Hicks; grandson of Melancthon Woolsey and Sarah (Fox) Hicks; great-grandson of Samuel and Polly (Woodward) Hicks; great-grandson of John Hicks, member of Boston, Mass., "Tea Party," killed in retreat from Concord.
- ALLAN SEABURY HIGBIE, Flizabeth, N. J. (45953). Son of Frank Enos and Clara Frances (Winans) Higbie; grandson of Freeman Tucker and Jane H. (Enders) Winans; great-grandson of Meline and Sophia B. (Oliver) Winans; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Moses Winans, private in N. J. Troops.
- ADOLPH BURGE HILL, JR., St. Louis, Mo. (44555). Son of Adolphus Burge and Julia (Hicks) Hill, Sr.; grandson of Alfred Hines and Mary Winston (DeMovelle) Hicks; great-grandson of Robert and Margaret (Acock) Hicks; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Isaac Hicks, private in N. C. Troops.
- BENJAMIN WOOD HILL, Portland, Oregon (45926). Son of Joseph Wood and Jessie Katherine (Adams) Hill; grandson of Joseph Wakeman and Ann Rebecca (Wood) Hill; great-grandson of Wakeman and Eunice (Lyon) Hill; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Seth and Cynthia (Banks) Hill; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Ebenezer Hill, Captain in Conn. Line.
- JAMES BYRON HILLIARD, Rocky Mount, N. C. (31524). Son of Samuel Ruffin and Sallie (Jones) Hilliard; grandson of James Crawford and Mary Ann (Ruffin) Hilliard; great-grandson of Samuel and Mary (Johnston) Ruffin; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonas Johnston, member of N. C. Constitutional Convention, Colonel in N. C. Militia.
- GEORGE HILLYER, JR., Washington, D. C. (45872). Son of George and Ellen Fmily (Cosley) Hillyer; grandson of Junius and Jane S. (Watkins) Hillyer; great-grandson of Shaler and Rebecca (Freeman) Hillyer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Asa Hillyer, private and Surgeon in Conn. Troops. Pensioned.
- JOHN HENDERSON HOFFMAN, Chevy Chase, Md. (D. C. 45865). Son of Leonard Greer and Helen Louise (Draper) Hoffman; grandson of Lemuel James and Mary Edmonia Balmain (Owen) Draper; great-grandson of Andrew and Amy Ellen (Denham) Balmain; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Andrew and Nancy Constant (Washington) Balmain; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John Washington, Captain in Va. Troops.
- JOHN HOLBROOK, Lansing, Mich. (45540). Son of Charles and Ann Eliza (Pinckney) Holbrook; grandson of Benajah and Judith (Badger) Holbrook; great-grandson of Aaron Holbrook, Lieutenant in Mass. Militia, member of Mass. Provincial Congress.
- CHARLES DURKEE HOLCOMBE, N. Y. City, N. Y. (45995). Son of Leander Pierce and Mary (Doley) Holcombe; grandson of Andrew Ensign and Betsy (Nichols) Holcombe; great-grandson of Solomon and Mary (Bushnell) Holcombe; great-grandson of Timothy Holcombe, Lieutenant in Conn. Troops.
- HAROLD GOODWIN HOLCOMBE, Hartford, Conn. (46087). Son of John Marshall and Emily Seymour (Goodwin) Holcombe; grandson of James Huggins and Emily M. (Johnson) Holcombe; great-grandson of Phinehas and Nancy Smith (Huggins) Holcombe, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Phinehas Holcombe, Sr., private in Conn. Troops. Pensioned.
- JOHN MARSHALL, HOLCOMBE, JR., Hartford, Conn. (46088). Son of John Marshall and Emily Seymour (Goodwin) Holcombe. Same as 46087.
- FREDERICK WILLIAM HONENS, Sterling, Ill. (46055). Son of Gustavus Henry and
   Amelia Emily (Clippinger) Honens; grandson of Elias and Rebecca (Potter) Clippinger;
  great-grandson of Anthony Clippinger, private in Pa. Militia.
- BÎRD MORRIS HOPE, Pawnee, Okla. (46004). Son of John Stewart and Margaret Jane (McDonald) Hope; grandson of James and Margaret (Dinsmore) Hope; great-grandson of James Hope, private in Pa. Militia.
- JOSHUA LAWRENCE HORNE, Jr., Rocky Mount, N. C. (46185). Son of Joshua Lawrence and Lula (Parker) Horne; grandson of Joshua Lawrence and Elizabeth (Mercer) Horne; great-grandson of Josia R. and Fannie (Tharp) Horne; great-grandson of Jacob and (—) Horne; great-grandson of Henry Horne, Major in N. C. Troops.

- WILLIAM HENRY HORNE, Rocky Mount, N. C. (46186). Son of John Mercer and Margaret E. (Mercer) Horne; grandson of Joshua Lawrence and Elizabeth (Mercer) Horne. Same as 46185.
- THOMAS ROLAND HORNOR, Bridgeport, W. Va. (45270). Son of William H. and Fannie Maude (Sinclair) Hornor; grandson of Thomas A. and Martha Amelia (Threlkeld) Hornor; great-grandson of John and Judith M. S. P. (Roy) Hornor; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Hornor, patriot, fitted out vessels for the American cause at his own expense.
- JAMES EDWIN HORTON, Athens, Ala. (45481). Son of James E. and Emily (Donelson) Horton; grandson of Daniel Smith and Margaret (Branch) Donelson, Rhodah and Lucy Ann Margaret (Otey) Horton; great-grandson of Samuel and Mary (Smith) Donelson, John and Elizabeth (Foort) Branch, Walter and Mary (Walton) Otey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Donelson, signer of the Va. Bill of Rights and member of the "Hostile House of Va. Burgesses," Daniel Smith, Assistant Deputy Surveyor (from Va.) of the Southern Department of the Army, John Branch, Sr., Lieutenant Colonel in N. C. Militia, John Otey, Captain in Va. Troops.
- CLARENCE ROLAND HOTCHKISS, Portland, Ore. (45932). Son of Charles Frederick and Melissa T. (Taylor) Hotchkiss; grandson of Charles Barnes and Hannah (Prince) Hotchkiss; great-grandson of Ziba and Sally Ann (Washburn) Hotchkiss; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel and Milla (Barnes) Hotchkiss; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel Hotchkiss, private in Conn. Continental Line, Corporal in Conn. Militia and Matross in Conn. Artillery.
- ALMON GUION HOVEY, Scotia, N. Y. (45986). Son of Marshall Whitney and Susan Thorne (Haviland) Hovey; grandson of Charles and Anna Dodge (Baker) Hovey; greatgrandson of William and Prudence Ann (Whitney) Hovey; greatgrandson of Ebenezer Whitney, Sergeant in Mass. Troops. Pensioned.
- PAUL ARTHUR HOXIE, St. Petersburg, Fla. (44091). Son of Albert Eugene and Augusta (Schabel) Hoxie; grandson of John Curtis and Almeda (Davis) Hoxie; great-grandson of Lyman and Lucretia (Curtis) Hoxie, Job Green and Susan (Money) Davis; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Betsey (Nelson) Curtis, Joshua and Amy (Straight) Davis; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John Curtis, Sergeant in Mass. Troops, Job Straight, Captain in R. I. Militia.
- ROBERT BOOKER HUNT, Nashville, Tenn. (45634). Son of I. Cochrane and Lucy (Crowe) Hunt; grandson of William and Elizabeth (McFerran) Crowe; great-grandson of James Martin and Ruth (Brown) McFerran; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Scott and Lucy (Munday) Brown; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Berryman Brown, seaman in Va. State Navy.
- DAVID TAYLOR HYATT, II, Little Rock, Ark. (37950). Son of David Taylor and Diantha (Lewis) Hyatt; grandson of Benjamin C. and Agnes Lavenia (Fee) Hyatt; great-grandson of Robert and Agnes (Nesbit) Fee; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William Nesbit, "Regulator" and private in S. C. Militia.
- ISAAC ILSLEY, Toronto, Ontario, Canada (Maine 45731). Son of Frederick Julian and Nettie E. (Dodge) Ilsley; grandson of Frederick and Charlotte A. (Gordon) Ilsley; great-grandson of Henry and Elizabeth R. (McLellan) Ilsley; great2-grandson of Daniel Ilsley, member of Committee of Correspondence and Safety at Falmouth, Maine, and Major in Maine Troops.
- DAVID ELL,SWORTH JACKMAN, Pittsburgh, Pa. (45887). Son of Jehu R. and Mary (Culbertson) Jackman; grandson of John and Deborah (Stockdale) Jackman; greatgrandson of Robert and Ann (Dixon) Jackman, Jr.; greatgrandson of Robert Jackman, Sr., private, later Captain, in Pa. Malitia.
- RILEY RICHMOND JACKSON, San Diego, Cal. (45830). Son of Harvey Nelson and Cora (Richmond) Jackson; grandson of Riley Sprague and Jane (Hughes) Richmond; great-grandson of Joshua and Abigail (Sprague) Richmond; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Edward Richmond, private in Mass. Troops.
- HENRY FRANKLIN JACOBY, N. Y. City, N. Y. (46202). Son of Samuel R. and Julia A. (Ball) Jacoby; grandson of Benjamin and Clarissa (Dimmick) Ball, Henry and Julia A. (Clarke) Jacoby; great-grandson of John Dimmick, scout in the Northern Army and private in Conn. Troops, John and Eleanor (Green) Clarke; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Green, Lieutenant in Va. Line.
- CHARLES INGERSOLL, JARVIS, New Orleans, La. (43764). Son of Andrew Sanford and Mary J. (Bulkley) Jarvis; grandson of Matthew and Louisa (Godfrey) Bulkley;

