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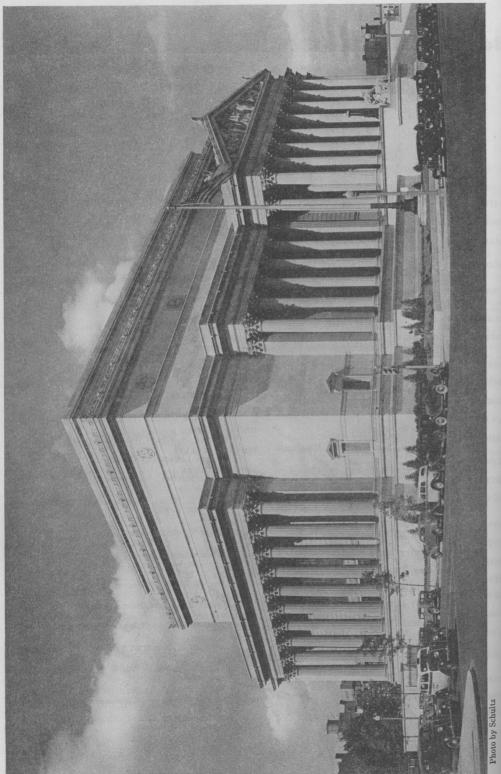
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The President General's Message

COMPATRIOTS:

Since I last addressed you through the Magazine the war in Europe has passed into a still graver stage, and the situation of our own country has inevitably been affected. The necessity of rapid development of our national defense has become apparent to nearly all Americans, and definite steps in that direction have been taken by our government and are progressively continuing. While it may have seemed to many that certain policies involved in these measures were debatable, nevertheless, now that a decision has been taken, all patriotic Americans must co-operate faithfully in carrying out the determined measures, so that our country may, as soon as possible, be made secure against violent attack from without, as well as perils within our borders. To assist the accomplishment of this end we of this Society, in common with all true Americans, are bound by every obligation of patriotic duty, without hesitation because of difference of opinion as to any of the adopted means.

What are the things that must be done to make America and American democracy secure? This question may well be given careful thought, for many plans are suggested, involving hastily conceived short cuts to desired results, which would gravely impair the security of our democratic institutions. All proposals which ignore essential constitutional principles and procedures, and involve substitution of autocratic methods copied, intentionally or thoughtlessly, from the all-too-efficient systems of continental Europe, which owe their peculiar efficiency to despotic procedure, must be scrutinized and rejected. There can be no virtue in any plan for defending America which would itself destroy American constitutional democracy, and thus undo the work of more than a hundred and fifty years of building our republic. A government without the constitutional limitations and controls, for the protection of the liberties of individuals, which are the essential features of the free government we have inherited from our forefathers, would not be worth saving. During Constitution Week, just past, we have been engaged in broadcasting this doctrine throughout the country.

Certain things must certainly be done to secure our nation's safety. We must develop trained man-power for military defense. We must bring about speedy and efficient production of an abundance of the most modern military equipment and materials; and to that end industry must, to whatever extent is necessary, be adjusted to such production with a minimum dislocation of civil production. We must search out and render impotent of mischief all agencies of espionage and sabotage, and all propagandists and friends of alien subversive movements, including especially those who may have found places in government and industry. All these things must be done, and we should have been doing them long ago—and would have been, if the urgent warnings of leading patriotic organizations had sooner been heeded by those in authority. If even the revelations of the Fish and Dies investigations had been given attention, instead of being treated with contempt and disparagement, much of the danger now so tardily recognized could have been averted. But we must meet the situation as it is, and all measures of defense such as I have mentioned must have full support.

But we may do all those things and yet fail to save the America we have known and love. We must revive and restore the spirit of real American democracy. We must

restore faith in our country and our constitutional system. We must win back to that faith especially our young people, who have too long been encouraged to despise our country's history and achievements and to doubt the validity of the principles upon which her political and social institutions are founded and the efficacy of those institutions as compared with alien systems which they have been prompted to regard with favor. We must awake a new enthusiasm for America, for the American Constitution, for the American way of life and for American liberties, guaranteed even against infringement by our own government. We must bring to an end the preaching and fostering of class hatreds and the organized arraying of class against class, creating the discontent and disaffection which are the very things upon which treason and sedition thrive. There is no other "fifth column" so dangerous as that which consists of those who, either for hostile purposes or to promote selfish ambitions or political ends, seek to sow the seeds of mutual distrust and hatred among our people. We must restore mutual trust, unity of purpose and solidarity of patriotic faith among our people; otherwise we shall have a "house divided against itself," which cannot stand. All who by any means or for any purpose preach class dissension, or teach certain groups of our people to fear or hate others, are engaged in dividing our house against itself.

In every European country that has fallen victim to the curse of totalitarian tyranny that result has been achieved most of all by capturing the imaginations and winning the faith of the young, whose unbounded enthusiasm and zeal have enabled the tyrants to sweep aside the opposition of those elders who feared but dared not long oppose the communist, fascist and national socialist revolutions. The same insidious process has been at work in our country for years, and it is only because our system of education has thus far continued predominantly conservative of Americanism, in spite of persistent efforts at radical infiltration, that these subversive efforts have not yet been very widely successful.

The American Education Association and the Federal Office of Education are to be warmly commended for stepping promptly into this situation, during recent months, and inaugurating a program which is aimed: first, at making available the facilities of the public schools for providing emergency training in industrial skills related to the national defense; and second, at providing more sound and adequate education in American constitutional democracy. All possible support should be given by our members, and by all patriotic citizens, to this program. It is one by-product of the present grave emergency which will make wholly for the good of our country and our civilization, no matter what the event of the present crisis.

All these things point also to the need of greater strength and capacity for service in all organized groups whose purposes are patriotic. There is much to be done in the dark months ahead in which the intelligence, zeal and energies of men who recognize the responsibility of American heritage will be needed, and can best be utilized if organized. Therefore, once more I appeal to all our State Societies, their chapters and all our members, to increase their efforts to enlist in our Society eligible men, to the end that our organized influence may be enlarged, and that we may be better equipped to render such patriotic service, in our several communities, as occasion may demand.

September 22, 1940.

LOREN E. SOUERS,

President General.

First Salute to the Stars and Stripes by a Foreign Power

As Reported by Capt. John Paul Jones and as Recorded by Dr. Ezra Green*

(Written for the S. A. R. Magazine by Robert F. Wood, D. C. Society)

The first salute to the Stars and Stripes by a foreign power was given by the French, February 14, 1778, some 75 miles northwest of the mouth of the Loire River, in Quiberon Bay, where the French fleet under Admiral Piquet was at anchor.

John Paul Jones, captain of the Ranger whose salute to the French was thus returned, reported this event to the Naval Committee on February 22, 1778, as follows:

"I am happy to have it in my power to congratulate you on my having seen the American flag, for the first time, recognized in the fullest and completest manner by the flag of France. I was off this bay on the 13th inst., and sent my boat in the next day to know if the Admiral would return my salute. He answered that he would return to me as the senior continental officer in Europe, the same salute as he was authorized to return to an Admiral of Holland, or any other republic, which was four guns less than the salute given. I hesitated at this, for I had demanded gun for gun.

"Therefore I anchored in the entrance of the Bay at a distance from the French fleet; but after a very particular inquiry, on the 14th, finding that he really told the truth, I was induced to accept his offer, the more as it was an acknowledgment of American independence.

"The wind being contrary and blowing hard, it was after sunset before the Ranger was near enough to salute La Motte Piquet with thirteen guns, which he returned with nine. However, to put the matter beyond a doubt, I did not suffer the *Independence* to salute until the next morning, when I sent word to the Admiral that I would sail through his fleet in the Brig. and would salute him in open day. He was exceedingly pleasant, and returned the compliment also with nine guns."

There is in existence another contemporary record of these salutes. It is contained in the

diary of Dr. Ezra Green, surgeon on the Ranger under Capt. John Paul Jones. Dr. Green's diary entries on February 13, 14, and 15, 1778, are here transcribed:

"Friday, 13 Feb.—Set sail for Quiberon Bay. Mr. Williams & Brother on board, in company with us Brig *Independence*, anchored in the Bay about six in the Evening, 4 Ships of the Line besides Frigates in the Bay.

"Saturday, 14th Feby.—Very Squaly weather, came to Sail at 4 o'clock P. M. saluted the french Admiral & rec'd nine guns in return this is the first salute ever pay'd the American flagg.

"Sunday, 15th Feb'y.—Brig Independence saluted the french Flagg which was return'd."

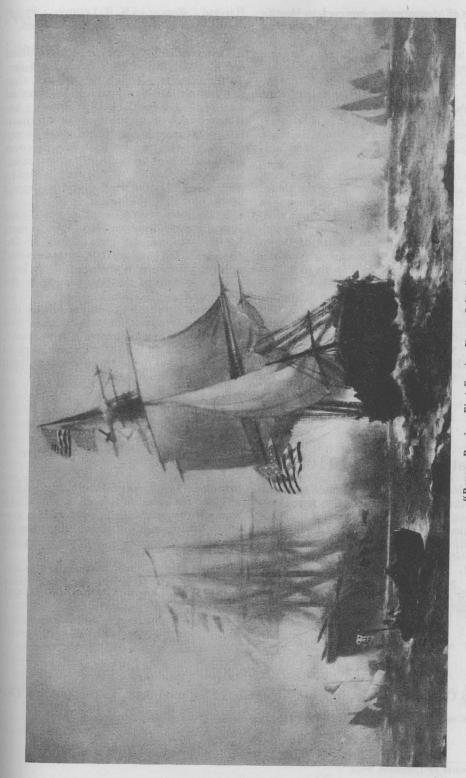
We now offer a brief account of the life of this eye-witness and chronicler of these first salutes.

Dr. Ezra Green was born in Malden, Mass., June 17, 1746 (old style); he graduated from Harvard in 1765, then studied medicine, and about 1768 went to Dover, New Hampshire, which became his home for the rest of his long life, to practice.

Immediately after the battle of Bunker Hill, Dr. Green enlisted in the American army, as a surgeon; with the army he went to New York, Albany, Ticonderoga, and Montreal; then back to Ticonderoga, Albany, and Dover, —returning home ill with fever and ague.

It was in October, 1777, that he enlisted as surgeon on the *Ranger*, and began the voyage which took him to France and to Quiberon Bay, as we have seen. This voyage lasted just one year. His next, again in the *Ranger* but under Capt. Simpson, was in the spring of 1779 and ended in three weeks with the capture of several cargoes; another voyage soon afterwards was even more successful.

In the fall of 1779 Dr. Green returned home and married Susannah Hayes, of Dover. He did not tarry long, but took part in other cruises in 1780 and 1781. He left the service at the close of the war, at which time he also relinquished the practice of medicine. He engaged after that in trade until he reached



... Kanger Kecewes First Foreign Power Salute". ously published photograph is reproduced as especially appropriate to the accompanyin

*The facts here presented are from the New England Historical & Genealogical Register, vol. 29 (1875), pp. 15 and 170-178, and from the Lothrop sermon mentioned near the end of this article.

the age of 65, continuing, however, to identify Harvard College. / by S. K. Lothrop, / Pastor himself with many public and semi-public activities. The last 8 or 9 years of his life Dr. Green had to spend in his chair, but his mind remained remarkably bright; he died in Dover, July 25, 1847, aged 101 years and 28 days.

It is recorded that Dr. Green bore some resemblance in appearance and contour of face, to General Washington, and while in the army was sometimes mistaken for him. He was 6 ft., 3 in. tall, very erect and of dignified bear-

Dr. Green was a member of the New Hampshire convention for ratification of the United States Constitution. He served his home town as selectman, surveyor of highways, town moderator, etc., and in 1827 was one of the founders of the First Unitarian Church of Dover. In that church, upon his one hundredth birthday, was preached a sermon in his honor, entitled, "The Consolations of Old Age".

This sermon was published soon afterwards, and the full title of the pamphlet reads: The Consolations of Old Age / A / Sermon / preached at the / First Unitarian Church, in Dover, N. H. / on the 28th of June, 1846, / being the one hundredth birthday / of / Ezra Green, M.D. / the Oldest Living Alumnus of

of the Church in Brattle Square, Boston. / Boston: / 1846. / Eastburn's Press.

Thirteen children were born to Dr. Green and his wife; five of them lived to old age. To the eldest son, Reuben Hayes Green, then 63 years old, Dr. Green gave an autographed copy of the hundredth-birthday sermon. Another copy, which also was owned by the Green family, has recently been placed in the library of the National Society, S. A. R.* its cover and the title page, both of which were missing, have been replaced by photostatic facsimiles made from the other, including Dr. Green's autograph.

In the back of this pamphlet is a 5-page appendix, which has been drawn upon in part, for this account. It gives details of Dr. Green's life and has a separate section devoted to his Revolutionary War service. Very brief mention is made of the French salute to the American flag.

May we dare to look forward to that day when we may return this compliment of long ago,—when we may welcome a new France. liberated from her present oppression, back to the enjoyment of freedom such as has long been symbolized by the flag she then recognized?

Constitution Day, 1940!

President General Souers desires to express in response to his general letter on the subject, his appreciation of the very fine response he has received from the Governors of the States in issuing proclamations for the Observance of Constitution Day, and the cooperation from our State Society officers in response to his appeals for an outstanding celebration this year. Major W. I. Lincoln Adams, Chairman of our National Committee, also voices his own appreciation of the latter cooperation forward to details later.

and both the President General and the Chairman feel that our societies and members generally have done all in their power to make this year's observance a worthy and notable

As we went to press too early to receive many of the state society reports for this issue, we can only give the above assurance, and look

Keep Columbus, Ohio, in mind for the next National S. A. R. Congress! The dates will be May 18th to 21st, 1941. Make your plans now!

* Donated by Compatriot Wood.

Congratulations, D. A. R.!

Our cordial felicitations are extended to our sister Society who are at this time celebrating their Golden Anniversary. On October 10th and 11th, special functions are being observed -an Anniversary Dinner, and a general Reception by the President General, Mrs. Henry M. Robert, Ir., and her Cabinet of National Officers. President General Loren E. Souers, and other National Officers of the S. A. R. will be honor guests on these auspicious occasions.

Having so recently observed the 50th Anniversary of the National Society Sons of the American Revolution, we are especially interested and happy in the splendid record of achievement and fine constructive patriotic work of the Daughters of the American Revolution and wish them continued success in every field of their endeavor, and pledge our own continued cooperation in every possible

President General Souers' appeal to our members to make their individual protests to the despoiling of our Headquarters property because of the projected underpass at Scott Circle in Washington, had an immediate and practically unanimous response and while we are not much encouraged as to the possibility of averting this action on the part of the District of Columbia, both President General Souers and the Headquarters' staff are deeply appreciative of the prompt and whole hearted action of our compatriots.

As we go to press, we are unable to make specific announcement with respect to the situation at this time.

At Butler University in Indianapolis Dr. Franklin L. Burdette, Past Vice President General for the Central District, has been appointed Director of a new program in citizenship. All sophomores will be required to enroll in a full year course in American Government and Citizenship, which will emphasize the development and character of political institutions as well as the rights, duties, and privileges of citizens. Other members of the staff are Assistant Professor Warren R. Isom, Dr. Albert R. Highley, formerly of

Rutgers University, and Dr. David M. Silver, recently of the University of Illinois.

Compatriot Burdette will also serve as Executive Secretary of the National Foundation for Education in American Citizenship. The Foundation will seek to develop emphasis upon the teaching of American democratic principles in schools and colleges throughout the country and will also promote collaboration of leading scholars in a re-statement of American democratic policy. Compatriot Samuel R. Harrell of Indianapolis is Chairman of the Foundation.

Something MUST be done about addresses!

In July 300 stencil changes were required; these cost the National Society \$15.00. Approximately the same number of Magazine return slips came from the P. O., about onethird of which had no forwarding address. In addition, a like proportion of Magazines were returned by the P. O. as undeliverable. On each P. O. return slip the Society pays 2¢ postage, and on each Magazine there is a collection of from 2¢ to 4¢, depending on size. This all mounts up.

Compatriots, please be more careful about this-that is if you value your S. A. R. MAGA-

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National Archives Building

Americans are proud of the many beautiful Federal Buildings recently completed in their Capital city, and among the most beautiful of these buildings is the National Archives Building.

Our Compatriots—especially the older ones—will recall that our Society was the first to advocate a National Archives Building, and among the very earliest pronouncements at our early Congresses, legislation for this purpose was advocated, and until the present building was actually authorized by Congress, we had a National Committee on Archives, whose purpose was to bring about this very legislation culminating in the final passage of the bill.

Now we have it and no group of citizens rejoiced more sincerely when it was an accomplished fact, than the Compatriots of this Society.

