

# The **President General's**

# Message

#### **Dear Compatriots:**

The 110th Annual Congress is now history, but will be long remembered as a very successful one. Compatriots of the New England District did an outstanding job of handling even the smallest of details. Special thanks go to the Host Chairman, Duane T. Sargisson, and Co-Chairman David J. Gray for their exemplary leadership.

Traditionally at Congresses we pass the torch to the newly elected President General. Looking back at Howard F. Horne, Jr., our Immediate Former PG, I must express amazement at the quantity and quality of accomplishments completed during his term. He did a most commendable job of furthering the programs that had been launched by his predecessor, Russell D. Page. Your new PG will do the same.

Our Society is now entering the most historic period in its span of over 110 years. Never before have the Trustees and the Congress approved construction of a new building, in this instance a structure that will greatly enhance what our Headquarters has to offer – beginning with an expanded library. We have outgrown our current Headquarters, the floors are overloaded and our library and museum collections are becoming increasingly cramped for space. You are invited to read the special news report about the solution that appears on page 13 of this issue of the magazine.

To completely implement our plans for the building and ancillary facilities will depend upon a certain amount of financial support from Compatriots such as you all across the country. You will be hearing more about this over the coming months, but for now you may want to give thought to funding, for example, a brick with your Patriot's name on it to become part of one of many pathways on the site. Or library furnishings with your nameplate attached as the giver. Or a wing of the library named for you. There will be a variety of ways in which you may participate. The President General's family is already an ardent supporter of the new library. A \$100,000 charitable remainder trust given by Dorothy B. Butler, a DAR and mother of the PG, has been designated for it.

Compatriots continue to present our Society with a variety of gifts. Here are a few of the recent ones:

• A collection of Revolutionary War Era newspapers from the late James A. Williams, former Museum Chairman.

 From the DAR on permanent loan, up to 10,000 volumes of books not in our library relative to the Revolution.

• From Comte Rene de Chambrun, Past President of the France Society and a descendant of Lafayette, microfilm copies of some 25,000 documents pertaining to Lafayette.

 In the near future, a 7-foot painting of General George Rogers Clark from Indiana Society SAR Marshall Miller.

During my acceptance speech at the Congress, I offered these four goals that will hopefully be attained within the coming year:

 Reach the \$1-million mark in assets held by the NSSAR Patriotic and Educational Foundation.

 Increase membership and decrease member drops in order to reach the 30,000 membership level.





The Tuesday evening banquet that concluded the Boston Congress was an exciting one for three grandsons of the PG and his wife (at left): Geoffrey Brosch and Stephen and Timothy Fraser. Each a member of the C.A.R., they formed part of the Honor Guard that escorted the couple. Other members included Mrs. Ann D. Fleck, Honorary DAR President General, who has been a drummer with the NSSAR Color Guard for many years; David J. Gray, Guard Commander; and Past Commander Donald N. Moran. Not shown here was Meredith Seale who carried the Louisiana State Flag; she serves as State 1st Vice President of the C.A.R. Louisiana Society.

Complete Phase I of our library construction.

 Increase the Headquarters Staff to provide better service to every Compatriot.

I seek your help in achieving these goals.

Best regards,

Bruce Baind Button

Bruce Baird Butler President General

THE COVER PHOTO shows PG and Mrs. Butler before a painting of General Benardo de Galvez, the Revolutionary War Patriot who drove the British from Louisiana and Florida. The work, a copy of the original in Texas, was commissioned in part by the Butler family several years ago. It is on display in the Museum at our Louisville Headquarters.

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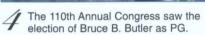
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Over 50 Compatriots from across the country performed with the National Society Color Guard at a number of events. Here they are outside of Trinity Church, site of the Memorial Service. Tourists were thrilled to view such a variety of flags.



Just before Congress business sessions began on Monday morning, attendees were treated to a concert by the band unit of the Second Company Connecticut Governor's Foot Guard.



When incoming President General Bruce B. Butler took the oath of office, his hand rested on a bible held by his wife, Ann. The oath was administered by Chancellor General Raymond G. Musgrave.

# 110th Annual Congress Elects Bruce B. Butler As PG, Approves New Building In Louisville

Over 310 Compatriots from all across the country - 281 of them official delegates - and nearly 200 guests descended upon Boston, Massachusetts in late June to participate in the National Society's 110th Annual Congress. Serving as Headquarters for this important business/social gathering was the elegant Westin Copley Place Hotel in the heart of the city that played such a key role in the Colonial and Revolutionary War Eras.

The choice of the Nominating Committee, Louisiana Society Compatriot Bruce B. Butler was unanimously elected President General for the 2000-2001 term to succeed Howard F. Horne, Jr. Active for many years at the local, state and national levels, Compatriot Butler had been Secretary General. Previous to that he was Registrar General for two consecutive terms and Historian General for the same length of time. His broad experience also encompasses being Chairman of the Host Society Planning Committee for the 104th Annual Congress in New Orleans, Vice-President General for the Southern District and both as National Trustee and President of the Louisiana Society. He holds a variety of prestigious medals, including Minuteman, Patriot, Silver Good Citizenship and War Service (with two bars for Korea and Southwest Asia).

The nine General Officers serving with PG Butler are identified in the Directory of National, State Society and Chapter Officers starting on page 34. His appointees to the Executive Committee are: B. Rice Aston, TXSSAR; Robert F. Galer, GAS-SAR; David J. Gray, MASSAR; Howard F. Horne, Jr., DESSAR; and Richard F. Locke, CASSAR. They are in addition to these ex-officio members: President General, Secretary General, Treasurer General and Chancellor General.

#### **Programs Launched On Sunday**

Although the Congress actually began with business sessions on Monday, in this instance June 26th, Sunday was packed with a variety of traditional programs. These included a final meeting of the 1999-2000 National Trustees, the Memorial Service, a runoff of the Joseph S. Rumbaugh Historical Oration Contest and Recognition (Awards) Night. Each of these events is reported in this issue of the magazine.

#### **Executive Committee Actions**

The Trustees Meeting featured a report by then Secretary General Butler on actions taken by the Executive Committee. These included:

· The National Society will prepare for the employment of a Development Director or an Assistant Executive Director of Planned Giving, at such time as the position is funded.

• The Membership Committee was requested to prepare, for consideration by the Executive Committee, an interim policy for eligibility and age determination for Youth Memberships as contained in the paper "Practices and Procedures to Implement Existing Youth Membership, Youth Life Membership and the Family Application Program."

· Recommended to the Congress approval of construction of the George Rogers Clark memorial Library of the SAR.





Among those bringing greetings to the Annual Congress were these dignitaries. LEFT: Mrs. Dale Kelly Love, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution. CENTER: Mrs. John Kruk,

Senior President, Massachusetts Society, N.S.C.A.R. RIGHT: Ms. Nina Zannieri, Director, Paul Revere House, Boston. She encouraged attendees to support historic preservation efforts.

· Recommended that the Eagle Scout Committee reconsider revision of the Awards Program for the next calendar year with assurance that the Executive Committee will work with the Eagle Scout Committee to provide the difference in



Secretary General Bruce B. Butler reported on behalf of the Executive Committee.

• The next publication of the SAR Handbook will state that protocol rules are advisory and subject to local custom.

· Recommended to the Congress the approval of Bylaw Proposal #5, renaming the Western Hemisphere District to International District.

· Recommended to the National Society that all State Societies duly install newly elected officers.

Eric D. Richhart, National Trustee of the Utah Society, offered an invitation to hold the Annual Congress in 2005 in Salt Lake City. In discussing this date, it was brought out that the Congress that year is scheduled for Louisville, Kentucky.

Compatriot Richhart stated that 2006 would be acceptable. The Trustees voted approval.

#### **Congress Sessions Open Monday**

Prior to the gavel being brought down by President General Horne to open the Congress, attendees were treated to a rousing concert performed by the band unit of the Second Company Connecticut Governor's Foot Guard. Then precisely at 9 am the Congress was called to order followed by the Invocation given by Chaplain General Rev. W. Ramsey Richardson. Next came a parade of over 50 members of the National Society Color Guard made up of Compatriots from a number of states – the



Chancellor General B. Rice Aston addressed the subject of proposed changes in the naturalization process being considered by the INS.

largest contingent ever assembled for a Congress. Stretched across the front of a large meeting room in the hotel, the Guard received an enthusiastic ovation after it had completed its performance during and following the Pledge of Allegiance,

singing of the National Anthem (led by Former President General Charles F. Printz) and posting of the Colors.

According to Congress protocol, a number of dignitaries were called upon to bring greetings. The first to do so was Mrs. Dale Kelly Love, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution. After being presented with a Certificate of Appreciation by PG Horne, she was surprised to receive a Gold Good Citizenship Medal from the Mississippi Society. She originally was from that state; her son holds his SAR membership there.

Among those following Mrs. Love were: Mrs. Robert Brodeur, Senior National VP, New England District, N.S.C.A.R.: Miss Stephanie Kruk, National VP, New England Region, N.S.C.A.R.; Mrs. John Kruk, Senior President, Massachusetts Society, N.S.C.A.R.; Miss Pamela Seroznski, First Vice President, Massachusetts Society, N.S.C.A.R., and Ms. Nina Zannieri, Director, Paul Revere House, Boston.

#### Official Business Taken Up

After a brief recess, official business of



Oklahoma Society Compatriot Charles W. Britton was responsible for introducing proposed Bylaws changes and Resolutions for consideration by the delegates.

the Congress started in earnest. Highlights of broad interest to the membership are reported here.

Because of the potential impact on our Society's future, the first report was offered by Treasurer General Larry D. McClanahan, Chairman of the Building Committee. Using slides that featured several renderings by a Nashville, Tennesee architectural firm, he described plans for a new building across Fifth Street from our present Headquarters in Louisville, Kentucky. This structure – to be named the George Rogers Clark Memorial Library – will house the Society's rapidly expanding collections of genealogical and historical



Before retiring from office, President General Howard F. Horne awarded the Distinguished Service Medal to Ralph C. Nelson, Chairman of the Council of Vice-Presidents General, for his efforts in coordinating the PG's complex travel schedule to visit meetings of Districts and State Societies.

research materials. His remarks were amplified upon by others, as detailed in a special article on page 13 of this issue of the magazine. The outcome: a unanimous vote by the delegates to move ahead to implement the ambitious project.

Historian General Richard E. Friberg reported that NSSAR History Vol III will be ready for purchase at the time of the Fall 2000 Trustees Meeting. It will consist of







Retiring President General Howard F. Horne presented the gavel of office to newly installed PG Bruce B. Butler. As shown on the right, he slipped George Washington's Seal Ring on Compatriot Butler's finger, a traditional phase of the installation program. The ring is the Society's most valuable possession.

two separate volumes – A and B – with a total of over 730 pages and will feature a large number of historical photos. Serving as Editor is California Society Compatriot Robert F. Jackson.

Treasurer General McClanahan presented the budget for calendar year 2000. After discussion, it was adopted by the delegates.

On behalf of the Bylaws Committee, Charles W. Britton presented proposed changes in the Society's Bylaws as reported on page 30 of the Spring 2000 Issue



Responsible for keeping the Minutes and other records of Congress proceedings were Executive Director Wayne R. Wiedman and Executive Secretary Kathy Lentz.



The purchase of varied merchandise is always a popular activity at an Annual Congress. Boston was no different. At the left Merchandise Manager Mike Scroggins (in shirtsleeves) assisted a Compatriot in making a selection. Also helping out was Aaron Adams (seated at right), a member of the Merchandise staff.

of *The SAR Magazine*. They had been approved by the Trustees during the Spring Trustees Meeting for consideration by the Annual Congress. Delegates adopted the changes.

Resolutions Committee Chairman Charles W. Britton offered a variety of Resolutions for consideration. Capsuled here is the intent of those adopted.

• Opposes proposed changes in the oath of citizenship, dumbing down the test of citizenship, diminishing the dignity of the swearing in process conducted before a United States District Judge, making the naturalization process available through the U.S. mail, and any other act or omission which would cheapen the value of American citizenship.

• Recognizes the historic significance of the 50th anniversary of the Korean War;



A highlight of the Monday evening formal banquet was awarding of the Law Enforcement Commendation Medal to Officer David A. Pendleton of the United States Capitol Police and the Fire Safety Commendation Medal to Ms. Debra L. LaMay of Colonie, New York. Making the presentations were Fire Safety and Law Enforcement Committee Co-Chairmen William T. Allgood (right) and Andrew M. Johnson. Among his varied duties, Officer Pendleton provides internal security to the 435 members of the U.S. House of Representatives. Ms. LaMay is an Exclusive Agent for the Allstate Insurance Company, on whose behalf she has been involved in educating thousands of children about fire safety.



Financial support for our Society's unfunded and underfunded activities received a big boost during the 110th Annual Congress when over a dozen new "George Washington Fellows" were recognized for having given or pledged \$1,000 or more to the rapidly growing George Washington Endowment Funds. Each was given a gold pin at a special breakfast hosted by James A. Shelby (standing, right), Chairman of the Funds Board; and W. Buchanan Meek (standing, left), Chairman of the Board's Fund Raising Committee. Standing, from left of Compatriot Meek: Harry R. Houston, WA; Darryl S. Jeffries, PA; Douglas H. Stansberry, GA; Thomas E. Lawrence, MS; Robert W. Proctor, MA; James W. Frazee, AZ. Seated, from left: Mrs. M. Joseph Hill, IL; Mrs. Roy F. Hornbuckle, MO; Mrs. Larry D. McClanahan, TN; Mrs. T.F. Craft, GA; Mrs. Reon G. Hillegass, VA; Mrs. William H. Lees, IA; Mrs. Roy M. Davis, MS.

expresses the deep gratitude of the American people to the members of the Armed Forces who served in the Korean War, and to their families; honors the memory of service members who paid the ultimate price for the cause of freedom, including those who remain unaccounted for; and calls upon State Societies, Chapters and individual Compatriots to observe the 50th anniversary of the War in Korea by honoring the service and sacrifices of the members of the Armed Forces and the sacrifices of their families, and by recognizing the historic significance of what they achieved, with appropriate cere-

monies throughout the year ending June 25, 2001.