- great-grandson of David Ward and Rebecca (Gregory) Bulkley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David and Sarah (Beers) Bulkley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nehemiah Beers*, Sergeant in Conn. Militia.
- ROMEO ALONZO JOHNSON, JR., Jacksonville, Texas (45417). Son of Romeo Alonzo and Mary Muse (Banks) Johnson; grandson of William Lawrence and Magnolia Victoria Augusta (Horton) Banks; great-grandson of Charles and Anne (Muse) Horton; great-grandson of James and Margaret Filhiol (Bourgeat) Muse; great-grandson of Walker (Walter) and Mary (Randall) Muse, Captain in Md. Troops; great-grandson of Thomas Muse, Major in Md. Militia.
- HIRAM DENNETT JONES, Durham, N. C. (46193). Son of Wiley Mason and Mattie Anderson (Guthrie) Jones; grandson of Eppa Dennett and Nancy Katherine (Franklin) Guthrie; great-grandson of John and Martha Jane (Anderson) Franklin; great-grandson of John and Sarah (Calloway) Anderson; great-grandson of Charles Calloway, Captain in Va. Troops. Pensioned.
- LOUIE SCOTT JONES, Buffalo, N. Y. (45794). Son of Noah Hobart and Georgiana Elizabeth (Thayer) Jones; grandson of Amory and Susanna (Taft) Thayer; great-grandson of Asa Thayer, private in Mass. Troops.
- CHAUNCEY LFONARD JOY, Sioux City, Iowa (45512). Son of William L. and Frances A. (Stone) Joy; grandson of Chauncey and Jane (Smith) Stone; great-grandson of Peter and Jerusha (Snow) Stone; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Peter Stone, Sergeant in Mass. Militia.
- DAVID ACHESON KEELER, N. Y. City, N. Y. (46203). Son of James E. and Louise (Campbell) Keeler; grandson of Jacob E. and Mary Jane (English) Keeler; great-grandson of James and Mary Eliza (Ely) English; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Mary (Perrine) English; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of James English, Surgeon's Mate in N. J. State Troops.
- WALTER CLINTON KEELER, Brooklyn, N. Y. (46204). Son of James E. and Louise (Campbell) Keeler. Same as 46203.
- VERNON HOPE KELLAM, Norfolk, Va. (45707). Son of Abel Erastus and Ruth Vernon (Hope) Kellam; grandson of Richard Booker and Louisa Moore (Armistead) Hope, great-grandson of George and Patsy (Booker) Hope; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of George Hope, superintended construction of gunboats for the Va. Navy.
- ELLSWORTH LARKIN KELLEY, Putnam, Conn. (46118). Son of Simon Coburn and Harriet Frances (Emery) Kelley; grandson of Amos and Abigail (Coburn) Kelley; great-grandson of William Somes and Mary (Howe) Kelley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Kelley, signer of Association Test at Atkinson, N. H., in 1776.
- ELMER ELLSWORTH KELLEY, Topeka, Kan. (45158). Son of Albert Deming and Rebecca (McCleister) Kelley; grandson of William and Harriet (Bateman) Kelley; great-grandson of William and Susan (McPherson) Kelley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James Kelley, private in Va. Troops.
- ALBERT BLANCHARD KELLOGG, Claremont, N. H. (42287). Son of Henry Lyman and Nora Emily (Blanchard) Kellogg; grandson of Albert Benjamin and Harriet Elizabeth (Loomis) Kellogg; great-grandson of Hosmer and Amy (Cowles) Kellogg; great-grandson of Ephraim Kellogg, private in Mass. Troops.
- JOSEPH SCRIBNER KELLOGG, Jackson Heights, N. Y. (46205). Son of Frederick Lockwood and Lizzie (Oakey) Kellogg; grandson of Martin and Clarissa Jane (Lockwood) Kellogg; great-grandson of Jarvis and Mercy (Selleck) Kellogg; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jarvis Kellogg, private in Conn. Troops.
- EDWIN STEWART KELLY, Yellow Springs, Ohio (45804). Son of Oliver S. and Ruth (Peck) Kelly; grandson of John and Margaret (McBeth) Kelly; great-grandson of James Kelly, private in Va. Troops. Pensioned.
- WALTER FERDINAND KELSO, Minn. (43988). Supplementals. Son of Harry James and Madge Collier (Young) Kelso; grandson of Ferdinand Woodard and Samantha Evaline (Collier) Young; great-grandson of James and Elizabeth (Sanderson) Collier; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James and Martha (Rutherford) Collier, Captain in Pa. Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John Rutherford, Captain in Pa. Militia.
- JOHN SMITH KENNEDY, Pittsburgh, Pa. (45888). Son of Hugh and Elizabeth (Smith) Kennedy; grandson of Thomas Walker and Margaret (Truesdale) Kennedy; great-

- grandson of Hugh and Rachel (Walker) Truesdale; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Truesdale, private in Pa. Troops.
- WILLIAM CHESTER KENYON, Providence, R. I. (45059). Son of Curtis N. and Annie Caroline (Wilbur) Kenyon; grandson of William Ray and Caroline (Aborn) Wilbur; great-grandson of David and Sarah Brown (Gardner) Wilbur; great-grandson of Thomas Wilbor, private in Mass. Troops.
- HENRY WILDER KEYES, JR., D. C. (44203). Supplemental. Son of Henry Wilder and Frances Parkinson (Wheeler) Keyes; grandson of John Henry and Louise Fuller (Johnson) Wheeler; great-grandson of Melanchthon Gilbert and Frances Cochran (Parkinson) Wheeler, Edward Carleton and Delia Maria (Smith) Johnson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Robert and Elizabeth (Kelso) Parkinson, David and Lucy (Towne) Johnson, Adon and Louise (Fuller) Smith; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Henry Parkinson, Regimental Quartermaster of 1st N. H. Regiment, Regimental Quartermaster in 5th Continental Infantry, John Towne, private in Mass. Troops, Thomas Johnson, Colonel in Vt. Militia, Samuel and Hope (Hunt) Smith; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Abijah Smith, Captain in N. H. Militia.
- H. EARLE KIMBAI, Providence, R. I. (45060). Son of Horace Arnold and Sara Ella (Merewether) Kimball; grandson of Thomas and Sarah Jane (Hicks) Merewether; greatgrandson of Ransom and Nancy (Tompkins) Hicks; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Nathaniel Tompkins, private in R. I. Troops. Pensioned.
- JOHN BRECKENRIDGE KINNEAR, Washington, D. C. (45862). Son of James W. and Charlotte (Fairweather) Kinnear; grandson of Thomas and Maria (Horn) Kinnear; great-grandson of William Kinnear (Kinneard), Matross in the Commissary General of Military Stores Department and private in Pa. Artillery Artificer Corps, Continental Line.
- CYRUS HILLMAN KINSMAN, Grosse Ile, Mich. (45541). Son of Frank Eugene and Florence (Hillman) Kinsman; grandson of Cyrus and Helen D. (Allen) Kinsman; great-grandson of Daniel and Lucy (Munroe) Kinsman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Ebeneser Munroe*, private in Mass. Militia.
- RALPH HENRY KIRKLAND, Tulsa, Okla. (46002). Son of Edward and Anna Thompson (Wilkes) Kirkland; grandson of Ezra and Esther (Brown) Kirkland; great-grandson of George and Sallie (Convis) Kirkland; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William Kirkland, private in N. Y. Troops, Pensioned.
- JOHN WILBUR KNOWLES, Sioux City, Iowa. (45508). Son of Clifton Burr and Emma (Bailey) Knowles; grandson of Wilbur Fisk and Hattie (Frost) Knowles; great-grandson of George Anson and Sarah Avery (Meader) Knowles; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Hannah (Haines) Knowles; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Joseph Knowles, private in N. H. Troops.
- HAROLD ADDISON KOONZ, Jersey City, N. J. (46252). Son of Philip J. and Annie (Crowen) Koonz; grandson of Thomas J. and Susan Hart (Akin) Crowen (name changed); great-grandson of Thomas James and Eleanor (Van Alstyne) Crowe; great-grandson of Martin J. Van Alstyne, scout in N. Y. Service.
- EDWARD JOHNSON LADD, Atlanta, Ga. (46126). Son of Frederick Elisha and Atlanta Gertrude (Johnson) Ladd; grandson of John Wesley and Phebe Ann (Newcomb) Johnson; great-grandson of Simeon Hopkins and Sarah (Bryant) Newcomb; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Elisha and Phebe (Thayer) Newcomb; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Newcomb*, private in Mass. Troops.
- CHARLES ALBERT LAFFERTY, S. D. (38862). Supplemental. Son of William S. and Laura E. (Crumbaugh) Lafferty; grandson of James H. L. and Amanda M. (Buck) Crumbaugh; great-grandson of Henry and Sarah (Baldock) Crumbaugh; great-grandson of Conrad Crumbaugh, private in Pa. Continental Line.
- CHARLES WILBUR LAMAR, Pensacola, Fla. (44092). Son of Lucius Mirabeau and Mary Frances (Rawls) Lamar; grandson of Jefferson Jackson and Rebecca (Lamar) Lamar; great-grandson of John and Rebecca (Lamar) Lamar; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Lamar, served in Ga. Troops.
- FDWARD ALLYN LAMBERT, Bridgeport, Conn. (46119). Son of Henry A. and Cornelia (Rikeman) Lambert; grandson of Edward Richard and Eliza (Booth) Lambert; greatgrandson of Edward Allyn and Ann (Bull) Lambert; greatgrandson of Jeremiah Bull, private in Conn. Troops. Pensioned.
- PAUL REED LAMIELL, Canton, Ohio (45810). Son of John E. and Katherine (Reed) Lamiell; grandson of John P. and Eliza (Dewalt) Reed; great-grandson of John and Mary (Poyser) Reed; great-grandson of Jacob Reed, Jr., private in Pa. Militia.

- JOHN STERLING LA ROWE, University, Va. (N. J. 45961). Son of John S. and Elizabeth F. (Quaid) La Rowe, Sr.; grandson of Phineas and — (Busenberry) La Rowe; great-grandson of Samuel and Abigail (Ott) La Rowe; great2-grandson of Joseph and Deborah (Hart) Ott; great3-grandson of John Hart, signer of the Declaration of Independence, from N. J.
- MAURICE C. LATTA, Sioux City, Iowa (45513). Son of Walter L. and Amelda (Carson) Latta; grandson of James McConnalo and Anna Jane (Kendall) Latta; great-grandson of William and Martha Jane (McFarland) Kendall; great2-grandson of Robert and Ann (Gibson) Kendall; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of James Gibson, Captain in Pa. Militia.
- CARY HARLING LATTIN, Albion, N. Y. (45978). Son of Nahum Anderson and Sophia (Harling) Lattin; grandson of Bartlett M. and Phebe Ann (Anderson) Lattin; greatgrandson of Nahum and Matilda (Van Kirk) Anderson; great2-grandson of Robert and Phebe (Reed) Anderson; great3-grandson of John Anderson, Sergeant in N. H. Troops.
- PATRICK JAMES LAWLER, Montevideo, Minn. (45578). Son of James and Rachel (Golding) Lawler: grandson of Levi Harrison and Mary M. (Cunningham) Golding: great-grandson of Robert and Rachel (Dash) Cunningham: great2-grandson of William Cunningham, Lieutenant in Va. Service.
- HUBBARD IRVING LAWRENCE, Pierre, S. D. (43260). Son of Hubbard and Alice Elizabeth (--- ) Lawrence; grandson of Hubbard and Martha (Sawyer) Lawrence; great-grandson of Hubbard and Mary (Goss) Lawrence; great2-grandson of Philip Goss, Jr., private in N. H. Militia.
- JOHN H. LAWRENCE, Sioux City, Iowa (45510). Son of Samuel and Harriet Ann (Cross) Lawrence; grandson of Harry and Tryphena (Beebe) Cross; great-grandson of Uriah Cross, private in Vt. Troops. Pensioned.
- HENRY CARDOZA LAWSON, Hollis, N. Y. (46206). Son of John Oppie and Rebecca (Jackson) Lawson; grandson of William and Sarah Ann (Oppie) Lawson; great-grandson of William and Betsey (----) Lawson; great2-grandson of William Lawson, Lieutenant in N. Y. Militia.
- DUDLEY WILLIAM LEAVITT, Elmira, N. Y. (45979). Son of Dudley and Lura Redfield (Smith) Leavitt: grandson of Abner Marshall and Rhoby Howland (Evans) Smith; great-grandson of Ansel and Gratia (Redfield) Evans; great2-grandson of Russell and Elizabeth (Bixby) Redfield; great3-grandson of Samuel Bixby, Sergeant in Vt. Militia.
- CLIFFORD SPURRIER LEE, Washington, D. C. (45866). Son of Edwin B. and Ida May (Spurrier) Lee; grandson of Sidney Harrison and Anna Eliza (Alexander) Lee; great-grandson of Elsy Culpepper and Sarah Ann (Murphy) Lee; great2-grandson of Peter Perrine and Ruth H. (Gard) Lee; great3-grandson of Thomas Lee, private in N. J. Troops.
- WILLIAM CARTER LEE, Richmond, Va. (45711). Son of Robert Randolph and Alice (Wilkinson) Lee; grandson of Charles Carter and Lucy Penn (Taylor) Lee; greatgrandson of Henry Lee, Lieutenant-Colonel of Va. Partisan Cavalry Corps ("Lee's Legion").
- ALONZO WORDEN LETTS, Winter Haven, Fla. (44093). Son of William Henry and Gettie Jane (Clum) Letts; grandson of Sylvester and Catherine (Hover) Clum; greatgrandson of Jeremiah and Amanda (Waters) Hover; great2-grandson of Andrew and Catherine (Rockefeller) Hover; great3-grandson of Simeon Rockefeller, private in N. Y.
- RICHARD BRAINARD LEWIS, Hartford, Conn. (46089). Son of Robert Harris and Lillian (Brainard) Lewis; grandson of Leroy Sunderland and Helen Althea (Talcott) Lewis; great-grandson of Richard Slocum and Louisa Maria (Harris) Lewis; great2grandson of Jonathan and Louisa (Jones) Harris; great3-grandson of Nathaniel Harris, Captain in Conn. Troops.
- POWELL ROGERS LINCOLN, Mahway, N. J. (46090). Son of Egbert Powell and Florence Sally (Rogers) Lincoln; grandson of Elias Perkins and Lucy Almira (Smith) Rogers; great-grandson of Joseph and Sally (Dodge) Smith; great2-grandson of Daniel Dodge, Corporal in Conn. Troops.
- CHARLES THEODORE LITTELL, McDonald, Pa. (45889). Son of David S. and Julia (Barr) Littell; grandson of David and Jane (Shillito) Littell; great-grandson of William Littell, private in Pa. Artillery. Pensioned.

