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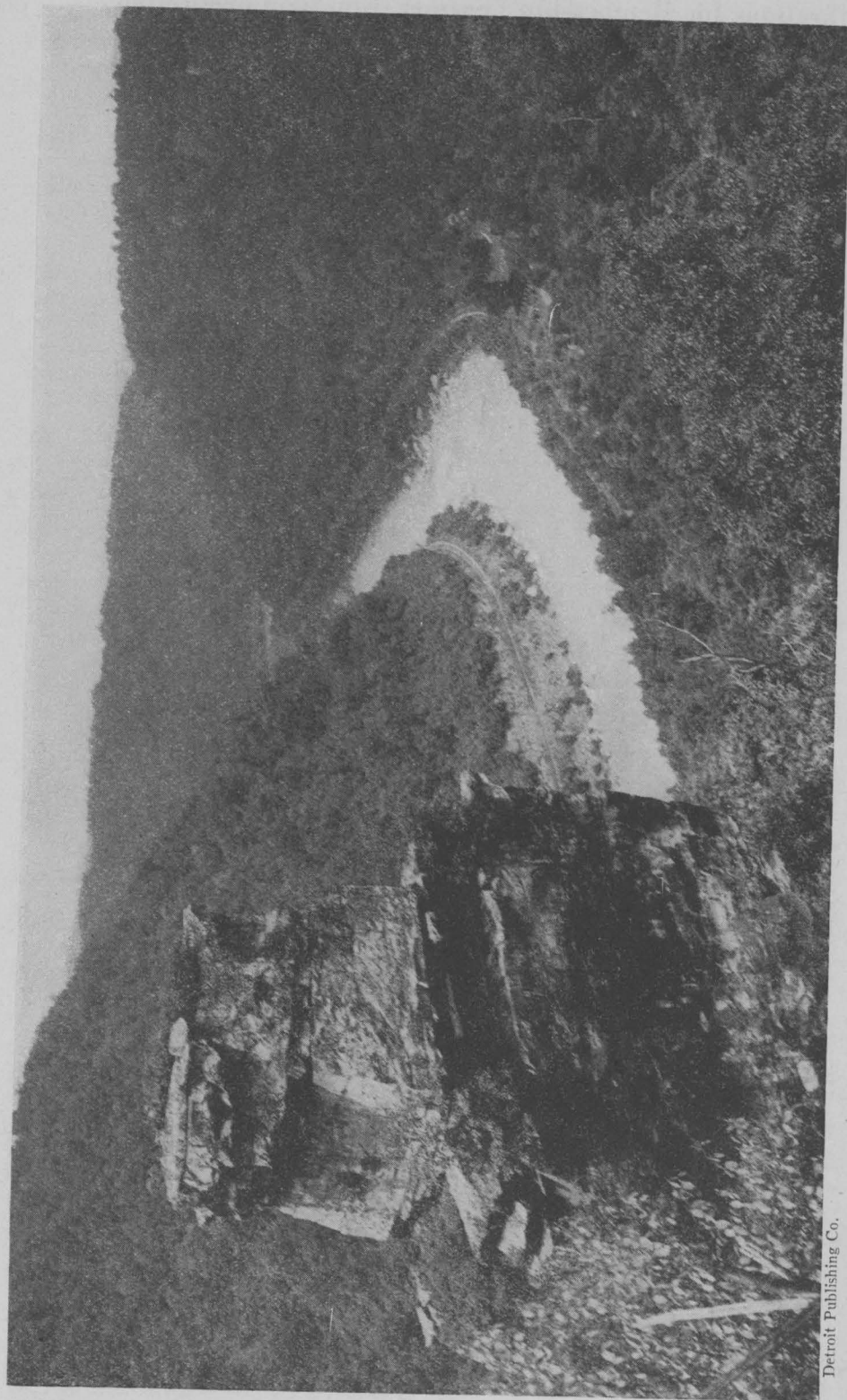
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The President General's Message

● **HOSTS** of sullen and unkempt men and women assembled recently in wind-swept Union Square and then paraded two chilly miles in one of the largest Communist demonstrations ever held in New York City. The purpose of the affair was to "protest" the inauguration of Franklin D. Roosevelt as thirty-second President of the United States. Among the placards displayed were, "President Roosevelt, don't play with death." The seething crowd sang the "Internationale" and shouted through megaphones "We want Hoover—with a rope around his neck." Surely, compatriots, that scene is not pleasant to contemplate. What shall we do about it?

On the morning of the same day a plain American citizen attended a quiet church service in Washington. A few hours later, using the old Dutch Bible of his forefathers, he took the oath as President of the United States. In his dependence upon divine guidance Franklin Delano Roosevelt is a true spiritual successor of George Washington and the long line of Christian gentlemen who have been called to the leadership of our country.

These are days that test the mettle of America. The prophets of ill omen are proclaiming that our political, social and economic structure is breaking down. The President General does not pretend to knowledge of any nostrum or panacea for the evils and ills that surround and perplex us all, but his years of association with the men of this Society make him believe with all his heart that they are men in the highest sense of the word. He believes that they have the strength, intelligence, character, and, above all, the will to do that which is best for their fellows and their country. He is absolutely convinced that a crisis of this sort is but a challenge to the exercise of the fine qualities which the compatriots possess. He believes that they will be sane, cool, and unselfish, in assuming whatever duties or responsibilities may devolve upon them. As long as this country has men as splendid as the Sons of the American Revolution, and women as loyal as those of the sister societies, the President General refuses to be downcast or to look to the future with anything but a sincere belief that it will be better and brighter than the past and present.

Soon the forty-fourth Congress of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution will assemble in Cincinnati. It is altogether fitting that the Congress should open with a church service. Our forefathers never engaged upon any great or important undertaking without first invoking the blessing of Deity. The Congress will be called upon to consider problems of unusual interest to the Society, and it must decide them right.

Among these questions is the future financial program. During the year that is closing the National Society, like so many of its members, has suffered serious loss through bank failure. To continue operation it has been necessary to borrow, but by the application of stern economy has had to borrow less than three-fifths of the amount lost. This money must be repaid as promptly as possible, and the Congress must consider future operation on a reduced income until that debt is paid. It is a problem with which a majority of our members are probably personally familiar. There is no need for apprehension, despair or undue criticism, if only we remember the maxim of Washington, "Harmony, honesty, industry, and frugality, will make us a happy and prosperous people."

In this the last message which he is privileged to send out through the Magazine, the President General wishes to express his personal appreciation of the words of cheer and encouragement that have kept coming all through the year from almost every state. With a heart full of gratitude he wishes each and every compatriot health, happiness, prosperity and opportunities for continued usefulness to the Society.

FREDERICK W. MILLSPAUGH,
President General.

Tentative Program, 44th Annual Congress

Cincinnati, Ohio, May 14-17, 1933

Sunday, May 14th

Registration at Hotel Netherland-Plaza.

5.00 P. M. Annual Church Service at Christ Episcopal Church, Reverend Frank H. Nelson, D. D., Rector. The anniversary sermon will be preached by Reverend George H. Eastman, Chaplain General of the Sons of the American Revolution.

Business sessions of the Executive Committee and Trustees are being arranged to precede and follow the church service, in accordance with custom.

Monday, May 15th

10.00 A. M. Opening session of the Congress at the Netherland-Plaza, with greetings from state and local officials and from representatives of the Sons of the American Revolution and Daughters of the American Revolution and other organizations.

1.30 P. M. Business session of the Congress following a brief recess.

The Committee on Arrangements are making plans for the entertainment of the delegates and their ladies that will be most delightful. There are many interesting and attractive points of interest in and around Cincinnati and the committee will provide the delegates and guests with transportation at various times, suiting personal convenience, instead of arranging for one special sight-seeing trip. Among the attractive places that the delegates will wish to visit are the New Taft Art Museum, to which a special invitation has been received from the officers; the celebrated Rookwood Pottery; the Carew Tower; and the famous Cincinnati Zoological Gardens, and many beautiful suburbs of the city. Arrangements for a drive of this sort will be made for individuals and parties of friends at their option.

8.00 P. M. President General's Reception, Hotel Netherland-Plaza. Following the formal Reception a delightful concert by the famous Orpheus Club featuring a noted soloist will be given for an hour, after which there will be dancing.

Tuesday, May 16th

9.30 A. M. Regular business session of the Congress at the Hotel.

12.30 P. M. Complimentary luncheon to the delegates at the Hotel.

1.30 P. M. Business session resumed.

3.30 P. M. Round Table Conference of State and Chapter Officers.

7.00 P. M. Annual Banquet at Hotel Netherland-Plaza. Most attractive plans are being perfected for this dinner, with some special "surprise" features. It is expected that one or two speakers of nation-wide prominence will be present.

Wednesday, May 17th

9.30 A. M. Final business session of the Congress and annual election of officers.

The Cincinnati Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution has accepted the duty of providing for the entertainment of the ladies who accompany our delegates. It is understood that Mrs. Russell William Magna, President General of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, has accepted the invitation of President General Millspaugh to be present, and many plans for her entertainment are being made by the local members of her Society, and these will be interwoven with those for the ladies of the members of the Sons of the American Revolution.

As in the past, the cooperation of the Daughters of the American Revolution in making our Congresses a social success has always been most cordial and deeply appreciated by our Officers and members.

Invitations to Our Delegates

February 17, 1933.

Hon. George W. Johnson, Secretary
The Ohio Society
Sons of the American Revolution

MY DEAR MR. JOHNSON:

I herewith extend to the Sons of the American Revolution, at their National Congress, to be held in Cincinnati on May 14-17, greetings from the Governor of Kentucky and an urgent invitation to visit this grand old Commonwealth after their sessions there have ended.

The proximity of Cincinnati to Kentucky will make it easy to include Kentucky in their itinerary, and we would welcome them to the Bluegrass State.

I am sure their visit to Kentucky would be pleasant. There is so much to see, and so many places of interest all over the State. With good roads in all directions, they could in a short time visit Mammoth Cave, known the world over; "My Old Kentucky Home," at Bardstown, where Stephen Collins Foster wrote his immortal song of that name; the birthplace of Abraham Lincoln at Hodgenville; the Bluegrass region, with its famous stock farms and where Man O' War and other Monarchs of the Turf may be seen; Churchill Downs at Louisville, home of the famous Kentucky Derby, and many other places of similar charm and appeal.

Kentucky is sincere in desiring these visitors to partake of her traditional hospitality, and I earnestly hope they will accept this invitation.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) RUBY LAFFOON, Governor.

RL/fr

To the Delegates and Guests Attending the 44th Congress:

IT IS hardly necessary for an invitation to be extended to all members of the S. A. R. and their families to attend the National Congress in Cincinnati, in May. You know that a welcome, consistent with the renown hospitality of Cincinnati, "The Gateway To The South," awaits you.

We wonder if you know that May is the time of the year that this section of the country is a veritable flower garden, little short of the famed garden of Eden, and those who are planning to attend the Congress should cer-

tainly extend their visit long enough to tour this section, not only visiting the points of historical interest, but especially taking the opportunity to see Kentucky in her gala spring attire. The following points of interest are easily within a day's journey from Cincinnati: The Blue Lick Battle Ground, Bryant's Station, the scene of one of the last battles of the Revolutionary War, the Old Stockade at Harrodsburg, the Site of the first White Settlement West of the Alleghenies, birthplace of Abraham Lincoln, Mammoth Cave, Shaker Town on the Kentucky River, Palisades of the Kentucky River and last, but not least, the beautiful Blue Grass section of Kentucky with its handsome estates, thoroughbred horses, and beautiful women.

Our Compatriots of central Kentucky will be greatly disappointed if you do not accept their invitation to visit with them while you are here. Already an invitation has been extended by the Governor of Kentucky, the Kentucky Progress Commission, the Kentucky Society S. A. R. and the Kentucky Chapter S. R.

We are setting forth these attractions at this time so that none of you may have regrets over not coming or because you have left some members of your families at home. We have made some mention of your entertainment while in Cincinnati in the program printed in this magazine, and you are probably aware of the fact that we shall exert ourselves to the fullest extent to see that every minute of your time while in our city will be taken either in business sessions or in some form of entertainment to your liking. We hope this will be the largest attended Congress in the history of the Society.

GEO. W. JOHNSON,

Secretary, Cincinnati Chapter, S. A. R.

IT IS SAID that many Cincinnatians and even more Ohioans are not aware that the city of Cincinnati was named in honor of the Society of the Cincinnati by General Arthur St. Clair, the first Territorial Governor of what is now Ohio, and an original member of the Society of the Cincinnati.

This information comes to us from Compatriot John P. Hyatt of the Delaware Society who writes:

"At the Triennial Convention of the General Society of the Cincinnati, at Baltimore, in 1914, Judge Wade Cushing, of Cincinnati, a delegate from the Massachusetts Society, tried

hard to have the ensuing Triennial (1917) held at the Society's namesake, but in vain. It was the opinion that the Society would never meet outside of the thirteen original States; and it probably never will. The minutes of that session (1914) record that Judge Cushing made an address in which he said his grandfather—probably greatgrandfather—went with Governor Arthur St. Clair and others to the then Territory Northwest of the Ohio, where a number of the Massachusetts Cincinnati settled on lands given them by Congress for their Revolutionary services. Subsequently, when these patriots—this was all after the War—

desired to form a State Society of the Cincinnati there, the Massachusetts Society objected, as not being contemplated by the original Institution, and also opposed any division of its Permanent Fund for such purpose. Consequently, nothing came of it.

The Judge went on to say that there are now several members of the Cincinnati residents of that city. It was named, he explained, in 1788, by Governor Arthur St. Clair, then President of the Pennsylvania State Society of the Cincinnati, in honor of the organization. At that time, it was but a hamlet of log houses and was known as Losantiville."

Let's Go! Annual Congress—Cincinnati, Ohio May 14-17, 1933

TO THE MEMBERS:

Your Transportation Committee has arranged what is believed to be the most attractive itinerary possible for the members located in various parts of the country, en route to the Annual Congress to be held in Cincinnati, May 14-17. Care has been taken in selecting recognized routes of travel via which reduced round-trip fares will apply.

The following schedule has been arranged for the delegates and members from New England and other Eastern States traveling through or from Washington, D. C., where a stop-over may be enjoyed, including an opportunity to visit the National Headquarters:

Special Pullman cars will leave Washington on Chesapeake and Ohio Train No. 3, Friday, May 12th, at 11:45 P. M. and stop-over at Charlottesville, Virginia, Saturday, May 13th, for breakfast and luncheon and visits (by special motor trip) to Monticello, home of Thomas Jefferson, Ash Lawn, home of James Monroe, and the beautiful University buildings designed by Jefferson. Leave Charlottesville via Chesapeake and Ohio 2:35 P. M., for daylight trip through the famous Valley of Virginia and the Blue Ridge and Alleghany Mountains. Stop at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., America's most famous resort, at 6:45 P. M. for dinner. Leave White Sulphur Springs 12:20 midnight, and arrive Cincinnati 8:45 A. M., Sunday, May 14th.

Those who cannot avail themselves of the visit to Charlottesville and other points of

historic interest may leave Pennsylvania Station, New York, Saturday, May 13th, 12:30 P. M., arriving Washington 5:00 P. M., leave Washington on Chesapeake and Ohio train "The George Washington" at 6:01 P. M., arriving Cincinnati 8:45 A. M., Sunday, May 14th.

The members located in the northern and western sections of New York and Pennsylvania may select the New York Central or Pennsylvania Railroad, as may best suit their convenience, for continuous passage to Cincinnati.

Those located west of Chicago and St. Louis should reach those cities in sufficient time May 13th to leave Chicago via the Big Four Route 11:40 P. M., St. Louis, 10:20 P. M., arriving Cincinnati 7:55 A. M., May 14th.

Members located in the vicinity of New Orleans and the Mississippi Valley district may use the Louisville and Nashville "Pan American Limited," leaving New Orleans 8:20 P. M., May 12th, so as to connect with the President-General's train scheduled to leave Nashville, Tenn., at 12:19 P. M., and arriving Cincinnati 9:20 P. M., Saturday, May 13th.

For delegates from the Southeastern States (Jacksonville, Fla., and north) Pullman accommodations will be provided leaving Richmond, Va., via the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, at 5:30 P. M. or 11:30 P. M., Friday, May 12th, for Charlottesville, where sleepers will be parked with the sleepers occupied by the eastern delegation. This arrangement will permit consolidation of the southern and east-

ern delegations at Charlottesville for movement to Cincinnati.

You will note that schedules as outlined make possible the entire representation reaching Cincinnati sufficiently in advance of the program starting Sunday, May 14th. *Make your reservations early!*

Further information will be gladly furnished if desired.

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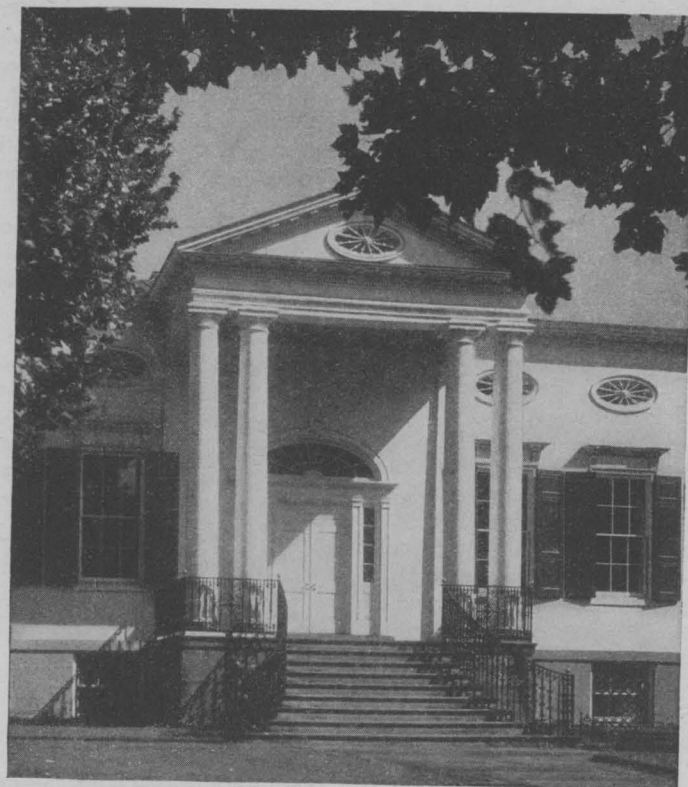
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Railroad Certificates, providing for a fare and a half rates, should be requested when going tickets are purchased. These should be requested by all who buy tickets for Cincinnati from May 11 to May 14. The return ticket may then be purchased for one-half fare. Request the certificate whether you expect to return on the date specified or not, as your certificate will count in the total required to obtain the reduced fare.



THE TAFT MEMORIAL MUSEUM, CINCINNATI

Suggestions and Comments

THE OFFICERS of the National Society desire to express their deep appreciation of the prompt and loyal response to the request for financial assistance which has come from many sources—individuals, chapters and state societies—in the hour of greatest need. Gifts outright, temporary loans and advance of dues have materially helped the situation and the loyalty shown has greatly heartened the executives of the Society, in this most unprecedented and difficult experience.

CREDENTIAL blanks for the 44th Congress will be issued to state secretaries from National Headquarters on or about April 10. State officers are reminded that a duplicate of their list of delegates is due at the office of the Secretary General, *prior* to the Congress, and should be sent as soon as it is possible to do so.

In order that printing and postage expenses may be fully conserved, it will be appreciated if state secretaries, upon reading this notice, send to the Secretary General the *exact number of credential blanks* which will be required.

Credentials to National Officers, including National Trustees, are sent directly to these officers from Headquarters in Washington, and state officers need not supply such officers from the blanks which they receive.

FURTHER reminder is made that the names of National Trustees nominated by the state societies to be elected at the next Congress should be sent the Secretary General at least thirty days prior to the Congress. National Trustees do not assume office until *after* their confirmation by the Congress following their nomination by their state societies, and an error may occur if the name is not submitted to the Secretary General beforehand.

"AMERICAN'S CREED DAY," April 3, the anniversary of the acceptance of the American's Creed by the United States Government, is recommended for observance by all patriotic bodies.

As American's Creed Day falls on Monday this year, it is hoped that churches add to their regular services on the previous day pa-

triotic features including the American's Creed, and sermons based on its principles.

It is also suggested that copies of the Creed be sent from friend to friend with the request of reconsecration to its principles.

ARMY DAY, April 6, is annually recommended to our local societies and chapters for observance. A general display of flags in all communities should be secured without fail.

"RECENTLY the night was very dark and cold, the country road was being traversed by us for the first time and all was strange. It became obvious we had better find a lodging for the night as we were many miles from a city. We stopped before a very old tavern and quite unknown to us. I went through the door, out of the darkness into the light, ready for my intuition to be my guide as to its suitability. Directly in front of me, over the desk, I saw a framed certificate of membership in the New Hampshire Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. I was at once sure of the Inn, of the reception and of the service; indeed, I was 'at home away from home'—and it turned out as I expected." Quoted from *The Maine Minute Man*.

IMPRESSIVE dedicatory ceremonies were held at Kenmore, Fredericksburg, Virginia, on Washington's Birthday upon the occasion of the presentation by the State of West Virginia of a Memorial Tablet to George Washington and his Mother. A sacred service and prayers for America were conducted by the Right Reverend Bishop of West Virginia, William L. Gravatt and the Right Reverend Bishop Tucker of Virginia, in the old St. George Church of Fredericksburg. This was followed by a luncheon at Kenmore tendered by the Kenmore Association to the Governors of West Virginia and Virginia and the official party, after which Governor William G. Conley made the presentation dedicatory address.

Representatives of the National Society and of the state societies of the District of Columbia, Virginia and West Virginia were invited guests.

HON. HAROLD L. ICKES, newly appointed Secretary of the Interior, in President Roosevelt's Cabinet, is a Compatriot of the Illinois Society.

HON. WALTER BURGESS BEALS, Vice-President General for the Pacific Coast District, and distant kinsman to President General Millspaugh, was elevated to the Chief Justiceship of the Supreme Court of the State of Washington since January 1. Judge Beals has been Associate Justice of this Court for several years.

The newly elected Governor of Wyoming, Hon. Leslie A. Miller, has been the Secretary of our Wyoming Society S. A. R. for the past two years.

Honors to our compatriots of the S. A. R. always reflect credit on our Society as a whole, and our congratulations are extended to these members.

Group Meetings of the American Coalition

THE meetings of the various representatives of the Patriotic Societies allied with the American Coalition have continued during the winter with most outstanding success.

These meetings have been held regularly twice a month, usually on Wednesday morning, at National Headquarters, and have been attended by forty or fifty men and women who are ardently and patriotically endeavoring to strive for what they consider the best interests of our country. At each meeting an allotted time is given to some particular speaker but the success of these meetings is in the discussions that follow and they are not merely an expression of ideas of the members of the Coalition but practical suggestions of how to meet certain objectionable legislation and what is most important to assist in having enacted legislation that is needed to carry out the idea of the patriotic organizations. The results achieved have been more than could have been expected, considering the rather chaotic conditions that have arisen during this past session of Congress.

The Secretary General has had the pleasure

of presiding over these meetings and has taken great satisfaction at the apparent enthusiasm of those attending them.

A Flag Anniversary

JUST a century and a half ago (early February) the American flag, with its thirteen rebellious stripes and constellation of stars in a blue field, was for the first time seen by Englishmen at home. On February 6, 1783, the *Bedford*, Captain Moores, out of Boston with whale oil, dropped anchor in the Thames while England and the United States were still technically at war with each other and while British and American envoys were still wrangling in Paris over the terms of Revolutionary peace. And at her masthead, to the astonishment and doubtless dismay of many Londoners, flew a "very strange rebel flag," the lineal antecedent of the Old Glory of today.

For days the *Bedford* was the talk of the town, and, although feeling between the United States and England still ran high, it is instructive to note that the public prints of London in recording the event had recourse only to a sarcasm which in an age of high-power propaganda would seem strangely mild, "There is a vessel in the harbor," wrote "The Chronicle," "with a very strange flag. Thirteen is a number peculiar to rebels. A party of prisoners lately returned from Jersey say that rations among the rebels are thirteen dried clams a day. Sachem Schuyler has a top-knot of thirteen stiff hairs which erect themselves on the top of his head when he gets mad. It takes thirteen Congress paper dollars to equal one shilling sterling, and Mrs. Washington has a tomcat with thirteen yellow rings around its tail." Perhaps the Londoners of 1783 admired the nerve and seamanship of Captain Moores. Probably they had a good deal of sympathy with "rebels" of their own blood and stock. In any event, the anniversary is of significance as being the first time Englishmen on English soil viewed a flag which later was to be entwined with their own in more than one common cause as a symbol of a constant friendship between two nations.—From the New York *Herald Tribune*, Feb. 4, 1933.



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(JOHN) CALVIN COOLIDGE

Born in Plymouth, Vermont, July 4, 1872. Died in Northampton, Mass., January 5, 1933. Son of John C. Coolidge and Victoria Josephine Moor; Grand Son of Calvin Galusha Coolidge and Sarah A. Brewer; Great Grand Son of Calvin Coolidge and Sarah Thompson; Great Great Grand Son of John Coolidge and Hannah Priest.

John Coolidge was born in 1756 and died in Plymouth, Vermont, on March 23, 1822. He was a private in Capt. Artemas How's Company; in Capt. Robert Longley's Company, Col. Asa Whitcomb's Regiment. At camp in Cambridge June 19, 1775; at Battle of Bunker Hill where he lost his coat. Also on muster-roll August 1, 1775; at Prospect Hill September, 1775. Private in Capt. Andrew Haskell's Company, Col. Thomas Marshall's Regiment, June 8 to August 1, 1776; Private in Capt. Seth Newton's Company, Col. Abijah Stearns' Regiment, April 1 to July 2, 1778, guarding prisoners at Roxbury.

(John) Calvin Coolidge received preliminary education in ungraded school at Plymouth and at Black River Academy at Ludlow and St. Johnsbury Academy. Was graduated at Amherst College in 1895. In senior year won gold medal in national competition for best essay on causes of the Revolutionary War. Married Grace A. Goodhue of Burlington, Vermont, October 4, 1905. Member Massachusetts House of Representatives, 1907-8. Mayor of Northampton, 1910-11. Member Massachusetts State Senate, 1912-15; President of the Senate in 1914 and 1915. Lieutenant Governor of Massachusetts, 1916-18. Governor of Massachusetts, 1919 and 1920. Elected Vice President of the United States in November, 1920. While Vice President of the United States Mr. Coolidge was the guest of the Massachusetts Society S. A. R. at the banquet following its annual meeting on April 19, 1923. He was elected an Honorary Life Member of the Massachusetts Society S. A. R. on February 11, 1921. Became President of the United States August 3, 1923, upon the death of Warren G. Harding. Elected President of the United States in November, 1924.

Calvin Coolidge—1872-1933

EARLY in January our nation and the entire world was greatly shocked and deeply saddened by the death of former President of the United States, Calvin Coolidge.

How great the shock, and how truly sincere the sorrow felt and expressed has been only too evident by the tributes paid by the press of the world, the friends and acquaintances of public and private life, and even by strangers and those who might be classed as political foes—we do not say enemies, for it is probably not too much to say that Calvin Coolidge, of all men who had risen to pre-eminent position in this country, was more highly regarded and more wholly respected by those who opposed him in judgment and politics than any other individual of recent times.

As an honored Compatriot of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, our Society desires to pay its tribute of love and respect and profound grief at his passing.

It would be superfluous to try to add anything by way of verbal expression to the thousands that have already in eloquent language appeared, and no effort of this sort is being made, but it is felt that our readers will be interested in the following essay which we are proud to publish in *THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION MAGAZINE*. For this essay (John) Calvin Coolidge, while a student at Amherst College, in 1895 was awarded a prize gold medal by the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, given for the best essay on the causes of the American Revolution, and so far as the Editor is aware has never heretofore been published, although the incident has been frequently referred to in many of the accounts of Mr. Coolidge's career. Through the courtesy of Mr. Harry Ross, Secretary to Mr. Coolidge, a copy has been furnished for this purpose.—F. B. S.

The Principles Fought for in the American Revolution

By Calvin Coolidge

WHEN History looks beyond the immediate cause of the American Revolution for the justifying principles, it is very soon brought back to the spirit of English liberty. It is the same genius for freedom that has led the race from the primeval forests of Germany to the Thirteenth Amendment of the Constitution.

Such an honorable antiquity of political ideas has made the race very conservative of self-government. The idea is prehistoric. It is the descendants of those very freemen described by Tacitus who not only dictated the policy of Edward the Confessor, but extorted the Great Charter of human rights from King John in the Thirteenth Century. And during the next four hundred years, too, this spirit was not dormant, but came to the surface on three great occasions—the conformation of Magna Charta by Edward I, the Petition of Right to Charles I, and the Glorious Revolution that drove James II from his throne. Although it is characteristic of Englishmen to have great love for a king so

long as he respects the liberties of the people, yet the fact that they drove out one king, rebelled against two, and executed three, shows clearly enough that there was always a strong idea of the divine right of the people as well as of kings. Precedents, then, are by no means wanting among Englishmen for the successful resistance of arbitrary despotism whenever it encroached upon their liberties.

Another fact that must be noted is the character of the Colonists and especially those of Massachusetts. These were the Puritans who had fought the wars of liberty in England. Then, because they were not satisfied with Church ordinances, they were driven by Archbishop Laud to seek religious freedom across the sea. Of all the race they were the most tenacious of their rights and the most jealous of their liberties. The American Revolution was not, then, any struggle for emancipation from slavery; and the Colonists were free men. Nor was it at first so much for gaining new liberties as preserving the old. Nor can it, as is often thought, be called a war between dif-

ferent nations. Both sides were Englishmen who gloried in the name of England. William and Mary, had, moreover, given the Colonists a full share of the rights of British subjects. Another fact showing the same thing, is that almost the ablest advocates of the colonial cause were members of the British House of Parliament, while the most ardent adherents of the King were Colonists.

The real object of resistance was to gain security from Parliamentary encroachments. This was the chief cause for which the Revolutionists contended but by no means all they obtained. The war was finally fought out on principles as far reaching as the history of nations. It was a struggle for the retention of those great institutions that check oppression and violence. The Colonists were contending for the principle of a representative government of chartered rights and constitutional liberties. They were defending themselves against the military despotism of George III, and struggling to change the foundation of government from force to equality.

The defense of the principles set forth above involve scarcely anything more than a narration of the leading events that culminated in the Declaration of Independence. It has been said that the separation of America from the mother country was the logical outcome of the French and Indian war. However this may be it is quite certain that the condition of England at the close of this war forced a new colonial policy that would not have been thought of before 1763, and could not be executed after that date. For, instead of wanting new taxes and new restrictions upon their commerce, the Colonies were already breaking away from the old restrictions by their systematic evasion of the Navigation Acts. These laws of trade were merely commercial regulations and not at all for revenue. But because the colonies were no longer trading stations in their relations to the central government they resisted even these restrictions.

Instead, however, of noting these tendencies, Granville made a leading part of his scheme of government the passage of laws for raising revenue in America. He proposed to enforce the Trade Laws which meant that the interests of a few merchants in England were to be considered before the welfare of the King's subjects in America; he proposed to quarter soldiers here, nominally for the purpose of defending the colonies, which meant

force and a military despotism; he proposed to raise a tax on the authority of the English Parliament, which meant the disfranchisement of three million British subjects and the surrender of all those rights laid down in Magna Charta.

