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The PRESIDENT GENERAL'S MESSAGE ~ ~ ~

from Carlisle, Pennsylvania



LT. COL. ROBERT D. SAVAGE
PRESIDENT GENERAL

This is the final published message of my administration. I have tried to be a "working" president general rather than just a social one. It has been very rewarding to visit the various groups and to find that they have set up regular business sessions to which I am invited. Of course, I still have three more months to visit with those of you I have not yet visited. (And that means every weekend until I must go to Philadelphia for the Congress.) When my term is ended I will have had the pleasure of attending meetings of six of the fourteen districts and all of the state societies in three others. I will have visited twenty-two state society meetings, five chapter meetings, DAR and C.A.R. national meetings and various other ceremonies and meetings. I have had to decline a number of invitations to attend district and state society meetings because of prior commitments. I have had no invitation to visit with the Inter Mountain of Foreign Districts nor any state society within their jurisdictions. In the course of my travels I have learned much about the thinking of the peoples of our country and of our society. And I have concluded that, with few exceptions, our state societies are healthy in that they appear to be truly making an effort to correct deficiencies and to enhance the growth of our organization by membership and activity. I have met many wonderful people and have enjoyed true hospitality.

However, as my tour of duty comes to an end, there is a certain amount of frustration involved when I

realize that one year just isn't long enough to properly investigate various subjects in order to recommend changes in both the state societies and our own national setup which might improve their operations and make them more efficient entities.

There have been good reports on the change which now insures that the state societies receive copies of the agenda for coming Trustees' meetings in sufficient time to properly instruct their trustees who represent them.

Our rapport with the C.A.R. has been improved and following their national conference in April I hope we will know better how to deal with our current problem of recruitment of these young men.

Our membership has become increasingly aware of the need to assert itself so as to remedy various unsatisfactory actions by our legislators. This has come about by increased activity of the "How-they-vote" committee, the Americanism committee and, I hope, by the messages I have tried to put across during my visitations. Some of the subjects which we must consider in this light and which are important to the continued freedoms we have so long enjoyed are:

A strong national defense which will make us a nation second to none.

A determination to stop the world expansion of Soviet Communism.

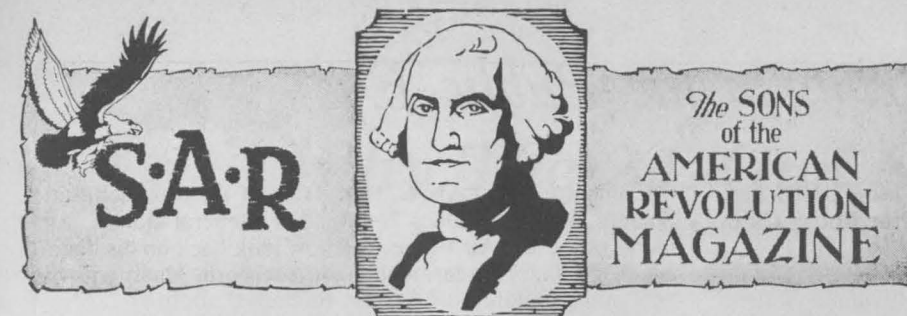
Insure our constitutional rights which may be taken from us by various actions such as unrealistic gun control laws.

Consideration of many others such as the proposed Panama Canal treaty.

And on and on ad infinitum.

It is my sincere desire that God will see fit to help each of you as individuals and all of your officers to make our organization the finest in the country in carrying out our programs of patriotic education.

Robert D. Savage



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EDITORIAL



WARREN S. WOODWARD
EDITOR

Unionization of the Armed Forces of the United States is the latest threat to our national security. The American Federation of Government Employees, a union affiliated with the AFL-CIO, and the National Maritime Union, have indicated that the organization of our Armed Forces is to be implemented. Another union plans similar action with the Reserves and the National Guard. If they succeed, it will mean the end of an effective defense force.

In the highly technical nature of our military today, it is even more imperative that discipline and obedience be immediate. With modern technology that demands instantaneous decisions, we cannot tolerate a soldier refusing an order, saying, "Sorry, I'll have to speak to the shop steward first". A ruling of the Supreme Court stated, "The fundamental necessity for obedience, and the consequent necessity for imposition of discipline, may render permissible within the military that which would be constitutionally impermissible outside it". On another occasion, the Supreme Court ruled that, "An Army is not a deliberative body. It is an executive arm. Its law is that of obedience. No question can be left open as to the right to command in the officer, or the duty of obedience in the soldier".

It is suggested, partially with tongue in cheek, that some novel possibilities could develop:

Air Force ordnance crews might refuse to load machine gun bullets on fighter planes if the ammunition was made in a non-union factory.

If the war lasts longer than 8 hours on a week-day, time-and-a-half pay might have to be paid, with double time for Sundays and holidays.

Infantrymen might file complaints that "working conditions" in a war are hazardous, and the noise level too high.

A First Sergeant might be censured for speaking too roughly to a soldier, or assigning too menial a job.

And what about the traditional rules of military courtesy and discipline when an enlisted man shop steward sits across from a general, and accuses him of management abuses?

The experience of recent years with public employee unions should serve as a warning to what might occur if unions become part of the military. Strikes and slow-downs by teachers, policemen, hospital workers, firemen, garbage collectors and air controllers have threatened the health, safety, and welfare of residents in many cities. During the fireman's strike in Kansas City, Missouri, late last year, firefighters refused to cross so-called picket lines of the striking firemen. The situation became so critical that the National Guard was called in to fight raging fires throughout the city. If the National Guard had been unionized, refusing to

cross picket lines, loss of life and property might have been horrendous.

For two centuries, our Armed Services have protected our sovereignty, and have, with their civilian brothers and sisters, enjoyed the blessings of America, the greatest nation in all history. A few months ago, the Senate Appropriations Committee studied the pay and fringe scales of our services, and reported that such pay had more than doubled in the past decade. The study further showed that military personnel are better paid than their civilian counterparts who work for the federal government, most of whom are union members. Furthermore, union bosses, not being career military men, would hardly be qualified to represent the specialized military occupations.

The Armed Forces should be legally immune from unionization, as are the F.B.I., Central Intelligence Agency, and other federal organizations involved in national security. I salute Senator (Compatriot) Strom Thurmond, author of S.3079, a bill to prohibit unionization of the military. This essential action will prevent a violation of the chain of command in our Armed Forces.

My words are not directed against unions or labor organizations. They perform a vital and beneficial function in America, but they have no business in our Armed Forces.

This editorial reflects the opinions of the Editor, and is not to be construed as official policy of the Sons of the American Revolution.

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★ Compatriots in the Public Eye ★

Past President General EUGENE C. McGUIRE has been honored as Rotary Man of the Year by the Rotary Club of Columbus, Ohio.

Compatriot (Rev.) ROBERT G. CARROON of the Wisconsin Society has been appointed to the Milwaukee Landmarks Commission by Mayor Maier.

Compatriots J. V. MICHAEL MOTES and (Rev.) PETER A. DORA of the Atlanta Chapter have been elected to membership in the Society of Professional Journalists, Sigma Delta Chi. Father Dora is Editor and Comp. Motes is Assoc. Editor of the *Georgia Bulletin*, weekly newspaper of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Atlanta.

Compatriot DONALD E. LATHROP of the Pennsylvania Society has been elected Treasurer General of the Society of the Descendants of the Colonial Clergy.

Chairman ORDWAY P. BURDEN of the Law Enforcement Committee has been appointed Adjunct Asst. Professor of Criminal Justice at the John Jay College of Criminal Justice in New York City.

Compatriot J. CALEB BOGGS of the Delaware Society, a former U.S. Senator and Governor, has been elected a Trustee of the Wilmington Medical Center and a member of its Development Committee.

Past President WILLIAM E. BELT of the Mississippi Society has been elected Master of the Council of Royal and Select Masters in Biloxi.

Compatriot (Rt. Rev.) ARTHUR R. McKINSTRY, D.D., former Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Delaware, has had his 288-page memoirs, *All I Have Seen*, published by Serendipity Press.

Compatriot C. ROBERT GODFREY of the Delaware Society, Editor of *First State Post*, rated "a pat on the back for a job well done" by the *Wilmington News Journal*.

Compatriot C. R. TOD GOODWIN of the Delaware Society has been elected Commander of the Delaware Bicentennial Wilmington Chapter, Military Order of the World Wars (MOWW).

Past President General WALTER G. STERLING has been elected to the high Masonic rank of Knight Commander of the Court of Honour in the Scottish Rite at Houston.

Compatriot BOB SIKES of the Florida Society, a U.S. Congressman, has been honored with a "Bob Sikes Day" at Pensacola. Thousands were on hand to pay homage to this outstanding Compatriot.

Compatriot GORDON P. TIERNEY of the Illinois Society recently presented a program, "How to Research Your Lineage", to the Signal Hill Chapter, DAR.

Past President JAY G. GOULD of the Arkansas Society has been elected to membership in the Society of the Descendants of the Colonial Clergy.

Past President H. NASH OGDEN of the Gen. Philemon Thomas Chapter (La.) has been elected to the Louisiana Engineers Selection Board as its Chairman.

Vice President General CALVIN E. CHUNN has been elected King of Sacramento Chapter, R.A.M., and Captain General of Sacramento Commandery, Knights Templar in California's capital city.

President ROBERT Q. ROHDE of the Benjamin Franklin Chapter (Kansas) has been elected to the Board of Directors of the Mid-America Arts Alliance.

Compatriot JOHN CRUTCHER of the Kansas Society, a former Lieutenant Governor of Kansas, was recently sworn in as Director of the Federal Interior Department's Bureau of Outdoor Recreation. The ceremonies in Washington were attended by many Senators and Congressmen.

Compatriot E. ROY CHESNEY of the Colorado Society Board of Managers has been elected Asst. Governor General of the General Society of Mayflower Descendants.

Compatriot ALLAN F. BOLTON of the Massachusetts Society retired on Dec. 7. Brigadier General Bolton, formerly of the US Air Force, can now look back on his distinguished military career, residing in Sherborn, Mass. with his wife and 2 children.

Past President DONALD S. LEONARD of the Detroit (Mich.) Chapter has been appointed by the State Supreme Court and elected by his colleagues to serve as Executive Judge for the 20-judge bench of the City of Detroit. A former Republican nominee for Governor of Michigan, he has also served as State Police Commissioner.

Compatriot WALTER SMITH of the Naples (Fla.) Chapter has been elected to the Board of Directors of the Barnett Bank of Naples.

Compatriot FRANK W. SHELTON, JR. of the Benjamin Franklin Chapter (Kan.) has been appointed Finance Chairman for the Montgomery County, Kansas, area, Citizens for Reagan.

Compatriot WALTER S. JOHNSON of the San Francisco Chapter has been honored by having his biography published. The new book, *Country Boys Make Good*, is currently being distributed throughout America.

The Congress of Freedom has named the following Compatriots to its Board of Directors: MILTON M. LORY, TULLIUS BRADY & HUGH S. RAMSEY.

Compatriot RICHARD B. ABELL of the Philadelphia-Continental Chapter, a recent graduate of the George Washington Univ. Law School, has been admitted to the Bar of Penna. He is associated with the law firm of Reilly & Fogwell, is serving as an Asst. District Attorney and is teaching at Delaware Law School.

Compatriot JAMES F. QUINN of the South Dakota Society married Miss Karen Vaughan on October 5. Congratulations, Compatriot!

Compatriot KENNETH KELLAR of the South Dakota Society, a retired attorney, has authored two books. Both have been published, and both are proven successes.

Compatriot RUSSELL D. ROWE of the South Dakota Society is currently serving our country with the US Army Engineers in Germany.

Past Vice President General E. FRED DOUGHERTY is the distinguished author of a 3-page article, "St. Patrick's Lodge No. 4 in the American Revolution", in the current issue of *The Empire State Mason*. The factual and interesting work involves Revolutionary activities in the Mohawk Valley.

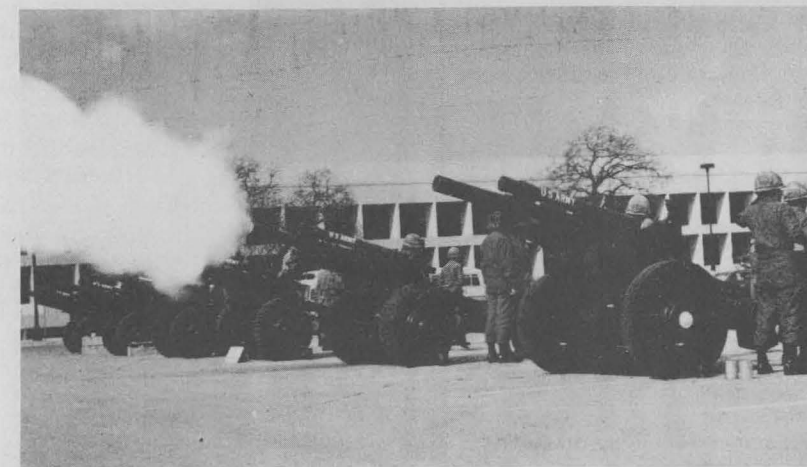
Secretary JOHN W. OLIVER, Col., USAF, Ret., of the Heart of Texas Chapter was the principal speaker at the State Convention of the Texas Society of the Colonial Dames of the 17th Century. His topic was "Status of Forces, U.S. vs Russia".



Portrayed at a recent meeting of the Benjamin Franklin Chapter (Ohio) are (l to r): 1st V.P. Ray Weekley; the Speaker, Dr. Paul Bowers; Pres. Mark W. Mahan and Past Pres. Gen. Eugene C. McGuire.

Why The 21-Gun Salute?

By Charles S. Stevenson



Millions of Americans attending patriotic functions or official receptions have heard the volleys of gunfire, the drum rolls, the flourishes and martial music that honor high-ranking U.S. or foreign government officials. Few, however, probably have asked themselves, "Why a 21-gun salute?" Why not ten or 18?"

The firing of 21 volleys developed into top honors through a combination of British arrogance, a shortage of space for powder on sailing vessels and the mystical significance attached to the numbers three and seven. It should be noted that even before the Revolutionary War the Royal Navy demanded that weaker nations salute British vessels as they sailed past alien fortresses or into foreign ports.

Although the number of volleys fired had varied among maritime nations, with a monarchy receiving more firings than a republic, eventually both forms of government were granted the same number of salutes on the principle that all nations were equal.

Anticipating return salutes to its own nation, the British Government in due time established a seven-volley fire as the suitable number of shots for its vessels to give when sailing past foreign land military installations. However, the British apparently thought that a seven-volley return salute from the same land force was not enough and indicated that they would expect three volleys for each one given, thus establishing 21 volleys as the standard salute for ground-force honors.

The firing of seven volleys rather than any other number of shots, came about through a combination of circumstances:

■ First, gunpowder in those days was made of sodium nitrate and created storage and safety problems aboard ships. Where vessels could manage only small amounts, land batteries could safely store much larger amounts; in order to save the powder for an emergency, it was deemed advisable for vessels to use as little as possible for honors. Later, when gunpowder was improved by the use of potassium nitrate, these problems were decreased and seagoing vessels were

expected to give and receive the 21 salutes which were formerly only rendered by land military installations.

■ The reason for the selection of the original seven salutes has never been fully known, but it probably stemmed from the fact that the numbers three and seven have had mystical significance since the early days of civilization. The number three was even regarded as sacred by the Phoenicians, Greeks, the Hindus and later by the Christians, and the number seven was endowed with mysticism and used frequently in Babylonian incantations.

■ The widespread reverence for number seven is also traceable to the speculations of ancient astronomers and astrologers who divided man's life into seven parts, while the Old Testament also mentions various cycles of action in seven-day periods.

Today, almost everyone of national governmental or military importance gets a salute of some kind upon occasion. In the United States, it takes 12 pages of military instructions to spell out the distinction among dignitaries. The President, at appropriate places or times, gets 21 volleys of gunfire when he arrives and 21 when he leaves, as well as four drum ruffles and flourishes, and band renditions of either the national anthem or "Hail to the Chief."

The Vice-President, however, is accorded upon arrival only 19 volleys, four ruffles and flourishes and march music. When he departs, there are only four ruffles and

flourishes and march music—no firings. The 21-gun volley constitutes the highest number of firings given in honor of any American, with this presidential distinction otherwise given only to living, former presidents or in an election year, to a president-elect who would receive such a salutation between the time of his election and his inauguration.

Certain foreigners visiting this country also rank a 21-gun salute—a sovereign, a chief of state or a member of a reigning royal family.

The lowest on the table of honors are brigadier generals and lower ranking rear admirals, who receive 11 volleys upon arrival and none upon departure. They are, however, accorded as they leave a single ruffle and a flourish and what is known as the general's or admiral's march.

The 21-gun firing is known as both the national salute and the salute to the flag. However, on the Fourth of July, military posts having suitable artillery fire 50 volleys in honor of each of the states of the nation. Although rifles can be used if necessary, firings are generally made from 105-mm or smaller size howitzers using blank cartridges.

But in the interest of economy and efficiency, ceremonies which include these honors are generally held to an absolute minimum and often, personages entitled a salute signify in advance that such recognition need not be given them.

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Navy and Marine Corps veterans who attended the reception proudly pose with Secretary of the Navy Middendorf.



Past Presidents General Savage, Anderson and Eugene McGuire (rt) enjoy a bull session.



Nat. Trustee W. Clark Erwin (lt) discusses current events with Spanish Ambassador Alba.



Pres. Gen. Savage and Past Pres. Gen. Ryall Morgan beam as their First Ladies exchange warm greetings.

ON FEBRUARY 13 AT SAR NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS IN THE NATION'S CAPITAL... ANOTHER OUTSTANDING RECEPTION.

