Invest in America's priceless heritage: a Limited Edition of

The Paul Revere-Old North Church Lantern

Authorized by the Concord Museum

wo lanterns beamed from the Old North Church Steeple on the night of April 18, 1775, a signal arranged by Paul Revere that the British were moving troops north from Boston by boat ("one if by land — and

One of these famous lanterns has survived. It is now in the collection of the Concord Antiquarian Society and on view in a locked and guarded display case in their Museum at Concord, Massachusetts.

Under special authorization granted by the Museum exclusively to the Limited Editions Collectors Society, a limited number of certified, authentic replicas of the Paul Revere/ Old North Church Lantern are being meticulously produced to commemorate America's Bicentennial. Through the Collectors Society, a very limited number of Americans will be able to experience an unusual sense of involvement in the Bicentennial by acquiring either one, or a pair, of the Society's identifiable replicas of this great American symbol. Simultaneously, they will be making a most promising investment — in a collector item that is sure to become an heirloom of

The significance of the Paul Revere/Old North Church Lantern as an historical symbol has long been established. For instance, in 1963, a pair of replica lanterns, fashioned in sterling silver, were awarded to President John F. Kennedy by the National Press Club. And, just recently, a silver plated replica of the lantern was awarded to President Gerald Ford, by Boston's famous Middlesex Club. Because of their strong historical symbolism, each Lantern is an appropriate Bicentennial presentation piece to give to an historical society, a civic organization or public official.

Each authentic Lantern replica will be engraved with an individual serial number and recorded in the permanent Master Registry of Ownership maintained at the Concord Museum for the perpetual protection of the integrity of the Limited Edition. This procedure also protects the growth in the Collector value of each Lantern against any effect due to sale of unauthorized reproductions and counterfeits, some of which are already being

Packed with each Lantern is a "Certificate of Authenticity" signed by the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Concord Antiquarian Society and by members of the Historical Advisory Board of the Collectors Society including: Daniel Fenn, Director, John F. Kennedy Presidential Library, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Dr. John Platt, Senior Historian, National Park Service, U.S. Department of Interior; Edward C. Bursk, Editor Emeritus, Harvard Business Review; Esmond Wright, Professor of American History, University of London.

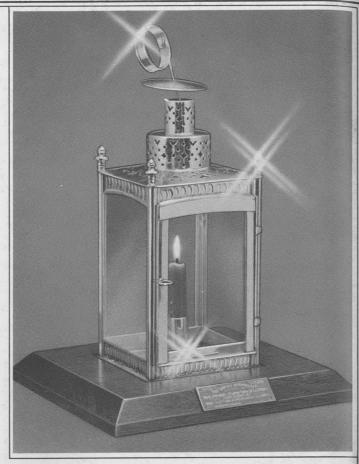


Photo at right: 999 Silver Plate on Brass

Each Lantern is furnished with a recessed plinth crafted of fine Honduras mahogany on which the owner can display the Lantern formally. Or, if desired, the free-standing Lantern can be removed from the plinth and used in an almost endless variety of decorative uses in the home or office. Permanently mounted on the plinth is a plaque carrying the Museum's Certification of authenticity and its special serial number. An optional second plaque carrying the name and special inscription of the purchaser can be ordered at a nominal additional charge.

The Lantern is 5½" square at base, 12¼" high, and is being made of heavy gauge brass in four finishes — 22 karat gold plate, .999 silver plate, a pewter finish, and an antique brass finish. A very limited number will also be available in sterling. The Lanterns range in price from \$148 to \$495 in sterling and a savings can be enjoyed by ordering a pair. (See commissioning order coupon.)

If you wish to order a Lantern, or a pair, we urge you to fill out the coupon and send it at once, along with your deposit, to avoid disappointment. A number of orders have already been received, and there is currently a ten week delivery back-log. Since the readership of the S.A.R. magazine is estimated to exceed 20,000, we must insist on the following terms: Serial numbers will be assigned strictly on the basis of time of receipt, and we cannot guarantee early delivery of any order received after December 31, 1974. Make your check payable to Paul Revere Lantern, or, if you prefer, just send a \$50 deposit for each Lantern you order and we will bill you for the balance just prior to shipping.

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The PRESIDENT GENERAL'S MESSAGE ~~~

from Point Lookout, Missouri

Dear Compatriots:

As I pursue my duties as your President General I am frequently reminded that in a patriotic organization such as The Sons of the American Revolution our ultimate strength lies in numbers. But I am also reminded that the success of our undertakings is made possible through the efforts of individuals. Let us never, in our democracy, discount the importance of the individual and his contribution to a cause.

Edward Everett Hale expressed well

how the individual should feel toward a cause:

"I am only one
But still I am one.
I cannot do everything,

But still I can do something.

I will not refuse to do something I can do."

And more eloquent than any words that could be mustered about the importance of you as an individual member of S. A. R. is the life of a little known but great American patriot, Dr. Joseph Warren of Boston. Here was a man only three generations removed from England who, because of his convictions, gave his most precious possession, life itself, to the principle in which he believed.

Almost unheard of today (though the Bicentennial Celebration may awaken new interest in him and other lesser known patriots), Dr. Warren served as President of the Provisional Congress, Chairman of the Committee on Safety, Major General and Chief Surgeon of the Army. He might have become Commander-in Chief of the Continental Army except that he campaigned for George Washington who was his personal choice for that high post.

Dr. Warren, a distinguished physician and military hero without uniform, was one of those rare men who rise to the occasion and the needs of his country. Son of a farmer, young Warren, with ambitions to become a physician like one of his grandparents, was admitted to Harvard when he was only 14. When his father died from a fall out of an apple tree, it was necessary for his mother to obtain public funds to pay the boy's school expenses. Harvard, possessing only a few books on medicine and just two skeletons, provided little training in practical medicine so it was necessary for him to be apprenticed to a practicing physician. His mother



M. GRAHAM CLARK PRESIDENT GENERAL

had to mortgage part of the family farm to pay the cost of the apprenticeship. Fortunately his mentor was Boston's best.

Following his apprenticeship, Warren worked in a hospital attending smallpox patients and giving inoculations. He also served as midwife, pulled teeth, did amputations, set bones and reduced dislocations. When young Doctor Warren needed two of his own teeth replaced, his friend silversmith Paul Revere made them for him so he would appear presentable to his elite Boston patients.

In spite of the fact that he built up the largest practice in Boston he did not hesitate to accept the responsibilities of civic duties. He objected to the Stamp Act and was active against the infringements on the rights of the colonists although the crown had appointed him Almshouse Physician. He joined the Masonic Order and was appointed Grand Master of the Masons in the Boston area.

After his young wife died at the age of 26 he increased his activities in political matters. As Chairman of the Committee on Safety, he doubtless had knowledge of the acts of the "Mohawks" who participated in the Boston Tea Party.

Although nearly every schoolboy in America knows at least the poet's version of Paul Revere's midnight ride, it was Dr. Warren who gave the order for the ride to warn the countryside of the approach of the British.

Having cast his lot with the colonists, Dr. Warren turned from his Boston practice of medicine to relieving the suffering of the soldiers. He was at Lexington almost immediately after the massacre and treated the wounded there. This event turned the physician into a soldier because he endorsed the belief in the importance of holding off the British until the country could ready itself for war. Dr. Warren joined the continental forces at Bunker Hill.

"When liberty is the price, who would shun the warfare, who would stoop to waste a coward thought on life." was a notable statement of his.

Dr. Joseph Warren, American patriot, was killed during the early phases of the Battle of Bunker Hill. He and other defenders of that almost defenseless hill sacrificed their lives in the cause of freedom, equality, justice and humanity. Here was a patriot who put the dream of country first and his actions demonstrated that his were more than outbrusts of bravado activated by emotion. He was dedicated to a well thought out principle in which he believed to the end of his life.

We are descendants of such patriots as Dr. Joseph Warren whose sacrifices gave cause for the purpose of The Sons of the American Revolution. Therefore, let us, with Katherine Lee Bates, raise our voices in grateful song: "O beautiful for patriot dream that sees beyond the years . . ."

M. Grahamblach





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FRONT COVER: President Gerald Ford receives his SAR membership certificate and insignia in the Oval Office of the White House from President General M. Graham Clark. In the lower photo, Compatriot Ford admires the magnificent hand-wrought porcelain depicting the Declaration of Independence, a gift from the SAR. Compatriot Ford accepted the masterpiece for the American people, and stated that it would be exhibited on the Freedom Train, after which it would be returned to the White House. (I to r): President Ford, Pres. Gen. Clark, Law Enforcement Chairman Ordway P. Burden, Past V.P. Gen. Donald Baldwin, Comp. Hugh G. Swofford (of the Bicentennial Admin.), Past Pres. Gen. Marion H. Crawmer and Treasurer Gen. Ralph M. Pabst.

The Official Pledge to the Sons of the American Revolution

We descendants of the heroes of the American Revolution who, by their sacrifices, established the United States of America, reaffirm our faith in the principles of liberty and our Constitutional Republic, and solemnly pledge ourselves to defend them against every foe.

The wording of the Pledge to the Sons of the American Revolution was officially changed at an SAR Annual Congress a few years ago. Basically, "Democracy" was replaced by "Republic". Some state societies have continued to distribute obsolete pledge cards bearing the old version, and it is requested that they discontinue such usage. All obsolete pledge cards turned into National Headquarters will be replaced without cost to the sender.



The Honorable Clarence Kelley, Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, receives the SAR Law Enforcement Commendation Medal and Certificate from National Law Enforcement Chairman Ordway P. Burden. The bestowal took place at FBI Headquarters in Washington, D.C. The late Director, J. Edgar Hoover, received the first medal and certificate of this award when it was instituted in 1968.

Dear Compatriots:

Our esteemed President General continues to receive pro and con letters relative to my editorials, although reportedly, it appears that most recommend continuance. When a final count is available, the President General will announce the results, and this will determine future policy.