- JOHN GILBERT LOWE, Dayton, Ohio (45805). Son of Houston and Carrie (Harries) Lowe; grandson of John Gilbert and Marianna Louisa (Phillips) Lowe; great-grandson of Jacob Derrick and Frances Kemper (Wilds) Lowe, Horatio Gates and Eliza Smith (Houston) Phillips; great2-grandson of Derrick Lowe, member of Committee of Inspection of Hillsborough Township, Somerset County, N. J., and helped to raise money "to furnish arms and ammunition" to local Militia, Jonathan Phillips, Captain in N. J. Continental Line.
- GEORGE ELDEN MacARTHUR, Ipswich, Mass. (45769). Son of George D. and Mary Adeline (Hosmer) MacArthur; grandson of Josiah Wheeler and Lydia (Heald) Hosmer; great-grandson of Nathaniel Hosmer, private in N. H. Troops.
- JOHN OLIVER MACDONALD, Paterson, N. J. (45962). Son of John Meserole and Lydia Mulford (Reily) Macdonald; grandson of John Oliver and Henrietta (Sackett) Macdonald; great-grandson of John Meserole and Sarah J. (Dodge) Sackett; great2grandson of William and Gertrude (Meserole) Sackett; great3-grandson of John Sackett, private in N. Y. Troops.
- FRANK GOODWIN McADAMS, Abilene, Kan. (45160). Son of Henry and Martha Robbins (White) McAdams; grandson of James and Margaret (Young) McAdams; greatgrandson of Joseph McAdams, private in Va. Troops.
- THOMAS ALEXANDER McBETH, Springfield, Ohio (45817). Son of Robert Whitehill and Jemima (Winwood) McBeth; grandson of Alexander and Rachel (Whitehill) McBeth; great-grandson of Robert Whitehill, member of Committee of Safety and delegate to the Pa. Convention at Philadelphia in 1776.
- CHALMERS SEYMOUR McCONNELL, Washington, D. C. (45863). Son of Thomas Chalmers and Inez (Seymour) McConnell; grandson of John Marshall and Mary Hindes (Pouder) Seymour; great-grandson of John and Lydia Ann (Hotz) Seymour; great2grandson of James and Elizabeth (Hutton) Seymour; great3-grandson of Felix and Margaret (Renick) Seymour; great4-grandson of William and Ann (Hamilton) Renick; great5-grandson of Andrew Hamilton, Major, in command of Va. Militia.
- ROBERT THOMPSON McDONALD, Seattle, Wash. (43710). Son of Frederick Alexander and Mary Porter (Baldwin) McDonald; grandson of Thomas Porter and Mary Maria (Heaton) Baldwin, Alexander and Mary Lewis (Israel) McDonald; great-grandson of William and Martha (Childs) Heaton, Jr., Isaac Grantham and Jane P. (Clingan) Israel; great2-grandson of William Heaton, Captain in Vt. Militia, Joseph Israel, Captain in Delaware Militia. Pensioned.
- IAMES HEREFORD McGINNIS, Beckley, W. Va. (Ky. 45557). Son of William Hereford and Sally E. (Holroyd) McGinnis; grandson of James Hereford and Mary (Williams) McGinnis; great-grandson of William and Polly (Gannon) Williams; great2-grandson of James Williams, private in N. C. Continental Troops, William Gannon, private in N. C.
- HENRY READ McILWAINE, Richmond, Va. (45708). Son of Joseph Finley and Sarah Embra (Read) McIlwaine; grandson of Clement Carrington and Anne Edmunds (Watkins) Read; great-grandson of Isaac and Anne Mayo (Venable) Read, Jr.; great2-grandson of Isaac Read, member of Va. Convention (1775), Colonel in Va. Troops,
- JULIAN G. McINTOSH, Detroit, Mich. (45547). Son of George D. and Mittie Bailey (Muffitt) McIntosh; grandson of Samuel J. and Julia N. (Bailey) Muffitt; great-grandson of Harrison and Saloma (Dunton) Bailey; great2-grandson of Ralph and Mehitabel (------) Bailey; great8-grandson of Ebenezer and Silvia (Howard) Bailey; great4-grandson of Eliakim Howard, Captain in Mass. Militia.
- THOMAS WILLARD McKENZIE, Tulsa, Okla. (46003). Son of Frank W. and Kate Elizabeth (Pettee) McKenzie; grandson of William Newell and Jane Elizabeth (Church) Pettee; great-grandson of Ebenezer Newell and Eliza (Miller) Pettee; great-grandson of Simon and Mary (Newell) Pettee; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Ebenezer Pettee, private in Mass.
- WILLIAM WENDELL BOLLMAN McKINNELL, Catonsville, Md. (45243). Son of James Henry and Sarah Jane (Sadler) McKinnell; grandson of William Franklin and Martha Ellen (Welsh) Sadler; great-grandson of Henry Griffith and Alena (Harps) Welsh; great2grandson of Henry Griffith and Cassandra (Shipley) Welsh; great3-grandson of Samuel and Rachel (Griffith) Welsh; great4-grandson of Henry Griffith, member of Committee of Observation of Frederick County and of Md. Convention (1775).

- AUSTIN JERSEY McLEAN, Lansing, Mich. (45536). Son of Harvey and Edna (Jersey) McLean; grandson of Henry A. and Mary A. (Madden) Jersey; great-grandson of Peter Hazzard and Margaret (Smith) Jersey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Henry and Sophia (Price) Jersey; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Richard Jersey, private in N. Y. Levies.
- JOHN B. McMAHON, Toledo, Ohio (45821). Son of James W. and Matilda Ann (Torrance) McMahon; grandson of Stiles C. and Mary (McQuane) Torrance; great-grandson of Robert H. and Matilda Ann (Taylor) Torrance; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Stiles and Matilda (Hibbard) Torrance; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Robert Torrance, Artificer in Conn. Service.
- CHESTER McNEIL, Ill. (32243). Supplemental. Son of Calvin and Janet (McQueen) McNeil; grandson of Thomas Paine and Flizabeth (Blood) McNeil; great-grandson of David Blood, private in Mass, Artillery. Pensioned.
- STANLEY REED McNEIL, Ill. (32244). Supplemental. Son of Chester and Minnie (Reed) McNeil; grandson of Calvin and Janet (McQueen) McNeil. (Same as 32243.)
- HARRY WILSON MABIE, Danbury, Conn. (46091). Son of Frank and Mary Ella (Barnum) Mabie; grandson of Samuel and Adeline (Daley) Mabie; great-grandson of Abraham and Content (Ellis) Mabie; great-grandson of Abraham Mabie, private in N. Y. Militia.
- RICHARD CONE MAERCKLEIN, Hartford, Conn. (46092). Son of Herman Julius and Alice Rebecca (Crane) Maercklein; grandson of Warren Burdette and Sarah Adelaide (Cone) Crane; great-grandson of Sylvanus Franklin and Sarah Ann Terry (Miller) Cone: great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Ezra William and Sarah Ann (Terry) Miller; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of David and Comfort (Hall) Terry; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Thomas Terry, Colonel in N. Y. Troops.
- EDWARD DENISON MANNING, Pagosa Springs, Colo. (N. M. 37841). Son of Edward Rogers and Fannie K. (Denison) Manning; grandson of Joseph and Frances Ann Osborn (Dennis) Denison; great-grandson of David and Lucy (Avery) Denison; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David and Mary (Babcock) Denison; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of David Denison, private in Vt. Militia.
- AUGUSTUS R. MARKLE, Terre Haute, Ind. (44144). Son of Theodore and Lorenda (Kilgore) Markle; grandson of Nelson and Matilda A. (Bennett) Markle; great-grandson of William Plunkett and Elizabeth (Harris) Bennett; great-grandson of Samuel Harris, Captain of Pa. Rangers on the frontiers.
- DAVID GREENLEAF MARTIN, San Francisco, Calif. (45827). Son of William James and Marianne (Greenleaf) Martin; grandson of David and Helen (Johnston) Greenleaf; great-grandson of Charles and Electa (Tooker) Greenleaf; great²-grandson of David and Anna (Jones) Greenleaf; great³-grandson of David Greenleaf, private in Mass. Troops.
- CHARLES EDMUND MASON, Danbury, Conn. (46093). Son of Charles Bailey and Mary Augusta (Bennett) Mason; grandson of Charles B. and Caroline (Barnum) Mason; great-grandson of Zoroaster and Betsey (Benedict) Barnum; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Ephraim and Betty (Curtiss) Benedict; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel Curtiss, Ensign in Conn. Troops.
- HARVIE ROGERS MATTHEWS, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas (45419). Son of Daniel Harvie and Blanche (Rogers) Matthews; grandson of James Fiske and Martha Walker (Browning) Matthews; great-grandson of Jacob and Mary Ann (May) Matthews, William Westcoat and Elizabeth Lewis (Gilmer) Browning; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Mary Ann (—) May, Thomas Lewis and Nancy (Harvie) Gilmer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Ben and Mary (Harrison) May, Thomas Meriwether and Elizabeth (Lewis) Gilmer, private (from Va.) under La Fayette; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Burr Harrison, Corporal in Va. Troops, Thomas Lewis, Member of Va. Convention.
- JEWETT DE WITT MATTHEWS, Chicago, Ill. (46063). Son of Reuben Simpson and Margaret A. (Thompson) Matthews; grandson of Simpson Bell and Sarah E. (Jewett) Matthews; great-grandson of Osee and Patty (Bell) Matthews; great-grandson of Gideon Matthews, Corporal in Mass. Troops.
- HUNTINGTON PHELPS MEECH, West Hartford, Conn. (46094). Son of James Monroe and Hannah Phelps (Huntington) Meech; grandson of Benjamin Franklin and Maria Louise (Huntington) Huntington; great-grandson of Charles Phelps and Maria (Perit) Huntington; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Andrew and Hannah (Phelps) Huntington, member of committees, of Norwich, Conn., for aiding the Continental Army; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Jabez Huntington, member of Committee of Safety and Major General of Conn. Militia.