President General and Mrs. Robert D. Savage were the gracious hosts at the traditional February reception. Compatriots, their ladies and guests, were on hand from all over the country. V.I.P.s included Secretary of the Navy J. William Middendorf and His Excellency, Jaime Alba, the Ambassador of Spain. These receptions, preceding the Trustees' Meeting on the following day, have become highlights of the SAR social season. There will be another one in October!



Pres. Gen. Robert D. Savage greets Navy Secretary Middendorf.



Past Presidents General Savage and Charles Anderson, M.D. exchange possibly differing views.



Past Presidents General M. Graham Clark and Ryall S. Morgan discuss and ponder.



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PATRIOTIC PLANTS

Here's a sparkler of an idea for gardening enthusiasts: plant your own Americana garden in the shape of the flag bursting with flowers in patriotic red, white and blue. Cape May County's Bicentennial Commission is offering a guide for planting gardens in commemorative shapes and colors this year. To get a free copy of the "Bicentennial Planting Guide," drop a note along with a self-addressed, stamped envelope to the Commission: P.O. Box 74b, Cape May Court House, N.J. 08210.

MAGAZINE POLL RESULTS

In the Fall issue, a ballot was included for purposes of possibly renaming the SAR MAGAZINE. Exactly 132 ballots were returned to National Headquarters, and here are the results:

- 93 . . . retain the present name.
- 12 . . . "The Patriot".
- 19 . . . "SAR Patriot".
- 5 . . . "SAR Minuteman".
- 1 . . . "The Patriot, SAR Magazine".
- 1 . . . "The American Patriot".
- 1 . . . "Spirit of '76 Chronicle".

In addition to the above, the Detroit Chapter notified the National Headquarters that it had adopted a resolution unanimously recommending that the present name, SAR MAGAZINE, be retained.

ATTENTION PROSPECTIVE DELEGATES TO THE 86th ANNUAL SAR CONGRESS AT PHILADELPHIA

Remember that accredited delegates are entitled to a tax deduction of their expenses of attending the Congress.

Reference: Revenue Ruling 58-240 (CB 1958-1, page 141)

A MEMORIAL TO GEN. MUHLENBERG

The completion of a memorial at 4900 Connecticut Avenue, Washington, D.C. has become an approved Bicentennial project for many patriots. The memorial is to Peter Muhlenberg, statesman, clergyman and soldier in the 13 colonies, one of the unsung heroes of the American Revolution whose statue is in Statuary Hall of the U.S. Capitol. The memorial site (paid for and appraised at \$175,000) was dedicated by Congressional Resolution but \$165,000 is needed for completion of the beautiful project in Muhlenberg Park which includes an elliptical pool, jet fountains with underwater night lighting, pedestal and bust of Gen. Muhlenberg, park benches, and 3 tablets of bronze summarizing his career. The project is to be built "without cost to the government." Contributions may be directed to *Peter Muhlenberg Memorial Assn., 815-15th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20005*. Brochure available on request.



Directors of the Muhlenberg Memorial Association inspect the site of the memorial to be erected, honoring the famed clergyman-soldier who said, "There is a time for all things—a time to preach, and a time to pray, but there is also a time to fight, and that time has now come." (l to r): SAR Comp. Henry C. Lerch, Judge Leventhal, Senator (SAR Comp.) Richard Schweiker, House of Rep. Speaker Carl Albert and Hon. Fred Muhlenberg.

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A PRESIDENTIAL GREETING FOR OUR PRESIDENT GENERAL



In the magnificent State Dining Room of the White House, President General Robert D. Savage is cordially greeted by President Ford. Compatriot Savage was invited to the Executive Mansion for a National Defense Briefing conducted by Secretary Kissinger, followed by a Presidential Reception, where this photograph was taken by the official White House photographer.

BICENTENNIAL IN CALIFORNIA

by Col. G. I. Epperson
Americanism Chairman, SAR

The young lady in slacks was easy to look at out of the corner of my eye. She had strawberry, windblown hair and laughing eyes. A pleasing sight to an old horse soldier.

We stood on the northwest corner of El Camino at 15th Street where the ancient Del Mar Hotel used to stand. Now the vacant land is overgrown with weeds and reveals no traces of its glamorous past when celebrities crowded into our village for the Del Mar race meet. The two of us were waiting for the traffic light to turn green so that we could cross over to the new shopping plaza.

Leaning on my cane, I had been admiring the fireplug located at that particular corner. Once, it had been the usual uninteresting yellow color. But, lo and behold, the hydrant had undergone a transformation! An artistic type—of which we have many in Del Mar—with brush and palette had changed the ugly device into something imaginative with a Bicentennial flavor. It was freshly painted various colors to represent a naval hero of the American War of Independence with his admiral's "fore-and-after" pointing seaward. He wore a blue coat with gold buttons and sported a white cravat. Gold epaulets shone on the sailor's shoulders and a red sash completed the color and adornment. So that there would be no mistake identifying the historical character, the artist had lettered the hero's name on the figure—a hallowed name familiar to most school children.

"How do you like it?" I smiled to my fellow observer. "It's beautiful," she beamed. Then, leaning over to read the inscription, she giggled, "Oh, it has the artist's name—John Paul Jones!"



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.

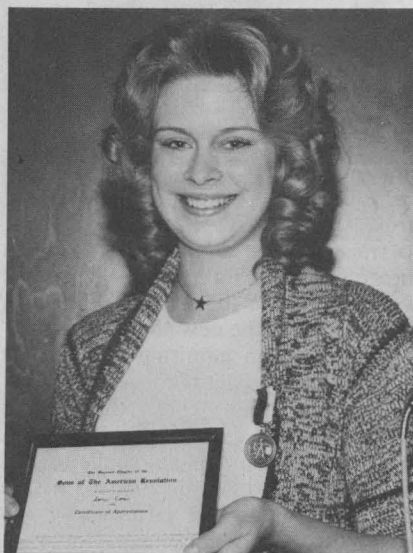
Many situations necessitate the editing of submitted copy, and we reserve the customary editorial prerogative of condensing or omitting that which circumstances justify.

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.

THE DEADLINE FOR ALL MATERIAL FOR THE NEXT ISSUE JUNE 1, 1976.



Miss Lori Cox, a lovely patriot, displays her Good Citizenship Medal and Certificate, bestowed by the Saguaro Chapter (Ariz.). (See the Arizona news.)

ARIZONA SOCIETY

The Saguaro Chapter of Sun City, at its Valentine Day Breakfast, had as its speaker, Miss Lori Cox, a 17-year old high school student of Scottsdale. Miss Cox has received state and national

recognition for her outstanding efforts in promoting patriotism. Facing tremendous obstacles, she, alone, persuaded the Arizona Legislature to pass a law permitting time for the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag in the public schools. On the national scene, Miss Cox has launched a drive to have Congress adopt a National Patriotism Week. She has the full support of the Arizona Congressional representative, as well as that of many other Senators and Congressmen. President Ford has personally written to Miss Cox, strongly supporting a National Patriotism Week. Recently, she returned from Washington where she has been urging Congressmen to support her patriotic efforts. A petition was circulated at the Saguaro Chapter's breakfast, supporting her proposal for a National Patriotism Week. Every Chapter member signed the petition, which was forwarded to Arizona's Senators and Congressmen. During the program, Miss Cox was awarded the Good Citizenship Medal and Certificate. About 200 members and guests attended the Breakfast, including Past Pres. Gen. Milton M. Lory, brother of Pres. Hillis Lory of the Saguaro Chapter.

COLORADO SOCIETY

As host, the Colorado Society arranged the Rocky Mountain District Council meeting in Denver on Dec. 14. Attendees included V. P. Gen. Robert L. Johnson and Treas. Gen. Ralph M. Pabst. All attended the Bill of Rights Banquet at which the Colorado Society's guest speaker was Mrs. Stephen Hart, a prominent member of the Colonial Dames.

Pres. Gen. Robert D. Savage arrived in Denver, and was met at the airport by V.P. Gen. Robert L. Johnson, Nat. Trustee Philip H. Stevenson and Acting State Pres. Clarence L. Bixler. In the afternoon, an interesting and constructive workshop was held, with the President General participating. At the Veterans Day Banquet, the President General addressed and impressed the many Compatriots and their ladies with his message. His brilliant military career and deep insight into fiscal needs of the nation's defense budget emphasized his outstanding discourse. The Society's President, Col. Walden F. Woodward, USA, Ret. was absent due to illness, so the President General awarded War Service Medals to 18 qualifying Compatriots. On the following day, Comp. Savage, with the Col-



Shown at the installation of 1976-77 officers for the Dr. Joseph Warren Chapter (Miss.) are (l to r): Secty.-Treas. Tom Bichette, Pres. Harmon Gardner and V.P. (Dr.) Paul Ballard.

orado Society's National Trustee and Secretary, visited the Air Force Academy where he was warmly greeted by Gen. (& Comp.) James Allen, the Superintendent. Capt. Clements, Chief of Community Relations, escorted his SAR guests on a tour throughout the Academy, and to the hospital where Pres. Woodward was a patient. At noon, the tour recessed in the Officers' Club where Coach Ben Martin ran a film of the Air Force-Tulane football game, which the Academy won.

State Pres. Woodward was stricken ill after his return from the Holy Land and Middle East. His lovely wife, Marie, had accompanied him. Upon his return, Comp. Woodward underwent surgery. All of his many friends, and especially his Colorado Compatriots are praying for his speedy and complete recovery.

On Feb. 22nd the Colorado Society commemorated Washington's Birthday with a most successful banquet at The Tiffin Inn in Denver. The highlight of the evening was the presentation of the Good Citizenship Medal to Colorado State Senator W. Joseph Shoemaker, followed by his address entitled "Qualities & Responsibilities of Citizenship." Senator Shoemaker received the award from Past V.P. Gen. John C. Mott for his outstanding patriotic efforts on behalf of our country and state. The 79th Annual Washington's Birthday Banquet was also the occasion for the installation of State Officers for 1976-77. Heading the Society in Colorado is C. L. Bixler, Jr., President. A special tribute was paid to last year's State President, Col. Walden F. Woodward, who became hospitalized midway through his term of office, and was unable to direct the Society toward his planned goals.



At the recent D.C. Society's reception, held at the National Headquarters, Pres. (Capt.) Robert M. Barnes (rt) and Mrs. Barnes (rt) cordially greet Comp. and Mrs. Sheffield Kagy. For many years, Mrs. Kagy was the Executive Assistant at National Headquarters. Her renowned husband is a famous artist.

DELAWARE SOCIETY

Pres. Gen. Robert D. Savage, at the Dec. 6 Delaware Society banquet commemorating the Dec. 7, 1787 ratification of the US Constitution making Delaware the first state, warned America not to be "rocked to sleep in the cradle of detente" amid world expansion of Soviet influence. At the banquet, attended by SARs, DARs and guests, Gov. Sherman Tribbitt received the Gold Good Citizenship Medal, Wilmington Police Chief John McCool the Law Enforcement Commendation Medal and Comp. C. Robert Hearn the Patriot Medal. State Pres. Clarence K. Xander presided, and Awards Chairman Eugene C. Hamilton presented the medals.

With the DAR, the Delaware Society co-sponsored the 53rd annual Delaware State Sunday Service on Jan. 4 in the Washington Memorial Chapel of the National Shrine at Valley Forge, Pa., held annually on the 1st Sunday in Jan. to recognize Delaware as the 1st state to ratify the US Constitution. Wilmington Mayor said Washington "would favor reducing tension, but would he think detente's been more of a 1-way than a 2-way street? Would he say we've given a lot more than we've gotten?" He spoke to a standing-room-only crowd.

At the State Society's monthly luncheon meeting on Jan. 5 at the University Club, committee chairmen delivered reports of past activities and future plans.

At the Delaware Society's Washington's Birthday Luncheon on Feb. 21 at the University Club, Attorney Clement Wood, an authority on Washington,

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was the speaker. Silver Good Citizenship Medals were awarded to State C.A.R. Pres. Marian Marshall, and to Mary Wood whose master's thesis at the Univ. of Delaware told of many Revolutionary notables who enjoyed Delaware hospitality including Washington, John & Abigail Adams, Lafayette, Louis Philippe and the Duke of Orleans.

FLORIDA SOCIETY

The DeLand Chapter honored John Witt, a local building contractor, for his efforts in apprehending an armed purse snatcher in downtown DeLand. Witt responded to a cry for help by an elderly woman who pointed out a 20-year man who had taken her purse at knife-point. Witt chased the thief, and cornered him until police arrived. Volusia Sheriff Edwin Duff, guest speaker at the SAR meeting, praised Witt for "getting involved". The certificate was presented by Col. Mace Harris.

The ever-popular State President, Cecil Bothwell, thrilled the St. Petersburg Chapter with his description of the growth and goals of the Florida Society.

In Dec., Deputy Sheriff Russell Cassidy received the SAR Law Enforcement Commendation Medal & Certificate at a meeting of Caloosa Chapter. Pres. Nevil E. Salot presented the Award which had been recommended by the Lee County Sheriff's Dept.

On Feb. 21, the Caloosa Chapter observed its annual Washington's Birth-



Fort Lauderdale (Fla.) Chapter's Washington's Birthday program was complemented by the presence of Chaplain General (Capt.) Luther F. Gerhart. Chapter Pres. Calvin E. Sutherd (rt) is portrayed introducing his distinguished guest of honor.



A new book, "Valley Forge", is examined by State Historian Herbert L. Bowers (lt); Williams S. Hatt, M.D., President of Saramana (Fla.) Chapter; and State Sr. V.P. George E. Morris. The author, MacKinlay Kantor, was recently the speaker at a luncheon of the Saramana Chapter.

day celebration with a luncheon at the Ft. Myers Florida Country Club. Among the 100 members and guests attending were Past V. P. Gen. and Mrs. Vincent Van Inwegen and Mrs. Donald Adams. The speaker was Patrick Cody, National Commandant of the Marine Corps League. His speech was a narration of personal experiences, showing a need for continued vigilance and security for our nation. Commandant Cody was presented with a certificate of appreciation by Chapter Pres. Salot.

Chaplain Gen. (Capt.) Luther F. Gerhart, D.D., USN, Ret., gave the Washington's Birthday address at ceremonies of the Ft. Lauderdale Chapter. He spoke on "Washington and His Spiritual Influence in the Revolution", and emphasized the greatness of Washington in setting an example for our country to follow with regard to religious freedom. The Chapter is very proud of 5 sons of Comp. Richard L. Aiken, who have joined the Ft. Lauderdale Chapter. In addition to their SAR father, their grandfather, William J. Aiken, was President of the Pennsylvania Society in the early 1940s.

The Fort Lauderdale Chapter booth and display at the Pioneer Day celebration was well attended. Compatriots Joe Rumbaugh and Charles Wilson supplied membership data to many interested visitors. The Chapter was treated to an inspiring talk on our great heritage by Sheriff Edward Stack of Broward County. Gen. Carlos Webster presented him with the SAR Law Enforcement Commendation Medal and Certificate.

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During the Feb. 7 meeting of the Indiana Society, Pres. Gen. Robert D. Savage is presented with an SAR tricorn by V.P. Gen. Albert T. Morris (lt) and Nat. Trustee Marshall E. Miller.

INDIANA SOCIETY

The Indiana Society hosted Pres. Gen. Robert D. Savage at its winter meeting, held in Muncie during some of the worst weather of the Winter. A large number of Compatriots and wives braved snow and a major ice storm to be present for the President General's address following a business session and luncheon. A slate of new officers, headed by Pres. George E. Carroll, was elected to serve during 1976-77. They will be ceremoniously installed by Past Pres. Gen. Len Young Smith at the Annual Meeting in Indianapolis on April 3.

The Continental Chapter met in February to install new officers, and to have the Northeast District elimination of the State Historical Oration Contest.

KANSAS SOCIETY

The Benjamin Franklin Chapter held its Annual Meeting at the Freedom Sentry Ranch in Cherryvale on Jan. 24 with Frank and Gayleen Shelton as the gracious hosts. Included among the 75 members and guests were V.P. Gen. C. Y. Thomas, State Pres. Augustus diZerega and State V.P. Arthur M. King. Outgoing Pres. Robert Rohde and Secty.-Treas. Frank Shelton presided at the meeting. Pres. George M. Paine heads the 1976 slate of new officers. Mrs. Edith Rohde was presented with the SAR Medal of Appreciation for her assistance in building membership in the new Benjamin Franklin

Chapter. The Patriot Medal was ceremoniously bestowed upon V.P. Gen. Thomas by the Kansas Society.

MICHIGAN SOCIETY

The Detroit Chapter, in addition to its Bicentennial-oriented regular meetings, has embarked on a membership drive that promises a banner year in the history of the Chapter. Under the chairmanship of Comp. (Col.) Howard R. Trenkle, a goal of 140 new members has been set. Currently, more than 80 applications are being processed. The luncheon meetings, well attended, have presented Benjamin Franklin in costume, as portrayed by Ralph Archbold in a biographical summary of Franklin's life, and many other intriguing and educational programs.

MISSISSIPPI SOCIETY

The Patrick Henry Chapter met on Dec. 29 for its regular monthly meeting with Pres. (Cmdr.) J. D. Brusstar presiding. Election of 1976 officers was the main order of business, and Comp. V. B. Vancleave was elected as the Chapter's chief executive. The remainder of the meeting was devoted to plans for the annual meeting of the Mississippi Society to be held at Biloxi on Mar. 13 with Pres. Gen. Robert D. Savage and V.P. Gen. James H. Chenery expected to attend.