It is most gratifying to learn that finally

the valuable Pension Records of both the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812 have been placed in this Archives Building in a convenient room or rooms under the supervision of competent assistants and are now housed in a splendid fireproof structure. For years these records were deposited in the temporary Naval Building, always in danger of destruction by fire or other elements, and inconvenient for research. The effort of our Society and its interested members to effect the erection of a proper building to hold these records has been achieved, although it is only very recently indeed that these were transferred to the new Archives Building, in spite of the fact that it has been available for two or three years.

However, now that it is an accomplished fact, the thanks and appreciation of the Society are due to those members, many of whom have since passed away, who started this idea and worked so hard for its culmination.

Americanization

America is at the crossroods and what are we doing about it! Our ancestors by their sacrifices and by their abilities brought forth a nation and a government calculated to produce the highest plane of civilization and achievement the world had ever known. This it has done; but for the past decade it has been under attack by adherents of foreign doctrines which have no place whatever in our scheme of things.

Our societies can and must do their part in counteracting these attacks, by constructive services that will, in their kind, create a better knowledge of and more respect for our customs, laws and institutions. If we fail in this respect today, when all that we stand for is in danger, how can we logically maintain this Society?

Specifically, reference is made to the third

edition of our booklet on Americanization which was placed in the hands of the then National, State and Local Officers a year or more ago. There is plenty therein indicated which can be successfully undertaken by any society with credit to itself and with benefit to nation and community. Resurrect these booklets and put them to work.

We are hopeful of arranging a meeting of this National Committee. In the meantime, remember that the general public gauges our brand of patriotic responsibility by our outward accomplishments. May all of our societies respond whole-heartedly to this call to service.

Don't let that fine entity which we call America be sold down the river by the Pinks and the Reds and the nondescript Fellow-Travelers.

HARRY F. BREWER, Chairman,
Americanization Committee.

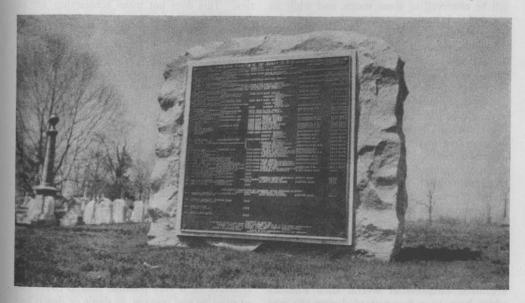
A Unique Memorial

An entirely new and original form of family memorial was erected in three widely separated cemeteries on Memorial Day last, and formal dedication ceremonies covering all three held at the site of one, in Woodbrook Cemetery, Woburn, Mass., the other two identical tablets being placed at Pine Grove Cemetery, Manchester, N. H. and Forest Glade Cemetery, Somersworth, N. H.

This idea, the creation of Compatriot Charles Ayers Huckins, of Woburn is illustrated herewith and the inscription on the large tablets shown, as it commemorates in detail each of eleven generations of the Huckins family of Dover, N. H., dating from 1620 and pays special tribute to Joseph Huckins, of the fifth generation, a Revolutionary soldier, and to Frances E. Willard, a direct descendant of the

Huckins forebears in the fifth generation, and founder of the W.C.T.U. She was also an early member of the D. A. R.

This memorial records the historical genealogy of this "Huckins Family of the Dover Combination," their killing by the Indians and other details of the succeeding generations, and will undoubtedly be of historic value and aid to many who will be thus able to trace their own genealogical history from the information shown on the tablets. The original idea of having the three tablets identical and placed in the three cemeteries so identified with this family was worked out by Compatriot Huckins, as he prepared over a period of some six years, the data and the design. The dedication exercises at Woburn were attended by a large gathering of descendants of the family and of represent-



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SPECIAL TRIBUTE TO

Also tribute to Past Pres.
Andrea K. Matson, Woburn W.C.T.U.
Mother of Anna Marie Huckins

Direct Descendant of the
1st 5 generations of the
HUCKINS FAMILY OF DOVER, N. H. COMBINATION

DEDICATED AND UNVEILED MAY 30TH, 1940

State Vice President of the W.C.T.U. presided, Committee D.A.R. participated.

atives of the W. C. T. U., which shared the and Vice President Howard D. Smith of the honors incident to the program with the Mas- Massachusetts State Society, with Miss Elise sachusetts Compatriots. Mrs. M. A. Burnes, Heartz, Chairman of the State Americanism

Medals—An Opportunity for Constructive Service in Citizenship

Below will be found the table of Medal distribution—both Good Citizenship and R. O. T. C.—for the past season ending in July, and we hope its study will be informative. For the first time this is shown in comparison with last year's distribution. A noticeable increase will be observed in some states, and while in a very few instances there may be a slight decrease, there is a decided improvement, with no marked decrease in those Societies which make the awarding of Good Citizenship Medals an annual and semi-annual program; and a very gratifying addition to the groups presenting the R. O. T. C. Medals, the interest in which is decidedly increasing.

We should not be over-critical of some of the apparent losses, for often there are more ordered sometimes than are used, which leaves a surplus on hand, calling for a smaller order the ensuing year, so a slight drop does not necessarily mean fewer awards.

Resuming the Chairmanship of this Committee after the lapse of one year, the undersigned finds himself well satisfied at the continued and undiminished interest in this most worthwhile activity of our Society and desires particularly to address himself to those newly organized Chapters in several state societies which have been inaugurated during the past two years and to bring specifically to their attention the very worth while opportunities for constructive patriotic work which the awarding of Good Citizenship Medals offers.

Supplementing as it does, the work of the Committees on Americanization, and Patriotic Education and Constructive Citizenship—the latter now merged under one caption—the offering of these Medals in the grade and junior high schools of the country is an incentive to the mental processes leading to right-thinking and right-doing habits during the formative ages of our boys and girls. Their minds have not already undertaken this work. The

sulting in patriotic action and constructive habits, for no boy or girl is eligible to receive the Good Citizenship Medal of the Sons of the American Revolution who is not clean of speech and action, dependable, cooperative. and a leader of his companions in school activities. This does not mean scholarship per se, for this does not influence the awards. It is true that in some instances local conditions have made it appear appropriate to include an historical essay contest as a condition, and your Chairman does not discourage this if it appears desirable to the local sponsors, but this is in no sense a feature of the Plan of Award which is suggested and advocated by the National Society in determining medal winners, but rather, a democratic plan by which the candidates for medals are chosen by their own classmates, the final selection being left with the faculty, is proposed in the adopted "Plan."

It is a pleasure to announce at this time. that a handsome "Certificate of Award" is now being made available by the National Society to accompany the Medal where such additional citation is desired, and these Certificates may be obtained by the donors upon application to the Chairman at National Headquarters for a very nominal sum to cover cost of printing and postage, in single or dozen lots. These Certificates were authorized by the National Board of Trustees at its recent meeting in Washington last May. A word of warning is added, to the effect that in ordering the Certificates, allow time for having an engrosser insert the name of winner, date, and local donor, which naturally must be done by the local sponsors in each instance.

It is hoped that all the newly organized chapters of our Society will take to heart seriously the above and that they will feature the award of Good Citizenship Medals this year, if they are directed into the right plane of thought re- cost is nominal, and as we have frequently

quoted previously from one enthusiastic promoter of the Medal plan, "I can think of nothing that can be bought for a dollar, that yields anything like so much in possibilities of permanent value as the S. A. R. Good Citizenship Medal."

It is extremely gratifying also to your Chairman to note a real increase in the number of R. O. T. C. Medals presented this year. This medal is increasingly popular, and especially so as our reserve forces are being brought into active service again because of our National Defense requirements. No doubt the desire to present these R. O. T. C. Medals to our compatriots eligible to receive them is receiving special inspiration from this fact, and our S. A. R. units will more and more wish to avail themselves of this opportunity to recognize patriotic service on the part of our Compatriots. This Medal as is well understood, is in recognition of our Society's endorsement of the Reserve Officers Training Corps as a substantial adjunct to our defense forces, and is given to those who show evidence of leadership, soldierly bearing and excellence in theoretical studies, which are the criterions for these awards.

The appeal for more and increased distribution of both the Good Citizenship and the R. O. T. C. Medals is especially emphasized at this time, both because of their real value in promoting the patriotic impulse but, in the case of the former, just now is the time to make the offer to the schools which are just getting under way for another year. One great advantage is that they impose no burden on either teachers or pupils—as is the case in so many essay contests—the former are requested only to place the conditions of award conspicuously before their classes early in the school year, and occasionally to call attention to these conditions as the year progressesthe latter have only to put a watch upon thought and action and thus unconsciously to create within themselves the patriotic habits which build for character and citizenship. Any other conditions which may be imposed are entirely of local origin.

The school year has begun. Plan your program with the Superintendent of your schools and the Principals, NOW, and include Good Citizenship Medals as a prominent feature for vour S. A. R. vear.

FRANK B. STEELE, Chairman, Good Citizenship and R. O. T. C. Medals.

Medal Statistics for 1939-1940 Distribution by States to July 1, 1940

Good Citizenship Medals

all and the second	939	1940	1939 1	940
Arizona	36	39	New Hampshire. 12	8
Arkansas	2	0	New Jersey 41	86
California	22	24		212
Connecticut	8	4	North Carolina 9	8
Delaware	1.00	3	North Dakota 12	8
Florida	32	29	Ohio 115	105
Georgia	9	15	Oklahoma 43	28
Illinois		122	Oregon 5	5
Indiana	8	10	Pennsylvania 21	111
Iowa	12	20	Rhode Island 1	1
Kansas	1		South Carolina 2	1
Kentucky	2	2	South Dakota 2	2
Maine	31	27	Tennessee 24	22
Maryland	75	75	Texas 22	25
Massachusetts	25	25	Utah 18	18
Michigan	62	89	Vermont 4	3
Minnesota	46	29	Virginia 42	46
Mississippi	2	2	Washington 6	3
Missouri	3	14	West Virginia 47	36
Nebraska	1	0	West viiginia 47	50
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R. O. T. C. Medals

Arizona	2	2	Missouri	14	(
California	12	13	Nebraska	1	(
Colorado	14	16	New Mexico	0	9
Connecticut	4	4	New York	14	20
District of Col	0	1	North Dakota	2	2
Florida	0	2	Oklahoma	9	2
Illinois	3	0	Pennsylvania	9	9
Indiana	14	5	Rhode Island		5
Kansas		4	Utah	8	. 7
Kentucky	2	2	Vermont	8	. 8
Maryland		0	Virginia	4	2
Massachusetts	12	17	Washington	1	1
Michigan			West Virginia	1	101
Minnesota	1	11			

Honored!

Compatriots throughout the Society will be interested to learn that Past President General Messmore Kendall has been nominated for the office of Congressman-at-large, in New York State, on the Republican ticket.

America's Greatness Buried in the Earth

America's greatness is derived from two sources, the greatness of her people and the remarkable richness of the country to which these people came.

All the progressive energies of this great people from the early history of the country until now have been expended in developing an enormous wealth which finally placed us at the head of the nations of the world.

The finest blood, the greatest independence and resourcefulness from the world's people have been blended to create pioneers in statesmanship, in agriculture, in business enterprise, in inventive genius, in transportation, in mining engineering, and in construction of all types.

No stone has been left unturned to discover and utilize the resources and the treasures which lie buried in the earth of this great country. But in spite of all this enterprise, many of our greatest treasures lie buried where they have been forgotten. Thousands of the noble men and women to whom we owe our marvelous opportunity for development, lie in unmarked and neglected graves.

If it had not been for the independence, the daring, the farsightedness, the statesmanship, the sacrifice, the religious zeal, and the willingness and the ability of these men and women to endure hardships of all kinds for the fundamental and enduring principles upon which this nation was founded, our greatness would have been impossible.

There was never a time when it was more necessary to remember the heroic sacrifices of our ancestors. We owe it to ourselves and our children to discover every unmarked grave, see that each one is marked with an appropriate and permanent marker, and that the ground is hallowed by a fitting ceremony, by the shedding of a few penitent tears for our neglect, and by the making of a high resolve that we shall awaken again that spirit which has made America.

Many valuable ideas have been developed by members of this Society and by members of the D. A. R. concerning the important matter of making the spirit of our ancestors a vital force in our people today. The new National Committee on Revolutionary Graves Registry wishes to render a real service to the present generation in this time of great stress and uncertainty. Anything that can be done to rediscover the spirit of rugged living is vital. Therefore we make this appeal:

If your state committee or your local committee has developed any valuable method of searching out and marking the graves of our ancestors, we would appreciate it if you will make a detailed report to the committee. If you have any ideas as to how to make this work of rediscovery impressive and vital to us now, if you think a new type of marker should be developed to insure greater permanence, if you think that the present bronze marker which was adopted by the National Society is excellent and that interest in its more universal use should be promoted, if you are willing to be assigned a special task for your state or local chapter, please write or consult any member of the committee. We wish this work to become of real significance in every state.

> A. B. SIAS, Chairman, Revolutionary Graves Registry Committee, Box 514, Athens, Ohio.

The attractive Historical Calendar, so popular with our members, will be available after October 15th. Send 30¢ to National Headquarters. Coin preferred.

"Boost the S. A. R. Library Campaign"

Special Announcement

An intensive campaign to build up our National S. A. R. Library in Washington is now under way. Many State Societies have evidenced a willingness to back this movement by appointing special committees for this very purpose. Let us begin our work at once and enlist every compatriot within our reach. The whole Society must work toward one goal, a greater National S. A. R. Library, and make this one of the main S. A. R. activities for the coming year. Future generations of compatriots will profit by a well selected and well preserved collection of books and documents. A Library is one asset which never diminishes in value and which always shows a large dividend

It is the duty of each compatriot to make some contribution to our Library.

Particularly do we need:

Genealogies, especially manuscript copies of their own family records.

Any books dealing with the Revolutionary period, historical, biographical, and the like.

Local histories, vital records, and probate records of any County, City or Town in the United States.

Manuscript lists of inscriptions on gravestones of the Revolutionary period taken from local cemeteries.

Maps of Revolutionary period, and prints, photographs, portraits, miniatures, and medals connected with Revolutionary heroes and places.

Revolutionary War relics.

Copies of programs and speeches at S. A. R. gatherings. All S. A. R. State Society publications.

All donations may be sent directly to the Librarian General, or sent through your state committee in large lots. Contributions of money as heretofore are welcomed. They should be sent direct to the Treasurer General, Compatriot George S. Robertson, Fidelity Building, Baltimore, Md., who will credit them to a special fund to be used for Library purposes as directed by the Executive Committee of the National Society. The name of the donor and the amount contributed, however, should be reported to the Librarian General.

Any compatriot who can should also contact historical, patriotic and genealogical organizations in your state, having them put us on their mailing list for periodicals, literature, and other material which they may have available for deposit in our library. Also ascertain if your state and local governments issue any publications which might be of use, and secure copies if possible.

Let's start now! Make your State Society the first to produce some real results. Make the coming year a "Boost the National S. A. R. Library Year." Urge every compatriot to concentrate on it and success is bound to result.

Boost our National Library. It is in keeping with the purposes of our Society.

It is sincerely hoped that the list of donors appearing in the next issue of our Society's Quarterly Bulletin will be a virtual roll call of your state's membership!

Dr. Louis Charles Smith, Librarian General, 1227 Sixteenth Street, N. W. Washington, D. C.

Open Letter from Committee on Organization

Attention is especially invited to the statistical report of the Registrar General on the third cover page of this issue of the Magazine. The report speaks volumes, but does not serve to gain for us the enthusiasm needed to provide large numerical strength for the greatest Patriotic Society in the world.

We still hear the question asked "What is the Sons of the American Revolution?" Have you, my Compatriot, ever thought of contacting those who might be interested in becoming members, or, former members who resigned or have been dropped for non-payment of dues? There are many many such cases and with little effort on the part of a "Lapsation Committee" we can bring them into the folds again. Try it. It has worked wonders in numberless cases and men dropped for nonpayment of dues are given to understand that the display of an S. A. R. certificate by them does not make them a member of our Society.

Show your fellowman that you are interested in him.

It distresses me to see our state officers stand by passively and allow their membership gradually to pass away. The Board of Managers ought to make sure that the delinguent member understands the loss to the individual when he is dropped for non-payment of dues instead of becoming inactive by honorable resignation.

We are proud of our eligibility to be an S. A. R.; so would your friends be if one of us would make known the Society, and perhaps assist in preparation of his application.

Our ancestors developed and civilized this nation of ours and bequeathed to us the world's respect and a priceless freedom, don't let us drift unconcerned while our heritage is being destroyed and dictators become our masters. It isn't a pretty picture—and it isn't true of the majority, but is true of many, and we should do some constructive work before this happens.

Your committee urges every Compatriot to bring in a member-don't let us have all the benefits without paying anything. The trouble with us now is too much unearned freedom, too much "let George do it". Much of our generation is "self-centered, childish, morally flabby and vellow", and don't deserve the priceless heritage left them by their fore-

The time will come when folks will be searching the genealogies and trying to get into the S. A. R. I feel that I can give my country no greater service than by going about trying to enlist our eligible patriotic citizens, into membership in the S. A. R.; I feel better over the preservation of our Constitution, and the safety of our children and their progeny.