The means Granville adopted for raising this tax was the notorious Stamp Act. This, however, met with so much disapproval that it was soon repealed, but at the same time Parliament passed the Dependency Act which declared that the repeal did not include the principle involved. This was followed by Townsend's Revenue Act, laying duties on imports. Again, the colonies protested, and the Ministry attempted coercion. This measure was too expensive, so once more all revenue taxes were repealed, except the one on tea, which was left to maintain the principle. During an interval of some four years that followed, from 1770 to 1774, there were several acts of violence on the part of the Colonists in their resistance to these imposts, including the Boston Massacre, the burning of the Gaspee, and the Boston Tea Party. Again Great Britain had recourse to acts of coercion. First, it closed the port of Boston, thus destroying the property of thousands. Second, it declared void certain parts of the Charter of Massachusetts, following a policy begun in New York in 1767, and so it virtually attempted to annihilate the protection of chartered rights and chartered liberties that has always been so dear to Englishmen. Free government was destroyed, too, in another way. Judges, courts, sheriffs, were made almost the puppets of the King. They were placed in his direct pay and made subject to his pleasure. Town Meetings were forbidden and thus the old familiar forms of self-government were entirely swept away. The Governor was made as absolute as a despot and the form of government that was thus thrust upon Massachusetts was a despotism such as Englishmen would not have endured, even in the days of Henry VIII. Third, the British Government sent nearly all criminals to England for trial. Fourth, soldiers were quartered upon the inhabitants, so that a military government was set up in the Colonies. Fifth, Parliament passed the so-called Quebec Act to separate the French from any bond of sympathy with the Colonies. The Governor stood over them like a viceroy. In his command was the army. If a soldier should murder a citizen, he was sent to England for trial. If a citizen should

become a criminal he too might be sent across the sea, in order that in both cases the government might have all the advantage. It was a military despotism. There were no popular meetings, no criminal courts, no habeas corpus, no freedom of the press. The question was no longer one of taxes, that was a mere figment now. Though the injustice of taxation without representation made a good war-cry, it is, in the last analysis a dangerous principle. But it is easy to grasp and the common people no doubt fought the war largely on that issue. The fact is, it is a duty to the state to pay taxes, and it is equally a duty to vote. It does not follow that because the state requires one duty it shall require the second. But there is another side where the requirement of the state runs over into tyranny. Only on this ground can resistance to taxation be justified. So long as the Colonies were a part of the state of Great Britain, and they were so by their charters and by the action of William and Mary, that state had the right to demand not only their property but their service in the army, and in the last extremity their lives. It cannot be, then, that the American Revolution was fought that Colonists might escape paying taxes. The great struggle that they passed through must make such a duty seem insignificant. The real principle was not one of the right of the state or the duty of citizens, it was a question of government, a question of form and method.

It is this that is meant above, in the statement that the struggle was not between nations, or for new principles. It was not so much a revolution, a propagation of new ideas, as the maintenance of the old forms of a representative government of chartered rights and constitutional liberty. England had fought for this in 1688 and imagined it was secured. But it was not only so in name. George III was by nature a despot; at heart he was another Stuart. He had the Parliament almost completely under his control in its legislation upon English questions, but in regard to the King's Colonies his will was supreme. He forced a policy of government upon America that he could not and dared not force upon England, though his disposition was strong enough. Were the descendants of Cromwell's Puritans going back to submit to a Stuart régime? That is what is meant when we hear that America fought at once the battle of freedom in the Colonies and in England. That is what England's great statesman meant

when he declared on the floor of Parliament that he rejoiced in the resistance of the Colonies. The Earl of Chatham knew that the government of George III, in whose ears was ringing the admonition of his mother "to be King", was undermining the constitution of Great Britain, and bringing the state back to the forms of monarchy that had existed in the times of the Stuarts and the Tudors.

But if the leading principle was the preservation of English constitutional government from the encroachments of King and Parliament, there is another principle as far reaching as the development of the state in government. Sovereignty is always finally vested in the people. It may need a theocracy to lead a people out of barbarism, this may develop into a despotism with the power divided between Kings and Bishops, but a struggle is sure to come and the people will gather about the King to make him a monarch like Louis XIV, who really was an objective realization of the state. This too will be but temporary; the people will realize more and more that the sovereignty is with them and will finally resist it. England had asserted it against the Stuarts, but George the Third forgot it, and it took the loss of the Colonies by the American Revolution to remind him of it. If the King could have accommodated himself to the existing state of affairs for America as he managed to do for England, there would have been the limited constitutional monarchy that Great Britain finally reached in 1832. But this was impossible, and so the colonies were driven to assert by war what the Commons of England partially gained by legislation sixty years later. There was further gained in the United States, a recognition that quality, not quantity, is the basis of the peerage of man and accordingly all men were declared free and equal.

Still there is another factor that must have eventually led to separation. The great land of America had a part to play in the history of the world that could best be performed by making it an independent nation. England's great work was to plant colonies. America could not aid in that work. It was her place to found a great nation on this side of the Atlantic and bring out the conception of free government. And when this was done, then America stretched out her hand over the sea to aid the oppressed of Europe, to furnish them a place of refuge, and as soon as they could assume the duties, make them citizens, not alone of our United States but of the world.

The American Dream

By Margaret Rowland *

I am an American! Are these mere words to you devoid of any spiritual significance or are they charged with a power that quickens your pulse and thrills your soul?

To be an American is not an accident of birth; it is a thing of spirit, of illumination. The American citizen is permitted to become what he wills, be he but one generation from the soil of Europe, or be he a proud son of the American Revolution. He follows the gleam that leads him: it may be the light of the stars of idealism, it may be the electric glow of fame or ambition, it may be the yellow flame of a tallow dip that leads to the miser's treasure house; but being an American, whatever the impelling motive, he finds the way is open to his ultimate desire.

Whence came this tradition of freedom that is inculcated in the soul of every true American? Whence came this pure ideal of Democracy that is the foundation of the very structure of American citizenship?

From our Pioneer founders we have inherited a firmness of mind, an unimpeachable character, permeated with the iron courage and spirit of independence ever present in American frontier life. It was that spirit of independence, that longing for the freedom to express an ideal, that caused them to forsake the security of home and friends, to cross a dreaded ocean, and hew for themselves new homes out of the forests of a hostile country.

We know that the War of Independence was not won without sacrifice and sorrow. Untrained soldiers fighting as none had fought before, fighting for an ideal. No people could undergo that period of grim, miserable resolution to do or die, without learning the power of honest zeal for freedom. Victory gave added strength to their determination to achieve a richer and fuller life for all people.

Pressing ever Westward, they absorbed first the rich prairies, then the grazing lands of the foothills of the Rockies, the mineral resources of the mountains themselves, and lastly the fertile valleys of the Pacific Coast. They filled this huge and empty land with homes, railways, schools, hospitals, and all the comforts of the most advanced material civilization. Supplied at each important stage of advance with new implements of science which hastened their

pace; lured by such rewards for haste and industry as were never offered to man before; keyed to activity by a climate that makes expenditure of nervous energy almost a bodily necessity, in a single century they swept to the summit of modern attainment in commercial and scientific achievement.

And so in the 18th century they had established for us a civilization with stability of material and spiritual values. We felt that the American ideal was realized. Then we began our scramble for the untold wealth which lay at the foot of the Rainbow. But if we hastened after the pot of gold, we also saw the Rainbow itself, and felt that it promised, as of old, a hope for mankind.

Then the dream was threatened. The idealism that had rapidly been making progress under Roosevelt and under Wilson in his first term had largely disappeared. A certain recklessness had taken its place. We had been urged to place our destinies in the hands of pseudo realists, hard-headed business men who would stand no nonsense about moral issues, of which they told us we had had enough. We surrendered idealism for the sake of prosperity, and in the crash of 1929 the practical men bankrupted us in both of them. We had forgotten that it is impractical to be only practical. "Without a vision the people perish."

This nation cannot exist on its glorious past. It must have a glorious present, or it will have a desolate future. The present is yours and mine! What are we going to do with it?

We must not leave the responsibility to the wise paternalism of politicians or to the infinite wisdom of business leaders. We, as multitudinous individuals, must develop some greatness in our individual souls. Just so long as we are ourselves content with the mere multiplying of our material possessions, it is absurd to think that men who can utilize such a public attitude for the gaining of unlimited wealth and power for themselves will abandon any material expedients to become spiritual leaders of a Democracy that despises spiritual things. The nation has been deeply stirred, stirred by a solemn passion; stirred by the knowledge of wrong, of ideals lost, of government too often debauched and made an instrument of evil.

The world looks to us in hope! Are we going to lie supinely on our backs and allow ourselves to be the tools of politicians who use an indifferent citizenry for their own selfish ends? Or are we going to accept the challenge? We must revitalize our American dream. We

* Winner of First Prize in Oratorical Contest, Seattle, Wash. See page 335.

must make up our minds to square every process of our national life again with the standard we so proudly set up at the beginning. We must restore to our institutions our original

ideal which was the very soul of our political and social structure.

Americans, we are the hope of the world! We must not fail!

Advertising in the Colonies

THE advertising of America in colonial times was inseparable from the great work of establishing permanent settlements in the New World. Most of the English colonies were founded by merchants or by the landlords of great proprietary estates who expected to make money on their holdings of American land. To reap these profits the promoters had to find settlers. To find settlers they resorted to advertising, and employed not a few of the devices of national advertisers and real-estate boomers in later times.

The technique of advertising was of course in its infancy but some of the methods used were surprisingly modern. Newspapers, once they developed, were widely employed, especially in a campaign of publicity to launch that notable philanthropy of the eighteenth century, the colony of Georgia, whose two hundredth anniversary is celebrated this year. Maps were engraved not only for scientific purposes but also for use as advertisements. Poets sang the praises now of Virginia, now of Georgia, sometimes from unselfish enthusiasm, sometimes it appears for a fee.

Usually the advertisements took the form of pamphlets. The number of tracts is extraordinarily large and they make an important part of all the great collections of Americana, such as the William L. Clements Library in Ann Arbor. The first English book on an English colony, Hariot's account of Virginia

(1588), was a prospectus and set the type of such publicity for many years thereafter.

Some of the prospectuses were sober, straightforward accounts of the colony and its advantages, written by men who had actually been in America. Many however were compiled by hack-writers whose imagination was not restrained by any first-hand knowledge. In these appeared highly colored exaggerations of the facts: accounts of a delicious climate, of treasures of precious metals and marvels of tropical agriculture. Gold, silver, tea, coffee, pineapples, silk, wines, and spices, were listed among the ordinary products of North America. Such writers described their colonies as "New Edens," compared them to Paradise itself. To float a stock speculation in 1720, a promoter invented the alluring name of the "Golden Islands" for the sea-islands of the Georgia coast; and the hotel proprietors in 1933 have revived that name for a new millionaires' playground.

The best advertised colony was Pennsylvania, and partly for that reason in the eighteenth century Pennsylvania attracted more settlers than any other, from Europe as well as Great Britain. Some fifty or sixty books or pamphlets were printed in English, Dutch, German, and French to extol its attractions. William Penn thus takes rank among the founders of modern advertising.

(Briefly summarized from an address by Professor Vernon W. Crane given before Washtenaw Chapter, Ann Arbor, recently.)

The S. A. R. MAGAZINE for July, 1932, will be greatly appreciated at National Headquarters if compatriots having copies to spare will send these to the Secretary General.

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Should Soviet Russia be Recognized by the United States?

THIS issue of the S. A. R. MAGAZINE should reach you about April 1st. If the question of recognition by the Government of the United States of the Government of Soviet Russia has not been settled by that time, each compatriot is urged to detach this page, sign the petition printed on the reverse side and mail it *immediately* to the Committee of Correspondence and Safety as above.

The National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution is on record by resolutions adopted at its last and preceding Congresses as unalterably opposed to recognition of the Soviet Government "so long as that government continues its disregard of principles of international decency and courtesy by promoting or countenancing revolutionary propaganda against the governments of other nations," etc. (See page 32 of the July issue of the S. A. R. Magazine).

To secure the cumulative effect of mass action, the petition printed herewith is one prepared by another organization and presented to a number of groups for signatures.

There is a concerted movement to secure recognition. Numerous petitions have been circulated by such organizations as the Friends of the Soviet Union and The Fellowship of Reconciliation. Most of these petitions favoring recognition of the Soviet Government claim that it will promote world peace and be of mutual economic advantage.

Soviet Russia has the largest armed force of any country in the world. It forces military training upon its women and children as well as its men. Its avowed purpose is world revolution. The writer fails to see how recognition of such a government can promote world peace.

The claim that recognition will be of mutual economic advantage is answered negatively in the paragraphs of the petition on the next page. To these we would add the words of the late President Coolidge, "I do not propose

to barter away for the privileges of trade any of the cherished rights of humanity; I do not propose to make merchandise of any fundamental principle."

Many of the proponents of recognition try to cloud the issue by the claim that we have no right to refuse recognition because we object to the form of government Russia has adopted. This is not a basis for our objection. What Soviet Russia does at home is no concern of ours. Our opposition to recognition is based on much more substantial grounds.

Former Secretary of State, Bainbridge Colby, has recently declared, according to the press of March 2nd, that nothing has happened to justify a change in policy since he officially stated the American attitude in refusing to recognize Soviet Russia. He says, "Our refusal was predicated upon the fact that Russia was an enemy State. Despite denials and the concealments and disguises employed by as subtle a propaganda as the world has ever seen, this enmity continues to be the foundation of the Soviet foreign policy."

Many more reasons for opposing recognition might be mentioned, including the declared purpose of the Soviet Government to abolish ALL religion, and to undermine the morale of the people by destroying the family. These acts are not confined to their own country, but are spread over our land as well by their propagandists.

"To concede recognition as a friend to a nation that protests she is not a friend, but on the contrary is dedicated to the overthrow of our institutions and sworn to conspire against our peace and security, is unthinkable—a solemn lie—to use the words of Secretary of State Elihu Root."

Let us repeat—PLEASE immediately detach this page, sign the petition on the reverse side and mail to this office.

An Open Letter to the President of the United States on the Recognition of Russia

PERMIT us to submit the following summary of our views, which will demonstrate the absolute solidarity of widely divergent groups representing a real cross-section of our population, against the recognition of the Communist regime now in control at Moscow:

1. The Communist regime now in absolute control of Russia is dedicated to the promotion of world revolution, class war, and the destruction of the political, economic and social institutions guaranteed to the American people by the Constitution of the United States.
2. The principles set forth in the preceding paragraphs are embodied in the constitution of the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics, and, therefore, constitute the fundamental basis of the relations of the U. S. S. R. to all nations.
3. The establishment of a Soviet embassy in Washington and the location of consulates throughout the United States, together with the admission of emissaries cloaked with diplomatic immunities, will tend to promote revolutionary activities in the United States.
4. The founders of the Soviet government and their successors in office have repeatedly declared adherence to communist dogma that agreements with bourgeois governments are not binding.
5. The Soviet government has persistently and consistently violated solemn treaty engagements to refrain from any hostile action or engage in the dissemination of propaganda, direct or indirect, against the interests of the states with which it has entered into treaty relationship.
6. Diplomatic agents and commercial delegates to foreign states have been directly implicated in the incitement and encouragement of revolutionary movements for the overthrow of governments to which they have been accredited.
7. The outstanding proponents that recognition be accorded to the Soviet government are either representatives of purely selfish interests or associated with international political organizations whose loyalty to our Government is qualified by reservations, which no patriotic citizen can countenance.
8. The Soviet government is virtually insolvent, the value of its currency wholly fictitious, and the possibility of liquidation of credits dependent solely on the importation into the United States of products which are the fruits of conscript and forced labor.
9. The economic crisis in Europe and the destruction of foreign markets for American exports are, in large measure, the result of the policy pursued by the Soviet government monopoly of foreign trade.
10. The sale of Soviet government securities on the American market or the grant of bank credits for the promotion of trade artificially stimulated by an accord of recognition to the Soviet government will impose a dangerous burden upon American economic resources.
11. The evidence is cumulative that the present drive for recognition is an effort to involve the credit of the government of the United States as endorser of Soviet bonds, notes or contracts through the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.
12. The extension of moral support to a regime dedicated to the destruction of our institutions will tend to promote the subversion of the government of the United States.

These twelve reasons constitute, in our opinion, a conclusive argument against the recognition of the U. S. S. R., but, Mr. President, permit us to make perfectly clear that this presentation of views is supplementary to, and not in substitution for, other and more comprehensive protests which have been filed, or may, in the future, be filed individually by the undersigned for the organizations which we represent.

Respectfully submitted,

(Please sign here and return as requested on preceding page.)

COMPATRIOT CHAS. P. MORSE, Chairman of Correspondence and Safety of Syracuse, N. Y., Chapter, S. A. R., sends the following letter on Subversive Activities:

Professional pacifists, radical agitators and other forces not having at heart the future welfare of the United States of America have combined in a concerted effort to break down our naturalization laws, abolish means of national defense and bring about social disorder where every conscience is a law unto itself!

They have hurled a challenge to every liberty-loving, law-abiding citizen and believer in ethical religion as they work by day and by night in the furtherance of schemes to weaken and destroy a national spirit in America.

This challenge can not pass unanswered. The self-respecting citizenship must arouse itself to meet this organized campaign which is threatening the security of our general welfare. The call of duty to the Sons of the American Revolution is clear.

Last summer the United States Supreme Court decided again that aliens who are unwilling to bear arms in defense of this country can not become citizens. In October, the court refused to review that decision.

The hope of the professional pacifists to break down the law through judicial decision has failed. Now they are waging a legislative attack by sponsoring a bill to amend the naturalization laws so that a slacker may become a citizen, enjoying the benefits and protection of the United States government, without sharing his proportionate part of the responsibilities.

This question goes to the very root of citizenship and national security.

The founders of this nation established the Constitution for our common advancement and common defense.

Fundamentally, citizenship is based on the obligation of every one who enjoys its protection to share its responsibilities, regardless of how the individual conscience looks upon the tragic wastefulness of war.

No government can stand with every individual conscience a law unto itself! Nor can a nation survive at this stage of the world's development if the people who compose it are not willing to defend it!

The scheming professional pacifists are not without shrewd cunning. Capitalizing upon these troublesome days of economic distress,

they are flooding the country with radical speakers, they are printing speeches and sermons by the thousands which are sent to every city and town. Money is plenty, received from the "Foundations" whose socialistic and radical leanings are well known.

Therefore, compatriots, it behooves us all to show some of the aggressiveness of our radical professors, clergy and pink friends. We need this vital information in the fight to a finish on Radicalism in the United States. This phase of our program has not been sufficiently watched or carefully worked. Radical and subversive movements in colleges, schools, churches, forums, progressive clubs, liberal clubs, etc., must be checked. Information from patriotic literature is the basis of success. This followed by proper public addresses and newspaper articles. Publicity often "smoked them out". The "Reds", "Pinks" and "Yellows" by many meetings, clever speakers, subtle speeches, newspaper articles, radio talks, socialist sermons and clever forums and debates—are continually belittling our form of government, urging our youth to "refuse to serve" and endeavoring to weaken our faith in American ideals and patriotism. The time has come for united action.

We recommend the following publications for valuable information, for all Patriotic Citizens:

- "The National Republic Magazine", (Monthly) 511 11th St. N. W., Washington, D. C.
- "Tainted Contacts," Sanctuary, 156 5th Ave., N. Y. C. (Room 421).
- "Pastors, Politicians, Pacifists," Constructive Publishing Co., 5421 Ridgewood Court, Chicago, Ill.
- "T. N. T.," The Tower Press, 180 No. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.
- "Sinister Shadows," Tower Press.
- "A Survey of Socialism," The Macmillan Co., New York City.
- "American Vigilant Intelligence Federation," For information on radical speakers, professors, etc., Box No. 144, Chicago, Ill.
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Our Colleges—Are They American?

By FRANKLIN L. BURDETTE
 Secretary, West Virginia Society, S. A. R.

WHATEVER rumblings of radicalism may come from the corridors of the American college, whatever suspicions may be cast upon the patriotism of youth, I expect to listen to those rumors with an open mind but with a grave doubt. I want to be convinced, and it will take a mighty mass of evidence to do it, that the majority, the real heart of American youth, and not a mere handful of vociferous extremists, have forsaken the ideals of their forebears.

Recently it was my privilege to attend an intercollegiate world problems conference at the University of Pittsburgh. The whole scheme of the gathering was modeled after an impressive conclave between the great powers of the world, and all the deliberations of the groups were conducted with formality and precision. Ostensibly the conference had been called to consider war debts, world tariffs, and the Lytton report on the Manchurian situation, and each college or university participating was assigned the task of upholding the views of some particular nation.

To my college was assigned Brazil, a nation which could scarcely be expected seriously to disrupt the machinery of the conference; and after the delegates had divided into groups to discuss the three problems for which the meeting had been arranged, I found myself with one colleague sitting as a member of the world tariffs commission.

From the very beginning I was interested in the number of students of foreign extraction who represented the major powers. The more active delegate from Russia (who insisted upon the official U. S. S. R.) was of Russian blood and looked the part; peculiar brogues

and broken English marked many of the amateur diplomats. And from the first the delegates from Russia and Germany combined to manipulate the commission along radical lines: they moved that the powers of the world retract the Treaty of Versailles with all its provisions for reparations, urged the elimination of war debts, and insisted that all the nations join in a universal brotherhood of free trade and communistic good will. Somehow I could not refrain from feeling that most of the good will was intended to flow in the direction of Germany and Russia; and my belief was confirmed by an eloquent appeal from our Russian acquaintance, who proclaimed himself the representative of the workers, not only of Russia, but of the entire world. The declaration was accepted very calmly until my colleague sent the whole commission into laughter by his retort, "I cannot speak for the other nations, but I want the gentleman from Russia to know that he has never been authorized to represent the workmen of Brazil."

My colleague and I found ourselves in an interesting predicament. We were determined that the Russian program should never be adopted by the commission, and we wondered how much support we might expect from the representatives of smaller powers who sat silent and attentive. To learn more of the strength of our position, we began private conversations with the delegates who had taken no part in the heated discussions; and we soon realized that we were by no means in a minority. On every side we obtained promises of support, and on every motion to table or amend a radical suggestion we were victorious by an overwhelming majority.

Our experience in that conference was enlightening and encouraging. From all appearances we were moving in the midst of students who would be permeated with radicalism if any general body of students may ever be justly charged with that spirit. We found the radical influence, and we expected to find it. It is always to such gatherings that the "free thinkers" like to flock. Yet we discovered that the majority of those representative students were quietly but persistently unsympathetic with socialism, communism, and other isms. They would let the radicals talk as much as they pleased; they would even let them run away with the conference if they liked. But let someone stand up and oppose the radical suggestions, let him substitute plans consistent with our own ideals of government, and that one found himself just as quietly and quite as persistently supported.

Student bodies in American colleges are apathetic to radicals. Youth leaders consider the radical a harmless eccentric about whom there need be no bother. "Let him rave, and what of it?" is their philosophy. But let him do more than "rave," let him do more than pass resolutions in a conference, let him try to put into practice wild doctrines or dangerous policies, and the youth of America is ready to wake up. Youth is tolerant of talk but intolerant of interference with the rights of his countryman.

America is not sick, however perilous may be the days through which she is passing. And so long as she is not sick, so long as her fundamental institutions remain uncorrupted, so long as the liberties of her people remain genuine and unsullied, the youth of the land may be trusted to uphold the principles of the Republic.

The Medal Idea Grows

A most gratifying instance of the growing popularity of the Good Citizenship Medals was recently brought to the Chairman of the National Committee.

A Good Citizenship contest open to High School boys and girls of Tompkins County, New York, has been sponsored by the organization of the W. C. T. U. of that district, the reward being a trip to Washington for the successful candidates, that these young people may see at first hand the interesting places of our capital and, when possible, meet at first hand the President and Vice President of the United States.

This plan has been largely inspired by and has followed in part that which former representative Ruth Bryan Owen of Florida followed in bringing her "Young Citizens of Florida" to Washington for three or four years past and which has been described in previous issues of THE S. A. R. MAGAZINE.

As a crowning gift to these eager and loyal young future citizens of our country the Good Citizenship Medal of the Sons of the American Revolution is eagerly sought as typifying the achievement of those qualities which we desire them to inspire, and as a lasting memento of success when memories of the pleas-

ures of the trip to Washington may have faded.

It was most interesting to learn from Mrs. Hill of Ithaca, N. Y., the chaperone of the young people brought to Washington this year, how persistently she had sought to ascertain where the Good Citizenship Medals could be obtained, and how delighted she was when her inquiries finally brought her to the National Headquarters of the S. A. R.

Needless to say, it was with the greatest interest and pride that the medals were provided, and the prospect of an ever enlarging demand for them from this source is encouraging.

All of which is a reminder that "Medal Time is here," and our regular supporters of the Good Citizenship Medals are urged to be prompt in sending in their orders that there may be no delay in shipments at the last. It is usually easy to ascertain some time in advance how many will be needed, and the medals can be secured and at hand so that the last-minute engraving can be arranged for.

If there are still any who are unfamiliar with our "Plan of Award" or who desire any specific information as to Good Citizenship Medals, please inquire of the Secretary General.

FRANK B. STEELE, Chairman.

In Memoriam—Archie Lee Talbot

Foreword by Willis Blake Hall, Secretary of the Maine Society, S. A. R.

OUR Past President, Archie Lee Talbot, died at his home in Lewiston, Maine, Thursday, December 29, 1932, aged 86 years. He was born in Phillips, Maine, Sept. 14, 1846.

He was educated in the public schools of Farmington and Wilton and later on graduated from the Maine Wesleyan Seminary at Kent's Hill, Maine, in the class of 1867.

He added to his education by reading law. Then he became, in 1877, Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue, continuing in this official position during the administrations of Presidents Grant and Hayes. Then he built up a very successful insurance agency in Lewiston. He was active, constructively, in politics, promoting the Central Maine General Hospital and his efforts are largely responsible for the Maine State College at Orono becoming the University of Maine. He was an active supporter of the Republican party, except that in 1912 he supported Woodrow Wilson, publishing an open letter giving his reason for so doing, to-wit, his strong aversion to special privilege of the trusts and to Federal life office and retired pension in Civil Service. He returned to the party to vote for Charles Evans Hughes.

He was ever a conspicuous figure in fraternal societies, being particularly prominent in Masonic bodies, holding many of the offices and for 36 years serving as a Trustee of the charity fund of the Grand Lodge, and for that body was elected chairman of a delegation to the Congress of Masonic Grand Lodges in

1893, which took place during the Columbian Exposition at Chicago, a Congress of 160 of the leading Masons of the country renowned for their experience and ability.

In 1869 he married Nina Victoria Adams, of Georgetown, Mass., born in Wilton, Maine, the daughter of Jewett P. and Sovia Baker Adams. He is survived by the widow and three sons, the latter all being life members of the S. A. R., to-wit: William W. Talbot, of Cambridge, Mass.; Carlton B. Talbot, of Nevis, Minn., and Captain Ralph Lee Talbot, of Portsmouth, N. H.

In 1897 he joined the Society of Mayflower Descendants in Massachusetts and in 1901 founded the Society in the State of Maine. He was the Senior Former Governor of the Society in this State and in 1906 at the Triennial Congress of the General Society at Plymouth, Mass., he was elected Deputy Governor General, which office he held until his death. In 1911 he became a Companion of the Society of American Wars of the United States in the Commandery of the State of New York and in 1912 founded a Commandery in his home State and became its first Commander. In that year, too, he was elected a Companion in the Order of Washington, coming to the office of Vice-Commander General in 1914. He was likewise a member of the Maine Society of Colonial Wars, of the Massachusetts Society of the War of 1812, of the Maine Historical Society and of the Maine Genealogical Society.

The following Tribute to Mr. Talbot has been compiled by Past President General Louis Annin Ames, a life-long friend, at the request of President General Millsbaugh:

Archie Lee Talbot

Born, September 14, 1846.

Joined the Sons of the American Revolution, February 11, 1893.

Died, December 29th, 1932.

FEW compatriots were more ardent in their devotion to the principles of the Sons of the American Revolution than Compatriot Archie Lee Talbot who, from the date of his membership to his passing to the higher life, was deeply interested in the growth and influence of our Society. The older members of the Organization remember with joy, at every Congress, the comradeship they shared with Compatriot Talbot.

His honors were many. He was President of the Maine Society Sons of the American Revolution and he was on most of the important Committees of the National Society and of various Congresses.

The original colors adopted by the Society were blue and white. Past President Archie Lee Talbot thought that although the blue was of a darker shade than that adopted by the Society of the Cincinnati founded by Wash-

ington's Generals and Commissioned Officers, to avoid any thought of an infringement the colors of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution should be changed to blue, white and buff. It was in 1896, at the Congress held in Richmond, Virginia, that he offered a Resolution for the adoption of the tricolors. There was a strong opposition to making any change, but the merits of the case were finally won and these historic and most appropriate colors became the colors of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution by adoption at the 1898 Congress held at Morristown, New Jersey. It was largely due to the courteous and intelligent presentation of the case by Compatriot Talbot that the change was adopted, and the Sons of the American Revolution will always be indebted to Archie Lee Talbot for bringing to the attention of the Organization the completed colors of the Revolutionary Army, buff, blue and white; the buff and blue of the original uniforms of the Continentals to which was later added the white in recognition of the services of General Lafayette whose banner of white sprinkled with golden fleur-de-lis shared in the honors of Yorktown.

At the 35th Annual Congress of the National Society, held in Salt Lake City, Utah, July, 1924, Past President-General Elmer M. Wentworth asked the unanimous consent of the Congress to offer the following Resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Trustees be authorized and empowered to take such action in recognition of our appreciation of the services of Compatriot Archie Lee Talbot, who suggested the colors of the rosette—the buff, blue and white, as may be deemed fitting and proper.

The rules were suspended, and the Resolution unanimously adopted.

The National Executive Committee of the Sons of the American Revolution authorized that the Resolution passed by the 35th Annual Congress at Salt Lake City in appreciation of the services of Compatriot Talbot in his earnest and successful work in designing, advocating and securing the adoption of the tricolors—blue, white and buff, for the colors of the Society, be fittingly engrossed and presented to Compatriot Talbot.

The Connecticut Society Sons of the American Revolution, learning that Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lee Talbot were spending the winter in New Haven, Connecticut, arranged for a banquet to be held at the Hotel Stratford, New Haven, Thursday evening, December 18th, at which were present members and wives of the General Siliman Branch S. A. R. and members

of the Mary Silliman Chapter D. A. R., with their husbands. The outstanding feature of this occasion was the presentation to Past President Archie Lee Talbot of the Maine Society, of the engrossed Resolutions.

Colonel Louis Annin Ames of New York City, Past President General of the National Society, made the presentation of the Resolution, and in doing this he prefaced his remarks in a very appropriate and interesting recall of the days of the Continental soldiers.

Colonel Ames bestowed upon Compatriot Talbot the highest praise for his thoughtful design of so expressive, historic and romantic a combination of colors. "The history of our rosette extends far back and was typified in the heart-beats of those men who gave all they had and all they expected to have that this nation might be founded.

"In this rosette we can see the days of Valley Forge," Colonel Ames continued, painting a picture of the terrible condition of the Continental Army when, "after praying to God for aid, Washington took courage from the knowledge that in his ill-clad army there were hearts that beat true with a courage that was dauntless." Colonel Ames traced the colors to their original users by patriots in our country and in other countries.

Past President Archie Lee Talbot, in expressing his appreciation for the recognition of the National Congress, told the story of the adoption of the tricolors.

As the recipient of the honors of this occasion concluded, he took the Resolutions, finely engrossed in artistic penmanship, and tricolors, nicely framed, and requested President Dr. Charles N. Sprague, presiding, to read the Resolutions. As President Sprague rose, all present rose and remained standing while he read the Resolutions of appreciation and gratitude by the Thirty-fifth Congress of the National Society Sons of the American Revolution.

Embodied in the desire that the Sons of the American Revolution Colors should be historic, Compatriot Talbot, with a fidelity of purpose in his achievement, unknowingly established a memorial to his devotion which will last as long as the Sons of the American Revolution are true to their Colors.

Hail and Farewell to Past President Archie Lee Talbot who now is numbered among our immortals.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: In THE MINUTE MAN for October, 1927, page 220, a very interesting article describing the Society's Rosette and its inspiration and symbolism was contributed by Mr. Talbot.)

The Marking of Revolutionary Graves In Orange County, New York

By J. Percy Hanford, Secretary of Newburgh Chapter, N. Y.

MARKING with the S. A. R. medallion the graves of 101 Revolutionary soldiers, NEWBURGH CHAPTER, Empire State Society, concluded during the summer of 1932 the first part of its program to locate and permanently identify the nearly 400 such graves known to exist in the eastern portion of Orange County, New York.

This county offered a fertile field for the activities of the Chapter. It extends approximately 20 miles along the west shore of the Hudson River, includes the city of Newburgh, situated 60 miles above New York, and embraces some of the most richly historical ground in the State.

Here, near Bear Mountain Bridge, are the sites of Forts Montgomery and Clinton, where Continental troops stubbornly resisted the British advance by land and river; a few miles northward lies West Point, famous United States Military Academy established by General Washington; nearer Newburgh is the site of Brewster's forge where were formed some of the huge iron links of the chain once stretched through the waters of the Hudson to block the British ships in their way up the river, while a few miles inland rises Temple Hill, at one time the encampment of 8,000 troops and the spot where Washington put down a rising tide of rebellion and re-established his men's faith in their country and its form of government. Within Newburgh itself stands the State-owned Hasbrouck house, home and headquarters of General Washington from April 1, 1782, to August 18, 1783.