Pres. William S. Hatt, M.D. of Florida's Saramana Chapter is shown seated (lt) with Acting Pres. Sheldon F. Coons of a brand-new chapter at Port Charlotte. Standing (l to r) are: V.P. Dale F. Harter, Secty. Harold E. Merriam and Treas. O. A. Hutchins.



V.I.P.s portrayed at a recent meeting of the Massachusetts Society are (l to r): Past Pres. Gen. Walter R. Martin, Past State Pres. Lester M. Clark, Mrs. Phillips, Switzerland Society Pres. Shelby C. Davis, Mrs. Davis and State Pres. Asa E. Phillips, Jr. Comp. Davis recently retired as U.S. Ambassador to Switzerland.

NEBRASKA SOCIETY

The 68th Annual Meeting of the Nebraska Society was held on Feb. 22 at the Hotel Cornhusker in Lincoln with about 75 members and guests in attendance. Retiring Pres. Neal A. Chism introduced the speaker, US Dist. Judge Warren Urbom, who discussed the judicial system, its history and present responsibilities. A slate of officers for 1976-77, headed by Pres. Royce N. Kent, was elected and installed.

NEW JERSEY SOCIETY

State Pres. John R. Naisby and the Board of Managers is appealing for funds for observance of the Bicentennial. A reserve of \$500 created by the State Society is insufficient for "an effective program" at the state level. In making this appeal, he acknowledged that many chapters have already undertaken observances.

The Board of Managers held its annual Christmas party at the Bonnell

House, the state headquarters, on Dec. 12.

Past Chaplain (Rev.) John W. Hayward of the West Virginia Society spoke on "Gen. Washington's Way of Work and Worship" at the State Society's annual Washington's Birthday Luncheon at Princeton's Nassau Inn on Feb. 21. Representatives of the DAR and CAR participated in the program.

More than 575 members and guests attended the 250th birthday anniversary of Abraham Clark, conducted by Abraham Clark Chapter at its headquarters on a remnant of the Signer's farm in Roselle on Feb. 15. Union County changed 9th Ave. to Abraham Clark St. for the week of the Chapter's celebration. The house is owned jointly by the SAR and DAR. A tea-musical was conducted featuring electronic and guitar versions of old-time songs, and DAR members in colonial garb served a collation. Comp. George E. Crittenden was Chairman, assisted by Comp. Clifford Charlock.

At the Raritan Valley Chapter's mid-winter dinner on Jan. 27, a certificate was presented to the Metuchen First Aid Squad for its service to the community and to the SAR. Squad Pres. James Conlon received it.

Montclair Chapter conducted its annual Washington Boulder Service on Feb. 22 with the DAR sharing sponsorship. RAdm. George Fraser (Ret.) spoke on "What Has George Washington Done for You Lately?" The Montclair Police Dept. gave a gun salute, and a Boy Scout sounded Taps. A reception followed at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Frank Lawrence. Second V.P. Raymond Dey placed a wreath on the boulder.

Elizabethtown Chapter chose the traditional Washington's Birthday, Feb. 22, for a ceremony honoring over 100 Revolutionary soldiers buried beside Elizabeth's 1st Presbyterian Church. US Congressman Matthew Rinaldo, acting for President Ford, laid a wreath at the monument for Rev. James Caldwell, former pastor of the church,



Retiring Pres. Edward H. Russell of Mississippi's Dr. Joseph Warren Chapter honors 2 outstanding Vicksburg citizens. Mr. Frank Everett (lt) and Mrs. William Dalrymple receive the Gold Good Citizenship Medal and SAR Medal of Appreciation respectively.



(Top) At the Constitution Week Banquet of the Atlanta (Ga.) Chapter, Mrs. Eula McMillen receives the SAR Medal of Appreciation from State Pres. Benjamin E. Holland.

(Bottom) At the same event, Atlanta Chapter Pres. James R. Westlake bestows the SAR Law Enforcement Commendation Medal upon Officer Jerry Price of the Atlanta Police Dept.

and a chaplain in the American army, who was murdered nearby on Nov. 24, 1781. Rev. Dr. Raymond Wallace, current pastor, spoke on "Allegiance to What?" The guard of honor included State Pres. John R. Naisby, Elizabethtown Chapter Pres. Harold J. Herick and Comp. William Vanderhoof. Morgan's Rifles fired a volley, and other uniformed bodies included the Morristown H.S. Corps, Lamb's Artillery, the Jerseymen, the Jersey Blues Color Guard and the Boy Scouts. Gen. Washington's prayer was read, and Librarian Gen. Richard E. Crane called the roll of those buried in the historic cemetery.

EMPIRE STATE (N.Y.) SOCIETY

78 members and guests of the Binghamton Chapter and the DAR attended a joint luncheon meeting Feb. 21 at King Arthur's Restaurant, Endicott. Dr. David Nielsen of the State Univ. of N.Y. at Binghamton spoke on "George F. Johnson's Industrial Democracy." Mr. Johnson was an area industrial leader and co-founder of the Endicott-Johnson Shoe Corp. Displayed at the meeting was a commemorative plaque honoring some 400 Revolutionary War veterans that lived in Broome County. The plaque will be dedicated this Spring. Weekly articles compiled by Sec. Philip E. Davis on Revolutionary soldiers and their de-

scendants who live in Broome County are appearing regularly in 2 local newspapers.

The Buffalo Chapter elected Comp. Thomas H. Speller as Pres. at its Annual Election Meeting and Christmas party on Dec. 12. V.P. Gen. Robert B. Newcomb installed the newly-elected officers. Members were entertained at the Chapter's Jan. meeting by a slide show presented by V.P. William G. Cook on "Paris and its Suburbs". Included were views of Lafayette's tomb in Picpus Cemetery where the U.S. flag has flown continuously since 1834 and where the Society in France holds impressive flag-changing ceremonies every 4th of July. The Annual Washington's Birthday Meeting was held Feb. 20 in the Katharine Horton DAR Chapter House. Highlight of the evening was the presentation of the Law Enforcement Commendation Medal to Lt. James Goss. A 20-year veteran of the Buffalo Police Dept., he commanded the SWAT (Special Weapons and Tactics) and Underwater Recovery teams, and was in charge of the Police Training Academy. Herman Knochenauer, a member of the N.Y. State Masonic Bicentennial Committee and Pres. of the Masonic Foundation of Erie County, spoke on "George Washington, the Mason". He displayed a model of a 9-ft. bronze statue of Washington which the Masonic Foundation hopes to present to the city of Buffalo as a Bicentennial gift.

The Columbia County Chapter is working with the Friends of the Elmhurst Inn in an attempt to save this historic mid-1700 building located in the Town of Red Hook, N.Y. The Chapter is also involved in the restoration and preservation of an abandoned cemetery in the Township of Galatin, N.Y. and has enlisted the aid of Manorton Boy Scout Troop 133 in this project.

The New York Chapter was host at a luncheon for the State Board of Managers on Feb. 7 at the Roger Smith Hotel, White Plains. Pres. Paul K. Ad-



Deputy Sheriff Russell Cassidy receives the SAR Law Enforcement Commendation Medal & Certificate from Pres. Nevin E. Salot of the Caloosa (Fla.) Chapter.

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Gen. Mgr. Nash Castro and Mrs. Isabelle Savell, Historian and former newspaper editor, proudly receive their Man and Woman of the Year awards of the Stony Point (NY) Chapter from State Pres. J. Wesley Pullman III (rt).

dams presided, and Past Pres. Robert J. Stackpole addressed the more than 60 persons in attendance on the status of the famous Odell House in Hartsdale. In this building, now owned by the Chapter, Generals Washington and Rochambeau met and planned the campaign that eventually led to the British surrender at Yorktown. The Chapter's 41st Colonial Ball was held at the Hotel Plaza, N.Y.C., the evening of Feb. 13. Mrs. Betty Ford, wife of the U.S. President, was Honorary Chairman of this glittering social event attended by approx. 625 persons. Comp. (Col.) H. Harding Isaacson was Ball Committee Chairman and Comp.

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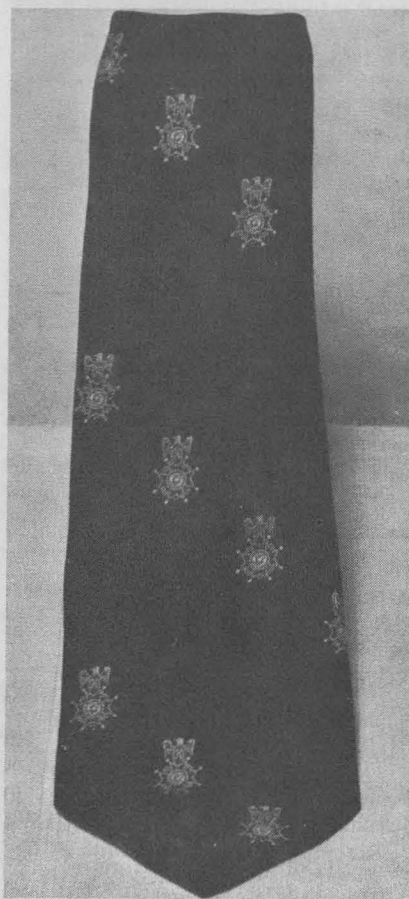
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(Col.) Ansel E. M. Talbert was Master of Ceremonies. Past Pres. Gen. John W. Finger presented 25 debutantes, including Miss Tawney Godin, reigning Miss America, all of whom trace their ancestry to men who served in the Revolution. The uniformed Colonial Fife & Drums Corps presented the colors and executed a drill. Music for dancing was provided by an orchestra under the direction of Comp. Philip O. Bennett. Among the distinguished guests were V.P. Gen. Robert B. Newcomb, State Pres. J. Wesley Pullman III, and representatives of numerous other patriotic societies with headquarters in N.Y.C.

The **Oriskany Battle Chapter** received prominent mention in the 1976 Club Directory section of the Utica Daily Press published Feb. 20. An article outlining SAR aims and activities was accompanied by a 2-col. group photo of Pres. Clarence C. Lathey, V.P. Ralph W. Arend, and Sec.-Treas. Stanley F. Countryman.

Officers of the **Rochester Chapter**, headed by Pres. Stuart Clark Rogers, were installed by State V.P. Chase Viele at the Chapter's Washington's Birthday meeting and party held Feb. 14 in the home of Treas. Henry Emerson.

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National Law Enforcement Chairman Ordway P. Burden (rt) presents the SAR Law Enforcement Commendation Medal to D. C. Police Chief Maurice Cullinane at the Dec. meeting of the District of Columbia Society. State Pres. (Capt.) Robert Barnes (lt) looks on. Comp. Burden was the featured speaker at the event. The luncheon was attended by more than a hundred Compatriots and guests.

The Annual Meeting and Banquet of the **Stone Arabia Battle Chapter** was held Jan. 17 at the Rainbow Inn, Johnstown. A slate of officers headed by Pres. Fred J. Gros was installed by State Pres. J. Wesley Pullman. The Law Enforcement Commendation Medal was awarded to John Brown, former Sheriff of Fulton County. Past State Pres. E. Fred Dougherty was Master of Ceremonies.

The 12th Annual Awards Dinner of the **Stony Point Chapter** took place Dec. 5 in the Officer's Club, U.S. Military Academy, West Point. Nash Castro, Gen. Mgr. of the Palisades Interstate Park Commission, and Mrs. Isabelle K. Savell, historian and former newspaper editor, were honored at Rockland County's Man and Woman of the Year. State Pres. J. Wesley Pullman installed a slate of officers headed by Pres. Cecil Kindle. Main speaker of the evening was Prof. R. D. Higginbotham, visiting professor of history at the Military Academy. His subject was the battle of Yorktown. Pres. Kindle awarded a Gold Good Citizenship Medal to Comp. (Dr.) J. R. Dunham Laird, a 50-year member, for his long and valuable service to the SAR. The Continental Fife and Drum Corps and the attractive Christmas decorations in the Officer's Club added color to this outstanding event attended by 130 members and friends. Past State Pres. J. Moreau Brown III was Master of Ceremonies. Sec. (Col.) David Quinn, V.P. G. Roland Mills, and Bd. of Mgrs. member Robert B. Hemminger comprised the dinner committee.

At a luncheon meeting Dec. 10 in the Syracuse YMCA, members of the **Syracuse Chapter** heard Virginia Small, Asst. Dir. of the Syracuse Museum of Fine Arts, speak on the "Buy George" campaign to raise funds for purchase of a Gilbert Stuart portrait of George Washington for permanent museum

display. The Chapter has donated \$100.00 to this project. At the Chapter's Jan. meeting, National Guard officers Capt. Richard Sheeran and Lt. Col. Robert Schmurr gave a presentation on militia organizations from the Revolutionary period to the present time. The Chapter was a major participant in the Annual Heritage Luncheon of area patriotic organizations held Feb. 21 at Drumlins Country Club. The more than 200 in attendance heard an inspiring patriotic address by Col. Roy Sherry, a veteran of World War II and the Korean conflict, and a former attache at the U.S. Embassy in London. A plaque was presented to James DeLuca for citizenship and work with youth, particularly the organization of a Fife & Drum Corps at East Syracuse Middle School which will perform at the White House in May. Color Guard at the meeting consisted of 4 Chapter members dressed in Continental Army uniforms recently purchased by the Chapter for use on patriotic occasions. Pres. (Col.) Charles W. Skeele presided and Past Pres. and Chaplain Frank C. Love gave the invocation and benediction. Past Pres. Matthias E. Smith was Gen. Chm. and Past Pres. (Dr.) William E. Ayling was in charge of tickets.

NORTH CAROLINA SOCIETY

The **Mecklenburg Chapter** held its Annual Meeting recently at Charlotte, at which time, Pres. Royce presented the Silver Good Citizenship Medal and Certificate to Mrs. Elisabeth Hair, Chairman of the Mecklenburg County Bd. of Commissioners. Guest speaker was John Newton of the Monitor Research Foundation who gave a fine talk on the finding of the Yankee Ironclad "Monitor". His presentation included films of the project. Members of the Sons of Confederate Veterans and DAR attended the meeting as guests.



Principals of a Memorial Day Dinner on Feb. 22 in honor of George Washington are portrayed here. (l to r): Pres. Kenneth W. Nebinger of the Harris Ferry Chapter; Mrs. Nebinger; Comp. Richard W. Ramsay; and Mrs. Ramsay, DAR Regent. The joint event took place at the Wm. Penn Memorial Museum in Harrisburg, Pa. The featured speaker was Maj. Gen. DeWitt Smith, Commandant of the US Army War College.



(Top) At the world-famous Breakers Hotel, US Congressman Paul Rogers addresses attendees at the Washington's Birthday Banquet of Florida's Palm Beach Chapter. Chapter Pres. Robert T. Siemon is seated at the right.

(Bottom) President Siemon and Congressman Rogers pose with a magnificent Liberty Bell reproduction that was featured at the Palm Beach Chapter's Washington's Birthday Banquet.

Pres. John R. Riley and other new officers were formally installed at a meeting of the **Raleigh Chapter**. The installation ceremonies were conducted by State Pres. (Dr.) Herbert C. Bradshaw. Mrs. A. M. Fountain, Sr., served as hostess for the program.

PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY

The January meeting of the **Gen. Arthur St. Clair Chapter** was held at the Village Inn in Adamsburg. Hazel Adams, Westmoreland County's Bicentennial Coordinator, delivered a fine prologue on Westmoreland's Maj. Gen. St. Clair. Mrs. Joan Thompson, accompanied by Mrs. Catherine Wentzel, furnished a pleasing musical recital. V.I.P. guests included Nat. Trustee & Mrs. Ross McGregor, Pittsburgh Chapter Pres. & Mrs. Wendel A. Swartz, and George Washington Chapter Pres. & Mrs. Lawrence R. Sutherland.

The **Continental Congress Chapter** celebrated its annual Washington & Lincoln Birthday meeting with a luncheon at the Flamingo Restaurant in York. Dr. Carl Hatch of York College of Pa. exhibited a slide presentation entitled "Social and Architectural Profile of York during the American Revolution. Members of area C.A.R. societies had been invited to attend this meeting, and many of them were in at-

tendance.

US Representative Roger Fischer of the 47th Congressional Dist. was the speaker at the Armistice Day meeting of the **George Washington Chapter**. Mr. Fischer noted the importance of the day to our history, and compared it with the Bicentennial celebration. He stressed a strong voice in government, a poorly-informed public, lack of interest in voting, and a strong voice for God.

The annual Washington's Birthday Luncheon of the **Philadelphia-Continental Chapter** featured a talk by Mrs. Lawrence Fuller, direct descendant of Samuel Washington, brother of the greatest American. Mrs. Fuller was presented with the Silver Good Citizenship Medal, as was Exec. Director Robert Realsky of Saunders House, a geriatric center of Lankenau Hospital. SAR Medals of Appreciation were presented to Mrs. R. S. Uzzell and Mrs. Edward Hungerford for their work in assisting the Chapter. Honored guests included State Pres. Warren G. Hayes, Jr., and Mrs. Coray Miller, State DAR Regent. Both assisted Chapter Pres. (Cdr.) Edwin H. Gideon in placing a wreath at Washington's statue in Independence Hall, preceding the repast at Old Bookbinders Restaurant. Other guests were Miss Sarah Swoyer, S.E. Regional DAR Director and Miss Anne Borum of the CAR. The latter delivered greetings for that junior group. Comp. and Mrs. Gideon wore traditional Colonial dress for the occasion. The luncheon chairman was Chapter V.P. David L. Hillman. The singing of Revolutionary Era songs, led by Comp. Carl McLean, wound up one of the best Washington's Birthday events in the Chapter's history.

TENNESSEE SOCIETY

The State Board of Governors had good representation from the chapters at the Feb. 14 meeting, with plans laid



Pres. (Dr.) Elbert R. Moses of the Capt. Samuel Brady Chapter (Pa.) confers with Dr. Samuel Wilhelm (rt), retired History Prof. at Clarion St. College, who spoke at a recent meeting on Benjamin Franklin.