We are the greatest Society in the world and it should be the aim of every member to increase it materially.

> James D. Watson, Chairman.

At Last!

many years of campaigning and working for munities, by assisting unnaturalized residents the enactment of necessary legislation that the of their acquaintance in the actual making out passage of the Alien Registration Bill has at of the necessary blanks, or by the distribution last brought about one of the things for which of the sample forms, and instructions, we are the Sons of the American Revolution has stood and consistently advocated by repeated resoyears-too many to enumerate!

Defense program, is now compulsory and indeed has already begun, as we all are

patriots can assist in this work of registration, to set others!

It is indeed gratifying to know that after by an educational program in their own comsure such opportunities will not be neglected.

The Act is designed for the protection of lutions and more specific effort, for years and the country and for the loyal alien's protection from persecution—no stigma attaches to either Registration of aliens as part of the National the act of registration or to the accompanying fingerprinting which is required for positive identification. Incidentally, Compatriots, why not be finger-printed yourselves while assisting If there is any manner in which our com- your prospective citizen? It is a fine example

Declaration of Policy

The New Jersey Society, Sons of the American Revolution July 17, 1940

In view of the present crisis in world affairs, at a Special Meeting of the Board of Managers of the New Jersey Society, Sons of the American Revolution, held at the Society's Headquarters, 33 Lombardy Street, Newark, New Jersey, on the evening of July 17, 1940, the following DECLARATION OF POLICY was unanimously approved.

We urge upon all citizens a strong united militant spirit of Americanism and true patriotic fervor to the exclusion of all bitter or extreme political partisanship.

We endorse compulsory military training at such ages, for such periods as may be deemed best by the Congress of the United States.

We approve the completion of an adequate preparedness for the national defense at the earliest possible date, and provision for keeping our arms, equipment and personnel continuously at the peak of efficiency at all times.

We oppose granting any rights or privileges to any political party or group which is found to be affiliated with, corresponding with the officials of or which owes allegiance to any foreign power, individual, or group.

We hereby offer to the Federal government and the State of New Jersey, our services in any practical way that may to the authorities seem to be of the most usefulness in the present emergency, as the conditions may develop from time to time. Our membership of true Americans, avowed upholders of the U. S. Constitution and the established form of government, of proven patriotic faith and ancestry can be counted on whenever need arises.

It was further unanimously resolved that each member of the Society be acquainted with this DECLARATION OF POLICY and that it be brought before the citizens of the State of New Jersey, and the Country as a whole, by every possible means of dissemination.

Approved by the Board of Managers and Officers of the New Jersey Society, Sons of the American Revolution.

> (Signed:) HAROLD M. BLANCHARD, President. (Signed:) WILLIAM P. MASON, Secretary.

The Deshler-Wallick Hotel, Columbus, Ohio, will be Headquarters for the 52nd S. A. R. Congress.

*Report of the Committee on Committee Reports

The reports of the various committees have Flag Day Observance Committee been carefully reviewed by the Committee on Committee Reports and this Committee respectfully submits the following recommendations regarding said reports:

Americanization Committee

Report of Americanization Committee signed by Harry F. Brewer approved and accompanying resolution referred to the Resolutions Committee.

Constitution Day Observance Committee

By Washington L. Adams—Report approved as clear, concise, and comprehensive.

Constructive Citizenship Committee

By Charles B. Elder—Report approved. As a result of a questionnaire conducted by the committee it was the unanimous consensus that the following activities be continued:

- The promotion of radio broadcasts as it was thought they would be specially valuable in regard to coming primary elections with view to getting out full vote.
 The promotion and supply of demand for addresses on citizenship subjects.

Good Citizenship and R.O.T.C. Medals Committee

By I. Arnold Norcross—approved as a good. general, comprehensive report but with the recommendation that the Secretary General make a report each year of the actual number of medals sent out to each district to make possible a comparison of the relative activity of the several districts in this respect and the encouragement of the less active districts.

Flag Committees

Reports submitted by H. Warren Baker, Chairman, approved and referred to the Executive Committee.

Report of Eugene Buckland Bowen, with reference to the Bennington Filmore Flag, is commended for the diligence and research exhibited by the Committee, but its recommendations are disapproved.

By Ambrose W. Deatrick, Chairman-Report approved.

Graves Registry Committee

It is recommended that the report of the Committee be approved in general. It is further recommended that the work of grave registration be centralized in a committee which is empowered to receive or direct reports of grave registration to be made by the separate State Societies, and to set up a recommended uniform procedure of grave registration to be followed by the various states and chapters.

Immigration

General Amos A. Fries-Report approved.

Library Committee

William M. Pettit-Recommended that this report be referred to the incoming President General and his Executive Committee with power to act.

Committee on Organization

This report of Col. James D. Watson deals with college chapter organizations only and reviews and analyzes chiefly, efforts toward formation of chapters preliminary to charters.

Report is made herein of progress in several southern states. The rebate of \$3.00 to college chapter charter members was authorized by the National Society.

Special mention is made of Thomas Jefferson Chapter organized at the University of Virginia, and of Citadel Chapter of South Carolina, both now chartered and functioning. Financial concessions as an inducement to formation of new chapters is discussed. We quote from the report the following: "What we need is an Organization Secretary with at least expense money." Specific recommendations involve such study as the limited time of this Committee will not afford. Therefore we recommend such to the attention of the incoming administration. This report bears evidence of sacrificing labors on the part of the Chairman of the Committee.

In Memoriam

John Stuchell Fisher

1867-1940

Executive Committee, 1938-40

Word was received on June 25th of the passing of the Hon. John Stuchell Fisher, President of the Pennsylvania Society, and until very recently a member of the National Executive Committee, and former Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Succumbing finally after a long illness this news was not unexpected, and delegates in attendance at our recent Congress of the National Society in Washington last May will recall that his serious illness and apprehension of his recovery were announced at that time.

Born May 25th, 1867 of American Revolutionary ancestry, Governor Fisher was particularly interested in historical and patriotic activities and at the time of his death was President of the Pennsylvania State Society S. A. R. having served his Society in many capacities, and his administration as State President marked a forward movement of the Society in membership gain and the activity in promoting new chapter units which has brought this Society to its present foremost position and leadership. His passing is deeply deplored and his friends both in and out of the Society

lament the loss of this fine example of splendid American citizenship.

In his civic and political career he commanded an outstanding place as a lawyer and law-maker; wise, far-seeing, opposed to sham and chicanery and political sophistry, and an outspoken champion of personal liberty and individual rights, and to strict adherence to American principles and traditions of government. As a business man his counsel was sought by national leaders of commerce and industry. Compatriot Fisher's membership in the Sons of the American Revolution was derived from the services of George Fischer, of Philadelphia, private in Captain Joseph Siegfreed's Company of the Philadelphia County Militia.

Funeral services held at Indiana, Pennsylvania, on June 28th, at the First Presbyterian Church, were attended by a large delegation of S. A. R. State Officers and Compatriots. The sympathy of all his many friends throughout the National Society is extended to his family and to the Pennsylvania Compatriots.

An Interesting Career

A most interesting account of the life of one of our best known and best loved Compatriots, Joel A. Piper, Secretary of the Nebraska State Society, has been sent to the National office, and a few of the high-lights will be of interest to Mr. Piper's many friends in the Society.

The account is published in the Sunday Journal and Star of Lincoln, dated August 4th, 1940.

Mr. Piper, who was born in Canada, settled as a young man of 17 in Harlan County, Nebraska, 1872, this new country being opened up to settlers about that time, where he acquired ranch property, which he still owns and operates. He became sheriff at a very early age, taught school, and participated in the political life of the county. At the close of his term as sheriff, he was elected county superintendent of schools, and built the first school house, and probably organized more school districts than any other person of the period as each small settlement was the incentive to create

a school district. He also was the first to build a "soddy" house, making his own first dwelling of this type and most of those early school houses. The sods were cut in blocks three feet thick, the building plastered inside, and a roof of shingles extending beyond the walls, made a substantial and warm home.

Mr. Piper's ardent Americanism has made him take the deepest possible interest in the Sons of the American Revolution for years, and he has devoted his later years whole-heartedly to the work of the Society in Nebraska, having served as Secretary for twelve years, and in the same office in the Lincoln Chapter for eleven. He is a familiar and beloved figure at our National Congresses, which he has attended regularly for fourteen consecutive years. Though born a Canadian, he was naturalized through his father, but also took out his own papers. He derives membership in the S. A. R. through several ancestors.

^{*} Omitted in July for lack of space.

The S. A. R. Library

The "Boost the National S. A. R. Library Campaign" has been under way for the past few months. Every indication has been given that success will be the reward of the efforts made to increase the size of the Society's Library through the work of the "National Library Development Committee" and those Committees appointed by the presidents of the various State Societies of the S. A. R. It is expected that during this campaign each Compatriot will cooperate with his State or local chapter Committee by making at least one donation which can be in the form of some volume covering the field of genealogy, history or biography, or any other form of gift which is appropriate to the needs and purposes of the Society.

Outstanding contributions have already been made through the help of Compatriot William M. Pettit who, as Chairman of last year's "National S. A. R. Library Committee," and with the help of that Committee, secured from the Ohio Archaeological and Historical Society thirty-five cloth-bound volumes of their Historical Series, covering almost all of the period since the beginning of this century. Through the efforts of past President General, Arthur M. McCrillis, there was donated through the Committee of Correspondence and Safety, of

which he was Chairman for a number of years a large group of books and pamphlets which cover many fields in which the Society is interested, such as National Defense and Communism. Compatriot Robert F. Wood gave the Society's Library some valuable manuscript material, in addition to a rare 1846 publication Mention is also made of a valuable gift received from Compatriot William R. Longstreet consisting of two Revolutionary War museum pieces,-a flint-lock gun and a pistol. Likewise, there have been received numerous other donations from Compatriots in various parts of the country equally appropriate and valuable, all of which help to make our Society's Library what we want it to be, one of which we shall be justly proud.

Again the plea is made to every Compatriot to respond to this "Boost the National S. A. R. Library Campaign" which was inaugurated at the Society's Congress held last May in Washington. Do not delay, but go at once to your personal library or to your local book store and select a volume which will be your contribution to a greater and better S. A. R. Library.

Louis Charles Smith, Librarian General.

Brief Book Reviews:

(Copies of these recently published books have been donated to the S. A. R. Library by the authors or publishers as indicated in this issue's list of donations to the library.)

"Russia and the Approach of Armageddon," by Charles S. Seely, second edition, published by Dorrance & Co., Philadelphia. (\$2.00)

This book explains the deep underlying causes of the troubles in Europe and the probable results of those troubles. It shows clearly why there can be no lasting peace in Europe for many years. It also shows why a great final struggle is inevitable, and lists—for the first time in print—all the major forces which will clash in that struggle.

"Russia and the Approach of Armageddon" was written for Americans who wish to save our Democracy and Freedom in a rapidly changing world; a world in which the fires of democracy are being stamped out, and untold millions are being enslaved. The sole aim of the author is to

present a true picture of the dangerous situation which confronts us. Our Democracy and Freedom cannot be saved unless we act quickly. This book shows clearly what we must do before it is too late.

"The United States Navy," by Merle Armitage, published by Longmans-Green & Co., New York. (\$5.00)

A book such as this, which throws factual or historical data on the Navy together with the purpose for its being and in a manner interesting to the public, should be a genuine asset to a country such as ours, where, in the last analysis, it is largely the man in the street or the resultant of mass mind which determines our national defense.

"History and Genealogy of the Bieber-Beaver Family," by Rev. I. M. Beaver, published by the author at 222 N. Sixth Street, Reading, Pa. (\$6.25) This volume is the outgrowth of an extensive research covering more than twenty years, searching court house records in many counties, old church and graveyard records, land grant titles, surveys and hundreds of biographical histories, etc., and communications with churches in Germany.

The pioneer Immigrant Ancestors came from Alsace, some from Hirschland and other parts of Germany more than 200 years ago. They first settled in Chester, Berks and Northampton Counties, Penna. Their descendants have migrated to every State in the Union, and to secure this

information the author has communicated by mail with more than 7000 descendants, most of whom have been traced down to the present generation.

The book contains the wills, deeds, etc., of many of the early ancestors.

Special mention is also made of the gift by Compatriot W. J. Laughner of a chain-driven watch carried in the Revolutionary War by his ancestor, Rodolph (Laubenour) Laughner.

> Louis Charles Smith, Librarian General.

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Capt. John Paul Jones and as recorded by Dr. Ezra Green. Seventy back issues of the S. A. R. Magazine for portions of the period of more than the past twenty years, in addition to Year Books of the Massachusetts Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, and a dozen interesting booklets; also two old musical compositions entitled, "Swinging on de Golden Gate" and "Going to the Silver Wedding" Albert H. Lamson The Ohio Genealogical Quarterly, July, October, 1940
Revolutionary Watch

Events of State Societies

(Editor's Note: State and Chapter Officers are requested to furnish news items of their activities for publication in this department. Such items should be sent to National Headquarters for our next issue on or before

California Society

The Board of Managers have unanimously adopted the following resolutions:

RESOLVED, That without further delay the United States should raise and equip an army of adequate size to insure all reasonable requirements of the national defense;

And that such an army should be raised by the application of the principle of compulsory military training.

Resolved, That the California Society, S. A. R., condemn the action of the Berkeley, California, Board of Education in permitting communistic organizations and groups the privilege of using the Public School buildings for meetings.

The various problems growing out of the application of the quota laws to the refugees from the European countries affected by the war have received careful attention, though no definite recommendations have been suggested.

The California Society are unalterably opposed to Senate Bills Nos. S-1650, S-4213, S-4214 and Amendment to S-4164. To pass any of these bills would be an abdication of our representative form of government of free people.

SAN DIEGO CHAPTER—At the May meeting a panel discussion was held on the question "What Shall U. S. Policy be in the Event of a Nazi Victory?" which provoked much interest.

At the June meeting Mr. Wilber A. Hamman of the San Diego High School spoke on "Patriotism in the Public Schools," and outlined patriotic programs he had arranged in his own school.

President Capt. Jesse B. Gay, at the July meeting talked on "A Navy Patchwork", recounting many experiences drawn from his long and distinguished service.

SAN FRANCISCO CHAPTER—Major Leon French, Past President of California Society, who has retired to his mountain home because of ill health, was the guest of honor at the May meeting, and spoke of the principles of American democracy, and the necessity of national preparedness.

At the June meeting the guest speaker was Col. Abbot Boone, who gave an address on "The Administration's Plan for National Defense." He spoke further of our foreign policy and the military strategy of the Western Hemisphere. The Selective Service Act was also discussed, and a resolution passed favoring the passage of the act. On July 29, a trophy was presented by SAN FRAN-

CISCO CHAPTER to the winning trainee of the C. M. T. C. at Camp Ord. Compatriot John P. Pryor made the presentation.

Connecticut Society

CAPT. JOHN COUCH BRANCH, Meriden-A Constitution Day meeting was held on September 17th with dinner at St. George's Inn, Wallingford, with a fifty per cent membership attendance. President Irving T. Gardner presided and reports were heard from the usual officers and committees. A special report was heard from the Committee on Care of the Broad Street Burying Ground, which for many years has placed American Flags on the twentyseven revolutionary graves on Memorial Day, together with potted plants placed by the D. A. R. Research developed that many more revolutionary graves are in this ground than were originally recognized, the total now including 102. Flag Memorials and flowers are now massed at the monument annually and exercises held at this place. The Committee supervises the care and neatness of the plot in cooperation with the city authorities.

Two rare Bibles, property of the Chapter, were ordered deposited with the Curtis Memorial Library for safe-keeping.

The speaker of the evening, Rev. Henry J. Kilvourne, D.D. of Brookfield, Mass., was introduced, and spoke on "The Beacon Lights of a Free People."

Delaware Society

The Society presented to the Wilmington Y. M. C. A. Boys' Camp at Worton, Maryland, a large Delaware State flag to be used in their patriotic exercises.

The Society is sending an S. A. R. rosette to each one of its members, explaining its meaning, origin, etc. The officers believe that the time has come when all members must take a keener interest in patriotic affairs generally.

Florida Society

PALM BEACH CHAPTER—A fine Constitution Day program was sponsored at West Palm Beach by this Chapter on September 17th, in cooperation with the American Legion. State President J. Field Wardlaw made an address on "The Responsibility of the Citizen in National Emergency," and addresses by Mrs. P. N. Hiatt on "The Constitution

and Women," and by Judge C. E. Chillingworth on "The Constitution Today," rounded out the exercises with appropriate musical selections. A Proclamation calling for the appropriate recognition and observance of this anniversary throughout the State of Florida was issued by Governor Fred P. Cone.