In the meantime, I stand firm by all I have written, and apologize to no one. Your pronouncements will ordain whether I will continue to write as intrepidly as before, or not at all.

Warren S. Woodward Editor

The Congress is coming!
The Congress is coming!
Don't miss it!



Plan NOW to attend the 85th Annual Congress June 29 thru July 2, 1975, The Copley Plaza Boston, Massachusetts

CRIME AND PUNISHMENT

by Colonel Glenn I. Epperson
U. S. Cavalry-Ret., SAR, OSB, SCV, MOWW
Chairman, Americanism Committee, NSSAR

"If we go on as we are, there is every possibility that crime will inundate us." These prophetic words were spoken by former U.S. Attorney General William Saxbe in August 1974.

Let's recognize the basic reason for this crime wave. Lack of punishment!

Of the millions of crimes committed in the United States,

only 19% are reported. And only 5.7% of the perpetrators of known crimes were tried, sentenced, and sent to jail. Criminologists estimate that 98.5% of all crime in the U. S. goes unpunished. Why then should criminals worry? Their chances of being caught and sent to prison are 1.5 in 100. Pretty good odds, don't you think?

Statistics prove that crime pays—and very well. For example, Daniel Ellsberg who stole and sold the Pentagon Papers. Instead of punishment for his treasonous acts, he

Paradoxically, the courts have ruled it to be illegal for law-abiding citizens to protect themselves and their property against subversive "peace" organizations. These were outright "war" organizations, a Fifth Column, baying in full coordination and concert with Hanoi on the Capitol steps in 1971. For their unlawful assembly and destruction of property, the rioters were arrested by the Washington police. Thanks to the ACLU, in January 1975 the courts awarded the demonstrators \$25 million or about \$10,000 per each Hanoi helper.

FIGURES DON'T LIE

In 1960 the FBI reported there were 3,353,000 serious crimes committed in our country. At the time there were 213,000 convicts in state and federal prisons. In 1972, there were 8,173,000 serious crimes—more than twice the 1960 figure—and the prison population had declined to 197,000. In 1974 there were 968 murders in Chicago with other cities following as close seconds. The national crime rate surged upward 16% in the first nine months of that year.

When the above figures are coupled with the fact that most of the lawbreakers now being arrested are recidivists, the justification for current policies of easy probation and swift parole begins to evaporate. Of the total number of policemen killed in 1974, 59% were cut down by "victims of society" on probation

Some ideas widely accepted a decade ago now must be called into serious question. One is that criminal behavior is a "disease" that will respond to a prescribed therapy. Another is that a criminal has more chance of reforming outside of prison than inside. Also there is a loud communist-inspired minority who object to law enforcement agencies and prisons in the first place and who demand that they should be put out of existence. Parenthetically, these are the same bleeding hearts who would eliminate our Armed Forces and disarm law-abiding citizens.

Eminent psychiatrists like Karl Menninger tell us that the law-abiding citizen is the real criminal because he wants to put muggers, rapists, murderers, and terrorists behind bars. These misguided sociologists bray that criminals are victims of society and they insist that punishment is no deterrent to

Capricious judges have tied the hands of police. The leftist ideology behind the protection and coddling of known criminals by the ACLU has made a mockery of justice. The apathy of the American citizen while being "ripped off"

borders on insanity. Some judges echo Menninger's outburst against "our present stupid, futile, abominable practices against detected offenders"—namely, sending them to prison.

Draft dodgers and deserters were offered amnesty and jobs instead of being punished according to law. This permissiveness can only result in total anarchy and agony in event of another war. Amnesty has added another slimy substance of permissiveness to swell the ooze of crime.

Apologists and excuse-makers for rising crime blame unemployment and the "recession." Yet, during the period of the Great Depression, there was no rise in crime. In fact, in the 1930's there was very little crime compared to the 1970's. But, then the death penalty was exercised where warranted and crime was not permitted to pay.

THE TAXPAYERS PAY

There are more laws to protect the youthful offender than to safeguard the victim from the juvenile criminal. Yet, most crimes are committed by those under 18. School vandalism alone costs taxpayers billions of dollars. The young hooligans and arsonists realize that they will not be punished, so that makes them bolder and makes them want to get away with even more to impress their peers and gang members. If an individual is old enough to commit a man's crime, he is old enough to receive a man's punishment.

Our country's crime situation can be compared to that of a large family where there are too many children and where discipline and respect for law and order and for the rights of others have broken down entirely. When mother and dad refuse to discipline their children and neglect their responsibilities to impart the fact that each individual can enjoy freedoms only to the extent that in exercising those freedoms he does not impair or encroach upon the rights and freedoms of others, pandemonium results.

To face the facts about crime and punishment does not mean society must abandon faith in the possibilities of redemption. Some criminals eventually do reform—but through personality changes that seldom can be linked to any parole or probation program. There is no appreciable difference to the later behavior of convicted offenders who are made the object of rehabilitation experiments and those who are not

What we are left with is a situation where far too many offenders are enjoying freedom on the mistaken assumption that their chances for rehabilitation have been increased by excusing them from punishment for breaking the law. This is corrupting the meaning of our laws and perverting a principle of justice. Now it is the law-abiding citizen who is behind locked doors—protecting himself from the criminal in the streets.

Until the nation restores sanity to its thinking about crime and punishment, the violence of lawlessness will be visited upon us indefinitely, with the statistics continuing to spiral upward—and we'll deserve to be inundated with crime. It is time to gore some sacred oxen!

Have you asked your Congressman and state legislator for a return to sanity? It means your survival.

PLAN NOW TO ATTEND THE

85th ANNUAL SAR CONGRESS

At Boston—June 29 thru July 2, 1975

The great tragedy of the West is that its leaders . . . and they are all good Christian, patriotic men, is that they are psychologically incapable of grasping or understanding the true nature of the enemy openly and implacably bent upon our destruction.

Ambassador William Bullitt

Compatriots in the Public Eye

President General M. GRAHAM CLARK, JR. has received the Gold Heart Award of the American Heart Association. This coveted national honor was bestowed upon Dr. Clark by the President, Richard S. Ross, M.D.

Compatriot WILLIAM A. MOORE of the Cincinnati (Ohio) Chapter has been appointed Treasurer and Heritage Chairman of the Butler Bicentennial Commission.

Compatriot ROBERT A. KELLY of the North Dakota Society has been appointed Asst. Press Secty. to the President. Before going to the White House, Comp. Kelly was Director of Communications for Secretary of the Interior Morton.

Ye Editor has been honored by the President of the Republic of France with the rank of Chevalier of the National Order of Merit. The insignia and diploma were presented for the President by the French Ambassador at the Embassy in Washington.

Chairman ORDWAY P. BURDEN of the Law Enforcement Committee has been appointed Honorary Deputy Sheriff of Los Angeles (Calif.) County.

Past President General WALTER G. STERLING and Registrar General NEILL F. AMSLER, JR. of Houston, Texas have been designated Honorary Deputy Sheriffs of Middlesex County, Mass.

Secretary JOHN M. MILLER, JR. of the Huntington (NY) Chapter has been elected V.P. of the Society of Descendants of Henry Wolcott, Inc.

President REGINALD H. METCALF, JR. of the Huntington (NY) Chapter has been appointed by the Town of Huntington to organize and reactivate the historic Huntington Militia Companies.

Vice Pres. RUFUS B. LANGHANS of the Huntington (NY) Chapter has been appointed Chairman of the Huntington American Revolution Bicentennial Committee.

President SAMUEL PIERCE, JR. of the D.C. Society has been elected President of the Sons of the Revolution (SR) in the District of Columbia.

President ALEXANDER FRASER of the San Antonio Chapter has been elected Lt. Gov. of the Texas Society of Colonial Wars.

Texas Compatriots have organized a new Camp of the Sons of Confederate Veterans. Charter members of the new Alamo Camp, SCV, are: Alexander Fraser, Mallory S. Price, Bobby L. Taylor, Robert E. Peyton, Clarence Q. Graham, John F. Dibrell, Charles G. James, Edward M. Golson and Thomas B. Nash.

National Trustee ROBERT H. SWADLEY of Oakland Chapter has been appointed Advisor to the Calif. Society, DAR. Comp. Swadley has also been nominated as District Governor of Rotary.

Compatriot JAMES H. PELHAM of the Buffalo (N.Y.) Chapter is Vice Chancellor of Ismailia Temple, AAONMS, and an editor of *Shrine Smile* magazine.

National Trustee JOHN C. MOWBRAY, a Justice of the Supreme Court of Nevada, has been named Man of the Year by the City of Hope. The honor was bestowed at a banquet in his honor.

Past President General JAMES B. GARDINER is serving as Secretary of The Conference of Patriotic and Historical Societies.

Compatriot JOSEPH H. MOORE of the Edw. Telfair Chapter (Ga.) has been promoted to Director of The Ships of the Sea Museum in Savannah.

Chairman ORDWAY P. BURDEN of the Law Enforcement Committee has been honored with an appointment to the Federal Commission on the Review of the National Policy Toward Gambling. His role on this important commission will be that of specialist and consultant in the field of law enforcement.

Vice President JOSEPH H. GALLOWAY, D.V.M. of the Maryland Society has been elected President of the American Association for Laboratory Animal Science, and will be installed in Boston this year.

Compatriot ALFRED C. DAVES of the Mobile (Ala.) Chapter has been appointed to the U.S. National Defense Executive Reserve, which serves the office of the President in event of national emergency.

President BERNARD H. CHRISTIAN of the Kansas Society has been elected President of the Topeka High Twelve Club. Chancellor RALPH GLENN of the Kansas Society served as his installing officer.

Compatriot ABE MORELLI of the Clearwater (Fla.) Chapter has been named "The Man of the Year" by the Dunedin Chamber of Commerce. After making a remarkable recovery from a severe stroke, Comp. Morelli dedicated himself to the sick, and is affectionately known in his area as "Dr. Sunshine".