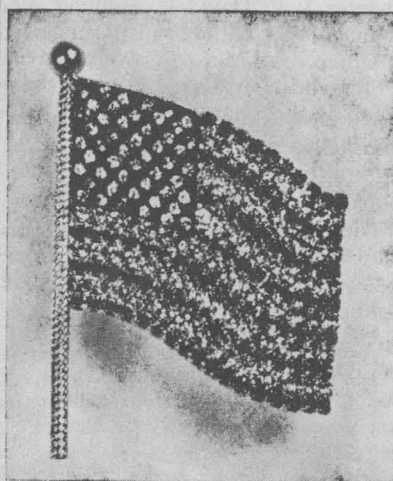
Mrs. Roderick D. Brown pins the Silver Good Citizenship Medal upon her distinguished husband, who is Pres. of the Richmond Chapter. Dr. Walter A. Porter, 3rd V.P. of the Va. Society, looks on.

for holding the Annual Meeting at Nashville's Hilton Airport on April 23-24.

The **Andrew Jackson Chapter** celebrated its George Washington Dinner at the Belle Meade Country Club on Feb. 21 with about 150 members, wives and guests present. The highlight of the evening was an address by former Nashville Mayor Beverly Briley, who spoke of Washington, and of America's future.

The **John Sevier Chapter** has succeeded in organizing a new chapter in the Knoxville area. The new Stephen Holston Chapter is slated to receive its charter on Feb. 21.

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Washington's Birthday was commemorated on Feb. 21 with a gala banquet of the **John Sevier Chapter** in Chattanooga. The attendance was one of the largest in the Chapter's history.

At the Holly Hills Country Club, the **Shelby Chapter** joined with DAR and CAR chapters for a Washington's Birthday Luncheon. The speaker was Dr. C. C. Humphries, former President of Memphis State Univ. The program included the introduction of SAR Historical Oration Contest participants. Following the luncheon, the Chapter retired for a business meeting, at which time officers were elected for 1976-77.

On Feb. 20, the **Stones River Chapter** met at the Agriculture Center in Murfreesboro where they were privileged to have the Rutherford County Square Dancers entertain them. This group has been traveling over the US, and in foreign countries, presenting the dance as a Bicentennial project of early American entertainment. They were led by Chapter Compatriot Steve Cates. As one of their Bicentennial projects, the Chapter has made banks, replicas of the Murfreesboro Court House, which they sell as souvenirs of the historical building.

At the Jan. 27 monthly meeting of the **Memphis Chapter**, Mrs. Ivy Banks spoke on "The Threat of Communism in the U.S.", at which time she shared some of her personal experiences with communist infiltration. "Detente" was the subject of an address to the Chapter at its Feb. 24 dinner-meeting by Prof. David Amacker, a renowned student of world affairs.

At the Feb. 21 chartering of the new **Stephen Holston Chapter**, National Executive Committeeman O. M. Wilson, Jr. was the principal speaker. Pres. David Hawley and 3 other members of the John Sevier Chapter were on hand to welcome 20 new members and prospects of the brand-new Chapter. There are elaborate plans for the future.

TEXAS SOCIETY

The **Heart of Texas Chapter** met on Jan. 10 at the Salado Stagecoach Inn Country Club. State Pres. Joe M. Hill was the guest speaker, and installed the new chapter officers for 1976. Comp. C. L. "Jack" Jones was duly invested as President. State Secty.-Treas. Adrien F. Drouilhet was a VIP guest, as were presidents and regents of DAR, Daughters of the Republic of Texas and Colonial Dames. Comp. Bill Barron of Austin led a contingent of 6 Compatriots from the Patrick Henry Chapter. State Pres. Hill commended the Chapter for its activities in the nearby communities on Bicentennial projects, and for 24 potential SAR members who are being considered.



Pres. A. A. DeLee of the Paul Revere Chapter (Tex.) presents the Good Citizenship Medal and Certificate to Comp. George E. Dibrell during ceremonies at Port Arthur, the "All America City."

In 1974, a young black escaped from arrest, and while running, was shot and killed by a police officer of Port Arthur. This incited much racial tension in that area where the ratio of population is 60-40 black to white. City Manager (& Compatriot) George E. Dibrell, with the support of the City Council, invited the Federal Mediator to mediate the racial tension. This was accomplished to a successful conclusion. For this exemplary service, the **Paul Revere Chapter** awarded Comp. Dibrell the Good Citizenship Medal and Certificate on Dec. 5.

The **Paul Carrington Chapter** of Houston held its 33rd annual Washington's Birthday Banquet on Feb. 19, and bestowed the traditional Good Citizenship awards. Over 300 Compatriots and their guests, many from out-of-state, filled the grand ballroom of the River Oaks Country Club. The glittering assemblage watched in rapt attention as Mrs. Jean MacArthur, widow of Gen. Douglas MacArthur, and Mrs. Mary

Northen, Galveston philanthropist, were honored with Gold Good Citizenship medals. Past Chapter Pres. Paul E. Wise and Gen. William Chase (called by MacArthur his best front-line general) joined in the bestowal upon Mrs. MacArthur. State V.P. Frank E. Tritico impressively presented the honor to Mrs. Northen. Chapter Chaplain (Rev.) T. Robert Ingram introduced the guest speaker, Mr. Robert White, a Director of the MacArthur Memorial Foundation. His subject was "General MacArthur: The Man". The speaker drew a parallel of the relationship between Washington and his wife, and that of Gen. MacArthur and his wife ... each lady with her husband during times of extreme personal danger. Music was provided by Mr. John Moseley, organist, and the Univ. of St. Thomas Pipes & Drums. Six bagpipes, three drums and the organ provided exciting music which had the audience on their feet, singing "Eyes of Texas" and "Dixie". The VIPs present, including Past Pres. Gen. James B. Gardiner, received certificates of "Honorary Citizenship of the State of Texas". A tour of the Lyndon Johnson Space Center (NASA), with Dr. Christopher Kraft conducting, was an added attraction in the afternoon, prior to the banquet. The more-than-300 attenders, including many distinguished out-of-state guests, hailed the evening as a magnificent and unforgettable success.

VIRGINIA SOCIETY

At the Virginia Society's annual meeting in commemoration of Washington's Birthday, a resolution was adopted, urging every chapter with a grave of a Signer of the Declaration of Independence in its area to sponsor or officially join others in formulating and conducting a suitable program. Such a program is of special significance this year as July 4 is **THE DAY** of the Bicentennial year. The resolution also called on all state societies to sponsor appropriate observances at such graves within their borders.

At the Dec. meeting of the Thomas Jefferson Chapter, members entertained their ladies at the Farmington

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Retiring Pres. A. Glenn Pless of the Lt. David Cox Chapter (Va.) turns over the gavel of authority to his successor, Incoming Pres. W. Arthur Gurley.

Country Club, and elected a slate of officers for the coming year headed by Pres. (Col.) Francis C. Bowen. Past State Pres. installed the new officers, and presented the Virginia Society Medal to the retiring President, Dr. Howard L. Hamilton, for meritorious service to the SAR at the state and chapter levels. Featured speaker for the evening was Mrs. Mary Betts of the Univ. of Va. who described "Mr. Jefferson's Academical Village", and showed interesting slides of Rotunda restoration nearing completion for the Bicentennial.

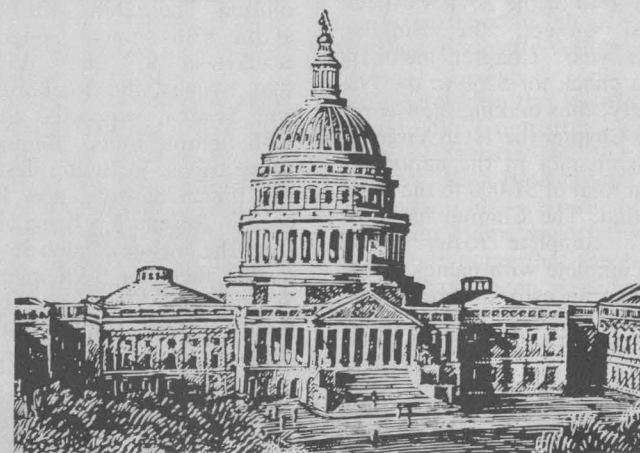
On Dec. 5 at Osborne's Restaurant in Independence, the Lt. David Cox

Chapter convened, and voted to join with the local DAR chapter in erecting a monument on the courthouse grounds in honor of the soldiers of the American Revolution. Dedication is slated for July. Administrator Kenneth Waddell of the Twin County Community Hospital described his new facilities. Retiring Pres. A. Glenn Pless turned over the gavel to his successor, Pres. W. Arthur Gurley.

The Rotunda Club of the Hotel Jefferson on Dec. 9 was the scene of the **Richmond Chapter's** final meeting for 1975. Comp. Flavius B. Walker spoke on the Battle of Great Bridge, south of Norfolk, in which his ancestor played a significant role.

The **Richmond Chapter** held its annual election and installation of officers on Jan. 8 in the Old Hall of the House of Delegates at the State Capitol. Mr. Samuel Moore, a Richmond lawyer, spoke on the life of Gen. Washington, and how history would have recorded it if he had not progressed from one position to the next. State Pres. Gerald P. Finn spoke about the Bicentennial Year. Pres. James H. Miller and his officers were duly installed. Guests included members of the C.A.R.

An outstanding event was the **George Washington Chapter's** annual Christ-



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Va. Society Pres. Gerald P. Finn (rt) confers the SAR Medal of Appreciation, with Certificate, upon Mrs. C. L. Zakaib, a DAR Chapter Regent, as Pres. T. N. Cooley of the new Augusta Declaration Chapter looks on.

mas Party, held on Dec. 7, at the National SAR Headquarters in Washington, D.C. for the 2nd time. At last year's Christmas Party, the Chapter contributed \$740 to the SAR's official Bicentennial project, the Building Fund. This year, Chapter members presented a check for \$260 to the National Society, thus making the **George Washington Chapter** the 1st in Virginia, and the 1st chapter in the nation, to contribute a total of \$1,000 to the SAR Building Fund. The Chapter has now published a complete roster of its members, complete with names of the Revolutionary ancestors, state & national numbers, and the 1st name of the member's wife.

WASHINGTON STATE SOCIETY

The **Seattle Chapter** commenced its Bicentennial program with a luncheon at Seattle's plush Black Angus, at which Billy Schumaker of "Unlimited Fame" reviewed the history of power boat racing. Billy was introduced by 2nd V.P. (Major) Joe Marshall, who was the Explorer Scout Leader of Billy's troop when he was attending Lincoln H.S. Billy's lovely wife, Cindy, shared the limelight at the program. Other admirers of Schumaker included 3 members of the R. C. Green family, who have worked with powerboat drivers in engine design and operation, and all 3 are SAR Compatriots. During the program, a new slate of 1976 officers was elected, headed by Pres. Harlan Y. Smith.

WISCONSIN SOCIETY

During a recent dinner meeting at Oshkosh, Pres. Winston C. Williams of the Wisconsin Society presented a check to Exec. Director R. R. Wagner of the Wisconsin American Revolution Bicentennial Commission, and Mrs. Bernice Miller, Director of the Stockbridge-Munsee Historical Library-Museum. The project involves a unique traveling exhibit portraying the role of the native American Indian in the Revolution. The exhibit will be on display at the 87th Annual Congress in Milwaukee in 1977. Pres. Williams noted that 3 tribes, the Stockbridge, Oneida and Seneca, supported the colonists with fighting units. Members of 2 of these tribes, including descendants of the Indian patriots, now live in Wisconsin. Research is being conducted to trace the lineage of such descendants to qualify them for SAR membership. A Wisconsin SAR chapter is named in honor of Capt. Hendrick Aupaumut, a Stockbridge Indian, who served as



Program Chairman (Maj.) Joe W. Marshall of the Seattle (Wash.) Chapter greets the guest speaker, Billy Schumaker (lt), world champion hydro-boat driver, who addressed the Chapter on "The Revolution of Hydros". Comp. Marshall, a retired US Army Major, also served as a Lieutenant Colonel in the Nationalist Chinese Army. Gen. Washington's scout, and participated in numerous Revolutionary battles.

The Wisconsin Society held a successful Washington's Birthday Banquet on Feb. 20 with almost a hundred members and guests in attendance.

The **James Morgan Chapter** elected and installed new officers at a colorful dinner and chapter meeting on Feb. 26. Pres. R. Ellsworth Lucas and his supporting officers predict an active year for the Chapter. The program included an address by Comp. Robert G. Carroon on "The Revolutionary Soldier", after which he was awarded the Silver Good Citizenship Medal for his many contributions to the Society in the fields of American history & genealogy.

WELL DONE, COMPATRIOT ORRELL!

For more than two decades, May and Compatriot Robert Orrell of Cardinal, Va. sent out free of charge—and at their own expense—to anyone who requested it, a publication titled *Our Country*. Last year, for example, the Orrells sent out over 75,000 copies of the patriotic publication, which consisted chiefly of reprints of various articles and editorials in support of the Conservative cause. But now, the Orrells have informed their readers that *Our Country* must be discontinued. The reason: the recent unreasonable increase in third-class mailing rates which the Orrells (and the rest of us) find exorbitant.

In the final letter to their readers, the Orrells noted that "in more than 20 years, we have not accepted one cent from any source for our work. We ask you not to send or offer any financial aid. We should simply have to return it or acknowledge the offer.

"We thank the hundreds of our readers who have encouraged us by their appreciative letters," the Virginia couple continued. "We hope that our past efforts may have influenced some new and younger minds to pick up the fight to save these United States from the disaster of a totally socialistic or communistic domination."

All of us owe Compatriot and Mrs. Orrell a great deal. If America ultimately survives, this magnificent couple will have played an important role in our nation's survival.



National Chairman Ordway P. Burden of the Law Enforcement Committee confers with Albemarle Co. Sheriff George Bailey (lt) and Charlottesville Police Chief John Bowen (rt) at a recent meeting of Virginia's Thomas Jefferson Chapter, at which Comp. Burden was principal speaker.

A Plea for Stamps

Your National Headquarters saves all stamps from incoming correspondence, and donates them periodically to the Knox Presbyterian Church of Silver Spring, Maryland. This fine Church, with several SARs on its membership rolls, participates in a program whereby it is able to sell these stamps, and further its worthy programs including that of missionaries overseas. You are invited to help.

Stamp donations may include current U.S. stamps of common variety, or of any other postage type. Stamps should not be peeled off (as this often damages the back of the stamp), but should be cut or torn from the envelope with the stamp still affixed to the paper.

Stamps should be sent to National Society, SAR, 2412 Mass. Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20008. Thank you, Compatriot!



The Paul Carrington Chapter of Houston, Tex. produces another record-breaking Washington's Birthday Banquet. Present on Feb. 19 were (l to r): Past Pres. Paul E. Wise; Col. Laurence Bunker, Aide to Mrs. MacArthur; Mrs. Jean F. MacArthur, widow of our distinguished SAR Compatriot, General of the Army Douglas MacArthur; Mrs. Tsukamoto; Consul General Tsukamoto of Japan; Mrs. Mary Northen and Past Pres. Frank E. Trito, a State V.P. More than 300 Compatriots and guests attended the event at the River Oaks Country Club.

Isle of Man Stamps Honor Virginian

The Isle of Man—a quasi-independent English entity located in the Irish Sea—is celebrating its own special link to the American Revolution by issuing a set of four stamps to commemorate the part played by a Manxman, Col. William Christian.

The Isle of Man Post Office Authority says the March issuance date is particularly appropriate since it was on March 18, 1776 that the Continental Congress elected Christian to be a colonel of the 1st Virginia Regiment. It was also in the month of March of the year 1775 when Christian was present, as a representative of Fincastle County, at the Virginia Convention held in St. John's Church, Richmond, to hear his brother-in-law Patrick Henry make his famous "Liberty or Death" speech.

As shown in the photograph below, a 7-pence stamp portrays Christian, as chairman of the Fincastle Freeholders resolution, riding to Williamsburg with the Fincastle Resolutions; the 5½-pence stamp shows him listening to Patrick Henry's oration in Richmond;

the 13-pence stamp depicts Henry and Christian as leaders of the 1st Virginia Regiment, and the 20-pence stamp depicts Christian as an Indian fighter, a role he assumed in July of 1776. Christian died in a battle with the Indians in 1786.

Research for the stamps was conducted by Compatriot Edward F. Sayle, Chairman of the Arlington County, Va. Bicentennial Commission, who is also a trustee of the North American Manx Association. Compatriot Sayle notes that the Isle of Man stamps have been issued in low denominations so that appropriate groups in the United States might use them as fundraisers.

Distribution of the stamps in Virginia will be by the U.S. Bicentennial Media Group, 2315 East Broad Street, Richmond, Va. 23223. Inquiries regarding the Christian family of Virginia should be directed to Landon Christian III, Virginia Genealogical Society, Box 1397, Jefferson Hotel, Richmond, Va. 23223.



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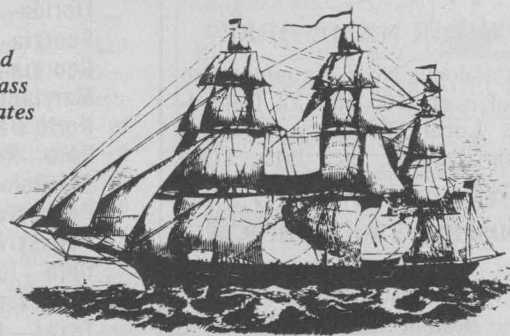
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Comp. B. Floyd Flickinger proudly displays the Maryland Society Bicentennial certificate and coin received for his outstanding address on "Young George Washington" to the John Howard Chapter. Chapter Pres. Carl F. Bessent (rt) and V.P. Earl Altizer (lt) made the presentation.