- J. HARTLEY MELLICK, Plainfield, N. J. (46253). Son of George Phelps and Ella (Hartley) Mellick; grandson of Andrew D. and Elizabeth Dunn (Ayres) Mellick; greatgrandson of Simeon and Abigail (Dunham) Ayres; greatgrandson of James and Ursula (Dunn) Dunham; greatgrandson of Hugh Dunn, Captain in N. J. Militia.
- ROGER DREW MELLICK, Plainfield, N. J. (46254). Son of George Phelps and Ella (Hartley) Mellick. Same as 46253.
- EDWIN HALE MELVIN, Los Gatos, Calif. (45829). Son of Eugene Walker and Caroline Dryden (Johnson) Melvin; grandson of Jesse Hale and Cornelia Sarah (Prather) Johnson; great-grandson of James and Harriet (Collins) Prather; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James Prather, Captain in Md. Militia.
- CARROLL, BURNHAM MERRIAM, Topeka, Kan. (45159). Son of Everett Brooks and Sarah (Dillingham) Merriam; grandson of Samuel and Hannah (French) Merriam; great-grandson of Samuel and Lucy (Wheeler) Merriam, Sr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph Merriam, Corporal in N. H. Troops.
- HENRY SAMUEL, MERRILL, Chicago, Ill. (46064). Son of Leonard Willy and Sarah Elizabeth (Brown) Merrill; grandson of Nathan and Rebecca Jenkins (Foster) Merrill; great-grandson of Nathan Merrill, private in N. H. Militia
- HOWARD E. MIDDLETON, Washington, D. C. (45867). Son of Frank Sherman and Gertrude (Hulett) Middleton; grandson of William and Laura (Farrington) Hulett, Samuel Bunting and Lucy (Sherman) Middleton; great-grandson of Abram and Sophia (Blanchard) Farrington, Benjamin Gordon and Lydia Ann (Pollard) Hulett, John Lelon and Dorothy (Warfield) Sherman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonathan and Mary (Lovell) Blanchard, Elijah and Elizabeth (Sawin) Farrington, private in Mass. Troops (pensioned), Joseph Hulett, private in Mass. Troops (pensioned), John Pollard, Corporal in Mass. Troops (pensioned), Job Sherman, private in Mass. Troops, Joshua Warfield, private in Mass. Troops (pensioned); great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Oliver Lovell, Major in Vt. Troops, Jonathan Sawin, private in Mass. Troops.
- HAYDEN CLARK MILLS, Portland, Oregon (45927). Son of Archibald Clark and Harriet Hayden (Root) Mills; grandson of Archibald Eastman and Frances M. (Clark) Mills, A. K. and Harriet (Eaton) Root; great-grandson of Archibald and Sarah Ann (Eastman) Mills, Nathaniel Johnson and Harriet (Hayden) Eaton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Archibald McDuffie and Anna (Aiken) Mills, William Eaton, Sergeant in Conn. Troops; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John Mills, Captain in N. H. Militia.
- SIDNEY BISHOP MINER, St. Petersburg, Fla. (46095). Son of Sidney Hale and Lucy Kimball (Bishop) Miner; grandson of Giles and Charlotte T. (Comstock) Bishop; greatgrandson of Gurden and Lucy (Kimball) Bishop; greatgrandson of Jonathan and Annie (Allen) Bishop; greatgrandson of Nicholas Bishop, Captain in Conn. Minute Men on the Lexington Alarum.
- LENNARD HARRIS MITCHELL, Washington, D. C. (Indiana 44143). Son of Leander Perry and Gertrude (Lennard) Mitchell; grandson of George Washington and Clarinda (Woodward) Lennard; great-grandson of Asahel and Catherine (Hollet) Woodward; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Thomas Woodward, private in Pa. Militia.
- NOBLE FRANCIS MITCHELL, New Albany, Ind. (45558). Son of Francis Asbury and Mary (Wilcoxson) Mitchell; grandson of Daniel and Elizabeth (McCan) Mitchell; greatgrandson of Amasa Mitchell, private in Mass. Militia. Pensioned.
- BARTH FILER MONAGHAN, South Orange, N. J. (46255). Son of Bartholomew F. and Sarah (Filer) Monaghan; grandson of Samuel Francis and Sarah (Bennett) Filer; great-grandson of Theron and Jerusha (Moore) Filer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Thomas and Mary (Hand) Filer; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Thomas Filer, private in N. Y. Troops.
- JULES BLANC MONROE, New Orleans, La. (43765). Son of Frederick Adair and Alice (Blanc) Monroe; grandson of Victor and Mary Townsend (Polk) Monroe, Jules Arnaud and Maria Inskeep (Palfrey) Blanc; great-grandson of Thomas Bell and Eliza Palmer (Adair) Monroe, Henry William and Mary Bloomfield (Inskeep) Palfrey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Adair, Major S. C. Militia, Aide-de-Camp to General Sumter, John and Mary (Gorham) Palfrey, Abraham Hulings and Mary McIlvane (Giles) Inskeep; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of William Palfrey, Aide-de-Camp to Generals Lee and Washington, Paymaster General with rank of Lieutenant Colonel, James Giles, Lieutenant in 2nd Continental (N. Y.) Artillery and Regimental Adjutant.

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- BENJAMIN LEWIS MOORE, Seattle, Wash. (43711). Son of David Walker and Emily (Johnson) Moore; grandson of Benjamin and Mary (Walker) Moore; great-grandson of Jacob Wythe and Nancy (Hawkins) Walker; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of George Walker, Adjutant in Va. Cavalry.
- BERWYN THOMPSON MOORE, Louisville, Ky. (45559). Son of George L. and Myrtie (Thompson) Moore; grandson of John Riley and Margaret Elizabeth (Dameron) Thompson; great-grandson of James and Julia (Thurmond) Dameron; great-grandson of Littlepage and Susanna (Turner) Dameron; great-grandson of William Turner, private in Va. Troops.
- GEORGE HARRINGTON MOSELEY, Detroit, Mich. (45548). Son of Thomas Calvin and Jennie (Harrington) Moseley; grandson of William Mathias F. and Angeline (Hill) Moseley; great-grandson of Jonathan Ogden and Gertrude (Van Voorhies) Moseley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Thomas and Phoebe Ann (Ogden) Moseley; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Robert Ogden, member of Committees of Observation, Correspondence and Safety for Elizabethtown, N. J.
- FRANK MOSES, Ticonderoga, N. Y. (46207). Son of Henry H. and Emily J. (Rising) Moses; grandson of Augustus and Calista (Harvey) Moses; great-grandson of Rufus and Lydia (Ramsdale) Moses; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Elnathan and Elizabeth (——) Moses; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Benoni Moses, private in Conn. Troops.
- HORACE AUGUSTUS MOSES, Springfield, Mass. (N. Y. 46208). Son of Henry H. and Emily J. (Rising) Moses. Same as 46207.
- WILLIAM WHITE NEAL, Salt Lake City, Utah (45088). Son of William Dalton and —— (——) Neal; grandson of William Cooley and Ann Eliza (Dalton) Neal; great-grandson of George A. and Asenath (Cooley) Neal; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Walter Neal, Sergeant in N. H. Troops.
- JASON ANDREW NEIL, SON, Hollywood, Calif. (45831). Son of Jason and Margaret (Hay) Neilson; grandson of Jason and Mary Augusta (Tabele) Neilson; great-grandson of Philip and Mary Birdsall (Brower) Tabele; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Nicholas Brower, Captain in N. Y. Militia.
- BERTRAM L. NEWMAN, Elmira, N. Y. (45987). Son of William H. and Celia (Sprague)
  Newman; grandson of Henry and Arethusa E. (Farmer) Newman; great-grandson of
  Peter and Elizabeth (Burwell) Newman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Peter and Sarah L. (Seymour) Newman; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Nathaniel Newman, private in N. Y. Militia.
- ROBERT NELSON NEWTON, Lynbrook, N. Y. (46209). Son of William Martyne and Ella Frances (Goss) Newton; grandson of George Warner and Eleanor Alma (Barhydt) Goss; great-grandson of Cornelius and Alma (Lucas) Barhydt; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Lewis Barhydt, private in N. Y. Militia.
- ROBERT W. NIX, Jr., Fort Eustis, Va. (N. Y. 45996). Son of Robert W. and Alexine (Davison) Nix; grandson of Charles and Mary Alma (Wright) Davison; great-grandson of Alexander and Amelia (Denton) Davison; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Robert Davison, seaman in Conn. Service.
- JAMES ADDISON NORRIS, Valley Chapel, W. Va. (45271). Son of James Spilman and Malinda (Hall) Norris; grandson of John and Jemima (Spilman) Norris; great-grandson of Joseph and Hannah (Tomlin) Norris; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William Norris, Lieutenant in Va. Militia.
- HENRY A. NORTON, Plattsburgh, N. Y. (45980). Son of Francis B. and Mary S. (Blakeslee) Norton; grandson of Oswald K. and Lois D. (Carrington) Norton; greatgrandson of Jonathan Fowler and Polly (Smith) Norton; greatgrandson of Osias Norton, private in Conn. Troops. Pensioned.
- RALPH GAGE NORTON, Detroit, Mich. (45542). Son of Arthur W. and Lucy Augusta (Hindes) Norton; grandson of Jacob G. and Lucy C. (Cutting) Hindes; great-grandson of James and Arminta F. (Fuller) Hindes; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Orrin and Betsey (Turrill) Fuller; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Esbon and Lydia (Follett) Fuller; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Abraham Fuller, Captain in Conn. Troops.
- HARRY W. OAKLEY, South Orange, N. J. (45963). Son of Ira A. and Harriet (Trowbridge) Oakley; grandson of John and Clarissa (Hand) Trowbridge; great-grandson of Robert and Rachel (Whitehead) Hand; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Hezekiah Hand, private in N. J. Militia.

- FLEMING JAMES O'CONNOR, Little Rock, Ark. (46151). Son of William James and Fannie Elizabeth (Fleming) O'Connor; grandson of Robert William and Susanna Rebecca (Wood) Fleming; great-grandson of James and Maria (Bowers) Fleming, William Atlas and Mary Anne Eliza (Faison) Wood; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David and Ann (Christain) Fleming, James Wood, private in N. C. troops, Britain Wright and Charlotte (Wood) Faison; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Tarlton and Mary (Randolph) Fleming, James Faison, private in N. C. troops; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Thomas Fleming, Colonel in Va. Line.
- WILLIAM GAGE OLMSTEAD, Columbus, Ohio (45816). Son of Lewis Putney and Lucy Maria (Gage) Olmsted; grandson of Charles and Teresa Maria (Putney) Olmsted; great-grandson of Roger and Catherine (Bresee) Olmsted; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Daniel and Joanna (—) Olmstead; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Daniel Olmsted, served in Conn. Troops, guarding Loyalists in 1777.
- FRANK ELY OSBORNE, McAllen, Tex. (45416). Son of Alfred and Mary (Wagener)
  Osborn; grandson of Washington and Elizabeth (French) Wagener; great-grandson
  of Melchior and Alpha (Wilkinson) Wagener; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David and Rebecca
  (Supplee) Wagener; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Melchior Wagener, delegate to Pa. Provincial
  Convention at Philadelphia, in 1775.
- FRED PERRY OWEN, Meriden, Conn. (46096). Son of Melville C. and Martha W. (Davis) Owen; grandson of John and Ruth (Hill) Owen, jr.; great-grandson of John Owen, private in Mass. Troops.
- SAMUEL PATTERSON OWEN, Newark, N. J. (45964). Son of Samuel Liewellyn and Eva Maude (Patterson) Owen; grandson of Joseph and Melissa (McVay) Patterson; great-grandson of William and Melissa (Huston) McVay; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Grace (McCall) Huston; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William Huston (Houston), Lieutenant in Pa. Troops.
- JAMES PATTERSON OWINGS, Tulsa, Okla. (43496). Son of Adolphus and Mary Thompson (Patterson) Owings; grandson of James John and Elizabeth (McFarlane) Patterson; great-grandson of John and Eleanor (Van Dyke) Patterson; great-grandson of John and Isabella (Lyon) Patterson, Jr.; great-grandson of John Patterson, Sr., private in Pa. Militia.
- WARREN JOSEPHUS PACKER, Meriden, Conn. (46097). Son of Warren Fish and Lida (Potter) Packer; grandson of Josephus Fitch and Eliza S. (——) Potter; great-grandson of James and Lucretia (Lester) Potter; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Potter*, private in Conn. Troops.
- AARON DEMAS PARDEE, Wadsworth, Ohio (45825). Son of E. S. and Vennette (Dagne)
  Pardee; grandson of Aaron and Eveline (Eyles) Pardee; great-grandson of Ebenezer and
  Anna (Minor) Pardee; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Ebenezer Pardee, private in Conn. Troops.
- HENRY WHEELER PARROTT, Bridgeport, Conn. (46098). Son of Henry Franklin and Lizzie May (Wheeler) Parrott; grandson of Marcus Ormel and Susan Eloisa (Beardsley) Wheeler; great-grandson of Walker and Rebecca (Sherwood) Wheeler; great-grandson of John Mallett and Ann (Walker) Wheeler; great-grandson of John Wheeler, private in Conn. Troops.
- ORVILLE KNOX PATTERSON, Harvey, Ill. (46065). Son of Abram Conklin and Josephine (Shaylor) Patterson; grandson of Ephraim and Emma Corbett (Wilson) Shaylor; great-grandson of Joseph Shaylor, Lieutenant in Conn. Troops, Calvin Wilson, private in Conn Line. Pensioned.
- GEORGE HAZEN PATTERSON, Harvey, Ill. (46066). Son of Orville Knox and Margaret Grace (Moats) Patterson; grandson of Abram Conkling and Josephine (Shaylor) Patterson. Same as 46065.
- BROOKE PAYNE, Fredericksburg, Va. (45704). Son of Charles Edmund Fitzhugh and Jennie Morrison (Brooke) Payne; grandson of Arthur Alexander Morson and Mary Conway Mason (Fitzhugh) Payne; great-grandson of William Payne, Captain in Va. Militia. Pensioned.
- ROBERT HALFORD PECK, Atlanta, Ga. (43028). Son of Charles Manley and Annie Barker (Earle) Peck; grandson of Halford and Elizabeth (Barker) Earle; great-grandson of Frederick and Elizabeth (Young) Earle; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Young, surgeon in N. H. Militia.