Thus closely identified with Revolutionary events, and the recruiting ground for hundreds of soldiers from among the stout-hearted and loyal citizens of those days, there is small wonder that a study of this region showed such large numbers of soldier burials.

The work of marking these graves, undertaken by NEWBURGH CHAPTER, has been made possible through the energy, ability and interest of Mr. Robert O. Thompson, of Campbell Hall, N. Y., who, in the course of his genealogical studies and research, began some time ago to accumulate a record of the Revolutionary graves found in the old burial grounds which he visited.

Realizing their number and the value of definite recorded information regarding them, he carefully put the data in systematic form. By the end of 1928 Mr. Thompson's records approximated 290 names and at a meeting on February 12, 1929, his work was brought to the attention of NEWBURGH CHAPTER by Compatriot Henry H. Slaughter, with the result that at the same meeting the Chapter formally voted to assume the duty of permanently identifying, with the official design S. A. R. medallion, "all recorded Revolutionary graves in Orange County."

Based on Mr. Thompson's records, a complete card index was prepared by Mr. David W. Jagger, then President of NEWBURGH CHAPTER. This has been kept up to date by the addition of such new names and facts as further study and search has brought to light, and now (February, 1933) contains nearly 400 names.

The index includes name, dates, rank, military unit, and the name or location of the cemetery. When it is considered that in some cases burial grounds are now almost forgotten, or hidden in some obscure farm corner or old-time private family plot overrun with undergrowth, it will be seen what labor was involved in securing and verifying all this information, and the great value of the resulting records.

In passing, it may be stated that NEWBURGH CHAPTER intends to issue these records later in pamphlet form as an aid to historical and genealogical study and research work.

The grave marking project was placed in the hands of a committee headed first by Samuel L. Stewart, later succeeded by Robert O. Thompson, who meanwhile had become a member of the Chapter. Others who served on the committee or assisted in the work were Jeremiah Mower (deceased), David W. Jagger and James W. Barnes, all compatriots of NEWBURGH CHAPTER.

The interest of County officials was aroused by the committee, and on November 20, 1930, the Board of Supervisors officially granted the committee's request to furnish and pay for the necessary bronze medallions, with the understanding that the Chapter should bear the expense of placing them in position.

Mr. Thompson gave his time and active personal attention to the work, listing the data to be placed on the medallions, identifying the graves to be marked, checking the marker for each grave and supervising the actual installation. When he made his report at a meeting held on January 23, 1933, telling of the 101 graves where the work had been completed, NEWBURGH CHAPTER at once took steps to make him an Honorary Member, in recognition of the work accomplished and the service so faithfully rendered.

The burial grounds and cemeteries in which the graves were marked in 1932, with the number of graves marked in each, are as follows: Brick Church (Montgomery), 57; St. Andrews, 8; Old Baptist (Warwick), 4; Locust Hill (Warwick), 9; Crawford (Thompson Ridge), 2; Hopewell (Thompson Ridge), 6; Collabar, 1; Berea, 5; Gillespie (Pine Bush), 1; Colden (Coldenham), 3; Gallatian (West Walden), 2; Chester-Warwick Roads (on farms), 3.

Following are the names of the 101 Revolutionary Soldiers whose burial places were permanently identified in 1932:

Brick Church, Montgomery: Capt. Johannas Newkirk, Lt. Stephen Hunt, Lt. Henry Smith, Ensign William Crist, Serg't Abraham Millspaugh, and Privates Adam Bemer, Jacob Bodine, William Bodine, Jacob F. Bookstaver, Jr., William Bookstaver, Samuel Comfort, Ezekiel Crans, John Crans, David Crist, Henry Crist, Jr., Stephen Crist, Joseph Decker, Philip Decker, Abraham Dickerson, John Felter, Jr., Jacob Frint, Joseph German, Daniel Hasbrouck, Frederick Kimbark, Matthias Kimbark, Barney Miller, Jacobus Miller, Edward Miller, Martin Miller, Christian Millspaugh, Isaac Millspaugh, Jacob Millspaugh, John Millspaugh, Philip Millspaugh 2nd, Philip Millspaugh, Jr., Conrad More, Christopher

Mould, Johannas Mould, Jr., John Neafie, John A. Newkirk, Alexander Patterson, John Robison, Christian Rockefeller, Christian Roat, John Sears, Samuel Sears, Daniel Shafer, Adam Sinsabaugh, David Smith, Jr., William Smith, William Watson, John Weller, Hieronimus Weller, William Weller, Joseph Whitten and Johannas Youngblood.

St. Andrews: Privates Justus Banks, William Erwin, James Galatin, Jr., Thomas Gee, John J. Rorback, Jacob Smith, David Scott and John G. Tremper.

Old Baptist, Warwick: Privates Daniel Benedict, James Benedict, William Johnson and Daniel Sayer.

Locust Hill, Warwick: Corporal Crynis Bertholf, Ensign Henry Bertholf and Privates Jacobus Bartholf, James D. Clark, Cornelius Demorest, Jacobus Demorest, George Dill, John Feagles and Garrit Post.

Crawford, Thompson Ridge: Privates Johnathan Crawford and Nathan Crawford.

Hopewell, Thompson Ridge: Lt. Robert Thompson, Privates Daniel Bull, John Crawford, Benjamin Dickerson, Joseph Elder and Alexander Thompson.

Collabar: Private Samuel J. Crawford.

Berea: Privates Samuel S. Crawford, Christian Crist, David Taylor, David Dill of Capt. Gillespie's Company and David Dill of Capt. Jansen's Company, 4th Regiment Ulster County Militia.

Gillespie, Pine Bush: Lt. Samuel Gillespie.
Colden, Coldenham: Privates Alexander Colden, Cadwallader Colden, Jr., Peter Gallatian.

Gallatian, West Walden: Privates James Gallatian, Sr., and Mattias Warner.

Farms on Chester and Warwick roads: Corporal William Knapp and Privates John Holbert and John Blain.

The Official Grave Marker of the National Society is available for Compatriots or Chapters desiring to permanently identify Revolutionary Soldiers' graves. For information inquire of the Secretary General.

The National S. A. R. Library

SINCE THE APPOINTMENT in May, 1928, of a Committee of National Headquarters Library, 1006 books, pamphlets, charts, et cetera, have been given us. The totals of these gifts, classified according to States, are published in each successive issue of the S. A. R. MAGAZINE. Thirty-eight "States" are represented by gifts as follows: District of Columbia, 174; Massachusetts, 125; New York, 102; Pennsylvania, 102; Ohio, 63; Florida, 51; Colorado, 42; Virginia, 40; Nebraska, 38;

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FRANCIS B. CULVER,
Librarian.

Notes and Book Reviews

WE ARE PLEASED to announce another gift to our S. A. R. Library through the generosity of our esteemed compatriot, S. L. Caldwell, M. D., of Colorado, who has presented to the Society ten volumes of Rhode Island Records, and an old edition of Hume's "History of England," in eight volumes. Dr. Caldwell's gifts have come principally from the collections of his great-grandfather, Dr. Josiah Smith of Newburyport, Massachusetts, who was born in Ipswich, graduated from Harvard College in 1774, served as surgeon on the privateer "Revenge," under Captain Conyngham, and after the war became a shipping merchant. He represented Newburyport in the General Court of Massachusetts. A great part of his library is believed to have been

brought from England in his ships. Dr. Caldwell has many of his great-grandfather's business letters.

Mr. John Wenzel, Allendale, New Jersey, has presented us with a collection of the Wenzel Pedigree Charts, in a "fine quality, imitation leather," ring-binder of the semi-flexible type, with a capacity for 150 sheets. The comprehensiveness and utility of this style of pedigree chart are its outstanding features, and we find pleasure in recommending it for its admirable qualities. The book of charts is on exhibition at National S. A. R. headquarters.

We have just received an elegant copy of the "Sheffield, Daggett and Allied Families," prepared and printed privately for Mrs.

George St. John Sheffield by the American Historical Society, Inc., of New York City. The genealogical matter is presented in an orderly and intelligible manner, and the volume is illustrated with reproductions of family photographs, local pictures and other embellishments of a superior quality. The binding is unusually fine. Our Society has been highly favored by the generosity of Mrs. Sheffield.

A genealogy of ten generations of the "Briggs Family of Rhode Island," including New York descendants of John Briggs and the records of sixteen allied families, by Pearl Leona Heck, has been presented by Compatriot Royston Field Heck. The volume includes more or less extended accounts of the Field, Marble, Shepard, Lynes, Wells or Welles, Cook, Borden, Cory, Dennis, Tallman, Cornell and Fowler connections. The author is to be congratulated upon the successful results of her painstaking investigations.

"The Andrus Family," by Lucius B. Andrus (1932), has been received. The book contains much valuable information relating to the genealogy of this family. The author's address is: Indianapolis Athletic Club, Indianapolis, Indiana.

We have received the "Life of John Taylor," by Henry H. Simms, Ph. D., Assistant Professor of History, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio. This is a story of a brilliant leader in the early Virginia States' Rights School. The William Byrd Press, Inc., Richmond, Va., are the publishers of the book.

"Kentucky Court and Other Records," Vol. II, by Mrs. William Breckenridge Ardery (1932) has recently arrived from The Keystone Printery, Lexington, Ky. This compilation is derived from original County Court entries, wills, deeds, orders, suits, church minutes, marriages, old Bible records and tombstone inscriptions.



BOOKPLATE OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SOCIETY DESIGNED AND DRAWN BY THE LATE FREDERICK D. OWEN AND ADOPTED BY THE SOCIETY

The following announcements have been received: "Stetson Genealogy Quarterly," by Stetson Kindred of America, Inc., Oscar Frank Stetson, Secretary-Treasurer, Barrington, R. I.; History of the House of Ochiltree of Ayrshire, Scotland, with genealogy of American descendants, by Mrs. C. A. Railey, 424 S. Edith street, Albuquerque, N. M. (\$6); Woods' "History of Albemarle" (reprint), by The Green Bookman, Bridgewater, Va. (\$5); "Pocahontas, *alias* Matoaca," and descendants (reprint), by The Green Bookman (\$3.50);

"The Early Records of the First Presbyterian Church of Goshen, N. Y." (1767-1885), by Charles C. Coleman, Goshen, N. Y. (\$4.25); "The March of Discovery," by James Truslow Adams, published by Charles Scribner's Sons, New York City (\$3.50); "The Delaware Historical and Genealogical Recall" (quarterly), edited by Mrs. Matilda Spicer Hart, Wilmington, Dela. (\$2.25 per annum).

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Chapter Activities

By HAROLD A. KOONZ
Founder of the Jersey City Chapter, S. A. R.

NOTWITHSTANDING the fact that both National and State Societies are constantly stressing, through their capable chairmen, activities for local chapters, it is the desire of the writer to list some of the numerous endeavors, and place them in a more concrete form for practical application and edification of working committees of chapters, enabling them to choose activities best suited for their particular localities and most agreeable to the members of their organizations.

I am placing the activities under two special headings followed by a list of general activities.

I. PUBLICITY: To carry our message of Americanization and patriotism in the broadest way.

a. *The Press.* An article may be released weekly in your local newspaper. (The caption "America and Americans" has been used by the Jersey City Chapter in the "Jersey Journal".) Subject matter: Americanism, Patriotism, Civic uplift, Biographies, Historic events, anti-Communist and anti-Socialistic propaganda. Also an invitation for the reader to write for Flag Codes, Manuals for Aliens (14 languages), "Our Government," and information of any character pertaining to Revolutionary History, Naturalization, etc.

A contact with the Associated Press to handle projects of national importance.

Contribution of articles, similar to above named for publication in church pamphlets, fraternal communications, school papers, and sundry organizations, publishing pamphlets.

A wide distribution of "Our Government," the S. A. R. leaflet. Manual for Aliens and Flag Codes. (The latter may be obtained from the local chapters of the D. A. R., or by applying directly to their headquarters in Washington.)

b. *Broadcasting:* The courtesy of an adjacent station may be easily obtained for a monthly release to cover patriotism, historic events, biographies and particularly anti-Communist propaganda.

c. *Speakers:* Speakers should be obtained, or better, developed among chapter members to read or address local organizations, including schools, public and private. The "Y's," Boy and Girl Scouts, Fraternal Organizations and Churches. Fifteen minute talks may be easily compiled from articles in our own magazines, the splendid material supplied by our National Committee of Correspondence and Safety. Biographies and important historic events may be found in our S. A. R. libraries and reference books are always obtainable in our public libraries.

d. *Meetings:* It is suggested that at least one meeting each year be devoted to the consideration of the following special topics:

1. Work of the Committee of Correspondence and Safety.
2. Why a man should join the S. A. R.
3. Naturalization work.
4. The Mountain Schools.
5. Flag Day.
6. Constitution Day.

II. CONTACTS:

a. A close affiliation with the "Civic Fathers" of our communities is indicated, constantly reminding them of our desire to co-operate with them for patriotic and civic uplift.

b. A constant, co-operative contact, with other patriotic organizations, for in "Union there is Strength."

c. If in the region of a Naturalization Court, offer aid to the Naturalization Officer, as he may indicate, patriotic assistance.

d. Much benefit may be obtained by affiliation with your clergy. Their contacts are large and they are most willing to co-operate to extend our propaganda.

e. *Department of Education:* Americanization is being developed steadily in our educational departments, and in many instances our co-operation is sought. A visit to your School Superintendent will be well worth while.

f. Greater contact is indicated, with the State chairmen of State Committees, who inaugurate activities for the Society in general.

SPECIFIC ACTIVITIES

1. Tree planting.
2. Marking graves of patriots.
3. Marking historic sites.
4. Good citizenship medals.
5. Awards for essay contests, etc.
6. Scholarships.

7. Pilgrimages to shrines.
8. Motor trips to historic sites.
9. Exhibitions of "Americana".
10. Church services: (Sunday nearest Washington's birthday).
11. Assistance in Red Cross work.
12. Celebration of National Holidays.
13. Naturalization Work.
14. Broadcasting.
15. Chapter debates.
16. Assistance to Mountain Schools.
17. Development of Reference Library.
18. Stimulate your personnel by placing responsibility, however small, on every member.
19. Keep all the papers pertaining to chapter up to date.
20. Place conspicuously all new documents of Committee of Correspondence and Safety at each meeting, for individual attention. By applying to Chairman Arthur M. McCrillis, 313 National Exchange Bank, Providence, R. I., of the National C. & S. Committee, extensive exhibits and articles will be forwarded to any chapter requesting the same.
21. Observe "Constitution Day", as indicated by the National chairman.
22. Read your National and State Magazines.
23. Endeavor to see that the abuses of the Flag are corrected in your community. Ignorance is responsible, more than intention of disrespect, so keep a Flag Code in your pocket to present to the offender.
24. Bring the attention of your members of significant dates of our history, a calendar may be found in our magazine; endeavor to have them write résumés of the events.
25. Keep in touch with legislation, State and National, and communicate with your representatives, on all matters pertaining to the development of America and its safety.
26. Keep your chapter active and alive; to stimulate the enthusiasm of your members, for the enlightenment of your community in patriotic endeavor, and to attract membership "Prospects" through the accomplishment of your efforts.

If any chapter is interested in starting a weekly column "America and Americans," a copy of an issue will be cheerfully forwarded, by writing to Dr. Harold A. Koonz, 253 Harrison Avenue, Jersey City, N. J.



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Events of State Societies

Arkansas Society

Newly elected officers of this Society include William H. Arnold, of Texarkana, President; J. S. Utley and W. D. Worthington, Vice-Presidents; John O. Blakeney, Secretary; E. C. Newton, Treasurer; Major Edward B. McDonald, Registrar; John O. Blakeney, Historian, all of Little Rock; Rev. Lester Weaver, Chaplain, of McCrory. The Board of Governors includes J. R. Alexander, J. O. Blakeney, Fay Hempstead, J. W. Hill, Frank W. Leaming, E. B. McDonald, Sam M. Wassell, Edmund R. Wiles.

The Society has received seven new members and one by transfer during the year, which is an excellent percentage of its total. President Arnold, Major McDonald, and Secretary Blakeney were elected delegates and alternate to represent the Society at the Cincinnati Congress next May.

The Society held its 43rd Anniversary banquet at the Albert Pike Hotel on the evening

of February 22nd, President Arnold presiding. Rev. Leland Clegg was the speaker of the evening, and an enjoyable musical program completed the pleasant entertainment.

California Society

On February 22d, 1933, the City of San Francisco opened to the public its recently completed \$6,000,000 War Memorial group of buildings, consisting of a Veterans' building and an Opera House. The Veterans' building, which is the exterior twin of the Opera House, is designed to serve as headquarters for the various veteran and patriotic organizations of San Francisco and provide them, also, with meeting rooms and club facilities.

The California Society of the Sons of the American Revolution was among the organizations invited to have its headquarters in the building and has been allotted not only luxurious but very comfortable quarters in the northeast corner of the building on the third floor.



NEW WAR MEMORIAL BUILDING, SAN FRANCISCO, WHERE THE CALIFORNIA SOCIETY HAS ITS NEW HEADQUARTERS



NEW HEADQUARTERS OF THE CALIFORNIA STATE SOCIETY, S. A. R.

Past President General Howard C. Rowley, with Major Leon French, President of the California Society, are seen at the first table; Mrs. French at the end reading. At the other table may be seen Frank J. Sheehan, Secretary of the California Society at the end, with Mrs. Avis Y. Brownlee, Executive Secretary. Other visitors are present

These accommodations include a large library and meeting room with very extensive library facilities which not only accommodate the Society's present library but allow room for expansion. There is also a private office for the President and Secretary, which will serve as well for Committee meetings, and a large storage room for records and supplies.

The California Society now has a headquarters not only for all of its meetings, but wonderfully attractive both to its members and prospective members. It is hoped that the change of headquarters may be of great advantage in acquiring new members.

The new headquarters are open from 12:30 to 5:00 on every week day and for an hour or so on Saturday afternoon. Visiting compatriots from other States are cordially invited to call upon us.

SAN FRANCISCO CHAPTER—At the Novem-

ber meeting of the San Francisco Chapter Capt. Victor A. Kimberly, Chief of Staff of the 12th Naval District, gave an extremely entertaining talk on "The American Navy".

On Thursday, January 19th, the Chapter had as its special guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Munro Boyd, Jr., of Montclair, New Jersey. Mr. Boyd, who is Governor-General of the General Society of Mayflower Descendants, was in San Francisco to attend the 25th anniversary dinner of the California Society of Mayflower Descendants. Mr. Boyd gave a most delightful talk to the members of the Chapter at a luncheon at the Hotel Sir Francis Drake, giving many unusual and fascinating bits of the Colonial and Revolutionary history of New Jersey.

SAN FRANCISCO CHAPTER purchased some months ago a pedigreed and lineal descendant of the famous Washington elm at Cambridge



PLANTING THE WASHINGTON MEMORIAL ELM BY SAN FRANCISCO CHAPTER, S. A. R.

Left to right: Lt. Com. E. Jack Spaulding, Vice President, S. A. R.; Miss Rosalie Harby, Regent, D. A. R.; Boy Scouts of Troop 82; Charles E. Hancock, President, S. A. R.

under which Washington assumed command of the Continental Army. Through the courtesy and helpful co-operation of Mr. John McLaren, Superintendent of Golden Gate Park in San Francisco, this descendant of the Washington Elm (about 12 feet in height) was planted in Golden Gate Park on the morning of February 22d in commemoration of the 201st birthday of George Washington. A prominent and beautiful site was assigned to this tree and the exercises in connection with the planting of the tree included the unveiling of a bronze plaque describing its history and stating the name of the donor and the occasion of the planting.

The ceremonies were participated in not only by the Sons of the American Revolution but also the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Boy Scouts. Many interested citizens and members of other patriotic organizations also attended. The program included an Invocation by Rev. Frank S. Brush,

Chaplain of the California State Society, remarks by Robert H. Frank, Eagle Scout of Troop No 82, and an address by Col. William Penn Humphreys, Past President of the California Society. The Regents of the four D. A. R. Chapters of San Francisco extended greetings through Miss Rosalie Harby of the Sequoia Chapter, and the Dedication Service of the Washington Elm was pronounced by Charles E. Hancock, President of SAN FRANCISCO CHAPTER.

ALAMEDA COUNTY CHAPTER, OAKLAND—Washington's Birthday and the close of the Bicentennial year was celebrated by the ALAMEDA COUNTY CHAPTER by the donating to the City of Oakland a "Washington Elm" being a direct lineal descendant of the elm which stood at Cambridge, Massachusetts, under which Washington assumed command of the Colonial Army on July 3, 1775. It was also under this tree that Washington and his staff reviewed the American Army. The tree was

planted in a prominent location on Lakeside Drive fronting on Lake Merritt, where it will be a constant inspiration to the thousands who pass there daily. Further ceremonies are planned for July 3rd on the anniversary of the review of the American Army by Washington.

LOS ANGELES CHAPTER—The Chapter met on November 15, at the Army and Navy Club, the guest speaker being Mr. Victor Bruce Grant, Editor of the "Ancestor", Beverly Hills. The subject of his talk was "Genealogy and Patriotism."

In December a joint meeting of the Sons of the American Revolution and of the Sons of the Revolution was held at which Judge Albert Lee Stephens gave a short address on "War Debts and Recent Political Campaigns." This was followed by an address by Mr. Joseph Scott. The Sons of the Revolution also joined with us in our January meeting in the Army and Navy Club at which Judge Benjamin F. Bledsoe was the speaker of the day.

Washington's birthday was celebrated at an annual church service on February 19th, at St. Paul's Cathedral. A Washington's birthday dinner was held at the University Club on February 22. On this occasion Judge Bledsoe spoke on "Washington as a Leader," and Judge F. Ray Schauer gave an address "Washington Today." Mrs. Elmer H. Whittaker of Santa Barbara, State Vice-Regent, D. A. R., extended greetings from the Daughters of the American Revolution.

President Orra E. Monnette of LOS ANGELES CHAPTER has announced the offer of substantial prizes for an essay contest to the pupils of the public schools of the city with the object of helping to preserve the national unity at a time when the disrupting forces are so active. Two prizes of \$5 and \$2.50 will be offered each week for six weeks, at the end of which period a prize of \$20 will be given to the writer of the essay considered the best of all received. In addition 100 copies of the Declaration of Independence are to be distributed weekly to those submitting meritorious essays which fail to be included in the prize awards. These essay contests are held in connection with a series of patriotic programs sponsored by the LOS ANGELES CHAPTER being broadcast two evenings each week over station KFAC, Judge May D. Lahey being the speaker for the 15-minute period.

SAN DIEGO CHAPTER—Washington's birthday was celebrated by a joint meeting with the D. A. R. at which Capt. Sinclair Gannon of

the United States Navy spoke on the subject of "Our Naval Heritage." Mrs. W. T. Newman, Regent of the San Diego Chapter of the D. A. R., also gave an address. This was an open meeting at which the Mayor of the City, members of the Board of Education and members of judiciary were present. There was a general discussion as to the activities of communistic organizations in this country and means of checking their influence were suggested. The meeting adjourned out of respect to Past President and Past Chaplain Reverend Howard C. Dunham, who died recently.

Mr. Henry C. Gardiner, President of the San Diego Chapter, was present at a dinner given at the San Diego Club on January 30th in honor of Governor-General and Mrs. Boyd. This dinner was arranged by Secretary Allen H. Wright, Secretary of the SAN DIEGO CHAPTER, and was a brilliant affair.

SAN JOSE CHAPTER—The San Jose Chapter joins annually with the D. A. R. and a local newspaper in the continuation of educational activities by giving a prize scholarship for the best thesis on a patriotic subject, which is made part of the civics class study during its last semester in the local High Schools. This activity affects about 900 students and has been productive of much favorable comment during the past few years.

Colorado Society

The annual meeting and banquet of the Colorado Society were held on the evening of February 22nd. Retiring President George Stephan presided. Reports showed an optimistic outlook for the year to come and were encouraging as to activities for the year past, in spite of a slight percentage of loss in membership.

The Chapter meetings in Denver have been held regularly and a conspicuous observance of Constitution Day throughout the state was sponsored by the compatriots of the Society. Splendid contributions to the Bicentennial observances were also made. Outstanding among the activities of the Colorado Society and which was endorsed by the National Society, was the effort to have Congress designate a coast to coast Highway to be known as the George Washington Highway, for which bills were introduced early in the session, but owing to press of other legislation these have not been reported out of committee.

Former President Sperry S. Packard of Pueblo is now the Commander of the American Legion of Colorado and in behalf of the Legion and of the Colorado S. A. R. contributed a wreath for the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Washington.

Officers were elected at the business meeting as follows: President, Lawrence C. Blunt; Vice-President, Victor A. Miller; Secretary-Registrar-Historian, Edward A. Milligan; Treasurer, William A. Letton; Chaplain, Rev. H. H. Niles, all of Denver. The Board of Managers includes: John T. Adams, Julius C. Gunter, Frank M. Keezer, Wilson W. Kirby, Malcolm Lindsey, Robert R. Peale, George Stephan, and Benjamin F. Young.

The banquet program included a delightful address by Frederick G. Bramhall, Associate Professor of Political Science, of the University of Colorado, which was most timely. The speaker expressed the utmost confidence in the future of our Government under the vital living element of our great Constitution.

DENVER CHAPTER—Officers of this Chapter were also elected as below on February 22nd, the business meeting being held simultaneously with that of the State Society: President, Elba J. Campen; Vice-President, Kenaz Huffman; Secretary, Spencer Cole; Treasurer, William A. Letton; Historian, Edward W. Milligan; Chaplain, Rev. H. H. Niles. Managers: W. S. Tarbell, Paul P. Newlon, E. E. Stanchfield, W. W. Kirby, and Dwight C. Meigs.

District of Columbia Society

The Society made a pilgrimage to Alexandria on December 14th as guests of the Washington Society of Alexandria to attend the ceremonies at the Old Presbyterian Meeting House in honor of Dr. James Craik, first Surgeon General of the Continental Army, and the personal physician of General Washington, buried in the churchyard of this historic old church. The services were sponsored by the Society of the Sons of the Revolution.

The usual December meeting of the District of Columbia Society was held at the Mayflower Hotel on the evening of the 21st when a program of special interest was arranged, the topic being Communism, ably presented by Mr. Walter S. Steele, Editor of *The National Republic*. At this meeting nominations were made for officers for the ensuing year, to be elected in February.

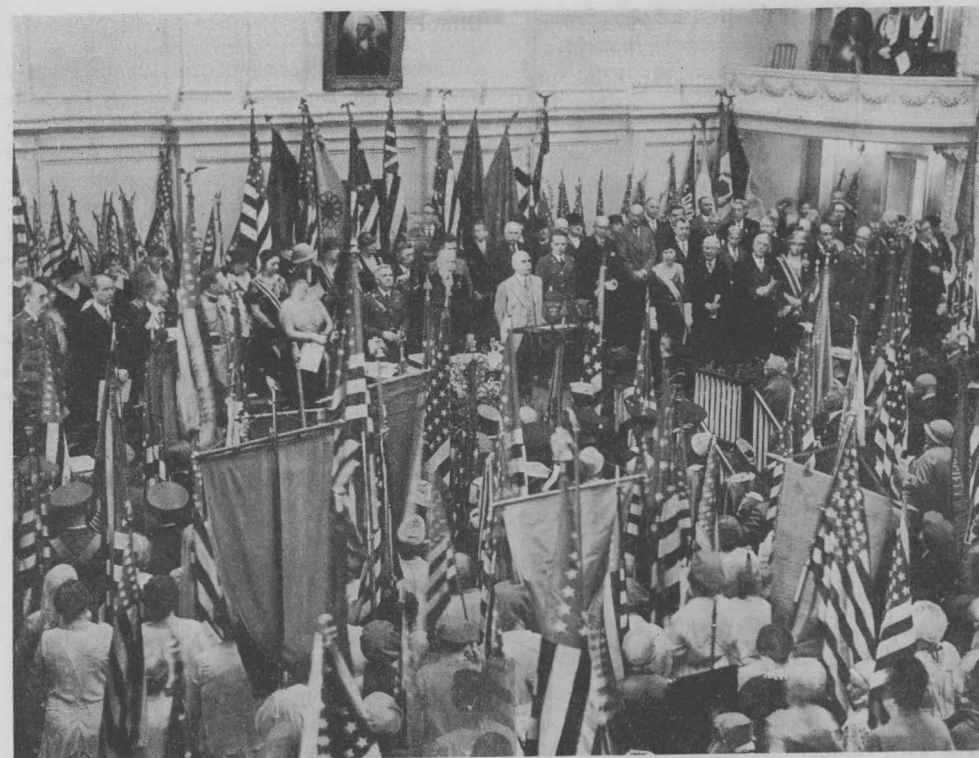
The annual Ladies' Night meeting was an unusually gala occasion and took place on the

evening of January 25, with the usual banquet, at which President Samuel S. Williamson presided. The special guests of the occasion were the resident national officers of the leading patriotic organizations and included Dr. Thomas E. Green, President of the Society of the Sons of the Revolution; Mrs. Harry Colfax Grove, State Regent of the District of Columbia Daughters of the American Revolution; Mrs. David D. Caldwell, Vice President General of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution; Mrs. Josiah A. Van Orsdel, President of the National Society Children of the American Revolution; and Mrs. Russell William Magna, President General of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution. Brief greetings were extended by each of these representatives of their respective organizations, and a message from the President of the United States, Compatriot Herbert Hoover was extended by his Military Aide, Lieutenant Colonel Campbell B. Hodges, U. S. A., himself a compatriot of our Louisiana State Society. The address of the evening was by Major General Blanton Winship, Judge Advocate General, U. S. A.

Following the addresses a charming Minuet was danced by members of the District of Columbia Society and their ladies, after which an hour or two of general dancing was enjoyed.

On Washington's Birthday the District of Columbia Society participated as usual in the 19th Joint Celebration of the 201st anniversary of the Birth of George Washington at Memorial Continental Hall. The participating Societies include the Sons of the American Revolution, Sons of the Revolution, Daughters of the American Revolution and Children of the American Revolution of the District of Columbia. The meeting was presided over by Mr. S. S. Williamson, as representing the S. A. R. this year, and Greetings from the heads of the participating groups were extended. These included Dr. Thomas Green for the S. R.; Mrs. Harry C. Grove, State Regent, D. A. R.; Mrs. David Caldwell, Vice-President General, D. A. R.; Frank B. Steele, Secretary General, S. A. R.; Mrs. J. A. Van Orsdel, National Society, C. A. R.

The address of the occasion was given by Major General Paul B. Malone, U. S. A., commanding the 3rd Corps Area at Baltimore, and brief greetings were extended by representatives of the French, German and Polish Embassies, all paying their tribute to our immortal Washington.



JOINT MEMORIAL EXERCISES, D. C. PATRIOTIC SOCIETIES, WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY, 1933, MEMORIAL CONTINENTAL HALL

Left to right: Mr. Edward Weintal, Herr Alexander Wuthenau, Col. Emanuel Lombard, representing the Polish, German and French Embassies, respectively; Mrs. Harry Colfax Grove, State Regent, D. A. R.; Major General Paul B. Malone, U. S. A., 3rd Corps Area; Mr. S. S. Williamson, S. A. R., presiding; Hon. William Tyler Page, Mrs. David D. Caldwell, Vice President General, D. A. R.; Mr. Frank B. Steele, Secretary General, S. A. R.; Dr. Thomas E. Green, President, S. R.; Mrs. Josiah A. Van Orsdel, National President, C. A. R.; Col. Major General Ben H. Fuller, U. S. Marine Corps Commandant; Dr. Roscoe J. C. Dorsey, S. A. R.

Following these ceremonies the District of Columbia Society held its annual business meeting and election of officers, when reports of the record-making activities of the Society during the past Bicentennial year were received and much credit paid the officers who have so ably led the organization in its outstanding celebrations and activities throughout this historic anniversary. As a result of the election of officers, the following will serve the Society during the coming year: President, Major General Amos A. Fries, U. S. A., Retired; Vice-Presidents, A. M. Holcombe, Charles C. Griggs, Milo C. Summers; Secretary, Fred E. Kunkel; Treasurer, Charles Y. Latimer; Registrar, Dr. Clifton P. Clark; Assistant Registrar, Lawrence Leonard; His-

torian, John C. Proctor; Librarian, Louis C. Smith; Chaplain, Rev. Luther H. Waring. Managers: Col. Alonzo Gray, Francis M. Hoffheims, Albert D. Spangler, Dr. R. J. C. Dorsey, Kenneth E. Prescott, S. S. Williamson. Delegates and alternates were also elected for the 44th Congress to meet at Cincinnati in May.