President CHARLES W. MORGAN of the Saramana (Fla.) Chapter has been appointed to the National Bicentennial Committee of the Military Order of the World Wars (MOWW).

Past President ELWOOD E. LEONARD of the Rhode Island Society is now serving as Co-Chairman of the Rhode Island Bicentennial Cabinet, formed to coordinate local projects with those of the State Commission.

Past President General WALTER G. STERLING has been appointed by Gov. Briscoe to the Board of Regents of the University of Texas. Comp. Sterling, a U.T. graduate, was confirmed by the Texas Senate and will serve for 6 years. Other Texas SARs on the Board of Regents are Compatriots (former Governor) Allan Shivers, Edward A. Clark, A. G. McNeese and Thomas H. Law.

Past President ROBERT H. V. DUNCAN of the Va. Society has been appointed by Gov. Godwin to the Board of Visitors for Gunston Hall, historic home of George Mason.

Compatriot MONROE J. RATHBONE of the Gen. Philemon Thomas Chapter (La.) has been named to the Hall of Fame for U.S. Business Leadership. Comp. Rathbone. A total of 19 noted Americans have been so honored, including Washington, Edison, Ford, Eli Whitney, and J. P. Morgan. Comp. Rathbone recently retired as Chairman of the Board of Exxon.



At Evansville, Indiana, the Armed Forces Day Parade featured the Washington Life Guard of Wabash College, sponsored by the Posey-Vanderburgh Chapter, SAR.

Chapter and State Societies



NEWS and events

Your SAR Magazine staff recommends that state societies appoint a qualified compatriot to assemble and transmit ready-to-print material to the office of the Editor. Cooperation by such state societies will obviously enable us to accord them a maximum of representation within these pages.

Do not send newspaper clippings or chapter notices, instead of ready-to-print resumes of activities.

Many situations necessitate the editing of submitted copy, and we reserve the customary editorial prerogative of condensing or omitting that which circumstances justify.

Due to limited space, the text of speeches and essays cannot be published.

Submitted photographs must be black and white glossy prints, for satisfactory reproduction, and must be "SAR subject-related."

Do not send photographs or material which are of such value that their return is necessitated. A service charge of \$1 will be made for each photo or item that must be returned. Any news material that predates the last previous deadline will be considered too outdated for publication, and will be rejected.



President General and Mrs. M. Graham Clark are shown at the recent gala banquet of Arizona's Saguaro Chapter.

ARIZONA SOCIETY

The leading organization within the Arizona Society, the Saguaro Chapter, served as a magnificent host to the President General and his First Lady during their recent visitation to that picturesque state. From the moment these distinguished guests landed in their own aircraft until subsequent departure, officers and compatriots of Saguaro Chapter set a superb example for gracious hospitality.

A sumptuous banquet was held in their honor, and the attendance was record-breaking. In addition to the President General and First Lady, distinguished guests included V.P. Gen. (Dr.) H.B. Willard, Treasurer Gen.



Comp. Robert A. Kelly (rt), Asst. Press Secretary to the President, receives the Good Citizenship Medal from Pres. Gen. M. Graham Clark at the White House.

Ralph M. Pabst, National Trustee (Dr.) Lawrence M. Jones, State V.P. William W. Pearson, Chapter Pres. Argyle M. Knapp and Comp. (Col.) Seth B. Caperton, Pilot and Aide to the President General. During the program, on behalf of the Saguaro Chapter, Pres. Gen. Clark bestowed the SAR Law Enforcement Commendation Medal upon Sheriff P. Blubaum who, in acknowledging the honor, lauded the Chapter and especially Treasurer Gen. Pabst, as strong forces for the good of the community. Before departing, Pres. Gen. and Mrs. Clark expressed their gratitude, and remarked that they had never enjoyed an SAR visitation more than this one.

The Saguaro Chapter continues to distribute a periodical newsletter of superior quality, which calls upon all Americans to be aware of, and defend our nation against dire menaces threatening our very existence.

COLORADO SOCIETY

The annual Veterans' Day banquet was held on Nov. 11 at the Tiffin Inn, Denver. V.P. (Col.) Walden F. Woodward is to be commended for securing such excellent speakers for the State Society banquets. On this occasion, it was Maj. Gen. Ethan Chapman, USA, Ret., who gave a stirring talk on causes of the American Revolution, and held his audience spellbound.

Pres. Gen. and Mrs. M. Graham Clark, Jr. were honored State Society guests at the Bill of Rights Day Banquet held at the Officers Club, Fitz-simmons Army Hospital. Comp. Clark addressed the membership, stressing the value of the DAR, the value of the Constitution, and the need to set their sights in the proper direction, and to "keep our powder dry"

D.C. SOCIETY

The Armistice Day luncheon was held Nov. 13 at the Army & Navy Club. D.C. Society Pres. Samuel Pierce, Jr. introduced the very distinguished group of officers who were honored guests, noting that their careers represented more than 500 years of dedicated service to their country. Compatriots present rose in salute to these outstanding patriotic gentlemen.

The D.C. Society has instituted a "Meritorious Service Award" for compatriots who have given such service to the Society, without being the recipients of the Patriot or Minute Man Medals, and who are neither Past Presidents nor incumbent officers. By unanimous decision, Comp. Donald E. A. Cameron became the recipient of the first Award. On Oct. 9, Past Pres., (Gen.) Louis J. Fortier, now deceased, presented Comp. Cameron with a miniature historic flag set, and Pres. Pierce read the citation.

FLORIDA SOCIETY

The Caloosa Chapter celebrated Constitution Week with an outstanding program that included obtaining proclamations from local mayors; joint events with DAR chapters; TV, radio and press coverage; placement of posters; cooperation by local merchants; and presentation by the Chapter to the new City Hall of Cape Coral of framed copies of the Bill of Rights and Declaration of Independence. The Mayor asked Chapter Pres. Sidney King to read the official Constitution Week proclamation at the Cape Coral Council meeting, and Comp. King was in-



Maj. Gen. Ethan Chapman, USA (Ret.), the principal speaker at the Veterans Day banquet of the Colorado Society, is shown with State V.P. (Col.) Walden F. Woodward, USA (Ret.), at the right.



The late Pres. Joseph W. Hart of the Naples (Fla.) Chapter receives the coveted Florence Kendall Award from State Pres. Richard H. Thompson (rt) as Caloosa Chapter Pres. Sidney S. King looks on. Comp. Hart would have received this top National recruiting award at the 84th Congress, but was ill and unable to attend. The Society mourns the loss of this outstanding Compatriot.

vited to speak from the pulpit of St. Raphael's Church at Fort Myers, in place of the regular sermon.

In October at the Ft. Myers Country Club, the Caloosa Chapter heard Comp. Newton Larkum, M.D. speak on "Quackery in the Medical Profession." Dr. Larkum is a noted pathologist and a former Director of the American Cancer Society. In November, the Chapter presented the SAR Law Enforcement Commendation Award to Cpl. Ron Allen of the Lee Co. Sheriff's Dept. The 24-year old deputy recently captured fleeing criminals after a 90-100 mph chase, during which bullets struck his windshield 5 times. Following the bestowal, Major J. Warriner spoke on the organization and work of the Sheriffs Dept.

The DeLand Chapter observed Constitution Week with its annual Ladies Night Banquet, with the DeBary-Deltona Chapter joining for the occasion. Many distinguished guests including DARs attended. The Distinguished Man of the Year Award was presented to Mr. Chester Coons for his many years of service to local organizations and to the community. The principal



DeLand Chapter (Fla.) Pres. Sid Porter (It) presents the Chapter's "Distinguished Man of the Year" award to Mr. Chester Coons as Chairman Lewis Cunningham of the Selection Committee looks on.

speaker was Mr. Harris Remley, a high-ranking officer of the Seaboard Coast Line Railroad.

Naples Chapter lost no time in recognizing 2 teenagers who, with an assist from an older man, captured a pair of purse-snatchers, and turned them over to the police. In presenting each with a Good Citizenship Medal, Chapter Pres. Joseph Hart said, "We read in the newspapers about all the bad things teenagers are doing, but I believe there are a lot more good than bad ones. We have 2 of the good ones here today."

St. Petersburg Chapter played host to 3 local DAR chapters at a Constitution Week luncheon with 125 attending. The speaker was Dr. Everett Cushman, Professor at Stetson Law College. Chapter Pres. George E. Morris presided.

Saramana Chapter Pres. Charles W. Morgan introduced the Chapter's outstanding Bicentennial program at a joint Constitution Week convocation with a local DAR chapter.

The Fort Lauderdale Chapter was recently represented in the Pioneer Days Parade with 5 Compatriots



Compatriots Major H. Ward (It) and William A. Newton display the framed Basic Documents that were presented by Caloosa Chapter (Fla.) to Cape Coral's new City Hall.

garbed in Revolutionary uniforms: Courtenay Crutcher, Jim Moore, Matt Sellers, Joe Rumbaugh and Pres. Preston Merchant. The Chapter also featured a decorated booth with 13 fullsize "Betsy Ross" flags belonging to Comp. Elmer Nicks.

IOWA SOCIETY

On Nov. 3, Pres. Gen. and Mrs. M. Graham Clark were the Guests of Honor at a colorful banquet of the Iowa Society. The large attendance of Compatriots and guests heard our Chief Executive state that "if you're going in the wrong direction, it doesn't matter how fast you're going." He furnished 4 signposts to use in charting our course: l. Athens — symbolic education and individual thinking. 2. Washington — symbolic of self-government, liberty and justice. Ours is



Pres. Gen. M. Graham Clark addresses the Iowa Society as State Pres. and Mrs. Volney H. Smith listen intently to one of the finest orations ever delivered to the Hawkeye State Compatriots and their ladies.

still the best form of government devised by man, in spite of a few short-comings. 3. Cape Canaveral — symbolic of exploration and achievement. 4. Jerusalem — symbolic of the faith of many people.