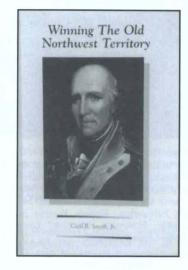
• Commends the efforts of the Friends of the Fort Laurens Foundation to rebuild Fort Laurens; and calls upon the State of Ohio and its elected officials and the Ohio Historical Society to fulfill its obligations to rebuild Fort Laurens, the outpost of the American Revolution.

#### **Committee Members Named**

Since being elected, President General Bruce B. Butler has appointed the Chairman and members of over 60 National Committees. See page 34.



A large room in the Westin Hotel was set aside for ladies activities. Here a few of them try their hands at a game of bridge.



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# Societies, Chapters, Compatriots Capture Awards At Annual Congress

State Societies, Chapters and individual Compatriots are active throughout the year competing for a wide variety of awards that traditionally are presented during Recognition Night of each Annual Congress. Here are those who were honored in Boston:

The President General's Cup (To the Chapter which presents evidence of the most complete program of activities): *Piedmont Chapter, GASSAR.* 

The Carl F. Bessent Award (To the editor of the most outstanding Chapter newsletter). Single-Sheet Publication: Culpeper Minute Man Chapter, VASSAR; Honorable Mention: Delaware Crossing Chapter, KSSAR. Multiple-Sheet Publication: Western Reserve Society, OHSSAR; Honorable Mention: Louisville-Thruston Chapter, KYSSAR.

The Grahame T. Smallwood, Jr. Award (To the State Society of 500 or more members with the best news publication with more than 10 pages; Cash award): *California Society*; Honorable Mention: *Ohio Society*.

**The Paul M. Niebell, Sr. Award** (To the State Society of 500 or more members with the best news publication with fewer than 10 pages; Cash award): *Kansas Society*; Honorable Mention: *New Jersey Society*.

The Eleanor Smallwood Niebell Award (To the State C.A.R. Society and local C.A.R. Society who have been judged to have the best newsletter by the guidelines set up by the N.S.C.A.R.; Cash award): Florida Society; Washington Elm Society, New Jersey.

The Jennings H. Flathers Award (To the State Society of 500 or fewer members with the best news publication; Cash award): Massachusetts Society; Honorable Mention: District of Columbia Society.

**The Allene Wilson Groves Award** (To the State Society which presents evidence of best implementing SAR resolutions and principles): *Kansas Society*.

The Edwin B. Graham Plaque (To the State Society sponsoring the first place winner of the Joseph S. Rumbaugh Historical Oration Contest): Kentucky Society.



The California Society was selected as having the best news publication with more than 10 pages for a Society with 500 or more members. PG Horne (center) offered the award to Editor Donald N. Moran (right) and President Clarence Lucas.

The George E. Tarbox, Jr. Award (To the State Society, exclusive of the Host State Society, having the largest percentage of eligible delegates at the Annual Congress): *Missouri Society*.

The Texas Award (To the State Society with the highest percentage of increase in membership among states with fewer than 100 members): Wyoming Society.

**The Colorado Award** (To the State Society with the highest percentage of increase in membership among states with greater than 100 members): West Virginia Society.

The Ohio Award (To the State Society which enrolled the highest percentage of new members under 30 years of age): Nebraska Society.

The Len Young Smith Award (To the State Society which enrolled the largest number of new members under 40 years of age): *Nebraska Society*.



Missouri Society Compatriot Robert L. Grover was named Color Guardsman of the Year. Offering him a recognition certificate and medal was PG Horne.

The Walter G. Sterling Award (To the State Society which enrolled the largest number of new members transferred from the C.A.R.): *Texas Society* 

The Robert L. Sonfield Award (To the State Society with the largest numerical increase of members at the end of the membership year): *Georgia Society*.

**The Houston Chapter Award** (To the State Society which enrolled the largest percentage of new members from the C.A.R.): *Nebraska Society* 

The SAR Magazine Award (To the State Society which was the most cooperative in supplying usable magazine material): Kentucky Society.

The Harold L. Putnam Award (To the State Society or Chapter Chairman responsible for the winner of the Joseph S. Rumbaugh Historical Oration Contest): *Kentucky Society*.

The Senator Robert A. Taft Award (To the State Society enrolling the largest number of new members): *Texas Society*.



The Georgia Society's Piedmont Chapter walked off with the President General's Cup Award, as presented by PG Howard F. Horne (second from right). Accepting were (from left): Secretary George Thurmond, President Douglas Stansberry and Past President Larry Guzy.

The William Y. Pryor Award (To the State Society with the largest number of registered delegates and guests at the Congress, considering the distance factor): *California Society*.

The Syracuse Award (To the State Society with the most new members): Georgia Society.

The Arthur J. Tremble Award (To the State Society which reinstated the largest number of dropped and resigned members): Florida Society.

**The Eugene C. McGuire Award** (To the State Society enrolling the largest number of sons, grandsons and nephews of SARs and DARs): *Texas Society*.

The Kentucky Cup (To the Member-ship Chairman of the State Society which enrolled the largest percentage of new members): *Utah Society*.

The Admiral William R. Furlong Memorial Award & Streamers (To the State Society which has fulfilled the qualifications during the previous year; Qualification based on number of NSSAR Flag Certificate presentations made): Delaware, Illinois, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, New Mexico, Ohio, Wisconsin Societies.

The Minnesota Society Stephen Taylor Award (To the Compatriot, who by his research and writings, has made a distinguished contribution to the preservation of history of the American Revolution Era and its Patriots): FPG Clovis H. Brakebill. TXSSAR.



President Frank Gibson (left) accepted a number of awards on behalf of the Texas Society from PG Horne.

The George S. & Stella M. Knight Award (To the State Society sponsoring the winner of the George S. and Stella M. Knight Essay Contest): *Texas Society*.

The William M. Melone Award (To the State Society which has the largest number of new and



Delaware Society Compatriot William B.
Neal (right) was saluted for having won the
Florence Kendall Award for recruiting the
largest number of new members: 49. Doing
the honors was PG Howard F. Horne.

approved supplemental memberships): Texas Society.

The Richard H. Thompson, Jr. Award (To the State Society which at year's end has the smallest number of members dropped from the rolls for non-payment of dues): Dakota, Delaware, Iowa, Nevada, New Hampshire, Wyoming Societies.

The USS Stark Memorial Award (To the Chapters and State Society with the best record of service to veterans during the past year): (10-49 members) M. Graham Clark Chapter, MOSSAR; (50-99) Piedmont Chapter, GASSAR; (100-199) Fincastle Resolutions Chapter, VASSAR; (200 members & above) Atlanta Chapter, GASSAR. Georgia Society.

Officers' Streamer Award (To State Societies whose President and National Trustee have attended both preceding Trustees Meetings and the last Annual Congress): Alabama, Connecticut, Florida, Indiana, Louisiana, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, West Virginia Societies.

The Marian L. Brown Eagle Scout Award (To the State Society sponsoring the winner of the Eagle Scout Scholarship Competition): *Arizona Society*.

The Historic Celebrations Award (To the Chapter or State Society that best commemorates



The Kentucky Society, represented here by President James D. Sympson (right), won the SAR Magazine Award. Making the presentation were Editor Winston C. Williams and PG Howard F. Horne.

George Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Constitution Day or Week, Veterans Day, or a local regional celebration): *Thomas Jefferson Chapter, VASSAR*.

The DAR/SAR Membership Award (To the DAR State Society recruiting the most new members): *Georgia Society*.

The Matthew B. Sellers III Award (To the Vice-President General who makes the best

# **Six Compatriots Receive Coveted Minuteman Medal**

The prestigious Minuteman Award was created in 1951 to recognize Compatriots who have given outstanding service of an exceptional character to the National Society. A maximum of six may be offered each year, with those recognized at the 110th Annual Congress reported later in this news story.

The first awards were presented at the Annual Congress in 1952, with Former President General Benjamin H. Powell receiving the initial one. Since then, 290 Compatriots have been so honored, including those in Boston in June. In addition to a handsome certificate, the award consists of a sterling silver medal, which bears the likeness of a Revolutionary War Minuteman, suspended from a blue ribbon.

Here are those honored this year (the positions were held as of or previous to the Congress):

Thomas N. Clark – North Carolina Society. Currently National Trustee of the North Carolina Society. He previously served as Vice-President General for the South Atlantic District. Not only has he sponsored 126 new members, but he has been responsible for organizing six Chapters and reorganizing one in his own Society. He has been a member of several National Committees, including Historic Sites and Celebrations, Genealogy and National Park Service Liaison. He has been especially active in promoting the commemoration of the Battle of Guilford Court House, for which he has received commendation from the President General.

Paul M. Frantz – Virginia Society. He has given outstanding service to our Society, with emphasis on establishing a wide range of programs at National Parks to commemorate such battles of the Revolution as Cowpens, Kings



These six distinguished Compatriots were awarded the coveted Minuteman Medal. Seated, from left: Clare E. Monroe, MISSAR; Edward S. Gray, MOSSAR; Paul M. Frantz, VASSAR. Standing, from left: William R. Ward, UTSSAR; Carl H. Lamb, CASSAR; Thomas N. Clark, NCSSAR.

Mountain and Point Pleasant – all while Chairman of the Historic Sites and Celebrations Committee. Currently, National Trustee of the Virginia Society, he was instrumental in setting up the National Park Service Liaison Committee and the George Washington Bicentennial Task Force. He has been a member of other Committees as well and has been a regular attendee at Trustees Meetings and Annual Congresses.

Edward S. Gray – Missouri Society. A Past National Trustee of the Missouri and Canada Societies and Past Vice-President General for the Foreign District-Western Hemisphere, he is currently Secretary-Treasurer of the Council of State Presidents. In addition to being a member over the years of several Committees, as Chairman of the Medals and Awards Committee these important awards were designed: C.A.R./SAR Medal of Appreciation, Council of State Presidents Medal,

National and State Medals of Distinguished Service, Color Guard Service Medals and the George Washington Bicentennial Medal. He has received 16 awards from Presidents General.

Carl H. Lamb – California Society. A Past National Trustee of the California Society, he was actively involved in planning the Annual Congress held in 1989 at San Francisco. He is a First Line Signer of over 70 new members, organized two Chapters and was instrumental in reactivating four other Chapters. His Committee memberships are extensive, including Congress Planning, Membership, Genealogy and Medal and Awards. He has attended 17 Congresses since 1979 and 38 meetings of the National Trustees.

Clare E. Monroe – Michigan Society. He has had a long and varied affiliation with the National Society, including two terms as National Trustee, three terms as Alternate National Trustee and one term as Vice-President General for the Great Lakes District. He was in in the forefront of organizing three Michigan Society Chapters and reinstating one other. He has served on such Committees as Americanism, Veterans, Rumbaugh Oration and Eagle Scout. He is the First Line Signer for 21 new member applications and has attended 14 Annual Congresses and 20 National Trustee Meetings.

William R. Ward – Utah Society. He has served two terms as Genealogist General, two terms as Vice-President General for the Intermountain District and three terms as National Trustee of the Utah Society. His membership on Committees has ranged from the Patriot Index (also as Chairman), C.A.R. and Computer Utilization to Council of State President, Genealogy and Newsletters and Periodicals. He was instrumental in organizing two Chapters, was the First Line Signer for 34 new member applications and has attended five Annual Congresses and 11 National Trustees Meetings.



The Minnesota Society Stephen Taylor Award was captured by Former President General Clovis H. Brakebill (left). Making the presentation was PG Howard F. Horne. Compatriot Brakebill was recognized for authoring "The Descendants of Peter Brakebill 1760-1844", which boasts 574 pages of genealogical material and a complete index of 98 pages. Included are nearly 7,000 descendants of Patriot Peter Brakebill.



Submitted by Charles G. Edwards of the Ohio Society's Cincinnati Chapter, this photo was selected as the winner of the Thomas Jefferson Bond, Jr. Memorial Photographic Award. It is given annually to the SAR whose photo best represents patriotism. Compatriot Edwards was on hand at the Annual Congress in Boston to receive a prize check for \$1,000. Judging entries were: Winston C. Williams, Editor of *The SAR Magazine*; Paul M. Frantz, Chairman of the Historic Sites and Celebrations Committee; and Richard E. Friberg, Historian General. In commenting on his entry, Edwards stated that it was taken during the July 17, 1999 memorial ceremonies at Fort Laurens near Bolivar, Ohio, the only American fort built in the state during the Revolutionary War. The event was co-sponsored by the Ohio Society and its Western Reserve Society (Chapter) based in Cleveland. The photo shows Matthew Bane (left) and Aaron Bane of the C.A.R. John Carroll Society based in Huntsville, Virginia presenting a wreath at the C.A.R. marker to memorialize soldiers who died there. The Color Guard of the Ohio National Guard then fired a salute. The youngsters are the sons of Compatriot and Mrs. Arthur Clay Bane; he is a member of the Virginia Society.



Cincinnati Chapter Compatriot Charles E. Edwards, who submitted the entry above for the Bond Memorial Photographic Award, was on hand during Recognition Night at the Congress in Boston to receive a check for \$1,000. His photo was chosen the winner by a special committee from among several submissions.

percentage over quota, based on last year's membership results): Ralph D. Nelson, Western Hemisphere District.

The Liberty Bell Americanism Award (To the Chapter using the same criteria as the Allene Wilson Groves Award): *Piedmont Chapter, GASSAR*.

President General's Color Guard Trophy and Streamers (To the Color Guard of the State Society or Chapter that earns the most points during the year based on established criteria): Missouri Society; Honorable Mention, Texas Society. Western Reserve Society, OHSSAR; Honorable Mention, Pt. Pleasant Chapter, WVSSAR.

Color Guardsman of the Year (To the Compatriot who is the best representative of Color Guards and the best example of service to the ideals of the SAR by his service as a Color Guard): Robert L. Grover, MOSSAR.

President General's State Society and Chapter Activities Competition Awards. Chapters: (10-49 members) Alamance Battleground, NCSSAR; (50-99) Piedmont, GASSAR; (100-199) Fincastle Resolutions, VASSAR; (200 plus) Western Reserve, OHSSAR. Societies: (10-199) None; (200-499) None; (500-999) None; (1,000 plus) Ohio.

