My Country— Declaration of Allegiance

I BELIEVE

in my beloved land, America, and in her providential mission to preserve the gift of freedom for all the world.

I CONFESS

myself a disciple of a courageous Christianity, willing to express itself as a patriotic loyalty to the flag whenever that flag moves forward into perilous places in behalf of freedom.

I ESPOUSE

peace as the ultimate law of God's Kingdom on earth, and if war is necessary, I tolerate it and wage it only as the method, the grim and bitter method, for the discipline of the predatory members of the human family whose hearts are not yet ready for peace.

I AM READY

to make my sacrifice, even life itself, if that is necessary, to defend freedom's flag and to guarantee the rights of freedom to my own people and to all the peoples of the world.

I OFFER

my sincere support to the President and Congress, whoever they may be, in all they may determine for us in these days of national perplexity; believing that whatever differences of opinion may exist before our representatives speak should be swallowed up in a splendid tide of cooperating loyalty the instant that the authoritative voice of the nation has uttered its commands.

I WOULD BE WORTHY

of the youth of my country who are ready to offer themselves to their country's need and whose princely sacrifice shames any small thinking or selfish living on the part of any person for whom they are ready to die.

I LIFT MY PRAYER

to the Father of all souls that He will save His frail children's hearts from hate, error, injustice and cruelty, but also from cowardice and gross self-seeking and lead us, whatever betide of storm or calm, until finally we shall come in God's own time to a heaven of God's own choosing.

-From the notes of the Very Reverend Chester B. Emerson, D.D., Dean, Trinity Cathedral, Cleveland, Ohio, in an address June 12, 1942.



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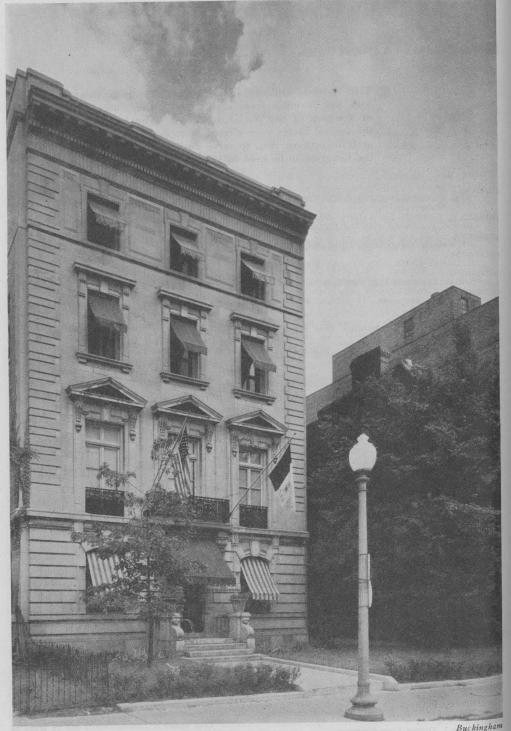
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ANY MAN shall be eligible to membership in the Society who, being of the age of eighteen years or over and a citizen of good repute in the community, is the lineal descendant of an ancestor who was at all times unfailing in loyalty to, and rendered active service in, the cause of American Independence, either as an officer, soldier, seaman, marine, militiaman or minute man, in the armed forces of the Continental Congress or of any one of the several Colonies or States, or as a Signer of the Declaration of Independence, or as a member of a Committee of Safety or Correspondence, or as a member of any Continental, Provincial, or Colonial Congress or Legislature, or as a recognized patriot who performed actual service by overt acts of resistance to the authority of Great Britain.

Application for membership is made on standard blanks furnished by the State Societies. These blanks call for the place and date of birth and of death of the Revolutionary ancestor and the year of birth, of marriage, and of death of ancestors in intervening generations. Membership is based on one original claim; additional claims are filed on supplemental papers. The application and supplementals are made in duplicate.

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Message of President-General:

My DEAR COMPATRIOTS:

My first three months as your President-General have been most pleasant and

enlightening. Your letters have been very encouraging.

The response you have shown to the program we have outlined has been marvelous, and that is a model of understatement. You have all shown yourselves to be "real guardians of constitutional government and genuine trustees of freedom." As compatriots, that was to be expected. But when you were asked to do something more, to add to your already busy life, we found that you can be depended upon to go the whole way. WORK WITH FBI

We are all proud of the prompt replies to our major war project—aid to the FBI.

The letters and certificates were mailed out on July 11th, and on August 11th thirtythree (33) States had been heard from, and so many Chapters have reported that some States, notably New Jersey and Connecticut, were too small on the map to house all the stars they were entitled to. (Some states have plenty of room left for stars.) What a vital force for good these carefully selected compatriots (already 1100 strong) can be in their communities. When our organization is completed in every State, it will serve as a notice to the Quislings and the Kuhns that treason will not go unpunished, and that disloyalty dare not rear its vicious head.

OTHER WAR WORK

Your attention is invited to the other war work ably outlined by Judge Multer of New Jersey, Chairman of the Committee on War and Defense. And closely allied to the war work is the timely message of Mr. Pouch of New York, Chairman, in his directive on Constitution Day observance. He suggests that this year we devote ourselves to a defense of our Constitution from the Axis forces who are trying to destroy it rather than to stress the efforts to stretch it, or destroy it at home.

ORGANIZATION

Mr. Hall of Michigan, Chairman of the Committee on Organization, and his Committee, have been "burning the midnight oil" in setting up a plan to increase our membership. His committee is doing a splendid job. We believe substantial progress will be made this year. Getting members interested in the work of our Society is not hard. The difficult part is getting someone with the time and ability to help prepare the applications. Why not call upon your friends in the D. A. R. to help us do this? Also to help establish a new Chapter in each State. This Committee is not only interested in "defending" the members we now have but is starting an "offensive" campaign to get 3,000 new members. These are badly needed (especially younger men) if we are to do our full part in our war effort and aid the FBI.

MAGAZINE

Mr. Oliver of Missouri, Chairman, and his Committee, is studying a plan to revitalize our magazine. This work is important, and should have the attention of all of us. Through the generosity and courtesy of Mrs. William H. Pouch, President-General of the D. A. R., and Mrs. C. A. Swann Sinclair, Chairman of the National Historical Magazine, arrangements have been completed to exchange pages in our respective magazines. This is a step forward to a closer working arrangement between our Societies and it is hoped that we may be mutually helpful. Take time to read Mr. Oliver's message in another part of this issue. And then write him your suggestions.

Do not hesitate to write me about anything affecting our Society. I want your criticisms and suggestions. If I cannot take care of them myself, they will be referred to the proper department.

With the coming of Fall, when we are back from our vacations (we probably haven't taken), let us all work together to make our Society a real force and one which will place us where we belong as the leading patriotic Society of our land.

Lincoln, Nebraska, August 22, 1942.

STERLING F. MUTZ. President-General.

Reception for President General Mutz

A large reception was held at the home of strong, State Regent of the D. A. R.; Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Agee, Lincoln, Nebraska, on Sunday afternoon, June 28, 1942, in honor of Sterling F. Mutz, President General. Members of the Lincoln and Omaha Chapters of the S. A. R. and the Governor, Judges of the Supreme, District and Federal Courts, as well as the State Regent and Chapter Regents of the D. A. R. were invited. A continuous line of guests greeted the President General and his wife until late in the afternoon.

In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. John H. Agee, (Past President of Lincoln Chapter); Mr. and Mrs. Ralph S. Moseley, President of Lincoln Chapter; and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meginnis, President of the State University of Nebraska; Mrs. Robert Arm- and Mrs. Agee.

Merle Hale, Regent of the Deborah Avery Chapter of the D. A. R.; Miss Anna Evans, Regent of the St. Ledger Cowley Chapter of the D. A. R.; and Mrs. Wesley Dirks of Auburn, founder and Past Regent of the Ann Froissart Chapter of the D. A. R. and her husband, Mr. Wesley Dirks, and many from out of the city. Governor Dwight Griswold was out of the State attending the Governor's conference but sent his private secretary, Hon. Robert Armstrong of Auburn.

An orchestra furnished music throughout the afternoon, refreshments were served and the guests were given an opportunity to inspect Society. Among the guests attending were a large collection of beautiful and interesting Chancellor and Mrs. C. S. Boucher of the antiques accumulated over many years by Mr.

At last we have an Official Flag Code!

By PASSAGE of a Joint Resolution, H. J. 303, approved on June 22nd, 1942, we now have what has been advocated by all Patriotic Organizations for years.

This codifies and emphasizes existing rules and customs pertaining to the display and use of the Flag of the United States of America.

An important item in this code is a list of the days on which the Flag should be displayed.

ANOTHER IS the Official Pledge to the Flag together with definite instructions as to the proper method of Salute.

War Work With F. B. I.

Message to Officers:

Orchids to all Presidents and Secretaries of State Societies and Chapters for their quick response to our War project—to aid the F. B. I.! When the certified lists of Minute Men came in from 33 states in the first thirty days after the letter and request was mailed, listing over 1100 of our members to respond—when needed by the F. B. I., we felt a certain pride and exultation in the patriotism and loyalty of our members. You have shown yourselves to be real patriots!

Message to Minute Men:

To you, who have been chosen as among the most substantial citizens of your Community, trusted with the safety and destiny of our people at home, we express the hope that you may perform your task as your forbears would have you do. We must not be "witchhunters" or publicity-seekers, or the instrument to harm any innocent man. We should be the first to defend the right to a fair trial within constitutional limits for all who are accused of political offenses. We will be vigilant, however, to see that the guilty shall not go unpunished.

These are trying times. We must be alert. We will all watch for evidence of disloyalty and not shrink from our duty to report it to the nearest field offices of the F. B. I. A mere suspicion promptly reported may furnish the evidence by which the F. B. I. may save the lives of our people.

You are not required to conduct independent investigations and *should not do so*. This is a job for the trained men of the F. B. I. If matters are peculiarly within your field you

will be consulted by the proper officer of the F. B. I.

Above all, you should discourage loose talk about certain people suspected of disloyalty and give no publicity to your suspicion. Public accusation is sometimes tragic to the accused, who may be entirely innocent. Remember, our work is strictly confidential. Wait until you are called upon by the Field officer of the F. B. I. He will tell you what to do and where to direct your attention. If you can help him, do so. If not, he will be the first to respect your desire and relieve you of any responsibility.

Message to Officers Not Reporting:

As this is written (August 22nd), 15 states are not represented and have not certified any Corps of Minute Men. Some Chapters in the 33 states already reporting have not sent in their certified lists. It is important that we have 100% of our chapters and state societies if we expect to cover the field. By doing so we serve notice upon the Quislings that the temperature is too great for their comfort in the communities where members of the S. A. R. are cooperating with the F. B. I.

Two Chapters declined at first to send in their list of certified Minute Men on the ground that they were already cooperating with the F. B. I. in their localities. This is excellent, but we need your Corps of Minute Men in every corner of our land so that the F. B. I. at a distance may write you for information whenever the occasion may arise.

STERLING F. MUTZ,
President General.

OUR National Anthem was 128 years old on September 14th, 1942.

Salute your Navy on Navy Day, October 27th!

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Our National Headquarters

Just fifteen years ago the first of October the Headquarters of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution was occupied and began to function from its own building and it is for that reason that in this issue of our S. A. R. MAGAZINE we publish another picture of the dignified and spacious building where the active work of the Society is being conducted.

Since the opening of the Headquarters in Washington at this site, probably more than ten thousand new members have been admitted to our membership. Many of these have visited the building on brief excursions to the National Capital and expressed their appreciation of its

beauty and value to the National Society.

It is not the purpose of this item to tell of the fine achievement and splendid efforts of those men who fifteen years ago and for the few years following undertook to raise the \$145,000,00 which was the cost of this building and its contents, for it was quite completely and very handsomely furnished. That story has been given our readers more than once. There was also the later accomplishment previously reported of the re-financing of the indebtedness until now there is no mortgage or incumbrance—only \$18,000.00 remaining in certificates of indebtedness to our own members, to which reduction has been made from the original \$145,000.00. This is indeed a wonderful accomplishment.

It would be another wonderful achievement if during this coming year many of our more recently enrolled compatriots who have never had the opportunity to contribute to the Headquarters fund, would combine to clear this remaining, comparatively small indebtedness, and that there might be a sufficient number of such contributors to create sufficient additional funds

for endowment.

As is known, there is a beautiful bronze tablet on the wall of the entrance hall of the Headquarters giving the names of those men who in the beginning and since have contributed \$500.00 each as Donors. At the time of such donations and of any smaller amounts the Revenue Department permitted all such contributions to be deducted from income tax returns and it is believed this ruling is still in effect.

If there are compatriots who are interested in this final effort to free our splendid building from all indebtedness, all that is necessary is to write to National Headquarters for further information desired.—Ed.

Moving the Historic Trees

Our frontispiece will show the lovely historic elm tree which was a gift about fourteen years ago of Mrs. James H. Dorsey of Baltimore, who had nurtured it from a small sprout and presented it to the Society when the National Congress met in Washington in 1928.