Georgia Society

It was with much pride that the Gold Cup awarded by the Ohio Society in commemoration of its Fiftieth Anniversary, was received by this Society at the Annual Congress of the National Society held in Washington last May. This Cup was awarded to the Society showing the largest percentage of young members, enrolled, sons of present or former members in good standing.

While Georgia has done well in promoting its membership in the past several months, it was a surprise and great gratification to Col. James D. Watson, to whom most of the credit for this is due, to have his Society awarded this special trophy, and to receive it for Georgia at the hands of Compatriot Robert P. Boggis, of the Western Reserve Society of Cleveland, who conceived the idea of this special award. After it has been properly exhibited and noted by the Compatriots of Georgia this year, the Cup is to be deposited permanently at National Headquarters. The latest Georgia S. A. R. Bulletin shows a picture of President A. G. DeLoach holding this handsome cup.

The Georgia Society was represented at the National Congress by Compatriots J. N. Griffin, David J. D. Myers, James T. Williams, Jr., and Colonel Watson.

Illinois Society

The Society has made the usual state-wide award of Citizenship Medals in the High Schools, and in Chicago the awards were made for the best essay in each high school on the subject "Good Citizenship in Chicago." For the best of the essays submitted, the additional award of \$50.00 to go toward a scholarship in the college of the student's choice went to Miss Beula C. Myerson of the Austin High School.

The State Society, cooperating with the American Legion, selected and financed the attendance at the Boys State, of an outstanding Chicago High School graduate of the Class of 1940. The citizenship instruction and practical experience given to the boys in the encampment is proving to be of inestimable value to them, and does much to raise the standard for ideal citizenship.

The noonday luncheon meetings discontinued during the hot weather period will be resumed on Constitution Day, Tuesday, September 17,

when Compatriot Charles B. Elder will be the speaker, whose subject will be "The Men Who Made the Constitution." Compatriot Elder is well qualified to speak on this subject as a leading attorney and former Professor of Law at Northwestern University, and Past President of the Illinois Society. He is now a Trustee of the National Society; Chairman of the Committee on Patriotic Education and Constructive Citizenship, and President of the Illinois Citizenship Conference.

Plans are laid for having the Annual Yorktown Day Dinner October 19, which will be devoted principally to the problem of Adequate Defense for America.

The Massacre of Fort Dearborn occurred on August 15, 1812, when 54 enlisted men under command of Capt. Nathan Heald, accompanied by Capt. William Wells, Indian Agent from Fort Wayne, Indiana, bravely fought and died in an effort to lead the straggling band of civilians, men, women and children, from out the seemingly certain death trap of Fort Dearborn to a haven of safety at Fort Wayne, due to the imminent attack by the unfriendly Pottawatomie Indians who far outnumbered that brave band of frontier patriots. The site of old Fort Dearborn was marked a few years ago by a bronze tablet placed on the London Guarantee Building at the south end of Michigan Avenue bridge, where the commemorative ceremonies were held on the anniversary day, sponsored by the Junior Association of Commerce, the two societies of the Daughters and Sons of the War of 1812, the Fort Dearborn Post of the American Legion, and the Illinois Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, whose President. Joseph A. Coyner, was one of several who made patriotic addresses, including city officials, to hundreds attracted from the passing throng on Michigan Avenue by the make-believe Indians on horseback, a replica of old Fort Dearborn permanently installed on a large motor truck belonging to Fort Dearborn Post of the American Legion and their uniformed bugle corps and firing squad. Many beautiful flowers and a large wreath were placed beneath a commemorative bronze tablet on the southwest pylon of the Michigan Avenue bridge, which The Fort Dearborn Memorial Association is endeavoring to have christened "THE FORT DEARBORN BRIDGE," to more permanently and impressively mark the location of this early frontier fort which the massacre has made famous.

Springfield Chapter is continuing its fine work of awarding medals to the schools in surrounding towns and villages, and with most excellent results. Some of the County School Principals have

stated that it was one of the most helpful things ever introduced into their schools. The Chapter held an informal social meeting June 22nd at the home of Compatriot Isaac R. Diller, to meet with State Secretary Louis A. Bowman, who was in the city over the week-end. Mr. Diller recently celebrated his 86th birthday. He is the last person living whose picture was taken with Abraham Lincoln.

Indiana Society

Extensive plans made early in the summer for Constitution Day programs throughout the State, were successfully fulfilled by a resulting program in every county. State President Father Somes, held preliminary meetings with the heads of ten patriotic and hereditary societies, all of whom cooperated splendidly with the most gratifying results. The local celebration at Indianapolis was felt to be outstanding in every way, details of which must be given in a later issue.

Massachusetts Society

This Society cooperated in the dedication of a most unique family Memorial erected by descendants of the Huckins Family of New Hampshire and Massachusetts, on Memorial Day, at Woburn, when one of three identical Memorial Tablets was placed in the cemetery at this place and of which more extended notice is given elsewhere. Compatriot Charles Ayers Huckins of the Massachusetts Society was responsible for the form of this Memorial and it and its counterparts represent the result of some six years of research and labor. Because of originality it is deserving of special notice. Compatriot Howard D. Smith, State Vice President, shared honors in the dedication exercises, with the State Vice President of the W. C. T. U., Mrs. Burnes, and D. A. R. State Chairman of Americanism, Miss Heartz.

A total of twelve R. O. T. C. Medals were awarded by the Massachusetts Society early in the summer, two each to the following units: Massachusetts Institute of Technology, May 10th; Boston University, May 14th; Harvard University, May 22; Massachusetts State College, June 6th; and four, at the closing exercises at Camp Devens, July 24th. State President Dow, Captain Patten, Chaplain Roots, and Lieut. George E. Norton, Jr., made the several presentations. Good Citizenship Medals were presented to Massachusetts students at the CMTC Camps at Ft. Adams, R. I., Ft. Devens, Mass., Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt. and Ft. Preble. Me.

The State Society's monthly luncheons were resumed on September 11th, to which all Compatriots of the Society are invited. At the September meeting the speaker was Rev. George W.

Shepherd, of Chungking, China, Advisor to Madame Chiang Kai-Shek, wife of the Chinese Generalissimo, who gave first hand information as to affairs in China.

OLD MIDDLESEX CHAPTER, Lowell—The annual meeting was held at Page's Restaurant April 12th, and the following officers were elected: President, William M. Holman; Vice Presidents, Ralph B. Palmer, Robert E. Fay, Manfred E. Simmons; Secretary, Howard D. Smith; Treasurer, Albert H. Richardson; Registrar, Arthur L. Russell.

State President Arthur C. Dow and Genealogist General C. Wesley Patten, were guests, the former speaking on the U. S. Defenses, and the latter bringing the greetings of the National Society.

The Chapter held a meeting on the evening of May 17th, when Mr. A. Leon Cutter of Groton spoke on "Rambling Along the Old Middlesex Canal," illustrating his talk with pictures of the route, the old locks and old inns and scenes of colonial days.

OLD ESSEX CHAPTER, Lynn—The annual meeting was held at the Towne Lyne House, Lynnfield, May 24th, when the following officers were elected: President, Frank H. Langworthy; Vice Presidents, Edward F. Breed, Hamilton P. Edwards; Secretary, Joseph Atwood; Treasurer, Homer D. Ricker. A fine colored motion picture travelogue, "America at Its Best." was presented.

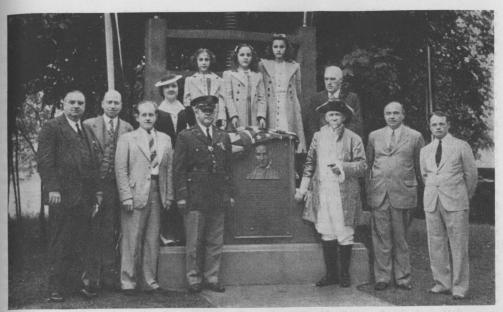
BERKSHIRE COUNTY CHAPTER, Pittsfield-North Adams—A stone replica of the cider press in which the great Cheshire cheese was molded in 1801 was dedicated to the memory of Elder John Leland by BERKSHIRE COUNTY CHAPTER, on September 1st. Elder Leland was in charge of making the cheese, which was presented to President Thomas Jefferson at the White House, as a token of regard from the citizens of Cheshire, Mass. Compatriot Eugene B. Bowen, President of the Chapter prepared the program, and made the dedicatory address, and representatives of Governor Saltonstall, the clergy, and the State's educational institutions, were represented among the speakers. Unveiling of the tablet on the replica was by three grandchildren of President Bowen, Elizabeth Bowen, Catherine and Barbara Jean Delaney.

Michigan Society

DETROIT CHAPTER—The annual Flag Day meeting was held June 14th at the Hotel Statler with luncheon. Reports from the National Society Congress at Washington in May were heard. President Shattuck presided.

New Jersey Society

The Society placed a tablet on the Public Service Building, New Brunswick, marking George



Gravelle

Leland Monument Dedication

Compatriot Bowen in Colonial Uniform (see page 128)

Washington's route through New Brunswick in 1775 to take command of the Continental Army and rededicated it on June 22nd. This tablet was first placed on the old Second Reformed Church, New Brunswick, on June 24, 1914, during the reenactment of Washington's journey from Philadelphia to Cambridge. When the church was torn down, the tablet was moved to the Post Office Building across the street which was recently

The rededication address was given by President Harold M. Blanchard, who was introduced by Compatriot D. Stanton Hammond, Chairman of the Monuments and Memorials Committee, presiding. The tablet was accepted on behalf of New Brunswick by Roger McDonough, City Librarian, and W. H. Johns spoke in behalf of the Public Service Company. Vice President General George Winters and Willard S. Muchmore, Past President of the Newark Chapter, also spoke.

As in past years, National Trustee H. Prescott Beach delivered greetings and a brief address at the Independence Day Celebration held in the Lang Open Air Amphitheater of Montclair.

On another page of this Magazine will be found the Declaration of Policy adopted by the Society on July 17, 1940. The Board of Managers held a special meeting, called by President Blanchard, which was fully attended by all of the officers, the majority of the Board of Managers, Chancellor General, Vice President General and several of the Past Presidents and National Officers, all of whom expressed their views which resulted in the adoption of the Declaration of Policy. It was one of the most impressive meetings ever held.

The Curator of the New Jersey State Museum reported that the set of slides presented by the Society on "New Jersey in the Revolutionary Period," has been circulated among many schools throughout the State during the present term.

The Second Annual Continentals' Ball will be held on November 30, 1940, at the Essex House Hotel, Newark. The Junior Group of the S. A. R. and D. A. R. are sponsoring the Ball and have expressed the hope that it will be well attended. The music will be supplied by Douglas Hutchin's Orchestra.

ELIZABETHTOWN CHAPTER—The route through Elizabethtown of the Revolutionary coach road, of the Swift-Sure Stage Coaches, known as The Old Yorke Road, running from New York to Philadelphia in the early days of the colony and state, will be marked with a bronze descriptive tablet by the patriotic societies of the city. The Chapter has taken an active part in the preparation for the dedication, to be held on October 5th,

on the site of the Red Lion Inn, now occupied by the Public Library. The Inn was a favorite rendezvous of travellers over the coach road, and was visited by General George Washington on his way to New York in 1789.

Members of the Chapter were conspicuous on the Mayor's Committee for the celebration of Independence Day, and on June 23rd a large delegation with the Chapter Colors attended the services at the Old Presbyterian Church at Springfield, commemorating the anniversary of the Battle of Springfield.

Orange Chapter celebrated Constitution Day and the memory of the late Compatriot David L. Pierson, at a dinner held at the Hotel Martine. Chancellor General Smith L. Multer delivered a brilliant address before the members and guests including the Regents of the local Chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution. President and Mrs. Harold M. Blanchard were also guests of honor. Chapter President William P. Mason was Toastmaster. Members of the Chapter were guests of Hope Lodge F. and A. M., September 18th, at the dedication of a plaque in the Lodge Rooms to the late Compatriot David L. Pierson, Founder of Constitution Day.

The program was arranged by Compatriot H. Warren Baker.

MONTCLAIR CHAPTER—As a part of its summer activities, the Chapter had the honor of having Colonel Basil M. Stevens, President, appointed Chairman of the Montclair Fourth of July Celebration Committee. Harold M. Blanchard, Esq., President of the New Jersey Society, was the speaker at the Montclair formal Independence Day Celebration, his subject being "Democracy at the Crossroads."

The summer season has been used to perfect the organization of the Chapter, and the President has appointed full committees. The Plan and Scope Committee has perfected an outline of Chapter activities which will be more aggressive than the general program within the lines of developing community patriotism, citizenship activities, public school contests on Americanization and the promulgation of the standards and principles of the Society.

NEWARK CHAPTER—President Arthur deB. Robins delivered an address before the Montclair Rotary Club recently to about 75 people on "Practical Loyalty and Patriotism."

MONMOUTH CHAPTER—On June 23rd the American Legion sponsored their annual event at Old Tennent Church, which is a memorial to their deceased members, and also in commemoration of the Battle of Monmouth. The Chapter flags

were presented and the principal speech was delivered by Congressman William H. Sutphin, of the Chapter.

On Sunday, June 30th, Tennent Church held its annual service in commemoration of the Battle of Monmouth, attended by Chapter members.

Historian John D. Alden gave a talk before the Kiwanis Club of Caldwell on July 3rd, on the subject, "New Jersey's Part in the Revolution," featuring the career of the famous Parson Caldwell.

Passaic Valley Chapter—The twenty-sixth annual Church Service, commemorating the 160th anniversary of the Battle of Springfield, was held on June 23rd in the old historic Presbyterian Church. Compatriot F. Monroe de Selding, President of the Chapter, conducted the services and Rev. George E. Dawkins, Pastor of the 1st Baptist Peddie Memorial Church of Newark, delivered the address. President Blanchard of the New Jersey Society delivered greetings. At the close of the service the congregation proceeded to the Revolutionary Cemetery of the Church and dedicated the flag pole, given by the American Legion of Springfield, and an American flag, given by Beacon Fire Chapter, D. A. R.

On June 29th, members of the Chapter and friends made a pilgrimage to Ringwood Manor State Park in Upper Passaic County. After viewing the valuable collection of Americana in the old mansion and the many interesting relics to be found about the grounds, the members enjoyed a picnic supper. The Chapter members participated in the flag raising ceremony at the pole in Bonnell Park, donated to the City of Summit by the Chapter, on July 4th.

West Fields Chapter—On July 4th the annual Independence Sunrise Service of Westfield, inaugurated by the Chapter in 1922, was held at Mindowaskin Park. A patriotic address, delivered by Compatriot Dr. William K. McKinney, the reading of the Declaration of Independence, community singing and a concert, were the outstanding features. On the same day, members of the local S. A. R. and D. A. R. Chapters attended exercises at the boulder in the Presbyterian Churchyard, Westfield, at which time Mr. Carolus T. Clark was the principal speaker.

CAPTAIN ABRAHAM GODWIN CHAPTER—Plans are nearing completion for dedicating a huge boulder with plaque to the honor of Washington and Haym Salomon, Jewish patriot of New York City, who gave his monetary aid so that Washington was able to carry on. This will be on the hilltop of Totowa Road, near the Dey Mansion. It will be dedicated on October 8th.

Several members are affiliated with the Committee for the Defense of America by Aiding the Allies. There is manifested a deep interest in this movement and plans are ahead for securing notable speakers to appear at Paterson in the activity now shown against the subversive work of the enemies within our gates.

JERSEY CITY CHAPTER—At the annual meeting of the Chapter the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Bruce McCamant; Vice President, Miles T. Long; Secretary, William W. Elliott, Jr.; Treasurer, Sanford A. Tracy; Registrar, Arthur S. Kimball; Historian, G. Wallace Crawford; and Chaplain, Dr. Harry W. Noble. Plans for fall activities were made and the Chapter voted to contribute twenty-five dollars to the local Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. A social hour followed during which a film on the manufacture of rope was shown through the courtesy of the Plymouth Cordage Company.

Empire State Society

At the annual meeting of the State Society held in April the ceremonial insignia of the Society in gold was presented to President Richard V. Goodwin. The same gift was presented also to Secretary, Major Charles A. DuBois, and in presenting the latter President Goodwin was very complimentary, commending Major DuBois for his most efficient services to the Empire State Society as its Secretary over a period of twenty-five years, and on the Board of Managers since 1904, including terms as First and Second Vice President. In closing, President Goodwin said: "The token of our affection which the Board of Managers present tonight in the name of the Society is wrought in gold, but the record of the recipient is recorded in more precious substance—the hearts of his friends. On behalf of the Society we present to him its insignia, that he may honor us by wearing it, and on behalf of his friends in the Sons of the American Revolution we present him to you tonight as our example of the kind of American we aim to produce, and that the nation needs today."