**Col. Stewart Boone McCarty Award** (To the Compatriot who has best furthered the Preservation of United States History and its traditional teachings in our schools; Cash award): *Wayne A. Smith, DESSAR*.

General William C. Westmoreland Award (To the outstanding SAR Veterans Volunteer for service to veterans; Must be submitted to the NSSAR Veterans Committee by State Society): Alfred H. Jones, MOSSAR.

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The Howard F. Horne, Jr. Award (To the State Society with the largest percentage increase of George Washington Fellows based on total membership; Cash award): *Mississippi Society*.

Florence Kendall Award (To the top three Compatriots who recruited the largest number of new members): 1st Place, William B. Neal, DESSAR (49); 2nd, Richard W. Sage, ESSSAR (31); David Van Wormer, CO (30).



Accepting the Paul M. Niebell, Sr. Award on behalf of the Kansas Society was Kes Kesler (right). Making the presentation was PG Horne.



A handsome wildlife painting was presented to Compatriot and Mrs. Ralph D. Nelson (on either side of the work) by appreciative Vice-Presidents General. He was recognized for his leadership as Chairman of the Council of VPGs. On hand when this photo was taken during Recognition Night were (from left): Marston Watson, Western District; John D. Peebles, Rocky Mountain; Richard W. Sage, North Atlantic; O. Lee Swart, Southern; T. Fisher Craft, South Atlantic; Russell D. Wirtalla, New England; Charles F. Bragg, Central; Charles W. Britton, South Central; and C.E. Thorp, Great Lakes (he had the assignment of acquiring the painting)

# Memorial Service Honors Members Who Were Called To Rest Last Year

Nearly 550 Compatriots who were called to eternal rest over the past year were honored during the traditional Memorial Service held on the Sunday prior to the official start of the 110th Annual Congress in Boston. The site was historic Trinity Church not far from the Westin Copley Place Hotel, which served as Headquarters for the Congress.

The National Society Color Guard, consisting of over 50 Compatriots from State Societies all across the country, posted the Colors inside Trinity before the service commenced. Presiding was President General Howard F. Horne, Jr. Also participating in the solemn program were Chaplain General Rev. W. Ramsey Richardson; Chaplains Committee members, Revs. Jack Early, Stan deLong, D. Gene Patterson, Frank M. Spindler and Charles Page; Secretary General Bruce B. Butler; and Former Presidents General Carl F. Bessent and Paul H. Walker.

#### **Recalls The Lives Of Compatriots**

Compatriot Patterson recalled the lives of several departed members, with emphasis on service to the Society and the communities in which they lived. He first singled out five who had received the Minuteman Award: Delbert J. Fowler, Chester E. May, Kenneth J. Petro, Harold E. Wilmoth and Claude L. Withers. He then spoke about five men with memberships dating back 65 years or more - for a total of 358 years. The oldest was C. Harbaugh Miller of the Pennsylvania Society, who passed away at the age of 97 and had been a Compatriot for 74 years. He also singled out Eber Charles Sizemore, Alabama Society, almost 103, who joined the SAR on his 100th birthday; he was a veteran of World War I and was



The Color Guard extended across the entire front of Trinity Church before posting the Colors as the Memorial Service commenced.

awarded the French Legion of Honor (which was designed by Napoleon and is the design on which the SAR membership medal is based).

He continued his remarks by reporting on a few who had had unusual backgrounds. Brig. Gen. Albert J. Twiggs II, ALSSAR, served as State President and National Trustee from Florida; in World War II he served as a paratrooper and artillery officer in the European Theatre, commanded an artillery battalion during the Korean Conflict, and was recalled during the Vietnam Conflict as a special consultant to the State Department. Samuel J. Dornsife, PASSAR, 83, was an internationally respected authority on the restoration of 19th-century Anglo-American buildings; among other noted projects, he was consultant to Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy in refurbishing The White House



Delivering the Memorial Sermon was Chaplain General Rev. W. Ramsey Richardson.

in the early 1960s. Frank J. Mizell, Jr., ALSSAR, 94, was part of the legal staff to Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower during World War II, later participating in major litigation at all U.S. Court levels and had several landmark cases before the Supreme Court.

#### Sermon Stresses Religious Fervor

Chaplain General Richardson, in his Memorial Sermon, pointed out that the service that day was held to celebrate those who had died **and** their/our ancestors who helped to bring this country into being more than 225 years ago. His recalling of a variety of historical events and people was based on a belief in the existence of God.

"Those who came to these shores several hundreds of years ago certainly must have had a sense of oneness with God," he declared. "In Virginia, when the first English settlers landed at Jamestown in 1607, just about the first thing they did after undoubtedly kissing the ground and offering personal and profound thanks to have made it across the Atlantic in three tiny ships, was to have a service of Thanksgiving.



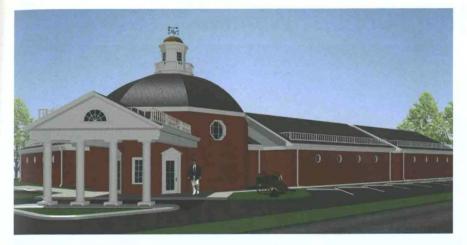
The National Society Color Guard waited outside of Trinity Church before marching in carrying a dramatic display of flags.

"Little more than a decade later, the Pilgrims landed with their Compact, determined to formulate a religious community under God's rule. The framers of our form of government were people of faith. John Hancock's grandfather pastored a church not far from this very place. The Rev. Samuel Stillman, Pastor of the First Baptist Church in Boston, during and after the Revolution, was a leading patriot and exponent of religious freedom. He was among the 355 delegates from the 13 colonies gathered in Philadelphia in 1787, for the purpose of writing a national constitution. "Nor were these men alone in their

vision of a people of God under just laws – for up and down the east coat there were faithful proclaimers both from the pulpit and in the pew. George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, John Adams, Samuel Adams – the list is endless, really, of people of faith whose vision of a life unshackled by tyranny brought this country into being and have kept it so ever since. We hallow their memory and celebrate their dedication to the causes which have brought this country to the forefront of nations."



Former President General Carl F. Bessent read a passage from the Old Testament.



In keeping with the rich heritage of the National Society, the new library will have a "Jeffersonian" look – in that it will take on some of the architectural attributes of Thomas Jefferson's designs for Monticello and the University of Virginia.

## New SAR Library To Be Built In Louisville

A milestone in the future of the Society was achieved at the 110th Annual Congress with a **unanimous** vote of the delegates to approve plans for a new Library on land already owned across from National Headquarters in Louisville. Originally approved in principle last year at the Congress in San Diego, the plans, prepared by the Nashville, Tennessee architectural firm of Kaatz Brinkley Jones and Morris, provide for an initial facility to house our current collections as well as up to 10,000 volumes on permanent loan from the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The library project is being supervised by the National Society Building Committee, whose Chairman is Secretary General Larry D. McClanahan. This entity has been guiding the effort to fruition for a number of years.

The much-needed facility, to be known as the George Rogers Clark Memorial Library, will feature two wings joined by a central rotunda serving as a reception area and mini-museum. One wing will contain valuable microfilms of the papers of the Marquis de Lafayette, which are being presented by his direct descendant, Comte Rene de Chambrun who served for many years as President of the France Society. The wing will be named for the famed Patriot.

According to Compatriot McClanahan, the building will be sited along South Fifth Street to make up the first phase of a



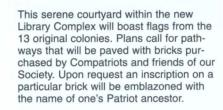
Larry D. McClanahan chairs the Building Committee, which is responsible for developing the new library facility. He is shown reporting this project at the Congress in Boston.

multi-structure, master-planned project. "Architecturally," he states, "the exterior facade will suggest Jefferson's designs of Monticello and the University of Virginia. A courtyard will occupy the area between the wings and will feature a Court of Flags from the original 13 colonies with garden areas and a serpentine walkway."

Chairman McClanahan points out that funding for the initial phase comes from a residue from the Friend Estate, the Reed Estate, the Butler Trust and accrued interest income. An added \$50,000 has been received through a direct unencumbered grant from the City of Louisville, with anticipated funds coming from Louisville, Jefferson County and the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Ground breaking is set for the time of the Fall Trustees Meeting. This memorable event will bring together SARs, DARs and C.A.R.'s along with city, county and state officials – highlighted by color guards, cannon and period re-enactors.

Compatriots, State Societies and Chapters can memorialize members and ancestors through contributions to the Society of such items as bricks, benches and areas in the garden – or in specific facilities in the wings. Corporate sponsors will be afforded similar opportunities for memorials and sponsorships.





# **Congress Honors Youth Contest Winners**

Patterned after the popular Youth Awards Luncheon held for the first time ever during the 109th Annual Congress in San Diego last year, the event staged at the Congress in Boston this June was equally well received. In addition to the traditional recognition of the winners of our Society's Eagle Scout, Oration, Essay and JROTC Competitions, the initial annual award was presented to the Children of the American Revolution.



President Calvin Coolidge was portrayed by actor-historian Jim Cooke just prior to awarding prizes to youngsters who came in first in national contests. He offered an enlightening insight into the life and times of the country's 39th President.



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These four youths were presented awards during the Monday luncheon (from left): Erik Fagergren, Eagle Scout Scholarship; Stephanie Kruk, who accepted the C.A.R. Award on behalf of the National President; Jenna Dondero, Essay Contest; and Cadet Major Nicholas J. Downing, JROTC Competition. The winner of the Oration Contest was not present, having returned home following the run-off on Sunday night.

The festive program was staged following the Opening Session on Monday, June 26 in a cavernous banquet room at the Westin Copley Place Hotel, the site of vir-



During the luncheon program, President General Howard F. Home was pleased to present the Gold C.A.R./SAR Medal of Appreciation to Missouri Society Compatriot Edward S. Gray for his outstanding support of the Children of the American Revolution.

tually all Congress programs. Serving as Master of Ceremonies was Kansas Society Compatriot Herrick H. "Kes" Kesler.

#### **Eagle Scout Scholarship**

The winner of the Arthur M. & Berdena King Eagle Scout Scholarship Award was Eagle Scout Erik Fagergren of Patagonia, Arizona. He was selected from among entries fielded by 31 State Societies and was presented a check for \$5,000; he also received a Life Membership in the National Eagle Scout Association. The lad earned 92 merit badges including Genealogy, American Heritage and Law.

#### **Oration Contest**

Capturing first place in the Joseph S. Rumbaugh Oration Contest was Andrew Green of Prospect, Kentucky. He had initially competed in the run-off held on Sunday morning with 13 others from as many State Societies. Six finalists were on hand that night to offer their orations before several hundred Compatriots and guests. His prize was \$3,000. In school his activities have included being Editor of the newspaper and Captain of the Debate Team.

#### **Essay Contest**

Jenna Dondero, originally sponsored by the Texas Society's William Hightower



A highlight of the luncheon program was presentation of a \$5,000 check by Dennis F.M. Marr (right) to the Knight Essay Prize Fund on behalf of the Lawrence I. and Blanche H. Rhodes Memorial Fund, Inc. Accepting was President General Howard F. Horne, while Essay Contest Chairman Gareth H. Bond observed. Compatriot Marr, a Past President of the Empire State Society, serves as Treasurer of the Rhodes Memorial Fund (a private foundation with the mission of offering financial support to worthy tax-exempt entities).

#### Committee Chairman Saluted

Compatriots heading Committees responsible for the contests were recognized for their efforts: **Eagle Scout**, Chairman Robert E. Burt; **Oration**, Chairman John A. "Jack" Horner; **Essay**, Chairman Gareth H.

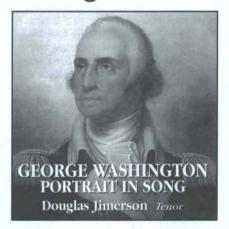
Bond, PhD; **JROTC**, Chairman John C. "Jack" Haughton; and **C.A.R.**, Chairman Philip W. Bernstorf, MD.

Future issues of the magazine will carry added news about the contests as well as copies of the winning themes that must be prepared by participants.



These 14 young men and women competed in the Oration Contest. Guiding the event was Contest Committee Chairman John A. "Jack" Horner (standing, fourth from right). Next to him were (from left): Joel M. Petersen, LA; Terry J. Archambeault, IN; James R. Smith, VA; Christopher G. Dahm, TX; Kirkland D. Patton, FL (3rd Place Winner); Patrick C. Craft, TN; Andrew Green, KY (1st Place), Seated, from left: Julie M. Quackenbush, KS; Christina H. Gustafson, CA; Kerry J. Coleman, OH (2nd Place); Christine H. Baugh, MD; Crystal J. Fortenberry, AL; Rhesha D. Lewis, DC; Traci Daffers, MO.

# **George Washington Commemorative CD**



Chapter, walked off with the \$4,500 First

Place prize in the George S. and Stella M.

Knight Essay Contest (it is interesting to

note that \$2,500 of this sum is contributed

each year by an SAR). A member of the

National Honor Society and active in her

school's music and drama programs, she

plans to attend Baylor University. Since

Jenna is qualified for the DAR, she is look-

ing forward to applying for membership

upon turning 18. Thirty-eight State Societies

Outstanding JROTC Cadet

Chosen as the Outstanding Cadet of the Nation was JROTC Cadet Major Nicholas J. Downing of the Wuerzburg American High School of Wuerzburg, Germany. His sponsors were the NSSAR ROTC/JROTC Committee and Capt. Dennis J. Hickey (VA), NSSAR liaison to the Department of Defense School District.

Children of the American Revolution Award

presented to the National President of the

C.A.R. to help fund that officer's project.

Accepting on behalf of the National

President was Stephanie Kruk, Vice

President for the New England Region of

the N.S.C.A.R. Traditionally, the project is

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**LEFT:** A solemn ceremony at the Memorial within the Normandy American Cemetery witnessed placement of a commemorative wreath. Following the program attendees gathered for this photo, which included Compatriots and guests from Societies in the United



States, France and the United Kingdom – as well as a few vets who were visiting at the time. **RIGHT:** The Color Guard led the way from the Cemetery to Omaha Beach, one of the sites of the 1944 D-Day invasion.