Diplomatic Deadbeats

Diplomatic deadbeats in Washington and New York are running up personal bills which cost U.S. taxpayers plenty.

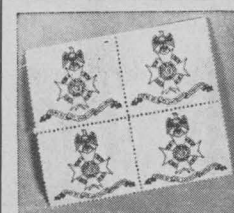
New York policemen are kept active ticketing diplomatic cars but few if any of the parking and other traffic violations are ever paid by the dips. Last year 135,000 parking tickets were issued to diplomatic cars in Fun City. If they were paid, more than \$3 million in revenue would have gone to the city.

Almost 50,000 tickets were issued to diplomats' autos in the District of Columbia, at a loss to the taxpayers of \$300,000 in unpaid citations.

Recently the D.C. government was forced to double the fine on parking violations paid by U.S. citizens in order to offset this loss from diplomatic deadbeats.

The President of the United States has said that our defense forces are poised, capable, and ready of reaction. I think the American people are entitled to know and should know, in this year when Presidential candidates are appearing across the land, that the United States is no longer the strongest military force in the world; and while we may talk about substantial parity or substantial equivalency with the Soviet Union, the bare, stark facts remain, in spite of the rhetoric, that in military force along, the Soviet Union is the strongest nation on the face of the earth, and the United States, in spite of its capacity to be strongest, is second to the Soviet Union in military strength.

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Sunday, June 13

9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Registration.
10:00 a.m. Trustees' Meeting.
Attendance at churches of your choice.
3:00 p.m. Memorial Service.
8:00 p.m. Oration Contest.

Monday, June 14

7:30 a.m. State Presidents' Breakfast.
9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Registration.
9:00 a.m.-Noon. Opening session of Congress.
10:15 a.m. Ladies Flag Day Program.
12:15-2:00 p.m. Luncheon.
2:30-5:00 p.m. Session resumes.
8:00 p.m. Recognition & Awards.

Tuesday, June 15

9:00 a.m.-Noon Registration.
10:15 a.m. Ladies' Continental Breakfast & Fashion Show.
9:00 a.m.-Noon. Congress session.
10:00 a.m. Nominations & elections of officers.
Noon. Registration closes.
2:00 p.m. Balloting commences.
2:00 p.m. State Presidents' Meeting.
6:30-7:30 p.m. Reception.
7:30-10:00 p.m. Banquet.

Wednesday, June 16

9:00 a.m. Conclusion of business.
10:15 a.m. Ladies Surprise Program.
10:30 a.m. Balloting closes.
11:00 a.m. Meeting of new Trustees.
1:30 p.m. Buses commence departure for Valley Forge.
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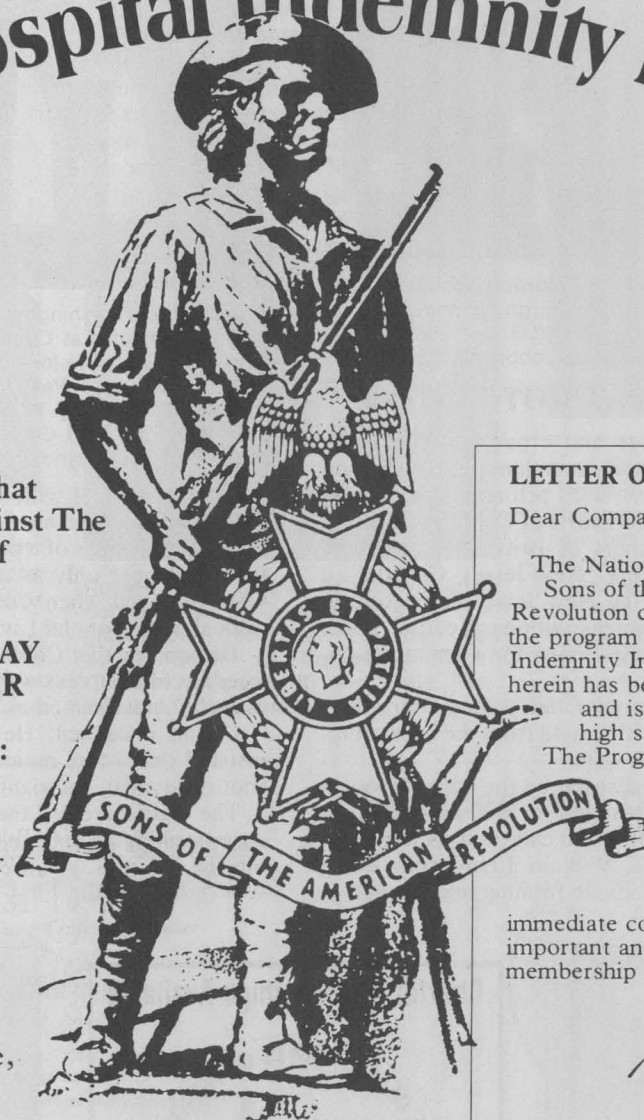
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ISAAC COLLINS, PATRIOT-EDITOR

As patriots exchanged shots and crossed swords with British soldiers in the war for independence, a Burlington newspaper editor, Isaac Collins, used pen and paper to kindle the revolutionary spirit in the hearts of Colonial citizens.

Collins squelched false rumors of British victories and trumpeted the call to arms in his "New Jersey Gazette", a newspaper commissioned by the New Jersey legislature in 1777 to arouse support for the revolutionary cause, boost patriots' morale and recruit new troops for General Washington.

Though paper was hard to get, and paid subscriptions were few, Collins managed, with grants from the legislature, to publish the "Gazette" each week.

Galloping horseback riders distributed the paper throughout the news-starved southern region of the state bringing war news—reports of the fighting and call-to-arms messages from New Jersey's governor, William Livingston—along with medicinal remedies and tips on farming and finance.



Following the Washington's Birthday Luncheon of the Benjamin Franklin Chapter at Columbus, Ohio, Chapter, State and National Officers pose for posterity. (l to r): Chapter Secty.-Treas. Robert H. Ewing; Past Pres. Gen. Eugene C. McGuire; the speaker, Exec. Secty. W. S. Woodward; Chapter Pres. Mark Mahan; Past Pres. Gen. Charles A. Anderson, M.D.; and State Pres. (Col.) Robert J. Reynolds.

But Collins met with sharp attacks from the very legislature that funded the "Gazette" when he attempted to present both sides of a political issue. Lawmakers, who saw the newspaper only as an instrument of the patriot cause, were outraged when Collins printed an anonymous article critical of the popular Livingston's performance as governor.

Demanding that Collins name the author, they argued that freedom of the press was tolerable only if it did not jeopardize the American cause.

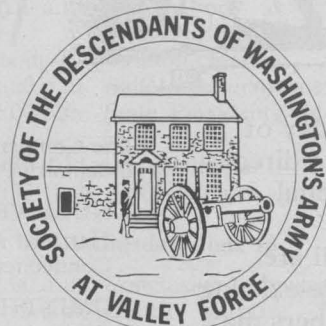
Collins disagreed. He pledged support for the fight, but insisted that a free nation should guarantee every man, patriot or loyalist, the right to speak his mind.

The legislature put the matter to a vote. Collins won his case, striking an early blow for freedom of speech throughout the colonies, years before the cherished American right was ratified as the First Amendment to the Constitution.



Kentucky Society V. P. Thomas Tucker is shown with a portrait of Gen. Francis Marion, which was presented to the City of Marion by the Gen. Francis Marion Chapter. The portrait, which will hang in the City Hall, was presented with appropriate ceremonies at the Chapter's annual Washington Dinner.

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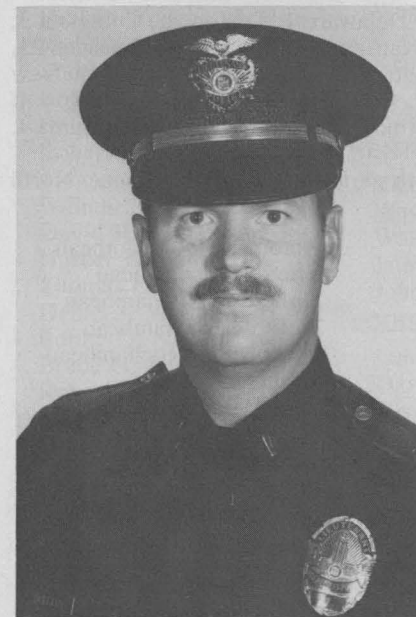
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We salute COMPATRIOT MAX HURLBUT, Police Hero



Lieutenant Max K. Hurlbut, a member of the SAR National Law Enforcement Committee, has been honored by the Los Angeles Police Department.

Compatriot Hurlbut, who wears Lieutenant's Badge No. 1 of the Los Angeles P.D., recently formed and led

a task force that led to the capture of Muharem Kurbegovic, the infamous "Alphabet Bomber". Samuel L. Williams, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, announced that Compatriot Hurlbut's initiative, planning and investigative abilities led to the capture of the quadruple murderer. In bringing the terrorist to justice, Lt. Hurlbut worked against a 17-hour deadline, at which time another powerful bomb, well hidden, was set to explode. Compatriot Hurlbut not only served the cause of justice, but saved lives that were threatened by future bombings by the self-proclaimed "Military Officer of the Aliens of America".

Compatriot Hurlbut, we salute you!



Russell Lowe, winner of the Wisconsin Society Oration Contest, receives congratulations from Past Pres. Gen. Len Young Smith as Contest Chairman Charles J. Larson (lt) and State Pres. Winston C. Williams look on.



Past Pres. Gen. (Dr.) M. Graham Clark has been elected to the high office of Imperial Chaplain, AAOIMS, of North America. The importance of Compatriot Clark's new post is signified by the Shriners' membership of 900,000.

Compatriot Clark was also recently honored with the Grand Cross of the Scottish Rite, the highest honor that can be conferred upon a 33° Mason. Throughout the world, only 3 are bestowed every 2 years.



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The following state societies **did not** recruit any new members during this 3-month period: Alaska, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Switzerland, Washington State and Wyoming.

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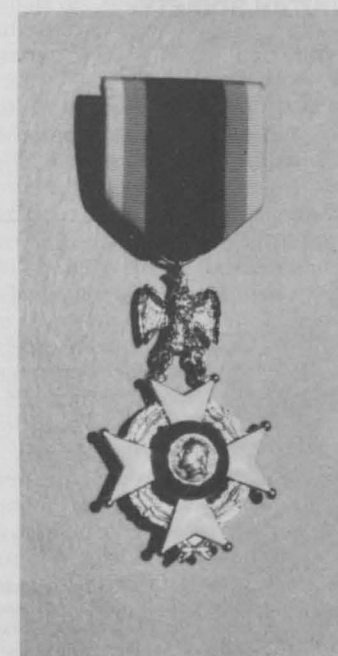
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A MESSAGE FROM THE NATIONAL MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN

The acquisition of new members for our society is one of our most important goals. In order to maintain our position as a force to "Keep America First," we must build our strength in numbers as well as quality. We must replace those members we lose through death as well as lack of interest. We must seek eligible men who will live up to our high standards. For every one of our members in a town, there are at least ten eligible men who are not members. We must find them and convince them that they should join us.

In our conversation with a prospect, who has indicated he would like to join the SAR, the subject of eligibility soon comes up. If he is the son, grandson or nephew of an SAR, DAR or SR the problem is fairly simple and will not be discussed here. If our prospect has his genealogy back to the revolutionary period, it will first be necessary for him to establish his ancestors eligibility. This can be done by checking the DAR Patriots Index, this is a book that every chapter should have a copy of. If the ancestors name is listed in this book, he then only has to prove his line of descent. If his ancestor is not listed in the Patriots Index it will then be necessary to prove that his ancestor performed patriotic service during the Revolution.

In order to keep track of your prospects, you should set up a card file for them. Whenever you get a prospect from whatever source, enter his name on a 3" x 5" card with address, phone number, how obtained and his eligibility status. When you call him enter the date and results of the call. If your chapter has a newsletter, send your prospect a copy of it and invite him to your meetings. When he agrees to become a member send him the application forms and so note on your card, after a few weeks follow up and see if you can help him with his papers. This will be a reminder to him to get going. Often he is waiting for information that he doesn't need. If you will follow the above procedure, you will be surprised at the number of new members you will get. The National Society awards individual membership plaques to all members who obtain three or more new members in a year. Miniature-3 members, Bronze-5 members, Silver-8 members, Gold-11 members, Honor-15 members. These are very attractive and a member can be proud of receiving one of these awards.

State society and chapter presidents should appoint membership chairmen. These chairmen should, whenever possible and especially at state meetings, hold membership workshops for the purpose of instructing the members in the art of obtaining prospects and helping them to become members.

Matthew B. Sellers, III
National Membership Chairman
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Ceremonies marking the dedication of the Nathan Hale Schoolhouse in New London, Conn. included participation by Compatriots of the Connecticut Society, SAR, the Governor's Footguard in Colonial uniforms, a contingent from the US Navy and US Coast Guard, local schoolchildren in Colonial garb, the Mayor of New London and Nat. Trustee Harry F. Morse, President of the Nathan Hale Branch, SAR. The ceremony marked the renovation and relocation of this famous little schoolhouse back to a site within a few yards of where it was located more than 200 years ago. This preservation activity was part of the Bicentennial program planned by the Connecticut Society, SAR.

A MESSAGE FROM THE NATIONAL CONSTITUTION WEEK CHAIRMAN

Now is a good time to start planning an interesting and informative program for your chapter and State Society meetings during September. Sept. 17 is designated as Citizenship Day and Sept. 17-23 as Constitution Week. Programs as reported to the Constitution Week Committee have been varied.

The first order of business for the Program Committee is to ask the Governor or Mayor to issue a proclamation calling for observance of the period by the citizenry. Activities have included meeting of SAR or jointly with DAR and CAR.

Several groups have been successful in getting proclamation signing or other activities on local radio and TV as news coverage and the Caloosa Chapter, Fla., has for 2 years had a "panel show" on TV with a discussion of the U.S. Constitution and answers to questions called in by viewers.

Now in 1976, the Bicentennial year, the Declaration of Independence will rightly get a great deal of emphasis. We should remember, however, that it was the later establishment of a successful form of government that nurtured our 13 separate contentious States into one great country that helped materially to make the Declaration of Independence an important document.

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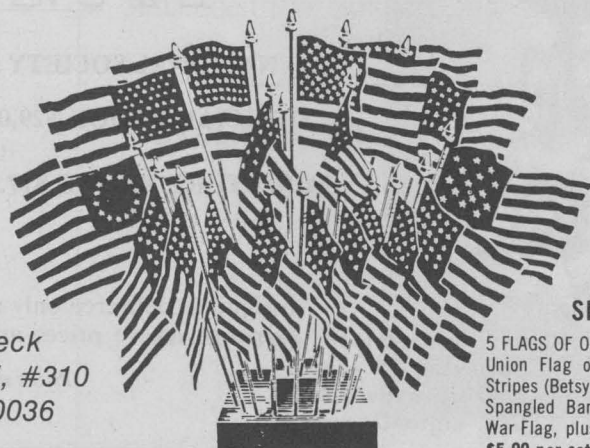
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RALPH MALCOM PABST

Compatriot Pabst received his education from the Tampa, Florida, public schools, Jones Business College, Brigham Young University, Bradley University and the Institute of Drugless Therapy. During World War II, he served with the U.S. Navy in both the Pacific and Atlantic theatres of combat. He is happily married to the former Phyllis Wierschem, and they recently celebrated their 34th wedding anniversary. They are the proud parents of three children, and have five grandchildren. Compatriot Pabst is retired from publishing and mining interests, having been self-employed for most of his career, although he still serves as director for several corporations. Presently, he is Chairman of the Board of the Hereditary Register of the United States. A Life Member of the National Sheriffs Association, he serves as a Deputy Sheriff in Maricopa County, Arizona.

SAR Background: President, Saguaro Chapter; President, 2 terms, Arizona Society; Secretary, 4 terms, Arizona Society; 7 terms, Membership Chairman, Arizona Society; 2 terms, National Executive Committee; 3 terms, National Trustee; 3 terms, National Bicentennial Committee; 3 terms, National Building Fund Committee; 1 term, National Investment Committee; 2 terms, Treasurer General. He has personally sponsored 78 new SAR members, and has attended 11 Annual Congresses. His SAR honors include the Minute Man Award, the Patriot Medal, the Gold Good Citizenship Medal, 4 National Society Certificates of Appreciation and several National Society membership awards.

Affiliations: SAR, Society of Colonial Wars, Society of the War of 1812, Ancient & Honorable Artillery Company of Mass., S.R., Aztec Club, Sons of Union Veterans, Founders and Patriots, Mayflower Descendants, Society of Colonial Clergy, Loyalists and Patriots of America, Huguenots, Flagon and Trencher, Washington Family Descendants, Sons of Witches, Piscataqua Pioneers, Sons of Confederate Veterans, Sons & Daughters of the Pilgrims, St. Andrews Society, Sons & Daughters of the Settlers of Newbury, Mass., Descendants of the Illegitimate Sons & Daughters of the Kings of Britain, Navy League, National Sheriffs Assoc., Payson Country Club, Jockey Club, Trunk & Tusk Club, National Rifle Assoc., National Writers Club, 32° Mason, Masonic Order of the Invisible Lodge, National Sojourners, Lodge #35 (F & A.M.) and the Masonic Order of Forget-me-nots.