This tree, as many of our compatriots know, is an authenticated descendant of the famous Washington Elm at Cambridge, under which General Washington took command of his army. Mrs. Dorsey's father grew some healthy young sprouts from the original Elm. and subsequently his daughter did the same with a third generation, of which our S. A. R. tree is one-hence it is a "Grandchild" of the original Washington Elm.

The necessity of removing this tree about eighteen months ago from its original planting to the present position was occasioned by the

construction of the underpass directly in front of our Headquarters building, of which much has been said. Some twenty feet in front of our building was appropriated by the District Government for this construction, and included the site of the tree. The possible destruction of this historic relic caused your Headquarters staff much concern.

Knowing the removal of trees would be the first step in the construction operations, your Secretary General visited the D. C. Commissioners and requested that the City undertake the removal of this tree and the smaller oak tree on our property, also a gift, which originally came from Mount Vernon. Deaf ears greeted all arguments at first, but finally on the plea that these were historical trees and should be properly cared for and respected, and that if no precedent existed for such action, such precedent should be established, he was finally asked to submit his request in writing and the powers that be "would see." This was done, a map drawn and submitted, and about two days later, workmen actually appeared and began taking proper steps to remove the trees to a safety zone!

The removal process was interesting and no slight task, especially in the case of the larger tree—the historic Elm. It took the tree experts fully three days to accomplish the task. as the roots had grown around the water and gas mains and other ground conduits, and it was really quite a job, and would have been a very expensive one for the S. A. R., amounting to some \$300 or more probably. An enormous hole was dug, and a huge crane and windlass required to remove it to the new position.

The removal of the smaller tree, the Mount Vernon oak, presented by the District of Columbia Society some ten years ago, was not a complicated task and was effected in short order. Accompanying this tree is a strong box planted at the time, containing documents deposited by the D. C. Society for future interest and with appropriate descriptive plate.

Our "grandchild" Elm has been watched and cared for devotedly for all the years since it came to us, and is a healthy beautifully symmetrical tree, as can be seen by the picture. It is designed to give pleasure and create interest to thousands for years to come. There is a small bronze plate embedded in the soil near it, which describes its origin and credits the donor, Mrs. Dorsey. Many passers by stop to read the inscriptions on the plates before each tree.-Ed.

As You Like It

you like it as it is?

If it pleases you tell us what part or feature is most acceptable to you. We want to know so that we may stress it. If you think it should be changed with reference to contents. form, size or cover, tell us so and tell us why. There have been so few complaints and so few commendations reach us that we wonder what you get out of it, and we would like to

Do you read it? Do you read all of it? Do you read it regularly? Does your family read it? Do you think it is well edited?

We believe that every member of this Society is a gentleman, and that such criticisms as we receive will be written by gentlemen. Be as definite and direct, however, as you like.

This is your magazine. It is produced and If you can help us get out a better magazine printed for your benefit. You pay for it. Do for the same amount of money apportioned to it in the budget, you will have helped the Society.

> Please understand. Compatriots, that we cannot accept every suggestion. We will study them, sift them, sort them, and insofar as possible adopt all that are within our power and limitations.

> Some think this magazine of yours is a good magazine and serves several useful purposes: we know others who believe it can and should be improved. Will you give us the privilege of letting us know what you think about it?

> Please address all replies to Secretary General Frank B. Steele, 1227 16th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

> > ALLEN L. OLIVER. For the Committee.

Of Course You Know— Or Do You?

. . . . That SERVICE MEN are not required to pay National S. A. R. dues, while in the Virginia, a member of the Tennessee Society service if same are remitted by their state is active in war work. Place: military secret societies.

. . . . That General John J. Pershing, one of our distinguished members, passed his 82nd birthday on September 13th.

. . . That S. A. R. Headquarters in Washington cost us \$145,000, and is almost paid for.

. . . . That our equipment and Library is valued at more than \$10,000 and is all paid for.

... That former President Herbert Hoover, of California, a well known member of the S. A. R. and formerly on the National Executive Committee in President General Kendall's term, is devoting most of his time to public service without pay.

. . . . That we carry insurance against War damage on our property in Washington.

. . . . That we want to get 3000 new members this year so we can do our full part in our war work (and otherwise).

. . . That S. A. R. now has over 1100 Minute Men in 33 States cooperating with the

. . . That there is a job waiting you for that extra spare moment in our aid in winning the war program.

. . . . That Past President General G. Ridgley Sappington of Maryland is Chairman of the Department of Restoration, composed of all Past Presidents General whose responsibility is to study and aid in the post war restoration of constitutional guaranties which have, of necessity, been suspended during the past years.

. . . . That Admiral Richard E. Byrd of

. . . . That there are 206 cities with populations from 20,000 to 800,000 where we have no chapter.

... That S. A. R. is older than the D. A. R., yet the latter has about ten members to our one.

. . . . That the average age of our members is too high. We must have younger men. Ask any life insurance man.

. . That General Charles P. Summerall of S. C. is reflecting great credit upon the S. A. R. of which he is a member.

. . . That our President General has asked each member to secure at least one new member this year.

. . . . That each Chapter is asked to appoint and train one or more genealogists to do the mechanical work of filling out applications. If you do not have one, call upon the D. A. R.; they are always prepared.

. . . That our Society is nonpartisan but will aid either party or both, to preserve constitutional government.

. . . . That we have many distinguished members from both political parties, such as:

Senator Carter Glass, (D) of Virginia. Senator Tom Connally, (D) of Texas. Senator Arthur W. Vandenberg, (R) Michigan. Senator Styles Bridges, (R) New Hampshire.

. . . . That 29 prizes are offered for securing members. And those who secure three of more will be recognized on the Honor Roll II our Magazine.

Congress passed a special act Chartering our Society which had been organized in 1889.

... That Nevada is the only State that Chapters in securing new members. has no State Society or Chapter-Something should be done about this! Nevadans take notice!

... That aiding the war is our primary objective this year-but we are not neglecting our other activities.

.... That four former Presidents of the United States from Ohio were members of the S. A. R.: Rutherford B. Hayes, William Mc-Kinley, William Howard Taft and Warren G. Harding.

.... Former President Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts was a member of the S. A. R. and when a young man in college received an S. A. R. award for an historical essay.

... Also former Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes of New York, a very prominent member of S. A. R. It must be worth

... That former President Theodore Roose- while! Also former Vice President of the velt was a member of S. A. R. in 1906 when United States Charles G. Dawes of Illinois.

> . . . That the National Society S. A. R. has set up a plan to aid State Societies and Local

> That National per capita tax is only \$1.00 per year, after State dues are paid.

> That leading compatriots in each chapter are the ones who secure new members, and do the most important part of our work. Are you one?

> That a 1942 S. A. R. Booklet is being compiled. It will be printed by Vice President General Benjamin H. Powell of Texas with his compliments. This should be a worthwhile contribution to the success of our Society.

> That items of general interest to our Society are welcome and should be mailed to S. A. R. Columnist, 1227 16th St. N. W., Washington, D. C.

> > Your S. A. R. Columnist.

Each Grandfather Please Do His Duty

We are receiving letters daily from grandfathers with reference to enrolling their grandchildren in that splendid organization the Children of the American Revolution.

It is well worth while and surely you know that when the boy or girl reaches the age of eighteen he and she can enter the parent societies of the Sons and the Daughters of the

American Revolution without payment of the initiation fees.

All that is necessary is to write to the undersigned Chairman of the Grandfathers' Committee of the C. A. R. as below and details will be sent as to procedure.

Enroll them now!

FRANK B. STEELE, Chairman, 1227 16th St. N. W., Washington, D. C.

Are you keeping up your quota of War Bonds and Stamps?

The Old Round Tower at Fort Snelling

Nearly two centuries elapsed after the rugged, liberty-seeking, God-fearing Pilgrims established themselves at Plymouth, in Massachusetts, and sturdy Dutch and adventuring English planted colonies at New Amsterdam and in tidewater Virginia, but still the vast territory inland toward the setting sun continued almost wholly unknown to white men.

Wealthy cities rose along the Atlantic seaboard, immense plantations and fertile farms claimed ever-widening areas of rich land and fast Yankee clippers brought the treasures of India and China to our shores. The east was growing old in civilization and in magnificent accomplishments while the great empire that is Minnesota remained an uncharted and haunted wilderness to which few white men had penetrated, and in which none of them had lingered to dispute possession with the aboriginal Red man.

Through towering forests of pine and spruce and giant oak primitive, painted Indians, with prized eagle feathers adorning their coarse black hair, pursued the graceful deer, the antlered moose and elk or took toll, as their fathers had for a thousand generations, of the great herds of lumbering buffalo which fattened upon the boundless prairie. Majestically, and in silence, the long and graceful canoes of the northern Chippewas or the fierce and warlike Sioux glided over the rushing waters of the mighty Mississippi or sought the placid highway of the gentle St. Peter, all undisturbed by thought of white intruders upon the ancient hunting grounds and the thousands of lakes and rivers which had known only the Red man for untold centuries.

As the east took on more refinements the impatient, hardy pioneer shouldered his trusty flintlock and turned his face toward new frontiers and the adventures which lay beyond the confines of civilization. When settlers again closed in upon him, he pushed farther west and thus the early years of the nineteenth century brought an abrupt end to the isolation which had surrounded and protected the Indians of the northwest territory. The restless and inquisitive white man began in earnest a conquest destined to transform the land from primeval forest and rolling prairie into prosperous farms and spreading cities.

On July 30th, 1805, President Thomas Jefferson instructed Lieutenant Zebulon M. Pike of the Third United States Infantry * "You will be pleased to obtain permission from the Indians who claim the ground, for the erection of military posts and trading-houses at the mouth of the River St. Peter (the Minnesota River), the Falls of St. Anthony, and every other critical point which may fall under your observation-'

Lieutenant Pike, with a few soldiers, left the post at St. Louis and, in a keel boat ascended the Mississippi as directed by the President. Upon arriving at the junction of the Minnesota River with the Father of Waters, Pike determined to locate a fort at that strategic point. By treaty with the Indians he obtained the desired territory, but the fort was not erected until several years later.

Toward the end of the summer of 1819 the Fifth Infantry, with Lieutenant Colonel Henry Leavenworth in command, was ordered to proceed to the location and erect a fort upon the site acquired by Pike. Sickness among the soldiers and the coming of a severe winter delayed the enterprise for months.

In August of 1820 Colonel Josiah Snelling superseded Colonel Leavenworth in command of the Fifth Infantry and immediately undertook the erection of the post, which he named Fort St. Anthony, on the high bluff overlooking the junction of the two rivers. The necessary timber was cut by the soldiers and the work of construction carried out entirely by the men of the command. The soldiers received additional pay of fifteen cents a day for performing this labor in conjunction with their regular military duties.

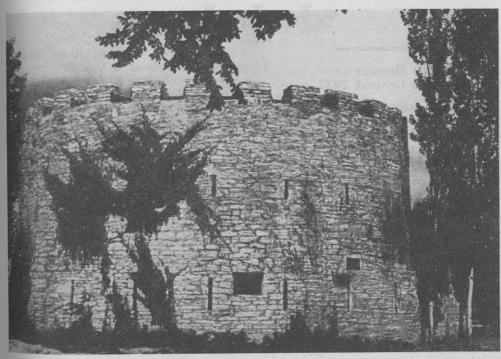
Colonel Snelling was an energetic and aggressive officer, a very capable New Englander born in Boston in 1782. He fought with distinction in the War of 1812 and at the close of that conflict remained in the service as Lieutenant Colonel of the Sixth Infantry. While many a soldier has given generously to the service of our country, a comparative few have been honored as was Colonel Snelling. In the early summer of 1824 General Winfield Scott made an inspection of the post which the Colonel and his men had erected and was so impressed with the accomplishment that he recommended to the War Department that the name be changed from Fort St. Anthony to

Fort Snelling. The recommendation received Great White Father disappeared decades ago. War Department approval and the change was effected through general orders.

of a high fence which surrounded the important buildings and the parade ground. At the angles of the fence additional protection was provided through the erection of stone towers, twenty feet high, which commanded the approaches by land and afforded unobstructed view of the rivers. Numerous rifle slits in the thick granite walls of the towers allowed excellent opportunity to concentrate fire upon an enemy while the garrison remained adequately protected. The high fence and all of the original buildings, except two of the towers, have long since disappeared. The Old Round Tower, located at the western angle,

Winding trails among towering forest trees and beside the great waters have given place to As originally constructed the fort consisted the wide streets and shaded avenues of important cities but the Old Round Tower continues to serve the people of Minnesota and the nation while mysterious night winds whisper in its granite battlements as they have for a century and a quarter.

Not a few events of major historical importance have taken place in the shadow of the Old Round Tower and the roster of distinguished soldiers who have served at historic Fort Snelling is a long one. Some years ago Compatriot Major General Campbell B. Hodges came to the post as commanding general and found the old tower occupied as a dwelling. He immediately realized the inap-



Old Round Tower

survived the destruction and has been in constant service since its completion.

Long years have run an interesting and eventful course since the Old Round Tower first stood sentinel on the high bluff overlooking the Minnesota and the Mississippi. The barbaric splendor, which its early years witnessed, of haughty Sioux and Chippewa, in

propriateness of the use to which it was being put and conceived the idea of converting it into an historical museum.