Florida Society

JACKSONVILLE CHAPTER—At the meeting of this Chapter, held December 12th at the Hotel George Washington election of officers for the ensuing year took place and resulted as follows: President, Russell L. Frink; Vice-President, Russell W. Bennett; Secretary-Treasurer, Bates M. Stovall; Historian, T. Frederick

Davis. Reports were received and plans formulated for the winter's program of meetings.

The newly elected President, Mr. Frink, presided at the regular monthly meeting held January 9 and announced appointment of committee chairmanships to serve for the coming year, Judge Burton Barrs being Chairman of the Program Committee to be assisted in arranging the program for each meeting by a member of his Committee. Retiring President Herbert Lamson, as Chairman of the Membership Committee, is planning an aggressive campaign.

An address by Mr. Lamson on the French Revolution in San Domingo was enjoyed by the members present.

On February 13th JACKSONVILLE CHAPTER held its regular meeting and was host to several guests from points north. Piano solos by Miss Mary M. Kittell contributed to the pleasure of the program, the address by Dr. John L. Rosser, pastor of Riverside Baptist Church, on "What Made George Washington Great," being the chief feature of the meeting.

Idaho Society

The 24th Annual meeting of the Idaho Society was held on February 22nd at Boise in the afternoon for the reports of the year and election of officers. The following officers were elected: President, W. D. Vincent; Vice-Presidents, representing the various sections of the state: Hobart C. Beamer, Hailey; Bowen Christy, Idaho Falls; William H. Eldridge, Twin Falls; W. H. Gibson, Boise; Clinton H. Hartson, Seattle, Wash.; Miles S. Johnson, Lewiston; George N. Osborne, Wallace; Fred A. Pittinger, Boise; D. W. Church, Pocatello; Stanly A. Easton, Kellogg; Asher A. Getchell, Nampa; Frank A. Hartman, Twin Falls; Samuel H. Hays, Boise; W. F. Kettenbach, Lewiston; Lafayette R. Parsons, Boise; Everett W. Rising, Nampa, and Irvin E. Rockwell, Bellevue. Secretary-Treasurer, Registrar, Frank G. Ensign.

A most enjoyable banquet meeting was held in the evening attended by many compatriots with their ladies. Compatriot Clarence Garrard Morgan presented the Society with a copy of a family poem, "Rhoda Garrard." President Vincent presided and the address of the evening was delivered by Major Luke D. Zeck, U. S. A., on "The Army and National Defense," which was broadcast.

Illinois Society

The annual meeting of the Illinois Society was held on December 3rd at the La Salle Hotel, Chicago, the anniversary date of the admission of Illinois to the Union being the regular occasion for this event. After an enjoyable buffet supper and social hour, greetings were presented in person by a number of newer members and by messages from other new members from the state at large unable to be present. These greetings took the form of answers to the query "Why I Joined the Society," and the dominating thought throughout the replies indicated that it was through motives of patriotism and a desire to see America's earliest ideals fostered and perpetuated. An address by Captain John W. Garby on "The Century of Progress Exposition," to be held in Chicago this summer was most interesting to all present.

The annual election of officers then ensued, and resulted as follows: President, Charles B. Elder; Vice-Presidents, Charles M. Bates, Harrison B. Barnard; Secretary, Louis A. Bowman; Treasurer, Henry R. Kent; Historian, George A. Brennan; Registrar, Cecil R. Boman; Chaplain, William C. Howard, D. D.; Chancellor, Charles C. Barnett; Sergeant-at-Arms, Frank L. Stetson. Members of the Board of Managers: William G. Adkins, Henry W. Austin, Henry L. Green, Chancellor L. Jenks, Matthew Mills, William P. Reed, James G. Skinner, Edgar M. Snow and John D. Vandercook. Delegates and alternates to the forthcoming Congress of the National Society at Cincinnati next May were also elected.

On February 22nd the Illinois Society held a dinner followed by dancing at La Salle Hotel, in recognition of the birthday of George Washington. An informal reception preceded the banquet, during which a most enjoyable entertainment of music and addresses was provided. Four brief addresses were made by Hon. Harold J. Taylor of the Probate Court of Cook County, Dr. William J. Bogan, Superintendent of Schools of Chicago, Hon. George E. Q. Johnson of the U. S. District Court, and William D. Saltiel, former City Attorney of Chicago. Much sociability and informality prevailed.

At noon of this same day, Secretary Louis A. Bowman spoke over the *Chicago Tribune* Radio Station on "The Greatness of Washington," and the Illinois Society supplied the main

feature of the program given at the Hamilton Club in commemoration of Washington's Birthday, with former President James G. Skinner making the principal address.

SPRINGFIELD CHAPTER—The 36th year of this Chapter was brought to a close at the Annual Meeting held on the evening of December 21st, when reports of the activities of the year past were listened to with much interest and plans for the year to follow formulated. President Carroll C. Hall presided, and introduced the speaker of the evening, Compatriot Porter Paddock, who spoke on "Valley Forge," this being appropriate to the series which the chapter has heard throughout the year on the great events in the life of General Washington.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, John W. Black; Vice-President, Charles E. Knapp; Secretary-Treasurer, Isaac R. Diller; Historian, John M. Tipton; Registrar, Henry E. Hall; Chaplain, Nelson L. Allyn; Sergeant at Arms, Samuel S. Hankins.

SPRINGFIELD CHAPTER is honored in having as one of its members, a grandson of the American Revolution, Compatriot Amos Guseman, who on December 28th celebrated his 93rd birthday. This is the third member of the Chapter so closely connected with our early struggle for freedom.

Indiana Society

The 44th Annual meeting of this Society was held at the Spink Arms Hotel, Indianapolis, on the afternoon of Saturday, February 25, at which time reports were received and the following officers elected for the ensuing year: President, Mark H. Reasoner; Vice-Presidents, Charles L. Barry, Cornelius F. Posson, Martin L. Koons, and Roscoe Kiper; Secretary, Fred I. Willis; Registrar, Newton H. Keister; Treasurer, Herbert E. Redding; Historian, Clarence L. Smith, of New Castle; Chaplain, Rev. Lewis Brown, D. D.; Genealogist, Augustus R. Markle, of Terre Haute. Clarence A. Cook was nominated as National Trustee. The Board of Managers includes: Col. John T. Barnett, Dr. Fletcher Hodges, Frank Fowler, George H. Jeffrey, Col. Robert L. Moorehead, Oscar L. Watkins, Dr. Leon G. Zerfas, Clarence A. Cook, Jacob E. Mechling, Charles F. Remy, Charles E. Cox, Dr. Bernays Kennedy, H. O. Chamberlain, Thomas A. Dailey, A. M. Glossbrenner and Charles A. Breece, all

of Indianapolis; James H. Haberly of Fort Wayne, Elmer S. Clark, LaFayette, John B. Campbell, South Bend, Alfred A. Faurot, Terre Haute, Charles A. Carlisle, South Bend, William C. Royse, Terre Haute, William C. Reed, Vincennes, and John L. Schrum, Crawfordsville.

Following the business session, a banquet was held at the Columbia Club in honor of the visit to this Society of the President General, Frederick W. Millspaugh of Nashville, Tennessee. Mrs. Roscoe O'Brien of Brookville, State Regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and Mrs. A. P. Poorman, State Director of the Children of the American Revolution, were also special guests for this occasion. The principal address, following that of the President General on the work of the Society, was by Henry M. Dowling, of Indianapolis, whose subject was "The Constitution and the Common Man."

The Indiana Society expects soon to place an S. A. R. Official Grave Marker on the grave of George King, a Revolutionary soldier buried in the cemetery of the town of Milford, whose service was with the Virginia troops.

Louisiana Society

Commemorating the Bicentennial of the birth of George Washington, the Louisiana Society on the evening of December 21st last, presented a bronze bust of General Washington to the city of New Orleans, a replica of the Houdon statue. This took place in the New Orleans Public Library. President Edward T. Colton made the presentation, which was accepted by Mayor T. Semmes Walmsley for the city. The address was made by Hon. Henry W. Robinson, and the bust was unveiled by George T. Washington, a descendant of Col. Samuel Washington, eldest brother of George.

Maine Society

At the request of the *Paramount News*, on the 10th of January, the Real Son of the Maine Society, Osborne Allen, who was mentioned in our Maine items of the January S. A. R. Magazine, and his photograph shown, sat for a sound picture and told the story his father gave him of the sufferings of the soldiers at Valley Forge. In answer to some questions, he advised the people of the United States to retain the form of Government we now have

as it was the heritage our ancestors fought for. He thought the high taxes were caused by the multitude of high salaried officials in bureaus and commissions and by gangsters and criminals. Mr. Allen's father not only served throughout the Revolutionary War, but thirty-six years later enlisted and served throughout the War of 1812!

This picture of Mr. Allen received nationwide publicity, in which the Maine Society S. A. R. received its full share. How many compatriots were fortunate enough to be present at its showing?

The broadcasting of the series of 15-minute talks "Keeping America American," by Secretary Willis Hall of the Maine Society has received the most favorable notice both locally and in wider range, and was especially commended by Mr. Fred R. Marvin of the Committee on American Education of New York City which is sponsoring the talks in numerous localities throughout the United States, who writes that probably more requests for printed copies of these addresses have come from Portland than elsewhere.

The 42nd annual meeting and banquet of the Maine Society was held at Portland on the afternoon and evening of February 22nd and following reports received of the work of the past year, the election of officers resulted as follows: President, John L. Tewksbury, Camden; Vice-Presidents, Guy O. Vickery, Augusta, Henry T. Hooper, and Elmer E. Parmenter, Portland; Secretary-Treasurer, Willis B. Hall; Registrar, Clarence E. Eaton; Historian, Edward K. Gould; Chaplain, Rev. Israel Jordan; Librarian, Joseph S. Bucknam; Flag Bearer, Warren C. King. Managers: Russell M. Hosmer, Brunswick, Will O. Hersey, Leslie E. Norwood, David E. Moulton and Ralph F. Goodhue, all of Portland.

The Maine Society expressed its loyalty to the National Society by responding promptly and substantially to the appeal for an advance of funds on account of incoming dues, and for loans to tide over the unfortunate loss of funds sustained by the National Society and sent generous amounts to be applied in both categories, from its treasury and through the personal generosity of members. Most appreciative acknowledgments have been received.

A tribute to the Honorable Archie Lee Talbot, greatly beloved compatriot, whose death occurred on December 30, will be found on another page of this issue.

The customary feature was observed of having as guests of the Society the winners of Good Citizenship Medals, awarded to pupils of the public schools of Portland. These young people were the dinner guests of the Society and their appreciation of the courtesy extended as well as of the Medals was fully in evidence. Those in attendance were delighted to be shown the movie film of Mr. Osborne Allen, mentioned above, and to receive the greetings of the Regent of the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Oscar A. Fick, and of the State Regent, Mrs. Florence W. Danforth. The Rev. John C. Schroeder, pastor of the State Street Congregational Church, was the speaker. Retiring President Walter B. Brockway presided at the business meeting and banquet.

OLD FALMOUTH CHAPTER, Portland—The Chapter met on the afternoon of February 22nd, shortly preceding the meeting of the State Society, and elected the following officers: President, Warren C. King; Vice-Presidents, Frank C. Allen, Edward T. Richardson, Will O. Hersey; Secretary, Willis Blake Hall; Treasurer, Willard F. Keith; Registrar, Charles L. Hutchinson. Managers: Convers E. Leach, Walter B. Brockway, Henry T. Hooper, Charles Dunn, Jr. President Convers E. Leach presided at this meeting, and the members later joined the State Society at the annual banquet above described.

Massachusetts Society •

The annual celebration of Washington's Birthday was carried out as usual by the Massachusetts Society, the members attending the Governor's Reception at the State House, Boston, at noon, escorted by the Society's Color Guard, and thence to the equestrian statue of Washington in the Public Gardens, where jointly with the D. A. R. and C. A. R., wreaths were placed and impressive commemorative exercises conducted. Following these exercises, compatriots enjoyed dinner at the Hotel Kenmore.

A very fine memorial service in tribute to the late Calvin Coolidge was held in Boston on March 1 by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts at the State House which many Compatriots of the Massachusetts Society attended in respect to their former member. The address was delivered by the former Governor of Massachusetts, Hon. Channing H. Cox, a Compatriot of the Massachusetts Society. Governor Cox was Lieutenant Governor of Massachu-

setts when Mr. Coolidge was Governor and had previously been Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, and had intimate contact with Mr. Coolidge during an important period in the latter's career, so that it was most fitting that he should have been selected to pay this final tribute in behalf of his state.

OLD ESSEX and OLD SALEM CHAPTERS of Lynn and Salem joined in observing the 159th anniversary of the Boston Tea Party on the evening of December 16th at the Willey House, Swampscott. Following a delightful dinner menu the members were addressed by Melville C. Freeman of Boston on "Thomas Jefferson" whose portrayal was of absorbing interest. President Vernon G. Morrow of OLD ESSEX CHAPTER and President Willard W. Woodman of OLD SALEM CHAPTER with Luther Atwood, past President of the Massachusetts State Society, and other officers were seated at the speakers' table.

GEORGE WASHINGTON CHAPTER, Springfield—The midwinter meeting of this Chapter was held in the Bridgeway Hotel on Wednesday evening, January 25, with an attendance of thirty members. The evening was devoted to entertainment which was provided by Paul W. Raffke, magician. No business was transacted.

The annual meeting of the Chapter was held on Wednesday, February 22. The speaker was the Very Reverend Percy T. Edrop, Dean of Christ Church Cathedral. The usual business of the annual meeting was transacted.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Theodore R. Ramage; Vice-Presidents, Herbert R. Wolcott, Charles A. Allbe, Burt B. Farnsworth; Secretary, Irving S. Brooks; Registrar, J. Stuart Kirkham; Treasurer, Leland F. Bardwell; Historian, Seth H. Clark; Chaplain-Genealogist, Rev. Herbert E. Thayer; Auditor, Paul I. Lombard; Trustee of Permanent Fund, Henry A. Field.

Appropriate and finely expressed resolutions were passed by the Chapter on the death of former President Calvin Coolidge, who was an Honorary Member of GEORGE WASHINGTON CHAPTER.

On March 6th, the Chapter accepted the invitation of Mercy Warren Chapter, D. A. R. to attend a joint fellowship meeting in the Women's Club House following its regular monthly business session. President Ramage made a brief introductory speech, to present past President John F. Streeter who gave a fine "Flag Talk" upon which he has devoted much research and study.

BOSTON CHAPTER held its 235th meeting at the Women's Republican Club, Boston, on January 27, followed by dinner, President Gilbert C. Brown, Jr., presiding.

Professor Albert Bushnell Hart of Harvard University, Historian of the Massachusetts Society and Historian of the United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission, delivered a most interesting address on a subject of his own choosing: "If Washington were President now, Would he Recognize Russia?" Professor Hart described Washington's opportunities for travel, his varied fields of activities, the territory covered by him in his journeys, and his contacts with prominent men of many nations,—although he never travelled outside of his own country. He spoke of the conditions now existing in the government of Russia, its attitude toward other nations of the world; and stated that, in his opinion, if Washington were President now, he would not recognize Russia.

Among the guests present were Compatriot Arthur M. McCrillis, Past Vice President General for New England, and a member of the National Executive Committee, and Mrs. McCrillis, and President Willis Doane Rich of the Massachusetts Society.

Compatriot McCrillis spoke briefly of the work of the National Committee of Correspondence and Safety, and the Chapter adopted a resolution opposing recognition of the government of Russia by the United States.

President Rich presented World War Service Medals to Compatriots Melville Halstead Rood and Roy Mead Ogden.

Michigan Society

DETROIT CHAPTER—At the luncheon meeting of DETROIT CHAPTER, held at the Hotel Statler on January 5, the members were addressed by Mr. J. Fred Lawton on "My Juvenile Court Experiences," in which Mr. Lawton told a thrilling story. At the February meeting, Mr. Lent D. Upson, Director and Secretary of the Detroit Bureau of Governmental Research, spoke on "A Research Man's Viewpoint of Government." The Bureau is an unofficial agency supported by Detroit citizens to promote efficiency and economy in government by all lawful means.

President William L. Jenks has announced the personnel of following committees:

NEW CHAPTERS AND MEMBERSHIP: Joseph H. Wasson, Detroit; Alvah B. Cady, Benton

Harbor; George W. Ames, Grand Rapids; Dr. Arthur K. Bennett, Marquette; Carl H. Klein-stuck, Kalamazoo; Thomas Stockton, Flint; Marcus N. Farley, Battle Creek; Dr. E. Bur-ton Newell, Grand Rapids. FINANCE: Charles A. Kanter, Detroit; Frederick T. Harward, Detroit; Harold C. Brooks, Marshall; Albert A. Smith, Howell; Henry O. Chapoton, Mount Clemens. SCHOOL MEDALS: Milton E. Os-born, Lansing; Elmer S. Sutton, Sault Ste. Marie; Don A. Cawthra, Grand Rapids; Rev. G. Warren Peek, Ypsilanti; Rev. Harold W. Rosebrook, St. Johns; Robert W. Allen, Cold-water; Cameron C. Hosner, Romeo; Frederick J. Baldwin, Munsing. PUBLICITY: Morris R. McCormick, Detroit; Glenn K. Stimson, Lan-sing; Charles A. French, Holland. PATRIOTIC LEGISLATION: George E. Bushnell, Detroit; Chase S. Osborn, Sault Ste. Marie; Wallace C. Hall, Detroit; George H. Kimball, Pontiac; Joe C. Foster, Lansing. ENTERTAINMENT AND PROGRAM: Norman B. Conger, Detroit; Han-nibal A. Hopkins, Port Huron; Herman L. Stevens, Port Huron; Duncan J. McColl, Jr., Port Huron; Kenneth W. Hill, Mount Clem-ens. HISTORICAL: Dr. Harlan L. Feeman, Adrian; Prof. Walter B. Ford, Ann Arbor; William A. Stone, Jr., Kalamazoo; Dr. Sher-idan E. Gardiner, Mt. Pleasant; S. Howard Swift, Lansing. AMERICANIZATION AND EDU-CATION: William C. Krichbaum, Detroit; Harry C. Leonard, Grand Rapids, Frederick N. Bosson, Calumet; Dr. Jay M. Osborne, Ann Arbor; Lee M. Hutchins, Grand Rapids. FLAG: Lloyd DeWitt Smith, Detroit; A. Jer-ome Bosley, Detroit; Dr. Walter E. Bostwick, Algonac; Charles N. Remington, Grand Rapids.

WASHTENAW CHAPTER, Ann Arbor—The annual meeting of this Chapter was held on the evening of January 10 at the home of the retiring President, Dr. J. M. Osborn. Plans were formulated for the usual Washington Birthday dinner, and it was voted to continue the awards of Good Citizenship Medals which has been one of the outstanding patriotic efforts of the organization for several years. The Medals are given to the junior high schools of Ann Arbor and to the rural schools of the county. An interesting address by Dr. Ches-ter Arnold on western mountain ranges illus-trated by motion pictures was enjoyed.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Dr. Roger L. Morrison; Vice-Pres-ident, Hugh E. Keeler; Secretary-Treasurer, Dr. Warren W. Florer; Chaplain, Rev. G. Warren Peek, of Ypsilanti; Historian, W. B. Hinsdale.

WASHTENAW CHAPTER, meeting jointly with the Sarah Caswell Angell Chapter, D. A. R., on Washington's Birthday, adopted the fol-lowing Resolutions, with preamble (the latter being omitted for conservation of space):

Be it Resolved, that the Sarah Caswell Angell Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Washtenaw Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution—gathered together in Ann Arbor, Michigan, this 22nd day of February, 1933, in joint tribute to the memory of George Washington—do hereby approve the Principles of National Defense as set forth in the National Defense Act of 1920, and do hereby commend and support the programme and activities of the Reserve Officers Association of the United States and the Michigan Department thereof in the matter of the fulfilment of the minimum requirements of said Act; and

Be it Further Resolved, that copies of this Resolution be forwarded to our several national officers, the Senators and Representatives of Michigan in Congress, and such other individuals and organizations as may seem advisable.

Minnesota Society

The annual meeting was held Tuesday eve-ning, January 17th, at the Curtis Hotel, Min-neapolis, President E. H. Harbison of Duluth presiding. The speaker of the evening was Mr. Ross N. Young, whose subject was "The Modern Program in Education." Mr. Young, in speaking of the great advantages offered the pupils of today stated that the 8th grade pupil is better qualified now to teach than was the teacher of the "little Red School House" of other days. He stressed the importance of athletics in the development of character as well as for its physical value, and paid a tribute to the training and ability of the teach-ers of today.

Major Floyd E. Eller also spoke on the Na-tional Defense Act and explained the "Council for National Defense" branches which are being organized in many cities in Minnesota, following which the Minnesota Society voted to affiliate with the movement.

The following officers were elected for the year 1933: President, John J. Louis; Vice-Presidents, Francis A. Markoe, of St. Paul, Col. Frank C. Tenney of Duluth; Secretary-Treasurer, Albert R. Van Dyck; Registrar, Herbert C. Varney, St. Paul; Historian, Dr. Ray R. Knight; Chaplain, Dr. J. Tallmadge Bergen; National Trustee, H. L. Beecher, of New Ulm. Managers include Ward H. Ben-ton, Ben W. Palmer, Herbert T. Park, Stelle S. Smith, H. P. Howard, Dr. Leslie S. Keyes, all of Minneapolis; Dr. H. O. Skinner, Bruce W. Sanborn, Frank L. Powers, W. B. Irwin, Ralph E. Walker, and Capt. A. J. Russell, of St. Paul; and from the state at large, Dr. C. L. Scofield, Benson; Julius E. Haycraft, Fair-mont; R. H. Watkins, Winona; G. H. Crosby,

Duluth; William T. Mount, Aitkin; James P. Bird, Northfield.

DULUTH CHAPTER—An election of officers of DULUTH CHAPTER held in January resulted as follows: President, Rev. Robert E. Fry; Vice-Presidents, W. S. Telford, L. M. Pharis; Secretary, E. H. Harbison; Treasurer, F. E. Coolbaugh.

GENERAL WARREN CHAPTER, Montevideo, held its eighth annual meeting February 17th at the home of the President with an attend-ance of thirty-five members and guests. Chapter officers elected for the ensuing year are, Walter E. B. Dunlap, President; E. A. Hazeltine, Vice-President, Bert A. Whitmore, Secretary-Treasurer. Compatriot M. C. Sum-ner was the assisting host. Following a patri-otic program Mayor J. J. Brown, who served with a contingent of Railroad officers in Japan and Siberia during the World War, gave an in-teresting travelogue. This chapter holds reg-ular meetings on the third Friday of each month from October through May.

Montana Society

The Compatriots of the Montana Society held their Thirty-ninth Annual Convention and Social Reunion Wednesday, February 22nd, in Helena, at the residence of Vice-President General Leslie Sulgrove, and duly observed the Two Hundred and First anni-versary of the birthday of our "Patriae Pater."

The Secretary reported the Society to be in excellent condition and that a vast amount of work had been done during the Bicentennial, and the various holidays had been well ob-served, in almost every conceivable manner, from tree planting to banquets, minuets and contests. The membership had increased and quite a large number proposed.

Officers elected for 1933-34 are: President, Francis Wright Sharpe, Great Falls; Vice-President, Ralph Brice, Hamilton; Secretary-Treasurer, Leslie Sulgrove, Helena; Registrar, Oliver Turnbull Crane, Helena; Historian, Harvey Coit, Big Timber; Chaplain, Roy Henry Glover, Great Falls; Librarian, Frank Skyler Hedges, Saco; Board of Managers: Chairman, Charles Henry Loud, Miles City; Carl Lee Brattin, Sidney; Harold Jamison Knowlton, Butte; Arthur White, Columbia Falls; William Runnels Van Orden, Butte; Clinton H. Roos, Helena; Dr. Robert Wilson Getty, Galen; John Wesley Hanley, Lewis-town; Washington Jay McCormick II, Mis-soula; Charles W. Rhule, Wickes.

Arthur Milton McCrillis, nominee of the Rhode Island Society for President-General at the Forty-fourth Congress, at Cincinnati, was unanimously endorsed, as was Vice-Pres-ident Leslie Sulgrove for re-election in the Rocky Mountain District, and Dr. Edward Gregory Ellis was nominated for National Trustee for the Montana Society.

Delegates to Forty-fourth Congress were elected as follows: Leslie Sulgrove; Dr. Ed-ward Gregory Ellis; Governor William Wal-lace McDowell; Hon. John Scott Harrison; Dr. James Lloyd Jensen.

A vote of thanks was extended to Governor John E. Erickson, Warren Moses, Publicity Bureau Director and Miss Elizabeth Ireland, Superintendent of Schools, for valuable as-sistance in the observance of the Washington Bicentennial.

New Jersey Society

The customary "George Washington Birth-day" banquet was dispensed with this year but in its stead a luncheon was held on Saturday, February 18th, at the Hotel Berwick, Newark, which was well attended. Prof. Dixon Ryan Fox of Columbia College was the guest speaker. As there were also representatives of other organizations present, President Louis Sherwood asked for greetings. Those who re-sponded were Mrs. William J. Ward, N. J. State Regent, D. A. R.; Compatriot Louis Annin Ames, Past President General, S. A. R.; Compatriot Arthur H. Churchill, Governor, Society of Mayflower Descendants in N. J.; Compatriot J. Albert Van Horn, President So-ciety of the War of 1812 in N. J.; Compa-triot Rev. Dr. Frank A. Smith, Past Chap-lain General, S. A. R., and Chancellor H. Pres-cott Beach, N. J. Society, S. A. R. Music was furnished by the Colonial Male Quartette from Station WAAM, led by Compatriot W. W. Ingersoll.

Washington's Birthday was observed by a special church service, especially arranged for the occasion by Rev. Frank C. Armstrong, D. D., Rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Hoboken, N. J. The colors of fourteen pa-triotic and military organizations were repre-sented in the "massed colors" in front of the Warriors' Shrine, which was conceived by Dr. Armstrong, "not to glorify war but to keep alive the spirit of devotion and patriot-ism of former times." During the services Louis Sherwood, President of the N. J. So-ciety, S. A. R. and Col. Harry G. Thomas of

the N. J. Society of the War of 1812 presented silk banners on behalf of their respective organizations. Flags of many nations and banners of many patriotic organizations and relics of many wars now decorate the Shrine.

ORANGE CHAPTER—The January meeting was held on the nineteenth. Mr. Joseph P. Murphy, probation officer of Essex County, spoke on "The Probation Service and Cost of Crime." Refreshments were served after the meeting. The Chapter joined with the Orange Mountain Chapter, D. A. R., in a church service on the evening of February 19th at the First Presbyterian Church, Orange. The annual meeting will be held in March; the date has not been definitely fixed.

MONTCLAIR CHAPTER held its annual Church Service in commemoration of George Washington in the First Congregational Church on Sunday afternoon, February 19th, under the joint auspices of the MONTCLAIR CHAPTER, S. A. R., and Eagle Rock Chapter, D. A. R. It was a most inspiring sight to witness the "massing of the colors" of the 25 organizations present. Rev. LeRoy W. Warren, of Plainfield, delivered the address, the theme being "Good Citizenship." Special music was provided by Mr. Mark Andrews, organist and choirmaster of the church.

Washington's Birthday was observed by placing a wreath on the Washington Boulder and Tablet, corner of Valley Road and Claremont Avenue. Members of the Eagle Rock Chapter joined in the exercises. The March meeting was held on March 9th at the Montclair Art Museum. This was a joint meeting with the Eagle Rock Chapter, D. A. R. Mrs. William A. Becker, National Defense Committee, D. A. R., and Mr. Arthur M. McCrillis, National Committee of Correspondence and Safety, S. A. R., addressed the assemblage.

NEWARK CHAPTER—The first of the "Winter Series" of meetings was held on December 13, 1932, at the New Jersey Society Headquarters, Newark. About 40 members were present to enjoy the spirited address by Judge Robert Carey of Jersey City on "Good Citizenship." Proper resolutions denouncing the recent election scandal in Newark; the commending of the Prosecutor of Essex County for his action and the calling upon the Board of Commissioners to use every effort to have the guilty perpetrators of the fraud punished, were unanimously adopted.

NEWARK CHAPTER's award of twenty-six Good Citizenship Medals in January deserves

special mention. This is one of the outstanding activities of this Chapter and is directed by Chairman Mahlon W. Parsons. Through his energy prominent members of the Chapter volunteer to make the presentations in the respective schools, giving cheerfully of their time out of very busy lives for this splendid purpose. A list of the winners of these Medals is filed with the National Chairman of this Committee, and it is gratifying to note how the number of awards grows each year. These awards are made twice annually in January and June.

On February 13th Compatriot William H. Broadwell gave a stereopticon exhibit of slides entitled "From Valley Forge to Newburgh." The slides were made from photographs taken by himself. Compatriot Louis L. Blauvelt read a paper especially prepared for the occasion.

On Washington's Birthday the members of the **NEWARK CHAPTER**, and Nova Cæsarea Chapter, D. A. R., placed wreaths on the statue of Washington in Washington Park, Newark. Following this ceremony, "open house" was held for the afternoon when refreshments were served. Music was furnished by the Colonial Male Quartette from Station WAAM led by Compatriot W. W. Ingersoll.

PASSAIC VALLEY CHAPTER, Summit—On December 5 members of the Chapter, and the Beacon Fire Chapter, D. A. R., met in the auditorium of the Summit Y. M. C. A. and listened to addresses by Rev. J. M. Howard, D. D.; Charles C. Marsh and D. Stanton Hammond, representatives of the Washington Headquarters, Morristown, Wallace House, Somerville, and Dey House, Preakness, respectively. Music was furnished by a male quartette.

MAPLEWOOD CHAPTER joined with the **PASSAIC VALLEY CHAPTER** on January 26th in a debate "Is the Machine a Friend to Man?" Compatriots Stillman and Sweeney represented the affirmative (Maplewood) and Compatriots Eastman and deSelding represented the negative (Passaic Valley). The judges decided the debate a draw. Dinner, at the Washington Inn, Maplewood, preceded the meeting.

WEST FIELD'S CHAPTER January meeting was held on Friday evening, January 27th, at the home of Compatriot and Mrs. Burr A. Towl.

JERSEY CITY CHAPTER—A "Depression Party," under the auspices of the **JERSEY CITY**

CHAPTER, S. A. R., Paulus Hook and Bergen Chapters, D. A. R., and Jane Tuers Chapter, C. A. R., was held in the Old Bergen Church, Jersey City on February 8th. Admission to the party were articles of clothing or non-perishable food. A most gratifying collection of both were received which were distributed to the needy of the city, through the office of the Jersey City Chapter, American Red Cross. Games and dancing were enjoyed. The music was furnished by a hurdy gurdy, with a fortune telling parrot. The refreshments consisted of pretzels and cider. During the evening an old boot was set up labeled "Shoe Fund" which drew about \$50 from the pockets of those present, for the purchase of new shoes. On February 10th Chaplain, Rev. Harry Noble, addressed the students of Lincoln High School on "Lincoln." The Allied Patriotic Societies held their annual Washington Church Service on February 19th in the Old Bergen Church. Compatriot Judge Richard Hartshorne delivered the address. Two Chapter Radio broadcasts were made over station WHOM; one in November and one in February.

NUTLEY CHAPTER—"Charter Night" was held December 16, when State President, Louis Sherwood presided and inducted into office George R. B. Symonds as President of the Chapter. There were about 70 present at the exercises including National, State and Chapter officers and members, the Mayor and Commissioners.

The program opened with a solo, "My Own United States," rendered by Mr. Charles Wirth. Cadet Major Alvord Finn of Rutgers University led in the presentation of Colors to the great satisfaction of those present for as Cadet Sergeant, he was awarded the State Society's sabre last June as the honor student of the Junior Class. Preceding the Colors, three members of the Nutley Post, American Legion, portrayed "The Spirit of '76." The presentation of charter and charge to members was made by State Chancellor H. Prescott Beach. Compatriot William H. Rauchfuss of Captain ABRAHAM GODWIN CHAPTER presented the new Chapter with a gavel and block made from the wood of the butternut tree in Preakness under which Generals Washington and Lafayette conferred in 1780. Following the retirement of the Colors, supper was served during which Mayor W. F. Reinheimer congratulated the new Chapter.