Posing outside Lafayette's ancestral home, La Grange, was President General Howard F. Horne, Jr. It is now owned by Past France Society President René de Chambrun.

# SAR Delegation Visits Compatriots In France, Views Historical Sites

By Ralph D. Nelson, Jr., Vice-President General for the Western Hemisphere District

In May President General Howard F. Horne, Jr. headed a delegation of seven U.S. Compatriots and five wives on a trip to France to honor the France Society of the SAR. We met with Compatriots of the France Society and the United Kingdom Society and their wives, as well as the Regent and other members of the DAR France Society. The program included ceremonies to pay homage to the French soldiers who fought at Yorktown in 1781 to free the American colonies from the tyrannical rule of England - and to the American soldiers who fought in Normandy in 1944 to free France from the tyranny of Nazi Germany.

SAR Ambassador Richard Austin (Virginia Society) planned the trip in con-

junction with Jean de Tinguy du Poüet, Vice President General for the European District. Roland Downing (Delaware Society, incoming Vice President General for the Mid-Atlantic District) served as photographer for the trip. Vice-President General Ralph Nelson (Delaware Society), Past Vice-President General Ray Zimmerman (Maryland Society) and Past Vice-President General Lester Foster (Maryland Society) carried the Colors, while Lee Walker (California Society) served as drummer for the Color Guard. The wives in attendance were Nancy Horne, Kay Nelson, Rhea Austin, Pat Foster, and Norma Downing.

The U.S. group arrived in Paris on Friday, May 19, and traveled 175 miles



**LEFT:** The Color Guard led Compatriots and guests to Lafayette's grave site within Picpus Cemetery, Paris. **RIGHT:** President General Howard F. Horne and Color Guardsman Lester Foster unfurled a



new United States Flag at the grave. It was slated to begin flying on the Fourth of July, the date when the previous year's Flag is traditionally retired.

west, past Rouen and Caen, to St. Lo, where it staved two nights at the Château de Canisy, owned by France Compatriot Comte Denis de Kergorlay. At dinner the first evening he introduced his uncle, Vicomte Gerard de Chaunac-Lanzac, a member of the SAR who was on the Free French Army General Staff during World War II, serving in Indochina and Japan. French Compatriot Comte Jean d'Aigneau, the former Mayor of Sainte-Mère-l'Église, also attended. He thanked the Americans for their help in World War II and especially noted that Americans taught the German prisoners the ways of democracy and showed love and support for the population of Normandy during and following the invasion. PG Horne noted that he was likely to be the last SAR President General to have served in World War II: he helped provide communications behind the lines between the Italian resistance forces and the U.S. Army forces.

On Saturday morning several members of the UK Society joined the Americans at the Normandy American Cemetery at Colleville-sur-Mer, where they were greeted by Assistant Superintendent Michael Green. This cemetery, containing 9,400 graves, is one of 14 World War II cemeteries on foreign soil. The Color Guard led the group to the main memorial, where PG Horne laid a wreath and gave a brief speech (which Rhea Austin repeated in French). PG Horne noted that his son, Compatriot Gary Horne, had as a high school history teacher Forrest Guth, one of the paratroopers who was dropped into Sainte-Mère-l'Église on D-Day - June 6, 1944. Guth never spoke of his wartime service in class, and PG Horne only learned of his heroic service earlier this year when he read "A Band of Brothers" by Stephen Ambrose (Simon & Schuster, 1993).

An American Flag now flies over the American Federal Memorial of Point du Hoc, our next stop. On this 130-foot-high prominence with sheer cliffs facing the sea the Germans built an observation post for major gun emplacements that covered the sea approach and the beaches. The Americans were to attack here - at Utah Beach to the west and at Omaha Beach to the east. Numerous 30-foot bomb craters still reflect the intensity of the effort to neutralize the observation post. Rudder's U.S. Rangers attacked the post by climbing directly up the cliff walls. Over half of the 225 Rangers perished during the assault and the drive inland to de-activate the guns.

#### WWII Paratrooper Recognized

The small (2,000 population) town of Sainte-Mère-l'Église is remarkable because the steeple of the church is draped with a parachute which suspends a figure representing John Steele – the D-Day paratrooper who couldn't drop to the ground because his parachute snagged on the church steeple. Steele avoided being shot by playing dead as the battle raged about him for hours. The Mayor of Sainte-Mère-l'Église welcomed us and gave the ladies small sunflowers in honor of Mother's Day. After lunch at the

Auberge, John Steele and Compatriot d'Aigneau led us on a tour of the Musée des Troupes Aéroportées, which he helped develop.

That evening, following a formal dinner, PG Horne presented the Charter for the United Kingdom Society to President Donald M. Stearns, who also received a Bronze Good Citizenship Medal for serving as President of the UK Society for a decade. Ralph Nelson described the flags carried by the Color Guard: Betsy Ross Flag to represent America during the Revolution; the Gâtinais Regiment's Flag to represent the French contribution to winning our nation's independence. Lester Foster presented a replica of Rochambeau's flag and PG Horne presented a Certificate of Appreciation to Compatriot de Kergorlay for all he had



During a dinner at Château de Canisy, President General Howard F. Horne, Jr. (left) presented the United Kingdom Society Charter to President Donald M. Stearns.



**LEFT:** A highlight of the trip was presentation of the Gold Good Citizenship Medal to Comte René de Chambrun by President General Howard H. Horne. He served as President of the France Society for many

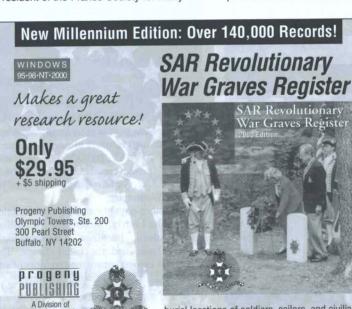
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years. RIGHT: Following this ceremony, Compatriot de Chambrun displayed the sword that had been given to Lafayette by the United States Congress in 1818; he purchased the artifact at an auction.



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done to make this a memorable occasion. Of the 48 people attending, all but two or three of the men were members of the SAR.

We traveled to Paris on Sunday and stayed there for the remainder of the trip. Our hotel, the Hôtel Splendid Étoile, was just one block from the Arche de Triomphe and the Champs Élysées. Nearby was the statue of General George Washington seated on a horse, given the city of Paris in the 1930s by the DAR, and a statue of French Marechal Comte de Rochambeau with an inscription from a letter by George Washington.

#### Lafayette's Grave Visited

On Tuesday afternoon we went by bus to Picpus Cemetery to honor the Marquis de Lafayette - American general, French marechal-de-camp, and long-time member of the French Chamber of Deputies. Once a convent, Picpus was purchased by Lafayette's wife as a burial site for 400 titled people and 1,306 others who perished on the guillotine during a six-week reign of terror in 1794. A medley of drum-beats kept the Color Guard in step as it followed the cemetery manager several hundred yards to Lafayette's grave, where an American Flag flies 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. PG Horne placed a wreath on the grave and spoke briefly. He noted that Lafayette represents the long and supportive association between the U.S. and France and that we were here to honor and to continue that tradition. On behalf of the SAR he presented Jean-Jacques Faugeron (Manager of the cemetery) with a flag that had been flown over the U.S. Capitol in Washington DC. This flag was to replace the present one over Lafayette's grave after the traditional ceremonies at Picpus Cemetery on July Fourth.

Members of the France Societies of the SAR and DAR joined us on Wednesday for a bus trip south along the Loire River to visit several chateaux and lunch at the Hôtel du Pont in the hamlet of Thore La Rochette. We visited the ancestral home of French Marechal Comte de Rochambeau, which



One of the delightful stops during the trip was the ancestral home of French Marechal Comte de Rochambeau of Revolutionary War fame. President General Howard F. Horne, Jr. is shown seated in the library viewing historical documents, as the current Comte Rochambeau observed.

was built on land acquired in the 1500s. The original section dates to the 1600s, but most of the chateau was built in the 1800s. The stone blocks used for construction were cut from cliffs adjacent to the house, and the resulting caves are used as a barn and wine cellar. The current Comte and Comtesse gave us a lengthy tour of the chateau, which displays flags, medals, uniforms, and many books that date back to the American Revolution, when Rochambeau led the French expeditionary force that marched from Newport RI to Yorktown, VA, where it made up half of the allied force that besieged and captured the British forces under Cornwallis

#### Stops At Varied Other Sites

We stopped at Château de Beauregard, which is owed by Comtesse Pavillon and which provides a history lesson through 320 paintings of titled gentry from the 1400s through the late 1600s. We then visited Château de Cheverny owned by Charles-



Jean de Tinguy du Poüet (left), Vice-President General for the European District, was presented the Silver Good Citizenship Medal by President General Howard F. Horne, Jr. This took place at a gala dinner hosted by the France Society.

Antoine, Marquis de Vibray. This chateau has an armory room with coats of armor, crossbows, halberds, shields and guns. Other rooms contain paintings of family members who were high officials in the governments of Louis XIV, XV, and XVI. On one wall hangs a framed certificate of membership from the Society of the Cincinnati, signed by George Washington.

On other days there were opportunities to tour the Louvre, Montmartre, Versailles, Fontainbleau, Barbizon, Les Invalides, Notre Dame, and the Eiffel Tower. The delegates enjoyed many masterpieces of artwork and architecture while learning much about French history.

#### Gold Good Citizenship Medal Awarded

On Friday evening PG Horne presented Comte René de Chambrun with a Gold Good Citizenship Medal for his many years of service as President of the France Society and for his work in promoting international cooperation through his society, govern-



Compatriot Comte Jean D'Aigneau (right), the former Mayor of Sainte-Mère-l'Église, was presented a Certificate of Appreciation by President General Howard F. Horne, Jr. at an early stage of the tour. He thanked the Americans for their help in World War II.

ment, and business contacts. Still active at 94 years of age, he and his late wife Josée spent decades restoring Château La Grange ("the granary") – the ancestral home of the Lafayette family. He is a descendant of the Marquis.

A small U.S. delegation was invited to visit Château La Grange on Saturday. This holds a collection of personal papers and artifacts that rivals any American presidential collection of that era. For example, it contains a unique copy of the Declaration of Independence rendered on silk. This had been given to Lafayette by his very close friend Thomas Jefferson. The collection also has thousands of pages of correspondence between Lafayette and others, an original painting of Benjamin Franklin by Greuze, the clock and sword given to Lafayette by Congress during his visit to the U.S. in 1818, letters from President Monroe, and a letter from the King of Spain in 1797 - asking the Austrians to release Lafayette from prison (where he had spent the previous five years).

The France Society hosted a gala dinner on Sunday evening at the Cercle Interallie. PG Horne presented the Silver Good Citizenship Medal to Jean de Tinguy du Poüet (Vice-President General for the European District) for his work in numerous lineage and business organizations and the Certificate of Distinguished Service for helping organize this visit. Certificates of Appreciation were presented to France Society President Helie De Noailles and to Christine Malphettes (Regent of the Rochambeau Chapter of the DAR) for their help in planning the visit. Bernard Oddo, Society Secretary, and Compatriot Francois de Peyrelongue described proposals to increase membership in France.

PG Horne made a brief speech, noting that our delegation came to France in the spirit of thanks for the support that enabled our ancestors to achieve independence for the United States. During his remarks, he thanked the leaders of the France Society for exploring ways to revitalize and expand the SAR in Europe and promised that the NSSAR would help in this effort. We look forward to more frequent interaction.

# Ring Headquarters Liberty Bell On The Fourth

Nearly 100 Louisville-area SARs, DARs and C.A.R.'s gathered at National Headqurters to celebrate the Fourth of July by participating in a program that saw ringing of our Liberty Bell replica and the firing of muskets. The event was tied to the "Let Freedom Ring" Ceremony held every year at 2 pm at the site of the original Liberty Bell in Philadelphia as sponsored by the Pennsylvania Society Sons of the Revolution.

The community was able to witness the celebration through an abundance of reports aired by three local TV stations. Importantly, viewers were able to watch the bell being struck 13 times to represent the 13 colonies.

Assuming responsibility for the event were the NSSAR Louisville Liaison Committee, the Kentucky Society's Louisville-Thruston Chapter, the DAR John Marshall Chapter and the

Commonwealth of Kentucky C.A.R. Society. Dr. Jack J. Early presided; he serves as Chairman of the Committee and Vice-President General for the Central District. The Dr. V. Edward Masters Memorial Color Guard and the Hayden K. Fuller Fife and Drum Corps posted the Colors. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chapter President Charles W. Grissett, while Chapter Chaplain Rev. Forrest B. Chilton gave the Invocation.





The Dr. V. Edward Masters Memorial Color Guard, a unit of the Louisville-Thruston Chapter, posted the Colors at the start of the program within Headquarters. Following the Benediction which closed the formal part of the event, guard members fired muskets on the outside. The Guard is named for a Past President.



Spearheading the bell ringing ceremony were (from left): Former President General William C. Gist who read the Declaration of Independence; Dr. Jack J. Early, Chairman of the Louisville Liaison Committee; and Wayne R. Wiedman, Executive Director.



An enthusiastic ringer of the bell was Ann Franklin, Regent of the local DAR John Marshall Chapter.



Greeting attendees was Charles W. Grissett, President of the Louisville-Thruston Chapter. He also serves as Chairman of the National Society Budget Committee.



Ringing the Liberty Bell was Andrew Green from Oldham County, Kentucky. At the 110th Annual Congress in Boston a week before, he was selected winner of the Joseph S. Rumbaugh Oration Contest.



One of the speakers for the Fourth of July program was Marianne Stonefield, President of the C.A.R. Kentucky Society. She is the granddaughter of the late Lee Duncan Stokes, a Past Vice-President General for the Central District, and Mary Ann Stokes, Honorary Regent of the DAR Kentucky Society.



The dramatic statue of General Nathanael Greene was the site of the program that marked the 219th anniversary of the Battle of Guilford Courthouse. Shown here were the many Compatriots and others who presented wreaths.