- CYRUS EDMUND PENDLETON, Colchester, Conn. (46099). Son of Cyrus Henry and Mary Maria (Welles) Pendleton; grandson of Adam and Hannah (Marsh) Pendleton; great-grandson of Joshua Pendleton, Captain in R. I. Militia.
- JOHN ARRINGTON PHILIPS, Rocky Mount, N. C. (31525). Son of William Burt and Florence E. (Arrington) Philips; grandson of John Peter and Laura Maud (Philips) Arrington; great-grandson of Archibald Hunter and Mary (Jones) Arrington; great2grandson of John and Elizabeth (Nicholson) Arrington; great3-grandson of Arthur Arrington, staff officer, and deputy Quartermaster General for N. C.
- ROB VICTOR PHILLIPS, Toledo, Ohio (45818). Son of Charles W. and Sarah (Lazier) Phillips; grandson of Aaron M. and Catherine (Stockwell) Phillips; great-grandson of Eliatha and Esther (Perkins) Stockwell; great2-grandson of Christopher Perkins, private in N. Y. Militía.
- VICTOR POINDEXTER, West Hartford, Conn. (46100). Son of Charles E. and Lena L. (Steinhoff) Poindexter; grandson of Cyrus E. and Lydia M. (Robbins) Poindexter; great-grandson of Levi and Nancy (Hastings) Robbins; great2-grandson of Benjamin Robbins, private in Mass. Troops.
- THOMAS ARMSTRONG PORTER, Pittsburgh, Pa. (45890). Son of William Johnson and Anna Laura (McKain) Porter; grandson of John Jacob and Rebecca (Bell) McKain; great-grandson of William and Catharine (Huff) McKain; great2-grandson of Jacob Huff, private in Pa. Troops. Pensioned.
- HALMAGH POST, Paterson, N. J. (46256). Son of John and Elizabeth (Terhune) Post; grandson of John H. Post, private in N. J. Troops.
- JOHN W. POST, Paterson, N. J. (45965). Son of Halmagh and Sarah (Struck) Post; grandson of John and Elizabeth (Terhune) Post; great-grandson of John H. Post, private in N. J. Troops.
- DANIEL, FREDERIC POTTER, N. Y. (20364). Supplementals. Son of Daniel and Marina Loud (Pratt) Potter; grandson of Norton and Priscilla (Loud) Pratt; greatgrandson of Laban and Lucy (Pratt) Pratt, private in Mass. Militia and Continental Artillery: great2-grandson of Abner and Margaret (Humphrey) Pratt; great3-grandson of James Humphrey, delegate to the Mass. State Convention (1779-1780).
- IEFFERSON ROWLAND POTTER, San Diego, Calif. (45832). Son of Clark P. and Orril (Weston) Potter; grandson of Charles and Susanna (Montague) Potter; great-grandson of Nathaniel Montague, Corporal in Vt. Troops, Ephraim Potter, private in Vt. Troops.
- BENJAMIN ARRINGTON POWELL, Rocky Mount, N. C. (46176). Son of John William and Lillie (Arrington) Powell; grandson of Benjamin Ricks and Annie (Fitts) Arrington; great-grandson of Benjamin Williams and Martha Ann Fluellen (Moore) Arrington; great2-grandson of Carter and Rhoda (----) Arrington; great3-grandson of Joseph and Mourning (Ricks) Arrington; greats-grandson of Arthur Arrington, staff officer, and deputy Quartermaster General for N. C.
- BENJAMIN IREDELL POWELL, Miami, Fla. (44094). Son of Benjamin Iredell and Ella (Moore) Powell; grandson of Junius Pulliam and Cornelia (Godwin) Moore; greatgrandson of Portius and Lucy (Pulliam) Moore; great2-grandson of Stephen Moore, Lieutenant-Colonel in N. C. Militia.
- GEORGE ARNOLD PRIOR, Hartford, Conn. (46101). Son of Abbot G. and Jane (Arnold) Prior; grandson of Samuel Emmons and Jerusha (Kibbe) Arnold; great-grandson of Frederick Kibbe, private in Conn. Troops. Pensioned.
- FRANCIS ROGERS PYNE, Elizabeth, N. J. (46257). Son of Charles March and Eliza (Glover) Pyne; grandson of Daniel and Ann Mary (Cruger) Glover; great-grandson of Bertram Peter and Catherine (Church) Cruger; great2-grandson of John Barker and Angelica (Schuyler) Church; great3-grandson of Philip Schuyler, Major General in Continental Army.
- GEORGE F. RAND, Buffalo, N. Y. (45981). Son of George F. and Vina S. (Fisher) Rand; grandson of Calvin Gordon and Almira Hershe (Long) Rand; great-grandson of James and Nancy (Kenyon) Rand; great2-grandson of Robert and Anna (Gordon) Rand; great3-grandson of John Rand, Signer of the Association Test at Derryfield, N. H.
- AUGUSTUS LEE READ, Covington, Ky. (45632). Son of Edmund Strudwick and Grace (Meehan) Read; grandson of Edmund Strudwick and Mary (Sturdivant) Read; great-

- grandson of Isaac and Susan Mary (Nash) Read; great2-grandson of Isaac and Anne Mayo (Venable) Read; great8-grandson of Isaac Read, member of Va. Convention (1774-1775), member of Charlotte County Committee of Safety, Colonel in Va. Line.
- JOSIAH FREDERICK REED, Pa. (45695). Supplemental. Son of Marcus Jacob and Esther Alice (Williams) Reed; grandson of Josiah and Susannah Elizabeth (Clewell) Reed; great-grandson of John Christian and Elizabeth (Reichert) Clewell; great2-grandson of John Clewell, private in Pa. Militia.
- PERCY JEROME REED, Los Angeles, Calif. (45828). Son of Silas W. and Martha Ann Compton (Levy) Reed; grandson of Jerome and Emily (Atwater) Reed; great-grandson of Ezra and Susanna (Matthews) Reed; great2-grandson of Barnabas Matthews, private and Corporal in Mass. Troops.
- ROBERT MORRIS REYNOLDS, Terryville, Conn. (46102). Son of Henry D. and Lucy A. (Catlin) Reynolds; grandson of Lewis and Anna (Catlin) Catlin; great-grandson of Lewis Catlin, private in Conn. Troops (pensioned), Benjamin and Rhoda (Catlin) Catlin; great2-grandson of Jacob Catlin, private in Conn. Troops, Isaac Catlin (father of Rhoda), private in Conn. Troops.
- AUSTIN LUCIUS RICHARDSON, St. Petersburg, Fla. (44095). Son of Lucius Colburn and Hannah Lydia (Austin) Richardson; grandson of Derastus and Eleanor (Lane) Richardson; great-grandson of Jonathan and Anna (Wright) Lane; great2-grandson of Azariah Wright, served in Vt. Troops.
- SHALER ARNOLD RICHARDSON, Jacksonville, Fla. (44096). Son of Clement Lanier and Emma (Arnold) Richardson; grandson of Purdie and Katharine (Marshall) Richardson; great-grandson of Samuel Neal and Mary Ann (Smith) Richardson; great2grandson of James Richardson, Major in N. C. Militia.
- FRANK MIX ROBBINS, Tenn. (42974). Supplemental. Son of George R. and Florence (Mix) Robbins; grandson of Amzi Marvin and Sara Ann (Steele) Mix; great-grandson of Amasa H. and Asenath (Wilcox) Mix; great2-grandson of Samuel L. and Mary (Hotchkiss) Mix; great8-grandson of Eldad Mix, private in Conn. Troops.
- RALPH WILLIAM ROBE, Okmulgee, Okla. (46005). Son of John Miles and Blanche (Laughlin) Robe; grandson of John B. and Hannah Milligan (Brown) Laughlin; greatgrandson of Alexander and Sarah (Robe) Laughlin; great2-grandson of John and Deborah (Wilson) Laughlin; great3-grandson of Alexander Wilson, private in Pa. Militia.
- ROSS LAUGHLIN ROBE, Okmulgee, Okla. (46006). Son of John Miles and Blanche (Laughlin) Robe. Same as 46005.
- DANIEL STURGEON ROBINSON, Uniontown, Pa. (45891). Son of Harold L. and Laverna R. (----) Robinson; grandson of Jabez and Agnes (Canon) Robinson; greatgrandson of Daniel and Nancy (Jones) Canon; great2-grandson of Daniel Canon, Captain in Pa. Troops for border defense.
- CLINTON M. ROOS, Binghamton, N. Y. (46210). Son of Peter J. and Emmaretta (Pierce) Roos; grandson of Marshall and Lovina (Whitaker) Pierce; great-grandson of Joseph and Abigail (Hulce) Whitaker; great2-grandson of Benjamin and Eunice (Hine) Whitaker; great3-grandson of Squire Whitaker, private in N. Y. Militia.
- CARLTON PERRY ROUSH, Dayton, Ohio (45823). Son of Perry and Clara (Shaffer) Roush; grandson of Philip and Mahala (Charles) Roush; great-grandson of Henry and Barbara (Bloom) Roush; great2-grandson of Philip Roush, private in Pa. Troops.
- LYMAN PLUMMER ROUSH, Waynesville, Pa. (45892). Son of Mortimer and Alwilda (Hamilton) Roush; grandson of Aaron and Leah Ellen (Moler) Roush; great-grandson of Henry and Barbara (Blum) Roush; great2-grandson of Philip Roush, private in Pa.
- EDGAR POE RUSSELL, Selma, Ala. (45478). Son of John Archibald and Elinor (Fulford) Russell; grandson of Benjamin Alexander and Jane (Morgan) Russell; greatgrandson of William and Catherine M. (----) Russell; great2-grandson of David and Jinney (Morrison) Russell; great3-grandson of William Russell, Delegate to N. C. Provincial Convention at Halifax, 1776.
- FOSTER CARROLL RUSSELL, Mass. (44479). Supplementals. Son of John Lakeman and Bertha Ashley (Brown) Russell; grandson of Elisha Newton and Eliza A. (Philbrook) Brown, John and Kathrine Carroll (Wait) Russell; great-grandson of Flisha and Charlotte (Kinsman) Brown, Nathaniel Rogers and Mary Willcomb (Philbrook)