When necessary War Department approval of the project was received he, with Compatriot Colonel John R. Holt and other officers stationed at the post, organized a committee to assist in the enterprise. Members of the Sons hideous paint and ceremonial war bonnets, of the American Revolution, Daughters of the coming to meet with the representative of the American Revolution, the American Legion

^{*} HISTORIC FORT SNELLING by Major John R. Holl

and American Legion Auxiliary and other patriotic organizations of Minneapolis and St. Paul were recruited. No funds were available from the War Department to recondition the building but various societies and interested individual provided the amount required. The exterior and interior have been restored as originally constructed, adequate lighting fixtures installed and cases provided for displaying historical objects. A magnificent mural painting, depicting the settlement and early history of Minnesota, covers the entire upper portion of the interior and many valuable articles are now on display. Set into the wall opposite the entrance is the gravestone which marked the resting place of baby Elizabeth R.

Snelling in the post cemetery. A casket in rear of the gravestone contains her remains, "The first white child born in Minnesota—September 1820-October 1821."

Most ancient building in Minnesota, the Old Round Tower is visited by thousands of boys from this state and the surrounding area who come to historic Fort Snelling to receive their initial army training. School children and older citizens with visitors from many states and foreign countries find inspiration and delight in contemplating the record of the achievements of the years that are gone. The Old Round Tower still serves.

ALBERT H. P. HOUSER, Minneapolis Chapter No. 1.

Harry Frank Brewer Vice President General 1937

News of the passing of this loyal and devoted Compatriot came as a great shock to his many friends in the Society and the sympathy of all is extended to his lovely wife and family, the former especially being also well known among the members as she had frequently accompanied Mr. Brewer to the National Congresses of the Society.

Since 1910, when he became a member. Mr. Brewer has continuously held Chapter, State or National office, as Secretary and President of two local New Jersey Chapters, President of the New Jersey State Society and a member of the Executive Committee under two administrations, and Vice President General in 1937 and 1938. For sixteen years consecutively he was Chairman of the National Society's Committee on Americanization and in that capacity did yeoman work in this field throughout the Society, devoting much time and personal labor in his own community in the advancement of citizenship programs in the schools and among the newly naturalized citizens in northern New Jersey, conducting night school classes and other valuable services in constructive citizenship and writing and speaking forcefully to arouse his compatriots throughout the Society to the need of personal effort in these lines.

Mr. Brewer was born in Portland, Maine, and his family moved to New Jersey in his early youth, where he has lived since. He joined the Society on the services of Daniel Brewer of Maine and filed supplemental claims on James Frank of Maine, Nathaniel Litchfield of Massachusetts and John Soul of Maine.

His splendid devotion and practical services to the Society and to his country and fellow citizens will keep his memory within the minds and hearts of his fellow compatriots long beyond the ordinary span, and his example as an exponent of true S. A. R. service by a patriotic American citizen should be emulated by each and every Compatriot.

The National Society was represented at his services by State President Smith M. Multer, of the National Executive Committee and by others, and by a floral tribute.

Mr. Joel A. Piper

National Trustee for Nebraska, passed away at his home in Lincoln, Nebraska, on July 22, 1942, at the age of 91 years. For sixteen consecutive years he attended the National Congress of our Society and was Secretary of the Nebraska Society during the same years. He was known all over the country among those who attended the Congresses and was always zealous and faithful to his Society. He will be missed but his good works will live on for many years.

Department of Organization

To all Compatriots:

Your Department of Organization sincerely appreciates the encouraging results attained by the unselfish efforts of hundreds of State and Chapter Officers, Managers and Compatriots who are already assisting with so much energy and enthusiasm in the membership work.

We are just starting. Every delinquent should be urged to return as an active member. Every prospect should be energetically followed up. The time to work is "Now."

Many coupons from the July issue of the magazine have been sent in. Won't every member sit down now and send in at least one name of an eligible prospect. Surely there is at least one eligible under your own line who is not now a member but should be asked to join. A penny post card will do. Some have already sent in lists of over fifty.

Your committee wants to know what you want this Society to be, what work we should be doing for our country and for posterity.

The badge of this Society is and should be the sign of a "WORKING PATRIOT." Wear it proudly and make it a point to request every compatriot to proudly display the "Rosette" so as to proclaim to all that: Here is a man jealous of his citizenship, proud of his ancestry, as evidence of his present willingness to uphold and practice the aims and ideals of American citizenship, even to die for them.

It is perhaps more difficult for those not in service to "work" aggressively, because of lack of direction for their efforts.

One thing we can do, beside buying stamps and bonds, and cheerfully, if not graciously, paying taxes to protect our Constitutional and God-given rights, is to help build up the S. A. R. into an aggressive, hard hitting, persistent champion of freedom and right.

Every member, new or reinstated, is a brick in the shield against Tyranny. Lets build that shield now—brick by brick—until our Society attains its rightful place among the Militia of Patriots which has always stood fast for right and freedom in the world.

The working outline of our program is now in the hands of your officers. Help them carry on the work. If we all pitch in and do even a part of what we can do, if we really try, this will be the best year our Society has ever had.

Help your committee, call on us for assistance or suggestions, tell us how we may do a better job.* Send in the Coupon—"Get a Member Now."

Cordially yours,
Department of Organization, S. A. R.

By WALLACE C. HALL, Chairman.

The Quota Assignments

Notice To All Compatriots:

The President General and the National Executive Committee have, after a careful deliberation, come to the conclusion that this Society should make a definite and untiring effort during the current fiscal year to increase our membership by at least 20%, either through reinstatements of dropped members or the addition of new members.

At first glance this may impress all of us as a stupendous task, but by prorating this increase throughout the membership by States it is perfectly feasible.

The Quota assignment for the various states is determined as near as possible on a 20% basis, establishing, however, a minimum of 20 reinstatements and new members for every State regardless of its present membership.

As near as can be estimated fully one half of your Quota should be obtained by the reinstatement of dropped members. The other one half can be obtained from known eligibles by constant work of the individuals in each State Society and Chapter.

The Organization Committee desires to cooperate to the fullest extent in assisting you in this program. Request has already gone forward to your State and Chapter Officers for lists of your delinquent members and certified eligibles. As soon as these lists are received a letter of invitation to reinstate will be sent by the President General to each delinquent, and the local committee should make it a point to call upon them individually and urge them to once again take an active part in this Organization. Likewise, as soon

^{*} See coupons on pp. 104 and 124.

as your list of certified eligibles is received an a prospect and help him to put his membership invitation will go to each eligible through your officers urging him to take his place as an active member of this Society and to take a constructive part in the program which is being

Our Society has become somewhat neglectful of individual effort in connection with the delinquents and in extending an invitation to those who are eligible. The majority of them need some urging and a little salesmanship. It should not be too much of a task for each man in this Organization to devote a small portion of his time in the furtherance of the interests of this Society.

We know that every member of this Society is proud of his membership and that many eligibles need only a little effort to bring them into the fold. Most of them do need some assistance in proving their eligibility. Your Genealogical Committee, under the direction of the Genealogist General, and your Organization Committee stand ready to give every assistance possible. To that end preliminary application blanks are being printed and will be forwarded to the State Secretaries in the very near future for distribution to those who are working with applicants. These forms will assist materially in building up the proof

To attain this year's quota the Department of Organization requests every member to definitely budget one Hour per week during the remainder of the fiscal year to be devoted to membership work. Use this hour to call upon a delinquent to invite him to reinstate, or upon application in final form.

We believe every man in this Organization will willingly devote one hour a week to this good cause and by the law of averages that one hour per week, whether you are on a Commit. tee or not, will make the attainment of our quota for the fiscal year a practicable thing

Will you devote at least 60 minutes per week for the good of your Society. We are sure you will. Such a concentrated effort will make the following quota lists merely a minimum.

Cordially yours,

DEPARTMENT OF ORGANIZATION,

By WALLACE C. HALL, Chairman.

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For Period from June 1, 1942, to June 1, 1943

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HON. STERLING F. MUTZ, President General, S. A. R., c/o Dept. of Organization, 2950 Penobscot Building, Detroit, Michigan.

MY DEAR PRESIDENT GENERAL:

I want to do my part in the membership work this year.

I hereby PLEDGE ONE (1) HOUR of my time PER WEEK from now until April 1, 1943 to

I will use this time to call dropped members and urge them to reinstate, and call on at least one probable prospect each week, offering to help him prove his qualifications, and inviting him to apply for membership.

Yours in action,

Member Chapter Society

An Orderly Book of Great Historical Value

Sons of the American Revolution, there has been deposited for more than ten years, a most interesting and valuable little book written in excellent penmanship and telling in official words the story of the Siege of Yorktown, the Order of the Day following the surrender of Cornwallis, October 20th, 1781, and the thanks of the Commander in Chief, George Washington, to his Christian Majesty the King of France, and to all others that participated in the Siege and Surrender of Vorktown.

This little Order Book—so called—was kept by Lieutenant Nason of the Quartermaster's Staff and from all indications many of the orders contained therein were either dictated by General Washington or given by him to Lieutenant Nason.

The first half of the book is devoted to a record of the distribution of clothing and provisions for the Regiment commanded by Colonel Vose of the Massachusetts Light Infantry; then on September 27th, 1782, at Williamsburg. Va., there begins a written set of orders that in effect set forth the orders of the day for the Army before Yorktown and up to the siege and surrender.

The names of many famous Revolutionary Generals are mentioned in these orders-Marquis de Lafayette, Von Steuben, Muhlenberg, Anthony Wayne and others. It tells of the assignment to the command of the Trenches in and around Yorktown of these Generals of Court Martials and the health of

The most interesting and thrilling of these orders is the one issued by the Commander in Chief of the Army-Washington-on October 20th, the day after the Surrender of Cornwallis, in which the General "Congratulates the Army upon the glorious event of yesterday. The generous proofs which his most Christian Majesty—(the King of France) has given to his attachments to the cause of America must form convictions upon the minds mission was readily granted and it is a satisof the enemy, relative to the decisive good faction to feel that this rare manuscript has consequences of the alliance and influence been thus preserved.—FBS.

In the Headquarters of the National Society, many citizens of these sentiments and unalterable gratitude."

> Then the order of the Commander in Chief goes on to thank the several French generals-Rochambeau, Lafayette and Admiral de Grasse -for their assistance and cooperation and requested that his gratitude be extended to the troops under their commands.

> This most valuable and interesting little book was presented to the National Society of the S. A. R. by Probate Judge Harry B. Ayer, of the Maine Society, some years ago as a loan and to be kept in the archives of the S. A. R. in Washington as such loan until and if eventually called for by the donor. It was understood that this book together with two others of historic value should be returned to the owner or his heirs or administrators whenever called for or demanded. Now, Judge Ayer having passed away a few months since, it has been found that in his will he bequeathed to the Maine Historical Society this valuable book and the others which were loaned with it, and therefore a short time ago upon the request of the administrators of the estate, it was necessary to forward them to their fortunate inheritors.

It is felt that this is a great loss to the Sons of the American Revolution for it would have been a matter of pride to have been able to possess these volumes permanently. They had been carefully preserved in the safe and exhibited to interested Compatriots and visitors on several occasions, as of especially rare historical worth.

Before returning these books to the Maine Historical Society, the Secretary General of the National Society exhibited the order book to the officials of the National Archives in Washington, and they expressed great interest in them and stated they had nothing in their possession of this kind of such value, and requested permission to make microfilm copies of its pages in order that these might be kept for future use, and available to historians and others interested to examine them. This per-

Department of War and Defense

We are publishing the letter and bulletin sent out on August 5, 1942, to all State and ing our War Work as outlined by our President Chapter Presidents and National Officers by Compatriot Smith L. Multer, member of the Executive Committee and Chairman of the Department of War and Defense, National Society, S. A. R. This statement as to our war work has met with a very favorable response throughout our Society and elsewhere. It is to be hoped that every State Society and Chapter will do all they can along the lines therein set forth, which are approved by our President General.—Ed.

In re: War Work

Our President General has well stated that "our primary objective for the duration is to enlist our membership in an all-out effort to win the war". This appeal is at once inspiring and challenging. It is a summons to every member of our patriotic Society in this grave crisis to translate into action the patriotic ideals for which we stand and to prove ourselves worthy of our traditions and our heritage.

To our credit let it be said that our Society has already patriotically responded. The National Society, the State Societies and the Chapters have placed themselves at the service of the nation. Nearly all their members have been and are engaged in some form of armed and civilian defense and activity. Many of them are now wearing the uniform of our country. No words of exhortation are needed along those lines.

But there are some things that can be done by us at home that will be of aid to those who are on the front ready to give their lives and all for our country. We can assist in preventing our boys from being stabbed in the back by espionage, sabotage and other subversive activities. That phase of our war efforts will be under the direct supervision of our President General.

There are, however, other things that can be done by our Chapters that are highly important. To aid you in the work, the President General has appointed a Committee on War and Defense. He has directed the attention of this Committee in the main to two activities-(a) aiding the U. S. O., (b) assistance in the sale of War Bonds and Stamps.

You will find herewith a Bulletin concern-

Very sincerely yours,

SMITH L. MULTER.

Member of Executive Committee and Chairman of Department of War and Defense, National Society, S. A. R.