INDIANA SOCIETY

The Alexis Coquillard Chapter of South Bend joined forces with the Sauk Trail Chapter of Battle Creek, Mich. on Oct. 19 at Diamond Harbor Inn on beautiful Diamond Lake. The novel joint program of two chapters from two separate state societies attracted over 50 members and their ladies. Indiana Society Pres. E. La Rue Allen attended from his home 300 miles distant, and other V.I.P.s present were: Past Pres. Gen. Marion H. Crawmer, V.P. Gen. Gordon C. Bates, Past Surgeon Gen. David B. Davis, M.D., Past Tenn. Soc. Pres. Charles Almeda. Mrs. Juanita Oas spoke on "The West Half of the Sauk Trail", and her address proved to be most interesting. Co-Chairmen of Arrangements were Compatriots Volney C. Weir and Neil S. Murray. The two Chapters hope to make this function an annual event.

KANSAS SOCIETY

The **Thomas Jefferson Chapter** held a dinner-meeting on Nov. 17 at Topeka's Jayhawk Hotel with many Compatriots



The official U.S. American Revolution Bicentennial Administration medallion is presented to Pres. Gen. M. Graham Clark by Comp. Hugh G. Swofford (rt), Bicentennial Advisor to the White House.

and their ladies in attendance. Among the V.I.P. guests were State Pres. Bernard H. Christian, State Secty.-Treas. William C. Baker. Chancellor Ralph F. Glenn and Washington Chapter Pres. Augustus di Zerega, V. Mrs. Charles Baldry entertained on her autoharp, accompanied by group singing. She preceded each patriotic air with a brief history of each piece. Following the program, the group retired to the Kansas State Historical Museum for a most interesting

KENTUCKY SOCIETY

The Board of Governors of the Kentucky Society convened at the Red Carpet Inn at Bowling Green on Dec. 7, with representatives of 5 chapters attending. Prof. John Herrick of Western Kentucky Univ., who is President of the host Charles Duncan Chapter, introduced the speaker, Capt. James Love, USA, at the luncheon following the meeting. His subject was "George Washington's Army.

The Thruston Chapter held its Constitution Week meeting on Sept. 14 with a luncheon at Stouffer's Inn. The distinguished guest speaker was Political Science Prof. H. Grant Nicks of the Univ. of Louisville who gave an excellent dissertation on the various articles and their interpretations

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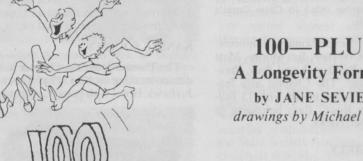
Top: Pres. (Prof.) John Herrick (rt) of Bowling Green's Charles Duncan Chapter is portrayed with Capt. James Love, USA, the speaker at a Dec. 7 meeting of the Kentucky Board of Governors.

Lower: Also present at the Bowling Green meeting were (I to r): State Pres. Newell M. Hargett, Past State Pres. Frank M. Long and State V.P. Robert Smith.

throughout the years. The Good Citizenship Award was presented to Rabbi Herbert Waller for his many contributions to the betterment of the citizenry of the metropolitan area. The Chapter President, Brig. Gen. Frank M. Reinecke, USMC (Ret.) presided as host and master of ceremonies.

MARYLAND SOCIETY

The Maryland Society met at the Annapolis Yacht Club on Oct. 19 with almost 100 members and guests on hand to commemorate the anniversary of the "Burning of the Peggy Stewart" and the "Surrender at Yorktown." The John Paul Jones Chapter acted as host, with Past Pres. Gerald C. Moore serving as chairman. State Pres. Warren A. Burdette presented the Silver Good Citizenship Medal to RAdm. Ernest Eller, former Historian of the U.S. Navy, for his "notable services on behalf of national principles." In addition, Comp. Burdette awarded Certificates of Appreciation to Peter Carroll and George Phillips, co-owners of the Naval Historical Wax Museum in Annapolis, for their contribution to the patriotic interests of the community. An interesting service of the museum is a 30-slide illustrated talk on the historical events portrayed in the museum, which is available without charge to schools and groups throughout Maryland. The event was honored with the presence of V.P. Gen. Franklin W. Kinnamon and Judge Wilson K. Barnes, National Trustee.



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Comp. James W. Halbert (rt) presents a Maryland Society Bicentennial coin, which he created, to Baltimore County Exec. Theodore Venetoulis.

The Maryland Society held its annual Patriots' Ball at the Hunt Valley Inn at Cockeysville on Nov. 9. The 150 attenders enjoyed an evening of pleasurable dining and dancing. Compatriots came from points as distant as Austin, Texas, Among those attending were: V.P. Gen. Frank W. Kinnamon; State Pres. Warren A. Burdette; Judge Wilson K. Barnes, Nat. Resolutions Chairman; Joseph X. Harris, Nat. Audit Chairman; Mrs. Jacob Vorous, VPG, NSDAR; Mrs. Ralph Smith, State Regent, NSDAR; and Miss Susan Hilaman, State Pres., C.A.R. During the colorful program, Compatriots Herbert T. Brown and James W. Halbert were awarded the Patriot Medal. Later, 10 Maryland C.A.R.s received appropriate honors. This majestic event, the Maryland Society's Patriots' Ball has become the social highlight of Maryland.

The Gen. John E. Howard and Col. Nicholas R. Moore Chapters held a joint Constitution Week Observance Luncheon-Meeting at the Sparrows Point Country Club on Sept. 21. One hundred Compatriots and friends attended, including State Pres. Warren A. Burdette. Past State Pres. J. King B.E. Seegar, M.D. presided. Comp. B. Floyd Flickinger, college professor and Maryland Bicentennial Commission member, spoke on the magnificent leadership afforded by the Founding Fathers of this nation, and the lack of such leadership today.

The Col. Nicholas R. Moore Chapter, exercising strict political neutrality, hosted a debate between candidates for the office of Baltimore County Executive at its Fall dinner-meeting. The well-attended and exciting meeting saw Republican Jervis Finney and Democrat Theodore Venetoulis discuss such issues as property tax and the credibility of the County government. Mr. Venetoulis won a narrow victory in the ensuing Nov. elections.

MICHIGAN SOCIETY The Sauk Trail Chapter of Battle

Creek joined with the Alexis Coquillard Chapter of South Bend, Ind. This unique arrangement is further described within the Indiana news section. Both Chapters are to be highly commended for a most successful program, worthy of emulation.

MISSISSIPPI SOCIETY

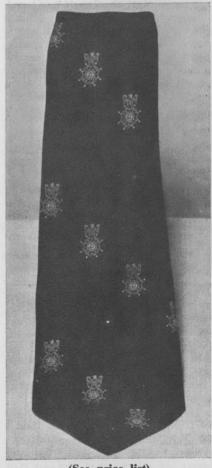
On Nov. 2. Pres. O. M. Smith of the Colonial Patriots Chapter inaugurated a patriotic program to promote flagflying and awareness of our American principles by individuals and business firms in Biloxi and along the Gulf Coast. The program was launched with the raising of an American flag which had flown over our Nation's Capitol. A Naval color guard participated in the ceremonies, which will be repeated periodically in the future.

On Dec. 8, the Bicentennial Flag was ceremoniously raised at Bay St. Louis by Pres. O. M. Smith of the Colonial Patriots Chapter, assisted by DAR officials including Mrs. Max Pharr, DAR State Regent and wife of Comp. Pharr.

NEW JERSEY SOCIETY

Pres. Gen. M. Graham Clark, Jr. was guest speaker at the N.J. Society

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Ionial Patriots Chapter of Biloxi are (I to r): Mississippi Society Pres. S. L. Johnson, V.P. Gen. James H. Chenery and Chapter Pres. O. M. Smith.

annual autumn luncheon at Wedgewood Inn, Morristown, and attended by over 170 compatriots and guests. On this occasion, the State Society honored State Sec. Kenneth Cook, West Fields Chapter Pres. Henry Hamilton and CAR National Recording Sec. Mrs. Jean Chianese.

Valley Forge Military Academy admissions officer, Col. James Kelly, USMC, Ret., spoke at the Paramus Chapter Oct. 24 dinner meeting held at the Ho-Ho-Kus Inn. His subject was the preparation of men for military service.

Local Bicentennial Comm. Chm. Mrs. Joseph Pate showed slides and described some major historical projects of the Bicentennial program at the West Fields Chapter meeting, Nov. 14 at the First Baptist church. Mrs. Pate praised the performance of the new Westfield Fife & Drum Corps, which entered and retired to the strains of Yankee Doodle. Her comment, that these young people, mainly high school students, should have a sponsor, inspired the Chapter to undertake that venture at a later meeting. A musical program was given by students and local artists at the Oct. 9 Chapter meeting held at the Westfield Woman's Club, another historic community structure.

West Fields Chapter Color Guards and Mayor Holland participated in the Oct. 26 flag raising ceremony at Cedar Grove Cemetery. This restoration project of the SAR and Bicentennial Restoration Comm. is regarded by local compatriots as a tribute to Comps. Robert Littell and Edward Butterworth, leaders in the effort.

South Jersey Chapter awarded team and veterans' trophies at the Nov. 13 fifth annual Jones Cattell Memorial

John Schorsch, one of the young men who received a bronze Good Conduct Medal from among those distributed by South Jersey Chapter in 8 counties, thanked Comp. Donald Smith, a leader in this program. This

young man, an appointee to the US Military Academy, also wrote to the Chapter in thanks for the honor.

"Jamesburg, Williamsburg, and Yorktown", another historical filmlecture created by Mr. & Mrs. William Frolich, was presented at the Dec. 3 meeting of Abraham Clark Chapter at its building in Roselle.



Former U.S. Senator & Governor Len B. Jordan is congratulated by Past State Pres. Homer S. Deal (rt) after receiving the silver Good Citizenship Medal at a Bicentennial banquet of the Idaho Society. The Old Fort Boise Chapter hosted the event, and V.P. Gen. Howard A. Thompson was principal speaker.