Compatriot Pabst is listed in the following publications: *Who's Who in the West*, *Who's Who in Finance and Industry*, *Who's Who in the World*, *International Directory of Biography*, *National Register of Prominent Americans*, *National Social Directory*, *Men of Achievement*, *Hereditary Register of the United States*, *Washington Blue Book* and *the Social List of Washington, D.C.*

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A nominating committee of some of the National Trustees presents these distinguished and experienced Compatriots for your consideration at the 86th Annual Congress at Philadelphia. This nomination page has been purchased by these members of that committee.

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Presently on the National Executive Committee. Served as Vice President General, National Finance Chairman, National Trustee, State President, Chapter President, State Chairman for 81st Congress. Awarded Patriot Medal and Minute Man Award.

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Served as State President, Chapter President, State Chaplain. Conducted Oration Contest in Ohio for many years. Won the 1st Harold Putnam Award. Awarded the Patriot Medal.

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Presently National DAR Chairman. Served as Vice President General, National Trustee, State President. Represented National Society at U.S. Naval Academy. Awarded the Patriot Medal.

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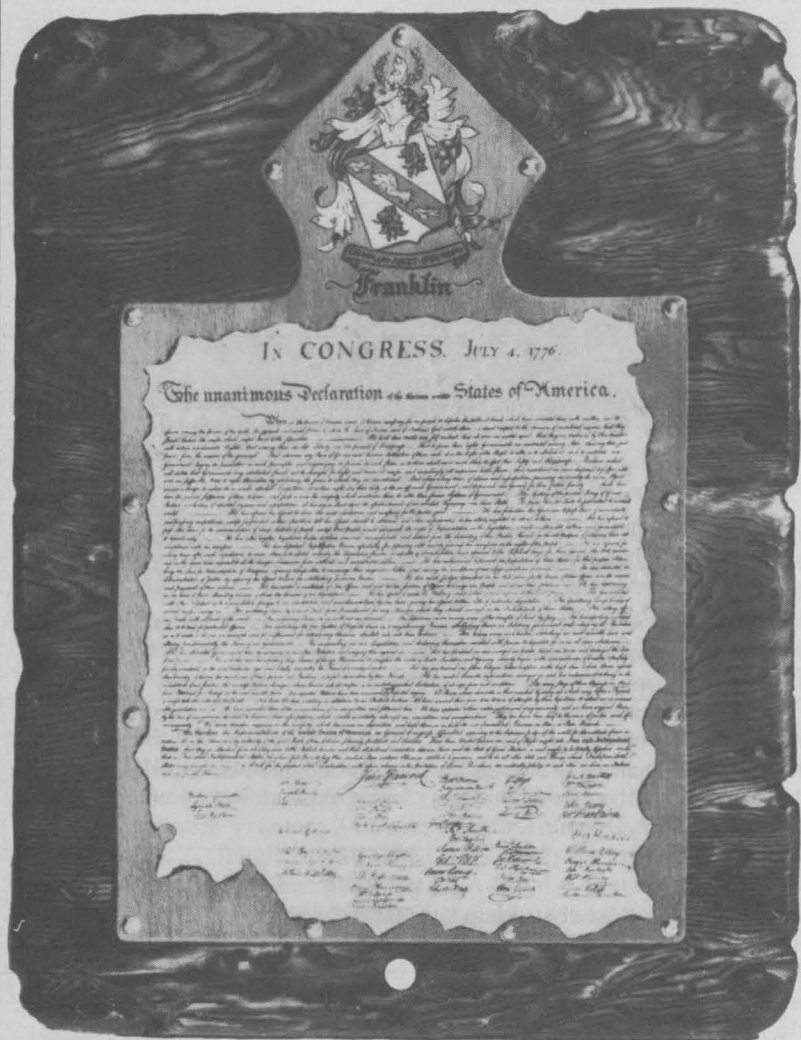


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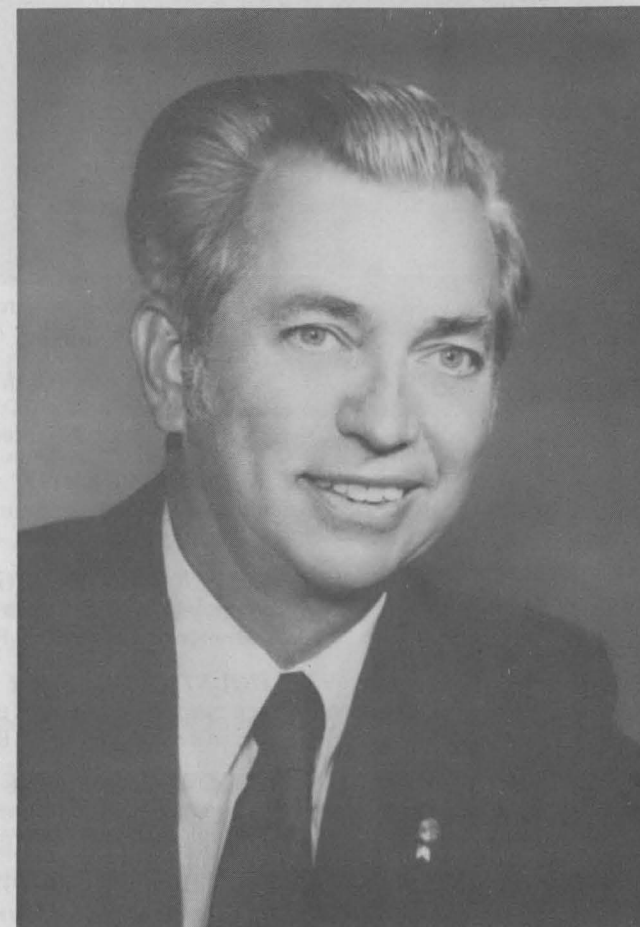
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MATTHEW B. SELLERS III

A descendant of Captain Thomas Bragg and Captain Thomas Blakemore, both of Virginia.

During World War II he served as Engineering Officer on two destroyers in the South Pacific and retired as Commander.

Compatriot Sellers is presently Genealogist General. He has been National Trustee, State President, Sr. V.P. and State Membership Chairman for Florida. He was Treasurer and President of the Ft. Lauderdale Chapter. He is presently serving his second term as National Membership Chairman and has received the miniature, bronze, silver, gold and honor National Membership Awards.

He is Rear Commodore of the Coral Ridge Yacht Club and a 32 degree Mason. Compatriot Sellers is also a member of the Society of the Cincinnati in the state of Va., Sons of the Revolution, Society of Colonial Wars, Baronial Order of Magna Charta, Order of Americans of Royal Descent, Society of the Ark & the Dove, Military Order of the Crusades, Order of the Crown of Charlemagne, Washington Family Descendants & Order of Lafayette.

Married to the former Gene Marion Herrick, Compatriot Sellers has 2 daughters and 2 grandchildren.

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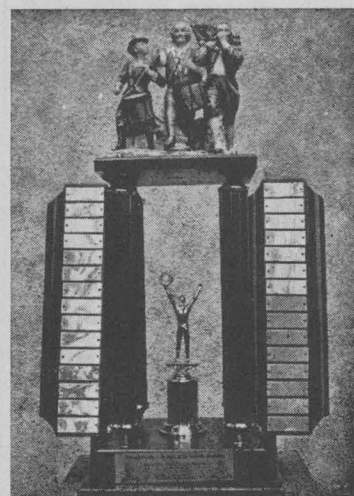
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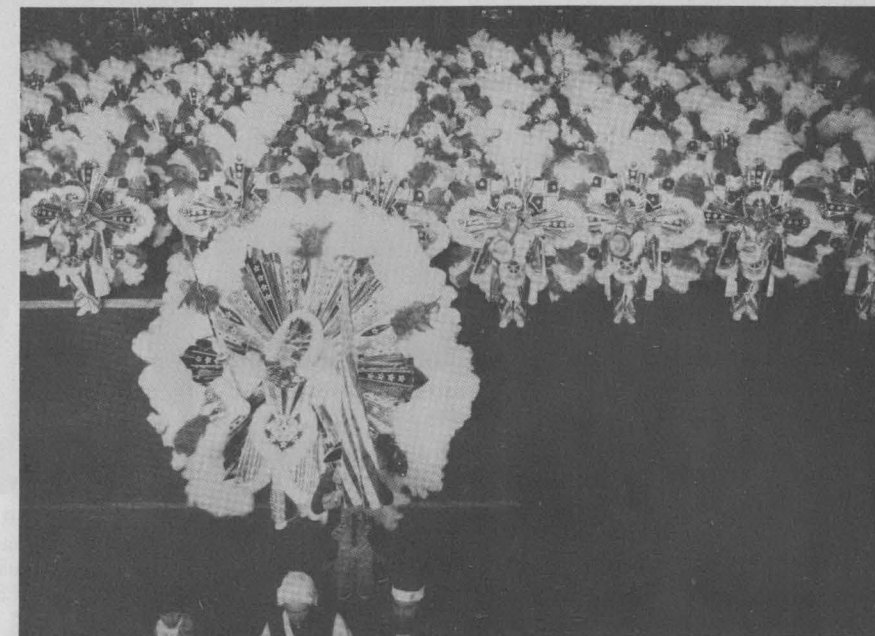
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Seek origin & parents of Thomas GWYNNE, m. Mary Elizabeth Elderkin 7/6/1829 at Setauket, N.Y. Died 10/24/1873. Probably lived at Williamsburg, Brooklyn, N.Y. John Gwynne, 125 Williams St., Providence R.I. 02906

Seek ancestors of Anna BROWN, b.3/28/1795, d.5/27/1849, m.6/16/1819 to Ezra HOARD, prob. Albany Co., N.Y. Mr. Barry C. Hall, 2059 Huntington Ave. #408, Alexandria, Va. 22303

Desire info on Jos. BLACKWELL, Rev. veteran, & wife Sarah of Oxford, N.C. later Elberton, Ga. G. Warren, 2115 Traymore Rd., Jacksonville, Fla. 32207

KENNEDY: Need parents & ancestry of Wm. Thompson Kennedy b.1795 Perry Co., Pa. d.1870 Cum. Co., Pa. m. Susannah Minnich b.1805 d.1881 Cum. Co., Pa. Terry Nick-ey, 259 Lincoln St., Carlisle, Pa. 17013

WILSON: Need ancestors of Thomas Wilson of N.C. Married Elizabeth Carter of Jackson Co., Miss. in 1826. Also want info on descendants of John Wilson, died about 1809 at Brunswick Co., Va. Francella S. Flurry, 7051 Curran Road, New Orleans, Louisiana 70126

Desire any information concerning Martha F. BOONE (ATKINSON) & her father John C. Boone who married Nancy Fuqua, and Nancy's grandfather Boone, all descended from Daniel Boone. G. H. Hudson, 2512 Palmer Ave., New Orleans, La. 70118

Col. Thomas DEW, Nansemond Co. Va. Speaker Hse. of Burgesses 1652. Need info on him & son John & possible gr.son John. A marriage of Sarah dau. of John? Married 1st Wm. Bridger. 2nd Wm. Cotton. J. L. Cotton, 3125 Hanover, Dallas, TX 75225

Would like information on following surnames: Courtney, Denton, Tull, Klontz, Westendorf, Ludemann, Kaiser, Gromoll. Will answer all letters. Mrs. Jean E. Murphy, Box 810, Safford, Ariz. 85546

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Want information on parents, siblings & descendants of Adam PHILLIPS, Revolutionary soldier from N. Carolina, born Dec. 27, 1762, died Apr. 14, 1858. *John Wesley Phillips, General Delivery, Fritch, Texas 79036*

Desire info concerning Revolutionary War service of Abel HOWARD. Registered as of Oglethorpe Co., Ga. land lottery of Feb. 3, 1804, which was for Rev. vets. Also seek birthplace (Va? Tenn?) & ancestry. *Mrs. M. Howard Kleinkopf, 1425 Punahou St. #502, Honolulu, HI. 96822*

CRABTREE, Isaac b. 1757 Balt Co Md d. 1847 Wayne Co Ky. Data on children. OLIVER, Isaac, b. ca 1765 NC or Va d. 15 Oct 1835, Clark Co, Ky. Need data on parents. OLIVER, Richard b. 20 Dec 1752 Halifax Co, Va. d. 28 Dec 1847. Need data on parents. *R. R. Crabtree, 507 Allegheny Ave. Towson, Md. 21204*

Need ancestry of Azariah A. SHULL. Married Mary Paul 2/26/1868 in Swedesborough, N.J. Rumored to have come from N.Y. State. *Stuart W. Allen, P.O. Box 38, Foster, R.I. 02825*

Want ancestry of Mary Buckaloo (10/12/1831-10/16/1900) and William Washington Shirley (1/1/1830-7/5/1907) married in Miss. 1/14/1855. Also ancestry of Mary Ann Reynolds (10/12/1836-10/18/1928) and Oliver Huston Timms (2/15/1885-10/14/1917) Also spelled Thames and Tims. Married in Miss. 10/1/1858. All 4 people said to have immigrated from the Carolinas. *Mrs. Dorothy C. Allen, 247 Broad Brook Rd. Enfield, Conn. 06082*

Info. John FISHER b. 1704 England. Lived Eastchester, Westchester Co., N.Y. Son Wm., G.Son John, G.G.Son Nathaniel of Ossining, N.Y. *Chester L. Fisher, Jr., 164 Pine Rd., Briarcliff Manor, N.Y. 10510*

Need proof of desc of Wm. JACK m.Eliz Wardlaw 1808 Jackson Co. Ga. Parents: Patrick Jack & Lillis McAdoo. Need parents & birthplace of Sophia W. Rucker who m. Francis Marion Jack in Atlanta 1858. *David Dearing, 504 E. 81 St. 6-N, New York NY 10028*

Need info on Arbin MOORE & descendants est. citation Dec. 7, 1801 Edgefield Co. S.C. Names mentioned: Thompson, John, Jonathan, David, Pleasant & James Anderson Moore. *John T. Moore, Box 145, Elaine, Ark. 72333*

William Henry VAN WART born 6/28/1828 (Piermont-on-the-Hudson?). Married Elizabeth Douglas WYCKOFF 9/16/1856 Hanover Place N.J. Died 6/14/1865, maybe in Penna. Need ancestors. *Mrs. Edgar Z. Briggs Jr., 908 Hampshire Rd., Bay Shore, N.Y. 11706*

Seek additional TAYLORS before 1850, Va. roots. I have 10,000 treed from published sources. Will swap info. *George Taylor, 53 S. Spring, LaGrange, Ill. 60525*

Seek info on ancestry of Flavius (possibly J. F.) BENNETT. His children lived in Crittenden Co., Ky.: John b.1812, Mary Ann Hill b.1817 & Jane Carter b.1820. Also ancestry of Nathan Bennett. His widow, Rebecca, m. James Driskill in Livingston Co., Ky. in 1823. *A. J. Bennett, Rt. 1, Box 192, Hendersonville, Tenn. 37075*

PITCHER, Nathaniel, Washington County, N.Y., 1777-1836. Need any info including relatives. *Dixon A. Dewey, 811 Laverstock Way, Sacramento, Cal. 95825*

Hugh BROWN said to be cousin of Ga. Gov. Jos. E. Brown; m. Flora King 12/29/1825 Monroe Co., Ga.; listed in 1840 census Sumter Co., Ga. Does anyone have Gov's lineage showing this kinship? Where was he in 1850 census? Need his & wife's dates, parents, siblings. *J. B. McClurkin, 18217 Possum Pt., Dumfries, Va. 22026*

VAN SCHAICK — Parentage of Jacob b.Nov. 2, 1811 probably Greenbush, NY. Perhaps son of William (who was son-in-law of Mariah Van Buren), or his brother John. Husband to Mary Jane Berry. Occupation: barge captain. *R. Cornish, 7 Parkwoods, Manhasset, N.Y. 11030*