## Mark Battle of Guilford Court House

On March 18th Color Guards of the North Carolina Nathanael Greene and Alamance Battleground Chapters proudly led a possession of these patriotic organizations to the equestrian statue of General Nathanael Greene in Guilford Court House National Military Park to commemorate the 219th anniversary of the Battle of Guilford Court House: SAR, DAR, and C.A.R.; Guilford Fifes and Drums; New Jersey Light Infantry; Sons of the Revolution; Colonial

Dames of the XVII Century; and Daughters of American Colonists.

The impressive ceremony opened with a concert of stirring 18th century music and the National Anthem by the Guilford Fifes and Drums. This was followed by a welcome from Park Superintendent Robert Vogel to this "historic celebration in the oldest Revolutionary Park in America." Offering the Invocation was Dr. Charles E. Page, Past Chaplain General and Past North Carolina Society President.

#### **Numerous Wreaths Presented**

To facilitate the laying of wreaths at the statue, the Nathanael Greene and Alamance Color Guards, the Color Guard of the New River Valley Chapter, the SR Color Guard



A memorable concert was presented by the Guilford Fifes and Drums.

and the New Jersey Light Infantry formed a corridor through which presenters and flag bearers marched to pay honors to the General and his army. Leading off was Col. Paul M. Frantz, Chairman of the NSSAR Historic Sites and Celebrations Committee, who represented the National Society. The North Carolina Militia was remembered by Compatriot Benjamin L. Greenland; he was followed by representatives of the District of Columbia, Georgia, Indiana, Virginia, and

West Virginia Societies.

The Nathanael Greene and Alamance Battleground Chapters were represented, respectively, by Edwin A. Martin and President Kenneth B. Ingraham. And these Virginia Society Chapters were represented as follows: Dan River, President Norris E. Edgerton; Fincastle Resolutions, James R. Justice; Fort Harrison, Dr. Charles H. Boggs, Jr.; New River Valley, President-Elect Clay Bane; Lt. David Cox, President O. Donald Philen; and Thomas Jefferson, President David L. Sheldon.

Also making presentations were the DAR North Carolina Society, four local DAR



West Virginia Society Secretary John H. Sauer offered a wreath on behalf of his organization

Chapters, North Carolina Colonial Dames of the XVII Century, North Carolina Daughters of the American Colonists and North Carolina Sons of the Revolution.

#### **Defeat Led To Victory**

The crucial battle, although ending in a defeat of Greene's force which included both Continentals and militia, was a disaster for the British forces under General Cornwallis; his losses were overwhelming in contrast to the relatively light Patriot losses. The punishment the British received



Performing in the ceremonies was the New Jersey Light Infantry.

was cause for Cornwallis to begin a retreat to Wilmington on the coast where he could regather his full force and replenish it for the march north where he intended to engage Washington. Following on the American victories at Cowpens earlier in January and at Kings Mountain the preceding October, Guilford Courthouse set the stage for a beginning of the collapse of British power in the South. Yorktown was to follow in seven months.

Editor's Note: Special thanks are extended to these two Compatriots who submitted information and photos for this news story: Thomas N. Clark, National Trustee of the North Carolina Society and a member of the Historic Sites and Celebrations Committee; and Col. Paul M. Frantz, Immediate Past President of the Virginia Society and Chairman of the Committee.

# Added History Tapes Offered

Two new videotapes based on lectures authored by Compatriot James A. Williams, at one time the Director of the NSSAR Museum in Louisville, are now available from the Oregon Society's Lewis and Clark Chapter: The Story of Independence Hall and the Liberty Bell and The Road to Independence - What Prompted the Revolution. This brings to five such historical offerings.

The programs were originally among 26 slide presentations that Williams gave to the Chapter upon his death in 1998. The Chapter has been converting them to videotape and CD as funds have become available through donations and sales. Each is about 35 minutes long and is ideal for programs sponsored by a wide variety of organizations. All are in full color and feature professional narration by Compatriot and announcer Keith Miller, Jr. along with appropriate background music. Proceeds are used to produce additional programs.

The Story of Independence Hall and the Liberty Bell chronicles construction of Independence Hall in Philadelphia and its prominent role in the American Revolution. Also traced is the history of the Liberty Bell from its original construction in England to its recasting in America. The Road to Independence relates the causes and events which prompted the American Revolution.

The other three videotapes (and CDs) are titled: The Story of the U.S. Constitution; George Washington, Man or Monument; and Washington's Homes.

Each videotape is priced at \$14.95, including postage and handling. Checks or money orders payable to "LC Chapter-ORSSAR" should be sent to LC Chapter, P.O. Box 1594, Lake Oswego, OR 97035. If CDs are desired, call 800/947-8697 for ordering information.

#### SAR HISTORIC CELEBRATIONS

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September 2/3 - Groton, CT, Fort **Griswold Battlefield State Park:** Battle re-enactments, wreath laying CTSSAR participants.

September 16 Saratoga National Historical Park, NY: 11:00am. DAR Monument. Annual celebration; wreath laying. Sponsored by Saratoga Battle Chapter, ESSSAR.

September 17 - Valley Forge, PA: 2:00pm. Washington Memorial Chapel. Pennsylvania Day Memorial Service Sponsored by PASSAR, DAR and C.A.R.

October 1 - Germantown, PA: 11:00am-3:00pm. Re-enactment of Battle of Germantown. SAR participants.

October 7 - Kings Mountain National Military Park, SC: 3:00pm - Overmountain Men Victory Celebration. SAR wreath laying. Sponsored by Mecklenburg Chapter, NCSSAR

October 8 - Point Pleasant, WV (Battle Monument State Park): 2:00pm. Annual Commemorative Service for Virginia Militiamen. Wreath laying. Sponsored by Point Pleasant Chapter, WVSSAR

October 14 - Sturbridge, MA: 12:00 Noon. Yorktown Victory Celebration: Old Sturbridge Village tours,

MASSAR participants.

October 19 - Annapolis, MD:
4:00pm. French Monument on campus, St. John's College. Wreath laying honoring French at Yorktown. Sponsored by SR SAR participa

October 19 - Yorktown, VA: Yorktown Victory Day Celebration: 10:00am. Wreath laying, tomb of Thomas Nelson, Jr., sponsored by VASSAR 11:00am. Parade.

October 22 - Alexandria, VA: 2:00pm. Old Presbyterian Meeting House. Tomb of the Rev War Unknown; Sponsored by George Washington Chapter, VASSAR.

November 5 - Annapolis, MD: 1:00pm. Chapel, US Naval Academy. Massing of the Colors. SAR participants. November 11 - Wilmington, DE:

11:00am. Delaware Memorial Bridge and Delaware Veterans' Cem. Wreath laying. SAR participants

November 18 - Ninety Six National Historic, Site (near Greenwood, SC): 225th Anniversary, Battle of Ninety Six. 2:00pm. Memorial ceremony SCSSAR participants December 11 - Gunston Hall (near

Alexandria, VA): 12:00noon. Wreath laying commemorating George Mason's birthday. Sponsored by George Mason Chapter, VASSAR. December 19 - Valley Forge National

Park, PA: 6:00pm - Annual "Walk In" commemorates Washington's Army entry into Valley Forge, SAR participants

December 19 - Great Cane Break Battlefield (near Simpsonville, SC): 2:00pm. Celebration of 1st Battle of Revolution in South. Sponsored by SCSSAR and DAR.

December 25 - Washington Crossing. State Parks, PA/NJ:

11:00am. Commemoration and re-enactment of Washington's Army crossing the Delaware. Sponsored by Washington Square Foundation. SAR participants.

#### YEAR 2001

January 13 - Cowpens National Battlefield, SC: 11:00am. Morgan Statue. Spartanburg. Wreath laying sponsored by NPS. 2:00pm - 219th Anniversary Celebration. Wreath laying sponsored by the Daniel Morgan Chapter, SCSSAR

February 10 - Kettle Creek Battle Site. (near Washington, GA): 2:00pm. 222nd Anniversary observance. Wreath laying, Battlefield Monument. Sponsored by GASSAR

February 17 - Philadelphia, PA: Celebration of Washington's Birthday. 11:00am. Wreath laying at Independence Hall. 11:30am. Wreath laying at Washington Square. Sponsored by Philadelphia-Continental Chapter, PASSAR.

February 21 - Mt. Vernon, VA: Celebration of Washington's Birthday. 11:00am. Wreath laying at Washington Family Tomb: Sponsored by SR; SAR participants

February 21 - Burbank, CA (Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Hollywood Hills): Celebration of Washington's Birthday. Wreath laving: musket firing: 50+ Color Guards. Sponsored by Sons of Liberty Chapter, CASSAR.

March 2 - Burlington, NC: Battle of Clapp's Mill, Alamance Battleground. 2:00pm. Alamance Patriot's Day. Ceremony and wreath laying. Sponsored by Alamance Battleground Chapter, NCSSAR.

March 16 - Montpelier, VA: Madison's Birthday Celebration 11:00am, National Commemorative Service. VASSAR participants.

March 17 - Guilford Courthouse National Battlefield (near Greensboro, NC): 11:00am. Annual Memorial service. Wreath laying. Sponsored by Nathanael Greene Chapter, NCSSAR.

April 1 - Ninety-Six National Historic Site (near Greenwood, SC): Revolutionary War Encampment; 220th Anniversary, Siege of Ninety-Six. 2:00pm. Memorial ceremony. SCSSAR

April 13 - Monticello, VA (near Charlottesville): Jefferson's Birthday Celebration. 10:00am. Wreath laying: VASSAR participants

April 13 - Jefferson Memorial, Washington, DC: 11:00am. National Commemorative Service; Wreath laying. Sponsored by DCSSAR.

April 15 - Concord, MA: 8:00am. Wreath laying at Maj. John Buttrick's grave. MASSAR Color Guard. 9:00am. Parade and Ceremonies at The Bridge. MASSAR Color Guard

April 16 - Concord, MA: Patriots Day Celebration 9:00am. Parade to North Bridge. MASSAR Color Guard participates. 12:00 Noon. MASSAR reception. luncheon at Colonial Inn. April 28 - Richmond (Hollywood

Cemetery) VA: Monroe's Birthday. 11:00am. National Commemorative Service. Wreath laying. VASSAR participants.

on command at Valley Forge during the Winter Encampment of Washington's Army, 1777-1778, may be eligible for membership in the Society, which convenes each year at Valley Forge.

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#### GWEFB FUND RAISING COMMITTEE Conducts fund raising program to provide financial support for

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#### HANDBOOK COMMITTEE

Reviews, revises and compiles SAR Handbook and Procedures Manual in accordance with policy approved by the Executive Committee for consideration prior to implementation. Bylaw No. 18. Section 5.

Chairman: Edward S. Gray (2003) MO; 111 Pierce St., Jefferson,

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#### HISTORIC SITES AND CELEBRATIONS COMMITTEE Preserves, marks amd interprets historic sites and buildings. Makes recommendations to National, State Societies and Local Chapters as appropiate. Monitors and participates in special historic celebration events.

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#### HISTORY COMMITTEE

Responsible for the historical programs of the national society and for providing guidance to State Societies on state and local historical programs. Also, responsible for publishing Volume III of "NSSAR in the year 2000."

Chairman: Robert F. Jackson, 9 Las Plumas Way, Oroville, CA

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#### HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE

Explores and implements ways in which all SAR functions can be more hospitable to members and guests. Chairman: Garrett F. Jackson, CA, 9 Las Plumas Way, Oroville,

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INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE Responsible for considering, planning, developing, assisting and providing needed training to satisfy NSSAR needs in the field of information technology in order to provide and maintain efficient and cost effective internal and external information acquisition and processing as well as information dissemination through the internet.

Chairman: Ralph D. Nelson, 205 Mercury Road, Newark, DE

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#### INSURANCE COMMITTEE

Reviews the insurance needs of the Society with respect to employees, liability, and building and grounds.

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#### INTERNAL AUDIT COMMITTEE

Responsible for conducting an internal audit of the national society when requested to do so by the President General and reporting the results of such audit directly to the President General, in accordance with Bylaw 18, section 1(a). Chairman: W. Gordon Buckner, (2003) PO Box 721, Marshall,

MO 65340 Lester A. Foster, MD (2001); William McKinney, TN (2002)

#### INVESTMENT COMMITTEE

Responsible for both monitoring and controlling National Society investments in the permanent fund, Also, responsible for providing the National Trustees with a full and complete report of investment activity at each National Trustees meeting in accordance with Bylaw 18, section 2. Chairman: Henry N. McCarl, 1828 Mission Road, Vestavia

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#### JOSEPH S. RUMBAUGH HISTORICAL ORATION

Responsible for planning, promoting and conducting the NSSAR Historical Orations Contest at the Annual National Congress. Also, responsible for serving as a host for the contestants and judging a winner of the contest.

Chairman: John A. Horner, Jr., 3008 Fontenay Road, Shaker Heights, OH 44120

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## KNIGHT ESSAY CONTEST COMMITTEE

Responsible for planning, promoting and conducting the Annual NSSAR Essay Contest. Also responsible for selecting the winner of the Knight Essay Contest.

Chairman: Gareth H. Bond, 4630 Tapestry Drive, Fairfax, VA

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#### LEGAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE Responsible for providing a forum for the discussion of legal problems affecting the National Society as well as providing

assistance to the ChancellorGeneral when required. Chairman: B. Rice Aston, JD, 2525 Nantucket #8, Houston, TX

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#### LIBRARY COMMITTEE

Responsible for developing long range plans for the Library and serving in an advisory capacity to the Librarian General. Also, coordinates the development of the Librarys operational objectives, including the acquisition of books, materials, physical assets and operational budget.

Chairman: Rev. D. Gene Patterson, 9 West Penn Street, Muncy, PA 17756

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#### LINEAGE RESEARCH WORKSHOP COMMITTEE

Responsible for the preparation of instructional materials required in the conduct of a lineage research workshop. Also, responsible for providing instructors with lesson plans and handout material for use in conducting classes in family history and the requirements for membership in both hereditary and patriotic organizations.

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PA; Thomas L. Wallis, MS; Herman L. Weiland, LA; Charles

General, CA;

#### LONG RANG PLANNING COMMITTEE

Responsible for reviewing NSSAR programs, evaluating National Society needs and makes recommendations to the Executive Committee on its findings. This committee has no responsibility for National Society financial programs. Chairman: Larry D. McClanahan, SG. TN, 203-A Point East Drive.