New York Chapter held its usual formal and distinctive exercises in observance of Constitution Day on September 17th at the Sub-Treasury Building at Wall and Broad Streets at noon. Because of the tension caused by the present international situation the usual parade was omitted. However the patriotic organizations of the city were in full attendance with their colors, and a most effective and inspiring sight greeted those present. The speaker was Rear Admiral Clark H. Woodward, Commanding the 3rd Naval District,

and music was by the 16th U. S. Infantry Band. The address and special features of the program were broadcast. Chapter President, James Porter Fiske, presided. Following the exercises the guests proceeded in a body to the Bankers Club for luncheon, during which short and interesting remarks were made by General Bullard, Admiral Woodward, Past President General Messmore Kendall, Hon. Bainbridge Colby, General Louis Stotesbury, Admiral Belknap, Judge Bissell of the Sons of the Revolution, Judge Finch, and President Richard V. Goodwin, of the Empire State Society.

ROCHESTER CHAPTER—The annual summer outing was held at the farm of Secretary Frank C. Sherman on Rumpus Hill, near Naples, N. Y., on July 27th. Compatriots brought their basket lunches and enjoyed a happy day of relaxation.

Flag Day and Flag Week were celebrated throughout Rochester with fine displays of the National Emblem, and appropriate programs and ceremonies in all churches and schools.

The Chapter held a meeting of its Board of Directors on June 20th, and quotes liberally from its discussions and actions in the Chapter Bulletin, issued shortly afterward. ROCHESTER CHAPTER will entertain the Conference of local Chapters in the western end of the State at a fall meeting.

BUFFALO CHAPTER—The Chapter held a "Mobilization Day," outing at the Meadowbrook Country Club on the afternoon and evening of September 6th, at which dinner was preceded by games—golf being most popular—and followed by dancing. Prizes and "Surprises" were in order, and a jolly time was the result. Following the dinner a brief informal program of addresses was held before the dancing. Col. George E. Minnis, Chapter President, presided, and introduced compatriots who had participated in the National Guard encampment at Plattsburg, who told of their experiences. Secretary-Registrar General Frank B. Steele was an honor guest and was called upon for brief remarks.

Mr. Edwin E. Ellis, Vice Chairman of the National Society's Committee on Organization, told of his experiences and success in reorganizing and increasing the membership of chapters in the western part of the State, and of his prospects for new Chapters soon to be fully organized.

SYRACUSE CHAPTER—On September 5th, Col. Charles F. Stanton, commander of the first battalion, 104th Field Artillery, New York National Guard, was guest speaker at the regular business luncheon meeting of Syracuse Chapter.

Col. Stanton gave a detailed description of the

activities of his battalion in the recent Northern New York army maneuvers and explained the President's order calling the National Guard into training.

Members of the Chapter voted unanimous approval of the Dies Committee's investigations of un-American activities and passed a resolution favoring the U. S. Alien Bill, which provided for registration of all aliens in the country. Members also resolved to double activities against un-American activities, declaring "the abuse of American democracy by subversive organizations in our cities, towns, colleges and schools must be met by stricter laws and patriotic education."

President Charles P. Morse presided at the meeting, and reported 1,000 copies of the American Legion pamphlet of Flag Instructions distributed to Scout and patriotic organizations, and schools prior to Flag Day, June 14th.

North Dakota Society

Compatriots of this Society were deeply interested in the dedication exercises held on June 20th at Abercrombie State Park, when the reconstructed Fort Abercrombie was finally completed.

In the S. A. R. Magazine of January, 1937, a brief article was published, giving the interesting history of this old Fort which was an outpost, and presented a puny palisaded barrier against Indian marauders in pioneer days. It was the stepping off place for punitive expeditions by Generals Sully and Sibley, which kept the prairies safe for settlers.

Compatriot Elmour D. Lum, former Vice President General for our North Mississippi District, was credited with starting the restoration movement in his newspaper with an editorial which set forth the idea which is now culminated and which was supported by the State Legislature and Statewide civic groups. The dedicatory address was given by former Governor Louis B. Hanna of North Dakota, former Vice President General of our National Society S. A. R.

At these ceremonies, the North Dakota State Flag, presented a few years ago to the National Society, was loaned for the occasion, and held a prominent place on the platform.

Ohio Society

With the many arduous national duties, President General Loren E. Souers has found time to honor three of the Ohio chapters, accepting visiting invitations from Western Reserve, Constitution and Ewings, during the early months of his administration. Others chapters are looking forward to similar recognition.

Ohio's state president, Dr. Grover E. Swoyer, besides his S. A. R. work, is pastor of one of the three largest Lutheran churches in the United States, its membership being over 2,600. He spent three weeks in Wisconsin at the National Guard camp in capacity of Chaplain of his regiment. He served in France during the World War.

State Historian Clark M. Graber has compiled and published a new book, the "Folk-Lore of the Esquimos," etc. For eight years he was educational and medical adviser for the Esquimos located north of the Arctic Circle.

Through the efforts of the Ohio State Secretary thirty-five bound volumes of the "Ohio Archaeological Historical Publications" were recently presented to the Headquarters Library at Washington.

Constitution Day was generally recognized by Ohio chapters. The Hon. Lester L. Cecil, Judge of the Common Pleas Court, and past State President of the Ohio S. A. R., was the speaker on a radio broadcast over the WHIO station, sponsored by the Dayton D. A. R., on "The Constitution."

CINCINNATI CHAPTER—The Chapter presented fifty Good Citizenship medals this year to pupils in the eighth grade in the Cincinnati and Hamilton County public schools. In collaboration with the Society of Colonial Wars, the Chapter awarded essay prizes to undergraduates in St. Xavier University on the subject of national defense. The recipients were members of the University R. O. T. C.

On June 8 the Chapter observed Flag Day with a luncheon meeting at the Cincinnati Country Club. The speaker was Mayor James Garfield Stewart, his topic being the need for active and intelligent citizenship in these troublous days.

On July 13 the Chapter held its annual Independence Day Pilgrimage to the tomb of President William Henry Harrison, at North Bend. Invited guests included the wives and daughters of members and the heads of allied patriotic organizations, viz.: Daughters of the American Revolution, Daughters of American Colonists, Daughters of 1812, Colonial Daughters of America, Society of Mayflower Descendants, New England Women, Colonial Dames, and the Society of Colonial Wars. After luncheon at an attractive hotel overlooking the Ohio River, and an excellent address by Councilman Russell Wilson of Cincinnati, exercises were held at the Harrison tomb. These consisted of bugle calls by a detachment of Boy Scouts, and the placing of a wreath at the tomb of the President. The occasion was one of dignity and credit to the participants.

The first Chapter meeting of the Fall was held

on September 19th in commemoration of Constitution Day. Dinner was served in the Faculty Dining Room of the University of Cincinnati. The speaker was Chapter Secretary Dwight, who is a member of the department of physics of the University, upon the topic "Benjamin Thompson (Count Rumford) and the American Revolution."

EWINGS CHAPTER, Athens—On the evening of July 30, 1940, Compatriots Robert C. Hess and Dwight H. Rutherford entertained the members at a picnic supper on the lawn of the former's home. Afterward, grouped in a semicircle about the dying embers of the great open fireplace, the members discussed general policies of the Chapter and plans for future meetings.

A committee composed of Compatriots Carl H. Beasley, Joseph B. Heidler, and Azariah B. Sias was elected to invite President General Loren E. Souers to visit the chapter during Constitution Week. As a result of subsequent arrangements with the officials of Ohio University, President General Souers addressed a convocation of students, faculty, and townspeople on the morning of September 20, 1940. In the evening he was the guest of honor at a banquet at the Berry Hotel.

WESTERN RESERVE SOCIETY, Cleveland—The 153rd anniversary of the Signing of the Constitution was observed by WESTERN RESERVE SOCIETY with a ceremony Sunday, Sept. 15th, at the Congregational Church, Claridon, Ohio, at which were dedicated three Revolutionary soldiers' graves; John Elliott and Squire Davenport who are buried in Hamoden Cemetery and Josiah Smith who is buried in Claridon Cemetery.

The speaker of the day was Compatriot Judge Stanley A. Orr who spoke on the Constitution of the United States. Among those present at the meeting were seventeen descendants of John Elliott who were introduced.

On September 16th and 17th, the Chapter had a display in the May Company's window with a background, 40" by 60" of a blow-up of Stearn's picture of the signing of the Constitution together with other historical exhibits of that period. This exhibit was viewed by probably fifty thousand people.

On September 18th, Western Reserve Society sponsored a program at the Junior Chamber of Commerce at which President Charles H. Fisher presided, and Compatriot H. Wm. Holsinger made the address on the "American Conscience on the Constitution". Vice President General, Robert Parsons Boggis, paid a tribute to David L. Pearson of Orange, N. J., former Historian General of the National Society who is known as the Founder

of Constitution Day. Those present stood in silent tribute to his memory.

On August 3rd, the Chapter held its annual picnic and reunion at the country estate of President Charles H. Fisher at Chagrin Falls, Ohio. A delightful afternoon was enjoyed by some seventy members who gathered for this annual event.

Western Reserve Society is again in high speed on its membership drive, and we are looking forward to a record year.

Anthony Wayne Chapter, Toledo—New officers of this Chapter elected at its June meeting are as follows: President Russell J. Schunk; Vice Presidents, Harold J. Pettit, Cecil Stickney; Secretary, Charles R. Barefoot, Jr.; Corresponding Secretary, Austin Smith; Registrar, William E. Crabbs; Treasurer, Carl M. Eyster; Historian, Dr. Wayne Dancer; Genealogist, Charles R. Barefoot; Chaplain, John E. McFadden; Flag Custodian, George K. Apple.

President Schunk holds the position of Librarian of the Toledo Public Library. Secretary Austin Smith, spent the summer in Los Angeles but reports the Chapter ready to function actively beginning with Constitution Day.

Oregon Society

The Society celebrated Constitution Day, September 17th, with a dinner and meeting at the University Club, Portland. Being ladies' night, the main dining room at the club was filled almost to capacity.

Colonel C. E. Dentler, First Vice-President, presided in the absence of President Divine. Among the distinguished guests were President Clarence D. Gere, of the Washington State Society, and Mrs. Gere, Vice-President General Frank S. Gannett and Mrs. Gannett, Mr. Willis K. Clark, President of the University Club, and Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Howard P. Arnest, State Regent, Oregon D. A. R., and Mrs. James B. Montgomery, Regent Emeritus, Oregon State D. A. R.

The speaker of the evening was Colonel Alfred E. Clark, a prominent Portland attorney, who spoke most ably and instructively on "Tolerance under the Constitution." The program was brought to a conclusion with movies of the latest army ordnance equipment, through the courtesy of the Army Recruiting Service.

Pennsylvania Society

This Society rejoices in a newly acquired Charter from the National Society, this for some reason never having been presented in the early days of organization. The officers of the Pennsylvania Society having had this fact brought to their attention requested the omission be rectified, and at the meeting of the National Board of Trustees, held May 19th, formal action was taken in granting a Charter to Pennsylvania.

A special form was presented for approval, and this has now been properly and handsomely engrossed and framed, and graces the walls of the Pennsylvania Society Headquarters in Pittsburgh, much to the gratification of the Society's officers.

The death of the Hon. John S. Fisher, President of the Pennsylvania Society in June, is deeply felt by members of this State Society and his hosts of friends throughout the National organization. More extended mention is made elsewhere. The unexpired term is being filled by Compatriot William J. Aiken, first Vice President of the Society. Mr. Aiken made many friends for himself at the recent Congress of the National Society in Washington, and has been assuming the duties of the President for some time in behalf of Governor Fisher whose prolonged illness prior to his death made this necessary.

PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER—On June 7th the Chapter met in the Betsy Ross House and dedicated the Children's Bed Room, having provided the furnishings for the same. A Bronze Plate or Marker was unveiled at this meeting for the room, in which the meeting was held. On Flag Day morning, June 14th, the Society Flags were placed at the grave of Betsy Ross in Mount Moriah Cemetery.

Lt. Com. H. W. Johnson attended the State Convention of the C. A. R. held recently in Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania. A committee was appointed to attend the annual church service at Philadelphia on July 4th. Over Memorial Day, flags of the Society and U. S. Flags were placed on hundreds of graves of the men of the Revolutionary War. In this work Dr. John Beans Carrell of Hatboro was again active with his helpers, and took care of over a hundred graves in N. E. Montgomery County and Bucks County.

Arrangements are completed for participating in Constitution Day exercises when a wreath will be placed in Independence Hall.

On the afternoon of August 31st, Lt. Commander Johnson, President of the Chapter, visited the Upper Octorara Presbyterian Church, representing Compatriot Paul P. Pinkerton of Sand Springs, Oklahoma, former Vice President General of the Mississippi Valley District, at a celebration of the 220th Anniversary. Flags were placed on the grave of his ancestor, John Pinkerton, also Col.

Andrew Boyd, Thomas Boyd, Esq., Joseph McClellan, John Wiley, and Capt. William McKim, all of the Revolutionary War.

On September 16th, a Constitution Day Dinner was held at the Hearthstone, in Elfreth's Alley, one of the few remaining Colonial streets in Philadelphia. Robert Bonniwell and Dr. Warrend Matlack presented papers commemorating Constitution Day. Tuesday morning at 9 A. M. Commander Johnson and his Committee placed a wreath in the Constitution Chamber of Independence Hall, in accordance with a custom established over twenty-five years ago.

PITTSBURGH CHAPTER—Flag Day was celebrated throughout the schools of the city, when Good Citizenship Medals were presented to pupils of each Junior High or Eighth Grade elementary school. The plan of award advocated by the National Society was the basis for the presentations. Captain Harry L. McKain, President of the Chapter, presented Dr. Walter L. Moser, who addressed the pupils. In addition to the medals, a booklet on the United States Flag was presented to each medal winner.

Compatriot Ralph W. Richards was presented with a World War Medal by the Chapter at a recent meeting.

"Drumbeats of American History," the original radio serial historical educational program, written and produced by Colonel Franklin Blackstone of PITTSBURGH CHAPTER, presented "The Battle of Kittanning", (1756), over KQV, Pittsburgh, in two episodes, August 31st and September 7th, 1940. A unique feature of the programs was the participation of five lineal descendants of men who fought in that battle, in which the Indian town of Kittanning was destroyed, on September 8, 1756.

Benjamin Armstrong Fleck and his cousin, Anna Mary Fleck, are descended from Lt. Colonel (later Major General) John Armstrong, the Commander; Honorable John R. Haudenshield and his son, John D. Haudenshield, are descended from the Reverend John Steel who was a Captain of Militia and commanded a Company; Mr. A. E. Canterbury is descended from Private Terrence Canterbury (Cannerberry).

GEN. ANTHONY WAYNE CHAPTER, Beaver Falls—This Chapter has sponsored two major objectives for the summer—a cadet corps of boys from fourteen to sixteen for Co. B, 110th Infantry, National Guard, and a county-wide rifle tournament for which suitable medals and trophies have been provided. These projects have the hearty endorsement of the officers of the N. G. unit

The Chapter held a dinner meeting in observance of Flag Day when the speaker was Mr. R. A. Byers, on activities of "The Fifth Column."

INDIANA CHAPTER—The Chapter was active in the Memorial Day services on May 30th, when President Elmer W. Allison placed a wreath following the civic parade and the address of Rev. Harry B. Boyd, D. D.

The Chapter has plans to mark the location of Randall Laughlin's cabin, a Revolutionary pioneer whose lands and home were abandoned because of depredations of the Indians, and who was captured and conveyed to Canada with other settlers about 1777.

SUSQUEHANNA CHAPTER, Clearfield—This Chapter presented to Camp Corbley a fine American Flag at Mahaffey, Pa., as its Flag Day project. Exercises were presided over by Secretary Glenn E. Thomson, and the presentation was made by Compatriot Thomas R. McCracken.

FORT VENANGO CHAPTER, Oil City—The first formal meeting of this new Chapter was held on May 16th, although earlier meetings were held in March and April, to perfect the details of organization.

Preceded by a banquet at the Arlington Hotel, to which some fifty new Compatriots assembled, with guests from the Daughters of the American Revolution, Dr. Arthur B. McCormick, the President, presided as Toastmaster, and introduced Compatriot Harbaugh Miller of the Pittsburgh Chapter, who performed the formal ceremony of installation of the Chapter and its officers. Much credit was accorded the local members of the D. A. R. who have cooperated splendidly in assisting the preparation of applications and suggestions as to eligibles.

A feature of the evening was the appearance of the Fife and Drum Corps, composed of High School girls in military uniform, whose drill was much enjoyed.

The speaker of the evening was Justice William M. Parker of the Superior Court of Pennsylvania, whose address was a rousing call for preparedness.