NEW MEXICO SOCIETY

The New Mexico Society and Albuquerque Chapter jointly sponsored the annual patriotic and historical exhibit at the New Mexico State Fair in September. Comp. George Dickins awarded the Horace R. McDowell Memorial Trophy to Robert Buffett, and Chapter Pres. James Gravlin awarded the Clinton Roth Memorial Trophy to Robert Neal at the State Veterans Day meeting.

Honored guests at the Veterans Day dinner meeting were Pres. Gen. and Mrs. M. Graham Clark, Jr. and Vice Pres. Gen. and Mrs. H. B. Willard. Ntl. Trustee and Mrs. James Caller were also present. Pres. Gen. and Mrs. Clark were greeted on their arrival in Albuquerque by compatriots and their wives, and presented with the official Albuquerque Red Carpet of Welcome by State V.P. Wallace Brown. Principal speaker at the evening meeting,



Past Idaho Society Pres. William W. White, 92 years young, is shown here with V.P. Gen. Howard A. Thompson (rt). Comp. White is but 3 generations from his great grandfather who fought in the American Revolution.

Comp. Clark, presented the Patriot Medal to Comp. Watson Ambruster, for service to the State Society. Comp. Clark was made an Honorary Citizen of Albuquerque by proclamation of the Mayor, and a certificate was presented to him by State V.P. William Weber.

The Albuquerque Chapter Sept. luncheon meeting dealt with an overview of the N.M. Boys State Program, as presented by American Legion official, Robert Durand. The Oct. meeting discussed the Bicentennial Project sponsored jointly by the Chapter and State Society, in conjunction with the Albuquerque Chapter of the M.O.W.W. This is the presentation to the Albuquerque Public School system of taped cassettes and teachers' guides dealing with the 40 Freedom documents which toured the U.S. a few years ago. Matching funds have been requested from the New Mexico Bicentennial Commission

EMPIRE STATE (N.Y.) SOCIETY

The Officers' Club at West Point was the scene of the 11th Annual Awards Dinner of the Stohy Point Chapter. Past State Pres. J. Moreau Brown was Master of Ceremonies, and Chapter Pres. David Quinn presented the various awards. V.P. Gen. Albert W. Munson, DDS, installed the officers

The Syracuse Chapter featured chicken pot pie at its recent dinner meeting,

and a goodly number of members were present. Pres. Matthias Smith was the presiding officer.

The annual December cocktail party of the **Buffalo Chapter** was well attended. The colorful event took place at the stately home of Comp. Thomas H. Speller, and several officers of the Rochester Chapter were present.

Supt. Joseph Manch of the Buffalo school system was speaker at the 6th annual Victory Dinner of the **Buffalo Chapter**. Pres. Everett J. Thompson presided.



At a recent meeting of the Kentucky Society at Maysville, V.P. Gen. Charles R. Petree (It) greets Nat. Trustee Tom Lyne.

PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY

On 8-9 Nov., the Pennsylvania Society met at Coudersport, and State Pres. Frank C. Strickland presented the charter to Daniel F. Glassmire, Pres. of the newly established Gen. James Potter Chapter. Following this ceremony, Pres. Stickland installed the new slate of officers. The setting, a banquet at the Potato City Motor Inn, was well attended by State officers, and local SAR and DAR.

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Penna. Society Pres. (Col.) Carl R. Black presents a charter certificate to Pres. Irwin M. Leiby (rt) of the newly-activated Fort Schuylkill Chapter.

an informative talk on early homes of Cumberland Valley by Mrs. Paula Dickey of Washington Co., Md. when they celebrated Constitution Day at the Fendrick Library, Mercersburg.

The newly activated Fort Schuylkill Chapter held its 1st meeting at the Leiby Ice Cream House, Tamaqua. Dist. Deputy Arthur Oplinger was the speaker.

About 350 members of the SAR, DAR, and guests enjoyed the 3rd Annual DAR/SAR Constitution Week luncheon at the Bellevue Stratford Hotel in Phila. A reception preceded a formal beginning to the luncheon, when the Chapter Color Guard, commanded by Capt. Stephen V. Gibbs, presented the colors. The principal speaker was Pres. James I. McCord, of Princeton Theological Seminary.

The Gen. Anthony Wayne Chapter held its Awards Night in the Kaufmann Community Room, Rochester. Chancellor James E. Rowley presented SAR Law Enforcement Commendation Medals to former Chief of Beaver Co. Detectives Bernard Cashdollar and Penna. State Trooper James Diffenbacher for the heroic capture of an escaped criminal in Canada, and the SAR Good Citizenship Medal to Donal Graham. Clifford Smith spoke on the "Signers of the Declaration of Independence."

The Tiadaghton Chapter held its annual Constitution Day dinner at the Women's Club of Williamsport. Vice Pres. J. Robert Lamade, Grit Publishing Co., discussed the Constitution and the Press. Dist. Deputy Carl R. Hoenstine represented the State Society. Presidents Theron D. Conrad, William Maclay Chapter and Robert H. Dymond, Northeast Chapter were present. The program concluded with an illustrated lecture by Richard Dubs on Lycoming Co. wildflowers.

Pres. Leonard L. Cooke presided at

the George Washington Chapter Fall meeting at Washington's Holiday Inn, reporting on the Past SAR Congress, the Penna. Congress in Erie and the last Board meeting at Harrisburg. The



Shown at the Annual Meeting of the Harris Ferry (Penna.) Chapter are (I to r): Chapter Pres. Kenneth W. Nebinger, Mrs. Nebinger, Mrs. Porter and David H. Porter, guest speaker and recipient of the Good Citizenship Medal.

Chapter reaffirmed presentation of the ROTC Medal to a Washington & Jefferson College cadet. James Braden spoke on Washington Co. in the Revolutionary War.

RHODE ISLAND SOCIETY

The famous Squantum Club on Narragansett Bay was the magnificent setting for the Oct. dinner-meeting of the Rhode Island Society, and the program featured a talk, "The Birth of the American Spirit, 1736-1776" by Dr. Carl Bridenbaugh, a noted historian and author. At this event, Past State Pres. Elwood E. Leonard was awarded the Silver Good Citizenship Medal for his outstanding services and contributions to many community programs over the years.

TENNESSEE SOCIETY

With Pres. Horace A. Donham presiding, committee chairman and the Board of Governors convened in



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Pres. (Dr.) Palmer W. Fant of the Lt. David Cox Chapter (Va.) plays the harmonica before delivering an intriguing talk on the science of radiology.

Nashville. All areas of the state were well represented, and plans were formulated for the remainder of the year.

The Memphis Chapter recently heard former Mayor Henry Loeb, who spoke on the responsibility and importance of exercising our right to vote. On Nov. 26, the Chapter was honored to have Past Pres. Gen. Harry T. Burn as its guest speaker.

On Nov. 2, the Shelby Chapter of Brunswick enjoyed an address by U.S. Congressman Ed Jones, who discussed national farm legislation and policy. Pres. Barret Matthews reports that the meeting was exceptionally well-attended.

The Stones River Chapter held its Nov. 26 meeting at Murfreesboro's Holiday Inn. Pres. Kinnard designated it as Past President's Night. Comp. Ernie Johns presented a fine program, "Reminiscences of Silas Tarner," an early settler of Wilson County.

On behalf of the Andrew Jackson Chapter, Gov. Dunn issued a state proclamation designating the month of Sept. as "Wear an American Flag Pin Month." On Nov. 11, the Chapter observed Veterans Day with a colorful dinner-meeting. The highlight of the banquet was a stirring address by Admiral Isaac Kidd, USN. Many former prisoners of war were present.

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guest of honor at the San Antonio Chapter Nov. 8 luncheon meeting, was presented a Gold Good Citizenship Medal and lauded by Pres. Alexander Fraser for his many years of devoted SAR service at state & local levels as well as his civic service to the community. Comp. John H. Wood, Jr., U.S. Dist. Judge, was principal speaker, and State V. P. William G. Simmons was present. The luncheon was well attended, including representatives from other patriotic & hereditary societies.

Bill of Rights Day was observed by Paul Carrington Chapter with a dinner at Trinity Episcopal Church, December 16. After the invocation by Rt. Rev. Msgr. Anton Frank and the Pledge of Allegiance led by Past Pres. Paul E. Wise, dinner was enjoyed by over 100 members & guests. After Pres. Carl C. Lavery called the meeting to order, members and guests were introduced, including 2 members of the Registry Cotillion Dancers of Houston. This group may perform at the 1975 Congress. Mrs. Raymond Bourgeois, a member of Ann Poage Chapter, DAR & the Cotillion's founder, was also a guest. Mrs. Margaret Wisdom, President of the Houston Congress of Teachers was guest speaker, and discussed the role of the teacher in the school.

VIRGINIA SOCIETY

The Semi-Annual Meeting of the



Officers of the brand-new Culpeper Minuteman Chapter are installed with the oath of office directed by Va. Society Pres. J. Thomas Burch. (I to r): Pres. Burch, V.P. Claude I. Gwinn, Pres. John S. Board and Secty. Russell C. Bowen.

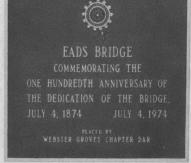
Virginia Society, Sept. 20-21, was hosted by the Williamsburg Chapter. State Pres. (Maj.) J. Thomas Burch, Jr., reported progress in chartering 3 new chapters. An organizational meeting for the new Culpeper Minuteman Chapter was held in Culpeper, with 13 charter members signing. Comp. John S. Board was elected Pres. The State Society approved the charter for the Culpeper Minuteman Chapter, allocating \$210 from residual funds of the defunct Piedmont Chapter. Semi-annual reports were given. Mr. E. M. Hutton, Admin. Asst. to Rep. (Va.) Thomas Downing, spoke at the Semi-Annual banquet on "Virginia's Plans for the Bicentennial, and the Role the SAR Can Play.'