- Wait; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Aaron Kinsman, private in Mass. Troops, Elisha and Martha (——) Brown, Joseph and Rebecca (Dodge) Wait; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Elisha Brown, Jr., Quartermaster and Lieutenant in Mass. Troop of Horse, Abraham Dodge, Captain in Mass. Troops.
- JOHN LAKEMAN RUSSELL, Mass. (29149). Supplemental. Son of John and Kathrine Carroll (Wait) Russell; grandson of Nathaniel Rogers and Mary Williams (Philbrook) Wait; great-grandson of Joseph and Rebecca (Dodge) Wait; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Abraham Dodge, Captain in Mass. Troops.
- DANIEL BERNARD RYAN, N. Y. (45190). Supplemental. Son of Daniel B. and Alice Eames (Beach) Ryan; grandson of Lafayette and Delia Jane (Eames) Beach; greatgrandson of Moses and Delia Ann (Howk) Eames; greatgrandson of Daniel and Molly K. (Wight) Eames; greatgrandson of Aaron Wight, surgeon in Mass. Troops.
- WILLIAM BURTON SALISBURY, Highland Park, N. J. (45966). Son of Charles William and Lena Montgomery (Fingar) Salisbury; grandson of William Jessup and Eliza Gertrude (Lum) Salisbury; great-grandson of Charles Edwin and Joanna Minerva (Bonnell) Lum; great-grandson of David B. and Eliza (Wade) Lum; great-grandson of John Clark Lum, private in N. J. Troops.
- RICHARD ARTHUR SAL/TONSTALL, Ohio (40448). Supplemental. Son of Dudley Gilbert and Sophia A. M. (Sizer) Saltonstall; grandson of Joshua and Abbie (Lewis) Saltonstall; great-grandson of Dudley and Frances (Babcock) Saltonstall; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Gurdon Saltonstall, Brigadier General of Conn. Militia.
- CHARLES THOMAS SANSBERRY, Anderson, Ind. (44146). Son of James Washington and Margaret Luraigney (Moore) Sansberry; grandson of James and Sarah (De Vore) Sansberry; great-grandson of *Nicholas De Vore*, private in Pa. Continental Line.
- ALBERT WILCOX SAVAGE, Meriden, Conn. (46120). Son of George E. and Charlotte P. (Foster) Savage; grandson of Edwin and Frances Sophia (Wilcox) Savage; greatgrandson of Seth and Esther (Broadman) Savage, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Seth Savage, Corporal in Conn. Troops.
- ALBERT EBERHARD FRIEDRICH SCHÄFFLE, New Brunswick, N. J. (45967). Son of Samuel Wilson Wykoff and Margaret (Hutchinson) Schäffle; grandson of Charles William and Mary (Wykoff) Schäffle; great-grandson of Peter and Sarah (Nevius) Wykoff; great-grandson of Christian Nevius, private in N. J. Troops.
- RALPH LANE SCOTT, Montclair, N. J. (45968). Son of Elbert I. and Julia A. (Lane) Scott; grandson of William Morgan and Mandana F. (Proctor) Scott; great-grandson of Seth and Charlotte (Rice) Scott; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Lemuel and Zurviah (Branch) Scott; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Jonathan Scott, signer of the "New Hampshire Grants" Declaration, Captain in Vt. Militia.
- WILLIAM PARKER SEELEY, Bridgeport, Conn. (46121). Son of William Elmer and Maude Dunning (Parker) Seely, Jr.; grandson of William Elmer and Jane Elizabeth (Sterling) Seeley; great-grandson of Seth and Charity (Wilson) Seeley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel Odell and Sally (Morehouse) Seeley; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Seth Seeley, Ensign in Conn. Troops.
- RAYMOND HUBBARD SEGUR, Hartford, Conn. (46103). Son of Gideon Cross and Mary (Hubbard) Segur; grandson of Gideon Cross and Harriet (Cundall) Segur; greatgrandson of William and Clarissa (Bennett) Cundall; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph Bennett, private in R. I. Troops. Pensioned.
- LEONARD ADAM SELTZER, Mich. (45530). Supplementals. Son of Leonard Adam and Susan (Killheffer) Seltzer; grandson of Frederick and Catherine (Losh) Seltzer, Joseph and Flizabeth (Heiss) Killheffer; great-grandson of John Leonard and Marguerite Elizabeth (Kobel) Seltzer, Christian and Ann Mary (Gessler) Killheffer, John William and Susanna (Kaffroth) Heiss; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jacob Kobel, private in Pa. Troops, John Killheffer, private in Pa. Troops and member of local Committee of Observation, John Gessler, Lieutenant in Lancaster County, Pa. Associators, Dietrich Heiss, private in Pa. Troops, Jacob and Susan (Gerber) Kaffroth, private in Pa. Troops; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Peter Gerber, private in Pa. Troops.
- NELSON HADLEY SEUBERT, Astoria, N. Y. (46212). Son of Louis Henry and Clara (Hadley) Seubert; grandson of Nelson Davis and Laura Lettia (Wedding) Hadley; great-grandson of Howard and Mehitable Ann (Allen) Hadley; great2-grandson of James

- Sherman and Ann (Mosher) Allen; great<sup>8</sup>-grandson of Asa Allen, Ensign in N. Y. Militia.
- JOSEPH M. SEWELL, Jackson, Ky. (45560). Son of Charfes J. and Josephine (Bush) Sewell; grandson of G. W. and Mary Elizabeth (Spencer) Sewell; great-grandson of William and Louisa (Brittain) Spencer; great<sup>2</sup> grandson of Chadwell and Sallie (——) Brittain; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of James and Nancy (Chadwell) Brittain; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Nathan Brittain, private in Va. Troops.
- LEWIS M. SHAFER, Cleveland, Ohio (46232). Son of Clarence M. and Florida M. (McCadden) Shafer; grandson of George J. and Mary B. (Myers) McCadden; greatgrandson of John and Rebecca (Woods) Myers; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of George Woods, deputy to the Pa. Provincial Convention (1774), member of Committee of Correspondence for Bedford County, Colonel in Pa. Militia.
- CLEMENT DWIGHT SHARPE, Putnam, Conn. (46104). Son of Clement Dwight and Abigail Elizabeth (Averill) Sharpe; grandson of Clement and Sarah (Sharpe) Sharpe; great-grandson of Robert Sharpe (father of Sarah), private in Conn. Militia.
- ARTHUR D. SHEELER, Rochester, N. Y. (45799). Son of Amaziah M. and Ella (Minier) Sheeler; grandson of Samuel and Amanda (Morley) Minier; great-grandson of Elias and Judith Hannah (Gore) Minier; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel Gore, Sergeant in Pa. Troops. Pensioned.
- FREDERICK DUDLEY SHEELER, Rochester, N. Y. (45800). Son of Arthur D. and Jennie M. (Lent) Sheeler; grandson of Amaziah M. and Ella (Minier) Sheeler, George A. and Alma E. (——) Lent; great-grandson of Samuel Gore and Amanda (Morley) Minier, Smith and Mary Ann (Miller) Lent; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Elias and Judith (Hannah (Gore) Minier, Joseph and Anna (Smith) Lent; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Samuel Gore, Sergeant in Pa. Troops (pensioned), Isaac Lent, Sergeant in N. Y. Troops.
- HENRY DAVID SHEPHERD, Bluefield, W. Va. (46028). Son of Charles Harris and Lillian (Blandford) Shepherd; grandson of Henry Wise and Cornelia Taliaferro (Norris) Shepherd; great-grandson of Henry Harris and Lucy Ann (Johnson) Norris; great-grandson of Belfield Cave and Eliza Ann (Dickerson) Johnson; great-grandson of Valentine and Elizabeth (Cave) Johnson; great-grandson of Belfield Cave, Lieutenant in Va. Militia.
- OMAR HALSEY SHEPARD, Bridgeport, Conn. (46105). Son of Halsey Stanton and Ollie Rebecca (Farrar) Shepard; grandson of Goodwin and Almira (Kidder) Shepard; great-grandson of Winthrop and Harriet (Platts) Shepard; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Winthrop and Achsah (Loomis) Shepard; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Gideon Shepard, Lieutenant in Mass. Troops.
- FREDERIC HAVILAND SIBLEY, Bennington, Vt. (38050). Son of A. Buel and Harriette L. (Morgan) Sibley; grandson of George Byron and Fanny J. (Rockwood) Sibley; great-grandson of Samuel and Susan H. (Colvin) Rockwood; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Reuben and Susannah (Sage) Colvin, Samuel Rockwood, private in Mass. Troops; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Reuben Colvin, private in Vt. Troops, Moses Sage, Commissary and Quartermaster to Vt. Troops.
- HENRY AVERY SIMMONS, Rumford, R. I. (45061). Son of Abel Henry and Emma (Avery) Simmons; grandson of Robert Austin and Nancy (Eldridge) Avery; greatgrandson of Caleb Avery, volunteer in Conn. Troops.
- GEORGE ADAM SIMPSON, New York City, N. Y. (46213). Son of Adam and Helen (Tuttle) Simpson; grandson of Almeron and Nancy (Rosborough) Tuttle; great-grandson of Levi and Molly (Bassett) Tuttle; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Ithmar Tuttle, Ensign in Conn. Troops.
- HARVEY OGDEN SKINNER, St. Paul, Minn. (45579). Son of Hubert Marshall and Fmily Sansbury (Ogden) Skinner; grandson of Benjamin and Arletta Jane (Skinner) Ogden; great-grandson of Benjamin and Emily Tingley (Sansbury) Ogden; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Ogden, private in Pa. Troops.
- ROBERT LEE SMELSER, Indianapolis, Ind. (44145). Son of Timothy C. and Jennie F. (——) Smelser; grandson of Peter and Phoebe (Brown) Smelser; great-grandson of George and Rebecca (Sutherland) Brown; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jacob Brown, private in N. C. Troops. Pensioned.

- AUSTIN IRA SMITH, Toledo, Ohio (45819). Son of Oscar B. and Esther A. (Sayles) Smith; grandson of Reuben and Lucretia (Fox) Smith; great-grandson of Simeon and Mary (Risley) Fox; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Vaniah Fox, Sergeant in Conn. Troops.
- CARTER SMITH, Tulsa, Okla. (43497). Son of Preston and Luella (Carter) Smith; grandson of Robert Cox and Mona (Miller) Smith; great-grandson of William Smith, served at various times in the capacity of private, Ensign, Lieutenant and Captain in N. C. Troops.
- CLARENCE HERBERT SMITH, Ind. (42682). Supplemental. Son of Robert Barclay and Catherine (Taylor) Smith; grandson of John and Ann (Shroyer) Taylor; greatgrandson of David and Catherine (Shafer) Shroyer; great²-grandson of John Shafer, one of Frederick County, Md., Associators (1775), private in Md. Militia.
- EARLE WRIGHT SMITH, Newtown, Conn. (46106). Son of Arthur Judd and Frances Carolyn (Scudder) Smith; grandson of Henry Bagg and Sarah Stedman (Hazen) Smith, Samuel Starr and Jennie (Wright) Scudder; great-grandson of Horace and Greta (Bagg) Smith, Isaac Banks and Betsey (Skidmore) Scudder, Samuel and Sally (Foster) Wright; great-grandson of Simon Smith, private in Conn. Troops, Oliver and Tryphena (Day) Bagg, Corporal in Mass. Troops, Isaac and Sarah (Banks) Scudder, Abner and Elizabeth (Auringer) Foster; great-grandson of Joel Day, private in Mass. Troops, Robert Scudder, private in Conn. Troops, Thomas and Martha (Elmer) Foster, private in Conn. Line; great-grandson of Abram Foster, patriot, gave clothing to the soldiers and signed the Oath of Allegiance.
- E. ROSS SMITH, Little Rock, Ark. (37948). Son of Samuel Mitchell and Dora (Trauter) Smith; grandson of John Prather and Rebecca (Cahill) Smith; great-grandson of Samuel Mitchell and Parthenia (Prather) Smith; great-grandson of Andrew Smith, Lieutenant in Pa. Militia.
- EVERETT PRENTICE SMITH, New London, Conn. (46107). Son of Henry Nelson and Lydia Zerviah (Lathrop) Smith; grandson of Prentice Park and Maria (Avery) Smith; great-grandson of Thomas Smith; private and Sergeant in Conn. Troops, Quartermaster on Conn. Warship "Oliver Cromwell."
- LEONARD BUDD SMITH, St. Augustine, Fla. (D. C. 45868). Son of Espenetus Leonard and Ida Sophronia (Budd) Smith; grandson of Amos and Leonora (Hill) Smith; great-grandson of Elijah and Mary (Terry) Smith; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jeremiah Terry, Lieutenant in N. Y. Troops.
- PAUL SCUDDER SMITH, Conn. (41157). Supplementals. Son of Arthur Judd and Frances Carolyn (Scudder) Smith; grandson of Samuel Star and Jennie (Wright) Scudder; great-grandson of Samuel and Sally (Foster) Wright; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Abner and Elizabeth (Auringer) Foster; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Thomas and Martha (Elmer) Foster, private in Conn. Line; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Abram Foster, patriot, gave clothing to the American soldiers, signed the Oath of Allegiance in Conn.
- SIDNEY HOYT SMITH, Danbury, Conn. (46108). Son of Daniel Hoyt and Leah Maria (Ogden) Smith; grandson of Cyrus and Ester (Hickok) Smith; great-grandson of Daniel and Lucy (Hoyt) Hickok, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Daniel Hickok, private in Conn. Troops. Pensioned.
- STELLE SAMUEL SMITH, Minneapolis, Minn. (45580). Son of Milton Stelle and Flora E. (Ingram) Smith; grandson of Richard Ross and Julia A. (Stelle) Smith; great-grandson of Samuel and Evelina Freeman (Ross) Smith; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Richard and Elizabeth (Freeman) Ross; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John Ross, Lieutenant-Colonel in N. J. Militia.
- FRANK PARKER SPRUILL, Rocky Mount, N. C. (46177). Son of Peter Arrington and Harriet Burt (Parker) Spruill; grandson of William Everett and Harriet Eliza (Arrington) Spruill; great-grandson of Peter and Sarah Ann (Burt) Arrington; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Peter and Ann (——) Arrington; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Arthur Arrington, Staff Officer, and deputy Quartermaster General for N. C.
- FRANK SHEPHERD SPRUILL, Rocky Mount, N. C. (46178). Son of William Everett and Harriet Eliza (Arrington) Spruill. Same as 46177.
- FRANK SHEPHERD SPRUILL, JR., Rocky Mount, N. C. (46179). Son of Frank Shepherd and Alice (Winston) Spruill; grandson of William Everett and Harriet Eliza (Arrington) Spruill. Same as 46177.
- WILLIAM EVERETT SPRUILL, Rocky Mount, N. C. (46180). Son of Peter Arrington and Harriet Burt (Parker) Spruill. Same as 46177.