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Committee.

Bulletin The U.S. O.

The United Service Organization, Inc., as you know, is composed of six service organizations representing the Protestant; Catholic and Jewish faiths and is related to the government through the Federal Security Administrator. It has clubs and units at the camps, embarkation and transportation centers and in defense areas throughout the United States. It is striving to create a home atmosphere where men in the service can come and find a friendly interest, books, games, entertainment, etc. Many, if not all, of our members have subscribed to the funds necessary to carry this work on but we can do much more.

The Chapters, in addition to giving money, can gather books and magazines from their members and send them to an U.S.O. club or unit. Nearly every Compatriot has copies of the best sellers of yesterday as well as of today which he has read and can depart from without much sacrifice. Of course, the boys are fond of detective stories. Here is also an opportunity to send books pertaining to American History. The recent survey of the New York Times tells of the appalling lack of compulsory instruction in the schools and colleges in the history of our country, something our Society has been well aware of but has not been able to bring so fully to the attention of our people. The magazine should be of recent date, not going back over six months. Then, too, there should be written in the book and on the magazine, or else stickers used, showing that the same came "from -Sons of the American Revolution". Do not use S. A. R., but write it out. Perhaps, it can

be arranged with the U.S.O. unit to have an S. A. R. shelf for this literature. Here is one way to build up morale. Certainly nothing can be more conducive to the morale of our boys than for them to know that this great patriotic organization is trying to do something to make life more comfortable for them.

Then, too, the Chapter members can see to it that a copy of the home newspaper is sent to our boys in the service. That is next best to a letter from home, unless it be a letter now and then from ourselves. Plain writing paper and toilet articles can be sent in the bundle. Coat hangers are being given by the D. A. R. We might do the same. These are simply suggestions and are not exclusive. Every U. S. O. club or unit will be glad to cooperate and give you information of their immediate needs.

Every bundle sent is a bundle for morale. When the boys are home, we can be our own U. S. O. Think it over!

SALE OF WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

No words need be written here as to the desirability and patriotic duty of our members in helping to win the war by the purchase of War Bonds and Stamps. What we can do further is to be of assistance to those in charge of the sale of same. In every community where we have a Chapter there are Compatriots who are well qualified to make addresses, whether they be short or long, to aid in the sale of these securities. Each Chapter should furnish such a list to those in charge of

In each State there is a federal agency known as the War Savings Staff. At the head there is an Administrator and under him Deputy

Administrators. They and the Committees under them prepare a list of speakers and secure speaking engagements. Contact one of these and become one of the speakers. There is a growing demand. Not much as yet has been done, but inquiries are now coming in to these agencies for speakers, for service clubs, plants, patriotic gatherings, etc. Here is where our Chapters can be of distinct service. Those of our members who are employers can assist in the sale of Bonds and Stamps on some saving plan or by some other means.

The President of each Chapter should appoint a Committee on War and Defense, if such a Committee does not already exist. Each State Society, as a separate organization, can follow along the above lines.

And in conclusion, kindly permit these additional suggestions in our War and Defense

Each Chapter should be ready to assist in and furnish speakers for any patriotic occasion in the schools, among service clubs, civic organizations, etc.

Display the old flag. Keep it waving. This country is at war.

Secure new members for our Society to help in this work. Here is a new talking point.

Constitution Day, September 17, 1942, is approaching. We are in a deadly struggle to preserve this fundamental law under which we enjoy our freedom and way of life. Every S. A. R. Chapter in this land should observe that day and begin to make preparations for its observance.

May we express the fond hope that this Bulletin will be read at your next meeting.

> Department of War and Defense, Executive Committee,

Are You a Ten Per Center?

Your Historical Calendar is available at any time Thirty Cents (coin preferred). It is more attractive than ever.

Constitution Day, 1942

The following letter was issued by the Chairman of the Constitution Day Committee, Mr. William H. Pouch, to all State and Chapter Presidents together with a suggested program. Governors of States were requested by the President General personally, to issue proclamations for state-wide observances.

As our S. A. R. Magazine was in the hands of the printer on the anniversary of Constitution Day, no comprehensive report can be made at this time, but all indications point to the splendid cooperation of all our members to make this year's observance exceed that of all previous years.

The Chairman's letter follows:

COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION DAY OBSERVANCE WILLIAM H. POUCH, CHAIRMAN 2 PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK

August 10, 1942.

Dear Compatriots:

Constitution day this year has more than usual importance. Our people are being attacked on every hand by the Axis. Whether our form of government survives will depend upon our efforts and the efforts of patriots who join with us in rededicating ourselves to the cause of preserving our Constitution and our way of life.

Will you join us this year on September 17th in holding an "all-out" meeting to celebrate Con-

stitution Day? Why not arrange a public luncheon at the Chamber of Commerce or at some hotel, select a good speaker (get a radio hook-up if possible), have group singing of patriotic music, invite the D. A. R. and other patriotic societies to join with you and let it be known that the S. A. R. and the D. A. R. are providing the leadership to protect our Constitution from the attacks of the Axis Powers. Our keynote should be the preservation of our Republic. We should suspend partisanship and stress the need to get behind the Government and win this war. Our Society established Constitution Day which has become a nationwide observance. It is important that we carry on this tradition.

We ask the President of each State Society to address a letter to your Governor, asking him to issue a proclamation appropriate for this occasion about September 1st. It is our job to see that he does this. Perhaps some of you may assist in framing a message for this purpose and hand it to him for use.

We have asked our President-General to prepare a suggested program for the meeting on Constitution Day, and you will find the same enclosed herewith.

Thanking you in advance for your effective cooperation, I remain

Sincerely yours,

WILLIAM H. POUCH, Chairman of Committee on Constitution Day Observance.

(Among the many outstanding observances of this anniversary the following is typical, report of which we are happy to include as it reached your editor just in the "nick of time!")—Ed.

The Maryland Society celebrated Constitution Day with what was the largest celebration ever arranged by the Society for this occasion.

Compatriot Howard W. Jackson, Mayor of Baltimore, was Chairman of the Constitution Day Committee, and through the cooperation of the Baltimore City public schools, the State schools, the parochial and all the private schools, a radio address went into every classroom in the State.

Through the facilities of Station WFBR, located in Baltimore, and with a state hook-up of local stations located in Cumberland, Hagerstown, Frederick and Salisbury, it was possible to reach into every corner of the State.

The program was of a half hour duration, with an introduction by Mayor Jackson fol-

lowed by a very interesting talk on the Constitution delivered by Compatriot, the Hon. Edwin T. Dickerson, Judge of the Supreme Bench of Baltimore.

A check-up by Mayor Jackson after the celebration showed that over 300,000 school children heard this address.

At noon on Constitution Day the Kiwanis Club in conjunction with Kiwanis Clubs all over the country celebrated Constitution Day, and the speaker on this occasion was Mayor Jackson, the Chairman of the Maryland Society Committee, who at this meeting gave an outstanding talk on the Constitution and how it should be upheld and how the powers therein given to the people should be preserved to the people.

The Kiwanis Club meeting was held as a joint meeting of the Baltimore Kiwanis Club and the Maryland Society of the Sons of the American Revolution with an audience of several hundred present.

Notes and Comments

No More Rosettes Available at Present!

The National Committee to Signalize Benjamin Franklin's Continuing Contribution to American Civilization has been organized by the Franklin Institute of Philadelphia, and will send free, on request, literature giving background information on the Life of Benjamin Franklin; also suggestions for talks, radio programs, and similar activities. Address Wm. M. Vermilye, Chairman, Franklin Institute, Benjamin Franklin Parkway and 20th Street, Philadelphia.

A handsome bronze medal suitable for essay contest awards bearing the Minute Man on the obverse and an appropriate inscription with room for the winner's name on reverse, is available if anything of this sort is desired.

Write to Compatriot Robert P. Boggis, Secretary of the Western Reserve Society of Cleveland, 3171 Coleridge Road, Cleveland Heights, Ohio, who will be glad to dispose of a very limited number of these at reduced price. They are larger than the Good Citizenship Medal and very handsome.

Some instances of counterfeiting war bonds and stamps have been uncovered. Those connected with photo-engraving concerns should be very careful if requests are made to reproduce in whole or in part any insignia used as part of a war bond or stamp.

Report immediately any suspicious acts to Secret Service, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C.

Musical instruments and music would be most acceptable in any training camps, and they are also urgently requested for prison camps. The War Prisoners' Aid of the Y. M. C. A., at 45 West 46th St., New York, will pack and ship gifts of musical instruments to Japan via Red Cross.

Keeping Well Will Help Win the War!

Five Simple Health Rules

- 1. Eat Right
- 2. Get your Rest
- 3. See your Doctor once a Year
- 4. Keep Clean
- 5. "Play" Some Each Day.

News of the damage to the noble Yorktown Monument by lightning on July 29 came as a shock to our members especially and to the country at large. The figure of Liberty atop the 95-foot structure was badly damaged.

This monument was dedicated in 1881 at the Yorktown Centennial Exposition commemorating the surrender of Cornwallis 100 years previously. It is not known what plans if any have been made for repairing the damage, but both the National Society and the Virginia State Society have been appealed to for assistance.

Plans are afoot for celebrating the silver anniversary of the American's Creed, written in 1917 by our Compatriot, William Tyler Page. Legislation providing that April 3, 1943, be set aside as American's Creed Day and that the words be adopted as the Nation's official creed, has been introduced in Congress by Senator Capper of Kansas and Representative Randolph of West Virginia.

Keeping up the mailing list has become a difficult task.

Owing to the war situation there are a vastly augmented number of changes neces. sary, especially for members of our armed forces, and so often a second or third change for the same person will come in for attention before the stencil of the first change is returned to the Headquarters office, leading to confusion.

We ask the cooperation of all officers and compatriots to reduce the necessity of

changes in several ways:

1. Be sure that the address of new applicants is placed on the second page of the application paper as he wishes his Magazine stencil to read. Stencils for new members are made up from the address given on the papers. Frequently a change is sent to us before the original stencil is sent from the printer.

2. Do not send unnecessary changes. Our Magazine is a quarterly, and a temporary change occurring within the period should not be sent, if the Compatriot is to return to his home address, or is liable to have another change within three months

3. In all cases give as permanent an address as is humanly possible. Each stencil change costs the Society five cents—this multiplied by the number of changes per

month runs into substantial figures.

4. If you have members with foreign addresses, please try to find a correction as in almost all cases service has been suspended and we have been obliged to kill all stencils in countries not directly affiliated with the United Nations and even in some of these shipping facilities have necessarily prevented delivery.

Please cooperate!

General Washington's Nearest Kinsman Dies in Detroit

The Rev. William Morrow Washington, great-great-grandson of Samuel Washington, its first President General, and retained the elder brother of General Washington, died at office to the end of his life, when he was suc-Detroit, Michigan, on February 6th, 1942. He ceeded by Alexander Hamilton, who continued was a former clergyman of the Episcopal Church and at the time of his death was head of the Language Department of the Denby High School of Detroit.

The late Dr. Washington had the unique and high distinction of being the nearest col- his eldest collateral heir if he had no son surlateral descendant under the law of primo- viving. Thus, the right, one of the most highly geniture of General Washington. Thus he represented the Father of his Country in the historic Society of the Cincinnati. Since General Washington had no descendants the eldest direct heir of his eldest brother, Samuel Washington, had the right to succeed to General from Centre College at Danville, Kentucky. Washington's membership in the Cincinnati.

The Society of the Cincinnati was established in 1783 at the close of the Revolution. its members being drawn from officers who had served for not less than three years in the land, Kentucky, Corbin, Kentucky, and Cuya-Continental Line, or to the end of the war. hoga Falls, Ohio.

General Washington was unanimously chosen as President General until killed in the duel with Aaron Burr, after which Charles Cotesworth Pinckney of South Carolina succeeded to the office. On the death of a member his membership passes to his eldest son, or to prized honors in the country, of representing General Washington passed to the late Dr. Washington.

William Morrow Washington was born in Knoxville, Kentucky, in 1872. He graduated and later took his Ph. D. degree at Columbia University. He had made his home in Detroit since 1919, before which time he was successively rector of Episcopal Churches at Ash-

Two Noteworthy Tributes

A New Jersey Dedication

A bronze tablet set in an eight-ton boulder was unveiled Fourth of July in the old Presbyterian Cemetery at Westfield, New Jersey, in memory of the 51 Revolutionary War veterans buried there. Under the sponsorship of West Fields Chapter, S. A. R., appropriate dedication services marked the event.

Funds for the memorial were raised through popular subscription under leadership of Chapter President Roscoe Whitman. The tablet bears the name and date of death of each veteran. Many of those so honored were ancestors of members in the Sons of the American Revolution from widely scattered parts of the United States.

The dedication ceremonies began the Fourth of July observance in Westfield, which dates from 1664 and was founded originally as "the West Fields of Elizabethtown, New Jersey." The principal speaker was State President Smith L. Multer and pledge to the flag was led by State Vice-President, Walter H. Van Hoesen. Committee in charge included Compatriots Edgar Reeve, Albert R. Sampson, John Frazee and C. Milton Tremaine. The tablet

was unveiled by John H. Clark, direct descendant of a veteran.