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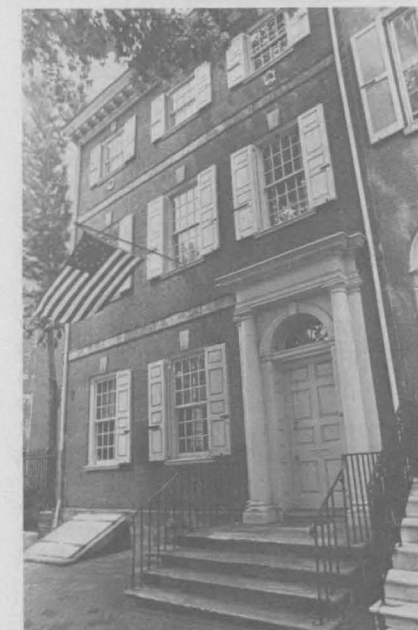
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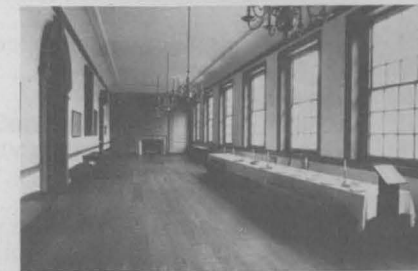
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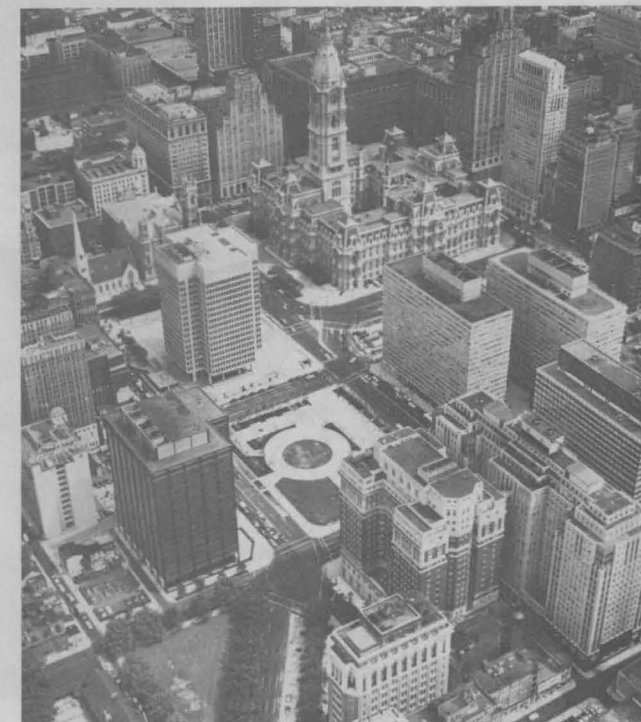
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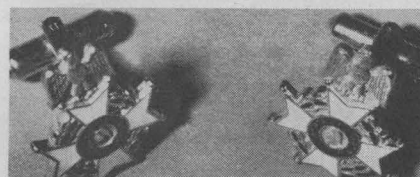
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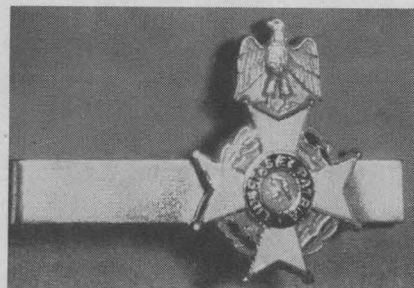
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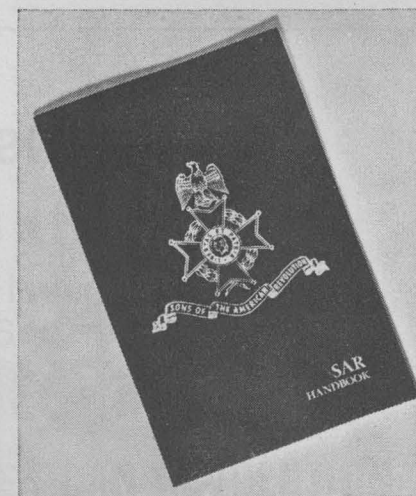
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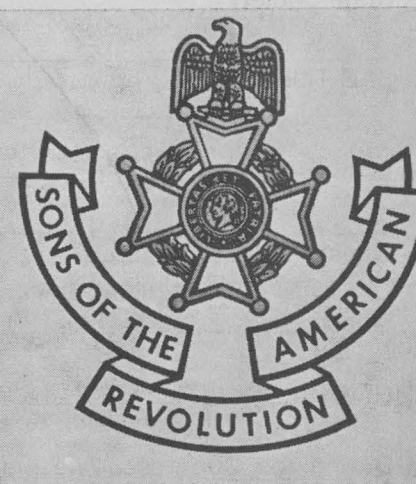
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HEALTH ADVICE FOR THOSE TRAVELING OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES

By Gradie R. Rowntree, M.D., Surgeon General

Many members of the Sons of the American Revolution travel extensively, for this reason they should be aware of the facts about preventable diseases.

Reservations for transportation, hotels, and sightseeing should be made early. At the same time, find out what you must do to protect yourself from communicable diseases. General guidelines for the international traveler can be obtained from your local Health Department. Immunizations needed for certain diseases depend on the areas to be visited and the nature and duration of the travel.

There are a few simple precautions travelers can take when going into areas which may have questionable sanitary practices. In those areas, avoid eating uncooked vegetables, salads, fruits that have been peeled before serving, and raw seafood. Rare meat should not be eaten in these areas as several illnesses can be transmitted. Travelers should consume only carbonated beverages and boiled or chemically disinfected water. In some areas, tap water should not be used for drinking or brushing teeth. It is usually possible to obtain sealed, bottled water in the larger cities.

Questionable water, uncooked vegetables, and seafood are potential vehicles in the spread of diarrhea (tourist disease), typhoid fever, cholera, and other gastro-intestinal diseases. The people living in areas of poor sanitation are immune, the traveler from the United States is not.

As a general rule, in major hotels that cater to the traveler, the food does not pose so much of a problem. When going to so-called "native" restaurants off the beaten path, great care should be taken regarding uncooked food and type of drinking water or ice.

Areas of Questionable Sanitation

In general, the risk of acquiring illness when engaging in international travel depends on the areas of the world you visit—travelers to generally under-developed countries have greater risks than those traveling to developed areas. The countries of Canada, Australia, New Zealand, and Western Europe present no great risk. In the countries of Africa, Asia, and South America, and in the countries of southern North America, the South Pacific, Middle East and Far East, living conditions and standards of sanitation and hygiene vary considerably. Travelers who venture to smaller cities somewhat off the usual tourist routes and those who spend time in small villages or rural areas for extended period are at greater risk of acquiring infectious diseases because of exposure to water and food of uncertain quality and closer contact with local residents who may harbor such diseases.

General Information on Immunization

The protection of vaccines and prophylaxis is advised in certain instances. It is recommended that all U.S. citizens planning to engage in international travel have completed the routine and booster immunizations recommended by the U.S. Public Health Service such as diphtheria and tetanus. All persons should have immunization for tetanus whether they travel or not as an accident anywhere can lead to infection with tetanus organisms. Protection against the disease is



Dr. Rowntree

highly recommended for everyone.

In the past two years, there has been a relaxation in the requirement for smallpox vaccination. There are no smallpox vaccination requirements for travel directly between the United States and Western Europe nor any one of the Caribbean countries. However, if there should be a case of smallpox reported from these countries, it would be required that each traveler be vaccinated for smallpox or isolated for a period of time. It is advisable, therefore, to keep your smallpox immunization current as requirements may be altered if conditions warrant this at the time of your visit. Smallpox vaccination is valid for three years. Check with your local Health Department for areas where cases of smallpox have been reported, before you leave the United States.

Immunization and Prophylaxis

International Certificates of Vaccination are made available to the traveler by Travel Agencies, the Passport Office, and the local Health Department. The official International Certificates are used to document the vaccinations a traveler has received, when and where received, and who administered them. If smallpox, yellow fever or cholera immunization is required by the country for entry, official certification of your International Certificate is necessary.

A weekly report of quarantinable diseases, smallpox, cholera, yellow fever and plague is distributed each week to Health Departments in the United States showing countries reporting cases of these diseases. Local Health Departments will give advice on the areas reporting diseases for which the traveler should receive immunization.

- (1) Smallpox—All travelers going to infected areas should be vaccinated before departing from the United States. Continuing transmission of smallpox is believed to be limited to Ethiopia in Africa and to Bangladesh, India, Nepal, and Pakistan in Asia.
- (2) Yellow Fever—Certain countries in central Africa and northern South America require evidence of vaccination for yellow fever from all entering travelers. To be acceptable for purposes of international travel, the yellow fever vaccine must be approved by the World Health Organization and administered by a designated Yellow Fever Vaccination Center.
- (3) Cholera—Travelers to countries which require evidence of cholera vaccination for entry should be vaccinated before leaving the United States, ideally one month prior to their anticipated departure. Certain countries in Africa and southeast Asia have reported cases of cholera.
- (4) Plague—Plague vaccine is advisable for all persons traveling to the interior regions of Viet-Nam, Khmer Republic (formerly Cambodia), and Laos.

The following recommendations are concerned primarily with immunizations and prophylactic measures generally advisable for those planning to spend time in areas of the world where diseases such as poliomyelitis, typhoid fever, typhus fever, viral hepatitis, and malaria occur and therefore, pose a threat to the traveler's health.

These immunizations should be recorded in the International Certificate of Vaccination, however, no country requires certification of this information. This portion of the certificate serves as a personal medical record.

- (1) Poliomyelitis—Persons traveling to tropical areas or developing countries whose plans call for visits to rural or remote sections of such countries which are off the usual tourist routes may be at risk of exposure to poliomyelitis. Poliomyelitis immunization is recommended.
- (2) Typhoid Fever—Vaccination against typhoid is recom-

mended for persons who plan to travel, work or reside in the developing countries.

- (3) Typhus Fever—The potential threat of louse-borne (epidemic typhus) exists only in mountainous areas where a cold climate and other local conditions favor louse infestation. Vaccination may be considered for travelers to rural or remote highland areas of Ethiopia, Rwanda, Burundi, Mexico, Ecuador, Bolivia, Peru, and mountainous areas of Asia.
- (4) Immune Serum Globulin (ISG) for protection against Viral Hepatitis, Type A. Travelers to tropical areas and developing countries who bypass ordinary tourist routes and stay for more than three months may be at risk of acquiring Hepatitis-A and Immune Serum Globulin should be taken.
- (5) Malaria Prophylaxis—For travelers to the countries of Southeast Asia, northern South America, including Panama, and central Africa, prophylaxis for malaria is strongly recommended.

Consult your physician and the local Health Department at least two months before leaving. Your immunization needs will be dictated by the trips you plan. Should several immunizations be required or indicated for your protection, the time may be necessary for scheduling their administration. Private physicians can give all immunizations except yellow fever.

For the majority, who plan to travel to Europe, only smallpox vaccination and tetanus immunization are advisable. For those who plan to travel around the world most of the immunizations mentioned under Immunization and Prophylaxis are recommended.

Burning of Historic Churches Launches Bicentennial Terrorism

Fires have destroyed two historic Massachusetts churches in what some observers believe to be acts of "Bicentennial terrorism."

St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Brookline, the oldest house of worship in that suburb of Boston, was destroyed by a three-alarm blaze (Jan. 6) several days before it was to have been designated as Bicentennial landmark.

The following day, the First Unitarian Universalist Church of Lynn burned to the ground. The neo-Gothic church had recently been named a Bicentennial site. It had been constructed of trap rock, a reddish granite mined at old quarries in Lynn. The supply of trap has since been exhausted, so that an exact restoration of the church would be impossible.

Combined loss of the two churches has been estimated at \$2 million. Church officials expressed doubt that they would be rebuilt. James Scollins, arson chief of Massachusetts' North Shore, reported that his office had received warnings last year that "certain groups of revolutionaries planned a systematic destruction" of any landmark or structure chosen by "the establishment" as a Bicentennial site. No groups have claimed responsibility for the two church fires, however.

A report on the fires in USA/200, monthly publication of the National Committee for the Bicentennial Era in New York, commented that "generally churches are easy targets for arsonists because of their accessibility and design. Most churches are empty for many hours each day. Most have unlocked doors, open spaces and highly combustible construction (such as steeples which act as chimneys). Most have no sprinklers or smoke detectors.

"Half of all church fires occur between 11 p.m. and 7:30 a.m. These fires broke out at 3 and 6 p.m. respectively, just an hour after each one had been closed by custodians. Officials felt that these acts were designed to make a statement and were not the work of a random arsonist prowling the streets at a quiet hour."

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NATIONAL TRUSTEES MINUTES OF THE MEETING AT NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C., FEB. 14, 1976

President General Robert D. Savage called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m. Chaplain General Luther F. Gerhart delivered the Invocation, which was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

The roll was called by Secretary General R. Warburton Miller, establishing the presence of a quorum. The names of those present are on file at the National Headquarters.

A motion by Compatriot Marshall Miller was seconded and passed that the minutes of the last Trustees' Meeting be approved as printed in the SAR Magazine.

The President General reported on his activities since the last meeting, and commented upon the outstanding hospitality received during his visitations. He reported that his SAR itinerary is filled for every weekend until the next Congress.

Compatriot Savage plans a meeting in the near future with CAR members for purposes of stimulating recruitment of young members. He pointed out that Compatriots all over the country appear to be displaying an increased interest in the purposes and activities of our Society. In conclusion, the President General reported on an exclusive national defense briefing and reception that he attended at the White House.

In the absence of Treasurer General Ralph M. Pabst, Compatriot Howard Anderson submitted the financial report and interim budget. There were no questions.

Chancellor General Tullius Brady reported on his legal services relative to the Cathedral of the Pines. He discussed a projected attempt by the District of Columbia Government to remove our real estate tax-free status. Even if passed by the District of Columbia Council, this action must be approved by Congress.

The Executive Secretary reported on the condition of the National Headquarters building, pointing out that its 46-year age requires constant repairs and attention. He commented that the District of Columbia situation is being watched closely, and that he is briefing the Chancellor General continually. Compatriot Woodward remarked that our Staff Librarian has left our employ, and that the comparatively low wage scale is not attracting a replacement.

Member-guests were introduced at this time, and warmly welcomed by the President General.

The Interim Budget was presented, with copies for all in attendance. It was explained that, because the National Society's fiscal year ends on March 31, there must be special authorization for the ensuing period up to the next Congress, when a new budget is adopted. Compatriot Stanley asked to go on record as opposing a deficit budget. A motion by Compatriot Marshall Miller for adoption of the Interim Budget as submitted, and recommended by the Executive Committee, was seconded and passed.

The report of the National Nominating Committee was tendered by its Chairman, Past President General M. Graham Clark. He reported that the Committee had convened on the previous day, and produced the following slate of nominations in conformance with the Bylaws:

President General: Matthew B. Sellers, Fla.
Secretary General: Benjamin P. Garrison, Okla.
Treasurer General: Vincent Van Inwegen, N.J.
Registrar General: Jack K. Carmichael, Ind.
Historian General: Fred T. Leathers, Pa.
Genealogist General: William M. Brown, Conn.
Chancellor General: Wilson K. Barnes, Md.
Chaplain General: Samuel J. Holt, D.D., Ohio

This slate of the National Nominating Committee will be presented at the 86th Annual Congress. In addition, nominations from the floor for all offices may be made at that time.

As recommended by the Executive Committee, a motion by Past President General McGuire was seconded and approved to authorize the Executive Secretary to engage a CPA for the annual audit at a cost not to exceed \$1,350.

Following a discussion by Past Presidents General Anderson and Clark relative to the Nominating Committee, the subject of an auditing firm was again broached. A motion by Compatriot Thomas was seconded and passed that the firm of Rubin and Schimel of Washington, D.C. be engaged for this purpose. This firm, which has performed this service during recent years, had been the one originally recommended by the Executive Secretary.

The subject of the Nominating Committee again arose when Compatriot Reynolds recommended that all state societies be informed of the Committee's slate. The Executive Secretary promised that this would be done.

A recommendation of the Executive Committee was presented that the Trustees approve a proposed amendment to the Bylaws, transferring the Pennsylvania Society from the Mid-Atlantic District to the North Atlantic District. A confirming motion by Compatriot McGregor was seconded and approved.

Upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee, a motion by Compatriot McGuire was seconded and passed, authorizing the traditional memorial page in the magazine for the late Past President General Eugene P. Carver.

At this time, results of the poll for a possible change of name for the SAR MAGAZINE were submitted by the Executive Secretary. These results, indicating a sweeping preference for retention of the present title, are included elsewhere in this issue. Acting upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee, a motion by Compatriot Rowntree was seconded and passed that the present name be retained.

A suggestion for replacing the present SAR stamp with a new "Keep USA First" stamp was discussed. The submitting parties felt that the latter design would be more appropriate and popular for the Bicentennial period. After considering the cost factor, potential stagnancy of present stock, past sales record and copyright complications, the majority of those present indicated agreement with the recommendation of the Executive Committee. Thereupon, a motion by Compatriot Martin was seconded and passed that no action be taken at this time.

A suggestion for the creation of a new office of "Senior Vice President General" was discussed at great length. The submitting Compatriot felt that there should be an "understudy" Vice President General, who could step in and replace the President General in the event of death or disability. The Chancellor General pointed out that the Bylaws currently provide for immediate replacement, and that previous attempts to institute such legislation have been consistently unsuccessful. Acting upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee, a motion by Compatriot Wright was seconded and passed that the matter be tabled.

Another suggestion from the same Compatriot advocated creation of "junior memberships". After continued discussion, it was felt that the adoption of such a category would possibly alienate the DAR and CAR. Further, it was noted that other organizations, which had adopted "junior memberships" had not found them to be substantially contributing to membership. Acting upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee, a motion by Compatriot McGuire was seconded and passed that the subject be tabled.

Upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee, a motion by Compatriot Martin was seconded and passed that the following Compatriots be presented the Minute Man Award at the 86th Annual Congress:

Neill F. Amsler, Texas
Leslie A. Bryan, Ill.
Richard E. Crane, N.J.
Webb W. Wilder, R.I.

A request for cooperation by Compatriot Arch Roberts was discussed, and it was generally agreed that more specific material be supplied the Trustees before further action. A motion by Compatriot Erwin was seconded and passed that Compatriot Roberts submit a specific request, outlining his expectations.

A suggested tree-planting program, including the placement of bronze plaques, was considered as an additional Bicentennial project. Upon a recommendation of the Executive Committee, a motion by Compatriot Thompson was seconded and passed that the National Society approve and endorse this program in principle, but that implementation be left to the state societies.

Suggestions for altering the accounting system and rearranging the format of the National Society financial reports was discussed at great length. After careful deliberation of the opinions of several participants, the recommendation of the Executive Committee was reflected in a motion by Compatriot Morgan, seconded and passed, that no changes be made at the present time.

Acting upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee, a motion by Compatriot Vaites was seconded and passed that the dates of the next Executive Committee and Trustees' Meetings be June 12 and 13, 1976.

Compatriot Thompson inquired as to the Executive Committee's action in considering a suggestion for National Society presentation of the Gold Good Citizenship Medal to a high-ranking public official. He was thereupon briefed on the disposition of this matter.

At this time, there was a long discussion relative to the Building

Fund, and Chairman Anderson reminded those present that the project had been officially adopted as our prime Bicentennial program at a recent Annual Congress. Bicentennial Chairman McGuire reiterated this statement.