- CHARLES MARSHALL STAFFORD, Oak Park, Ill. (46056). Son of Charles Weld and Helen Frances (White) Stafford; grandson of Ira Marshall and Emma Amelia (Bradish) White; great-grandson of Clark and Hannah (Hayes) Bradish; great-grandson of James Bradish, Surgeon's Mate in Mass. Continental Troops.
- JACOB B. STAUFFER, Harrisburg, Pa. (45893). Son of John M. and Lydia E. (Bechtel) Stauffer; grandson of Gerheart S. and Maria (Erdman) Bechtel; great-grandson of Isaac and Esther (Stauffer) Bechtel; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Christian Stauffer, private in Pa. Militia.
- ROBERT DENHAM STEELE, Middletown, N. Y. (46214). Son of John and Mary Maud (Barnes) Steele; grandson of Charles Montgomery and Ella (Moore) Barnes; great-grandson of Romulus and Olivia (Denham) Barnes; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Daniel Barnes, Captain in Conn. Troops,
- THOMAS AMES STETSON, San Francisco, Cal. (45833). Son of Nahum and Alice Warren (Ames) Stetson; grandson of Thomas and Lucy (Howard) Ames; great-grandson of Abiel Ames, private in Mass. Troops.
- LUCIUS KELSEY STEVENS, Clinton, Conn. (46109). Son of Lucius J. and Lucy Maria (Kelsey) Stevens; grandson of Chauncey S. and Mabel (Stannard) Kelsey; greatgrandson of Samuel and Hannah (Wright) Kelsey; greatgrandson of Benjamin Wright, private and Fife Major in Conn. Line.
- SYLVESTER NICHOLS STEVENS, Danbury, Conn. (46110). Son of David Franklin and Mabel (Nichols) Stevens; grandson of Erastus and Sarah S. (Parcells) Stevens; greatgrandson of David B. and Lydia (Sturges) Stevens; greatgrandson of Forward and Rachel (Knapp) Stevens; greatgrandson of Ezra Stevens, Lieutenant in Conn. Continental Troops.
- ELDON BOISSEAU STEVENSON, Nashville, Tenn. (45633). Son of Maxwell Sharp and Elizabeth Sarah (Morgan) Stevenson; grandson of Hugh and Eleanor (Sharp) Stevenson; great-grandson of *Thomas Sharp*, in Va. service on the frontiers.
- LOUIS WILLIAM STOTESBURY, New York City, N. Y. (45976). Son of William and Charlotte F. (Meyer) Stotesbury; grandson of William and Helen (Schouten) Stotesbury; great-grandson of Stephen and Elizabeth (Van Voorhis) Schouten; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jerome Van Voorhis, private in N. Y. Militia.
- JAMES MEGGAT STRONG, West Hartford, Conn. (46111). Son of Harry Barnard and Harriet Paine (Meggat) Strong; grandson of John Ellsworth and Eunice (Barnard) Strong; great-grandson of Harry and Eunice (Clark) Barnard; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Dorus and Abigail (Dodd) Barnard; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John Barnard, Captain in Conn. Line.
- ELIJAH STURDEVANT, Danbury Conn. (46112). Son of Alfred Thomas and Matilda (Basten) Sturdevant; grandson of Elijah and Sarah Maria (Lyon) Sturdevant; greatgrandson of Alfred and Lavinia (White) Lyon; greatgrandson of John and Sarah (Smith) Lyon; greatgrandson of Samuel Lyon, Major in N. Y. Continental Troops.
- CHARLES LEE SULLIVAN, Dayton, Ohio (45812). Son of Samuel B. and Mary (King) Sullivan; grandson of Amos and Mehitabel (Keep) King; great-grandson of Marsena and Mary (Randall) Keep; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Matthew Keep, Corporal in Mass. Minute Men, private in Mass. Troops.
- CHARLES LEE SULLIVAN, JR., Dayton, Ohio (45813). Son of Charles Lee and Anna (Waite) Sullivan; grandson of Samuel B. and Mary (King) Sullivan. Same as 45812.
- RALPH BERNARD SULLIVAN, Cleveland, Ohio (45820). Son of Charles Lee and Anna (Waite) Sullivan; grandson of Samuel B. and Mary (King) Sullivan; great-grandson of Amos and Mehitabel (Keep) King; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Marsena and Mary (Randall) Keep; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Matthew Keep, Corporal in Mass. Minute Men and private in Mass. Militia.
- JOHN HUFFMAN SWISHER, Barberton, Ohio (46226). Son of Jacob M. and Myra W. (Pierce) Swisher; grandson of William V. C. and Mary (Ward) Swisher; greatgrandson of David and Elizabeth (Taylor) Ward; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of George Ward, private in Va. Troops.
- FRED W. TANNER, Albion, N. Y. (45988). Son of William A. and Polly Elizabeth (Jacquith) Tanner; grandson of Samuel N. and Mary (Spear) Tanner, Cyrus and Amanda (Bloss) Jacquith; great-grandson of William Brown and Hattie (Cranston)

Tanner, Benjamin and Betsy (Spaulding) Jacquith, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William Tanner, private in N. Y. Troops, Benjamin Jacquith, private in N. H. Troops.

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- HARRY FLAGLER TANNER, Medina, N. Y. (45989). Son of William Platt and Nellie (Mudgett) Tanner; grandson of William C. and Julia Ann (Flagler) Tanner; greatgrandson of Josias and Hannah (Cheney) Tanner; greatgrandson of Josias Tanner, private in R. I. Troops.
- EUGENE TAYLOR, Pensacola, Fla. (44097). Son of John E. and Lula (McAlister) Taylor; grandson of John and Mary (Sharp) McAlister; great-grandson of Henry and Margaret Jane (Mills) Sharp; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Andrew Gibbs and Mary (Trotter) Mills; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Benjamin Mills, Sr., private in Md. Troops.
- JOHN ANDERSON TAYLOR, Clifton Forge, Va. (45705). Son of Edmund Thomas and Flizabeth Stevens (Terry) Taylor; grandson of John James and Fannie W. (Taylor) Terry; great-grandson of Edmund Carter and Mary L. (Talley) Taylor; great-grandson of Lewis Walker and Elizabeth Wormley (Berkeley) Taylor; great-grandson of Carter and Kate Spotswood (Carter) Berkeley; great-grandson of Charles Carter, member of Va. Conventions (1775) and soldier in Va. Militia.
- PHILLIPS TEMPLE, Baltimore, Md. (45245). Son of Lafayette Parker and Cora Louise (Lumsden) Temple; grandson of George Aldrich and Ellen Kathleen (Parker) Temple; great-grandson of Isaiah Gray and Lois Euphelia (Munsell) Parker; great-grandson of Joseph and Charlotte (Rice) Munsell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Adam Rice, Sergeant and Quartermaster Sergeant in Mass. Troops.
- WILLIAM H. THOMAS, Bluefield, W. Va. (46029). Son of Charles M. and Jane (Crawford) Thomas; grandson of Charles and Elizabeth (Barnett) Thomas; great-grandson of Giles Thomas, private in Md. Troops.
- KENNETH C. TOMLINSON, San Francisco, Cal. (45834). Son of August F. and Susan Jane (Spencer) Tomlinson; grandson of John Manlius and Minerva (Pugh) Spencer; great-grandson of Samuel Tipton and Elizabeth C. (McInturff) Pugh; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonathan and Minerva (Tipton) Pugh; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Snapp) Tipton; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of John Tipton, signer of Woodstock, Va., Declaration of Rights, member of Committee of Safety and Correspondence, Colonel in Va. Militia.
- HAMILTON SPILMAN TRAVERS, Buffalo, N. Y. (46215). Son of William Dove and Hattie Keene (Spilman) Travers; grandson of Robert Lee and Ann Hooper (Pattison) Spilman; great-grandson of Jeremiah LeCompte and —— (——) Pattison; great-grandson of James and Elizabeth (LeCompte) Pattison; great-grandson of Moses LeCompte, Lieutenant in Md. Militia.
- JAMES HENRY TUCKER, St. Paul, Minn. (45581). Son of James Marion and Jessie Gertrude (Gault) Tucker; grandson of Daniel Lummis and Henrietta Parmelia (Saxton) Tucker; great-grandson of Silas and Parmelia (Claffin) Saxton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Claffin, private in Mass. Troops.
- WILLIAM PAYSON VILES, Augusta, Me. (45730). Son of Blaine Spooner and Annie . Ethel (Johnson) Viles; grandson of William C. and Annie H. (Copp) Johnson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Stephen C. and Juliana (Metcalf) Johnson; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Nathan and Abigail (Richardson) Metcalf; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Elisha Richardson, private in Mass. Troops.
- EDWARD KINSEY VOORHEES, Atlanta, Ga. (43050). Son of Ellisen Hoagland and Eugenia (Boyd) Voorhees; grandson of John K. and Mary (Rynearson) Voorhees; greatgrandson of Covert and Jane (Hoagland) Voorhees; greatgrandson of Gerrit Voorhees, private in N. J. Militia.
- CHARLES BROWN VOORHIS, Pasadena, Cal. (Mass. 45770). Son of Aurelius Lyman and Levisa A. (Brown) Voorhis; grandson of William A. and Levisa W. (Lewis) Brown; great-grandson of Samuel and Esther (Whitley) Lewis; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Patsy (Love) Lewis; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Andrew Lewis, Brigadier-General, Continental Army.