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#### LOUISVILLE LIASON COMMITTEE

Responsible for planning and carrying out SAR functions in the Louisville area, many of which are in conjunction with the National Society

Chairman: Jack J. Early, 9002 Hurstwood Ct., Louisville KY Ben R. Brewer, KY; Leslie Black, KY; William A. Buckaway, Jr.,

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#### MAGAZINE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Responsible for oversight of the content, publication and finances of the SAR Magazine. Also, provides advice and counsel to the Magazine Editor.

Chairman: PG Carl F. Bessent, 4405 Norwood Road, Baltimore,

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#### MASTER OF CEREMONIES COMMITTEE

Responsible for providing dignity, elegance and wit to the major ceremonies of the National Society.

Chairman: Jack J. Early, 9002 Hurstwood Court, Louisville, KY, 40222 Richard Austin, VA; H.H. "Kes" Kesler, KS; Mark Schreiber, MO;

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MEDALS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

Responsible for periodically reviewing the National Society's medals, certificates and various other awards and makes recommendations to the executive committee for improvement. Also, considers and recommends new medals or awards when appropriate. Reviews recommendations for the Gold Good Citizenship Medal and reports findings to the executive committee. In addition, judges the following awards presented at the National Congress, the President General's Cup, the Tarbox Award and the Pryor Award.

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#### MEDICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Responsible for recommending matters concerning the health care of SAR members. Also, responsible for reporting current health conditions and health care programs to the Annual National Congress.

Chairman: S. Perry Davis, MD, SC, PO Box 68, Pinewood, SC 29125

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#### MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

The Committee's work plan includes new member applications, membership retention and member reinstatement. The committee's primary goal is to increase the membership of the National Society. The Committee has developed a manual for use in finding, enrolling and retaining members. Goals (to be determined) will be set for Chapters, State Societies, Districts as well as areas outside of the Continental United States. Vice Presidents General and State Society Presidents will be exofficio members of the Membership Committee. The Membership Committee's goal is to achieve a 20% gross increase in membership and a 12% net increase in membership during the next year.

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#### MERCHANDISE COMMITTEE

Responsible for supervising the operation as well as evaluating the quality, price and inventory of the Merchandise Department of the National Society. Also, promotes and publicizes merchandise offered for sale to the membership. Regularly monitors the distribution of materials to other groups in the society. The goal of the Merchandise Department is to be an overall profitable operation.

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#### MINUTEMAN AWARD COMMITTEE

Responsible for reviewing the applications for the Minuteman Award and selecting up to six (6) recipients annually. The Committee Chairman shall annuance the Committee's selections to the National Trustees at their march meeting. Chairman: PG Clovis H. Brakebill, 3362 Forest Lane #404, Dallas, TX 75234

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#### MUSEUM BOARD

Responsible for supervising the operation of the National Society's Museum and for acquiring and displaying Revolutionary Period artifacts in the Museum. Also responsible for promoting a docent program and visitations to National Headquarters in accordance with Bylaw 18, section

Chairman: PG William C. Gist , 5608 Apache Drive, Louisville, KY 40207 (2001)

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#### MUSIC COMMITTEE

Responsible for identifying music suitable for use at SAR programs and ceremonies. Also, responsible for researching Revolutionary War Period music. In addition, identifies musical talent from within the membership for possible use at National Congress and National Trustees meetings.

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#### NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS COMMITTEE

Responsible for oversight of the grounds and National Headquarters building. Also, responsible for requesting funds in the annual budget to maintain the facilities in good condition. In addition, this Committee is responsible for the long term expansion plans of the National Society including the acquisition of land and construction of buildings.

Chairman: Larry D. McClanahan, 203 A Point East Dr., Nashville TN 37216

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#### NATIONAL PARK SERVICE LIAISON COMMITTEE

Responsible for supporting the National Park Service's efforts to maintain the historical integrity of Revolutionary War and War of 1812 sites. Also, participate in future historic preservation study strategy meetings called by the National Park Service. The purpose of this effort is to encourage historical research in relation to the American Revolution; to acquire and preserve records of the individual services of the Patriots of the war, as well as documents, relics and landmarks; to mark the scenes of the Revolution by appropriate memorials and to celebrate the anniversaries of prominent events of the war and of the Revolutionary period.

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#### NEWSLETTERS AND PERIODICALS COMMITTEE Responsible for both creating and maintaining communications with State Societies and Chapters which result in the improvement of SAR newsletters and other

communications with State Societies and Chapters which result in the improvement of SAR newsletters and other periodic publications. Also, responsible for conducting a newsletters and periodicals workshop at each National Congress for interested State Societies and Chapters. In addition, judges the Bessent, Flathers, Woodward and Smallwood Awards at each National Congress.

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#### PARTICIPATION FORUM COMMITTEE

Responsible for considering and developing a means of communication and plans which will enable all segments of the Society to realize its full potential through programs designed for their special abilities.

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#### PATRIOTS INDEX COMMITTEE

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#### PATRIOTS ROSTER COMMITTEE

Responsible for the identification of all Patriots who aided the cause of American Independence and to collect information which will identify each Patriot.

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#### PROTOCOL COMMITTEE

Responsible for providing advice and counsel on protocol matters to the Congress Planning Committee andothers for National meetings. Chairman: PG Clovis H. Brakebill, 3362 Forrest Lane #404, Dal-

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PUBLIC RELATIONS/PROMOTIONS PROJECTS COMMITTEE Responsible for the preparation of press relations, announcements and the like describing NSSAR programs and ceremonies for distribution to newspapers, magazines, radio and television. Also, responsible for providing guidence and assistance to State Societies in publicizing their events. Also, responsible for seeking a creative means of conveying the aims, purposes and benefits of NSSAR to the American Public. Chairman: Fredrick O. Jeffries, 6790 E. Cedar Ave, #202, Denver, CO 80224

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#### RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Responsible for receiving resolutions from State Societies and Chapters, editing them and presenting them in the proper form for a vote of the Delegates at the Annual National Congress. Chairman: Charles W. Britton, 6500 NW Grand Blvd. #118, Oklahoma City OK 73116

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#### REVOLUTIONARY WAR GRAVES COMMITTEE

Responsible for registering the final resting places of our Patriot forefathers. Also, plans and implements the plans for NSSAR to publish a list of the graves of our Revolutionary War Patriots. Chairman: Robert F. Galer, 7236 Lullwater Road, Columbus, GA 31904.

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#### ROTC AND JROTC COMMITTEE

Responsible for the oversight of State Society ROTC/JOTC programs, stressing SAR support for every ROTC and JROTC unit in existence. Also, responsible for conducting the National Society's ROTC/JROTC program and selecting the winner of the National Society's award to the most outstanding ROTC Cadet and JROTC Cadet.

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Marines: Unassigned
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Air Force: Col. Robert K. (Ken) Hayes, USAF (Ret), AL

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# Compatriot Sam Nunn Given Gold Medal

The Officers Club at Robins Air Force Base in Georgia was the setting for a mid-April presentation of the Gold Good Citizenship Medal to Georgia Society Compatriot Sam Nunn, the former United States Senator from that state.

The event took place during a luncheon organized by the Ocmulgee Chapter. Some of the Georgia Compatriots participating in the festive program were: Former President General James R. Westlake; President Larry



Senator Sam Nunn (right) received the Gold
Good Citizenship Medal from Ocmulgee
Chapter President Tucker Haught.

Albert Atten
Maj.

Guzy; Col. Robert Galer, USA (Ret), Past Vice-President General for the South Atlantic District now serving as Chairman of the NSSAR Revolutionary War Graves Committee; Ed Sterrett, Immediate Past



Former Sam Nunn (left) was awarded the Gold Good Citizenship Medal by Dr. T. Fisher Craft, Vice-President General for the South Atlantic District. Observing at the right was Georgia Society President Larry Guzy.

President; Chapter President Tucker Haught, who read the Citation; Dr. T. Fisher Craft, District VPG who made the presentation; and Chapter Secretary Jonathan A. Alberman, who offered the Invocation. Attendees were welcomed to the base by Maj. Gen, Dennis Haines, Commander,



Offering remarks at the presentation ceremony was Maj. Gen. Dennis Haines, Commander, Warner Robins Air Logistics Center, Robins Air Force Base.

Warner Robins Air Logistics Center, Robins AFB.

President Haught pointed out in his remarks that "the strength and power of this nation rests not so much in the material resources as in the spirit of people such as Sam Nunn. It was this spirit that inspired the creation of our great nation by our patriotic ancestors. Their sacrifices gave us our Constitution, the Bill of Rights, an independent Supreme Court, and a nation of free men." He also quoted accolades on behalf of Compatriot Nunn offered by a number of distinguished Americans, including Senators Robert Byrd of West Virginia, Strom Thurmond of South Carolina and Trent Lott of Mississippi.

# STATE SOCIETY & CHAPTER EVENTS

All news stories about State and Chapter events appearing here and elsewhere in the magazine are prepared from materials submitted through a variety of means, including press releases and newsletters (which should be directed to the Editor at the address shown on page 3). Please note the deadlines below.

Black-and-white, glossy photographs are preferred. However, color photos are acceptable if they are of good quality, especially in contrast. They will be returned upon request if accompanied by a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Individual Compatriots are encouraged to submit ideas for historical feature articles they would like to write. Each will be given careful consideration.

DEADLINES FOR FUTURE ISSUES:

Fall (November) - September 15; Winter (February) - December 15; Spring (May) - March 15; Summer (August) - June 15

#### **ARIZONA SOCIETY**

The Elizabeth H. Dean and (Compatriot) Richard C. Dean Arizona Children of the American Revolution Scholarship has been awarded to Thomas C. Chaffrin for \$1,000 to the University of Arizona for tuition. The young man, who plans to pursue studies in political science and government, was saluted for a variety of

accomplishments, including: participation in programs aimed at supplying meals sponsored by Primaveri Foundation and Food Partners; activities at St. Andrews Episcopal Church; deep involvement in C.A.R. programs, for which he received the SAR Good Citizenship Medal; and a range of activities in his high school.



# Every year a large number of SAR and other units gather at Forest Lawn Memorial Park at Hollywood Hills to participate in the traditional George Washington Commemorative Massing of the Colors in February. Fielding a flag, drum and fifes were these members of the South Coast Chapter (from left): Lee Walker, Curtis Porter, Scot Workman and

#### **ALABAMA SOCIETY**

The Birmingham Chapter is to be commended for fielding the winners at the Alabama Society level of both the Rumbaugh Oration and Knight Essay Contests: Crystal Fortenberry and Amy Chen, respectively. Both then went on to participate in the National Society competitions along with youngsters from across

the country. The Chapter recently awarded the Bronze Good Citizenship Medal to Rodney Basenburg for his efforts in motivating nine of his students to enter the Essay Competition; he is Chairman of the History Department at Clay-Chalkville High School.

#### **ARKANSAS SOCIETY**



Proudly participating in the annual Memorial Day Service at Graceland Cemetery in Pine Bluff were Lynn Gaines (left), a veteran of the Korean War, and Bill Doak, a World War II and Korean vet. Members of the **Bartholomew Chapter**, they presented a wreath on behalf of the SAR.

#### **CALIFORNIA SOCIETY**



In May San Diego Chapter President Maurice Masters (right) was pleased to present the Heroism Medal to Chula Vista Police Officer Fred Rowbotham. He was recognized for his aggressiveness in arousing three occupants of a smoke-engulfed house. While cruising his route, he noticed the smoke and persistently called out in attempts to alert those on the inside. He tried to enter but was forced back by thick smoke and ash. His efforts finally were successful, in turn saving three lives.



Color Guard members of both the South Coast and Riverside Chapters participated in the commemoration that marked the 200th Anniversary of George Washington's death in a ceremony presented before the monthly meeting of the South Orange Community College District Trustees in December. South Coast Compatriot George Scott Key, a direct descendant of Francis Scott Key – author of The Star-Spangled Banner – was keynote speaker.

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When the **Thomas Jefferson and San Francisco Chapters** gathered in March for a joint meeting in Berkeley, members were treated to an interesting talk by Rear Admiral Edwin Wilson, Jr. USNR (Ret). Joining the Navy in 1941, became an aviator and was assigned to a dive bombing squadron that saw a great deal of action during World War II in the Pacific. After the war, he left active duty but continued to fly in the Naval Air Reserve, being promoted to Rear Admiral in 1971. He retired in 1978.

#### COLORADO SOCIETY



The featured speaker at the Annual Patriots and Founders Day Luncheon, staged recently by the **Pikes Peak Chapter**, was Compatriot Alfred A. Hagedorn. He shared his expert knowledge concerning the important Revolutionary War Battle of Springfield, New Jersey.



Receiving an enthusiastic response from onlookers was this **Pikes Peak Chapter** entry in the Veterans Day parade held in Colorado Springs. Included was a Corvette emblazoned with SAR placards and a number of Compatriots riding along and on foot.

#### **CONNECTICUT SOCIETY**

In early June the Captain Matthew Mead Branch celebrated its 70th Anniversary with a luncheon at The Milbrook Club in Greenwich. In addition to



In April the **Gen. Israel Putnam Branch**Color Guard, part of the New England
Contingent of SAR Color Guards and
Living History Units, marched in the
annual Patriot's Day Parade in Concord,
Massachusetts. In the foreground carrying
an SAR Flag was Russell W. Wirtalla,
Vice-President General for the New
England District.

over 40 Compatriots and guests, some of the dignitaries on hand were: Ms. Claudia "Dolly" Powers, Minority Whip, CT House of Representatives; 1st Selectman Lolly H. Prince of Greenwich; William C. Crooks, Chairman of The Historical Society of the Town of Greenwich; Ms. Susan Richardson, Archivist of The Historical Society of the Town of Greenwich; Mary Fox, Regent of the DAR Putnam Hill Chapter; Russell W. Wirtalla, Vice-President General for the New England District; and James E. Newton, Society President. Presented the Patriot Medal was William E. Finch, the last



These members of the **General Israel Putnam Branch** Color Guard were
pleased to serve as the Honorary Color
Guard at the 70th Anniversary Luncheon
staged by the **Captain Matthew Mead Branch** (from left): Lee Gerlander, Todd
Gerlander and Randal Gerlander.

remaining Charter Member of the Branch; he attended the first meeting when he was slightly over 18 years of age. Serving as guest speaker was Compatriot Kenneth A. Buckbee, who offered a slide presentation on recent activities of local members of the C.A.R.