Empire State Society

SYRACUSE CHAPTER—The Annual election of officers of this Chapter was held in November at which time the following were all re-elected: President, Eugene A. Beach; Vice-President, Frank M. Bonta; Treasurer, Willis E. Gaylord; Secretary, Willard R. Seymour; Registrar, Edward K. Ives; Historian, Bradford W. Sherwood; Chaplain, Rev. Henry Harrison Hadley, D. D.

At this meeting Dr. William G. Hinsdale spoke with interest of the history surrounding the old Jesuit Well and French Fort on the Liverpool-Syracuse highway. A committee was appointed by President Beach to arrange for the marking of three historical sites, the old upper Onondaga Village at the mouth of Onondaga Creek; the lower Village on Dorwin Avenue Road and the old village south of Jamesville on the Keough farm.

A commemorative plaque is in possession of the Chapter ready to be placed on the site of the old French Fort above mentioned, and action is being deferred subject to information as to the ownership of the land.

In December, the Chapter met to hear Mr. Edward K. Ives recount the history of SYRACUSE CHAPTER from its organization in 1896 to 1911 which proved of deep interest to all who were privileged to hear the address.

At the January meeting the program was in the hands of the committee of Correspondence and Safety of which Mr. Charles P. Morse is Chairman, and which has been very active. Over 800 "Flag Codes" have been distributed by this Committee and much citizenship work is being done in cooperation with the Patriotic Committee of the American Legion of which Mr. Morse is also a member. A fine address was heard at this time on Benjamin Franklin.

It is the policy of the Chapter so far as possible to hold its monthly meetings on the anniversary of some special patriotic occasion and this revival of a former custom proves valuable as a reminder of our debt to history.

On February 10th, the Chapter met jointly with the Onondaga Historical Association at which time the many valuable historical documents and manuscripts and articles of interest in the possession of the latter were described and offered for inspection.

ROCHESTER CHAPTER—The work of marking Revolutionary Graves in the vicinity of Rochester which has been seriously undertaken

by this Chapter, is progressing. On December 16th a joint meeting of the Board of Management with the Genealogical Committee of Irondequoit Chapter D. A. R. was held and plans made for joint work in this field. Dr. Bradford W. Sherwood of Syracuse who is Chairman of this work for SYRACUSE CHAPTER was present and gave the committee the benefit of his practical experience in this line, as his Chapter has done outstanding work of this type. Dr. Sherwood said, among other things: "It took three years for our Chapter to pass the resolution to mark two graves. However, that was the beginning of the work which has resulted in marking more than 70 graves and we find the work inspiring in a fine patriotic way."

A definite program for ROCHESTER CHAPTER was adopted by its Board of Managers. It has three slogans: "Buy American Goods," "Patriotic Citizenship in the Public Schools," "Mark Graves of Revolutionary Soldiers."

At a meeting of the Board on February 9, as the guest of Treasurer George H. Minot, the report from the Chairman of the Committee on Grave Marking, Mr. A. Emerson Babcock, was presented and recommended in general the use of a small granite post to be set low in the ground, generally at the foot of the grave, into which may be inserted the special Marker of the S. A. R. when desired. It frequently happens that very old headstones or monuments are too friable for such insertion.

It is planned to mark graves of several ancestors of members of the Chapter as soon as the weather is more settled and this will involve trips to outlying cemeteries when appropriate exercises will be held.

At this meeting former President Bradstreet, in discussing the awards of Good Citizenship Medals told the following incident:

"Some weeks ago, a boy, who had won a citizenship medal, lost it in a fire which occurred in his home. He was very much put out about it and spoke of it often to his mother. He said there was nothing that he owned that he so greatly prized. The mother finally went to his teacher and asked her if she could not get the boy another medal. The teacher said she did not know, but would talk to a newspaper friend of hers who was acquainted with some of the members of the Rochester Chapter, S. A. R."

The Board, upon hearing this story, instantly voted to present the boy with another medal at some future time, with appropriate exercises.

Members of the Chapter attended the Maine Memorial Services of the L. Boardman Smith Camp No. 25, United Spanish War Veterans of Rochester, held February 15 at the Columbus Civic Center. The speaker was Rev. Chidwick, Chaplain of the "Maine" when it sank.

ROCHESTER CHAPTER united with the Irondequoit Chapter, D. A. R., for the Washington's Birthday banquet and the attendance was more than 100. Mrs. John P. Mosher, Regent of the Daughters, and Charles E. Ogden, President of the Sons, occupied the center of the speaker's table. At the table were ex-President General Harvey F. Remington and wife, Bishop David Lincoln Ferris and wife, Mrs. Arthur E. Sutherland, ex-regent of the Irondequoit Chapter, D. A. R., and Judge Sanford T. Church, President of the Empire State Society, S. A. R. A very pleasant surprise was the presence of Col. Ulysses S. Grant, 3rd, as the guest of Theodore Cazeau of Rochester, former National Commander of the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War. Col. Grant is the grandson of former President U. S. Grant, and a member of the Empire State Society, and the audience greeted him with cheers as he entered the room. He made a brief address filled with common sense and sturdy patriotism. Bishop Ferris, head of the Rochester Episcopal diocese, gave a short but quite complete synopsis of the life of Washington. It was left to Judge Church to make a deep and lasting impression on his hearers as he described the sufferings of the soldiers at Valley Forge under the masterful leadership of Washington. He appealed to his hearers to counteract the spirit of communism by cultivating and promulgating a constructive patriotism.

A meeting under the direction of Compatriot Henry Lampert, Director of Correspondence and Safety, and Compatriot Howard Van R. Palmer and Compatriot Dr. Judson F. Browne, warning the public against the propaganda which the Communists and Soviets are spreading, was held March 15. The speaker was Col. Clayton J. Herman of the Organized Reserves, 391st Infantry, who gave a masterly description of the work that is being done by the communists and the ignorant to destroy

the institutions of the Government of the United States. At the close of the address, resolutions were adopted setting forth the dangers that were involved in this harmful propaganda and asking all good citizens to join in an effort to stamp it out.

NEW YORK CHAPTER—The NEW YORK CHAPTER has arranged for a series of monthly Smokers, at which there will be addresses by prominent speakers on interesting topics of the day. The first meeting was held at Headquarters in the Hotel Lexington on Thursday evening, January 12th, and we were fortunate in having as our speaker the Honorable Edward P. Mulrooney, Police Commissioner of New York City, who gave a very interesting talk of the work of his Department.

The second Smoker of the series was on the evening of Monday, February 27th, and at this time we were honored by the presence of Lieutenant-General Robert Lee Bullard, U. S. A., who, from his intimate knowledge of the subject, gave us a most instructive address on the Philippines. Both these meetings were unusually well attended, many compatriots bringing guests.

BUFFALO CHAPTER—A luncheon meeting was held on March 4th at the Hotel Statler with an excellent attendance, and much interest aroused over the debate arranged on the topic "Should the 18th Amendment to the Constitution of the U. S. be repealed?" The affirmative side of the question was argued by Mr. John C. Ward, and the Negative by Past President G. Barrett Rich. President Ross Graves presided.

Arrangements were made by which the Compatriots could receive radio reports of the inauguration ceremonies at Washington.

The Chapter voted to purchase the special certificate of indebtedness to be issued by the National Society to the amount of \$300 to assist in the present financial stringency.

North Dakota Society

This Society has been "carrying on" bravely in spite of adverse conditions which have doubtless been more keenly felt in this section than in many. Much activity has been shown in an effort to combat communistic doctrines and propaganda, and the Correspondence and Safety Director for North Dakota, Judge B. F. Spaulding, has been an effective and frequent speaker throughout the State in behalf of anti-radicalism during his term of service.

Early in February a meeting was held at the home of Judge Hanna in Fargo of representatives of many patriotic societies to arrange for a mass meeting on Washington's Birthday. This proved to be an outstanding success and was sponsored and directed by the S. A. R. of Fargo, ably assisted by the participating organizations.

Sympathy is extended to Vice President General Louis B. Hanna in his bereavement in the loss of Mrs. Hanna on January 2nd, after a long and painful illness. Judge Hanna's many friends both in North Dakota and throughout the Society will be grieved to learn of his sorrow.

Ohio Society

CINCINNATI CHAPTER — Monthly noon-day luncheons have become quite an interesting feature of our activities, the attendance has been excellent and through it the membership have become better acquainted. The speaker at the January luncheon was Rev. Father Wm. P. O'Connor, former Chaplain in the A. E. F. Father O'Connor is actively identified with the religious and civic life of Cincinnati. Many interesting anecdotes, not only of his experiences at home, but also in France, were related in such a manner as to be thoroughly enjoyed.

On Wednesday evening, February 22nd, the annual meeting, banquet, and election of officers, was held at the University Club, and the following officers were elected:

President, George L. Blackford; Vice Presidents, Dr. J. Culver Hartzell, E. Nelson High, Stuart R. Miller, Earl E. Ertel; Secretary, George W. Johnson; Treasurer, John P. H. Brewster; Registrar, Victor L. Tyree; Chaplain, Rev. Edward Payson Whallon; Historian, Anthony B. Dunlap.

The Board of Governors consists of the following: Stanley Clay Roettinger, Lawrence J. Bradford, Dr. Emmons Rutledge Booth, Frederick L. Rowe, Charles A. Neal, William R. Collins, John H. Dickerson, Samuel A. Stevens and Samuel E. Kaiper.

Following the dinner, Major Charles A. King, U. S. A., gave his famous address "The Lion of Albania." Members failing to attend this meeting missed a very interesting address.

Full and complete reports were made by all officers covering the activities of the Chapter for the past year. It is needless to say that the Chapter has prospered under the guidance of the Honorable Stanley C. Roet-

tinger, retiring President, and he is to be congratulated upon its healthy condition.

CINCINNATI CHAPTER, as host to the forthcoming Congress of the National Society, is making extensive plans for a delightful hospitality to the delegates and their guests who are planning to attend, and all are assured of a most cordial welcome and a very happy time. More extended announcement of these plans will be found elsewhere in this issue.

GEORGE ROGERS CLARK CHAPTER, Springfield—A fine attendance of members and guests greeted the speaker at the annual dinner meeting of this Chapter on February 22nd, Dr. T. A. Kantonen of Hamma Divinity School, Wittenberg College, whose subject was "The Psychology of the American Revolution."

Compatriot Leon O. Reed of Yellow Springs gave a report on Revolutionary Soldiers' graves in the county.

The Chapter is planning to send a good delegation to the National Congress at Cincinnati in May.

The outstanding result of this meeting was the adoption by the organization of the following resolutions opposed to the recognition by the United States of Soviet Russia:

Whereas, There is a dangerous spread of Communism among many classes in the United States, due largely to unrestricted propaganda cunningly carried on by an active communist party affiliated with the Third International at Moscow and operating under the direction of its agents, and assisted by financial and industrial interests greedy for profits by many unreasoning instructors of American youth, duped and pacifist ministers, and by ill-informed and misguided persons; and

Whereas, The establishment of communism is predicated upon the promotion of class war and world revolution by force and violence; and

Whereas, All communists, foreign and domestic, are implacable enemies of our Government; and

Whereas, There is a widespread movement on foot, thoroughly organized and well financed, to secure the immediate recognition of the Soviet Russian government by the United States, be it

RESOLVED, That the George Rogers Clark Chapter of the Ohio Society of the Sons of the American Revolution by vote of its members is emphatically opposed to the recognition, by the United States, of the Soviet Government of Russia, until such time as that government shall abandon its pernicious activities against our own and other governmental systems and shall manifest a real intention to observe the principles of good faith and friendliness toward other nations which are characteristic of sound, civilized governments; be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the President of the United States after March 4, and to each of our Ohio Senators.

ANTHONY WAYNE CHAPTER, Toledo—This Chapter celebrated Washington's Birthday anniversary jointly with the Ursula Wolcott and Fort Industry Chapters, D. A. R., at the Toledo Club with a banquet at which President Wellington Huntsman of ANTHONY WAYNE CHAPTER presided. Hon. Grove Patterson, past President of the Chapter and of

the Ohio State Society, Toastmaster, and William E. Crabbs, President of the Ohio State Society, S. A. R., responded to the introduction, followed by brief greetings by Mrs. Lucius J. Sears and Mrs. Frank E. Walters, Regents of the two D. A. R. Chapters. An inspiring address by Dr. Clayton C. Kohl of the State University at Bowling Green on "Washington's Legacy to American Citizenship," and an address by Mrs. Lowell Fletcher Hobart, Past President General, Daughters of the American Revolution, were greatly enjoyed. Delightful musical selections by the Orpheus Club added much to the program.

Mr. Grove Patterson, former President, and nationally prominent in the newspaper world, as a member of the group known as the "Russian Seminar," will go to Russia this summer to participate in an intensive study of conditions there. Mr. Patterson has made the following statement with regard to this mission:

"While I believe that any report that might be made by this committee would be of very real value in helping the government to determine its policy in the matter of recognition, I believe it is inadvisable and improper for any member of the Seminar to go with any preconceived viewpoint. There is no basis for the assumption that the trip has anything to do with 'a move to facilitate early recognition of the Soviet Government by the United States'" (as reported in the *New York Times*).

NATHAN HALE CHAPTER, Youngstown—The invitation of the Youngstown Kiwanis Club to meet with them on February 24th was cordially accepted by the members of this Chapter and a large gathering was present to hear Major General Amos A. Fries, U. S. A. Retired, of Washington, newly elected President of the District of Columbia Society. General Fries spoke on "Americanism," in a most forceful and convincing manner and delighted his audience, which included representatives of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Officers Reserve, American Legion and other organizations. General Fries was invited to remain over the evening, when he spoke to the Youngstown Credit Men's Association.

Members of NATHAN HALE CHAPTER joined in the special Washington's Birthday service at St. John's Episcopal Church on February 19th, when the Rev. L. W. S. Stryker made the commemorative address.

The Chapter is active under the leadership of President E. E. Eyser and has recently acquired several new members.

Oklahoma Society

The annual meeting and banquet were held in the Colonial Room of the Y. W. C. A. Building at Oklahoma City on February 22. An enjoyable program was given with an address on the life of George Washington, prepared by Compatriot W. L. Crittenden, but because of his inability to be present on account of illness, it was delivered by Compatriot Edward F. McKay. Brief and interesting talks were given by General R. A. Sneed, Secretary of State of Oklahoma, and by Dr. George R. Tabor, past President of the State Society and National Commander of the Confederate Veterans Association, Mr. Merrill S. Bernard, President of TULSA CHAPTER, A. R. Hickam, President of OKLAHOMA CITY CHAPTER, George L. Bowman, past President of the State Society and Philas S. Jones, President of MONTFORD STOKES CHAPTER, Muskogee.

President Paul P. Pinkerton presided and made the annual address giving a report of the activities of the Oklahoma Society for the past year. Regular meetings have been held and the Society is in excellent condition. The annual report of Secretary Gilmore showed a slight membership increase.

Resolutions in tribute to members who have died during the year were adopted, these including Major Joseph H. Grant, Dr. Bird N. Hope and John P. Slaughter, all of whom were valued members of the Society.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Josephus O. Parr of Oklahoma City; Vice-Presidents, Paul M. Galloway of Sand Springs, Philas S. Jones, Muskogee, and Dr. Eugene S. Briggs, Durant; Registrar, William J. Bashaw, Historian, Joseph B. Thoburn, both of Oklahoma City; Chaplain, Dr. Hale V. Davis, Shawnee. The President will appoint the Secretary and Treasurer. Retiring President Paul P. Pinkerton will be the Society's delegate to the National Congress at Cincinnati.

The newly elected President of the Oklahoma Society, Mr. Josephus Parr, recently visited Washington and attended the Washington's Birthday meeting of the District of Columbia Society, and paid a visit to our National Headquarters, the personal contacts with the officers of these societies being mutually appreciated and enjoyed.

The Oklahoma Society is congratulating its State Chaplain, Dr. Hale V. Davis on his re-

cent inauguration as President of the Oklahoma Baptist University at Shawnee, of which college he is an alumnus.

Oregon Society

The annual election and banquet of the Oregon Society, held February 22nd at Portland, was an outstanding success, with a most delightful program and cordial social intercourse. The following new officers were elected: President, Irving Rand, formerly Registrar; Vice-President, Will H. Ross; Secretary, Frank S. Gannett; Treasurer, Thomas A. Rochester; Registrar, James S. Gay, all of Portland. Managers, George D. Dryer, Robert Tucker, Willis K. Clark, all of Portland, and Edward E. Graff of McMinnville.

The retiring President, Hon. Robert Tucker, presided. Reports showed a satisfactory condition of the Society. Through a personal gift of Past President General Wallace McCamant, and by vote of the Board of Managers of the Oregon Society, generous response to the appeal of the National Society for financial assistance at this time has been made, and these have been received with deepest appreciation.

The Society regrets the retirement from active service as Secretary of Mr. George D. Dryer, whose term has been of some years duration, and who was previously an active member of the Washington State Society.

It is of interest to note that this Society's annual meeting is coincident with that of the Maine Society at Portland, Maine.

Pennsylvania Society

The annual meeting of this Society took place on Washington's Birthday, in Pittsburgh, and the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year: President, E. F. G. Harper of New Castle; Vice-Presidents, Dr. S. S. Linhart, Hon. John S. Fisher of Pittsburgh, and Dr. Earle D. Laros of Easton; Secretary-Registrar, Rulof C. Schanck; Treasurer, John L. Walker; Assistant Treasurer, William A. Forsyth, all of Pittsburgh; Chaplain, Rev. C. W. Maus of Irwin; Historian, Lewis C. Walkinshaw of Greensburg; Chancellor, C. A. Woods, Sewickly; Genealogist, Edwin B. Graham of Pittsburgh. Thomas S. Brown was re-nominated as National Trustee. The Board of Management includes Harris L.

Awl, Duquesne; P. S. Spangler, Bellevue; Nelson Black, William S. Diggs, C. C. Poling, Fred C. Masten of Pittsburgh; O. E. Lafleur, Wilkinsburg; Albert D. Reynolds, Swissvale; and A. W. Wall of Carnegie.

This was a most enthusiastic meeting and one of the largest held in years. Retiring President Weaver H. Rogers presided and was given a special vote of thanks and appreciation for his conduct of this meeting and of his term of service as President at the close of the business session.

Preceding the meeting an informal luncheon was served and provided a fine opportunity for social contact and fellowship which was greatly enjoyed. Former Governor of Pennsylvania, Hon. John S. Fisher, was the speaker and delivered a most effective and impressive address. Lewis C. Walkinshaw of the NATHANAEEL GREENE CHAPTER of Greensburg, and now Historian of the State Society, spoke of the celebration of the Burning of Hannastown, which his Chapter had sponsored as an outstanding activity a few months ago.

The Society passed unanimously a resolution favoring an extension of the time for the required residence of aliens seeking naturalization and extending the restrictions of the present requirements before such applicants become eligible for naturalization. Retommendation that a similar resolution be presented at the Congress of the National Society at Cincinnati was adopted.

Reports from the representatives of several of the Pennsylvania Chapters who were present were received with much interest.

Following the business session, the newly elected officers were installed, and President Harper made a brief address of acknowledgment of the honor conferred upon him.

GENERAL NATHANAEEL GREENE CHAPTER, Greensburg—The Chapter's patriotic activities during the past quarter were confined to the Derry Township, Westmoreland County, High School, where the Chapter Historian, Lewis C. Walkinshaw, delivered an address to the student body on "The Beginnings of Derry Township," on which occasion the John Pomroy Historical Club was organized. John Pomroy was the first settler of Derry Township, and participated in the frontier warfare against the Indians at Ft. Wallace and Ft. Barr. He and fifteen other Revolutionary soldiers are buried at Salem Presbyterian Churchyard about the center of the township. On February 22nd the Chapter provided the

Rev. Roger H. Williams, of Greensburg, as the speaker, who delivered a masterly address to the students under the topic, "Washington." The Chapter members will later join the club in a historical hike to the pioneer home of John Pomroy and the location of Ft. Pomroy.

The new officers of the Chapter for the ensuing year, are: President, Benjamin Franklin Widaman; Vice-President, George Hamilton Adams; Secretary-Treasurer, Joseph C. Rial; Registrar, William J. Laughner; Historian, Lewis C. Walkinshaw; Chaplain, Charles R. Freed. William J. Laughner is Chairman of the Membership Committee, assisted by Arthur G. Page and David R. Walkinshaw; the Social Committee is headed by Robert L. Fairing, with Eugene Warden and Thomas S. Perkins; and the Historical Committee has W. Gilbert Irwin as Chairman with R. S. Kelley and Harry E. Cope, assisting.

PITTSBURGH CHAPTER—The newly elected officers of this Chapter are as follows: President, Dr. R. M. Sherrard; Vice-Presidents, J. Clark Mansfield, Daniel G. Krouse, W. S. Lobingier; Secretary, John M. Russell; Treasurer, J. R. Truesdale; Registrar, Rulof C. Schanck; Assistant Registrar, S. H. Livingston; Chancellor, W. R. McCommon; Chaplain, Rev. Charles L. Chalfant; Historian, Malcolm MacPherson. Managers: James E. Cowen, Dr. C. G. Hughes, Robert H. Wilson, Frank G. Love, M. C. Adams, E. L. Connelly.

GEORGE WASHINGTON CHAPTER, Washington—New officers of this Chapter have been elected as follows: President, Dr. Robert B. South, of Rea; Vice-Presidents, J. Kenneth Hill of Charleroi, William C. Gibson of Washington and Rev. William F. McKee of Vanderbilt; Secretary, J. Harold Chapman; Treasurer, S. Murray Pollock; Registrar, John N. O'Neil; Chaplain, C. L. McKee; Historian, Earle R. Forrest; Flag Custodian, Frank C. Lewis.

INDIANA CHAPTER has recently elected Hon. John S. Fisher, former Governor of Pennsylvania, as President, and George McHenry as Secretary-Treasurer.

VALLEY FORGE CHAPTER, Bethlehem—At a meeting held on the evening of January 11, in the University Room of the Hotel Bethlehem, Edward Wilde, a student at Moravian College and Theological Seminary, and a native of Russia, gave a very interesting and entertaining talk on conditions in Russia, in which he discussed the conditions in that country

leading up to the Revolution and described some of the plans and methods adopted and introduced by the Soviet. A buffet supper and social hour concluded the evening's enjoyable program.

The annual banquet was held on February 22nd in commemoration of the birthday of Washington at the Hotel Easton, Easton, at which time invitations were extended to the Daughters of the American Revolution of Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, and the Sons of the Revolution of these cities, to participate, and were cordially responded to. The guest speaker was Dr. William Mather Lewis, President of Lafayette College, whose subject was "Washington's Problems and Ours."

President Earle Laros presided. A delightful musical program supplemented the speaker's address.

NEW CASTLE CHAPTER—Newly elected officers of this Chapter are as follows: President, Ralph C. McGoun; Vice-President, Franklin R. Woods; Secretary, William W. McCoombs; Treasurer, Dr. W. Fulton Jackson; Registrar, Homer C. Drake; Historian, Francis G. Simonton; Chaplain, Rev. Philip Pearson.

PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER—Members of this Chapter attended a commemorative service on Sunday evening, February 19, at the Church of the Advocate, Germantown, when Compatriot Leigh W. Prentice delivered an address on George Washington, and the Colors of the Chapter were borne by the Color Guard.

At the Annual Meeting of the PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER, held January 16, at the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel, Philadelphia, Honorable Edwin O. Lewis, Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, of Philadelphia, addressed the Chapter. Moving pictures of the lawn fetes held in Fairmount Park, last summer, at the Colonial Mansions, were shown the members. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted in the reelection of all the present officers. A collation was served at the conclusion of the meeting.

On February 21, the President, Lawrence C. Hickman, addressed a Men's Club, Swarthmore, Pennsylvania Presbyterian Church, on the subject of "Washington and Contemporary Philadelphia."

On Washington's Birthday, February 22, Compatriot Dr. J. B. Carrell, presented a Good Citizenship Medal to Mildred Wilson Slack, at the South Hampton School, near Philadelphia. Dr. Carrell delivered a his-

torical address on the activities of Bucks County in the Revolutionary War.

The PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER assembled at the Mayor's Reception Room, in City Hall, on Washington's Birthday and placed a wreath at Washington's Monument in Conversation Hall, after which it visited Valley Forge by bus. Over twenty of the compatriots took part in the pilgrimage and on the trip many old trees, which were standing at the time of Washington's occupancy of Valley Forge, were pointed out by Professor A. A. Wildman, the authority on old trees in and around Philadelphia. A record of the trip was preserved by a moving picture film. A lunch was served at the Valley Forge Inn, at Norristown, and the entire day was spent on the pilgrimage, including a visit to the Chapel at Valley Forge.

McKEESPORT CHAPTER—The members of this Chapter joined with the Daughters of the American Revolution in celebrating Washington's Birthday with a banquet at the Penn McKee Hotel on February 22nd. Compatriot J. B. Hershey was toastmaster and W. V. Campbell, Chairman of the general committee. Mayor George H. Lysle made an address of welcome and greetings were extended from the Regent of Queen Alliquippa Chapter, D. A. R., Mrs. F. F. Sumney, and by Dr. C. A. Rankin, President of McKeesport Chapter, S. A. R. The speaker of the evening was Hon. Louis E. Graham, U. S. District Attorney, whose tribute to Washington and review of the contribution of Pennsylvania to his life and career was of great interest and eloquence.

Tennessee Society

The annual meeting of this Society was held at Chattanooga on the evening of February 22nd, the JOHN SEVIER CHAPTER of this city acting as host.

The banquet meeting took place in the assembly room of the Read House, President Joe V. Williams of JOHN SEVIER CHAPTER presiding. Following an Invocation by Charles W. Peacock and the singing of the National Anthem by Miss Louise Ellis, Judge Williams extended the welcome of the local members, and introduced the speakers, President General Frederick W. Millsbaugh of Nashville and Mr. George W. Follin, Principal of Webb's School, of Bell Buckle, Tennessee, whose addresses were most enthusiastically received. Other musical numbers added to the pleasure of the program.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Col. Gordon Johnston, Commandant at Fort Oglethorpe; Vice-Presidents, Frank M. Robbins of Chattanooga, W. Dudley Gale, Jr., Nashville, Charles N. Burch, Memphis, Charles Comstock, Crossville, and James G. Childers, of Clarksville; Secretary, George E. Gresham; Treasurer, Adolph S. Ochs, II; Registrar, T. C. Thompson, Sr.; Historian, R. S. Henry, all of Chattanooga; Chaplain, Rev. James I. Vance of Nashville; Chancellor, Harry Burn of Sweetwater, and Surgeon, Dr. M. G. Buckner of Nashville. J. Walter Allen of Nashville was re-nominated National Trustee.

On motion of Col. Ben Nicklin, the Society went on record as opposed to the recognition of Soviet Russia by the United States.

ANDREW JACKSON CHAPTER, Nashville—The annual dinner and election of officers was held on the evening of February 22nd at the Hermitage Hotel, President Dudley Gale presiding. Dr. E. P. Dandridge, Rector of Christ Church was the guest and speaker, his subject being "The Bacon Rebellion of 1676 in Virginia."

The following officers were elected: President, Dean Earl C. Arnold of Vanderbilt University; Vice-President, Col. Henry Dickinson; Secretary-Treasurer, Robert C. Foster; Chaplain, Dr. James I. Vance. Dr. Arnold was elected as the Chaplain's delegate to the Cincinnati Congress.

Utah Society

New officers of this Society were elected at the Annual Meeting held December 27 at Salt Lake City as follows: President, W. Vosco Call; Vice-President, Newell B. Dayton; Secretary, Chauncey P. Overfield; Treasurer, Howard C. Means; Registrar, Lorenzo Richards; Historian, Robert M. Stewart; Chaplain, Rev. William P. Bulkley. Daniel S. Spencer was nominated for National Trustee, and Honorary Vice-Presidents are George H. Penrose, W. Mont Ferry and John E. Morris. Managers include: Elias A. Smith, Samuel M. Barlow, Rev. William H. Ensign, Benjamin L. Rich, Franklin Riter, Arthur H. Parsons, George Albert Smith, Israel E. Willey and Stuart P. Dobbs.

On February 22nd the members of the Utah Society participated actively in the ceremonies at the State Capitol jointly sponsored by the Utah State Legislature and the Utah-George

Washington Bicentennial Commission. The Society was predominately represented on the interesting program, the principal address being given by Hon. Benjamin L. Rich, Vice-Chairman of the Bicentennial Commission and Past President of the Utah Society. Hon. George Albert Smith gave the Invocation and the presentation of Official Bicentennial medals to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House was made by Mr. Chauncey P. Overfield, Chairman of the Commission and Secretary of the S. A. R. Vocal solos and patriotic ensemble numbers completed a most impressive program.

The Utah Society held its annual banquet in the evening at the Alta Club at which time a moving picture film of the outstanding Bicentennial events was shown and addresses were enjoyed given by former Vice-President General George Albert Smith, Chauncey P. Overfield, Elias A. Smith and Benjamin L. Rich, past Presidents of the Society.

The Utah Society sent an inaugural gift to President Roosevelt in the form of a dainty paper-weight, made of Utah silver. The presentation was made by the new Secretary for War, former Governor George H. Dern.



PRESIDENT CALL WITH THE UTAH SOCIETY'S GIFT TO PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

Vermont Society

This Society met on February 23rd at Montpelier for its annual gathering and election, with the following results: President, Arthur D. Butterfield, Burlington; Vice-President, Elbert S. Brigham, Montpelier; Secretary, Wellington E. Aiken; Treasurer, Clarence L. Smith; Registrar, Harry S. Howard; Historian, Leon W. Dean, all of Burlington; Chaplain, Rev. H. L. Ballou. Managers, Stephen K. Perry, Hartford; Seth N. Gage, Weathersfield; Harold G. Rugg, Hanover, N. H.; Arthur W. Norton, Vergennes; Fred W. Whitcomb, Burlington; Riford R. Tuttle, Rutland, and J. R. Tozer, Burlington.

The Society expressed deep regret in noting the deaths of Compatriots W. W. Stickney of Ludlow, former Governor of Vermont, and Henry W. Slayton of Morrisville, a former member of the Board of Managers.

The Society voted to present to members of the R. O. T. C. at the University of Vermont and at Norwich University, four of the new medals which are shortly to be made available by the National Society for this purpose, one to be awarded in each class for character, scholarship, leadership and proficiency in military science and soldierly bearing.

Following the business meeting held in the afternoon, the Society held its annual dinner in the evening, and were addressed by Dr. Robert W. McLaughlin of Brooklyn, N. Y., on "The Overlooked Chapter in American History," dealing with the expedition of George Rogers Clark and its significance.

Virginia Society

The annual joint meeting of this Society with the Society of the Sons of the Revolution of Virginia was held at the John Marshall Hotel, Richmond, on the evening of Washington's Birthday with an excellent attendance. Following the business sessions of each society separately, the members of both joined in an enjoyable banquet and program, at which the principal address was made by Stringfellow Barr of Charlottesville, Editor of the *Virginia Quarterly Review*. President W. Mac Jones of the Virginia Society, S. A. R., and President Dr. A. G. Brown of the Society of the S. R. of Virginia were at the guest table.

At the business session of the Virginia Society, S. A. R., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Judge

William H. Sargeant, Norfolk; Vice-Presidents, Walter W. Livezey, Newport News, Philip St. G. Cooke, Richmond, and Abner K. Fletcher, Jr., Harrisonburg; Secretary, W. MacF. Jones; Registrar, Granville B. Coleman; Treasurer, Edward W. Nichols, all of Richmond; Historian, Dr. W. H. T. Squires, Norfolk; Chaplain, Rev. George M. Brydon, D. D., Richmond. Managers: Elmore D. Hotchkiss, Richmond; G. Guy Via, Newport News; Norman Call, Richmond; W. Irving Gilkeson, Norfolk; Dr. L. S. Foster, Williamsburg; Sidney B. Barham, Surry; Gen. Harrison J. Price, Richmond. William MacF. Jones was nominated for National Trustee. Reports of the year's activities were received and gave evidence of gratifying progress.

Delegates and alternates to the National Congress of the Society at Cincinnati this spring were also elected, and the Society voted to present the name of its past president, Mr. Walter W. Livezey, for the office of Vice President General at this forthcoming meeting.