Representing the State Society on this occasion were Vice President William J. Aiken, Secretary Edwin B. Graham, Chaplain General of the National Society Charles W. Maus, D.D., State Organizer Charles B. Shaler, Historian David W. Rial, and Charles W. Simmons of Harrisburg, who brought greetings from this other new Chapter of the State, the Harris Ferry Chapter.

GEN. ARTHUR ST. CLAIR CHAPTER, Dormont—According to its custom, this Chapter placed a flag upon the grave of its patron, General St. Clair, on Memorial Day.

Compatriot John R. Haudenshield delivered an address to pupils of Greentree School upon the presentation of Good Citizenship Medals to honor pupils.

VALLEY FORGE CHAPTER, Bethlehem—The Chapter held its Fifteenth Anniversary meeting with dinner at the Spring Mountain House, near Bethlehem, on June 15th. President Jacob Erdman Cope presided, and held a brief business session preceding the dinner, at which reports were heard and an account of the 51st Congress of the National Society at Washington. A history of the fifteen years of activity of the Chapter was given by former President Elmer L. Mack. The Chapter was chartered on Armistice Day, November 11th, 1925.

The guest speaker was Rev. Charles R. Erdman, D.D., of Princeton, N. J., Professor of Theology. New members were welcomed.

South Carolina Society

Plans for an appropriate observance of the 153rd anniversary of the signing of the U. S. Constitution were perfected and carried out successfully on September 13th, in Columbia, in advance of the anniversary date, in order to have the Hon. Burton Barrs, Vice President General for the South Atlantic District, as guest speaker of the occasion. State Secretary Clarence Richards issued invitations to all the local patriotic and civic organizations to participate and the response was gratifying.

Vice President General Barrs, on his way north, for other engagements, was enthusiastically received and gave a fine address.

CITADEL-CHARLESTON CHAPTER—An enthusiastic meeting of the Board of Directors was held on the evening of September 16th and a program of active work was adopted. President, General Charles P. Summerall appointed a number of committees, covering activities along the lines of organization, to develop chapter units throughout Coastal Carolina; on Ritual, to develop proper forms for meetings and ceremonies; Public Relations to specialize in various phases of our work in several communities, and Publicity, and especial attention to be paid to developing a C. A. R. Society to be known as the Porter-Charleston Society.

Close cooperation with the Daughters of the American Revolution, with joint committees for celebration of patriotic anniversaries and also to a degree with Colonial Wars Societies, was also arranged for.

Very special attention is promised toward co-

operating with the State Society in the creation of additional chapter units on the eastern coast of South Carolina, and in this connections the organization of a Coastal Carolina Council of Patriotic Associations is projected, which, it is felt, will be an achievement in the development of the democratic impulse, and promotion of National Defense.

Utah Society

The Utah Society is continuing its very suce cessful radio broadcasts on the nation-wide subject, "Why I Am An American", these broadcasts being given through the courtesy of KSL, Salt Lake City, one of the most powerful radio stations in the nation.

On July 3rd the speakers were Hon. Dean F. Brayton, Compatriot; Hon. Fred M. Michelsen, Vice President, Utah Savings & Trust Company, Salt Lake City, and President of the Utah Bankers Association, and the third speaker, Hon. Andrew L. Hoppaugh, who, like Compatriot Brayton, is one of the leading lawyers of the west. The broadcasts are favorably received by listeners-in, KSL reaching a population of over ten million people. The next broadcasts will be given on Constitution Day, September 17th, and Columbus Day, October 12th, at which time noted men of the west will speak on the same subject.

The Society enjoyed an outing at the famous Utah Hot Pots, fifty miles east of Salt Lake City, July 26th, President Pardoe presided at the banquet in his usual able manner and en route the compatriots and their families inspected the famous Deer Creek Project which is a miniature Boulder Dam and located in Provo Canvon.

The Utah Society recently at a special meeting escort and equipage.

in June adopted strong resolutions of criticism and protest with respect to the stand of one of its representatives in Congress in the case of the deportation of the notorious Harry Bridges.

Virginia Society

The semi-annual meeting of the State Society was held as usual in historic Williamsburg on September 17th, the THOMAS NELSON, JR., CHAP-TER serving as host. Registration and the business meeting held at The Lodge occupied the morning, the delegates being welcomed by Chapter President Leo Wertheimer, followed by routine business and reports.

Luncheon followed, and a program of addresses from the Hon. Nurton Barrs, of Florida, Vice President General of the National Society for the South Atlantic District and greetings from Past Presidents of the Virginia Society. Hon. Vernon M. Geddy, Vice President of the Williamsburg Restoration, extended a welcome to the guests. The meetings were presided over by State President G. Guy Via.

Washington State Society

Participating in the annual civic observance of Independence Day, this Society, jointly with the local Chapters of the D. A. R., provided the inspiring group of the "Spirit of '76", in the long parade of marching military units and bands. This year, through the committee in charge, headed by Compatriot G. Ward Kemp as Chairman, this feature of the procession was accorded a prominent position in front of the Governor's

To the Grandfathers Again!

Again I am appealing to the grandfathers of this Society of the Sons of the American Revolution to enroll your grandchildren in a Chapter of the Children of the American Revolution. Since the publication of the notice in the July S. A. R. MAGAZINE, a number of grandfathers have carried out the suggestion to enroll their grandchildren in the nearest local society of the C. A. R., and this is gratifying, for it means that these young people are being prepared for ultimately becoming mem-

bers of our Society and the Daughters of the American Revolution, and will help build up these parent organizations.

Accordingly, if you have grandchildren, Compatriots, please act without delay. The fees are nominal-almost negligible-the results are immeasurable. For further information, if desired, write to the undersigned at our National Head-

> FRANK B. STEELE, Chairman.

Additions to Membership

There have been enrolled in the office of the Registrar General from June 1, 1940, to September 1, 1940, 261 new members distributed as follows: Alabama, 2: California, 9: Colorado, 2; Connecticut, 6; District of Columbia, 2; Florida, 6; Georgia, 5; Illinois, 5; Indiana, 2: Kentucky, 6: Louisiana, 2: Maryland, 5: Massachusetts, 2; Michigan, 3; Minnesota, 3; Montana, 1; Nebraska, 2; New Jersey, 8; New York, 29; North Carolina, 7; North Dakota, 1; Ohio, 18; Oregon, 1; Pennsylvania, 108;

Rhode Island, 2; South Carolina, 1; South Dakota, 1; Texas, 8; Utah, 3; Vermont, 1; Virginia, 7; Washington, 1; Wisconsin, 3; Wyo-

Supplemental claims have been approved from the following states: California, 1; Colorado, 2; Florida, 1; Georgia, 3; Iowa, 11; Kentucky, 6; Michigan, 2; New Jersey, 2; New York, 7; Ohio, 3; Pennsylvania, 9; South Dakota, 2; Texas, 1; Vermont, 5; Virginia, 2.

Records of 261 new Members and 58 Supplementals Approved and Enrolled by the Registrar General from June 1, 1940 to September 1, 1940.

ST. CLAIR ADAMS, Jr., New Orleans, La. (55700). JAMES DONALD BOWMAN, Jr., Cambridge, Mass. (Pa., Great*-grandson of Thomas Pugh, Lt. Colonel, N. C.

PRENTICE D. ASH, Rahway, N. J. (NY58972). Great3grandson of Nathan Avery, Corporal, Conn. Militia.

JOHN CAPRON BABSON, Washington, D. C. (58485). Great3-grandson of Jesse Brown, private, Mass. Troops. JOHN FORD BAECHER, San Francisco, Calif. (Va. 58935). Great2-grandson of Stephen Cromwell, Major, Md. Militia, and on Com. of Observation.

ROBERT KOONTZ BAIRD, Detroit, Mich. (58980). Great3-grandson of Moses Baird, Signed Oath of Allegiance, Pa.; great3-grandson of Hugh Dunwoody, Lt. Colonel, Penna Troops; great3-grandson of Sylvanus Towne, Sergeant and Lieutenant, Mass. Militia.

DAVID SWEET BALLOU, Greenwich, R. I. (59076). Great2-grandson of Oliver Ballou, private, R. I. Troops. DWIGHT MOODY BEESON, Atlanta, Ga. (58663). Great3-grandson of Edward Beeson, Captain, N. C. Militia.

RALPH WALDO BEESON, Birmingham, Ala. (45498). Same as 58663 supra

JOHN DOWNEY BENEDICT, Waynesboro, Pa. (59165). Great4-grandson of Hugh Dinwiddie, Lt. Colonel, Penna. Troops.

FRANK R. BICKEL, Yeadon, Pa. (59171). Great2grandson of John Woodside, private, Penna. Militia.

ROBERT TURNER BICKFORD, Elmira, N. Y. (59221). Great³-grandson of Samuel Hooker, private, Mass. Troops; great3-grandson of William Davenport, private, Mass. troops; great2-grandson of Henry Blake, Jr., fifer, N. H. Troops; great3-grandson of Henry Blake, Sr., Corporal, N. H. Troops.

ANDREW ROBERT BIRNEY, Richmond, Va. (59017). Great3-grandson of Archibald Wilkin, Jr., private, Pa. Militia; great4-grandson of Archibald Wilkin, Sr., private, Pa. Militia.

JAMES TILLMAN BLALOCK, San Francisco, Calif. (59176). Great-grandson of John Blalock, Lieutenant, N. C. Militia.

GUY CLUXTON BOUGHTON, Erie, Pa. (59160.) Great2grandson of Hezekiah Boughton, Ir., private, Conn.

JAMES WIRT BOWLES, Va. (28340). Supplemental. Great2-grandson of Richard Dobson, Captain, Va. Troops, JAMES DONALD BOWMAN, Sr., Millersburg, Pa.

(59162). Great2-grandson of John Woodside, private, Penna. Troops.

59163). Son of 59162 supra.

CLARENCE EDWARD BRECKENRIDGE, N. J. (43148). Supplementals. Great3-grandson of Richard Wells, Sr., private, Penna. Militia; great3-grandson of George Breckenridge, Took Oath of Allegiance, Va., 1777.

WILBUR STARR BROOKS, Baltimore, Md. (Conn. 58768). Great4-grandson of William Barton, Captain, Conn. Troops.

FREDERICK DANIEL BROWN, Upper Montclair, N. J. (59061). Great⁵-grandson of Denyse Denyse, Member Provincial Congress, N. Y. and Major N. Y. Troops.

SAMUEL McMILLAN BROWN, Jr., Greenville, Pa. (59141). Greati-grandson of Thomas Paxton, Lt. Colonel, Penna, Militia,

FESTUS CLAY BROWNING, Jacksonville, Fla. (59036). Great2-grandson of William Cleveland, private, Va. Troops.

WILLIAM EVANS BRUNER, Ohio. (53396). Supplementals. Great3-grandson of Joseph Jeffries, Major, Colonel, and Asst. Wagonmaster General, Pa. Militia; great2-grandson of James Evans, Sergeant, Penna. Line.

FRANCIS EBEN BUCKLEY, Boston, Mass. (58616). Great4-grandson of Ebenezer Higgins, Lieutenant, Mass.

ERNEST ALBERT BURCH, Oil City, Pa. (59150). Great2-grandson of Henry Scott, private, Penna. Troops. ERNEST SUHR BURCH, Oil City, Pa. (59156). Great3-grandson of Henry Scott, supra.

WILLIAM FITE BURROW, Dallas, Tex. (58557). Great3grandson of William Randolph, Captain, Va. Militia.

HENRY ALVIN BUTTON, Jamestown, N. Y. (59205). Great4-grandson of Mathias Button, private, Conn.

HORACE MARCELLUS BYRNES, Harrisburg, Pa. (59130). Great4-grandson of Peter Montagne, Sergeant, N. Y. Troops

SMILEY MARSHALL CALDWELL, Jr., Ford City, Pa. (59164). Great3-grandson of Robert Caldwell, Ranger, Penna. Troops; great4-grandson of Joseph Reed, QM., Penna, Troops,

EARLE WILLIAM CARLSON, N. Y. (59206). Great3grandson of Lawrence Frank, Sr., private, N. Y. Con-

JOHN LEE CHAPMAN, Catonsville, Md. (58114). Great2-grandson of Augustine Weedon, II, Sergeant, Va. Troops.

- IESTYN MARTIN CHARLES, Pueblo, Colo. (56767). RICHARD PRESTON ECKLES, University, Miss. (Pa. Great2-grandson of Jirah Martin, private, N. H. Line.
- FREDERICK HYDE CHENEY, Jamestown, N. Y. (59207). Great3-grandson of Abraham Jones, Jr., private, Conn., N. Y. and Mass. Troops.
- KENNEDY N. CLAPP, Lubbock, Tex. (58560). Great2grandson of Earl Clapp, Captain of Minute Men and Major, Mass. Troops.
- WILLIAM WILSON COLLEDGE, Harrisburg, Pa. (59128) Great2-grandson of Andrew MacFarlane, Lieutenant, Penna. Troops.
- CHARLES GUY CORDLE, Ga. (58660). Supplementals. Great3-grandson of George Walton, Jr., private, Va. Troops; great3-grandson of John Phillips, Jr., private, Va. Line; great3-grandson of Thomas Llewellin, private N. C. Line
- KARL HALL COVELL, Minneapolis, Minn. (58243). Great3-grandson of Benjamin Hastings, Lieutenant, Mass. Troops.
- SAMUEL BAUGHMAN CRAIG, Washington, D. C. (Ky. 55950). Great3-grandson of Peter Taylor, private, Va. Continentals
- ERIE WOODWARD CRANDALL, Jamestown, N. Y. 59208). Great2-grandson of Joshua Woodward, private and Corporal, Conn. Troops.
- HAROLD ELVERTON CRISSEY, Jamestown, N. Y. (59209). Great2-grandson of Leicester Grosvenor, private, Mass. Troops
- RALPH CRIST, Harrisburg, Pa. (58899). Great3-grandson of Thomas Wharton, private, Penna Troops.
- ROBERT WEAND CRIST, Camp Hill, Pa. (59124). Great3-grandson of Michael Dotterer, Captain, Penna. Militia
- WARREN DAUB CROUTHAMEL, Telford, Pa. (59173). Great2-grandson of Henry Crouthamel, private, Penna.
- WALTER HENRY DAUB, Lemoyne, Pa. (59134), Great3grandson of George Schall, Lieutenant, Penna. Militia. FRANK EUGENE DAVIDSON, Detroit, Mich. (58982). Great2-grandson of Joseph Woodworth, private, Conn.
- JAMES WESTBAY DAY, Fla. (57994). Supplemental Great4-grandson of George Paull, Paymaster, Penna.
- JOHN DE HAVEN, Coraopolis, Pa. (59255). Greatgrandson of John Cribbs, private, Penna. Line.
- WILLARD STOVER DETWEILER, Ir., Souderton, Pa. (59144). Great3-grandson of Joseph Overholtzer, private, Penna. Troops.
- ALBERT PETER DEWEY, Chicago, Ill. (58315). Great3grandson of Daniel Dewey, Captain, Conn. Troops.
- CHARLES S. DEWEY, Jr., Chicago, Ill. (58316). Same as 58315 supra.
- LEVANT PRIOR DEWOLF, Crescent City, Fla. (59035). Great2-grandson of Peter DeWolf, private, Conn. Troops. ROLLO CURTIN DITTO, Pittsburgh, Pa. (59268).
- Great3-grandson of John Shartle, private, Penna. Troops. JOHN SANDERSON DU MONT, Greenfield, Mass. (La. 55699). Great3-grandson of John Stagg, Jr., Ass't.
- Adit. General and Brigade Major, N. Y. Line. THOMAS DONOVAN DUNSCOMBE, Sumter, S. C. (Ky. 59326). Great4-grandson of Samuel DuVal, on Com. of Safety & Correspondence, Va.; member Va. Convention 1774 & 75.
- RALPH COOVER ECKLES, JR., Steelton, Pa. (59122). Great2-grandson of Adam Feeman, private, Penna.
- RALPH COOVER ECKELS, JR., Steelton, Pa. (59122). Son of 59121 supra.