The names on the tablet:

Died	Died
Acken, Joseph 1804 Baker, Daniel 1814 Baker, Henry 1780 Baker, Jonathan 1844 Clark, Azariah* 1825 Clark, Cpt. Charles 1785 Clark, Charles 1821 Clark, Edward 1803 Clark, Ichabod 1846 Clark, Jacob 1802 Clark, Jacob 1802 Clark, Jacob 1802 Clark, Matthias 1808 Clark, William 1853 Cory, Joseph 1802 Crane, Benjamin, Sr. 1827 Crane, Benjamin, Jr. 1844 Crane, John 1837 Davis, Jacob 1843 Davis, Jacob 1843 Davis, John, 3rd 1777 Downer, Samuel 1824 Denman, Christopher 1808 Dunham, John 1840 Frazee, Jonas 1777 Frazee, Matthias 1833 Gillman, Charles 1833 Gillman, Charles 1813	Hetfield, Daniel

Descendants of the above patriots are scattered all over the United States and many S. A. R. Compatriots trace their lineage to



New Jersey Marker Honoring 51 Revolutionary Soldiers

Eleven Revolutionary Soldiers Honored

Newtown Battle Chapter of Elmira completed a fine project in honor of eleven Revolutionary soldiers buried in its vicinity.

A bronze plaque inscribed with the names of the soldiers, set in a large boulder formed the memorial, and dedicatory exercises were presided over by Chapter President Otis A. Leonard and the address was given by Dr. Arthur W. Booth, an authority on local history and former President of the Chapter, who gave interesting details of the services of the soldiers honored. The unusual fact that eleven of these had returned from the war and were buried in one cemetery made it possible to erect this marker to their memory. The accompanying photograph illustrates the event.

Preceding the dedication ceremonies, the Chapter President, Otis A. Leonard, placed a wreath on the grave of Hon. Seymour Lowman. President Leonard spoke of the great desire that Mr. Lowman had long held of placing a suitable memorial to the memory of the soldiers of the Revolution buried here; of his work and the work of other members of the Chapter in assembling the necessary data; the discovery by the late Compatriot Ezra L. Lain of the boulder on the farm of Walter A. Wheeler, who donated it for this

The bronze tablet on the boulder bears the following inscription:

SOLDIERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

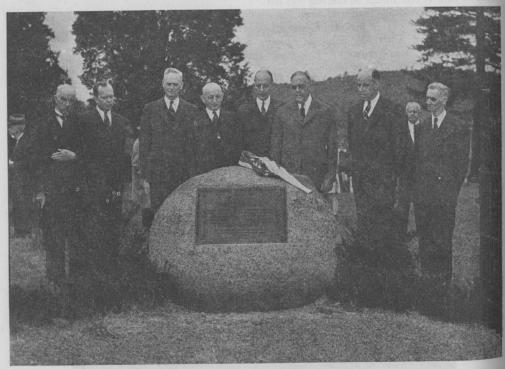
Buried in this Cemetery

Lt. ISRAEL PARSHALL	Pa.
Sgt. DANIEL McDowell	Pa.
Pvt. ABRAHAM BREWER	N. Y.
Pvt. THOMAS KEENEY	Conn.
Pvt. Elijah Griswold	N. Y.
Lt. CHRISTOPHER DENN	Pa.
Sgt. ALEXANDER MURRY	Pa.
Pvt. John Brewer	N. Y.
Pvt. JACOB DECKER	N. Y.
Pvt. Samuel Beidelman	Pa.

All served in the Sullivan Expedition in 1779 and later settled in the Chemung County

Erected 1941

Newtown-Battle Chapter, S. A. R.



Scene at Riverside Cemetery below Lowman, as Newtown Battle Chapter, dedicated a boulder in memory of 11 Revolutionary War soldiers. At the left are Otis A. Leonard, chapter president, and the Rev. Lullus D. Bell, who gave the invocation and dedication. Dr. Arthur W. Booth, who gave the dedicatory address, is at right.

David Lawrence Pierson Memorial

For some time past plans have been matur- honorary sponsor. Two other persons are being for the establishment of a Library Memorial in honor of Compatriot David Lawrence Pierson, father of the annual observance of Constitution Day, September 17.

Orange Chapter of the S. A. R. decided to inaugurate such a movement and a committee was appointed to promote the patriotic enterprise and thus do honor to one of the noblest, most active and most successful members of the Society of the Sons of the American Revo-

This Committee is composed of Rev. Harry L. Bowlby, D.D., Chairman; H. Warren Baker. Ross K. Cook, Vice Chairman; William P. Mason, Oscar S. Thompson, Clayton L. Wallace, Secretary.

Charles Edison, Governor of New Jersey, is Honorary Chairman and the Honorary Vice Chairmen are: W. L. Lincoln Adams, Louis A. Ames, Hon. Warren Barbour, Messmore Kendall, Charles H. Martens, Mayor, East Orange, N. J., Frank B. Steele, Hon. Albert L. Vreeland, Dr. William R. Ward and President Smith L. Multer of the New Jersey S. A. R. All the above have accepted invitations to become members of the group of honorary members of the Committee. Mrs. David L. Pierson is a special member of the Committee and an

ing considered for honorary vice chairmen.

This fall the movement will be under full headway. The committee wishes to announce that an interested friend has written the Chairman that \$1,000 will be mailed as soon as the Committee desires it. This initial gift starts the effort to raise a sizable sum approximating \$25,000 for a memorial which will do credit to the Society and be a lasting Memorial to one whose foresight and indefatigable labors brought about the annual observance of Constitution Day and the enunciation of the principles of that immortal charter of human liberties, never more needed than now. State Societies and chapters will be asked to aid in whatever ways they can. Mayor Martens of East Orange, where Mr. Pierson lived most of his life, has assured all possible cooperation and already there is a spirit of interest which bespeaks the success of the movement. Suggestions will be appreciated. Friends who are interested in the things for which the S. A. R. stands and all who desire to keep fresh and strong every year the observance of Constitution Day are asked to "Lend a Hand."

East Orange, N. J.

HARRY L. BOWLBY, Chairman

Medal Statistics for 1941-42

Distribution by States to July, 1942

Good Citizenship Medals	R. O). T.	C. Medals		
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The National S. A. R. Library

The report of donations to the National S. A. R. Library received since the July issue shown below reflects the sustained interest in the library of individual compatriots and friends of the society. This is particularly gratifying since these donations were received during a period of lessened activity in many of the State societies and chapters.

We are now entering the season during which these organizations will promote their activities with increased vigor. State and chapter

officials should seriously consider their vital part in maintaining a national library commensurate to the needs of the society. The collection and donation of books and other valuable articles by officials and committees of state and local organizations will rapidly increase the value and usefulness of the library to all compatriots. Your librarian solicits the cooperation of all in promoting this worthy activity. McDonald Miller,

Librarian General.

Donations to the National S. A. R. Library Received Since the July, 1942, Issue:

	Title		Donor
Fra	and the American Revolution, by Louis Charles Smith; The American Arms of the United States of America, by William Holmes C Problems of Democracy, by Frank Abbott Magruder; Effects of the States of American Preparation for War, by Archibald MacLet of a series of visits to battlegrounds and other places, written a American Federal Government, by Stuart Lewis; The Colonial Mi Revolutionary Forefathers, The letters of François Marquis de F States as Secretary of the French Legation, 1779-1785, translated Chase; Europe in Chains, by Paul Einzig; Argument, by Robert Laws, by Thomas A. Pace; Fathers of the Revolution, by Philip problem of underpaid and unemployed Mexican Labor, by Selde supervision of John N. Webb; Massachusetts Society of the Sons of Managers. Charter, Constitution and By-laws, Ancestral Reco	obb; American Government, a Conside the Defense Program on Prices, Wages the Librarian of Congress, 1941; sh; A Revolutionary Pilgrimage, bein dillustrated by Ernest Peixotto; And. 1620-1800, by Vernon Louis Pasarbe-Marbois during his residence is and edited with an introduction by E. Shurter and George D. Helm; Guedalia; The Pecan Shellers of San C. Menefee and Orin C. Cassmon of the American Revolution, Officer rids and Roll of Membership, 1931-	eration of the s and Profits. Report to the ng an account in Outline of rrington; Our n the United Jugene Parker Inliean Social Antonio, the e, under the s and Boards 1936: Roads
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	Liman, edited and compiled by James Otis		Louis Charles Smi

The Rose Family of Medieval Scotland and Colonial Virginia, by Dr. W. H. T. Squires
Legislative Document of the State of New York—Report of the Subcommittee of the Joint Legislative Committee to investigate Procedures and Methods of Allocating State Moneys for Public School Purposes and Subversive Activities Frederic R. Coudert, Jr.
Two Rare Prints Portraying an early Statuette and a Wedgwood Bust of General George WashingtonGrace Ridgate Smith The Courses of the Ohio River, taken by Lt. T. Hutchins, Anno 1766, Edited by Beverly B. Bond, Jr Historical and Philosophical Society of Ohio
Genealogical Records of the Parmenter, Mullins, Richardson, Alden, Bass, Webb, Fall and Wentworth Families, compiled by Elmer E. Parmenter E. Parmenter E. Parmenter
The Remy Family in America, Compiled by Bonelle William Rhamy
Remy Family in America (Erratum and Addendum)
The Blossom Family, by Walter L. Blossom
Kentucky Genealogies and Historical Recorder, Volume 2 and Volume 3; Maryland Genealogies and Historical Recorder,
Volumes 5 and Volume 6 (one binding); Volumes 7 and Volume 8 (one binding); Volume 9; and Volume 10;
Maryland Genealogies and Historical Recorder, (Land Records) Liber 15, Part 2; Virginia Genealogies and County
Records, Volume 7, Compiled by Annie Walker Burns
Genealogy of the Late Chester Burdelle Shepard, Compiled by Ralph M. Grant
Bulletin of American Library Association
Miscellaneous Reports, by the Adjutant General's Office, War Department; Thomas A. Edison, by Francis T. Miller;
Who's Who in the Nation's Capital; Register of the District of Columbia Society, Sons of the American Revolution
(1896); New and Complete History of the World, by Francis T. Furey, and other Valuable PapersNewton J. Darden
The Immortals of America in the Hall of Fame, by Gregor Melikov
Annual Report of The Connecticut Historical Society
New England Parish Families, by Roswell Parish
The Lott Family in America, A. V. Phillips

Brief Book Reviews:

(A copy of this recently published book has been donated to the National S. A. R. Library by the pub-

"Mill and Mansion", by John Coolidge; published by the Columbia University Press, New York City. (\$3.75)

This book is a careful, scholarly study of the architecture of a New England cotton-mill town from 1820 to 1865. From Francis Cabot Lowell's cautious experiment at Waltham, Mr. Coolidge portrays the results of this adventure achieved by Lowell's successors through the interesting stages of the background and founding of Lowell,

the first building campaign, the impact of Ro- sions of the parvenu mill owners, as well as a manticism during the 1825-1835 decade, the fully Romantic period of 1845-1865 and its profound effect on the private houses, public buildings and mills.

Lowell, Massachusetts, during the period studied represented one of America's most comprehensive attempts at city planning. It was an extraordinary experiment in low-cost housing. It contained fine industrial buildings, the mangood New England arrangement of churches, schools, public buildings, slums and middle-class

This work is well supplemented with notes and bibliography and handsomely illustrated. Historians and sociologists should find it worthy of a thorough examination.

> McDonald Miller, Librarian General.

Registrar's Statistics, 1942

Compiled from State Society Reports

State	3/31/41 Members	Total Additions	Total Losses	3/31/42 Members	Net Additions	Net Losses	New Members
Alabama	38	4	1	41	3	0	4
Arizona	41	1	5	37	0	4	0
Arkansas	64	5	2	67	3	0	5
California	448	77	39	486	38	0	64
Colorado	150	6	6	150	0	0	4
Connecticut	987	35	54	968	0	19	28
Delaware	139	1	20	119	0	20	1
District of Columbia	507	35	39	503	0	4	28
Florida	163	32	11	184	21	0	26
	213	24	18	231	18	0	23
Georgia	12	0	1	12	0	1	0
Hawaii	89 .	6	2	93	4	Ô	5
Idaho	658	82	57	703	45	0	27
Illinois		26	28	236	0	2	22
Indiana	238	8	12	185	0	1	2
Iowa	189				12	0	5
Kansas	123	18	6	135	8	0	18
Kentucky	220	18	10	228	24	0	12
Louisiana	154	33	9	178		28	
Maine	207	6	34	179	0		1
Maryland	336	9	32	313	0	32	8
Massachusetts	876	50	66	860	0	16	47
Michigan	365	34	69	330	0	35	9
Minnesota	214	26	16	224	10	0	14
Mississippi	26	5	8	23	0	3	3
Missouri	114	5	10	109	0	5	5
Montana	40	2	1	39	1	0	2
Nebraska	138	10	20	128	0	10	5
New Hampshire	80	2	3	79	0	1	2
New Jersey	770	59	82	747	0	23	27
New Mexico	40	12	5	47	7	0	3
New York	2,130	254	176	2,208	78	0	194
North Carolina	139	81	44	176	37	0	50
North Dakota	62	0	1	61	0	1	0
Ohio	934	95	52	977	43	0	81
Oklahoma	84	22	21	85	1	0	1
Oregon	257	10	17	250	0	7	5
Pennsylvania	1.379	86	134	1.331	0	48	82
Rhode Island	351	8	17	342	0	9	7
South Carolina	130	16	48	98	0	32	13
South Carolina	31	1	4	28	0	3	1
South Dakota	147	39	45	141	0	6	5
Tennessee	190	28	14	206	14	0	15
Texas	169	5	7	167	0	2	4
Utah		3	8	81	0	7	1
Vermont	. 88	105	28	489	77	ó	96
Virginia	411	105	28		11	0	10
**West Virginia	75	11	4	84	0	0	1
washington	40	5	5	40	0	0	10
Wisconsin	72	12	3	81	1	0	10
*Wyoming	38	1	0	39	1	0	1
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^{*}No report—figures arbitrary.
**Adjustment pending.