Compatriot Morse questioned the value of the books that are currently in the basement because of space restrictions. Compatriot Anderson thereupon reminded him that he (Dr. Anderson) had personally checked the thousands of volumes in the Brownell collection, and had only sent volumes of genuine genealogical value to the National Headquarters. The cost of shipping these thousands of books was borne personally by Compatriot Anderson as a gift to the Society.

At this point, all Chairmen of National committees in attendance reported verbally, many pointing out that they had also submitted written reports.

Following the report of the Educational Aid Committee, the meeting recessed for lunch at 11:30 a.m.

The meeting reconvened at 12:15 p.m. with the balance of reports by committee chairmen.

Under Old Business, Compatriot Boddie commented upon the projected Annual Congress for 1980 in North Carolina. There was prolonged discussion in regard to temperatures in North Carolina at that time of year. A motion by Compatriot Morgan was seconded and passed that the Annual Congress be held between May 15 and May 31.

Under New Business, Compatriot Boswell discussed a plan for increasing the Building Fund whereby members could file autobiographies in the SAR archives for a \$100 contribution. Additional pages could be added with smaller contributions. No action was taken.

Continuing under New Business, Compatriot Bacon described a proposal for reducing entrance fees when two or more applications are received simultaneously from a single family with the same qualifying ancestor. A motion by Compatriot Erwin was seconded and passed that this proposal for a Bylaw amendment be tabled.

Compatriot Bothwell commended the President General for sending out a proposed agenda in advance of the Trustees' Meeting.

The President General reminded attendees that reservations should be sent to the Benjamin Franklin in Philadelphia as soon as possible. Three hundred rooms have been reserved for the SAR,

and those not making advance reservations may face ultimate disappointment.

There being no further business, the Chaplain General delivered the Invocation. A motion by Compatriot Marshall Miller for adjournment was seconded and passed at 1:25 p.m.

Warren S. Woodward
Executive Secretary

The Padre Says...

The Reverend LUTHER F. GERHART, D.D.
Chaplain General

Isn't it great to be an American, where pioneering forefathers enacted: "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof."

In the experiences of the race there have been assets and liabilities in every tried system of state and church relationships. This was true of prophet-crowned king; of religious leaders who declared no higher authority than Caesar; and of emperor decreed worship. It is great to have the guaranteed American heritage of religious tolerance, alongside of Freedom of speech, and Freedom of the press.

By this heritage there is a richness of spiritual fruitage. Composite values for man's soul can come from barren country meeting house to massive vaulted cathedral; from instrumentless music to many voiced choir and glorious organ; from restful silence to picturesque ritual; from minimum regulation to close-knit organization. America is greater because there is room for varieties of expression of the religious experience.


Religious education of youth, in home and Church School has found opportunity in the American way not vouchsafed in many a country that might be mentioned. In America it is possible for a Justice of the Supreme Court to take his oath upon his own well-worn copy of the Bible in the unseen Presence of God who is the Supreme Justice. In America a book like "The Nazarene" written in a strange tongue can become a best seller. So, in respect to religious thought and action we say, "Isn't it great to be an American."

Let each one of us take full advantage of this opportunity and expression of our relationship to the Creating God Who is Spirit and Truth. Let each one say, "I will busy myself with regular, genuine, sincere, reverent worship of God with my fellows; lest by neglect and default the time would come to force me to worship a state or a state's self-appointed leader." "Isn't it great, religiously, to be an American."

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In the normal course of events, after the next congress elections, another chaplain general will be greeting you in this column. So, now, there is in order, a most cordial and affectionate VALE! You Compatriots have given me a real privilege to serve as your chaplain in this fine fellowship. I Thank You. To be in the distinguished line of those who, in the past, have given themselves unselfishly in this capacity has been an outstanding honor. We salute and bid well to those who come after. The Lord willing, and health holding out, I hope to continue activities relative to the necessary objectives of our Society for God and Country. This we ask of each other for the future good of coming generations. God Bless.





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President General Robert D. Savage, because of his particular interest in a closer rapport with the C.A.R., has inserted this article. Compatriot Savage requests that you read it carefully.

COMMENTS by Rodney H. C. Schmidt, Honorary National President, National Society, C.A.R.

"I hope that we can make some plans whereby we can encourage the young men of the Children of the American Revolution to join us when they finish their tour with that organization. These young men have the ability, the intelligence and the training to furnish the new and young blood so desperately needed in our Society."

Pres. Gen. Robert D. Savage, NSSAR
SAR Magazine, Summer 1975

The Children of the American Revolution welcome these words from Pres. Gen. Savage and take this opportunity to thank the SAR for all the support given to the C.A.R. over the years. The C.A.R., founded in 1895, is the nation's oldest patriotic youth organization with lineage requirements and, perhaps, by examining our Creed one may better understand what the C.A.R. is.

"I believe in the Children of the American Revolution as an organization for the training of young people in true patriotism and love of country, in order that they shall be better fitted for American citizenship.

As a descendant of the Founders of my Country I believe that my birthright brings a responsibility to carry on their work, and that as the boys and girls of 1776 took an active part in the War for independence, so the boys and girls of today have a definite work to do for their Country. As a member of the Children of the American Revolution, I believe it is my duty to use my influence to create a deeper love of Country, a loyal respect for its Constitution and reverence for its Flag, among the young people with whom I come in contact."

Over 12,000 young people from birth to the age of 22, in 826 local societies around the world endorse that Creed. The C.A.R. Creed calls for its members to take an active role in today's world. Each year under a different National Theme, we do just that. This year's theme is "THE TIME IS NOW" and what better theme could be chosen for our Nation's Bicentennial? The time is now to take an active role in America to promote the ideals that we of the C.A.R. and the SAR share in our united patriotic effort. Only through cooperation and communication between our two organizations will we be able to continue the important missions of our Societies.

With each passing day America's youth is given more and more responsibilities. The 18 year old vote is a prime example. The C.A.R. realizes that with greater responsibility comes a greater need for guidance than ever before. I ask you to consider direct assistance to the C.A.R. The SAR honors its ancestry, but what of your descendants? Eighty years ago the C.A.R. was founded, but 80 years ago we had no competition. Today's youth is confronted with a myriad of activities, just as you are, as adults. For the same reasons you have chosen to be active SAR members, your children should be active in the C.A.R. Many of you have never had direct contact with the C.A.R. and I urge you to take the time to find out more about us. Perhaps your chapter needs a program for a meeting—the C.A.R. society in your area would welcome the opportunity to meet with you and present a program!

Pres. Gen. Savage's words state the case very plainly, as many former C.A.R. members have joined the SAR and become quite active on all levels of SAR. Indeed many C.A.R. members enjoy the privilege of dual membership in the SAR and C.A.R. between the ages of 18 and 22. I am proud to be one of those members. I find it interesting and exciting to be able to participate in both organizations at the

same time and to make a contribution to the patriotic work which we do. The C.A.R. has over 12,000 members, but only so many of them are eligible to join the SAR. It stands to reason that if all the members of the SAR enrolled their children, grandchildren, nieces and nephews in the C.A.R., the C.A.R. could easily have 100,000 members that some day would become the SAR and DAR members of the future, for they would have the background, knowledge and understanding of what the organizations stand for. Naturally, the more members the C.A.R. has, the better the percentage of male C.A.R. members to become the SAR's of the future.

The youth of America needs guidance. The guidance that you of the SAR can give. A decade ago few people could have anticipated the rebellion of the youth during the late 60's. Today we cannot predict what will occur 10 years from now, but it is safe to say that if the membership of the C.A.R. included all of the eligible relatives of the SAR there would be little worry that our Country would survive another 200 years.

In 80 years the C.A.R. has accomplished a great deal and we are grateful to the SAR for your growing support. There are so many of you who serve the C.A.R. in senior leadership capacities, giving freely of your time and money to assist the youth of America. The C.A.R. is truly thankful and we give to you the greatest tribute possible—we transfer from our ranks into yours the best we have to offer.

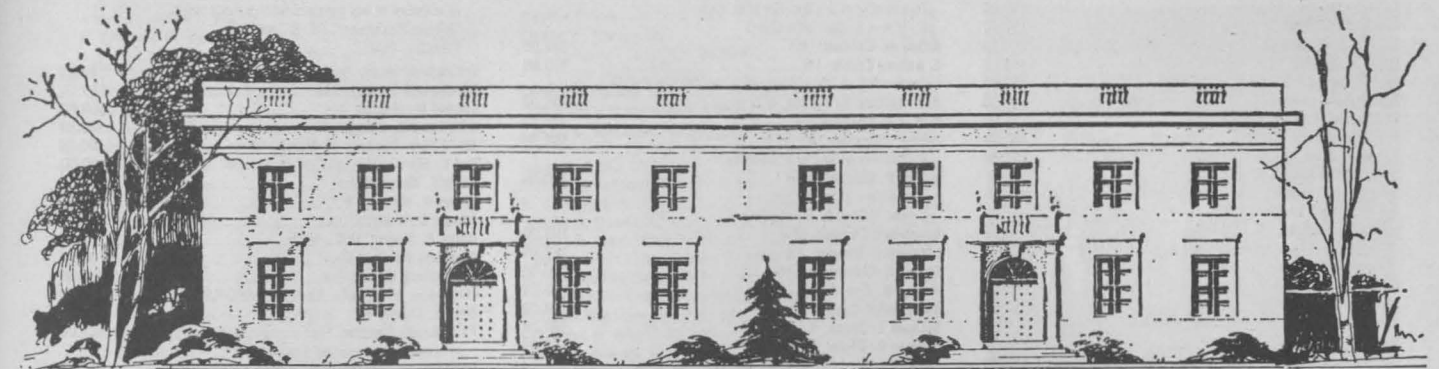
The time is now for the SAR and the C.A.R. to join together in a united effort, to join in a spirit of communication and cooperation to increase the memberships of our organizations, while maintaining the creative and innovative programs to retain the interest of our current members. The time is now to keep America first by promoting the educated patriotism we stand for during the Bicentennial and on into our 3rd century. The best way to keep America first is to keep the SAR first, and the best way to do that is by keeping the C.A.R. first.

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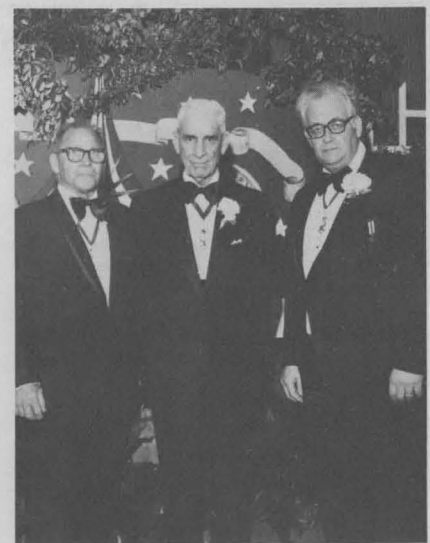
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Saguaro Chapter meets for breakfast on 3rd St. monthly except July & Aug. at 8:30 a.m., Sir George's Restaurant, Peoria & 107 Ave. Sun City.

CALIFORNIA

Oakland Chapter meets 6:45 p.m., 4th Mon. monthly except Dec. Lovely's Restaurant, 336 Grand Ave. Oakland.

Orange County Chapter meets 3rd Mon. monthly, 2310 E. Lincoln Ave., Anaheim. For info. call Pres. (714) 524-991, Placentia.

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).

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Southern California Chapter. (Riverside), Meetings rotate Riverside, Sun City & San Bernardino. Phone: Sec. 683-4741 at Riverside or Pres. 882-2608 at San Bernardino.

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 Secy. (415) 968-6943.

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Caloosa Chapter, Luncheon meeting Ft. Myers Country Club, McGregor Blvd. 2nd Wed. at noon monthly, except July, Aug. & Sept. Phone Nevin Salot 334-6840.

Central Florida Chapter, Orlando, Meeting & refreshments, 3rd Mon. monthly 7:30 P.M. College Park Women's Civic Club, 714 W. Dartmouth St. Wives invited. Ph. Cecil Bothwell, 841-2827.

Clearwater Chapter, Luncheons: S&S Cafeteria, Searstown, 11:30 a.m. 1/16, 3/19; 4/16; 9/17; & 11/19. Dinners, ladies & guests, 6:00 p.m. 2/20; 5/21; 10/15 & 12/10.

Daytona-Ormond Chapter, Luncheon 12 noon, 3rd Thurs. monthly at Halifax River Yacht Club, 331 S. Beach St., Daytona Beach.

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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, Lunch-meeting 11:30 a.m., 2nd Thurs. monthly, except Feb. & Dec., special meetings. Governor's Club Hotel. SARs welcome. Ph. Cal Sutherd 733-9158 or V. Barnhill 587-3436.

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 noon 2nd Sat. monthly except June, July & Aug. Special observance Washington's Birthday & Constitution Day. SAR's welcome, Phone 347-0379 or 577-4074.

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.

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

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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.

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

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Southern Nevada Chapter, Las Vegas is holding a Breakfast meeting at 9 am every 2nd Sat. monthly at Denny's Rest., Rancho Rd. & Sahara Ave.

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Lower Cape Fear Chapter meets monthly except Feb. & July at Balantine's Buffet, Long Leaf Mall at 11:45 on 3rd Fridays. Washington's Birthday & Independence Day dinners yearly.

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Benjamin Franklin Chapter, meets Columbus Athletic Club, 136 E. Broad St., Columbus, noon 3rd Fri. monthly Sept. thru May, except Dec.

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

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

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R.I. Society, Luncheon meeting Noon 3rd Thurs. monthly Sept. to June, Faculty Club, 1 McGee St., Providence. Summer meetings: Brown Field House, Brook St.

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El Paso Chapter meets at noon 1st Sat. monthly at Jerry Wolfe Restaurant, Rodeway Inn, Geronimo & Interstate 10.

Heart of Texas Chapter meets at 10 am 2nd Sat. Jan., April, July & Oct. at the Stage-Coach Inn Country Club, Hwy 55, Salada. Visiting SAR's welcome.

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

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

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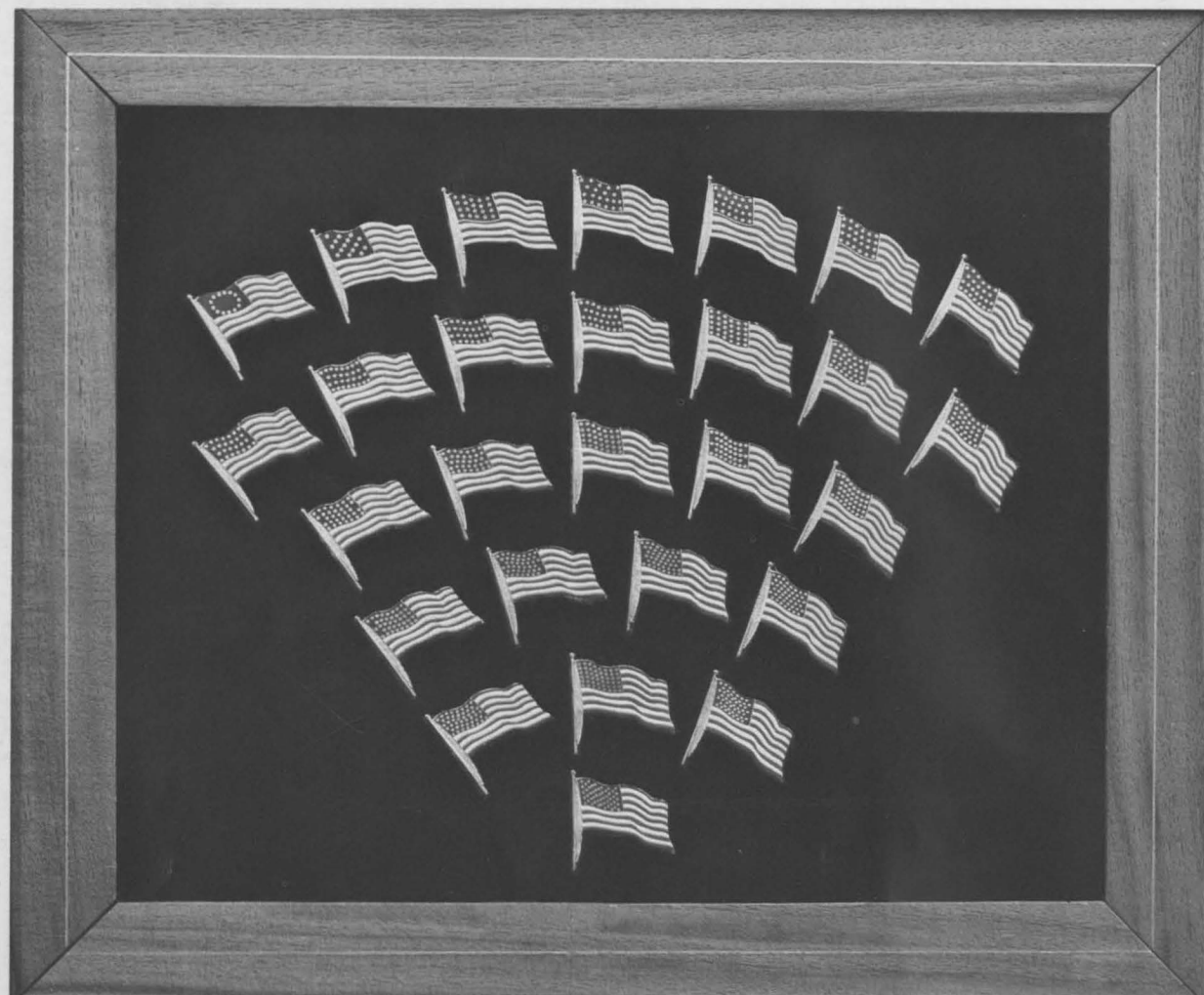
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