- 58898). Great3-grandson of John Hereford, III, Adit... Va Militia
- EDGAR LEROY EGOLF, Harrisburg, Pa. (59125) Great2-grandson of Michael Egolf, private, Penna. Mj-
- KENNETH HOSLER EGOLF, Harrisburg, Pa. (59126). Son of 59125 supra.
- WILLIAM PAUL ELZEY, Baltimore, Md. (58116). Great3-grandson of Joseph Gilliss, Lieutenant, Md. Mi-
- HERMAN LEROY EMMET, Erie, Pa. (59146), Greats, grandson of Lewis Morris, Signer of Declaration of Independence
- HARRY TORBET EWING, Pittsburgh, Pa. (59137). Great2-grandson of Amos Chase, Lieutenant, N. H. Mi-
- JAMESON EGGBORN FANT, Richmond, Va. (58931). Great2-grandson of David Jameson, Major, Va. Militia WILLIAM MONTAGUE FERRY, Salt Lake City, U. (58435). Great³-grandson of Nathan Harwood, Lieuten-
- ant. Mass Militia EUGENE BURT FISHER, Lakewood, O. (59013)
- Great2-grandson of John Christopher Fisher, private. Va. Militia.
- FRANK BRYER FOSTER, Beaver, Pa. (59267). Great8grandson of Aaron Quimby, Captain, N. H. Troops: great2-grandson of Joseph Quimby, private, N. H. Mi-
- JOHN RICHARD FOSTER, Evanston, Ill. (58317). Great3-grandson of Sampson Sammons, Lieutenant, N. Y.
- ELMER DE WITT FAUQUIER FRANCIS, Jersey City, N. I. (59055). Great3-grandson of William Popham, Major and Aide to Gen. Steuben.
- EDGAR KISTER FRAZER, Harrisburg, Pa. (59116). Great2-grandson of Aaron Frazer, Gun Manufacturer,
- EDGAR KISTER FRAZER, 2ND, Wormsleysburg, Pa. (59117). Great8-grandson of Aaron Frazer, supra.
- ROBERT DONSON FRAZER, Wormsleysburg, Pa. (59-118). Son of 59116 supra.
- JOHN MELVIN FREED, Perkasie, Pa. (59174). Great2grandson of Henry Rosenberger, private, Penna. Troops; great2-grandson of Peter Koffel, private, Pa. Militia.
- RAYMOND MOORE FREED, Philadelphia, Pa. (59142). Great2-grandson of Henry Rosenberger and Peter Koffel.
- EDGAR ATKINSON FULLER, JR., Santa Monica, Calif. (57847). Great4-grandson of Thomas Hoyt, private, N. H. Troops
- THOMAS HOYT FULLER, Santa Monica, Calif. (57848). Same as 57847 supra
- JOHN STROTHER GAINES, 2nd, New York, N. Y. (58973). Great²-grandson of Henry Clagett, private,
- WALTER TAYLOR GALLOWAY, Tex. (56129). Supplemental. Great3-grandson of Elisha Parker, private, N. Y. Militia.
- HOWARD LANE GARDNER, IR., Balatka, Fla. (S. C. 58861). Great4-grandson of Peter Graffam, Lieutenant, Mass. Troops.
- BERTRAND WESLEY GEARHART, Fresno, Calif. (D. C. 58484). Great2-grandson of Jacob Gearhart, II, Captain, N. J. Militia.
- HEBER GOSSLER GEARHART, Sunbury, Pa. (59264). Great3-grandson of Jacob Gearhart, Captain, N. J. Mi-
- WESLEY CRITZ GEORGE, Chapel Hill, N. C. (58835). Great2-grandson of Reuben George, private, Va. Line.

- FRED REED GETTY, Browning, Mont. (58630). Great2-grandson of David Reed, private, Mass. Troops.
- ROBERT NEILSON GILBERT, Millersburg, Pa. (59166). Great2-grandson of Richard Knight, Fifer and Drummer, Penna. Troops.
- REXFORD MASON GLASPEY, Harrisburg, Pa. (58890). Great*-grandson of Ludwig Derr, private, Penna. Mi-
- LEROY MARCUS GLODELL, JR., E. Providence, R. I. (59077). Great4-grandson of Seth Dunham, Lieutenant, Conn. Troops.
- HAROLD BEAN GODSHALL, Souderton, Pa. (59260). Great3-grandson of John Gotshalk, private, Penna. Mi-
- WILLIAM WALKER GOLDER, Harrisburg, Pa. (59115). Great2-grandson of Archibald Golder, Captain, Md. Troops
- EDMUND GEORGE GOOD, Camp Hill, Pa. (59103). Great-grandson of Peter Butz, Jr., private, Penna. Mi-
- CHARLES WELTON GOODELL, Norwalk, O. (59009). Great3-grandson of Andrew Bostwick, Corporal, Conn. Light Dragoons.
- I. WELTON GOODELL, Norwalk, O. (59010). Great2grandson of Andrew Bostwick, supra.
- ARTHUR DUNDORE GRAEFF, Philadelphia, Pa. (59-175). Great2-grandson of Frederick Graff, private, Penna. Troops.
- FRANK PORTER GRAHAM, Chapel Hill, N. C. (58836). Great3-grandson of Alexander McAlister, Member, Provincial Congress, and Colonel, Minute Men, N. C.
- IOHN LINCOLN GRAHAM, Lancaster, O. (59005). Great2-grandson of Valentine Gramlich, took Oath of Allegiance, Penna, 1777.
- JEFFERSON JAMES GRAVES, Ross, Calif. (59177). Great2-grandson of Thomas James, Lieutenant, Va. Mi-
- CHARLES WINFIELD GRAY, Oakland, Calif. (59180). Great3-grandson of James Carey, private, Mass. Troops. NOEL OSMOND GREEN, Bloomington, Ill. (58318).
- Great4-grandson of Joseph Hayes, Captain, Penna. LOUIS PHILIP GREENAWALT, Harrisburg, Pa. (58-
- 900). Great3-grandson of Philip Lorenzo Greenawalt, Colonel, Penna, Militia. NAPOLEON HALL GREENAWALT, Harrisburg, Pa.
- (59101). Same as 58899 supra; great2-grandson of John Philip Greenawalt, Lieutenant, Penna. Militia.
- HOWARD GUNN GRIM, Memhull, Pa. (59136). Great2grandson of Alexander Burns, private, Penna. Troops.
- BRUCE EDWARD GRUNDEN, Harrisburg, Pa. (59112). Great3-grandson of Andrew Hoerner, private, Penna.
- WAYNE ISAAC GRUNDEN, Harrisburg, Pa. (59113). Same as 59112 supra.
- MAURICE FRANCIS HABBARDE, Harrisburg, Pa. (58-892). Great3-grandson of Jacob Poorman, private, Penna.
- CHARLES FORD HACKETT, JR., S. D. (51386). Supplementals. Great3-grandson of Elwell Moore, Ensign, N. J. Militia; great3-grandson of Elnythan Goodrich, procured supplies and arms, Conn.
- JAMES EDWARD HADLEY, Oil City, Pa. (57153). Great3-grandson of James Barber, private, R. I. Troops.
- WILLIAM ALLEN HALLOCK, Rochester, N. Y. (59222). Great2-grandson of William Hallock, private, Mass.
- THOMAS JOHN HANCOCK, Marietta, O. (59006). Great4-grandson of David Green, Colonel, Mass. Troops.

- FRANK KENNETH HARDER, Hempstead, N. Y. (58974). Great³-grandson of David Simmons, private, N. Y. Militia.
- REED WHIELDON HARLAN, Emlenton, Pa. (59159). Great3-grandson of Jonathan Harlan, private, Penna. Troops.
- DAVID WILLARD HARR, Pa. (54841). Supplemental. Great2-grandson of David Sorver, private, Penna. Troops.
- CLARK ELLIOTT HASKINS, Logan, Utah (58433). Great2-grandson of Benjamin Fuller, private, N. Y. Troops
- RAYMOND GEORGE SMITH HAUN, Syracuse, N. Y. (59224). Great³-grandson of Eli Harmon, Lieutenant, Mass Troops
- THOMAS VARIAN HAUSE, Jamestown, N. Y. (59210). Great2-grandson of Isaac Varian, Commissary, N. Y. Troops.
- EDWARD THORNTON HEALD, Canton, O. (59002). Great3-grandson of Daniel Heald, private, Mass. Militia at Concord.
- GEORGE FRANKLIN HELLICK, Sr., Easton, Pa. (59145). Great2-grandson of Jacob Uhler, private, Penna Troops.
- GEORGE FRANKLIN HELLICK, Jr. Easton, Pa. (59261). Son of 59145 supra.
- RAYMOND LUKENS HEMMERLY, Oak Lane, Pa. (59251). Great2-grandson of Samuel Landis, private, Penna. Troops
- JOHN ATLEE HERTZ, Bethlehem, Pa. (59143). Great3grandson of Francis Krick, private, Penna. Troops.
- WILLIAM SNELLING HICKS, Jr., Raleigh, N. C. (58833). Great4-grandson of Oliver Shed, private, Mass. Continentals.
- RAY STAUFFER HILTEBEITEL, Sellersville, Pa. (59258). Great³-grandson of Adam Hiltebeitel, private, Penna. Militia.
- JULIER CLYDE HIZAR, Coronado, Calif. (59178). Great2-grandson of Joshua Sprague, Major, Mass. Militia.
- HARRY PAINE HOFFMAN, Iowa. (55535). Supplementals. Great4-grandson of John Fehr, (Fair). Took Oath of Allegiance, 1778, N.H.; great3-grandson of Nathaniel Wheatley, Sergeant, N. H. Militia; great4grandson of John Wheatley, on Com. of Safety, N. H.; great4-grandson of Azariah Bliss, on Com. of Safety, N. H.: great8-grandson of Thomas Paine, private, Conn. Troops; great3-grandson of Edward Brockway, Sergeant, Conn Militia; great3-grandson of Joseph Loveland, Corporal. N. H. Troops: great3-grandson of Ichabod Carley, Sergeant, Vt. Troops; great3-grandson of George Hoffman, private, Penna. Militia.
- RICHARD ERSKINE HOLCOMB, Jersey City, N. J. (N. Y. 59225). Great3-grandson of Hezekiah Holcomb, Captain, Conn. Militia,
- WILLIAM HEWITT HOOPER, Denver, Colo. (56766). Great3-grandson of Henry Hooper, Lieutenant and Brig. General, Md. Troops
- GEORGE ROSS HULL, Harrisburg, Pa. (59135). Great3grandson of Peter Holl, private, Penna. Troops.
- ROBERT MC GUIGAN HURSH, SR., Harrisburg, Pa. (58896). Great2-grandson of William Wilson, Lieutenant and QM., Penna. Troops.
- ROBERT MC GUIGAN HURSH, JR., Harrisburg, Pa. (58897). Son of 58896 supra.
- JOHN BRUCE IBEN, Monaca, Pa. (59254). Great3grandson of John Cribbs, private, Penna. Line.
- ROSS SWARTZ JENNINGS, Harrisburg, Pa. (59123). Great4-grandson of Adam Orth, Lieutenant, Penna. Militia.

- THEODORE ROGNESS JOHNSON, JR., Sioux Falls, THOMAS CALVIN McCARRELL, JR., Camp Hill, Pa. S. D. (51390). Great3-grandson of John Griffith, private, Penna. Troops.
- ARTHUR DUANE JONES, Short Hills, N. J. (59058). Great³-grandson of Thomas Carhart, private, N. J. Troops. ARTHUR ELWOOD JONES, Short Hills, N. J. (59057). Great2-grandson of Thomas Carhart, supra.
- CHARLES AUBREY JONES, Columbus, O. (59008). Great3-grandson of Jonathan Cobun, Fort Builder, Morgantown, Va.
- CLYDE GEORGE JONES, Jamestown, N. Y. (59211). Great-grandson of Jacob Fenton, private, Conn. Troops. GORDON COWLEY JONES, Gainesville, Ga. (55213). Great4-grandson of Thomas Frederick, private, Penna.
- LLOYD BACHMAN JONES, Bethlehem, Pa. (59257). Great3-grandson of Joseph Jones, private, Penna. Militia. ROBERT ELWOOD JONES, Short Hills, N. J. (59059). Son of 59057 supra

Troops.

- ERIC JOSEPH KEPLER, Tice, Fla. (59037). Great3grandson of Barnard Kepler, private, Penna. Militia.
- HOWARD GORE KING, Jamestown, N. Y. (59212). Great3-grandson of Jonathan Miller, Jr., private, Conn.
- ROBERT LEIDY KLINE, Telford, Pa. (59262.) Great2grandson of Jacob Cressman, private, Penna. Militia. JOHN PETER KOHN, JR., Montgomery, Ala. (59276).
- Great3-grandson of James Scott, Captain, Va. Troops. PAUL L. KOPP, Ashland, O. (59007). Great2-grandson of Peter Edmunds, private, Pa. Militia.
- ELLSWORTH STOUT KRANTZ, II, Tampa, Fla. (59-032). Great3-grandson of Isaac Stout, Member, Constitutional Convention, Pa.
- JOHN CRAIN KUNKEL, Harrisburg, Pa. (59111). Great2-grandson of Christian Kunkel, Ensign, Penna. Associators.
- KENNETH PARK LAKE, Hamden, Conn. (58767). Great4-grandson of Daniel Redfield, on Defense Com.; Commissary, Conn.
- JOSEPH KERR LANGFITT, Indianapolis, Ind. (58345). Great3-grandson of Thomas Moore, Captain, Penna. Rangers.
- JAMES EDWIN LATHAM, Greensboro, N. C. (58834). Great2-grandson of James Latham, Sr., Member Provincial Congress, N. C.
- JAMES MILLER LEAKE, Gainesville, Fla. (59033). Great2-grandson of William Overton Callis, Ensign, Va. Troops
- ASA MARGRAVE LEHMAN, Ft. Bragg, N. C. (58832). Great3-grandson of Joseph Sherck, private, Penna. Troops
- CARL SLIFER LEIDY, Abington, Pa. (59263). Great3grandson of Jacob Cressman, private, Penna. Militia. CREED JOPLING LESTER, Dayton, O. (59019).
- Great4-grandson of Thomas Jopling, Captain, Va. Militia. DONALD HARRY LIMBER, Meadville, Pa. (59140). Great4-grandson of William Huston, Lieutenant and Adjt., Penna. Troops.
- GEORGE ALBION LITCHFIELD, Jasper, Ind. (58344). Great3-grandson of James Litchfield, private, Mass. Militia
- GEORGE LOWTHER, 3rd, New York, N. Y. (58975). Great2-grandson of Bartholomew French, private, Mass. Troops.
- EDWARD SAMUEL McALEVY, Oil City, Pa. (59154). Great3-grandson of William McAlevy, Colonel, Penna.
- JOHN EDWIN McCALMONT, Pittsburgh, Pa. (59270). Great2-grandson of John McCalmont, private, Penna.

- (59127). Great2-grandson of Thomas McCarrell, private, Penna. Troops.
- VANCE CRISWELL McCORMICK, Harrisburg, Pa. (58888). Great2-grandson of Casper Dull, Lieutenant, Penna. Troops.
- ROLLO McCRAY,, Waterford, Pa. (59157). Great2grandson of David Copeland, Jr., private, Mass. Troops. RALPH WALDO McCRILLIS, Colo. (49998) Supple-
- mentals, Great3-grandson of Humphrey Chadbourne, private, Mass. (Me.) Troops; great4-grandson of Daniel Libby, on Com. of Safety, Mass.
- JOSEPH GREEN McCUNE, Harrisburg, Pa. (59167). Great2-grandson of Robert Hays, private, Penna. Troops
- WILLIAM ALEXANDER McCUNE, Harrisburg, Pa. (59108). Great2-grandson of Robert Hays, supra.
- WILLIAM ALEXANDER McCUNE, JR., Harrisburg, Pa. (59168). Son of 59108 supra.
- KENNETH ALVA McCURDY, Oil City, Pa. (59158). Great³-grandson of James McCurdy, private, Penna.
- AUDLEY RAYMOND McGILL, Oil City, Pa. (59161). Great-grandson of Patrick McGill, Commissary, Penna.
- MORTON McNEIL, Chicago, Ill. (58319). Greatgrandson of Thomas McNeil, Sergeant, N. H. Troops.
- JESSE A. MACINTIRE, JR., Philadelphia, Pa. (59266). Great3-grandson of Jesse MacIntire, Lieutenant, Mass. Troops.
- JOHN KEYS MAHAFFEY, Pittsburgh, Pa. (59139). Great³-grandson of Henry Antes, Colonel, Penna. Troops. HARRY STERLING MARTIN, Vallejo, Calif. (57849). Great2-grandson of John Martin, Lieutenant, N. C.
- ALLISON C. MAURER, Hazelton, Penna. (59265). Great3-grandson of Christian Knorr, Sr., private, Penna. Militia
- ARTHUR HENRY MAYO, Westfield, N. J. (59054). Great2-grandson of Joseph Mayo, private, Mass. Militia.
- JOHN DUNNING MEREEN, Calif. (57118). Supplemental. Great3-grandson of John Bridgham, Captain, Mass. Troops
- GRANT HART MESSINGER, Milwaukee, Wisc. (59-227). Same as 59226.
- JOHN BEECHER MESSINGER, Milwaukee, Wisc. (59-228). Same as 59226.
- WILLIAM CLIFFORD MESSINGER, Milwaukee, Wisc. (59226). Great⁵-grandson of Titus Smith, private, Conn. Militia.
- ALLEN JAY MEYER, Annville, Pa. (59110). Great3grandson of John Adam Heilman, Lieutenant, Penna.
- PHILIP HARGREAVES MIELE, Jersey City, N. J. (59060). Great⁵-grandson of David Gordon, private. N. J. Troops.
- DAVID CHASE MILLER, Middleport, O. (59015). Great3-grandson of John Entsminger, private, Va. Troops.
- ERNEST FREDERICK MILLER, Jamestown, N. Y. (59213). Great8-grandson of John Cowles, Ir., private, Corporal and Sergeant, Mass. Troops.
- FLOYD M. MILLER, Jamestown, N. Y. (59214). Same
- MARK TAYLOR MILNOR, Harrisburg, Pa. (58891). Great2-grandson of Mark Adams, private, N. J. Mi-
- FRANCIS GUY MOORE, Jamestown, N. Y. (59215). Great2-grandson of Ebenezer Benjamin, Captain, N. Y. Troops.