Washington State Society

SEATTLE CHAPTER—The Annual High School Oratorical Contest conducted under the auspices of the SEATTLE CHAPTER took place on February 17 at Broadway High School. Compatriot Walter F. Meier, Chairman of the Committee has devoted many years of service in directing and organizing this most valuable work and has the unqualified cooperation and support of the school authorities. The finals always provide an evening of intense interest and eager anticipation on the part of the participants. Three prize medals are awarded, in gold, silver and bronze, the first being won this year by Margaret Rowland of the Roosevelt High School, her title being "The American Dream." The silver medal was won by William Fifield of the Franklin High School for the subject, "Patriotism, Yesterday and Today," and the third by Ruth Siegel, of Broadway High, whose title was "Alexander Hamilton—The Genius of Finance."

Other orations which received honorable mention and were of great interest were "Taxation Without Representation" by Audrey Pack, Cleveland High; "Thomas Paine" by Marjorie Chase of West Seattle High; "John Marshall," by Herbert J. Droker, of Garfield High; "The American Revolution:

The Supreme Test of the American Fighting Spirit," by Kenneth Day, Lincoln High; "American Statesmanship," by Haakon Lindjard, Ballard High; and "George Washington's Farewell Address, and our Present Day Problems," by Mary Strelo of Queen Anne High.

All of these addresses were of outstanding merit and it would be a privilege to publish the winning essays if space permitted. Professor W. W. Bird of the University of Washington presided over the evening of debate.

West Virginia Society

The Board of Managers of the West Virginia Society met at the Frederick Hotel, Huntington, on January 28. Because of the necessary absence of President Merriman S. Smith, First Vice-President C. W. Thornburg presided. Upon invitation of the PARKERSBURG CHAPTER, the Board voted unanimously to hold the annual meeting of the State Society in that city on April 15th.

As a tribute to Compatriot Wilbert H. Barrett, President General at the time of the organization of the West Virginia Society, and one of its most constant, generous, and loyal friends throughout its existence, the Board conferred upon him an honorary life membership in the State Society. Compatriot Barrett is the donor of the handsome silk flags displayed at meetings of the State Society, and is also the donor of leather binders for the minutes and application papers of the Society.

A nominating committee consisting of Compatriots M. W. Dugan, W. B. Straus, Carl R. Varnum, Charles A. Ludey, and C. P. Nelson was appointed to recommend nominations to be voted upon at the annual meeting April 15th. Their report is as follows: For President, C. W. Thornburg, Huntington; First Vice-President, James S. McCluer of Parkersburg; Second Vice-President, J. Hornor Davis of Clarksburg; Secretary, Franklin L. Burdette of Huntington; Treasurer, W. A. Markell of Charleston; Registrar, W. Guy Tetrick of Clarksburg; Historian, E. G. Smith of Clarksburg; Chaplain, Rev. Samuel W. Moore of Bluefield; National Trustee, B. B. Burns of Huntington; Members of the Board of Managers, Charles A. Ludey of Parkersburg, John Reid French of Bluefield, B. Frank Hornor of Clarksburg, Carl R. Varnum of Huntington, and Lant R. Slaven of Williamson.

On February 22 members of the Society were guests at the annual meeting of the Sons

of the Revolution in West Virginia at Morgantown. The invitation, extended through Mr. Thomas Ray Dille, State Secretary of the S. R., was a return of a similar courtesy extended by the West Virginia Society at its annual meeting in April, 1932. Compatriot Robert R. Wilson, President of the GEORGE ROGERS CLARK CHAPTER, was officially in charge of all arrangements to assure a large visiting delegation.

On April 15, while the State meeting is in session, Compatriot Frank L. Burdette, former State Secretary and father of the present Secretary, will be the official representative of the West Virginia Society to greet the delegates to the meeting of the Huguenot Society of America, which will assemble in Huntington, April 14-16.

GENERAL ANDREW LEWIS CHAPTER, No. 2, Huntington—A meeting of the Chapter was called to order by President John M. Beale on February 10. In business session the Chapter adopted the following resolution, which, with an appropriate introduction was sent to the Legislature:

"Resolved by the GENERAL ANDREW LEWIS CHAPTER, Sons of the American Revolution, that the Legislature be, and it is hereby, memorialized to enact that the 22nd of February, the anniversary of the birth of George Washington, be a legal holiday on which the schools of the State shall not be in session unless for the purpose of programs appropriate to the observance of the career and principles of Washington."

At the close of the first semester in January the Chapter presented Good Citizenship Medals in the high and junior high schools of the city. The following medals were awarded: Senior High School, presented by President John M. Beale to Dorin Hinerman; Douglas (colored) High School presented by Franklin L. Burdette to Herman Bailey; Douglas Junior High School, presented at the same ceremony to Robert Ramsey; Cammack Junior High, presented by John M. Beale to George Dugan (son of Past State President M. W. Dugan); Central Junior High, presented by Cyrus B. Van Bibber to Edward James; Enslow Junior High, presented by Frank L. Burdette to William Pollock; Lincoln Junior High, presented by Carl R. Varnum to Bernard Smith; Vinson Junior High, presented by Franklin L. Burdette to Millard Riggs; West Junior High, presented by H. O. Thornburg to Charles Summers.

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Notes and Queries

Questions

(748) 1. **Brewington.**—Wanted: Information concerning the Brewington family of Somerset and Wicomico counties, Md. My maternal grandfather was Henry Brewington, whose father is believed to have been William Brewington. Would like to obtain information from any person who has data relating to this family.

2. **Webster.**—Wanted: Information and lineage of the Webster family of Somerset County, Md. (B. B. W.)

(749) 1. **Allen-Litton.**—Wanted: Parentage of Theodoric Allen, born (1810) in North Carolina, married Mary Litton, born (1818) near the present Knoxville, Tenn., a daughter of Israel and Lydia (Sherrill) Litton. Israel was also styled on Indiana records (1820): "Isrom, Isom and Essom" (*i. e.*, Esrom?). The latter's other children were: Margaret Litton (married Mike Beck), Susan (married William Payne), Mary, Isabel, Jefferson, Fulton, Thomas C., Newton S., Nelson, and Preston. The mother of Theodoric Allen was Mrs. Eunice — Allen. She married (2) Jonathan Cooper.

2. **Litton.**—Wanted: Parentage of Esrom Litton, who owned a farm on the site of Knoxville, Tenn.

3. **Dyer.**—Wanted: Names of children (with dates) of Samuel and Tabitha (Niles) Dyer, in addition to their two known children as follows: Edward (1725-1795) who married (1750) Elizabeth A. Fish; George, born (1736) at West Greenwich, R. I., who married Anne Nichols.

4. **Niles.**—Wanted: Parentage of Tabitha Niles who married Samuel Dyer, and names of her brothers and sisters, with dates.

5. **Beach.**—Wanted: Parentage of Dr. Warren Parker Beach (1819-1851), a graduate of Yale Medical College, registered (1848-1850) as from Meriden, Conn., later settling at Derby, Conn., where he died; married Hannah Maria Fenn and had issue: Emma Elizabeth, who married (1885) Dr. Clarence Cullen; Ella Amelia, who married (1889) William H. Holbrook. These daughters

were twins, and for many years were school-teachers at New Haven, Conn.

[The inquirer may obtain "Beach" data by writing to Alfred Holmes Beach, 2318 Adams Ave., Flint, Mich.—F. B. Culver, *Editor*.]

6. **Fenn-Stanhope.**—Wanted: Names of parents, brothers or sisters of Roswell Fenn and Sarah Day Fenn (née Stanhope), who were the parents of Hannah Maria (Fenn) Beach. Roswell Fenn had cousins in Litchfield, Conn., and his wife Sarah Day Stanhope had a sister, Naomi, born (1791) in Sheffield, Mass., who "lived in Hastings, Mich." Whom did Naomi marry, and who are her descendants?

7. **Coburn.**—Wanted: Names of descendants of John Alexander Coburn, a "commissary" (1819) in New Haven, Conn. Would like to learn the parentage of said Coburn and of his wife, — Johnson (her given name also desired). (L. M. S.)

[Donald Lines Jacobus, Box 32, Westville Station, New Haven, Conn., is an authority on New Haven families.—F. B. Culver, *Editor*.]

(750) 1. **Cox.**—Wanted: Information for the purpose of settling an estate concerning a Cox family of New Jersey, Maryland and Georgia. Some of the descendants settled later in the neighborhood of Dayton and Cincinnati, Ohio.

2. **Schrier-Mercer.**—Wanted: Information concerning a Schrier (Shrier, Shroyer) family that came from Germany about 1748 or earlier and lived in Pennsylvania, Delaware, New Jersey, New York and Maryland; also concerning a Mercer family that intermarried with the Shroyers. (D. B. E.)

(751) 1. **Gay.**—Wanted: Ancestry, dates and maiden name of wife, relating to Joel Gay of New Haven or Litchfield, Conn., and Pompey, N. Y., who had issue: Erastus, Samuel, Daniel, Phoebe (married Morse), Ruby (married Thomas), Polly (married Jones), Wealthy (married Beckwith) and Theodosia (1782-1861), who married Daniel Olcott (1773-1863).

2. **Olcott.**—Wanted: Ancestry and date of marriage of Daniel Olcott (1773-1863), who married Theodosia Gay (1782-1861). It is believed that he had brothers: James, Benoni and Simeon. (J. B. H.)

(752) 1. **Meredith.**—Wanted: Parentage and place of birth of George Jandred Meredith (1805-1867) of Hamilton, Ohio, who married (1824) Elizabeth Campbell Hodgson. He is supposed to have been the only son of George Meredith who died at the age of 22, and whose widow married Samuel Hutchison, later moving to Ohio.

2. **O'Neil.**—Wanted: Parentage, place of birth and name of wife of Henry O'Neil (1750-1825), who served in the Revolution, received a pension and died in Chester County, Pa. A daughter, Susannah (1784-1854), married Daniel Haldeman.

3. **Hodgson.**—Wanted: Parentage of Joseph Hodgson (1760-1840), born in Virginia or in Delaware, died in Hamilton County, Ohio. His first wife, Mary Sophia, names Elizabeth in will. (J. B.)

(753) **Rich.**—Wanted: Proof of Revolutionary War service, dates of birth, etc., of Josiah Rich, who is believed to have moved from Meriden, Conn., to Claremont, N. H., married Elizabeth Stone and had issue: Samuel, Artemus, Josiah, Jr., Phebe, Bezaliel, Joseph (born 1776), Elizabeth and Benjamin Hart Rich. Joseph Rich (born 1776) married Avis Dean and had issue: Alonzo Dean (1803), Roland (1805), and Horace (1807-1809). (F. R. B.)

(754) **Hill.**—Wanted: Ancestry (with Revolutionary record) of Reuben D. Hill and his brother Richard John Hill, of Staunton, Va. The latter had a son, William Alexander Hill, born (1830-1840) at Staunton. (C. D. H.)

(755) 1. **Cumming.**—Wanted: Origin of the Henry Cumming family, who sailed from the American Colonies in the "Hope," in 1770, and settled in Pictou County, Nova Scotia.

2. **Morrison.**—Wanted: Colonial and Revolutionary records of Morrison descendants of John Morrison (Morrison) who emigrated from the north of Ireland and settled (1718) in New Hampshire. (E. M. M.)

(756) **Stallworth.**—Wanted: Source material in English records, and American immigration data relating to the Stallworth family during the early years of the 18th century, or later. (H. W. S.)

(757) 1. **Cowden.**—Wanted: Information, dates, etc., relative to the ancestors of Anna Cowden (1779-1864), born at Pelham, Mass., died in Franklin County, Ohio; moved (1786) to Cambridge, Washington County, N. Y.; married (1799) George Graham (1777-1855). It is supposed that her parents were William and Margaret (Craw-

ford) Cowden, and that her paternal grandfather was Captain David Cowden. She had a sister Margaret Cowden.

2. **Boone-Waring.**—Wanted: Ancestry (dates, etc.) of Anna Boone who married (about 1780) James Haddock Waring, and moved (1790) from Maryland to Kentucky, settling in Mason and later in Greenup Counties. She had brothers Stephen and Charles Boone, and sisters Rebecca (married Dr. Henry Howard) and Margaret (married John Dorsey). Was her father Captain John Boone of Anne Arundel County, Md.? (F. A. L.)

[James Haddock Waring was an overseer of highways in Prince Georges County, Md., in 1777, and signed the Oath of Fidelity in 1778. Anna Boone was undoubtedly descended from Captain Humphrey Boone of Anne Arundel County, Md., who died in 1709.—F. B. Culver, *Editor*.]

(758) **Truax.**—Wanted: Ancestry of Abraham Truax who served in Captain Hankinson's Company, 1st Regiment, from Monmouth County, N. J., of Samuel Truax, who served in Lieutenant Tice's Company, same regiment; of John Truax who served in the 3d Battalion, N. J. Continental Line; of Benjamin, Joseph, Philip and Samuel Truax, respectively, who served as privates in the Pennsylvania Continental Line, from Bedford County; of Cornelis Truax who served in Thomas Paxton's Militia (1st Battalion) of Bedford County, Penna. (A. L. T.)

(759) **Mitchell-Randolph.**—Wanted: Exact place of birth (supposedly in Virginia) of William Mitchell (1748-1819) who married (1770) Harriett Randolph, born (1752) presumably in Virginia, served (1779) as a private in the 4th Georgia Battalion, Colonel John White, and died in Carnesville, Ga. His son James married (1792) Mary Moulder, either in Virginia or Georgia. The father of William Mitchell (1748-1819), also named William, is supposed to have come, prior to 1748, from Ireland. (A. T. B.)

(760) **Bing.**—Wanted: Dates of birth, marriage, death, and information concerning wife and children, of Samuel Bing who enlisted (1776) at Annapolis, Md., in Captain John Oglevie's Company of the Maryland "Flying Camp." (C. A. E.)

(761) **Colquhoun.**—Wanted: Information and ancestry of Duncan Colquhoun (Calhoun) who moved from South Carolina to Talbot County, Ga., where he married in 1818. (L. P. P.)

(762) 1. **Barnes.**—Wanted: Maiden name and ancestry of the wife of Joel Barnes (believed to have been son of a Revolutionary soldier) who was killed by accident at his home in Broome County, N. Y. He had a daughter Celestia and a son Nelson, who moved (about 1840) to Indiana.

2. **Biggs-Miller.**—Wanted: Parentage of Robert Biggs, a Revolutionary soldier from Pennsylvania (pensioned in Indiana), and of his wife Jane Miller (Millar), a native of Ireland, whose father had been killed by Indians near Pittsburgh, Pa. Robert Biggs was born in Scotland, enlisted from Westmoreland County in the 8th Pennsylvania Regiment. The couple lived (until 1791) in Lancaster County, thence moved to Kentucky and settled permanently in Indiana.

3. **Claycomb.**—Wanted: Parentage of Elizabeth Claycomb, born (1786) in Breckenridge County, Ky., of parents who, tradition says, came (about 1782) to General Bill Harding's fort from Virginia. Was Frederick Claycomb, Revolutionary soldier from Virginia, resident of Breckenridge County, Ky., Perry County, Ind., and pensioned from Knox County, Ind., her father?

4. **Connor.**—Wanted: Date of immigration to America and Revolutionary War records of Terrence Connor, Sr., and his sons John, Terrence, Jr., and Samuel, who came to Virginia from Ireland before the war. John Connor married Mary Brothers of Lynchburg, Va., Terrence, Jr., married Sara Speake of Fairfax County, Va., and Samuel was captured by Indians. All were ship carpenters in Virginia.

5. **Cotton.**—Wanted: Parentage and maiden surname of wife of Temple Cotton, of Nelson and Spencer Counties, Ky., who are believed to have come from Pennsylvania after the Revolution. Mary, the widow of Temple Cotton, is buried in Sullivan County, Ind.

6. **Crist.**—Wanted: Date of marriage and maiden surname of Elizabeth (Collins?), wife of George Crist of Nelson and Spencer Counties, Ky. Tradition says that George Crist was born (about 1760) in Fincastle County, Va., of German parentage, and enlisted in the Illinois Regiment from Virginia, settled (1782) on Salt River in Kentucky, and had property near Pigeonroost, Clay County, Ky. Their children settled on Clark's grant in Indiana, near the village of Pigeonroost, Ind., which was destroyed by Indians during the War of 1812.

7. **Kyler.**—Wanted: Parentage of George Kyler of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Rome, Ind., whose wife was Deborah Stonemetz, daughter of Casper and Anne (—) Stonemetz. The family came (1818) from Virginia to southern Indiana, by way of Cincinnati. Was Casper Kyler, of Fayette County, Pa., related? If so, how?

8. **Mason.**—Wanted: Date of marriage and full maiden name of wife of French F. Mason (died 1748) of Fairfax County, Va., parents of

Lucretia Mason, wife of Robert Speake and mother of Sara Speake who married Terrence Connor, Jr. French F. Mason was uncle of George Mason of "Gunston Hall," Va.

9. **Pittman.**—Wanted: Date of marriage and maiden surname of Miriam, wife of Joseph Pittman (born 1748). They lived in Nelson and Spencer Counties, Ky., after the Revolution. He is believed to have been the Joseph Pittman who was a ranger on the frontier from Bedford County, Pa., during the Revolution.

10. **Purcell.**—Wanted: Revolutionary record, parentage, and full maiden name of wife of Richard Purcell, born (about 1741) in North Carolina, moved to Kentucky after the Revolution, and had a son or a grandson Benjamin Purcell who married Mary Weldon, of the Weldons of Weldon, N. C. Neill is a given name in the family, suggesting descent from Neill Purcell (died c. 1750) and his wife Sarah, of North Carolina.

11. **Stonemetz-Steinmetz.**—Wanted: Date of marriage and maiden surname of Anne, a Scots-woman, wife of Casper Stonemetz, both of whom died and were buried near Rome, Ind. Who were their parents? Was this Casper Stonemetz the miller and distiller of Chester County, Pa., during and after the Revolution? Was John Steinmetz, one of Washington's bondsmen, related? The family came to southern Indiana by way of Virginia and Cincinnati, Ohio.

12. **Stutsman.**—Wanted: Date of marriage and full maiden name of wife of Jacob Stutsman of Germany, Pennsylvania and Kentucky. His son David settled in Clark County, Ind. The latter's son Joseph settled in Sullivan County, Ind. Who was David's wife? Was the aforementioned Jacob Stutsman the immigrant of 1752? (W. L. C.)

(763) **Finch.**—Wanted: Place and date of birth, date of marriage and full maiden name of wife of Nathaniel Finch who was killed (1779) in the battle of Minnisink, N. Y. He left a daughter Hannah, who married Joseph Corwin.

(764) 1. **Swope.**—Wanted: References to local records, deeds, etc., in Maryland, Virginia or Pennsylvania, concerning Lawrence Swope (Schwab) who sold property in Bedford County, Pa., and lived at one time in Washington County, Md. Lawrence Swope married Ann —, and had a son John Swope (married, *ante* 1790, Temperance Stevens) who had a son Robert Swope (married 1829). The Swope once lived in the valley of Sidling Hill Mountain below Aughwick Creek, within fifteen miles of the Maryland line.

2. **Carroll.**—Wanted: Information concerning James Carroll (died 1817), of Virginia or Mary-

land, who had sons: William (married c. 1790 Mary Hill), Cary, Daniel, and Thomas who died before his father at the age of thirty-five years. (B. A. S.)

(765) **Botts.**—Wanted: Revolutionary War record of John Botts, born (1754) in Stafford County, Va., who married Lucy Graves and had a son Joseph Botts (born 1789) who married Sarah Wilks. A descendant was the Hon. John Minor Botts, born (1802) in Dumfries, Va. (G. S. K.)

(766) **McCrelles (McCrillis).**—Wanted: Ancestry, Revolutionary record and name of wife of John McCrelles (McCrillis), who is listed in the first census of 1790, at Edgefield, S. C. (H. G. P.)

[There is, I understand, a manuscript genealogy of the McCrillis family, by H. O. McCrillis, in the New England Historic and Genealogical Society, Boston, Mass.—F. B. Culver, *Editor*.]

(767) **Clark.**—Wanted: Names, dates and places of birth, of parents and grandparents of Isaac Clark (born 1801) of Westchester County, N. Y., who married (about 1827) Rachel Dusenberry, daughter of Barzillai Dusenberry of Cortlandt, Westchester County, N. Y. (W. H. B.)

(768) **McClintock.**—Wanted: Ancestry in Scotland and Ireland and colonial American history of the McClintock family who came to Pennsylvania before the Revolution. William McClintock (born 1734) a Revolutionary soldier, married (1755) his first cousin Mary McClintock, daughter of Andrew. They had a son Joseph McClintock (1790-1867) who married Elizabeth Bradley (1796-1883). (F. K. M.)

(769) **Pierce.**—Wanted: Names of parents, brothers and sisters of Adam Pierce who married (1796) at Shrewsbury, Monmouth County, N. J., Catherine Stelmor (or Elmer), at which time he resided on his farm, now the Jumping Pond Golf Club property, Asbury Park, N. J. (S. F. P.)

(770) 1. **Cross.**—Wanted: Information concerning Ralph and John Cross who are said to have come to the American Colonies from Scotland and to have been the first of that name to settle in Rhode Island. It is believed that they settled first in Massachusetts.

2. **Williams.**—Wanted: Information concerning John Williams, of the United States army. He fought in Florida Indian wars, was at Fort King (near Ocala), Florida, in 1840, served in the Mexican War and died (1848) in Texas. (J. H. C.)

(771) **Posey.**—Wanted: Dates of birth, marriage and death of Micajah Posey and his wife Rachel; also, dates of birth and death of their

daughter Elizabeth Posey who married (1816) Edward Pierce and resided in Chester County, Pa. "Among Revolutionary soldiers of Chester County who received pensions, was Micajah Posey, of Captain Hetherling's Company, Lieutenant Colonel John Bull's 2d Pennsylvania Regiment. He was taken prisoner, was exchanged, and reenlisted in Colonel Harmer's Pennsylvania Line Regiment." (L. E. R.)

(772) **Whitman.**—Wanted: Information concerning George Whitman (Wightman, Weightman or Whiteman) who enlisted (1780) at Salisbury, Conn. (E. C. B.)

[There is no record of this man in the S. A. R. files—F. B. Culver, *Editor*.]

(773) 1. **Bennett.**—Wanted: Information as to place of burial of Charles Bennett (1761-1855) who is said to have been buried either at Fort Edward or at North River, N. Y.; also, of his son Charles, Jr. (died about 1834), a soldier in the War of 1812, said to have been buried at or near Reading, N. Y. His widow is supposed to have resided (about 1856) at Fort Edward, N. Y. He had children born at Fort Edward: Moses Sanders (1817), Sidney (Mrs. Edget), Eliza (Mrs. Hopkins), Electa (Mrs. Skidmore), Margaret (Mrs. Grant), and Elmira (Mrs. Lockrey).

2. **Washburn.**—Wanted: Maiden surname of Maria, the second wife of the James Washburn (1747-1797) who died at Woodstock, Vt. His first wife was Ruth Rice. His father is said to have been Abraham^s (Gideon,^s James,^s John,^s John^s). Information is desired concerning the accuracy of this lineage record; also, data concerning Abraham Washburn who is said to have resided at or near Paxton, Mass., where his father Gideon died. Also desire date and place of Gideon's marriage to Mary Perkins. (G. B. H.)

(774) 1. **Bavington.**—Wanted: Information of any kind concerning John Bavington, Sr., or any of his descendants (sometimes spelled Bannington, Baninton, Bevington, Beverington, Bareington). Planter in Cecil County, Md. In his will, made March 5, 1718, and filed August 27, 1719, he mentions the following children: William, John, Mary, Hugh, Jonathan, Thomas, Roseman, and Elizabeth; also his wife, Mary (Beck?). Of these William and John were apparently over 18 years and Mary over 15 years, from the terms of the will.

John Baninton is mentioned in will of Hugh Fouch of Bohemia, Cecil County, Md., filed in 1702, as heir to 100 acres.

Mary, daughter of John Bareington, is mentioned as the god-daughter of John Mann, Cecil

County, Md., in his will filed March 29, 1703.

Thomas Bavington appears as a witness to the will of John Annis in 1736. Is this the son of John Bavington, Sr.?

Sarah, daughter of John Bavington, is mentioned in the will of Mary Taylor, widow, Cecil County, Md. Mary, wife of John Bavington appears as a witness to the will. Is this John Bavington the son of John Bavington, Sr.?

2. **Beck.**—Wanted: Information of any descendants of Jonathan Beck of Cecil County, Md., who lived about 1700 or later in that vicinity. Had a sister, Mary, who (apparently) married John Bavington, Sr., of the same locality.

3. **Johnston.**—Wanted: Ancestry, information, war services in the Revolution, of Robert Johnston, who died in Beaver County, Pa., about 1815. He received his property through the Peoples Population Co. sometime between 1790 and 1796. No knowledge of his residence before locating in Beaver County. On his death he left a wife "Jane" and the following sons: Francis, Robert, and James. Who was he? From where was he? Robert Johnston, son of above, lived in Beaver County, Beaver Twp., Pa. Did he serve in War of 1812? He married Jean Reid McFadden(?) and died in 1839 at 65 years. He left the following children: Robert, John, Jean (Hunter), James, Fergus, Fanny (Ewing), Washington, Margaret (Caughey).

4. **Reed.**—Wanted: Any information concerning ancestry or relatives of Alexander Reed who died in Washington County, Pa., about 1840. Millwright by trade. Name of wife was Rebecca Applegate. Had a daughter, Rachel, born in 1819 in Beaver County, Pa., who married Thomas Bavington (1792-1862). Buried in Kings Creek Cemetery, Beaver County, Pa. (H. J. M.)

(775) 1. **Baker.**—Wanted: Parentage of Susanna Baker who married John Elderkin, Jr., in Norwich, Conn., August 26, 1714.

2. **Gaylord.**—Wanted: Parentage of Jerusha Gaylord of Farmington, Conn., who married Jesse Churchill, November 8, 1750, in Farmington.

3. **Humes.**—Wanted: Information about Murray Humes, Scottish sea captain, who married Huldah Temple of Westmoreland, N. H. Their daughter, Almira, was born April 5, 1806, in Portsmouth, N. H.

4. **Temple.**—Wanted: Name of wife of Archelaus Temple. He was born December 10, 1735, in Hadley, Mass., and died April 15, 1815, in Westmoreland, N. H. The wife died April 3, 1812, in Westmoreland.

5. **Floyd (or Flood).**—Wanted: Parentage and birth record of Benjamin Floyd or Flood, who is said by George Aldrich in his book, "Walpole As It Was and As It Is," to have been born February 22, 1738, in Boston, Mass. He married Lydia Bond August 20, 1761, in Sturbridge, Mass. He lived later in Warren, Mass., and went (about 1772) to Walpole, N. H. He was a captain in the Revolution, and died April 22, 1812, in Walpole.

6. **Barker.**—Wanted: Parentage of John Barker who married Judith or Judah Simonds, December 9, 1668, in Concord, Mass.

7. **Eliot.**—Wanted: Parentage of Francis Eliot, whose children were baptized in Boxford, Mass., in 1705. Also name and parentage of his wife Abigail.

8. **Hyde.**—Wanted: Parentage and birthplace of Mercy Hyde and her brother Heman Hyde. Mercy Hyde married Solomon Backus about 1796, and their children were born in Granville, N. Y., perhaps the younger ones in Milton, Vt. Mercy Hyde Backus was left a widow and married a man named Chase. She died about 1840 in Johnson, Vt. Heman Hyde lived at Highgate, Vt.

9. **Morton.**—Wanted: Parentage and birthplace of Russell Morton who is said to have been born in 1765 in Connecticut. He went to Burlington or Williston, Vt., where he lived and died.

10. **Smith.**—Wanted: Parentage and birthplace of Prudence Smith, who was born in Connecticut in 1771. She married Russell Morton (above), and lived and died in Burlington or Williston, Vt.

11. **Thompson.**—Wanted: To correspond with descendants of Loring Thompson, who was born in Halifax, Mass., April 25, 1756, moved to Cornish, N. H., and served in the Revolution. He married (1) Mary Whitten or Whiton, (2) Elizabeth (Hall) Swinnerton, and (3) Rachel Whitten. His children were Bezer, who moved to Irasburgh, Vt.; Mary, who married in Vermont; Lydia, who married John Bingham and moved to Morristown, Vt.; Zadock, who moved to Ohio and was a colonel of militia; Samuel, who died in Rock Island County, Illinois; Sarah, who married Jesse Tracy and moved to Iowa and Illinois; and Stephen, who died in Charlestown, N. H., August 11, 1880. (H. B. M.)

(776) **Scott.**—Wanted: Revolutionary War record and personal information relating to James Scott (1745-1831) who, with four brothers, enlisted from Virginia. The family moved to Maury County, Tenn., from there to Florence, Ala., and thence (in 1831) to Texas. Would like to have information concerning this branch of the Scott family. (S. W. S.)

(777) **Eigabroadt.** — Wanted: Revolutionary War record and history relating to a family named Eigabroadt (Eigenbroad, Eienbroadt), some of whom are buried in a little cemetery near Minden, N. Y. David Eygabroad, of this family, had a son who is still living at the age of ninety-one years. (G. E. B.)

[One George Eigabroadt (1750-1838) of Palatine, N. Y., was a private in the Tryon County, N. Y., Militia, and married Kate Smith. His grandson, David Eigabroadt, married Sarah Elizabeth Thresher. One Johannes Eigabroadt (1746-1822) of Stone Arabia, N. Y., married Elizabeth Felter. He, also, was a private in the Tryon County Militia.—F. B. Culver, *Editor*.]

(778) **Terrill.**—Wanted: Date of birth, occupation, etc., of John Terrill (Tyrrell) of Perth Amboy, N. J., and New York, who married (1) in 1748, Ann Johnson; (2) in 1752, Ann Pritchard; (3) in 1770, Sophia Waterhouse, at Perth Amboy. Also, names of wife, children and other descendants of Samuel Terrill (son of Roger), who was born (1647) at "Milford, Conn.," moved across the Sound and settled at Brookhaven, L. I., where he was living in 1688. (M. T. J.)

(779) 1. **Mattison.** — Wanted: Ancestry and date of birth of Sarah Mattison, born in Cranston, R. I., who married (1758) Jeremiah Potter.

2. **Gardiner.**—Wanted: Date and place of birth of Ruth Gardiner (daughter of John), who married Angell Potter.

3. **Root.**—Wanted: Ancestry of William Root, born (1780) at Coventry, Tolland County, Conn.

4. **Hammond.**—Wanted: Ancestry of Rebecca Hammond, born (1780) at Rochester, R. I. (H. E. P.)

(780) **Linam.**—Wanted: Parentage (with dates and Revolutionary record) of William Linam and of his wife, who is believed to have been Caroline Sartor. William Linam had brothers and sisters: Thomas (married Eleanor —); John H., Charles (married Frances —); Sally (married Willis Lucas); Fanny (married William Lucas); Elizabeth. They were children of George Linam (c. 1730-1815) who is said to have moved from Virginia to Union County, S. C. (Ninety-sixth District). Caroline Sartor is believed to have been a daughter of John Peter Sartor (1733-1822) who married (1779) Sarah Hughes. (A. L. H.)

(781) 1. **Bonham.**—Wanted: Name of wife and names of children (with dates) of Samuel³ Bonham (Hezekiah,² Nicholas¹) who was born in 1693. Also, parentage (with dates) of Jacob Bonham (1726-1798) who married (1748) Polly Warford (1731-*post* 1790), and had two sons: Jacob, Jr. (1749-1785), who died in Maryland; Moses

(married Rebecca Park), who died (1782) on an expedition into Virginia. Were there other children?

2. **Swift-Fosdick.**—Wanted: Parentage (with dates) of James Swift (1765-1823) who died in Hartford, N. Y.; and of his wife Susan Fosdick (1771-1853), who was married (1790) at Lee, Mass., and died at Groveland Hill, N. Y. They had issue: William F., Betsey, James Hatch, Ebenezer, Susan, Philander, Phoebe, Sarah Ann. Was this James Swift (1765-1823), a teacher, from North Carolina? (E. B. H.)

(782) **Woelpper-Yhost.** — Wanted: Family data and Revolutionary record relating to the Woelpper and Yhost families of Pennsylvania. Mary A. Yhost (1811-1897), of Philadelphia, married a Wisner. She was the daughter of William A. and Mary (Woelpper) Yhost, and "granddaughter" of Major John Woelpper of the Continental army. (E. A. N.)

[John David Woelpper, born (1708) in Germany, served (1759) as a Lieutenant in Va. Troops under Washington against the Indians. In 1776, he was appointed Lieutenant in the 3d Pa. Battalion and, in the same year, a Captain in a German Battalion, serving until April 23, 1783, despite his age.—Francis B. Culver, *Editor*.]