An outstanding sheriff receives the SAR Law Enforcement Commendation Award. (I to r): Past Va. Soc. Pres. Charles R. Haugh, Sheriff George W. Bailey, Va. State Pres. (Maj.) J. Thomas Burch and Pres. (Dr.) Howard L. Hamilton of the Thomas Jefferson Chapter

State Pres. Burch helped the Thomas Jefferson Chapter observe law enforcement Oct. 4, speaking to 33 compatriots on "The Conflict in Vietnam as Seen Through the Eyes of a Veteran" and exhibiting special artifacts of that war. The Law Enforcement Commendation Medal was presented by Past State Pres. Charles R. Haugh to Sheriff George Bailey, Albemarle County for his outstanding record in solving crimes and promoting good citizenship. The Chapter observed Constitution Week by distributing the National Society's booklet, "Our Constitution's Message," to 8 Piedmont radio stations and newspapers.

Pres. Burch has also given his Viet-



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nam talk to the George Mason Chapter, the George Waller Chapter and the Col. James Patton Chapter, D. A. R.

To celebrate Yorktown Day, Oct. 19, the Richmond Chapter chartered a bus to carry 29 compatriots including 15 chapter members, and their ladies to Yorktown. Also attending was Past State Pres. Thomas P. Nelson, who represented the State Society as Honorary Flag Bearer and in the placing of wreaths. After lunching with officers and members of the State Soc. C. A. R., Pres. Burch represented the State Society at the afternoon ceremony when an address was given by RAdm. Jeremiah Denton, Commandant, Armed Forces Staff College, Norfolk.

Pres. Burch installed officers of the new Hicksford Chapter at a joint meeting with the DAR in Emporia, Nov. 14. Comp. Harry L. Taylor is Chapter Pres. Mrs. C. B. Harding, Regent of the Hicksford Chapter, DAR, was presented the SAR Medal of Appreciation by Pres. Burch for help in establishing the SAR Chapter.

The Lt. David Cox Chapter heard Pres. Palmer W. Fant, M. D. speak on radiological methods for detecting and treating disease, at the Chapter's luncheon meeting, Nov. 1, at Osborne's Restaurant.

The George Mason Chapter honored all its Past Presidents at the Sept. meeting. Nov. 21, the traditional potluck dinner and joint meeting was held with the Washington-Lee Soc., C. A. R., at the Dominion Hills Recreation Center, Arlington. The subject of the C. A. R. program was "Historical Sites in Northern Virginia." The Chapter Bd. of Mgrs. has established a taxdeductible Patriotic, Historical and Educational Fund, to which members can contribute, in lieu of increasing dues or levying special assessments for chapter projects. The Chapter started a newsletter in November. Pres. Judson P. Mason has led the Chapter in developing a spirited Bicentennial program. Besides reactivating a graves registration project to assure that all Revolutionary soldiers' graves in the area have SAR markers, the Chapter has established a speaker's bureau to satisfy requests from the community for lecturers on Bicentennial topics. Already, 6 such speeches have been given. The Chapter is also encouraging contributions to the Bldg. Fund, and has pledged \$500 toward erecting one of 13 permanent flag poles planned for the Yorktown Victory Center commemorating the surrender of Lord Cornwallis. Each flag pole will have the State Seal of one of the original 13 Colonies and the name of the organization sponsoring it.

The George Washington Chapter held its monthly luncheon in Alexandria, Nov. 2. Col. Mitler, Assist, to the Chmn., Natl. Comm. for Employer

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Portrayed at the District of Columbia Society's November luncheon at Washington's Army & Navy Club are (I to r): (seated): General Charles L. Bolte, USA (Ret.); General Lyman L. Lemnitzer, USA (Ret.); General Lewis B. Hershey, USA (Ret.); General & SAR Compatriot Jacob L. Devers, USA (Ret.); and Admiral Arleigh Burke, USN (Ret.). (standing): Lt. General LeRoy Lutes, USA (Ret.); Maj. General & SAR Compatriot Ned D. Moore, USA (Ret.); Lt. General Arthur G. Trudeau, USA (Ret.); Colonel Samuel Pierce, USA (Ret.), D.C. Society President; Col. Albert F. Schoepper, USMC (Ret.); and Col. James D. Campbell, USAR (Ret.), Director of the William Penn Museum (Penna.).

Support of the Guard and Reserve, spoke on the Officers' Reserve Corps and the National Guard. The Chapter cooperated with the American Legion by having a special dinner and memorial service for veterans, Nov. 11.

The George Washington Chapter solicited contributions to the SAR Bldg. Fund, and presented the proceeds to the Exec. Sec. at a Christmas Cocktail Buffet at National Hqtrs Dec. 8.

WEST VIRGINIA SOCIETY

Pres. Richard Wilson presided at the Nov. 2 State Board of Mgmt. meeting. Sec. Walworth reported current membership of 298, and Comp. Willis Tetrick was appointed Membership Chm.

At the Daniel Boone Chapter luncheon meeting, Oct. 26, Pres. Philip Haner reported the ROTC Medal was presented at W. VA. State College, and Comp. (Gov.) Arch Moore presented Good Citizenship Medals to 10 high school students. Past DAR Regent Mrs. Elinor Haner, spoke on "The World at the Time of the American Revolution"

Elections were held at the Nov. 8 George Rogers Clark Chapter meeting and the following officers were installed by Comp. Walworth: Pres. Willis Tetrick, Jr.; V.P. Howard Martin; Sec.-Treas. Willis Tetrick, III. American Legion official William Reynolds

spoke on "Veterans Today". The Chapter participated in the Clarksburg Veterans' Day Parade.

Gen. Andrew Lewis Chapter, meeting jointly with the Buford Chapter, DAR, participated in the Order of the DAR meeting. Col. Scott Smith, USA, spoke on "The Corps of Engineers Past and Present". SAR Magazine gift subscriptions were sent to Marshall Univ. and Cabell Cty. Libraries, Huntington, and a contribution was made to Work of the Community Organization for Drug Abuse Control.

WISCONSIN SOCIETY

The annual Veterans' Day Dinner of the State Society was held in Oshkosh Nov. 2 Pres. Harley Green presented the Law Enforcement Commendation Medal to Mr. Donald Quatsoe, former Warden of the Wisconsin State Reformatory, and the Silver Good Citizenship Medal to Mr. Ben Laird, owner of 2 radio stations in the Oshkosh area. Special guests were Hon. William and Mrs. Steiger. Rep. Steiger has been a Republican House of Representatives member since 1966, and was returned for a 5th term in the last election.

Those, who do not consider themselves as a link connecting the past and future, do not perform their duty to the world.

Daniel Webster

NEW MEMBERS BY STATE SOCIETIES

There have been enrolled in the office of the Registrar General from September 1, 1974 to December 1, 1974, 426 new members distributed as follows:

Alabama, 5; Arizona, 5; California, 21; Colorado, 3; Connecticut, 6; Delaware, 8; District of Columbia, 10; FLORIDA, 46; Georgia, 4; Illinois, 22; Indiana, 8; Iowa, 4; Kansas, 23; Kentucky, 4; Louisiana, 7; Maine, 4; Maryland, 16; Massachusetts, 10; Michigan, 13; Mississippi, 8; Missouri, 6; Montana, 2; Nebraska, 3; Nevada, 3; New Hampshire, 4; New Jersey, 12; New Mexico, 5; Empire State (N.Y.), 18; North Carolina, 5; North Dakota, 1; Ohio, 18; Oklahoma, 5; Oregon, 1; Pennsylvania, 19; Rhode Island, 1; South Carolina, 5; South Dakota, 2; Tennessee, 6; Texas, 39; Vermont, 1; Virginia, 35; West Virginia, 6; Wisconsin, 2.

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Some Feather Duster!

Back in Colonial times, when American farmers cleaned out a sooty chimney, the feathers really flew!

A live goose was often used as a chimney sweep. The householder would climb to his roof and drop the goose, attached to a rope, down the flue. Then, as he pulled the struggling bird up to the top of the chimney and let it down to the hearth several times, the powerful wings would loosen the soot on all sides and clean out the chimney

The blacker the goose, the cleaner the chimney . . . and that poor goose was probably madder than a wet hen!



At a recent gala banquet of Arizona's leading SAR organization, the Saguaro Chapter of Sun City, Pres. Gen. M. Graham Clark bestows the Law Enforcement Award upon Sheriff Paul Blubaum. (I to r): The SAR's First Lady. Mrs. Clark; Sheriff Blubaum; the President General; Treasurer Gen. Ralph M. Pabst and V.P. Gen. (Dr.) H.B. Willard.



Rules for the President General's Cup Plaque Contest

Now is the time for chapter officers to make plans to win the President General's Cup Plaque.

For the benefit of chapter officers, a review of the rules governing the award is published herein.

(1) The winner of the Plaque will be selected on the basis of evidence offered that the competing chapter has successfully engaged in a program of activities related to our patriotic, historical and educational purposes.

(2) Credit will be given for additional activities, consistent with the purposes and objectives of the National Society, which may have been adopted and developed by the local

(3) The winner will receive the Plaque on Recognition Night at the 85th Annual Congress.

(4) The name of the winning chapter will be engraved on one of the gold shields on the Plaque.

(5) The winning chapter will retain custody of the President General's Cup Plaque until the next Annual Congress of the National Society, and will be responsible for its safe-keeping and delivery to the Executive Secretary before the next Annual Congress.

(6) Chapters are requested to submit their evidence in some form of binder for the convenience of the committee.

(7) All entries in the contest must be in the office of the Executive Secretary not later than June 15, 1975 in order to qualify.