- FRANKLIN MOORE, Harrisburg, Pa. (59169). Great3grandson of John Williams, Colonel, N. C. Troops.
- OSCAR FRANK MOORE, Minneapolis, Minn. (58244). Great3-grandson of Peter Morgan, private, Conn. Mi-
- CHARLES PARKER MORSE, N. Y. (48506). Supplementals. Great-grandson of Evadner Morse, private, Conn. Minute Men; great2-grandson of Carr Northup, Captain, R. I. Troops; great3-grandson of John Rouse, Captain N. Y. Militia; Samuel Wall, 2nd, took Oath of Fidelity, R. I. 1776, Captain and Major, R. I.
- EUGENE HERMES MOYER, Falconer, N. Y. (59216). Great3-grandson of Joshua Woodward, private and Corporal, Conn. Troops.
- GEORGE PIERSOL MURRAY, Bridgeville, Pa. (59269). Great2-grandson of Peter Beyer (Boyer), private, Penna.
- WALTER DONALD MUTZ, Balboa, C. Z. (Nebr. 58015). Great³-grandson of John Kays, Lieutenant, N. J. Troops. HEMPEL NEER, Bellville, O. (59012). Great²-grandson of Thomas T. Beebe, Ensign, N. Y. Troops.
- ROBERT JAMES NESBITT, Minneapolis, Minn. (58242). Great3-grandson of Robert Buchan, Signed Oath of Fidelity, Md. 1777.
- HERSCHEL P. NUNN, Portland, Ore. (57448). Great3grandson of Samuel Hutchins, private, N. H. Troops.
- CHARLES EDWARD NYE, Cleveland, O. (59014). Great²-grandson of Ebenezer Nye, private, Conn. Troops. WILLIAM EDWARD PARDOE, New York, N. Y. (Utah
- 58434). Great4-grandson of Jonathan Farr, private, N. H. Troops.
- SHERMAN GOODWIN PETICOLAS, New York, N. Y. (59201). Great2-grandson of Charles Lewis, Captain, Va. Troops.
- BENJAMIN JOHN PHILIBERT, Baltimore, Md. (58117). Great3-grandson of Samuel Hawes, Lieut. Colonel. Va.; member Com. of Safety.
- RUSSELL WAYNE PHIPPS, Port Clinton, O. (59011). Great3-grandson of Samuel Phipps, Sr., private, Penna. Troops
- WILLARD GILBERT PIKE, Harrisburg, Pa. (59133). Great³-grandson of Benjamin Pike, private, Mass. Troops
- WILLIAM SIMEON PLUMER, Marietta, O. (59004). Great-grandson of William Plumer, private and Lieutenant Penna Militia
- CLARENCE HERBERT POOL, Akron, O. (59018). Great2-grandson of George Walter, private, Penna.
- EVERETT SEARLE POORE, Jamestown, N. Y. (59217). Great2-grandson of Abraham Poor, Lieutenant, Mass.
- CLAUDE JOHN PRITCHETT, San Jose, Calif. (59179). Great3-grandson of John Sevier, Colonel, N. C. Troops. ALBERT GILLESPIE READER, San Diego, Calif.
- 57850). Great3-grandson of John Crawford, Lieutenant and OM. Va. Troops.
- FRANK F. D. RECKORD, Harrisburg, Pa. (59114). Great2-grandson of Michael Loy, private, Penna. Troops; great2-grandson of Casper Lupfer, private, Penna. Troops.
- PAUL MERRILL REDINGTON, SR., Rutland, Vt. (54150). Great-grandson of Jacob Redington, private, N. Y. Militia and Mass. Line; great3-grandson of Stephen Wells, private, N. H. Militia; great2-grandson of Obadiah Bass, Lieutenant, Mass. Militia; great2grandson of Amasa Sheldon, Jr., Captain, Mass. Continentals; great3-grandson of Amasa Sheldon, Sr., Captain, Mass. Militia; great3-grandson of Joshua Copp, private, Mass. Militia; on Com. of Safety.

- LEON ORLANDO REED, O. (40431). Supplemental. Great2-grandson of John Reed, Sr., private, Va. Line. JOHN L. REYNOLDS, Nicholsville, Ky. (59327). Great2-grandson of Thomas Reynolds, private, Va.
- CHARLES SMITH RHEIN, Harrisburg, Pa. (59131). Great3-grandson of Peter Ensminger, Lieutenant, Penna.
- WILLIAM LEON RHEIN, Harrisburg, Pa. (59132). Same as 59131 supra.
- CHARLES AINSWORTH RICE, Ridgewood, N. J. (59056). Great3-grandson of Edward Ainsworth, private, N. H. Militia.
- WILLIAM RAY RITTER, Mechanicsburg, Pa. (58895). Great3-grandson of Valentine Ritter, private, Penna.
- SAMUEL HENRY ROBBE, Detroit, Mich. (58981). Great2-grandson of Alexander Robbe, private and Captain, N. H. Militia
- FREDERICK VALENTINE ROCKEY, Camp Hill, Pa. (59109). Great3-grandson of Anthony Stiegel, private, Penna Militia
- MAURICE FALCONER RODGERS, Baltimore, Md. (58113). Great3-grandson of Beriah Maybury, Captain, Md. Continentals
- FRANKLIN GUILES ROTH, Harrisburg, Pa. (59119). Great2-grandson of Christian Roth, private and Lieutenant, Penna. Troops
- WILLIAM STEEN RUMMENS, Seattle, Wash. (55711). Great³-grandson of James Steen, Lieut. Colonel, S. C.
- KARL M. RUSSELL, Franklin, Pa. (59155). Great2grandson of Joel Jones, private, Mass. Troops.
- ABRAHAM RUTH, Line Lexington, Pa. (59252). Great3grandson of David Sorver, private, Penna. Troops.
- LEIDY ELWOOD RUTH. Line Lexington, Pa. (59253). Same as 59252 subra.
- LAWRENCE PURDY SANGSTON, Baltimore, Md. (58115). Great3-grandson of John Anscom Hooper, Lieutenant, Md. Militia
- EDWIN M. SAYERS, Camp Hill, Pa. (59104). Great3grandson of William Sayre, Lieutenant, Penna. Troops. WARREN KRIEBEL SCHLOTTERER, Rahns, Pa. (59259). Great2-grandson of John Alderfer, private, Penna, Militia.
- GEORGE FERGUSON SCOTT, Mt. Carmel, Pa. (59120). Great3-grandson of Daniel Leman, private, Penna. Militia
- EDWIN VAN DEUSEN SELDEN, Oil City, Pa. (59152). Great2-grandson of Samuel Selden, Colonel, Conn. Militia. GERALD REEVES SENSABAUGH, Raymondsville, Tex. (58555). Great2-grandson of Richard Lane, private, N. C. Horse Troops.
- WILLIAM THOMAS SENSEMAN, IR., Harrisburg, Pa. (59107). Great2-grandson of John Schaeffer, Ensign, Penna. Troops.
- SIMON DEWITT SETTLE, Bowling Green, Ky. (55947). Great3-grandson of George Settle, furnished free supplies; great3-grandson of Tilman Huffman, private, Va. Militia: great2-grandson of Samuel Smith, private, Va. Militia; great2-grandson of Thomas Ellmore, private, Md. and Va. Militia; great2-grandson of Harris DeWitt, Corporal, S. C. Troops; great3-grandson of David Crawford, private, N. C. Militia; great3-grandson of William Barnett, private, S. C. Troops.
- SAMUEL FRANKLIN SHAKELY, Greenville, Pa. (59170). Great2-grandson of Samuel De Turk, private, Penna. Troops.
- CHARLES BUNN SHALER, Penna. (55962) Supplemental. Great2-grandson of John Boyers (Byers), private, Penna. Troops.

JAMES BUNN SHALER, Penna. (55963) Supplemental. Son of 55962 subra.

HAROLD MILTON SHAPPELL, Harrisburg, Pa. (59148). Great⁴-grandson of *Jacob Shappell*, Captain, Penna. Troops

SAMUEL BARNETT SHELLER, Duncannon, Pa. (58889). Great²-grandson of *Thomas Barnett*, private, Penna. Militia.

GEORGE GERALD SHELTERS, Jamestown, N. Y. (59218). Great³-grandson of *Daniel Secor*, Drummer, N. Y. Militia.

GEORGE HAZZARD W. SHERMAN, Oil City, Pa. (59151). Great²-grandson of *Eber Sherman*, Ensign, R. I. Militia.

CHESTER ELMER SHIRK, Harrisburg, Pa. (59129). Great²-grandson of *Philip Steinmetz*, private, Penna. Troops.

WINTHROP BABBIDGE SHOTWELL, Fargo, N. D. (53271). Great³-grandson of *Silvanus Drew*, Captain, Mass. sea service.

HUGH SLOVER, Houston, Tex. (58561). Great²-grandson of *Andrew Seloover* (Slover), private, N. Y. Troops.

CHARLES HENRY SMITH, Pittsburgh, Pa. (59138).

Great²-grandson of Samuel Linton, private and QM,
S. C. Troops.

GEORGE ALVIN EDSON SMITH, Omaha, Nebr. (58014). Great⁴-grandson of Samuel Cutts, on Com. of Safety. N. H.

RALPH HOWARD SMITH, Cheyenne, Wyo. (53149).

Great²-grandson of *Benjamin Lewis*, private, Mass.

Troops.

RAY CALVERT SMITH, New London, Conn. (58766).

Great²-grandson of Amos Avery, Lieutenant, Conn. Line.

ROE THAYER SOULE, Rochester, N. Y. (59223).

Great²-grandson of *Daniel Roe*, Captain, N. Y. Line. GEORGE CLELAND SPENCE, JR., Atlanta, Ga. (58665). Great⁴-grandson of *Mark Thornton*, private, Ga. Troops

HUGH FREDERICK STEGALL, SR., E. Milton, Mass. (Ga. 58666). Great³-grandson of Edward Jackson, private. S. C. Militia.

DONALD WILLIAM STEWART, Havana, Cuba (N. Y. 59202). Great²-grandson of *William Stewart*, Lieutenant, Penna. Militia.

RICHARD ALLYN STIRLING, New Haven, Conn. (58770). Great⁸-grandson of *Job Greene*, Lieutenant, R. I. Troops,

WILLIAM REIHL STONER, JR., Harrisburg, Pa. (59102). Great²-grandson of Richard Knight, Drummer, Penna Troops

CLARKE BLAKEMAN STOWE, JR., Stratford, Conn. (58765). Great³-grandson of *Abraham Thompson*, private, Conn. Troops.

WILLIAM CLINTON SULLIVAN, Dallas, Tex. (Va. 58930). Great²-grandson of Daniel Sullivan, private, N. C. Line.

SAMUEL C. TATUM, Greensboro, N. C. (58831).

Great²-grandson of *Haley Tatum*, private, N. C. Line.

CECIL BROWN TAYLOR, Clifton Forge, Va. (Ky.

55948). Great²-grandson of *George Moffett*, Colonel,

Va. Troops.

GOODWIN MARMADUKE TAYLOR, Ronceverte, W.

Va. (Ky. 55949). Son of 55948 supra. IRA THOMAS TAYLOR, Edna, Tex. (58556). Great³-grandson of John Shrode, private, Penna, Troops.

EDWARD JACKSON THOMPSON, Phillipsburg, Pa. (59149). Great²-grandson of *Elijah Chambers*, private, Penna. Associators, and Militia.

ROBERT WILKINS THOMPSON, Dallas, Tex. (58562).

Great³-grandson of Thadeus Beall, Sr., Brig. Major,
Md Militia

GEORGE HENRY TOADVINE, JR., Harrisburg, Pa. (59106). Great³-grandson of *John Chadwick*, Lieuten. ant, Mass. Troops.

ALBIN ALEXANDER TOMLINSON, Richmond, Va. (58934). Great³-grandson of *Elias Brookes*, private, Va. Line.

RICHARD BROGDON TRIMBLE, Houston, Tex. (Ga. 58664). Great²-grandson of *Joseph Trimble*, private, S. C. Militia.

BEN GRAY TUNSTALL, Norfolk, Va. (58932). Greater grandson of William Tunstall, Sr., Lt. Colonel, Va. Troops.

MATT E. USSERY, Laredo, Tex. (58558). Great²-grandson of *Thomas Ussery*, private, N. C. Troops,

LEWIS HENRY UTLEY, Forest Hills, N. Y. (59203).

Great³-grandson of *John Emerson*, private, Mass. and N. H. Troops.

REXFORD WILLIAM VOSS, Jamestown, N. Y. (59219).

Great³-grandson of *Oliver Davis*, *Jr.*, private, Mass.

Troops.

LEWIS LUMBER WADSWORTH, JR., Winchester, Mass. (58617). Great³-grandson of Samuel Kelley, Lieutenant, N. H. Troops.

OLIVER JESSE WARMKESSEL, Fullerton, Pa. (59172).

Great²-grandson of Frederick Warmkessel, private,
Penna Troops.

GEORGE EDWARD WASHBURN, Buffalo, N. Y. (59-204). Great³-grandson of *Eleazer Hamlin*, Captain, Mass. Troops.

CHARLES ROOT WATERMAN, Iowa (55544). Supplementals. Great²-grandson of *Joseph Rounds*, private, Mass. Troops; great²-grandson of *James Mosher*, Corporal, Mass. Troops.

CAROL CASTOR WEBB, Pensacola, Fla. (59034).

Great⁴-grandson of *Ignacius Ogdin*, private, Md. Troops.

EDWARD RANDOLPH WELLES, Alexandria, Va. (58933). Great³-grandson of *Daniel Dewey*, Captain, Conn.

Troops.

HOWARD EUGENE WEST, Greensboro, N. C. (58837).

Great³-grandson of Jesse Warren, Lieutenant, Va. Troops.

WILLIAM HENRY WEST, Harrisburg, Pa. (58894).

Great-grandson of Sampson Marvin, private, Mass.

Troops.

ROGER HADDOCK WHITLOCK, JR., Brazoria, Tex. (O. 59016). Great³-grandson of *John Whitlock*, Lieutenant, N. J. Militia.

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	0	30	0	30	30	0	6
*Alabama	44	2	4	42	0	2	1
Arizona	49	15	5	59	10	0	8
Arkansas	438	37	34	441	3	0	29
California	154	9	12	151	0	3	7
Connecticut	968	71	40	999	31	0	56
Delaware	128	5	1	130	4	0	5
District of Columbia	501	35	34	502	1	0	29
Florida	92	39	2	129	37	0	31
Georgia	195	39	3	231	36	0	38
Hawaii	20	0	6	14	0	6	0
Idaho	78	17	4	91	13	0	5
**Illinois	736	58	250	544	0	192	23
Indiana	201	40	38	203	2	0	20
Iowa	202	10	17	195	0	7	1
Kansas	138	3	12	129	0	9	3
Kentucky	185	4	22	167	0	18	4
Louisiana	134	16	4	146	12	0	12
***Maine	220	6	0	226	6	0	6 27
Maryland	328	31	29	330	2	0	
Massachusetts	941	52	84	909	0	32	45
Michigan	347	51	49	349	2	0	20
Minnesota	193	30	4	219	26		4
***Mississippi	21	22	1	21	21	0	7
Missouri	112	7	3	116	4	0	ó
Montana	28	12	4	36	12	0	14
Nebraska	120	21	9	132	12	0	2
New Hampshire	86	5	4	87	0	12	28
New Jersey	793	56	68	781	0	8	4
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Oklahoma	59	47	17	263	0	4	Ó
Oregon	267	13 162	64	1216	98	0	154
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Rhode Island	350	53	5	113	48	0	26
South Carolina	65	3	2	27	1	Ö	2
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Tennessee	179	22	19	182	3	0	13
Texas	179	9	18	170	0	9	7
Utah	90	3	7	86	0	4	3
Vermont	397	42	30	409	12	0	37
Virginia	79	2	4	77	0	2	1
Washington	119	9	3	125	6	0	0
West Virginia	64	10	3	71	7	0	8
Wisconsin	48	9	20	37	0	11	5
Wyoming	40					-	-
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