(783) 1. **Frost.**—Wanted: Ancestry of Hannah Frost (1769-1855) who married Peter Aldrich (1773-1855) and lived at Rochester, Ulster County, N. Y. She was a sister of George P. Frost (1758-1844).

2. **Aldrich.**—Wanted: Parentage of Peter Aldrich (or Aldridge), born probably at Southold, Long Island, who was a member of the Newburgh Regiment of Ulster County, N. Y. Militia, during the Revolution, resided (1790) at Newburgh, and died (1816) at Shawangunk, Ulster County, N. Y. (H. T. H.)

(784) **Porter-Campbell.**—Wanted: Ancestry and names (with Revolutionary records) of the fathers of Shadrock Porter (1780-1827) and his wife Elizabeth Campbell (1798-1820), who were married in 1813. (L. J. W.)

(785) 1. **Jackson-Goodner.** — Wanted: Parentage, ancestry and other information relating to William Jackson and his wife Catherine Goodner, sister of Conrad Goodner of Guilford County, N. C., who were married probably in Orange or in Guilford County. Their daughter Nancy, born (1798) in North Carolina, married (1816) Rev. Benjamin Goodner of St. Clair County, Ill., son of said Conrad Goodner.

2. **Welch-Primm.** — Wanted: Parentage of Margaret Welch who married (1739) in Stafford

County, Va., John Primm and had issue: Ann (1746); John (1750); Thomas (1751) and James.

3. **Lacey-Brown.** — Wanted: Parentage of Elliott Lacey (Lacy), who died (1777) in Revolutionary War service, and of his wife — Brown, of Virginia. Elliott Lacey lived at various times in Goochland, Bedford and Buckingham Counties, and had issue: Elliott, Burleigh (married Judith Brown), Kaner (married — Brown), Lionel (married Ann Rankin), Nathaniel (married Amy Barker), Katie (married George Hubbard), Elisabeth (married Elisha Baldwin), and Mary (married William Baldwin). (H. W. L.)

(786) **Mosser-Watson.** — Wanted: Ancestry and family history of my Mosser and Watson lines of descent. My mother's maiden surname was Mosser and her mother's maiden surname was Watson. The Mossers, doubtless, were Pennsylvania settlers, whereas the Watsons are believed to be of Virginia stock, and there is a Ridgway (or Ridgeway) link somewhere between the two families. (F. C. F.)

(787) **Daley.**—Wanted: Ancestry and family history of the Daley family, the first of whom is believed to have come to New Amsterdam (New York) as an employee of the Hudson Bay Company. There is said to have been some connection with the De Groot family. (C. M. D.)

(788) **Powell-Ferree.** — Wanted: Ancestry, Revolutionary War service and family record of the parents of Alice Powell (1761-1846) who married (1783) in Chester County, Pa., Jacob Ferree. Also, similar data are desired in the case of her husband, Jacob Ferree. (C. A. M.)

(789) **Burham-Burnham-Graham-Lechlitter.** —Wanted: Information concerning Henry and August Burham (or Burnham) who moved (1822) from Patterson Creek, Va., to Ohio, with their uncle William Graham and his wife Susannah Lechlitter (whose first husband was John C. Flood). It is possible that through one of these lines I may obtain information concerning the Lechlitter family also. (E. B. G.)

Answers

(719). 1. **Portwood.**—My father's name was George Washington Freeborn Portwood (born 1865), son of Woodson Portwood (born about 1824), and I am certain about our connection with Page Portwood and, possibly, Samuel Portwood. Am interested in this question and shall try to obtain more information. (Z. M. P. A.)

(723) **Travis-L'Estrange.** — Robert Travis was born in Ireland, went to South Carolina, and was lost at sea (1807) on a return voyage to

Ireland. He married Phoebe L'Estrange, who died (1811) at Columbia, S. C. Their son, Robert, Jr., married (1803) Elinor Grace, and had a daughter Nancy Travis (1804-1888) who was born at Harrisonburg, Rockingham County, Va., died in Delaware, Ohio, and married (1820) Harvey Clark. The L'Estrange family came from France. (F. S. C.)

[We may infer, from the inquirer's question previously published, that Robert Travis first settled in Maryland. A Robert Travis was a private (1775) in Captain John Taylor's Company, Hartford County, Md., Militia.—F. B. Culver, *Editor*.]

(725) 4. **Woods-Sharp.**—Ann (Woods) Sharp is buried at Elderton, Pa. Her tombstone reads: Died May 24, 1809, age 52 years. (E. R. R.)

(725) 5. **Mitchell.**—Full information concerning the Mitchells and Sharps is given in Caldwell's "History of Indiana County, Pennsylvania," pages 428, 429. (E. R. R.)

(725) 8. **Pounds.**—For Pounds data, see J. T. Stewart's "History of Indiana County, Pennsylvania," page 1567. (E. R. R.)

(729) **Bonham.**—It is suggested that the inquirer may find his information in Monnette's "First Settlers of Ye Plantations of Piscataway and Woodbridge, Olde East New Jersey" (1931). I have found the Bonham genealogy therein. (M. L. B.)

[Write to the compiler, Mr. Orra Eugene Monnette, 350 S. Oxford Avenue, Los Angeles, California.—F. B. Culver, *Editor*.]

(737) **McCurdy-McKelvey.** — The McCurdy, McNair and McCartney families intermarried many years ago and settled in Livingston County, N. Y., at or near by Dansville. They all came from Pennsylvania during the years 1800-1810. Mr. Albert D. McNair, 3338 Military Road, N. W., Washington, D. C., may have information. (C. F. M.)

(738) **Johnson.**—Gideon Johnson married (1) Polly Munn (1781-1839) at Munson, Mass., on March 27, 1817, and had issue: Gideon Newton (1818), Calvin Luther (1820), Edward Eli (1823) and Mary Ann (1827). The parents are buried in Sterretania Cemetery, about twelve miles southwest of Erie, Pa. Gideon Johnson married (2) Sarah (Rhoades) Kneeland at McKean, Erie County, Pa., on March 11, 1840, and had issue: Samuel H. Johnson (1841-1883), born at McKean, Pa., and died at Cleveland, Ohio. (R. K. J.)

(744) **Grandy.**—This is not a common surname. Mr. C. W. Grandy, P. O. Box 533, Norfolk, Va., is searching the early records of the family in southeast Virginia and northeast North

Carolina which date back to land grants to Charles Grandy (1671) in Norfolk County, Va. His will was proved there in 1686. Thomas and Charles Grandy appear in the records of Albemarle or "Coratuck" Precinct, N. C., before 1703. I do not know of any connection with the New England family, however. (W. G. B.)

Over fifty years ago a Grandy family came to

Rock Grove, near Nora Springs, Floyd County, Iowa. They were probably from Virginia originally. (A. H. Y.)

(746) **Branthaver.**—The grave of one Magdalene Branthover, wife of Henry Branthover, is in St. James' Lutheran Cemetery, near Avonmore, Pa. She died September 4, 1844, aged 61 years. (E. R. R.)

Additions to Membership

THERE HAVE BEEN enrolled in the Office of the Registrar General from December 1, 1932, to March 1, 1933, 115 new members distributed as follows: Arkansas, 4; California, 1; Colorado, 1; Delaware, 1; District of Columbia, 9; Florida, 1; Idaho, 2; Illinois, 6; Indiana, 4; Iowa, 1; Kentucky, 1; Louisiana, 1; Maryland, 2; Massachusetts, 6; Michigan, 3; Minnesota, 1; *New Jersey*, 26; New

Mexico, 1; New York, 19; North Carolina, 1; Ohio, 5; Oklahoma, 3; Pennsylvania, 3; Texas, 3; Utah, 1; Virginia, 6; Wyoming, 1; France, 1; Hawaii, 1.

Thirty-nine Supplemental claims have been approved from the following State Societies: District of Columbia, 5; Georgia, 1; Indiana, 1; Mississippi, 1; New Jersey, 1; New York, 6; Ohio, 10; Pennsylvania, 3; Texas, 10; Wisconsin, 1.

Records of 115 New Members and 39 Supplementals, Approved and Enrolled by the Registrar General from December 1, 1932, to March 1, 1933

The records of new members, "In Memoriam," the paragraph on "Additions to Membership," the "Library Page," and the "Notes and Queries" Section are compiled in the Registrar General's Office.

REUBEN DAVID ABBISS, North Braddock, Pa. (52590). Son of Reuben and Rachel L. (Wood) Abbiss; grandson of David Duffel and Barbara Zilphor (Fowkes) Wood; great-grandson of Abinah and Susannah (Humphreys) Wood; great²-grandson of *Lewis Humphreys*, private in Dela. Troops.

JOHN DOUGLAS ALDEN, Asbury Park, N. J. (52809). Son of John Berry and Ellen (Tracy) Alden; grandson of Zephaniah and Demaris (Thompson) Alden; great-grandson of Jonathan and Lucy (Bryant) Alden; great²-grandson of *Barnabas Alden*, private in Mass. Troops.

LAWRENCE IRA BAILEY, Seattle, Wash. (Mass. 52927). Son of Ambrose Moody and Una (Lull) Bailey; grandson of Orange James and Louisa B. (Porter) Bailey; great-grandson of Amos and Mary (Abbott) Bailey; great²-grandson of *Asa Bailey*, private in N. H. Troops.

CHARLES ADOLPHE BALDWIN, Colorado Springs, Colo. (N. Y. 52831). Son of Charles Henry and Permelia (Tollree) Baldwin; grandson of Edwin and — (Carey) Baldwin; great-grandson of *Daniel Baldwin*, Captain in N. J. Troops.

DALLAS MORGAN BARR, Washington, D. C. (52782). Son of A. Eugene and Mazie (Sencindiver) Barr; grandson of J. Morgan and Henrietta (Kratz) Sencindiver; great-grandson of Jacob and Elizabeth Ann (Boltz) Sencindiver; great²-grandson of Lewis and Catherine (Im-

boden) Sencindiver; great²-grandson of *Martin Sencindiver*, private in Pa. Militia.

ROBERT RÖY BARRINGER, Murphysboro, Ill. (52522). Son of Willis Leonard and Minnie Matilda (Vineyar) Barringer; grandson of George Martin and Mary Elizabeth (Lingofelter) Barringer; great-grandson of Daniel and Sally (Brown) Lingofelter; great²-grandson of Nicodemus and Eliza (Bailey) Brown; great²-grandson of *Hugh Brown*, private in Pa. Militia.

WYLIE MICAJAH BARROW, Baton Rouge, La. (51858). Son of Cordelius Johnson and Martha (Robertson) Barrow; grandson of Edward White and Mary Jane (Pope) Robertson; great-grandson of William Blount and Leodocia (Erwin) Robertson; great²-grandson of *James Robertson*, private in Va. Troops.

CLIFFORD F. BARTON, N. Y. City. (52827). Son of Frank C. and Hannah (Rosenbaum) Barton; grandson of Charles and Helen F. (Sargent) Barton; great-grandson of Ebenezer and Mary (Wright) Sargent; great²-grandson of *Ebenezer Sargent*, private in Mass. Troops.

VICTOR N. BARTON, N. Y. City. (52828). Son of Frank C. and Hannah (Rosenbaum) Barton. Same as 52827.

CAROLL DYER BECKWITH, Buffalo, Wyo. (43125). Son of Caroll Dyer and Isabelle (Delaney) Beckwith; grandson of David O. and Anna (Bartholomew) Beckwith; great-grandson of Lemuel and Anna (Wilson) Bartholomew; great²-grandson of *Jeptha Bartholomew*, private in Conn. Troops.

LEWIS CHARLES BEEBE, Faribault, Minn. (52677). Son of A. J. and Ida Elizabeth (Hamblin) Beebe; grandson of Alvah and Alvira S. (Eggleston) Hamblin; great-

grandson of Erastus and Mary (Goodwin) Eggleston; great²-grandson of Daniel T. and Mary (Crafts) Goodwin; great³-grandson of *Edward Crafts*, Captain in Mass. Troops.

CHARLES CARROLL BELLAMY, Princess Anne, Va. (52490). Son of Thomas Marshall and Edna (Marvin) Bellamy; grandson of Joseph Minor and Sarah Catherine (Sheppard) Marvin; great-grandson of John M. and Catherine Smith (Shore) Sheppard; great²-grandson of Henry Smith and Catherine R. (Winston) Shore; great²-grandson of *William Overton Winston*, Captain in Va. Militia.

FRED BERTRAM BENTON, Albion, N. Y. (52832). Son of Oliver Charles and Cora (Beach) Benton; grandson of Oliver and Elvira (Starr) Benton; great-grandson of *Bethel Benton*, private in Mass. Troops.

WALLACE JOHN BLACK, Peoria, Ill. (52524). Son of John Mark and Laura Margaret (Wallace) Black; grandson of John and Mary (Peabody) Wallace; great-grandson of Thomas and Phidelia (Shattach) Peabody; great²-grandson of *William Peabody*, fifer in Mass. Troops.

ADELBERT TERWILLIGER BUNZEY, Maplewood, N. J. (52877). Son of John Henry and Caroline (Grimes) Bunzey; grandson of James and Sarah (Dennis) Grimes; great-grandson of *James Grimes*, Captain in Vt. Troops.

HARRY ALBERT BURNETT, Detroit, Mich. (52901). Son of Clinton Julius and Frances (Kenny) Burnett; grandson of Jonathan and Sarah (Clough) Burnett; great-grandson of *James Burnett*, Sergeant in Conn. Troops.

CHARLES ANDERSON CASS, New York City. (52833). Son of Joseph Kerr and Sarah Margaret (Anderson) Cass; grandson of Abner Lord and Margaret (Kerr) Cass; great-grandson of George Washington and Sophia (Lord) Cass; great²-grandson of *Jonathan Cass*, Captain in N. H. Troops.

RAY WEBB CHATTERTON, Wis. (24350). Supplemental. Son of William W. and Helen (Webb) Chatterton; grandson of Thomas Clark and Elvira (Coats) Webb; great-grandson of David and Elizabeth (Conable) Coats; great²-grandson of John and Sarah (Dewey) Conable; great²-grandson of *David Dewey*, private in Conn. Troops.

JOHN FRANKLIN CLARK, Nutley, N. J. (52810). Son of John Wingate and Martha E. S. (Philbrick) Clark; grandson of Benjamin F. and Elizabeth (Wingate) Clark; great-grandson of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Wiggin) Clark; great²-grandson of *Daniel Clark*, member of Committee of Safety for N. H.

RAYMOND ROBERT LAWTON CLEMSON, Marengo, Iowa (52654). Son of Edward L. and Carolina (Kepner) Clemson; grandson of Robert M. and Mary Emily (Teeter) Kepner; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Rush) Teeter; great²-grandson of William and Nancy (Ross) Teeter; great²-grandson of *George Teeter*, Ensign in Va. Militia.

GRANVILLE BAXTER COLEMAN, Richmond, Va. (52491). Son of Robert Daniel and Ella (Morris) Coleman; grandson of Granville Robert and Sarah Alice (Wine) Coleman; great-grandson of Robert Morton and Jane (Kelly) Coleman; great²-grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth (Key) Coleman; great²-grandson of *James Coleman*, Ensign in N. Y. Militia.

GARRETT ELLSWORTH CONOVER, Nutley, N. J. (52811). Son of Daniel D. and Grace E. (McLean) Conover; grandson of Garrett Van Derveer and Sarah Jane (Jones) Conover; great-grandson of Samuel Webster

and Letty Ann (Smock) Jones; great²-grandson of George and Margaret (Van Deventer) Smock; great²-grandson of *John Smock*, Colonel in N. J. Troops.

LEROY LINDSLEY CRANE, Upper Montclair, N. J. (52878). Son of Henry Lindsley and Ella Frances (Brown) Crane; grandson of Matthias and Susan (Baldwin) Crane; great-grandson of Israel and Fanny (Pierson) Crane; great²-grandson of *William Crane*, Major in N. J. Militia.

ALBERT BUNYAN CRISSMAN, Fair Oaks, Ark. (46170). Son of James B. and Mary (Thompson) Crissman; grandson of David Smick and Catherine (Fleck) Crissman; great-grandson of *George Fleck*, private in Pa. Militia.

WILLIAM JAMES CROWE, Oklahoma City, Okla. (50099). Son of James and Caroline (Terry) Crowe; grandson of Franklin and Rosetta (Lockerby) Terry; great-grandson of Ezekiel and Phebe (Canterbury) Terry, Jr.; great²-grandson of Ezekiel and Mehitabel (Griswold) Terry, Sr.; great²-grandson of Samuel and Mary (Kellogg) Terry; great²-grandson of *Ephraim Terry*, Chairman of Committee for Enfield, Conn.

WAYNE DANCER, Ohio (51465). Supplemental. Son of Edwin E. and Mary (Brim) Dancer; grandson of Josiah M. and Matilda (Hodges) Dancer; great-grandson of George Washington and Sarah (Little) Dancer; great²-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Goldsmith) Dancer; great²-grandson of *John Dancer*, bateaman in N. Y. Troops.

CHARLES CLIFFORD DAY, Norfolk, Va. (52494). Son of Robert A. and Thalia (Wildman) Day; grandson of Jacob A. and Harriet M. (Hitchcock) Day; great-grandson of Reuben and Rhoda (Hamlin) Hitchcock; great²-grandson of Phineas and Rhoda (Andrews) Hamlin; great²-grandson of *John Hamlin*, Lieutenant in Conn. Troops.

CECIL HARROD DICKERSON, Conway, Ark. (46173). Son of George Douglass and Sally Leeanna (Richardson) Dickerson; grandson of Thomas Mason and Mary Hicks (Williams) Richardson; great-grandson of Daniel H. and Kitty (Spicer) Williams; great²-grandson of *Daniel Williams*, Captain in N. C. Troops.

JOHN BARTLEY DILLON, Indianapolis, Ind. (51275). Son of John Harper and Lillian (Mitchell) Dillon; grandson of Archibald Bartley and Harriet Ella (Clapper-ton) Mitchell; great-grandson of Archibald and Sarah (Swigert) Mitchell; great²-grandson of *Philip Swigert*, private in Pa. Militia.

FREDERICK AUGUSTUS DITMARS, Nutley, N. J. (52812). Son of Frederick Stryker and Agnes Amelia (Ketcham) Ditmars; grandson of William B. and Adelia (Hoff) Ditmars; great-grandson of Garret and Catharine Sarah (MacGregor) Ditmars; great²-grandson of Abraham and Cornelia (Stryker) Ditmars; great²-grandson of *Peter Ditmars*, private in N. J. Militia.

HARRY JOHN MUNN DOREMUS, Nutley, N. J. (52813). Son of John Munn and Carrie Woodruff (Buxton) Doremus; grandson of Thomas and Mary (Freeman) Doremus; great-grandson of Cornelius and Sarah (Harrison) Doremus; great²-grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth (Van Houten) Doremus; great²-grandson of *Thomas Doremus*, private in N. J. Militia.

LEWIS CHARLES ELLIOTT, JR., Brooklyn, N. Y. (52834). Son of Lewis Charles and Mary Ida (Ryan) Elliott; grandson of Isaac A. and Virginia A. (Osborne) Elliott; great-grandson of James Weldon and Sophia

(Shearer) Osborne; great²-grandson of Ludwig and Susan (Eichelberger) Shearer; great³-grandson of *Valentine Shearer*, private in Pa. Militia.

HERBERT S. FESSENDEN, Washington, D. C. (52783). Son of Arthur Leon and Minnie (Hoverstick) Fessenden; grandson of Levi Goodridge and Sarah Maria (Stratton) Fessenden; great-grandson of Nathan and Jane (Goodridge) Fessenden; great²-grandson of *Nathan Fessenden*, Mass. Minute Men.

WILLIAM ALVORD FINN, Nutley, N. J. (52814). Son of Harry Denison and Mary (Suedekor) Finn; grandson of William Lindsay and Jennie (De Forest) Finn; great-grandson of James and Polly (Lindsay) Finn; great²-grandson of *Henry Finn*, private in N. Y. Militia.

EUGENE S. FISKE, Mount Vernon, N. Y. (52835). Son of Edwin W. and Annie E. (Smith) Fiske; grandson of Samuel and Amanda (Stoddard) Fiske; great-grandson of Isaac and Lydia (Butler) Stoddard; great²-grandson of John and Rebecca (Ashton) Stoddard; great³-grandson of *Isaac Ashton*, Lieutenant in Pa. Troops.

J. WILLIS FLICKINGER, N. J. (45041). Supplemental. Son of John Chambers and Margaret Susan (Kasey) Flickinger; grandson of Jacob and Lavina (Klippinger) Flickinger; great-grandson of Anthony and Mary B. (Hess) Klippinger; great²-grandson of *Ludwig Kleppinger*, private in Pa. Militia.

COURSEN TIMBRELL FORRESTER, Nutley, N. J. (52815). Son of Robert M. and Lena (Timbrell) Forrester; grandson of Whitfield Coursen and Charlotte Emma (Lantz) Timbrell; great-grandson of Jacob and Catharine (McManus) Timbrell; great²-grandson Hezekiah and Elizabeth (Johnson) Timbrell; great³-grandson of *William Johnson*, Sergeant in N. J. Troops.

FRANK ROBERT FORRESTER, Nutley, N. J. (52816). Son of Robert M. and Lena (Timbrell) Forrester; same as 52815.

HENRY SHEPARD FOSTER, Charleston, S. C. (Va. 52493). Son of Claudius Shepard and Peachy (Sears) Foster; grandson of Shepard and Virginia (—) Foster; great-grandson of Isaac and Mary (Miller) Foster; great²-grandson of *Isaac Foster*, Captain in Va. Troops.

FRANK BALL FOWLER, Ind. (18137). Supplemental. Son of Leroy Z. and Lucinda (Ball) Fowler; grandson of Joshua and Polly (Catlin) Ball; great-grandson of *Nathaniel and Martha (Boynnton) Ball*, private in N. H. Militia; great²-grandson of *Ebenezer Ball*, private in N. H. Militia.

JOSEPH ARNOLD GAINES, Glasgow, Ky. (51733). Son of William Joseph and Anna Maria (Gaines) Gaines; grandson of William Arnold and Mary Elizabeth (Gaines) Gaines; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Clarissa (Arnold) Gaines; great²-grandson of *William Arnold*, private in Va. State Troops and in Va. Continental Dragoons.

HARRY OTTO GARMAN, Indianapolis, Ind. (52976). Son of Noah B. and Rosa B. (Teeter) Garman; grandson of Henry L. and Caroline T. (Fail) Teeter; great-grandson of Zachariah and Polly (Thomas) Teeter, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Zachariah Teeter*, private in N. Y. Militia.

CLAUDE W. GARNER, Belle Glades, Florida (Ark. 46171). Son of Thomas J. and Ida Hope (Haynes) Garner; grandson of Thomas J. and Mollie J. (Giles) Haynes; great-grandson of Henry and Elizabeth (Goodson) Haynes; great²-grandson of *William Haynes*, Matross in Va. Continental Artillery.

FRANK BARTELT GERSBACH, Albuquerque, N. M. (52081). Son of Edward Charles and Olive Elma (Johnston) Gersbach; grandson of Monroe Bugher and Annie E. (Moffett) Johnston; great-grandson of Robert Jesse and Elma Virginia (Gaskill) Johnston; great²-grandson of Abraham Bugher and Sarah (Jacobs) Gaskill; great³-grandson of Budd and Hannah (Davis) Gaskill; great⁴-grandson of *Samuel Gaskill*, Lieutenant in N. J. Militia.

EUGENE LEWIS HALE, Nutley, N. J. (52817). Son of Wilbur L. and Emma D. (Hayes) Hale; grandson of Martin G. and Charlotte (McGinnis) Hayes; great-grandson of *John Hayes*, private in N. Y. Militia.

ROBERT ROYSTON HARCOURT, Brooklyn, N. Y. (52768). Son of William M. and Florence May (Adams) Burdick-Harcourt; grandson of William Stanton and Mary Ellen (Betts) Burdick-Harcourt; great-grandson of Rowland and Sarah Burdick (Thompson) Burdick; great²-grandson of *Oliver Burdick, Jr.*, private in R. I. Troops.

ROBERT ROYSTON HARCOURT, JR., Brooklyn, N. Y. (52836). Son of Robert Royston and Sotie Blanche (Birch) Harcourt; grandson of William M. and Florence May (Adams) Burdick-Harcourt; great-grandson of William Stanton and Mary Ellen (Betts) Burdick-Harcourt; great²-grandson of Rowland and Sarah Burdick (Thompson) Burdick; great³-grandson of *Oliver Burdick, Jr.*, private in R. I. Troops.

JOHN MECASLIN HARRISON, Ga. (51507). Supplemental. Son of James Lawrence and Kathleen (Mecasin) Harrison; grandson of Burwell Kendrick and Eliza Woodson (Robertson) Harrison; great-grandson of William and Susan (Kendrick) Harrison; great²-grandson of Benjamin and Ruth (Harvey) Kendrick; great³-grandson of *John Harvey*, private in Ga. Troops.

PERCIVAL HOLLAND, Nutley, N. J. (52818). Son of Thomas B. and Sarah Matilda (Pierson) Holland; grandson of Theodore F. and Mary (Dodd) Pierson; great-grandson of Alvin H. and Mary (Sayre) Dodd; great²-grandson of Nathaniel and Lucy (Baldwin) Dodd; great³-grandson of *Joshua Dodd*, Corporal in N. J. Militia.

COSTELLO CARPENTER HOLMES, Boise, Idaho (47023). Son of Earl Basil and Clara Augusta (Carpenter) Holmes; grandson of Ellsworth Kearney and Dora (Bartley) Carpenter; great-grandson of John Wesley and Clarissa (Bingham) Carpenter; great²-grandson of Alvin and Harriet Lucy (Higley) Bingham; great³-grandson of Brewster and Naomi (—) Higley; great⁴-grandson of *Brewster Higley*, Sergeant in Vt. Troops and member of Committee of Safety.

CLIFTON BRUCE INGRAM, Norfolk, Va. (52492). Son of Charles Vine and Elna (Renfro) Ingram; grandson of Frank Monroe and Mary Ida (Traylor) Renfro; great-grandson of Noah Parker and Nancy (Reinhardt) Renfro; great²-grandson of Christian and Mary (Forney) Reinhardt; great³-grandson of *Peter Forney*, Captain in N. C. Troops.

CHARLES MILFORD JAMES, Mt. Lebanon, Pa. (52588). Son of John Fremont and Josephine (Walker) James; grandson of John Kellogg and Harriett (Ricker) James; great-grandson of Samuel and Prudence Alvord (Kellogg) James; great²-grandson of *John Kellogg*, fifer in Mass. Militia.

ROBERT JAQUES, Minn. (43068). Supplemental. Son of Alfred and Mary Josephine (Shaw) Jaques; grandson

of George W. and Lucy (Andrews) Shaw; great-grandson of Wells and Nancy Lee (Harper) Andrews; great²-grandson of *John Harper*, purchasing agent for Va. Militia.

WOODWORTH BELMONT JOSLIN, Adrian, Mich. (52904). Son of Theodore Merrill and Mary (Holton) Joslin; grandson of Alvin and Josephine Elizabeth (Holmes) Joslin; great-grandson of Willard and Salome (Woodworth) Joslin; great²-grandson of *Asa Joslin*, private in Mass. Militia.

ROBERT DANBY KEMP, Wilmington, Dela. (52257). Son of Stacey Thomas and Anne (Danby) Kemp; grandson of Robert and Caroline (Thomas) Kemp; great-grandson of John and Sarah Paschall (Troth) Kemp; great²-grandson of *John Kemp*, sea captain, active in transporting recruits for Maryland forces.

WILLIAM WALKER KENNEDY, New York City, N. Y. (52769). Son of Madison Barker and Rose Walker (Fisher) Kennedy; grandson of Lauren O. and Caroline (Cook) Kennedy; great-grandson of James and Lucinda (Grinnell) Kennedy; great²-grandson of *Thomas Kennedy*, private in N. Y. Militia.

MELVILLE GARDNER KENYON, Richmond, Ind. (52977). Son of Edward Perry and Sarah Ellen (Reichelderfer) Kenyon; grandson of Gardner and Sarah M. (May) Kenyon; great-grandson of *John Kenyon*, private in R. I. Troops. Pensioned.

FORDHAM BASSETT KIMBALL, Boston, Mass. (52350). Son of Walter and Katharine E. (Bassett) Kimball; grandson of Charles W. and Mary E. (Towne) Kimball; great-grandson of Joshua B. and Nancy (Grout) Kimball; great²-grandson of Aaron and Mary (Goulding) Kimball; great³-grandson of *Aaron Kimball*, captain in Mass. Militia.

WILLIAM RALPH KNAPPENBERGER, Chicago, Ill. (52523). Son of William Albert and Margaret Elizabeth (Heisel) Knappenberger; grandson of John and Mary Jane (Ross) Knappenberger; great-grandson of Henry and Hannah (Painter) Knappenberger; great²-grandson of John and Hannah (Cort) Knappenberger; great³-grandson of *Conrad Knappenberger*, private in Pa. Militia.

GRADY LEWIS, Muskogee, Okla. (50100). Son of William Ainsworth and Bettie A. (Moore) Lewis; grandson of Jacob Warren and Elizabeth Ann (Holcomb) Lewis; great-grandson of David and Nancy (Williams) Lewis; great²-grandson of Jacob and Ailsie (Leonard) Lewis; great³-grandson of *David Lewis*, private in N. C. Troops.

HERSCHEL V. LEWIS, Oklahoma City, Okla. (52851). Son of David Franklin and Florence Alabama (Fretwell) Lewis; grandson of Jacob Warren and Elizabeth Ann (Holcomb) Lewis. Same as 50100 (*supra*).

ALDEN RODNEY LUDLOW, Mill Neck, N. Y. (N. J. 52879). Son of Rodney and Carrie (Lytle) Ludlow; grandson of Abraham R. and Elizabeth (Seaman) Ludlow; great-grandson of Cooper and Elizabeth (—) Ludlow; great²-grandson of John and Catherine (Cooper) Ludlow; great³-grandson of *Cornelius Ludlow*, Lieutenant Colonel in N. J. Troops.

LEIGH KENT LYDECKER, Maywood, N. J. (52880). Son of Charles Edward and Ella (Voorhis) Lydecker; grandson of John and Jane (Alyea) Voorhis; great-grandson of Jacob and Hannah (Palmer) Voorhis; great²-grandson of Peter A. and Gertrude (Berdan) Voorhis; great³-grandson of *Albert P. Van Voorhees*, private, in N. J. Militia.

DONALD JUSTIN LYNN, Youngstown, Ohio (52606). Son of Emery Francis and Harriet Belle (Crooks) Lynn; grandson of David and Mary Ann (Peters) Lynn; great-

grandson of John and Sophrona F. (Burghart) Lynn, Christian and Eva (Fenstermacher) Peters; great²-grandson of *Johann Nicholas Lynn*, private in Pa. Militia, George and Eva Catharine (Feller) Peter, William and Anna Magdalena (Bloss) Fenstermacher; great³-grandson of *Johannes and Anna Maria (—) Peter*, private in Pa. Militia, *Andrew and Eva Catharine (Roth) Feller*, private in Pa. Militia, *William Fenstermacher*, private in Pa. Militia, *John George and Anna Barbara (Schneider) Bloss*, Lieutenant and private in Pa. Militia; great⁴-grandson of *Casper Peter*, Northampton County, Pa., patriot, *John Roth*, private in Pa. Militia.

HERBERT KENT LYON, Hohokus, N. J. (52881). Son of Frederick Kent and Emma Louise (Felton) Lyon; grandson of Amory and Nancy Perkins (Boynnton) Felton; great-grandson of Skelton and Lucinda (Adams) Felton; great²-grandson of *Benjamin Felton*, Ensign in Mass. Troops.

HERBERT KENT LYON, JR., Hohokus, N. J. (52882). Son of Herbert Kent and Grace Elizabeth (Lord) Lyon; grandson of Frederick Kent and Emma Louise (Felton) Lyon. Same as 52881.

JOSEPH BEATTY McCULLOUGH, Steubenville, Ohio (52605). Son of Joseph Alva and Mary (Beatty) McCullough; grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (Nicholson) Beatty; great-grandson of John and Mary (Myers) Nicholson; great²-grandson of *Matthew Myers*, private and ranger in Pa. Troops.