#### **FLORIDA SOCIETY**



In April the Naples Chapter held its Annual Meeting in Naples, with President James M. McGarity III (left) presiding. He is shown welcoming the guest speaker, Compatriot Donald J. Pennell, a resident of Michigan who was in Florida at the time for an extended vacation. Currently the NSSAR Ambassador, Pennell spoke on the ceremony in Washington, DC that saw King Juan Carlos I of Spain gain his SAR Membership Certificate and the Gold Good Citizenship Medal (see the cover story about this event in the Spring 2000 Issue of *The SAR Magazine*).

#### **GEORGIA SOCIETY**



While visiting Gainesville in late March, President General Howard F. Horne, Jr. (right) was shown this monument devoted to George Washington by Lyman Hall Chapter President James C. McLeroy. As reported in the Winter 2000 Issue of *The SAR Magazine* the Chapter raised over \$40,000 to commission having the monument produced by Dr. John A. Lanzalotti of Williamsburg, Virginia to commemorate the 200th Anniversary of the Patriot's death.



In mid-February Georgia Society historical records and other items of significance from 1945 to 1999 were delivered to the Atlanta History Center Archives. Participating in the program were (from left): Former President General Robert B. Vance; Dr. T. Fisher Craft, Vice-President General for the South Atlantic District; Society State Historian William C. McCullough; Col. Robert F. Galer; Ms. Susan Illis, Archivist; Michael Rose, a member of the Center's staff; and Society Chancellor H. Ross Arnold, Jr.

#### **ILLINOIS SOCIETY**

In mid-May the Society staged its 110th Annual Conference in Springfield, with President A. Bingham Seibold presiding. Among the dignitaries present were Chancellor General B. Rice Aston, who was guest speaker for the Friday evening banquet; Former President General Russell D. Page; C.E. Thorp, Vice-President General for the Great Lakes District; and Winston C. Williams, Editor of *The SAR Magazine*. The two-day event included a Saturday business session and luncheon. Also on the agenda were optional tours of sites relevant to the life of Abraham Lincoln in the area.



Among the dignitaries present for the Society's Annual Meeting were (from left): C.E. Thorp, Vice-President General for the Great Lakes District; B. Rice Aston, Chancellor General and guest speaker; and A. Bingham Seibold, President.



Charles C. Wells (center) was presented the Patriot Medal at the Annual Meeting. Doing the honors were President A. Bingham Seibold (left) and Dick Carey, Patriot Award Chairman.



These three members of the General George Rogers Clark Chapter were proud to present the ROTC Medal to Cadet Nathan White at Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville (from left): Charles James, Charles Schweizer and Harry Windland. The Unit there is ranked seventh among more than 200 Army ROTC Units nationwide.

"The Battle of New Orleans" was the topic of an address before the May meeting of the **Fort Dearborn-Chicago Chapter** at The Union League Club by Robert V. Remini, Professor Emeritus, University of Illinois at Chicago. He has authored a book about this famous War of 1812 battle and is considered the country's foremost authority on Andrew Jackson.

#### **IOWA SOCIETY**



When the Society held its Annual Meeting in March at the Amanas, Eagle Scout Christopher G. Hubbard of Des Moines was recognized as state winner of the Eagle Scout Competition. Doing the honors was Boy Scout Chairman Warren Nixon.



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#### KENTUCKY SOCIETY



In late March the Louisville-Thruston Chapter presented a framed copy of the Declaration of Independence to Mayor William Bardenwerper and the City Commission of the City of Hurstbourne (Jefferson County). Chapter President Jack J. Early (center foreground) made the presentation. On hand to post the Colors were members of the Chapter's Color Guard.

Highlighting the Patriots' Day Luncheon held by the Louisville-Thruston Chapter was presentation of the Commendation Medal to the following public servants: Detective Yvette Gentry of the City of Louisville Police Department, for exceptional efforts in helping the homebound elderly; Lt. Col. Donald D. Cummins of the City of Louisville Fire Department, for initiating numerous new and diverse educational programs within the department and throughout the community; and Sergeant Nikki Henderson of the Jefferson County Police Department, for coordinating such activities as "Shop With A Cop", graffiti paint-overs and "Adopt-A-School".

#### **MARYLAND SOCIETY**

The featured speaker at the March meeting of the **General William Smallwood Chapter,** Peter Ryan, chose as his topic the role of the militia during the Colonial and



At the end of April the **Thomas Stone Chapter** witnessed installation of new officers by Past Society President James A. McCafferty (center), with Harold R. Cooksey (left) becoming President.
Also participating in the ceremony was Immediate Past President Philip L. Griffith. They are shown holding a replica of the Chapter's Charter, which was presented to Compatriot Cooksey by Compatriot Griffith.

Revolutionary Eras. He explained that the militia system was the government's resolution to the dilemma of needing soldiers ready to fight on short notice, but lacking the resources (taxes) to maintain a significant standing army. The militia provided the first reaction force in case of invasion or insurrection. All men, unless in an excluded category, were automatically in the militia as a part of their duty as citizens. He reminded attendees that the colonial militia supplied their own arms and ammunition, did not elect their officers and typically had no uniforms.

#### MASSACHUSETTS SOCIETY

When the Society gathered for its 111th Annual Meeting at the Harvard Club in Boston, Duane T. Sargisson, a Past Chancellor General, was installed as President. At the time he also had the title of Chairman of the 110th Annual Congress, which was held in Boston in June. He has been active at all levels of our Society for many years. The event's guest speaker was the Rev. Richard H. Maxwell, who for the past three years has been Governor General of the General Society of Mayflower Descendants. He became an SAR in 1995.



The guest speaker for the January meeting of the Cape Cod Chapter was USAF LTC J.C. Hutto (left), Commanding Officer of the 6th Space Warning Squadron located at Cape Air Station. The unit's mission is to identify sea-launched objects and track objects in space. In the foreground were Treasurer Clarence Williams and Registrar Archie Schwarztrauber.

#### MINNESOTA SOCIETY

The Annual George Washington Observance and Dinner was held jointly by the Society and the Sons of the Revolution in Saint Paul. A special guest of honor was Tom Etter, General President of S.R., while the featured speaker for the evening was Duane L.C.M. Galles, a Minnesota Compatriot. A member of numerous heraldry societies, he traced the ancestry of George Washington back to the 1200s and discussed his armorial heritage.

#### MISSISSIPPI SOCIETY

The Hilton Convention Center in Jackson was the setting for the Society's 91st Annual Meeting over a two-day period in March. Newly elected officers, including President Dexter C. Nettles, M.D., were installed by Lee Swart, Vice-President General for the Southern District.

#### **MISSOURI SOCIETY**



An enlightening talk by Harold "Sunny" Wells (left) given at the March meeting of the Independence Patriots Chapter offered an insight into those Civil War veterans buried in the Kansas Ciety area who were awarded the Medal of Honor. Shown presenting him with a Certificate of Appreciation was President Bill Shelby. The author of several books on Missouri military history, Mr. Wells participates in Civil War re-enactments.

#### **NEW HAMPSHIRE SOCIETY**



These New Hampshire Compatriots participated in the annual Patriot's Day Parade in Concord, Massachusetts as part of the New England Contingent of SAR Color Guards and Living History Units (from left): Richard Wright, Hans Jackson, David Getchell and Thomas Kehr.

#### **NEW JERSEY SOCIETY**



These four active members of the Society who are religious leaders attended the

Society's Annual Meeting in April (from left): Louis G. McAfoos, Jr., MD, Associate to the Rector of Grace Episcopal Church, Haddonfield, and currently Society Chaplain; Rt. Rev. Archimandrite Ephraem, Monastery of St. Barbara, Middletown, and Past Society Chaplain; Rev. John H. Case, United Church of Christ at Toms River, Past Society President and currently President of the **Pinelands Chapter**; and Rev. Donald K. Hummel, Rector, St. Bartholomew the Apostle Church at Scotch Plains and Chairman of the Eagle Scout Program.

#### **EMPIRE STATE SOCIETY (NY)**



The Annual George Washington Celebration held by the **Buffalo Chapter** in February featured an address by "Captain" T.S. Thompson (right), a popular Revolutionary War re-enactor. Before being awarded the Bronze Good Citizenship Medal by President John A. Brackett, he spoke of the events leading up to the British evacuation of Boston.



Buffalo Chapter President John A. Brackett (center) joined with Western Hemisphere Vice-President General and Mrs. Ralph D. Nelson in May to attend "Conference 2000" in Ontario, Canada, the National Millennium Celebration staged by the United Empire Loyalists Association of Canada. The guest of honor was Ontario Lt. Governor Hilary M. Weston, while Compatriot Nelson was the featured speaker.

#### **OHIO SOCIETY**



The May Annual Conference of the Society saw incoming President Robert Farling (right) receive the gavel of office from Charles F. Bragg, Vice-President General for the Central District.



When Compatriots and guests gathered for the Society's Annual Conference in May, they heard a talk by Scott Fisher, a member of the Friends of Fort Laurens. He related plans for restoration of the only Revolutionary War fort in the state, which was built in late 1778 on the banks of the Tuscarawas River near what is now Bolivar. General Lachlan McIntosh named the fort in honor of the President of the Continental Congress, Henry Laurens. Approximately one acre in size, the site remained active through August of 1779. Those on duty there were subject to numerous attacks by Indians, Loyalists and British soldiers, resulting in more than 20 Americans being killed and buried a short distance away.



Bob Feller (center), the legendary baseball player of years gone by, was awarded the Silver Good Citizenship Medal during the June meeting of the Western Reserve Society in Cleveland. Making the presentation before a large number of attendees were President Roger Jones (right) and Society President Robert Farling. Mr. Feller was recognized for his notable civic and public service activities, including fund drives for Ohio Easter Seals and the Boys Club of America. He spoke on his experiences when World War II interrupted his baseball career and he joined the U.S. Navy. After the conflict, he returned to baseball and the Cleveland Indians, helping them become world champions.

In January students at the Willow Hill Christian School were surprised to see two men in Continental uniforms stride down the aisle of the auditorium at the conclusion of chapel services for grades 1-6. Samuel Huntington Chapter Compatriots Chuck Rosa and Bob Parvin were there to present the 1999 SAR Flag Award for the school's display and respect of our nation's Flag. The fourth graders, who were responsible for raising and lowering the banner every day, gathered around the men to receive the award. The "old soldiers" then fielded questions eagerly launched from all parts of the auditorium.



At a recent meeting in Maumee the Bill of Rights Chapter recognized three men for outstanding public service, with Compatriot Donald Moyer (second from right) doing the honors. They were (from left): Special Agent Clint Baber, Toldeo Office, FBI, the Law Enforcement Commendation Medal; William O'Connor, retired Toldeo Firefighter, the Fire Safety Commendation Medal; and Eldon Allen of Bradner, the Flag Certificate.

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Walnut Grove Cemetery in Worthington was the site of a May impressive ceremony designed to honor Compatriot Orlando Wesley Aldrich, a Civil War veteran who became the seventh President of the Ohio Society. In addition to being the first President of the Society of the War of 1812 in Ohio, he was active in masonic and Civil War groups. The program, which included the dedication of a new tombstone and various Society markers, was staged by representatives of the SAR, 1812 and Sons of Union Veterans.



Participating in the Memorial Day Parade in Blue Ash were these members of the **Cincinnati Chapter** (from left): Brandon Cordes, Mike Page and Bob French, carrying the banner; and President Ross Amos and John Simmons in front of them.

#### **OREGON SOCIETY**

The **Republic Chapter** continues to have enlightening programs. During a March meeting, Compatriot Forrest Blodgett offered a talk about the United Nations, its history, organization and staffing, status around the world and its various projects. Then in April Dave Pagni gave a slide pre-

sentation on the topic "War in the Balkans." Drafted into the Army in 1968, he eventually was commissioned a second lieutenant in Military Intelligence. His last assignment was as a strategic planner at NATO's Southern Land Forces Headquarters in Verona, Italy.

#### **PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY**



Highlighting the March meeting of the Christopher Gist Chapter at Butler was awarding of the Law Enforcement Commendation Medal to Frederick M. Emigh, Chief of Police, Slippery Rock

Richard L. Ashmun (right) was installed as the Society's President during its 107th Annual Meeting in May at Exton. Performing the ceremony was Society Compatriot Marshall E. Lignian, Vice-President General for the Mid-Atlantic District. A resident of Mount Pleasant, Compatriot Ashmun is a safety inspector with the Pennsylvania Department of Labor & Industry. He formerly served 21 years with the U.S. Navy.

Borough. In this post for ten years, he has been active in a variety of projects, including the Butler Alcohol Counter-measures Program and as an instructor at the Alcohol-Highway Safety School.



When the **Pittsburgh Chapter** held its Annual George Washington's Birthday Brunch in February at the historic Oakmont Country Club, over 60 attendees witnessed presentation of the Chapter's Eagle Scout Award to Michael Flaherty, with President Signey F. Moore doing the honors. The lad went on to capture the top award from the Pennsylvania Society, followed by coming in second at the National Society level.



Prominent among the numerous units that participated in the traditional Radnor Township Memorial Day Parade was the Color Guard fielded by the **Philadelphia-Continental Chapter**.

#### TEXAS SOCIETY



The Cordova Bend Estates Country Club in Granbury was the site of a March meeting of the **Brazos Valley Chapter** that witnessed installation of Kenneth Hendricks (center) as President. Joining in the ceremony were Society Vice President Don Pray (left), who passed along the gavel of office, and outgoing President Charles Allerton.



The Patrick Henry Chapter Color Guard played a prominent part in the Memorial Day Service held at the Texas State Cemetery in Austin. Tribute was especially paid to Patriots Stephen Williams and Robert Rankin, both of whom are buried at the site. Shown at the lectern was the guest speaker for the event, Brian Schenk, Director of Education, Texas Military Force Museum.