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 December 1, 1942.

California Society

SAN FRANCISCO CHAPTER—Culminating the first six months of an energetic and purposeful year's program, the Chapter, seventy strong, met July 31st to hear the scintillating adventures of Jan Henrick Marsman, internationally known financier and author of the Saturday Evening Post series on "How I Escaped from Hong Kong". Under the leadership of President Arthur L. Scott and through the efforts of Program Chairman Calvin Battle, the monthly luncheon meetings have also been addressed on vital economic and military topics designed to assist the Chapter in shaping its program to meet the present emergency.

Compatriots Aaron M. Sargent and Wheaton H. Brewer have lead a fight to eliminate the Rugg textbooks from San Francisco Schools and are taking steps to extend their campaign throughout the United States with the cooperation of President General Mutz.

Answering the call to carry on a training program for boys throughout this country, the Chapter has reorganized its sponsorship of a Sea Scout Ship with the appointment of Compatriot Harry E. Marshall as skipper and the allocation of finances necessary for the endeavor. This activity is in addition to the Chapter's annual awards to winning units of the local high schools' Reserve Officers Training Corps.

Compatriot George L. Gary has compiled and distributed to every member a roster of the Chapters more than 300 members. Some difficulty was reported in listing the present addresses of the comparatively large number of compatriots on active duty with the armed forces of our country.

ALAMEDA COUNTY CHAPTER—On June 8th a joint banquet was held with Bay area S.A.R. and D.A.R. in the Spanish Room of the Claremont Hotel, Berkeley, with an attendance of over 100. Dr. Joel H. Hildebrand, Chairman of the Department of Chemistry and Dean of the College of Letters and Science of the University of California was the speaker.

SAN JOSE CHAPTER held its June meeting at the home of Compatriot Tracy Learnerd, who exhibited his valuable library of historical books and documents.

Los Angeles Chapter—On July 16th gave a luncheon, honoring Harley A. Vannoy, the new President of the California State Society. Mr. Vannoy presented the highlights of the Fifty-

third Congress of the National Society which he had just attended at Williamsburg, Va.

In the absence of Capt. Raymond A. Nelson, president of Los Angeles Chapter, who was away on War duty, Secretary Frank E. Mc-Keever presided at the luncheon and meeting.

Delaware Society

The Society was the guest of the Wilmington Rotary Club in the celebration of Constitution Day at the Hotel DuPont, Wilmington on September 17. Compatriot Albert T. St. Clair conducted a round table discussion on the Constitution of the United States. The meeting was largely attended by members.

The Delaware Society has authorized the Wilmington Park Commission to donate to the Liberty Scrap Pile the two iron cannons from the War of 1812 which the Delaware Society presented thirty years ago to the City of Wilmington to mark the location of the crossing of the Brandywine Creek by Washington's troops at various times during the Revolutionary War.

Florida Society

PALM BEACH CHAPTER—Recently elected officers of the Chapter include Lieutenant F. Reeves Rutledge, President; Laurens Hamilton and Lynn Nicols, Vice Presidents; Reginald Forrest Bradley, Secretary-Treasurer and Registrar. President Rutledge is on active duty at Camp Jackson, S. C., and Vice President Hamilton, will act for him during his absence. The Chapter lists six other Compatriots in active service in Army, Navy and Marine branches, as well as the Army Air Force and all are stationed at many points in and out of the country.

The Chapter has sponsored a suggestion to the State President, James W. Day that proper steps be taken to induce the Florida State Legislature to inaugurate plans for the celebration of the 100th anniversary of Florida's admission to the Union.

The Chapter has participated with its Colors at all local patriotic and civic ceremonies held during the past months.

Georgia Society

The twenty-first annual conference of the Georgia State Society was held at the Georgian Terrace Hotel, in Atlanta, September 17. A busi-

ness session was followed by a joint Constitution Day celebration, sponsored by the Atlanta Chapter S.A.R., Atlanta Chapter D.A.R., and Joseph Habersham Chapter D.A.R. Chief Justice Chas. S. Reid, Georgia Supreme Court, was guest speaker.

Report on National Congress held at Williamsburg, Virginia, was made by Colonel J. D. Watson, at the conclusion of which a handsome silver tray was presented to the Retiring Secretary-Treasurer, Colonel Watson, "In appreciation of his unselfish service to the Sons of the American Revolution of Georgia."

New officers elected for the State Society are Dr. Edwin H. Scott, President; Judge A. M. Roan, Dean H. B. Ritchie, Hon Hatton Lovejoy, and Fred W. Lagerquist, Vice Presidents; Chris A. Rauschenberg, Secretary-Treasurer; McWhorter Milner, Registrar; Charles G. Cordle, Historian; Colonel Wm. M. Wilder, Genealogist; Rev. Jesse W. Veatch, Chaplain; James R. Bowden, Chancellor; Edgar R. W. Gunn, Sergeant-at-Arms. Board of Managers: Reuben A. Garland, Dr. Asa G. DeLoach, Dr. John W. Beeson, Judge John D. Humphries, Henry A. Alexander and T. C. Perkins. David J. D. Myers, Trustee.

EDWARD JACKSON CHAPTER held a meeting at the Georgian Terrace Hotel in Atlanta, September 17. President Reuben A. Garland, Vice-President Edwin H. Scott, and Colonel James D. Watson, addressed the compatriots of the chapter.

On August 28, 1942, the WINDER CHAPTER met at the home of President Hugh A. Carithers, where a chicken barbecue was enjoyed. A short business session was held, then the guest speaker, Judge G. A. Johns, was presented. Judge Johns' address was most enthusiastically received, his subject was an unusual one for such occasion: "I like your name, Sons of the American Revolution."

Illinois Society

Dean Lake Traxler, President, who represented the Illinois Society at the National Congress, gave a very interesting summary of the Williamsburg proceedings at the July monthly meeting of the Board of Managers, causing a general feeling of regret among his listeners that they had not been fortunate enough to have personally enjoyed the Congress.

President Traxler and Secretary Bowman were guests of the Peoria Chapter at a celebration in honor of Flag Day, June 15. Dinner was served to fifty at the home of Compatriot Edward J. Smith, located at one of the most beautiful scenic spots in all Illinois. Mr. Traxler spoke on "So-

ciety Activities" and gave a most interesting summary of the Williamsburg Congress. Mr. Bowman spoke on "The Soul of America."

The Committee on War and Defense, Matthew Mills, chairman, in starting its activities has given the National Society the names of Compatriots who may be called on for help in connection with the F. B. I. work, and has offered Illinois State Council of Defense and the Chicago Metropolitan Committee on Civilian Defense, to furnish speakers on patriotic subjects. The Committee is also urging members of the Illinois Society to assist in U. S. O. work, selling war stamps and bonds, collecting rubber and metals and acting as block wardens, etc., in their local communities.

The Illinois Society, represented by President Traxler, in conjunction with the Society of the War of 1812, Carlton B. Cunningham, State President, and the Daughters of 1812, Miss Katherine Stites, State Historian, placed wreaths on the Fort Dearborn memorial tablet on the Michigan Avenue bridge, August 15th, in observance of the 130th Anniversary of the Fort Dearborn Massacre.

Indiana Society

The Society observed July 4th by participating in a great public military and patriotic parade. The Committee in charge consisting of Past-President C. A. Breece, chairman, and D. D. McGuire, arranged for the Society of Children of the American Revolution to march in a body with flags of the United States and of both societies. The "Spirit of '76" was represented and drew much applause from the spectators and received other favorable publicity.

The Society also contacted 350 of the Protestant and Catholic clergy and Jewish Rabbis, urging them to emphasize the spiritual bases of our national life in their services on July 4th and Sunday, July 5th. This suggestion brought a favorable response and many clergymen gave patriotic religious addresses from their pulpits. The Committee promoting this movement was composed of Chaplain C. W. Atwater, chairman, and Rev. Guy O. Carpenter, Rev. J. S. Milner and Rev. E. A. Arthur.

The Society is continuing its participation in war activities to the fullest extent. A War Activities Committee has been appointed under the chairmanship of Col. Robert L. Moorhead, National Trustee.

A committee, acting with Compatriot Jesse C. Moore, chairman, has kept the U. S. O. and other

military centers, including the recruiting stations, supplied with thousands of post-cards, having pictures of the prominent landmarks of Indianapolis and space for a written message. The boys in service have shown their great appreciation of this free service.

The Society is maintaining its activity in presenting medals, having distributed them to many schools and military academies. An outstanding occasion was at the Howe Military Academy where Compatriot U. S. Senator Willis made an address, Vice-President General John B. Campbell presented a medal, and our Vice-President Fred I. Willis was in attendance.

In a great American Red Cross patriotic meeting held on Sunday, June 21st, in a public park the Society was officially represented by Vice-President Maurice T. Harrell.

Regular monthly luncheon meetings have been held throughout the summer. Among those who have addressed these meetings are the Hon. Charles M. Dawson, Lieut. Gov. of Indiana, and the Hon. John K. Ruckelshaus. Three new members were admitted during the summer.

The September meeting was held in honor of the two national officers from Indiana elected at the Williamsburg Congress, John B. Campbell, Vice-President General, and Col. Robert L. Moorhead, National Trustee. Both Compatriots made brief addresses and were received with congratulations by their Compatriots.

Rev. J. H. V. Somes, President, who has his own airplane and is well known as a pilot, has been appointed Commander of the Civil Air Patrol of the Indianapolis area. Practically all of his time outside of his clerical work is devoted to patriotic service in connection with our Society, the Indiana National Defense Council, of which he is president, the Civil Air Patrol and other organizations engaged in war work.

Louisiana Society

A luncheon meeting was held on August 20th at the St. Charles Hotel, President Ben R. Franklin presiding. Members were pleased to have the following telegraphic message from President General Mutz read by Mr. Franklin:

"Congratulations on your excellent progress. In Louisiana you have shown yourselves to be real guardians of Constitutional Government and genuine trustees of freedom. I am proud of our State and Chapter officers who in thirty days have set up corps of minute men in thirty-three states with over eleven hundred partiotic citizens ready upon call to aid the FBI in its war work. May our Compatriots in Louisiana carry on with zeal and enthusiasm.

STERLING F. MUTZ, President-General, SAR.

An excellent attendance greeted the officers and Compatriot Joseph Lallande who presided as Toastmaster.

Maryland Society

Good Citizenship Medals to the number of 86 were awarded by this Society under the able chairmanship of Compatriot Herbert C. Fooks, to the schools of Baltimore County. With these were distributed pamphlets for memorizing the National Anthem and some 800 of these were widely distributed.

At its annual meeting in the spring, Maryland Society elected Compatriot Warren K. Magruder, President. The Maryland Society's Constitution Day celebration is described on page 108.

Massachusetts Society

Memorial Day, May 30th, was appropriately observed by this Society with exercises held at Forest Hills Cemetery, Westerly Cemetery in W. Roxbury, at the 1st Parish Cemetery and at Soldiers Monument in Jamaica Plain, jointly with the Society of the War of 1812, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and Union Veterans. The Ritual of the Society of the War of 1812 was used at the Westerly Cemetery, and the Ritual of the Massachusetts S. A. R. at the other sites and at the grave of Col. Benjamin Bussey in Jamaica Plain. Colonel Frederic G. Bauer, Governor General of the Society of 1812 and Past President of the Massachusetts Society S. A. R., acted as Marshal. Other Memorial exercises were held on May 31st in Christ Church, Cambridge.

The Massachusetts Society is acting on the pertinent suggestion contained in the article published in our January issue, by Compatriot Smith L. Multer, with reference to reinstatement of former members who wish to become active and will restore such Compatriots to the rolls for a reasonably nominal fee. There should be a very sincere effort by all societies to cooperate in this essential matter.

The Society in its most recent Bulletin lists the present assignments and stations of its Compatriots in the active war services, as information is obtained, among whom it is noted that State Secretary David G. Maraspin is promoted to Lieutenant Commander.

BRIGADIER GENERAL JOSEPH FRYE CHAPTER OF Lawrence and Andover has put itself on record

in a protest over the proposed removal of "Old Ironsides", the Revolutionary frigate Constitution, from its berth in the Boston Navy Yard. Although the primary objective was for the safety and preservation of the ship, it was felt that the inspiration of her presence was paramount in the present emergency and she should be held where all could view her and receive encouragement from the valorous past.