There are some suggestions which may be helpful in preparing a record which will furnish the judges with adequate information on which they may evaluate the chapter's program. The information should be assembled in a binder. Photographs of meetings, awards presented and special activities, together with newspaper clippings and concise accounts of the event, should be included. The material should be arranged in chronological order. The records must be confined to SAR activities, and the period beginning April 1, 1974 and ending March 31, 1975.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT **NEW MEMBERS AND REINSTATEMENTS**

Apr. 1, 1974 - Feb. 1, 1975 Apr. 1, 1973 - Jan. 1, 1974

	New Members	Rein- statements	New Members	Rein- statements
Alabama	15	10	34	18
Alaska			2	
Arizona	27	14	30	5
Arkansas	6	6	5	2
California	61	169	49	87
Colorado	6	2	7	_
Connecticut	19	2	19	4
Delaware	20		2	1
Dist. of Columbia	18	2	9	2
Florida	118	35	133	31
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Georgia	31	19	25	15
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Illinois	90	21	59	1
Indiana	36	30	34	25
Iowa	17	4	25	2
Kansas	54	7	26	4
Kentucky	19	23	27	5
Louisiana	41	22	32	48
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Maryland	30	3	30	4
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Michigan	25	5	12	3
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New Mexico	15	2	11	6
New York	66	159	61	109
North Carolina	19	7	15	14
North Dakota	2	2	_	11312
Ohio	52	31	46	13
Oklahoma	22	2	16	
Oregon	2	1	5	1
Pennsylvania	123	18	150	42
Rhode Island	12	_	4	2
South Carolina	23	22	6	9
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Tennessee	27	15	25	14
Texas	106	6	96	5
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Virginia	86	14	65	25
Washington State	5	3	- 11	-
West Virginia	20	13	37	24
Wisconsin	6		7	1
Wyoming	-	1	1	_
TOTALS:	1420	771	1271	634

New Members 4/1/74 to 2/1/1975—1420 Reinstatements 4/1/1974-2/1/1975—771 Increase-149 Increase-137

Not A Bad Idea

The George Mason Chapter of the Virginia Society, beset by not uncommon problems in funding its good citizenship awards, historical oration contest, commemorative wreath layings, graves registration markers, Bicentennial activities, and the like, has determined not to raise its dues despite rising costs, because such increases might work a hardship on some of its members and potentially stunt its rapidlygrowing membership.

Instead, the Chapter is establishing a non-profit, taxdeductible, "Patriotic, Historical, and Educational Fund" to which members may contribute privately to the degree desired, to support these essential programs. Members are given the opportunity to provide for such contributions at the time they receive their notice for annual dues.

Other chapters may find this an acceptable alternative to increasing dues, while maintaining the activities which keep the S.A.R. in the public eye. **WINTER 1975**



Top Brass at Denver. Portrayed at the Colorado Society's Bill of Rights Day Banquet are (I to r): V.P. Gen. (Dr.) H. B. Willard, State Pres. (Col.) James G. McGrew, Pres. Gen. (Dr.) M. Graham Clark and Past Pres. Gen. George E. Tarbox, Jr.

Few diplomatic efforts are as frustrating as the one involving some indication of the fate of the 1,300 missing American servicemen in Vietnam. Not only do the communists refuse to honor the cease-fire agreement they signed, which specified assistance in the search, but they constantly erect new conditions before they will cooperate.

The latest exchange between American and Viet Cong representatives was no better. In an effort to gain information on at least some of the men, the U.S. Embassy in Saigon handed the Viet Cong a list of 87 Americans it has reason to believe are known to them.

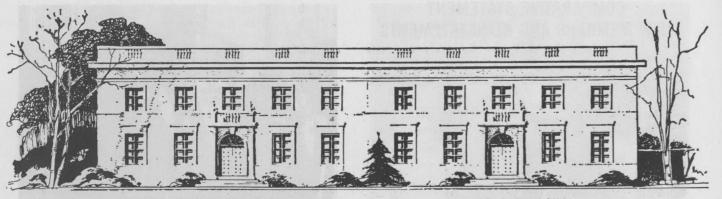
Within days the Viet Cong answer was relayed. Nothing doing, until their conditions were met, said the communist representatives. Those conditions included cessation of all military assistance to Saigon, help in the overthrow of President Nguyen Van Thieu and fulfillment of all terms of the ceasefire agreement, including the ceasefire itself.

Since the United States no longer is a combatant it has little direct influence over ceasefire violations—and none at all over those chargeable to the Viet Cong. The first two "conditions" are not only totally unrealistic, but they have nothing to do with the earlier agreement signed by the Viet Cong.

> Congressman John M. Ashbrook in the Congressional Record



The wife of Admiral Ernest M. Eller proudly pins the Good Citizenship Medal upon her distinguished husband at recent ceremonies of the John Paul Jones Chapter at A napolis. (I to r): Past Chapter Pres. Gerald C. Moore, Maryland Society Pres. Warren A. Burdette, Mrs. Eller, Admiral Eller and V.P. Gen. Frank W. Kinnamon.



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It is becoming increasingly difficult for the National Headquarters staff to operate efficiently because the present facilities, originally designed as a private home, are no longer adequate. With the mounting work load, together with a growing tems, we must have more space for offices records library and museum. The practical and offices, records, library and museum. The practical and most economical solution is the construction of an ad-

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joining building, to be built upon our adjoining side lot. The building has been authorized by the National Trustees and the 77th Annual Congress . . . subject to our ability to raise the necessary funds.

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U.S. Support For North Vietnam

by IRA C. EAKER

The recent charge that the Defense Department has attempted to hide military aid in its budget and deliberately mislead the Congress on the amount of aid to South Vietnam, Laos and Cambodia, is not only ridiculous but it is a gross insult to able Chairman George Mahon and his diligent Appropriations Committee of the House. No other appropriation by the Congress gets the thorough going over that is habitually accorded the military budget. It is examined and defended item by item down to the last man, gun, ship and plane.

The most important result of this ill conceived, indefensible action of deserting our allies in their defense against cruel, armed aggression, may be in the future diplomatic area. What faith can the Third World presently uncommitted nations place in our promises of aid in their resistance to communist infiltration and domination? It must now be clear that the Kremlin and Peking are more constant and reliable supporters of their dependent states than Washington is of its Allies.

Heretofore, the subject of aid to those nations endangered by communist aggression, has not been a politically partisan issue. President Truman was its originator and early champion and every President since, including President Nixon, has stoutly supported it. Secretary of State Kissinger recently stated, "We recognize that we have derived a certain obligation from our long and deep involvement.... We have thus committed ourselves substantially, both politically and morally..." Only a revival of the same wise, non-partisan support can save it now.

There can be little doubt that liberal, left wing anti-war groups now want to see North Vietnam conquer South Vietnam by naked, armed aggression. The recent action of the U.S. Senate in cutting \$266 million in funds to aid South Vietnam, leaves no other reasonable conclusion.

Leaders in Hanoi have been bolstering the morale of their forces in South Vietnam by telling them that time is on their side; that the U.S. will eventually cut off aid to South Vietnam, resulting in its inevitable fall to communism. Recent Congressional action tends to verify this claim.

The denial of military and economic aid to the gallant South Vietnamese people, or reducing it to ineffective proportions, is scarcely comprehensible, especially in view of the fact that Russia and Red China have continued their aid to North Vietnam.

Since the Paris cease-fire agreement, Hanoi, in flagrant disregard of its terms, has moved into South Vietnam 120,000 troops, more than 300 tanks, about 500 heavy artillery guns and 100,000 tons of supplies and ammunition. More than 2,000 trucks have been photographed by our reconnaissance drones, engaged in the effort. In addition, the North Vietnamese have increased their antiaircraft defenses in South Vietnam by 1,400 guns and they have built, south of the DMZ, at least 12 new MIG air bases.

This tremendous Red buildup in South Vietnam leaves no doubt that North Vietnam intends to launch a full scale military offensive. The only question is when it will be launched. The attitude of the U.S. Congress, in denying adequate aid to South Vietnam, must inevitably hasten this tragic event. It will also mean that all our vast effort —50,000 U.S. dead and \$150 billion expenditure —to prevent the fall of Southeast Asia will have been in vain.



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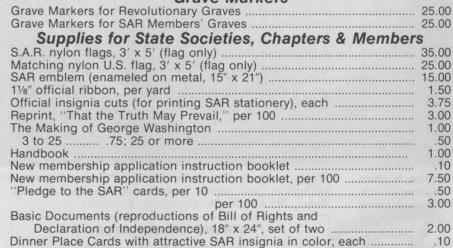
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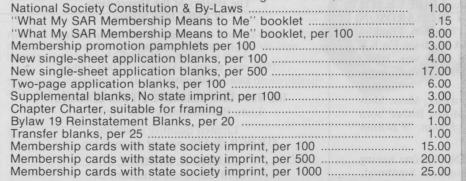
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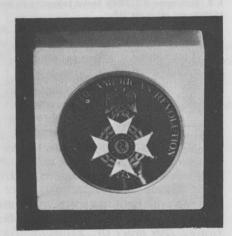
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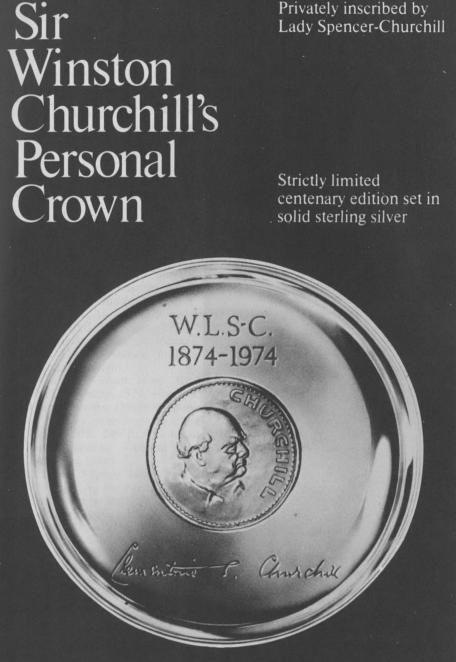
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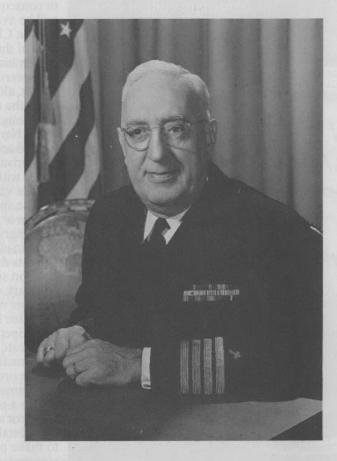
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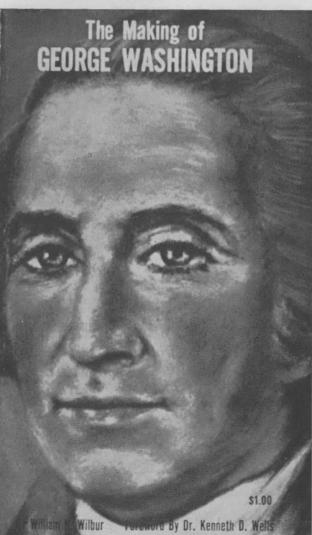
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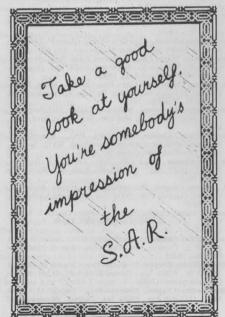
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Phoenix Chapter Luncheon meetings every Tues. at noon, Club de Concho, Hotel Westward Ho.