Kelly Edgar McAdams, Organizing President of the Captain John McAdams Chapter in 1973, was saluted in April when a memorial marker was unveiled at his grave site in McAdams Cemetery in Walker County. Participating in the event was this large contingent of descendants and Chapter Compatriots.

#### VIRGINIA SOCIETY



At a recent meeting of the Athens Chapter Chaplain Rev. Irvin Shaffer (right) was pleased to receive his 25-Year Membership Pin from President Sam Whitten. The featured speaker was Society President Dick Arnold, who discussed the Battle of Trenton.



The Windmill Point Cemetery in Newport News was the location of a grave marking ceremony for Patriot Captain Thomas Cary, Jr. by the Thomas Nelson Jr. Chapter in April. Participating in the program were several Compatriots and one spouse (from left): Jeffrey R. Brown, President James R. Sample, Gerald L. Runyan, Past President and Master of Ceremony John K. Cabaniss; Mrs. Debbie Mixon, 1st VP William B. Mixon, Jr. and W. Earle Chesson. Responsible for taking this photo was Past President Col. Robert S. Coleman.

#### WISCONSIN SOCIETY

The Sheraton Hotel in the Milwaukee suburb of Brookfield was the setting for the Society's Annual Meeting and Awards Banquet in early May, with President David A. Dean presiding. The guests of honor were Treasurer General and Mrs. Larry D. McClanahan; he served as the principal speaker and installed the newly elected officers. Among the dignitaries present were C.E. Thorp, Vice-President General for the Great Lakes District; A. Bingham Seibold, President of the Illinois Society; and Joe Hill, Past Illinois Society President and the incoming Vice-President General for the District. Among the award recipients was Robert L. Granger, who was presented the Patriot Medal; a Past Chapter President, he has served as Editor of the Society's newsletter for several years.



Enjoying their attendance at the Society's Annual Meeting were Treasurer General and Mrs. Larry D. McClanahan.

Earlier this year two Chapters serving the Milwaukee area were merged to form the Morgan Kosciuszko Chapter, with LTC Thomas Pelham Curtis being named President; he is a Past Society President. The new unit held its first meeting in Brookfield at the end of May. Serving as guest speaker, Past Society President Winston C. Williams traced the history of the Sons of the American Revolution and offered some anecdotes relative to his being Editor of The SAR Magazine.

The April meeting of the Nathaniel Ames Chapter, which was held in Madison, featured an enlightening address by John Benson, State Superintendent of Schools, which described public eduction in Wisconsin, student curricula and the excellent ranking of graduates nationally.



When awards were presented to cadets attending St. John's Northwestern Military Academy at Delafield in May, Past Society President Bruce Walters was pleased to offer the ROTC Medal to Cadet Kevin Whittle. The Society annually recognizes members of every JROTC and ROTC Unit in the state



Robert L. Granger, Editor of the Society's newsletter - the Badger Patriot - often visits schools in the Beloit area to offer youngsters an insight into various aspects of the Revolutionary War. Here he recently visited the fifth grade class at Robinson Elementary School and spoke on the service of his Patriot ancestor, Philip Allen of the Massachusetts Volunteers. Students were especially interested in the musket replica he demonstrated.



This model depicts how the D-Day Memorial will appear when construction is completed over the next several months. One outstanding feature will be the Arnold M. Spielberg Theater, made possible by a gift from his son, filmmaker Steven Spielberg. Its purpose will be to tell the story of D-Day to future generations. Arnold, a World War II veteran, fought on Guam and in the Burma-India Theater

## Memorial Dedicated To D-Day Underway In Virginia

Memorial Day this year was an exciting one for the residents of Bedford, Virginia as well as for thousands of visitors from across the country and Europe, including some SARs.

It was then that a portion of the National D-Day Memorial was unveiled honoring soldiers who died during the invasion of Nazi-held Europe during World War II. The event came nearly 2 1/2 years after the still-unfinished monument's groundbreaking and more years of effort by WWII veterans in bringing the memorial to fruition. The formal dedication is to take place June

Why Bedford? With a population of only 3,200 in 1944, it was the home location for Company A of the 116th Infantry Regiment. Of the 170-soldier company, 91 died, 64 were wounded, and only 15 were able to continue fighting. Of 35 Bedford soldiers, 19 died in the invasion's first 15 minutes, and two more died later in the day. War historians say that 21 deaths from the tiny Town of Bedford were the highest per-capita loss from any single community



Dominating the Memorial is this massive arch with **OVERLORD**, the Allies' operational code name for the Inading, inscribed boldly to become a focal point. Formed of marble from Minnesota, it stands over 44 feet tall.

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in the United States. The 116th was the only National Guard contingent to land in the first wave.

#### Washington Served In 116th Predecessor

The regimental predecessor of the 116th Infantry formed in 1742 in Augusta County, Virginia as a militia unit. In the 1750s Col. George Washington led it against the French and their Indian allies, and under his generalship it participated in the defeat at Yorktown. One of five regiments in the "Stonewall Brigade," it fought tenaciously in the first Battle of Manassas of the Civil War. When General Jackson relinquished command of his brigade, he declared it "the first brigade in



Among the dignitaries present for unveiling of the Memorial were (from left): Dr. J. Tyler Swindle, a member of the Tennessee Society's James Madison Chapter; Mrs. Jean Schulz, widow of the famed 'Peanuts' cartoonist Charles Schulz, who has taken over her husband's role as National Campaign Chairman for the Memorial; and Cdr. William B. Bagbey, USN (Ret), Past President of the Fincastle Resolutions Chapter, VASSAR, and the first Chairman of the Memorial Foundation; he is still a member of the Board.

the Army of the Shenandoah, first brigade in the Army of the Potomac, first brigade in the Second Corps, and first brigade in the hearts of your generals. Your names will be handed down with honor in future history." That prophecy came true in World War I and again when the 116th landed at Normandy.

In 1966 Congress warranted our nation's Memorial to D-Day to be in Bedford. This Memorial Complex will be unique in the sense that not only will a Monument be erected to commemorate D-Day, but in addition, a "living" monument will be constructed in the form of an Education Center and Amphitheater Complex. This Complex will serve as a center to show the important role that D-Day played in history, as well as provide interactive tools and outreach programs to educate future generations of the lessons to be learned from it.

The entire project is directed by The National D-Day Memorial Foundation, which is headquartered in Bedford. Detailed information may be obtained at the organization's web site: <www.dday.org>.



This dramatic sculpture, titled "Across the Beach", vividly expresses the landing on Normandy in 1944.

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# Criteria Clarified For Presenting Fire Safety Medal

The Fire Safety Commendation Award was developed some time back to recognize an individual for accomplishments and/or outstanding contributions in any area of fire safety and service.

Since some SAR promotional materials published in the past have contained incorrect criteria for making this important award, Compatriot William T. Allgood offers the following information (he serves as Chairman of the Fire Safety and Law Enforcement Committee):

#### Who May Award Medal

The Fire Safety Commendation Award may be presented by the National Society, a State Society or a Chapter to an individual and only once. As Chairman Allgood emphasizes, "In the selection process to choose the best recipient, one must use proper interpretation of the criteria.

"An individual understands that in order to advance in his or her profession, additional training, classes, special certification, etc. is required. Putting this knowledge to good use in the performance of their daily responsibilities and their profession, such as serving on different boards or decision-making bodies, is admirable, so a Certificate of Appreciation to recognize these accomplishments would be in order. The Fire Safety Commendation Award was **not** designed for this purpose."

#### Who May Be Considered

Compatriot Allgood offers these examples for consideration of this particular award: (1) A fireman who, in addition to his normal daily duties or responsibilities is instrumental in the formation and implementation of a fire safety program in his community; (2) A fireman who volunteers his own time to teach children or adults safety habits or procedures; (3) A citizen who is instrumental in the raising of funds through public or corporate contributions to purchase smoke detectors or fire extinguishers for donating to the elderly or low-income families; (4) An engineer who designs or invents a new safety device; (5) An educator who volunteers to teach civic groups first aid, CPR, first responder procedures, etc. or assists nursing home administrators to teach residents correct evacuation procedures; (6) A building inspector who on his own initiative was instrumental in having his local government upgrade or amend their laws to protect citizens from fire safety violations in their

"Specialty awards such as Fire Safety, Law Enforcement and Heroism," he declares, "are not designed as 'gold watch' awards and should not be given in lieu of a Certificate of Appreciation or an employers citation. Each was designed and implemented for a specific purpose."



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Miami Chapter. Luncheon meetings at noon the 4th Friday monthly, except July, Aug., Feb., 3rd Friday Nov. & Dec. at the Country Club of Coral Gables, 997 N. Greenway Drive, Coral Gables. Special observances Washington's Birthday, 4th of July, Constitution Week and Veterans Day. Visiting SARs and Ladies welcome. For reservations call John M. Thomson (305)443-5444 (E mail) <thooline welcomes are considered.

Naples Chapter meets at 11:30 a.m. the 2nd Thursday of each month except June - September

at the Club House of the Naples Heritage Golf & Country Club, 8150 Heritage Club Way (off David lvd., west of County Road 951, via I-75, Exit 15) Phone Sec James Applegate, 793-6629.

Palm Beach Chapter meets 3rd Tuesday except Jul., Aug., Sep. at the Sailfish Club, 1338 North Lake Way, Palm Beach, FL, at noon. For info call Raymond Shepley, (561) 833-2640.

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**St. Augustine Chapter.** Lunch meeting, 12 N. 3rd Sat. Sept-May. Info & Res: (904) 285-8145/797-2415

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#### **IDAHO**

Old Fort Boise Chapter-Boise. 12:00 Noon, 4th Monday, monthly except Feb., June, July & August. Sec. Mark A. Buttorff 208/466-3345.

#### ILLINOIS

CHICAGO Ft. Dearborn Chapter, Luncheon Meetings at noon, Union League Club – 3rd Thursdays – Jan, Mar, May, Jul, Sep & Nov. (312) 337-0832.

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#### MISSOURI

Ozark Mountain Chapter, Springfield, Noon, the 3rd Sat. monthly (except AUG), Heritage Cafeteria, 1364 Battlefield, Springfield, MO. Wives & guests welcome. Call Pres. Mel J. McNeal, Springfield, MO 65809: 417/877-9029; MMcNeal@AXS-NET.

Harry S Truman Chapter meets for breakfast at 9:00 AM on the second Saturday of each month at the Sports Complex Holiday Inn at I-70 and Blue Ridge Cutoff. Call 816/229-4402 for information.

**Independence Patriots Chapter,** Independence, meets 9 a.m. 3rd Sat. each month except July & August. Call Pres. Kenneth F. Crabtree: 816-353-3835.

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#### **NEBRASKA**

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#### **NEVADA**

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

#### OHIO

Western Reserve Society, noon luncheon, 2nd Wed., Cleveland Playhouse Club, 8501 Carnegie Ave., Sept through June, except Oct. evening. For info call Roger Jones, (440) 498-0331.

Richard Montgomery Chapter, Dayton, OH, meets 1st Wed. Eve. each month except July and Aug. Dayton Masonic Temple (High Twelve Rm) 7:30 PM. Call Robert Keen (937)254-3449 for info.

#### OREGON

Lewis & Clark Chapter: Meet the first Saturday of each month except July & August at 11:00am. Beaverton Elks Lodge #1987, 3500 SW 104th Ave., Beaverton, OR. Phone 629-8784.

#### **PENNSYLVANIA**

Philadelphia-Continental Chapter. Meetings, luncheons, dinners, and functions monthly except July and August. Tel: George Mohr, Secretary, 131 Freedom Blvd., West Brandywine, PA 19320-1550; Telephone: (610) 380-1690.

#### TENNESSEE

**Memphis, TN Chapter** meets 3rd Tues. each month 7pm. Tel: 901-754-6383.

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# Button Gwinnett Chapter Presents A Rare Franklin Tree To County

The Gwinnett County (Georgia) Justice and Administration Building now boasts a rare Franklin Tree for visitors to view, thanks to an initiative by the local Button Gwinnett Chapter. The tree was planted near the entrance last October by Compatriots who had recently revitalized the Chapter after it had been disbanded some 50

The tree, a Franklinia altamaha, is rich in history dating to before the founding of our country. After being discovered along the Altameda River in Georgia back in 1765-66. it was last seen growing wild in 1790 and since then has been propogated by other seed and cuttings. It is considered one of the world's rarest trees and is known today only as a cultivated plant.

Present for the planting ceremony were over 50 people, including Chapter President Herbert E. Tucker and other officers,



Stationed at the lectern when the ceremony began were Larry Guzy (left), Georgia Society Vice President, and Past President Herbert Braselton.

Georgia Society President Ed Sterrett, members of the Georgia Society Color Guard and a variety of dignitaries. The program also featured the unveiling of a handsome granite marker, a gift to the Chapter and county from James Walters, Director of Eternal Hills Funeral Home and a prospective SAR. He was presented a Certificate of Appreciation, as was Debbie Adams, the County's Building Services Manager who assisted in the project.

Highlights of the impressive program included welcoming remarks by President Tucker, the Invocation by Chaplain James L. West, Sr., presentation of the Colors by the Color Guard, Pledge of Allegiance by Registrar Brett Hart and an address by President Sterett. Treasurer Michael Risko offered details about what he and his Tree Committee had learned as they sought out the Franklin Tree and worked with county officials on a suitable site for the planting.



Compatriot Michael Risko, Chairman of the Tree Committee, addressed attendees about the Franklin Tree which has been extinct in the wild since 1790.



Surrounded by fellow Compatriots, Tree Committee Chairman Michael Risko watered the tree after it was planted.

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

**Trustees Meeting** Louisville, KY, Sept. 29-30, 2000 National Headquarters

Trustees Meeting Louisville, KY, March 2-3, 2001 National Headquarters

111th Annual Congress Louisville, KY, June 30-July 4, 2001 Hyatt Regency Hotel

112th Annual Congress Nashville, TN, June 29-July 3, 2002 Stouffer Renaissance Hotel

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