On August 13th this Chapter held a picnic luncheon and at the short business meeting approval was given to the award of an embossed plaque to Boy Scout troops of Lawrence, judged to have accomplished the most meritorious service in the interest of national defense. The membership committee reported six new applications pending acceptance.

The Chapter will work in cooperation with the Methuen Grange toward restoration of old burying grounds in the vicinity.

Michigan Society

Detroit Chapter—On April 4th last this Chapter was host to the Michigan State Society for its annual meeting, held in Hotel Statler. The highlight of the gathering was the inspiring and thought provoking address of President General G. Ridgely Sappington, whose visit with Mrs. Sappington was deeply appreciated by the members of the Michigan Society. Officers elected at this meeting were published in the July Magazine.

The Board of Governors of the Chapter met on May 14th at Aztec Tower for luncheon. On May 22nd, a luncheon meeting of the Chapter was held at which Professor Arthur Smithies, Ph.D., of the Department of Economics of the University of Michigan, was the speaker on the timely topic "What Can We Expect in Australia?" Dr. Smithies has recently been called by the Government as an advisor. President James B. Bogner presided at the meeting.

On June 15th, the Chapter held its annual meeting in the Hotel Statler when reports of the National Congress of the Society at Williamsburg were given by delegates Ralph D. Johnson and National Trustee Lloyd D. Smith and Vice President General Roy V. Barnes. At this meeting the following officers were elected: President, James B. Bogner; Vice Presidents, Henry P. Stacy, Arthur J. Lacy; Secretary, William C. Krichbaum; Treasurer, Charles A. Kanter; Historian, Barry T. Whipple; Chaplain, Rev. Harold W. Rosebrook. Governors: Hugh W. Allin, John Chase, George A. DuCharme, Ralph D. Johnson, Emmet J. Leib, Allen G. Ludington, Paul H. Otis, Harold E. Phelps, and Orla B. Taylor.

Minnesota Society

Minnesota Society has a total membership of two hundred forty-one. Of this number thirty-two are now in the armed forces. At least two members, Brigadier General Louis C. Beebe, Chief of Staff to Lieutenant General Wainwright, and Lieutenant Welles Hodgson, Jr., were in the Philippines and are presumed to be prisoners of Japan. Another Compatriot was at Pearl Harbor and others occupy positions of trust and honor in the various branches of service.

The Minneapolis Chapter Service Flag described below will dedicate each star on its field to its men in service as they learn of their assignments.

MINNEAPOLIS CHAPTER—In May the Chapter presented a dress saber to Cadet Sergeant John Thomas Cooney, of the University of Minnesota, for all around superiority in military training, and furthering its Citizenship program, the Chapter sponsored a meeting at which final citizenship papers were given to 98 new Americans.

The Chapter holds monthly luncheon meetings and makes an effort to bring out at least a 25% attendance of total membership; this in spite of the fact that about 30% of the members are in active war service.

In June Minneapolis Chapter entertained eleven High School pupils, winners of the Good Citizenship Medal awards, and accords this honor to these medal winners each year. President John G. Ballord presided and made a report of the Williamsburg Congress of the National Society. The Chapter is the proud possessor of a handsome silk service flag,—red border surrounding a white field, on which a blue star is fastened for each name. This is the gift of National Trustee Herbert T. Park, who presented it at the Chapter's July meeting, and it was accepted with deep appreciation by President Ballord.

Nebraska Society

LINCOLN CHAPTER—Constitution Day was observed on September 16th, when State President Harry W. Meginnis presided over the gathering of the Public Affairs Committee of the Chamber of Commerce and the State and Chapter members. Following luncheon the speaker was David W. Bailey, Director of the Australian News and Information Bureau of New York City. Mr. Bailey also spoke on September 17th before the Chamber of Commerce of Omaha.

Elsewhere in this issue is a short account of the Reception tendered President General Sterling F. Mutz by the members of the Nebraska Society and attended by many distinguished members of the State Bar from out of the City.

The members of this Society and Compatriots throughout the National Society have been deeply grieved to learn of the death of Compatriot Joel A. Piper, which occurred July 22nd. His services to the Society were of long standing and his devotion and loyalty was most sincerely appreciated.

New Jersey Society

During the summer months the New Jersey Society has been busy in war defense and other patriotic work following the program laid down by the President General and the Department of War and Defense of the National Society. All of our Chapters have forwarded lists of "Minute Men" to the President General. A Committee of War and Defense has been organized and is functioning in the State Society and like committees have been formed in many of our Chapters.

At a meeting of the Board of Managers of the State Society on September 11th, a substantial contribution was voted for the U.S.O. Our Chapters are preparing also to render during the year substantial aid to that organization.

President Multer during the latter part of August made an extended tour among the principal U. S. O. Clubs of the State in connection with his work as Chairman of the Department of War and Defense of the National Society and also to aid in the work of our State Society along those lines.

There is an evident renewal of interest in the organization as shown by applications for membership. And in this connection there is a renewed activity in the organization of a new Chapter of our State Society at Atlantic City.

The State Society suffered an irreparable loss in the sudden death of Past President and former Vice President General, Harry F. Brewer, upon July 19, 1942, at his home in Summit, N. J. Past State President Brewer filled many positions in both the State and National Societies with honor and distinction. His presence and advice will be greatly missed.

ORANGE CHAPTER—A Memorial Service was held at the grave of the late David Lawrence Pierson in Rosedale Cemetery on Constitution Day, September 17. Mayor Martens of East Orange paid tribute to him as the Founder of Constitution Day. Compatriot Smith L. Multer, President of the New Jersey Society, also delivered a short address. Many of the Chapter members were present as well as a number of the local D. A. R.

Good Citizenship Medal in the name of Orange soldiers buried in the Presbyterian Church, West-

CHAPTER to Hon. J. Edgar Hoover in recognition of his outstanding work throughout the country.

Meetings of the Chapter will now be held at the Hotel Marlborough, East Orange, its new Head-

MONTCLAIR CHAPTER has had no meeting during the summer period. Certain of its members have served in civic activities in the neighborhood of the Chapter's operation on committees having to do with the war effort and patriotic celebrations and flag display. The Chapter sponsored an effort through its members to encourage the display of the American colors at the residences of citizens and at business places.

The Chapter President, Henry B. Fernald, was Chairman of the Montclair Committee for Fourth of July celebration, and under his chairmanship the local Fourth of July celebration was held on the evening of the holiday, being a combined band concert, public addresses and a demonstration of the organized local community in defense efforts which was presented as a pageant. Addresses were made at the meeting by President Henry B. Fernald and by Compatriot Raymond D. Shepard.

Attention is to be given to the increase of membership and instilling patriotism among the members and the community. The February meeting is planned to be a joint meeting between MONTCLAIR CHAPTER and Eagle Rock Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

NEWARK CHAPTER—The Chapter has presented Good Citizenship Medals to the graduates of twenty-five grammar schools in June. The presentation was made an important feature of the exercises at each school.

PASSAIC VALLEY CHAPTER, Summit-In honor of Memorial Day members decorated graves of Revolutionary patriots and attended the American Legion Post 138 services, placing a wreath on the War Monument.

The 28th Annual Church Service, commemorating the 162nd anniversary of the Battle of Springfield was held on June 21st at the Old Presbyterian Church, Springfield. Beacon Fire Chapter, D. A. R. cooperated with the Chapter. The historical address was delivered by State President Smith L. Multer.

A meeting was held on July 16th at which time a number of Minute Men were appointed to cooperate with the F. B. I. Plans were made to hold a dinner on Constitution Day. At the conclusion of the meeting Compatriot John D. Hood showed colored photographs of Yorktown and Williamsburg.

WEST FIELDS CHAPTER—A full story of the Compatriot Harry L. Bowlby will present a dedication of a bronze tablet in memory of 51

CAPTAIN ABRAHAM GODWIN CHAPTER, Paterson-Chapter activities were confined mostly to individual accomplishments, by interested Com-

field, on July 4th will be found on another page.

patriots. Patriotic addresses were delivered before the Service Clubs and Compatriot William H. Rauchfuss entertained several classes from public schools at the Dey Mansion at Preakness, N. J.

Empire State Society

NEW YORK CHAPTER—Every year for more than twenty-five years New York Chapter has held exercises in connection with the adoption of the Constitution of the United States, on September 17th, 1787.

This year in commemoration of the 155th anniversary the exercises were held on Thursday, September 17th, at 12 o'clock noon, on the steps of the United States Sub-Treasury Building, at Wall and Nassau Streets, at the Statue of George Washington and on the site of Federal Hall.

The Hon. James W. Wadsworth, member of Congress and a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, delivered an address on the Constitution. Mr. Messmore Kendall, Past President General of the National Society, S. A. R., presided. The Rev. Henry Darlington, D.D., Chaplain of the New York Chapter and Past Chaplain-General of the National Society, S. A. R., delivered the invocation.

The Proclamation of the Governor of the State of New York was read by the Hon. William S. Bennet, President of the Empire State Society.

Mr. Jackson Hines sang the National Anthem, accompanied by the Fort Jay U. S. Band from Governor's Island, led by Warrant Officer William C. White. A wreath was placed at the statue of George Washington by Alexander Hamilton, President of the New York Chapter, and Hon. James W. Wadsworth. Leading patriotic and military organizations joined in the exercises.

War Savings Bonds and Stamps were sold by the members of the New York City Women's Council of the Navy League of the United States, who also exhibited and demonstrated their new mobile canteen unit which is equipped to serve 500 persons in an emergency. The members of the Navy League were in uniform.

NEWTON BATTLE CHAPTER, Elmira—This Chapter completed an outstanding piece of work covering much research and extending over a considerable period of time, when it erected and dedicated a Revolutionary War Memorial to the memory of eleven patriots of the American Revolution on May 24th last. This project had been originated by the Chapter's former President, the late Com-



Hon. Seymour Lowman

patriot Hon. Seymour Lowman, former member of Congress, and the combined efforts of several members of the Chapter contributed to the final achievement.*

ROCHESTER CHAPTER—A dinner meeting was held on the evening of June 15th when President Roe T. Soule gave members the highlights of the Williamsburg Congress which he attended, together with Chancellor General Henry R. Dutcher, Past President General Harvey F. Remington and Compatriot Ray Fowler.

The speaker of the evening was Leroy E. Snyder of the Gannett Newspapers who spoke on "Democracy and the Constitution."

ROCHESTER CHAPTER rejoices in the fact that its invitation to hold the 54th National Congress in this attractive City has been accepted by the National Board of Trustees, and already preparations for outstanding hospitality are under way. Dr. Arthur C. Parker, former Chapter President, is to be the active Chairman of Arrangements, with Past President General Harvey F. Remington as Honorary Chairman and Compatriot C. L. Angevine will serve the Committee as Secretary. Plans and details will appear in later issues of the Magazine.

The Chapter deplores the death in early summer of Compatriot Frank C. Sherman, former Chapter Secretary and most active in its genealogical work and in the identification and marking of Revolutionary graves in which he took much interest. His loss is deeply felt.

^{*} Dedication described on p. 112.

was held at the Hotel Seneca on the evening of September 14th An outstanding program for this occasion was prepared by Compatriot Small and his committee, who presented Dr. William Alfred Sawyer, Medical Director of the Eastman Kodak Company, just returned from a special mission to England for the National Research Council who discussed "off the record" various features of his trip which were of vital and timely interest. A second speaker was Mr. Walden Moor, Assistant Professor of Government, University of Rochester, whose topic was "A Tribute to the Constitution of the U.S.A." Sound moving pictures of U.S. forces in the battle of the Pacific were also shown. A social hour preceded the dinner.

BUFFALO CHAPTER—Resuming regular meetings, Constitution Day Observance was the first to be recognized, and the Chapter joined with the Lions Club of Buffalo in a luncheon on September 14th arranged for by Compatriot Ralph L. Clayson, President of the Local Lions Club, and contributed to the program by securing the speaker, Dr. Robert O. DeMond whose topic was "The Living Constitution." Members of both organizations were privileged to bring guests.

Dr. Charles Messner, President of BUFFALO CHAPTER in his announcement of the above meeting outlines the three major objectives which President General Mutz has presented as the main theme for Chapter programs for the year-Increased Aid to our National War Effort; Restoration of American Rights and Liberties temporarily surrendered during the emergency; and Increased Membership.

North Dakota Society

North Dakota Agricultural College at Fargo was recipient of eighteen R. O. T. C. Medals to the outstanding Freshmen in as many platoons. These are among the two hundred Medals which Colonel James B. Ladd has sponsored for awards among the several R. O. T. C. Units under his jurisdiction.

The North Dakota Society through Compatriot W. C. MacFadden, State Treasurer, has also awarded the R. O. T. C. Medal to the outstanding Tunior 1st year Advanced Military Cadet, Clinton W. Taylor.