Saguaro Chapter meets for breakfast on 3rd St. monthly except July & Aug. at 8:30 a.m., Sir George's Restaurant, Peoria & 107 Ave. Sun City.

Tucson Chapter Luncheon meetings 11 A.M. 3rd Thurs. monthly except July & Aug., Ghost Ranch Restaurant, 801 W. Miracle Mile. For info on monthly meetings & dinners, phone Percy McCone 885-5018.

CALIFORNIA

Oakland Chapter meets 6:45 p.m., 4th Mon. monthly except Dec. Lovely's Restaurant, 336 Grand Ave. Oakland. Orange County Chapter meets 2nd Tues. monthly. For info, call Pres. (714) 541-5369, Santa Ana.

Pasadena Chapter. Luncheon 12:30 2nd Tues. monthly. Brotherton's Family Restaurant, 2239 E. Colorado Blvd.

San Diego Chapter 3rd Sun. monthly, Admiral Kidd Club (off Harbor Dr. near Nimitz Blvd.) 3 p.m.; cocktails, buffet dinner, speakers. Phone Secty. Darby 566-1878 (evenings).

San Francisco Chapter. Luncheon meetings at noon last Wed. monthly except Aug. & Dec. Marines Memorial Club, 609 Sutter St.

Southern California Chapter. (Riverside). Luncheon 3rd Fri. Elks Dining Room, Oct. Nov. Jan. Mar. May, June. Special meetings, Constitution Day, Washington's Birthday & Apr. Installation. Secv. (714) 683-4741.

Sacramento Chapter, Dinner 2nd Wed. May, July, Sept., Nov.; other months lunch at downtown Elks Club 2nd Tues. Phone Pres. 445-2731.

Palo Alto Chapter meets 7:30 p.m., 2nd Tues. monthly, Northern Cal. Sav. & Loan Bldg., Los Altos. Special meetings, Constitution Day, Yorktown Day, Washington's Birthday at noon. Phone Secv. (415) 968-6943.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

District of Columbia Society Luncheon at noon, 2nd Wed. monthly. Army & Navy Club, 17th & I Sts. (Farragut Sq.)

FLORIDA

Boca-Deerfield Chapter luncheon meetings 11:30 a.m. 3rd Wed. monthly in Deerfield. Phone Boca Raton 391-1411 Sec. George Otto for info.

Brevard at Cocoa Chapter. While in Florida stop at the Kennedy Space Center & lunch with the chapter 3rd Sat. monthly, Brevard Hotel, Cocoa. Ladies welcome.

Central Florida Chapter, Orlando. Meeting & light refreshments, 2nd Mon. monthly 7:30 P.M. Lounge of CNA Bldg. 255 N. Orange Ave. Wives invited. Phone Cecil Bothwell 841-2827.

Clearwater Chapter. Luncheon: S&S Cafeteria, Searstown, 11:30 a.m. 3/21, 4/18, 9/19, 11/21, 12/12. Dinners, ladies & guests, Harrison Hotel, 5/16, 10/17. Daytona-Ormond Chapter. Luncheon 12 noon, 3rd Thurs, monthly at Halifax River Yacht Club, 331 S. Beach St., Daytona Beach.

DeBary-Deltona Chapter Luncheon meeting 12 noon at the Deltona Inn. 3rd Mon. monthly. For info call 775-4302.

DeLand Chapter Luncheon meetings. 11:45 a.m., 2nd Mon. monthly except Sept. at the University Inn Restaurant. Constitution Week Dinner (evening) Sept. Ladies Night; Guests invited. Call 734-6410.

Fort Lauderdale Chapter. Luncheon meeting 11:30 a.m., 2nd Thurs. monthly, except Feb. & Dec., special meetings. Ft. Lauderdale Inn, 5727 S. Federal Hwy. SARs welcome. Ph. Cal Sutherd—733-9158 or C. Crutcher -583-3049.

Jacksonville Chapter Luncheon meetings, 12:30 p.m., 4th Tues. monthly. Regency House, 33 West Adams.

Miami Chapter Luncheon, noon, 4th Fri. monthly at Conquistador Restaurant, 2121 Ponce de Leon Blvd. Coral Gables

Palm Beach Chapter Luncheon, 3rd Mon. at Stouffer's Restaurant at Datura & Narcissus Sts., W. Palm Beach. St. Petersburg Chapter. Luncheon meetings 12:15 2nd Sat. monthly except June, July, Aug. Special observance Washington's Birthday. SARs welcome. Phone 345-6041 or 544-1856. Saramana Chapter, Sarasota. Monthly luncheon meetings Oct. thru May at various sites. For info, call Dr. Hatt, 366-1711. SARs & ladies welcome.

Tallahassee Chapter. Dinner meetings 6:15 2nd Thurs, except Feb., June, July & Aug. Washington's Birthday meeting Feb. 22, 7:00 p.m. All at Downtown Holiday Inn.

GEORGIA

Atlanta Chapter. Monthly luncheon meetings, 2nd Fri. 12:15, Atlantan Hotel (Optimist Room) 111 Luckie St., N.W. Visiting SARs & wives invited. Reservation unnecessary.

Wm. Miller Chapter (Waycross) meets every 4th Thurs. at Holiday Inn. Even months: Luncheon 12:30 Odd months: Dinner 7:00. Visiting SARs, wives & guests invited. Reservations unneces-

ILLINOIS

Springfield Chapter Visiting Lincoln-Land? Meets last Mon. monthly at Mansion View Restaurant, 4th at Jackson St., for lunch. No reservations needed. For info call (217) 528-7528.

LOUISIANA

Gen. Philemon Thomas Chapter, Baton Rouge. Noon, 1st Tues. monthly at the City Club, 335 North Blvd. Luncheon optional.

MASSACHUSETTS

Boston Chapter meets 1st Mon. monthly at 12:30 P.M. except July, Aug. & Sept. at Howard Johnson's, 200 Stuart St., Boston, Visiting SARs welcome.

MICHIGAN

Sauk Trail Chapter, Battle Creek. Dinner & program 3rd Thurs, monthly except Dec., July & Aug. For info call Pres. J. D. Worsham, 962-9436.

MISSISSIPPI

Colonial Patriots Chapter. Meets every 2nd Tues., 7:30 P.M. Annex Bldg., People's Bank of Biloxi, except July &

NEBRASKA

Nebraska Society Annual Meeting, Feb. 22nd. Lincoln Chapter meets 2nd Tues, monthly. For info, write or phone the State Secty.

OHIO

Western Reserve Society meets at Mid-Day Club, Union Commerce Bldg., Cleveland, noon 2nd Wed., except July, Aug. & Feb., when special meetings are held. Visiting SARs welcome.

OKLAHOMA

Bartlesville Chapter. Ouarterly meetings. For info, phone Secty. G. W. Hanthorn, 534-2405.

Oklahoma City Chapter. Breakfast 7:30, 3rd Sat. monthly except Nov. at Ramada Inn West. SARs & wives welcome. Phone Sec'y 631-3493.

Tulsa Chapter, occasional meetings, Sept. thru May. For info phone Pres. 747-1666.

OREGON

Portland Chapter meets at Portland Motor Hotel, noon 3rd Thurs. monthly, except July & Aug. SARs welcome.

PENNSYLVANIA

Philadelphia-Continental Chapter Luncheon meeting, 12:15 p.m., 1st Mon. monthly except July, Aug. & Sept. SARs welcome. Engineers Club, 1317 Spruce St., Phila. TEXAS

San Antonio Chapter meets noon, 2nd Fri. monthly at Arden Grove Partyhouse, 102 9th St: San Antonio.

Dallas Chapter. 8:00 A.M. breakfast meeting at Melrose Hotel each 2nd Sat. Visiting SAR's most welcome.

Maj. K. M. Van Zandt Chapter Luncheon, noon, 3rd Mon. monthly at Ft. Worth Club, 10th fl., 306 W. 7th St., Ft. Worth.

VIRGINIA

Virginia Society. Office in the Hotel Jefferson, Richmond. Open Mon., Thurs. & Fri. mornings. Visiting SARs welcome. Tel: (703) 643-5701.

Lt. David Cox Chapter Luncheon & program 1st Fri. monthly except Jan., Feb., Mar., Osborne's Motel, Independence. For info contact Col. Guy Halsey, Sec'y.

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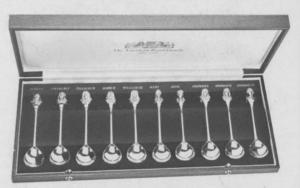


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