- THOMAS HIRAM WALLACE, Sapulpa, Okla. (43498). Son of William Thomas and Sarah Elizabeth (Creekmore) Wallace; grandson of Hiram Caswell and Ann Eliza (Wier) Creekmore; great-grandson of Robert Warner and Nancy (McGowan) Creekmore; great-grandson of William Creekmore, private in Va. Troops. Pensioned.
- WILLOUGHBY HASKELL WALLING, Ill. 41296). Supplementals. Son of Willoughby George and Frederika Christina (Haskell) Walling; grandson of Willoughby and Rosalind (English) Walling, Alexander Cheves and Alice van Yeveren (Alexander) Haskell; greatgrandson of William Hayden and Mardulia Emma Sibyl (Jackson) English, Adam Leopold and Sarah Hillhouse (Gilbert) Alexander; greatgrandson of John Farrow and Flizabeth Butler (Grigsby) Jackson, Felix and Sarah (Hillhouse) Gilbert; greatgrandson of Samuel Jackson, private in Va. Continental Line, Felix and Maria (Grant) Gilbert, David and Sarah (Porter) Hillhouse; greatgrandson of Peter Grant, Captain in Va. Continental Troops, Elisha and Sarah (Jewett) Porter; greatgrandson of David Jewett, Chaplain in Conn. Troops.
- RAYMOND M. WALTZ, Akron, Ohio (46227). Son of Luvander and Minnie (Hoch) Waltz; grandson of Elias and Lucy (Kintz) Waltz; great-grandson of David and Lydia (Baughman) Waltz; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Peter Waltz*, private in Md. Militia.
- HAROLD JOHNSON WARNER, Pendleton, Oregon (45928). Son of Thomas Clarkson and Elizabeth (Johnson) Warner; grandson of William and Harriett (Gillespie) Warner; great-grandson of Samuel P. and Hannah (Folsom) Gillespie; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonathan and Betsy (Leonard) Folsom; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Jonathan and Sarah (Bickford) Folsom; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of Jonathan Folsom, private in N. H. Troops.
- JAMES PRATT WARREN, Rocky Mount, N. C. (31516). Son of Chaning Saunders and Flora E. (Pratt) Warren; grandson of Calvin Porter and Mary Jane (Saunders) Warren; great-grandson of John Randolph and Caroline H. (Porter) Warren; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Lurinda (Cleveland) Warren; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Ezra Warren, private in Conn. Militia.
- RICHARD WEBBER, New Rochelle, N. Y. (45997). Son of Richard and Lucy (Ford) Webber; grandson of Charles and Abigail (Turner) Ford; great-grandson of Daniel and Margaret (De Klyn) Turner; great<sup>9</sup>-grandson of Barent and Abigail (De Veau) Klyn; great<sup>8</sup>-grandson of Leonard De Klyn, private in N. Y. Levies.
- BENJAMIN WEIR, Charleston, Ill. (45809). Son of John and Ellen (Hatfield) Weir; grandson of Benjamin and Matilda (Nutt) Hatfield, Philip and Sarah (Roberts) Weir; great-grandson of Aaron and Jane (Irwin) Nutt, John and Esther (Somers) Roberts, private in N. J. Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel Irwin, Lieutenant-Colonel in Pa. Militia, Aaron Nutt, Sr., scout and teamster in N. J. Troops, John Somers, private in N. J. Line and Militia, John Roberts, Sr., private in N. J. Militia and Continental Line.
- JEROME FRANCIS WELLMAN, Fort Wayne, Ind. (44149). Son of Moses B. and Emily M. (Hale) Wellman; grandson of William R. and Sally Smith (Stone) Hale; greatgrandson of Elias B. and Catharine (Lindsey) Stone; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Spencer Stone, private in Va. Troops on the frontiers.
- LOUIS FREDERICK WHEATLEY, New Haven, Conn. (46113). Son of Edward Carlos and Ellen Jane (Paine) Wheatley; grandson of Luther and Eunice C. (Preston) Wheatley; great-grandson of Luther and Sally (Stratton) Wheatley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Nathaniel and Vinal (Bliss) Wheatley; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John Wheatley, member of Committee of Safety for Lebanon, N. H.
- SILAS MANDEVILLE WHEELOCK, Putnam, Conn. (46114). Son of Eugene Arnold and Sarah Smith (Taft) Wheelock; grandson of Silas Mandeville and Irene (Taft) Wheelock; great-grandson of Jerry and Suky (Day) Wheelock; great-grandson of Simeon Wheelock, member of Committee, and Lieutenant in Mass. Troops.
- WALTER H. WHITTIER, Grand Rapids, Mich. (45546). Son of John Boland and Margaret A. (Bailey) Whittier; grandson of John and Prudence (Reed) Bailey; greatgrandson of Samuel Bailey, private in Mass. (Maine) Militia.
- WILLIAM STRONACH WILKINSON, JR., Rocky Mount, N. C. (46181). Son of William Stronach and Loulie (Wimberley) Wilkinson; grandson of George Lewis and Frances Jane (Whitfield) Wimberley; great-grandson of George William and Catherine Diggs (Hart) Whitfield; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Richard and Catherine (Diggs) Hart; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Henry Hart, Colonel in N. C. Troops.

- FRANK THEODORE WILLIAMS, Meriden, Conn. (46115). Son of Frederick Avery and Caroline Louisa (Stoddard) Williams; grandson of Jesse and Elizabeth (Avery) Williams; great-grandson of Ebenezer Avery, Ensign in Conn. Troops.
- MARK PETTWAY WILLIAMS, Rocky Mount, N. C. (46194). Son of Jonas Carr and Martha (Jones) Williams; grandson of John Buxton and Temperance (Hilliard) Williams; great-grandson of Henry Guston and Lucy (Tunstall) Williams; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Solomon Williams, Captain in N. C. Continental Line.
- ROBERT R. WILLIAMS, Roselle, N. J. (45969). Son of Robert Runnels and Alice E. (Mills) Williams; grandson of John Tibbet and Katherine Eliza (Berry) Williams; great-grandson of John and Susannah (Runnels) Berry; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Berry, private in Va. Continental Line.
- ANDREW WILKINS WILSON, JR., Saltsburg, Pa. (45894). Son of Andrew Wilkins and Anna Graham (Dick) Wilson; grandson of Samuel and Elizabeth (Wilkins) Wilson; great-grandson of Andrew and Eleanor (Robertson) Wilkins; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James Wilkins, Major in Pa. Militia.
- CLARENCE FOWARD WILSON, Uniontown, Pa. (45895). Son of William H. and Grace E. (Baird) Wilson; grandson of David A. and Elizabeth (Ridgeway) Baird; greatgrandson of Aaron and Margaret (Allen) Baird; greatgrandson of Robert Baird, private in Pa. Militia. Pensioned.
- WALTER KING WILSON, Washington, D. C. (45630). Son of James Edwards and Mary Emily (Williamson) Wilson; grandson of Sylvanus and Paulina (Strait) Williamson; great-grandson of James and Mary (Glenn) Williamson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel Williamson, private in Battle of "Huck's Defeat," York County, S. C.
- WILLIAM HERBERT WILSON, Springfield, Ohio (45814). Son of Ira and Katie (Shiref) Wilson; grandson of William and Elizabeth Ann (Lake) Wilson; great-grandson of Jacob and Ann Taylor (Schenck) Wilson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Ralph Schenck, private and wagoner in N. J. Troops. Pensioned.
- GEORGE LEWIS WIMBERLEY, JR., Rocky Mount, N. C. (46182). Son of George Lewis and Mary (Bunn) Wimberley; grandson of George Lewis and Frances Jane (Whitfield) Wimberley; great-grandson of George William and Catherine Diggs (Hart) Whitfield; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Richard and Catherine (Diggs) Hart; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Henry Hart, Colonel in N. C. Troops.
- ROBERT DIGGS WIMBERLEY, Rocky Mount, N. C. (46195). Son of George Lewis and Mary (Bunn) Wimberley; grandson of George Lewis and Frances Jane (Whitfield) Wimberley; great-grandson of George William and Catherine Diggs (Hart) Whitfield; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Richard and Catherine (Diggs) Hart; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Henry Hart, Colonel in N. C. Troops.
- EDWARD KENELM WINSLOW, Tulsa, Okla. (46007). Son of Edward and Mary (Lyon) Winslow; grandson of William and Mary (Scott) Winslow; great-grandson of Asa and Mary (Brady) Winslow; great-grandson of Nathaniel Winslow, Major in Mass. Troops.
- EDWARD LANGFORD WINSLOW, Brooklyn, N. Y. (46211). Son of Eugene Herbert and Sarah Frances (Langford) Winslow; grandson of Francis Brayton and Hannah Maria (Barnard) Winslow; great-grandson of John Winslow, drummer-boy in Mass, Militia.
- WILLIAM HENRY WINSLOW, JR., Chicago, Ill. (45325). Son of William Henry and Josephine (Whitaker) Winslow; grandson of George Cabot and Ella (Crossfield) Whitaker; great-grandson of Kendall Gibbs and Rebecca Graves (Martin) Crossfield; great<sup>2</sup>grandson of Samuel and Rebecca (Hall) Martin; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of David Hall, Corporal in N. H. Troops.
- HAMNER WILLIAMS WINSTEAD, Rocky Mount, N. C. (46183). Son of William Robert and Martha O. (King) Winstead; grandson of William May and Dicie Almeta (Peebles) King; great-grandson of John and Allie May (Vines) King; great-grandson of Samuel and Mary (May) Vines; great-grandson of Benjamin May, member of Committee of Safety for Pitt County, N. C., delegate to the Convention at Halifax; Major in N. C. Troops.
- CECIL LEGRIEL WITTKOWSKY, Camden, S. C. (44420). Son of Legriel Adolph and Pauline (Heyman) Wittkowsky; grandson of Adolph and Susan A. (Hyams) Wittkowsky; great-grandson of Moses D. and Susannah (Jackson) Hyams; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David and Rebecca (Maysor) Hyams; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of David and Sarah (DaCosta)

- Maysor; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Isaac DaCosta*, S. C. patriot, gave liberally of his means to the cause of America.
- CHARLES RANDELL WOOD, New Rochelle, N. Y. (46216). Son of William G. and Mary Louise (Randell) Wood; grandson of John and Martha (Bayles) Wood, Charles Henry and Mary Ann (Meyer) Randell; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Martha (Hunt) Bayles, David and Catherine (Bayliss) Meyer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonathan Bayles, Sergeant in N. Y. Troops, John Bayliss, Corporal in N. Y. Troops.
- EARLE MILTON WOOD, Taftville, Conn. (46116). Son of Joseph and Sylvenie (Tarbox) Wood; grandson of Robert and Harriet (Wells) Tarbox; great-grandson of Fones Whitford and Sarah A. (Spencer) Tarbox; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Esther (Whitford) Tarbox; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Samuel Tarbox, private in R. I. Troops.
- MILTON CHUBBUCK WOOD, Detroit, Mich. (45543). Son of Charles Milton and Margaret Mignon (Chubbuck) Wood; grandson of Leander T. and Emma C. (Thayer) Chubbuck; great-grandson of Loomis and Margaret (Morse) Thayer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joel and Susanna (Adams) Thayer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonah Thayer, Corporal in Mass. Troops.
- JOHN MARION WORMLEY, Kingsley, Iowa (45514). Son of Samuel Stuart and Susan (Shoopman) Wormley; grandson of George Elder and Barbara (Kiner) Wormley; great-grandson of Englehart Wormley, private in Pa. Militia.
- ALBERT SOUTHARD WRIGHT, Montclair, N. J. (45954). Son of Joseph Haddaway and Annie Hewitt (Southard) Wright; grandson of Joseph Bowers and Mary E. (Moon) Wright; great-grandson of Thomas Stewart and Tabitha (Bowers) Wright; great-grandson of Joseph and Ann (Ford) Bowers; great-grandson of Stephen Ford, private in N. J. Militia.
- CHARLES WILLIS WRIGHT, Baltimore, Md. (45247). Son of Willis and Margaret Frances (——) Wright; grandson of Jesse and Eliza (——) Wright; great-grandson of Constantine Wright, private in Dorchester County, Md., Troops.
- DON O. YEOMAN, Amherstburg, Ontario, Canada (Mich. 45544). Son of James and Amy (Israel) Yeoman; grandson of Eli and Rebeccah Jane (Knox) Yeoman; great-grandson of Walter and Batharia (Fountain) Yeoman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Stephen Yeoman, private in N. Y. Troops.



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