JOSEPH PAUL McCULLOUGH, New York City, N. Y. (D. C. 52786). Son of Christian Tritt and Mary (Paul) McCullough; grandson of William J. and Tabitha (Tritt) McCullough; great-grandson of David and Elizabeth (Coyle) McCulloch; great²-grandson of John and Mary (Williamson) McCulloch; great³-grandson of *John McCullough*, private in Pa. Militia, *David Williamson*, Lieutenant in Pa. Militia.

GEORGE HERBERT McENTIRE, Texas (48637). Supplementals. Son of William Randolph and Missie Carmela (Burnett) McEntire; grandson of Bivil and Maria Elizabeth (Wells) McEntire, Littlebury and Elizabeth (Daniell) Burnett; great-grandson of Henry and Elizabeth (Phillips) Wells, James and Rilla (Poston) McEntire, Josiah and Sarah Ann (Owens) Daniell, Jeremiah and Rachel (Crow) Burnett; great²-grandson of *Adam Phillips*, private in N. C. Troops, Samuel and Rachel (King) Poston, *William Daniell*, private in N. C. Troops, *Stephen and Margaret (Stroud) Crow*, private in N. C. Troops; great³-grandson of *John and Rachel (Young) King*, member of N. C. Provincial Congress and Captain in N. C. Militia, *John Stroud*, private in N. C. Troops, *James Crow*, private in N. C. Troops; great³-grandson of *Richard King*, member of N. C. Legislature from Rowan County.

SOUTHER ADAMS MEAD, Washington, D. C. (52784). Son of Tilson Anderson and Sarah Adelaide (Souther) Mead; grandson of Walton Viles and Lucy (Whiton) Mead; great-grandson of David and Esther (Bundy) Mead; great²-grandson of *Moses Mead*, private in Mass. Troops.

EQUEN BURLESON MEADER, New York City (52770). Son of Louis Jonte and Lolla Price (Williams) Meader; grandson of Price and Emma Catherine (Clark) Williams; great-grandson of Ebenezer and Sarah (Burleson) Clark; great²-grandson of Aaron and Mary Ann Maria (Camp) Burleson; great³-grandson of *Jesse Burleson*, private in N. C. Militia.

ROBERT GROSS MILLER, Nutley, N. J. (52819). Son of Frank B. and Lillian (Gross) Miller; grandson of

Hiram and Melvina (Sides) Miller; great-grandson of George and Mary (Garlinger) Miller; great²-grandson of George and Mary Magdalena (Weitzel) Miller; great³-grandson of *George Miller*, Major in Pa. Militia.

SLOANE ERASTUS MILLER, N. Y. (45624). Supplementals. Son of Matthew Kane and Saletta May (Pressinger) Miller; grandson of Erastus Hedges and Jane Anne (Kane) Miller; great-grandson of Enoch and Amy (Conklin) Miller; great²-grandson of John and Jane (Hedges) Miller, Elisha and Mary (—) Conklin; great³-grandson of John and Amy (Mulford) Miller, *William and Mary (Chatfield) Hedges, Jr.*, signer of Long Island, N. Y., "Association," and ensign in militia, *Elisha Conklin*, signer of Long Island, N. Y., "Association," and refugee to Connecticut; great⁴-grandson of *John Miller*, signer of Long Island, N. Y., "Association," *John Chatfield*, signer of Long Island, N. Y., "Association," *William Hedges, Sr.*, signer of Long Island, N. Y., "Association."

MASON EDWARD MITCHELL, Conway, Arkansas (46172). Son of James Valentine and Laura Henriette (Richardson) Mitchell; grandson of Thomas Mason and Mary Hicks (Williams) Richardson; great-grandson of Daniel H. and Kitty (Spicer) Williams; great²-grandson of *Daniel Williams*, Captain in N. C. Troops. Pensioned.

JOHN HARPER MOORE, Grand Rapids, Mich. (52902). Son of Myron B. and Isabel (Stegeman) Moore; grandson of Hiram and Fannie (Underwood) Moore; great-grandson of William English and Fannie S. (Atkins) Moore; great²-grandson of *William Moore*, private in N. H. Troops. Pensioned.

EDGAR MORRIS, JR., Washington, D. C. (52779). Son of Edgar and Beronica (Longette) Morris, Sr.; grandson of Aaron Madison and Inez (Mauldin) Morris; great-grandson of Elias Earle and Ellen (Anderson) Mauldin; great²-grandson of Milton and Sarah (O'Dell) Mauldin; great³-grandson of Allen and Obedience (Hughes) Mauldin; great⁴-grandson of *Rucker Mauldin*, "horseman" in S. C. Troops.

CHARLES ALLISON MORROW, JR., U. S. Navy (Md. 51444). Son of Charles Allison and Maud E. (Bellis) Morrow; grandson of William H. and Ellen M. (Tolson) Bellis; great-grandson of Jacob Clayland and Sarah E. (Connor) Tolson; great²-grandson of Jacob and Ann Elizabeth (Legge) Tolson; great³-grandson of *Samuel Legge*, private in Md. Militia.

BEVERLY GILLIAM MOSS, Washington, N. C. (51687). Son of Beverly Gilliam and Emma (Carter) Moss; grandson of Jesse and Ella (Vogler) Carter; great-grandson of William Brown and Eliza (Galloway) Carter; great²-grandson of *Jesse Carter*, private in Va. Line.

EDMOND ORSON NICHOLS, Los Angeles, Calif. (52634). Son of Edmund Ealon and Dorothy I. (Stevens) Nichols; grandson of Orson Kinney and Amanda Lavina (Jones) Nichols; great-grandson of Hiram and Abra (Gardner) Nichols; great²-grandson of Alpheus and Rebecca (Kinney) Nichols; great³-grandson of *Joseph Nichols, Jr.*, Sergeant in Mass. Militia.

ROY DE FRANCE NICHOLSON, Wellsville, Ohio (52604). Son of William B. and Allie Ruby (Baxter) Nicholson; grandson of John W. and Malinda (Albaugh) Baxter; great-grandson of Reuben and Sarah (Rider) Albaugh; great²-grandson of George and Katherine (Culp) Rider; great³-grandson of *John Rider*, private in Pa. Militia.

HAMMATT NORTON, Nutley, N. J. (52820). Son of Frederick Hammatt and Anna (Whitehead) Norton; grandson of George F. and Jane (Camp) Norton; great-

grandson of Jacob Sayre and Elma (Ryerson) Camp; great²-grandson of William and Elizabeth (Brookfield) Camp; great³-grandson of *Ephraim Camp*, private in N. J. Militia.

DARLINGTON BERRY NOURSE, Kenton, Ohio (Fla. 51786). Son of John D. and Catharine (Berry) Nourse; grandson of Charles and Susan (Cameron) Nourse; great-grandson of Gabriel and Ann (Dowdall) Nourse; great²-grandson of *James Nourse*, Member of Va. House of Delegates, disbursing agent and commissioner to settle claims (1781).

HIEROME LINDSAY OPIE, Staunton, Va. (52489). Son of John Newton and Ida Walton (Fletcher) Opie; grandson of Hierome Lindsay and Anne (Locke) Opie; great-grandson of Hierome Lindsay and Margaret (Muse) Opie, Sr.; great²-grandson of *Battaille Muse*, private in Va. Militia.

EDWIN LOVELAND PADDOCK, N. Y. (52754). Supplemental. Son of Oscar Mortimer and Edith Orminda (Davidson) Paddock; grandson of Oscar and Charlotte Frances (Craw) Paddock; great-grandson of Loveland and Sophia Angela (Foster) Paddock; great²-grandson of *John Paddock*, Lieutenant in Conn. Militia.

JOSEPH LOWERY PETERSON, Pueblo, Colo. (49989). Son of Wilkins O. and Mary (Lowery) Peterson; grandson of Wesley W. and Sarah E. (Coon) Lowery; great-grandson of Joseph Dunkin K. and Mary R. (Simmons) Lowery; great²-grandson of Jacob L. and Frances (Rice) Simmons; great³-grandson of Lawrence and Nancy (Link) Simmons; great⁴-grandson of *Jacob Link*, ranger on the Pa. frontier.

WILLARD DAVID PRATT, Lowell, Mass. (52928). Son of Marshall and Lydia M. (Chase) Pratt; grandson of Ezra S. and Hannah (Wilder) Chase; great-grandson of Apollos and Nancy (Scott) Chase; great²-grandson of *Ephraim Chase*, private in Mass. Militia and Captain in Mass. Naval Service.

RUSSELL CHASE PRATT, Lowell, Mass. (52929). Son of Willard David and Jane Eleanor (Russell) Pratt; grandson of James Cyrus and Clara Ellen (Hall) Russell; great-grandson of Leonard and Sarah (Hall) Russell; great²-grandson of Jeremiah and Betsy (Merrill) Russell; great³-grandson of Edward and Mary (Page) Russell; great⁴-grandson of *Caleb Page*, signer of the "Association Test" (1776) at Dunbarton, N. H., and delegate to the N. H. Provincial Congress.

GEORGE LEROY REES, Smithfield, Utah (50199). Son of John and Sophronia R. (Molen) Rees; grandson of Jesse and Lourany (Huffaker) Molen; great-grandson of Jacob and Margaret (Bodkin) Huffaker; great²-grandson of *Michael Huffaker*, private in Pa. Militia.

DONALD SYLVESTER RICHARDSON, Cambridge, Mass. (52930). Son of Charles Henry and Agnes Stratton (MacDonald) Richardson; grandson of George Prentiss and Julia Ann (Wright) Richardson; great-grandson of Peter and Hetty Spencer (Prentiss) Richardson; great²-grandson of Samuel and Lucy (Myrick) Richardson; great³-grandson of *William Richardson*, private in Mass. Militia.

CHARLES EUGENE ROGERS, Indianapolis, Ind. (52978). Son of Charles O. and Jetta M. (Bailey) Rogers; grandson of James T. and Anna (Dinwiddie) Rogers; great-grandson of Hugh and Mary (Williams) Dinwiddie; great²-grandson of Hugh and Sarah (Black) Dinwiddie; great³-grandson of *Hugh Dinwiddie*, Lieutenant Colonel in Pa. Troops.

WILLIAM F. ROOT, Ohio (52010). Supplementals. Son of Harry and Elva (Fenton) Root; grandson of Barry

and Rebecca (Bootey) Fenton; great-grandson of Barry B. and Fanny (Deming) Fenton; great²-grandson of *Barry Fenton*, private in Conn. Troops, *Daniel Deming*, private in Mass. Troops.

ROBERT STANLEY ROSS, Mamaroneck, N. Y. (52829). Son of Napoleon and Jeannette Lydia (Stanley) Ross; grandson of Adonijah P. and Lydia (Osborn) Stanley; great-grandson of Asher and Lydia (Olmsted) Osborn; great²-grandson of *Jonathan Olmsted*, Captain in Conn. Troops and member of Committee of East Haddam, Conn.

HARRY EDWARD ROWLANDS, JR., Midland Park, N. J. (52883). Son of Harry Edward and Margaret Mary (Treanor) Rowlands; grandson of Henry and Ella Augusta (Bunce) Rowlands; great-grandson of Nathaniel Russell and Mary Josephine (Suffern) Bunce; great²-grandson of John I. and Nancy (De la Montaigne) Suffern; great³-grandson of *John Suffern*, private in N. Y. Militia.

CLARENCE HERBERT SANDERSON, Nutley, N. J. (52821). Son of John Thomas and Esther Jane (Spahr) Sanderson; grandson of John Parkinson and Jane (Yanaway) Spahr; great-grandson of James McAfee and Esther (Parkinson) Spahr; great²-grandson of George and Letty (McAfee) Spahr; great³-grandson of *John Spahr*, private in Pa. Troops.

HENRY SANFORD, Washington, D. C. (52787). Son of Samuel Simons and Kate (Cecil) Sanford; grandson of Henry and Nancy Judson (Lockwood) Sanford; great-grandson of Aaron and Fanny (Hill) Sanford, Jr.; great²-grandson of *Aaron Sanford*, Sergeant in Conn. Troops.

HARRY MELVIN SCARBOROUGH, Cornwall-on-Hudson, N. Y. (52771). Son of George Washington and Mary Elizabeth (Jeffers) Scarborough; grandson of Euclides and Elizabeth (Jackson) Scarborough; great-grandson of Joseph and Sally (Rogers) Scarborough; great²-grandson of *Euclides Scarborough, Sr.*, private in Md. Militia.

WILLIAM GEORGE SCHRAM, New York City (52772). Son of George Ashwell and Elizabeth Mary Morgan (Platt) Schram; grandson of Timothy and Louisa (Ashwell) Schram; great-grandson of William and Harriet (Kilbourne) Schram; great²-grandson of *Jeremiah Schram*, private in N. Y. Militia.

WILLIAM TRULL SHEPPARD, Lowell, Mass. (52926). Son of William Dare and Josephine M. (Trull) Sheppard; grandson of Ephraim Elmer and Jane Elizabeth (Dare) Sheppard; great-grandson of David and Rebecca (Fithian) Dare; great²-grandson of Jonathan and Mary (Harris) Fithian; great³-grandson of *Jonathan Fithian*, Ensign in N. J. Militia.

EDGAR LOCKE SIMONTON, Wendell, Idaho (47024). Son of Kinsey McLeod and Martha (Locke) Simonton; grandson of John Wiggins and Salome (Renner) Simonton; great-grandson of John Wiggins and — (—) Simonton; great²-grandson of *John Simonton*, private in Pa. Militia.

WILLIAM BROWN SMITH, Chicago, Ill. (52525). Son of William Fitch and Roslyn Virginia (Brown) Smith; grandson of William Beverly and Sarah Betsey (Argenbright) Brown; great-grandson of Felly (Vally) and Elizabeth (Hycarser) Argenbright; great²-grandson of *Augustine Argenbright*, private in Va. Militia.

ELMER ORANGE STEVENS, Nutley, N. J. (52884). Son of Orange Bascom and Amanda Jane (Stake) Stevens; grandson of Eli and Savilla Ann (Rea) Stake; great-grandson of Benjamin and Ann (Hermomni) Stake; great²-grandson of Henry and Nancy Ann (McVity) Hermomni; great³-grandson of *John Ludwig Hermomni*, Sergeant in Pa. Militia.

FRANK G. STEWART, D. C. (30035). Supplementals. Son of Albert and Anna Belle (Gregory) Stewart; grandson of William Shead and Amanda Walton (Miller) Gregory; great-grandson of Jacob E. and Elizabeth (Neinburg) Miller; great²-grandson of *Jacob and Elizabeth (Knerr) Miller*, private in Pa. Militia, great³-grandson of *Nicholas Miller*, private in Pa. Militia, *Heinrich Knerr*, private in Pa. Militia.

CHARLES WILLIAM STILLSON, Youngstown, Ohio (52607). Son of Amos and Stella (Truesdell) Stillson; grandson of Charles and Betsy (Baker) Truesdell; great-grandson of Jehiel and Eliza (Porter) Truesdell; great²-grandson of Jacob and Alice (Gates) Truesdell; great³-grandson of *Richard Truesdell*, private and orderly sergeant in N. Y. Troops. Pensioned.

WALTER CURTIS STONE, Bellevue, Pa. (52589). Son of Edward Delevan and Elizabeth Henderson (Putnam) Stone; grandson of William Pitt and Rowena (Nye) Putnam, Francis and Lydia Perry (Loring) Stone; great-grandson of Aaron Waldo and Charlotte (Loring) Putnam, *Ichabod and Minerva (Tupper) Nye*, private in Mass. Troops, Benjamin Franklin and Zeruah (Coo'ey) Stone; great²-grandson of Israel and Sarah (Waldo) Putnam, *Benjamin Tupper*, Colonel in Mass. Troops, great³-grandson of *Israel Putnam*, Brigadier General in Conn. Militia and Major General in Continental Army.

DONALD BRYANT TAVENNER, Silver Spring, Md. (D. C. 52780). Son of Charles B. and Ella J. (Simpson) Tavenner; grandson of Thomas Daniel and Mary (Darby) Simpson; great-grandson of John Wesley and Eleanor (Howard) Darby; great²-grandson of Rezin and Mary (Warfield) Darby; great³-grandson of *George Darby*, Maryland patriot.

WILLIAM HENRY THOMAS, Lakewood, Ohio (52608). Son of John H. and Angeline Vashti (Borden) Thomas; grandson of Thomas Barnum and Julia (Meyers) Borden; great-grandson of Jeremiah and Vashti (Tucker) Borden; great²-grandson of *John Borden*, private in N. J. Troops.

FRED LESLIE TOMPKINS, Yonkers, N. Y. (52773). Son of Frederick Jay and Zula (Smith) Tompkins; grandson of Harvey Salem and Leah Louise (Polhemus) Smith; great-grandson of Jacob and Catherine (Serven) Polhemus; great²-grandson of Theodorus and Elizabeth (De Clark) Polhemus; great³-grandson of *Abraham Polhemus*, private in N. Y. Militia.

PERCY FREEMAN TOMPKINS, Yonkers, N. Y. (52774). Son of Frederick Jay and Zula (Smith) Tompkins. Same as 52773.

BERTRAND EWELL TRENIS, Washington, D. C. (52781). Son of Bertrand Ewell and Ida Lillian (Offutt) Trenis; grandson of George Warren and Gertrude (Lusby) Offutt; great-grandson of Thomas Wooten and Mary Jane (Hill) Offutt; great²-grandson of Thomas Wooten and Elizabeth (Luckett) Offutt; great³-grandson of *William Luckett*, member of Committee of Observation for Frederick County, Md., and Colonel in Md. Militia.

GARLAND SKIPWITH TROUPE, New York City (52775). Son of Calvin Ferris and Hattie (Hull) Troupe; grandson of William Skipwith and Caroline R. (Sawks) Hull; great-grandson of Horatio Clement and Caroline Boyd (Somers) Sawks; great²-grandson of *James and Sarah (Boyd) Somers*; great³-grandson of *Thomas Boyd*, Lieutenant in Md. Troops.

LESTER MILLER TURTON, Chicago, Ill. (52951). Son of Charles Mark and Emma (Miller) Turton; grandson of Joseph Johnston and Jane Sophia (Boardman) Turton; great-grandson of Ephraim and Leafy (Seaver) Board-

man; great²-grandson of Levi and Elizabeth (Yale) Boardman; great²-grandson of Ephraim and Rhoda (Andrews) Boardman; great⁴-grandson of *Gideon Andrews*, private in Conn. Troops.

CORNELIUS HENRY VAN RIPER, Nutley, N. J. (52822). Son of Abraham Harvey and Clarissa (Van Schalk-McMechan) Van Riper; grandson of Abram Winnie and Clarissa (Kip) Van Riper; great-grandson of Abraham and Maria (Spear) Van Riper; great²-grandson of *John A. Van Riper*, private in N. J. Troops.

CHARLES BOWLEN VROOM, Nutley, N. J. (52876). Son of Theodore and Eliza Jane (Hopper) Vroom; grandson of Gerrett and Catherine (Mandeville) Hopper; great-grandson of Hassel and Ann (Dey) Hopper; great²-grandson of Richard and Hannah (Pierson) Dey; great³-grandson of *Theunis Dey*, Colonel in N. J. Militia.

CHARLES WILLIAM WARD, Evanston, Ill. (52952). Son of William Thomas and Martha Ellen (Burnham) Ward; grandson of Jerry Albert and Mary Elizabeth (Handley) Burnham; great-grandson of Ira and Anna (Newton) Burnham; great²-grandson of *Jeremiah Burnham*, private in Mass. Troops. Pensioned.

LEONARD HOBBS WARREN, Honolulu, Hawaii (28544). Son of John Lloyd and Etta Lena (Minton) Warren; grandson of William Edward and Mary Virginia (Hines) Minton; great-grandson of Norman and Caroline (Underwood) Hines; great²-grandson of William and Jane (Smith) Hines; great³-grandson of Robert and Nancy Peete (Elliott) Hines; great⁴-grandson of *George Elliott*, quartermaster and commissary in Va. Militia.

CHARLES MARION WILKINSON, Baltimore, Md. (51445). Son of Thomas Clark and Emma Virginia (Bonn) Wilkinson; grandson of Samuel and Susannah (Clark) Wilkinson; great-grandson of *John Wilkinson*, Sergeant in Md. Line.

PAUL WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Paris, France (51584). Son of Louis E. and Laura J. (Steadman) Williams; grandson of William H. and Abigail (White) Williams; great-grandson of Phineas and Esther (Stevens) White; great²-grandson of *Enoch White*, Lieutenant in Mass. Troops.

GEORGE ARTHUR WILSON, Brooklyn, N. Y. (52826). Son of William Winfield and Amy Gay (Albertson) Wilson; grandson of John Manning and Julia Ann (McIntyre) Wilson; great-grandson of Samuel and Jane (Manning) Wilson; great²-grandson of *Samuel Wilson*, Ensign in Pa. Militia.

ARCHIE JOHN WOOD, Gladewater, Texas (51419). Son of John Robert and Ellen Virginia (Ford) Wood; grandson of George B. and Elizabeth (Carrier) Ford; great-

grandson of Harvey Dewey and Julia (Dickerson) Carrier; great²-grandson of Garland and Elizabeth (Reavis) Dickerson, *David Carrier*, private in Conn. Troops; great³-grandson of *Nathaniel Dickerson*, Lieutenant in N. C. Troops.

ROBERT MOSES WOOD, Gladewater, Texas (51420). Son of John Robert and Ellen Virginia (Ford) Wood. Same as 51419.

ROBERT HART WOOD, Miss. (42940). Supplemental. Son of Charles Lyon and Lena (Roden) Wood; grandson of James Aiken and Missouri Elliot (Herron) Roden; great-grandson of Jehu and Sarah Ann (Pressly) Roden; great²-grandson of Alexander Edmeston and Tabitha Cothan (Thompson) Pressly; great³-grandson of *David Pressly*, private in S. C. Troops. Pensioned.

WOODROW WILSON WOOD, Gladewater, Texas (51421). Son of Robert Moses and Bettie (Bell) Wood; grandson of John Robert and Ellen Virginia (Ford) Wood. Same as 51419.

CLAUD THURSTON WOODFORD, Nutley, N. J. (52823). Son of Clinton Mansfield and Edith (Coddington) Woodford; grandson of Walter O. and Julia (Brainard) Woodford; great-grandson of George and Cornelia (Shaw) Brainard; great²-grandson of Guy and Harriet (Rogers) Shaw; great³-grandson of *Reuben Rogers*, private in N. Y. Militia.

CLINTON MANSFIELD WOODFORD, Nutley, N. J. (52824). Son of Walter O. and Julia (Brainard) Woodford. Same as 52823.

WALTER FLETCHER WOODFORD, Hackensack, N. J. (52825). Son of Clinton Mansfield and Edith (Coddington) Woodford. Same as 52823.

GEORGE CABLE WRIGHT, Brooklyn, N. Y. (52830). Son of Boardman and Isabel Stewart (Cable) Wright; grandson of George William and Cornelia Elizabeth (Schroeder) Wright; great-grandson of John Frederick and Caroline Maria (Boardman) Schroeder; great²-grandson of *Elijah Boardman*, private in Conn. Troops.

CLEMENCE WYGANT, 3RD, Washington, D. C. (52785). Son of Clemence and Grace Mabel (Chapman) Wygant, Jr.; grandson of Clemence and Sarah Jane Field (Young) Wygant, Sumner F. and Sarah A. (Sisson) Chapman; great-grandson of James and Philena (Waring) Wygant, Sumner and Sarah (Brightman) Chapman; great²-grandson of Matthew Tufus and Sarah (Waring) Wygant, Thomas P. and Hannah (Peckham) Brightman; great³-grandson of *Michael Weigand*, private in N. Y. Troops, *Samuel Peckham*, private and drummer in R. I. Troops and seaman under John Paul Jones.

CORRECTIONS:

Vol. XXIV (Oct. 1929), p. 271, in pedigree of Harold Crandall Newberry (48760), lines 1, 2, read: Cora R. (Crandall) Newberry.

Vol. XXVII (Oct. 1932), p. 290, in pedigree of Earl Ellsworth Holman (52225), line 4, read: Wehrly instead of Wernly.

In Memoriam

ROY F. ALEXANDER, Empire State Society, February 7, 1933.
COL. W. P. ALEXANDER, Empire State Society, December 3, 1932.
ELAM SERENO ALLEN, Massachusetts Society, January 3, 1933.
DR. HORACE NEWTON ALLEN, Ohio Society, December 11, 1932.
WILLIAM ALTON, Illinois Society, November, 1932.
AVERY V. ANDREWS, Empire State Society, August 25, 1932.
ROBERT F. ASHBAUGH, Iowa Society, January 8, 1933.
GEORGE E. BARSTOW, Empire State Society, November 17, 1932.
WALTER E. BATTERSON, Connecticut Society, date not given.
WILLIAM T. BEATTY, Illinois Society, February 6, 1933.
EDWARD WELLS BELL, Connecticut Society, August 11, 1932.
EDWARD B. BILLINGS, Empire State Society, November 28, 1932.
DAVID THOMAS BRILES, North Carolina Society, February 12, 1932.
CLIVE A. BROWN, California Society, December 13, 1932.
JOHN IRVING BROWN, District of Columbia Society, June 4, 1932.
DR. ALFRED S. BURDICK, Illinois Society, February 11, 1933.
COL. CHARLES BYRNE, District of Columbia Society, January, 1933.
JOHN D. CALDWELL, Illinois Society, February 5, 1933.
JOHN H. CHADWICK, Illinois Society, February 6, 1932.
ELVORD G. CHAMBERLIN, New Jersey Society, January 6, 1933.
FRITZ ROY CHAMPION, Empire State Society, January 21, 1933.
RANDOLPH HENRY CHANDLER, Connecticut Society, January 12, 1933.
CHARLES EZRA CHILDS, Massachusetts Society, June 7, 1932.
WILLIAM BUTLER CLARKE, Massachusetts Society, January 26, 1933.
BEVERLY P. COLEMAN, Virginia Society, February 25, 1933.
DR. GEORGE F. COMSTOCK, Empire State Society, June 1, 1932.
HON. JOHN CALVIN COOLIDGE, former President of the United States, Massachusetts Society, January 5, 1933.
JACOB FRANCIS COOPER, Massachusetts Society, December 24, 1932.
CHARLES HENRY COTTRELL, Illinois Society, January 9, 1933.
METLER CHRISTIAN COX, Connecticut Society, December 29, 1932.
EDWARD E. CRAWFORD, Empire State Society, December 7, 1931.
REV. GEORGE W. CRITCHLOW, Pennsylvania Society, December 17, 1932.
REV. FREDERICK W. CUTLER, Empire State Society, March 4, 1933.
WILLIAM PLATT DARWIN, Iowa Society, December 31, 1932.
EDMUND YARD DAUGHERTY, Ohio Society, August 31, 1932.
MAURICE A. DAVIS, Kansas Society, date not given.
THOMAS HART DECOUDRES, Rhode Island Society, February, 1933.
FRANK ELLIOT DICKERMAN, Massachusetts Society, January 15, 1933.
REV. HOWARD C. DUNHAM, California Society, February 16, 1933.
JOHN G. DRENNAN, Illinois Society, December 30, 1932.
CHARLES HAZEN EASTMAN, Tennessee Society, March 9, 1933.
WALTER ELLSWORTH, Connecticut Society, date not given.
JACKSON M. EVANS, Illinois Society, December 27, 1932.
PETER FRANCISCO, New Jersey Society, October 31, 1932.
ROSS LAUDER FRYER, District of Columbia Society, January 3, 1933.
EDWARD HUNTER GIESY, Ohio Society, November 18, 1932.
HON. GUY DESPARD GOFF, former U. S. Senator, West Virginia Society, January 7, 1933.
EUGENE J. GRANT, Empire State Society, December 23, 1932.
CAPTAIN J. H. GRANT, Oklahoma Society, January 6, 1933.
ELLERY A. HALL, Rhode Island Society, December 12, 1932.
FREDERICK AUGUSTUS HANNAH, Massachusetts Society, December 5, 1930.
HAZLET M. HARDY, Michigan Society, November 27, 1932.
DR. JOHN TENNYSON HAYNES, Ohio Society, November 3, 1932.
ROBERT SHERWOOD HILL, Ohio Society, October 15, 1932.
WILLIAM L. HINDS, Iowa Society, January 31, 1933.
THOMAS J. HINDMAN, Indiana Society, December 18, 1932.
CLAIR LEROY HOLLISTER, Connecticut Society, October 26, 1932.
CALVIN BURROWES HOLCOMBE, Ohio Society, December 1, 1932.
WARREN JOEL HOOSE, Ohio Society, March 4, 1932.
ARTHUR L. HUBBARD, Indiana Society, date not given.
FREDERICK AUGUSTUS HUBBARD, Connecticut Society, February 2, 1933.
JOHN M. HUBBARD, Illinois Society, September 15, 1932.
DAVID BRAINARD HUNT, New Jersey Society, October 29, 1932.
WALTER KING HUNT, New Jersey Society, October 13, 1932.
COL. WESTON JENKINS, Empire State Society, February 8, 1933.
JOHN EDWARD JENKS, District of Columbia Society, November 8, 1932.
ASA K. JENNINGS, Empire State Society, January 27, 1933.
ALFRED JOHNSON, Massachusetts Society, January 13, 1933.
REV. RODNEY F. JOHONNET, Maine Society, date not given.
HERVEY E. KEELER, Illinois Society, February 7, 1933.
JOHN HEDGES KELLY, Iowa Society, March 2, 1933.
WALTER THROOP KENDALL, Massachusetts Society, June 12, 1932.
ARTHUR REED KIMBALL, Connecticut Society, January 26, 1933.
HOWARD E. KIMMEL, Illinois Society, January 23, 1933.
GEORGE KINSEY, Ohio Society, October 12, 1932.
JOHN H. LEIPER, Colorado Society, January 2, 1933.
HENRY THOMSON LEWIS, Ohio Society, January 1, 1932.
SIDNEY F. LEWIS, Louisiana Society, February 8, 1933.
LOREN HART LOOMIS, Connecticut Society, date not given.
ROBERT D. LOOSE, Illinois Society, November 18, 1932.

AARON K. LYLE, Pennsylvania Society, February 2, 1933.
 JACOB H. LYNN, Pennsylvania Society, date not given.
 COREY FULLER MCFARLAND, Iowa Society, December 15, 1932.
 JOHN MCMURRAY, Illinois Society, date not given.
 ALFRED EUGENE MANN, Massachusetts Society, August 28, 1932.
 CONSTANT ROBERTS MARKS, Iowa Society, December 17, 1932.
 JAMES FOSTER MARTIN, Ohio Society, August 29, 1932.
 EDWARD MORRIS MARTIN, Nebraska Society, date not given.
 JAMES B. MILLER, California Society, December 17, 1932.
 DON C. S. MILLIKIN, Illinois Society, November 26, 1932.
 WILLIAM SKILLING MILLS, Connecticut Society, January 22, 1933.
 ROSCOE C. MOODY, Maine Society, January 4, 1933.
 JOHN MOORE, West Virginia Society, September 4, 1932.
 BYRON J. MOSIER, Minnesota Society, January 22, 1933.
 ERNEST C. MOSES, Illinois Society, January 27, 1933.
 JEREMIAH M. MOWER, Empire State Society, December 1, 1932.
 JOHN WESLEY MUDGE, Iowa Society, November 23, 1932.
 REN MULFORD, Ohio Society, December 30, 1932.
 FRANKLIN MURPHY, New Jersey Society, November 9, 1932.
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 SAMUEL W. PATTERSON, West Virginia Society, October 23, 1932.
 GEORGE H. PATTERSON, California Society, December 16, 1932.
 JOHN LEDYARD PECK, Connecticut Society, February 1, 1933.
 WARREN H. PEPPER, Connecticut Society, November 29, 1932.
 ELMER A. PERRY, Illinois Society, May 20, 1932.
 EDWARD A. PERKINS, Indiana Society, date not given.
 GEN. WILLIAM ANDREWS PEW, Massachusetts Society, February 25, 1933.
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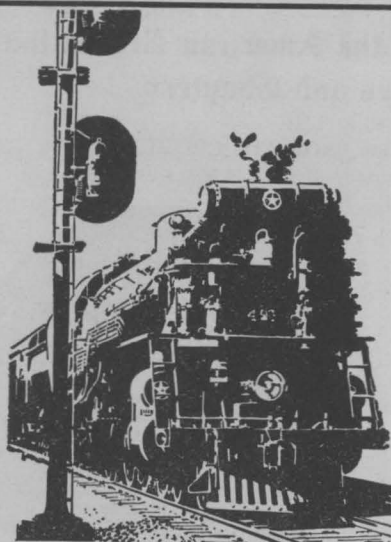
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