Ohio Society

WESTERN RESERVE SOCIETY, Cleveland-A fine Flag Day's observance was sponsored by this Chapter, in a joint gathering with the Shrine Luncheon Club in the Euclid Ball Room of Hotel

The Chapter's annual Constitution Day dinner Statler on June 12th. George E. Beach of the Shrine Luncheon Club and President Charles Henry Fisher of Western Reserve Society presided jointly and the latter spoke on "A Tribute to Old Glory," followed by the speaker of the day the Very Reverend, Chester B. Emerson, D. D. Dean of Trinity Cathedral. Dr. Emerson's address was memorable for the inclusion of the Declaration of Allegiance, which the S. A. R. Magazine was privileged to carry on its fourth cover page of the July issue, and on which many favorable comments have been received.

> CINCINNATI CHAPTER—A Patriot's Day meeting was held in the Netherland-Plaza Hotel on April 17. The Chapter was addressed by Dr Harry K. Eversull, of the Cincinnati Council of Churches, on the topic "Can America Win the

The Jamestown Day meeting of the Chapter was held on the evening of May 14th in the dining room of the Student Union, University of Cincinnati. An interested group listened to Mr. H. Halouk Fikret, a former professor of the University, who gave his impressions of the United States. Mr. Fikret was born in Turkey and graduated from Robert College.

Flag Day was observed at the Cincinnati Country Club at noon on June 13, with reservations for forty-five. Major Harry F. Goslee, of Ft. Thomas, gave an interesting talk on the "Orientation of the Draftee." Compatriot Anthony B. Dunlan closed the program with a splendidly written essay on the National Colors.

The Annual Pilgrimage to the Harrison Tomb, North Bend, Indiana, was held on July 11, with an attendance of forty-three, which included the families of Chapter members and representatives of other patriotic organizations. Dinner was served at the North Bend Inn, overlooking the Ohio River, and was followed by an address by Mr. Albert F. Dawson, former Congressman from Iowa, on "Harrison: The Unknown Patriot." Following the address, the party adjourned to the Harrison Tomb a few hundred yards distant, where brief exercises were held.

Pennsylvania

The 16th Annual Golf Tournament of the Pennsylvania Society was held at Stanton Heights Golf Club, Pittsburgh, on July 21st. Competition for individual championship of the Society, and for low gross and net trophies of the PITIS-BURGH CHAPTER was keen. Competition for the Tennessee cup and the Forsyth-Blackstone trophy, now held by PITTSBURGH CHAPTER Was held during July and August. These are awarded annually for chapter teams of four having the lowest gross and net scores respectively.

LAFAYETTE CHAPTER, Wilkinsburg-Flag Day peremonies were participated in by members of this Chapter, when Historian David W. Rial spoke on the various Historical flags presented to the city, including nine flags presented on this occacion These were all reproduced flags of France. Britain and the Colonies and later, of early colonial or Revolutionary period. They are being mounted and will be kept in the Wilkinsburg City Hall. Old fence rails from an historical farm were used in the mountings and rack for their

PITTSBURGH CHAPTER presented a Good Citizenship Medal and an American Flag to fifty-four honor pupils of the eighth grade schools. Each honor pupil is accompanied by an honor guard of four and each of the latter group also received a flag. Chaplain George C. Fisher spoke and presentations were made by President Tames I Marsh of PITTSBURGH CHAPTER.

VALLEY FORGE CHAPTER, Bethlehem-Historic old Augustus Lutheran Church at Trappe, Pa., was the scene of Flag Day anniversary meeting of Henry Melchior Muhlenberg, and in tribute to his son, Major General Peter Muhlenberg sponsored by the VALLEY FORGE CHAPTER, President I. Erdman Cope presiding. Following brief introductory exercises the address of the occasion by Rev. Roy Winters, President of the Norristown Conference, on the subject "Two Famous Men." referring to the two Muhlenbergs, the father having come to America and organized a church in an old barn at Trappe in 1742, the permanent church building erected the following year. General Peter Muhlenberg also preached in the church, and revealed his chosen military career to a surprised congregation. He had an active and honorable Revolutionary service, and later held state and local political offices and is buried in the Trappe cemetery, where a wreath was laid following these inspirational exercises.

The company inspected the historical surroundings and later drove to the campus of Ursinus College where dinner was served and the members were addressed by Dr. Norman E. McClure, President of the college.

President Cope reported on the Williamsburg Congress of the National Society. About 150 members and guests attended this interesting meeting.

Tennessee Society

JOHN SEVIER CHAPTER, Chattanooga—Observing Plag Day with a dinner meeting, members of this Jr., director of the Civilian Defense Council, in which he challenged every patriotic American to personal all-out effort to share the work and sacrifice necessitated by the present war.

Chapter President Albert B. Clarke presided. and welcomed members and honor guests, among whom were Colonel Howell Estes, commanding officer of the Third Cavalry, and Mrs. Estes.

Citizenship medals were given to eighteen grade school students, presented by Charles K Peacock, area executive of the Boy Scouts. National and State officers of the D. A. R. and representatives of the local D. A. R. chapters were also guests. Col. Ben P. Nicklin gave a brief address on the Flag.

Texas Society

ARLINGTON CHAPTER and JESSE WATKINS CHAP-TER of Henderson held annual meetings in joint session on Constitution Day, September 17th, at the Home for Aged Masons in Arlington.

After concluding their business sessions an open patriotic meeting and program was held to which all friends and the public were cordially invited.

The guest speaker for the occasion was General Jewell P. Lightfoot of Fort Worth. New members were welcomed and presented with certificates of membership.

ARLINGTON CHAPTER has maintained an enviable record since its organization a few years ago in being the first of the State's fourteen chapters to remit its annual dues, and to show no delinquent members. Its officers hope this year will show no deviation.

HOUSTON CHAPTER-Re-organization of this Chapter No. 5 of the Texas Society has been recently accomplished with enthusiasm and this will be known hereafter as Paul Carrington Chapter. A new Constitution and By Laws will shortly be adopted and is now in preparation by a committee of which Compatriot I. F. Dabnev is chairman.

Officers elected to serve the reorganized chapter are President, Hon. Joe Brown; Vice Presidents, W. S. Patton, Eugene T. Harris, Captain John B. Eves; Registrar, J. F. Dabney; Secretary-Treasurer, James Ingram; Parliamentarian, C. D. Jessup; Chaplain, I. T. Taylor; Sergeant at Arms. Hugh Slover.

Utah Society

The Williamsburg Congress was attended by the President of the Utah Society, former Congressman Don B. Colton and by National Trustee George Albert Smith. These two busy men made the trip of over 5000 miles to attend the Congress as an act of fidelity to the Society and interest Chapter enjoyed an address by Thomas O. Trotter, in its welfare, especially during these very trying and critical times and their action in making the ings from their respective organizations as did trip is indeed commendable.

for the welfare of the organization at Williams- at all sessions. burg and will give sustained and enthusiastic cooperation in this respect.

work under the able leadership of Ven. William Mayor of Payson, Utah. Dr. Curtis travels 130 miles each time he attends a Board Meeting of the Utah Society and does this willingly, notwithstanding his being one of the busiest physicians in the State of Utah.

Vice President, Perry W. Jenkins, who was former President of the Wyoming State Senate, is also most active in the welfare of the Society.

Many of our Compatriots have gone into War Service and it can be counted on that the Society will give a good record of itself during the coming year.

Virginia Society

The semi-Annual meeting of the State Society was held in Williamsburg, on Constitution Day, September 17th with good attendance from Chapters throughout the State.

as host to the delegates and their guests, and arrangements were made for visitors not interested in the business sessions to view the many points of historic interest in Williamsburg.

The business session preceded a luncheon and this was followed by a program meeting. All of S. A. R. activities. gatherings were held at The Lodge, and officers and members of the Daughters of the American the S. A. R., issued a proclamation urging state-Revolution were special guests and brought greet- wide observance of Constitution Day.

S. A. R. Chapter representatives from the State Utah is in full accord with the measures adopted at large. President William Thomas Old presided

At the luncheon and program following, the Mayor of Wililamsburg, Hon. Channing M. Hall The Medal Committee continues to do effective extended cordial welcome and Past Presidents and distinguished guests were presented. The speaker F. Bulkley, Archdeacon of the Episcopal District of the day was Dr. John E. Pomfret, newly inof Utab. He has been ably supported by Honor-stalled President of William and Mary College. ary Vice President Dr. Asa L. Curtis, former Baritone and soprano solos by Dr. Luther A Richman and Mrs. Mildred H. Blanton, were accompanied by Mrs. Cora M. Ferrell, and added greatly to the pleasure of the guests.

Washington State Society

In accordance with previous custom, the Society took a prominent part in the Independence Day civic parade and exercises of Seattle, furnishing the "Spirit of '76" feature, in which Compatriot George C. Gerity carried the traditional thirteen star flag, with the accompanying drummer and fifer. A Boy Scout followed carrying the Seattle Chapter Flag of the S. A. R. The members of the D. A. R. cooperated in sponsoring this feature. Following the parade, participants appeared on the platform of the Victory Square, and were introduced.

State Secretary G. Ward Kemp assisted in a THOMAS NELSON, JR., CHAPTER did the honors Bond-Stamp Rally staged shortly after, when names and amounts of buyers were announced and broadcast, and led the drive by contributing a \$1000.00 Bond in the name of the Society.

> New applications and reinstatements in the Society are coming in steadily in gratifying revival

> Governor Arthur B. Langlie, at the request of

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Additions to Membership

the Registrar General from June 1, 1942, to Pennsylvania, 14; South Dakota, 1; Tennes-September 1, 1942, 153 new members, distrib- see, 3; Texas, 8; Virginia, 7; Washington, 4; uted as follows: Arizona, 1; California, 5: West Virginia, 1. Connecticut, 2; District of Columbia, 3; Florida, 2; Georgia, 2; Idaho, 1; Illinois, 5; Michigan, 4; Minnesota, 6; Mississippi, 1; Jersey, 7; New York, 6; Ohio, 3; Texas, 3. New Jersey, 7; New York, 36; North Caro-

There have been enrolled in the office of lina, 2; Ohio, 10; Oklahoma, 7; Oregon, 3;

Supplemental claims have been approved from the following states: District of Colum-Indiana, 6; Iowa, 2; Kansas, 1; Louisiana, 1; bia, 2; Georgia, 1; Illinois, 1; Maine, 2; Mary-Maine, 1; Maryland, 6; Massachusetts, 1; land, 1; Minnesota, 3; Nebraska, 1; New

Records of 153 New Members and 30 Supplementals Approved and Enrolled by the Registrar General from June 1, 1942, to September 1, 1942.

WILLIAM JULIAN ARNETTE. San Francisco, Calif. (61260). Great³-grandson of Samuel Mobley (Moberly),

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JOHN S. BABBITT, Sand Springs, Okla. (59316). Great³-grandson of Joy Babbitt, private, Mass. Troops.

H. SHERIDAN BAKETEL, JR., Bryn Mawr, Pa. (61418). Great³-grandson of John Jacob Bachtel, Signed Oath of Allegiance, Md., 1778.

JOHN ADAMS BALLORD, Minneapolis, Minn. (60443). Great³-grandson of Zaccheus Ballord, private, R. I. and Mass. Troops.

Mass. Troops.
MAURICE ALLYN BARNARD, Rochester, N.

(61507). Great2-grandson of Ebenezer Barnard, Cap-ARTHUR EAMES WRIGHT BARRETT, Dallas, Tex

60888). Great4-grandson of John Duncan, Jr., private, JOHN WILLIAM BARTHOLOMEW, Ohio (46230). Supplemental. Great-grandson of James Moor, Sergeant,

LAWRENCE MAXWELL BARTLETT, St. Louis Park, Minn. (60441). Great³-grandson of Elizur Webster,

RICHARD EARL BELT, Dayton, Ohio (61200). Great3grandson of Zachariah P. Griffis, private, Va. Troops.
WILLIAM S. BENNET, N. Y. (4361). Supplemental.
Great³-grandson of William Caudebec, private, N. Y.
Militia.

LERUE PIERCE BENSING, Cleveland Heights, O. (61195). Great³-grandson of *Thomas Bassler*, private, WILLIAM EELLS BETZER, New Rochelle, N. Y. (61324). Great³-grandson of John Mead, Brig. General,

ERLE GOODWIN BEWLEY, Oklahoma City, Okla. (59318). Great2-grandson of George Bewley, private,

Penna. Troops.
MARS PAUL BISHOP, Evanston, Ill. (60844). Great³grandson of John Bishop, II, private, Va. Troops. CHANDLER BLOOM, Portland, Ore. (58916). Great²grandson of William Bloom, Sr., private, Penna. Troops. WALTER LEE BLOSSOM, Erie, Pa. (61414). Great²-

grandson of Benjamin Blossom, private, Mass. Troops.

8. MILES BOUTON, Ashville, N. Y. (61525). Greats-grandson of Lawrence Frank, private, N. Y. Militia.

ARTHUR GATEWOOD BRADING, Chattanooga, Tenn. (61354). Greats-grandson of John Cole, private, Mass.

WILLIAM HENRY ODENHEIMER BREWSTER, New York, N. Y. (61511). Great³-grandson of Wrestling Brewster, III, private, Mass. Troops. CHARLES MEACHAM BROWN, Lewiston, N. Y. (61506). Great³-grandson of Isaac Hull, Lieutenant, N. I. W. S. W.

N. J. Militia.

WILLIAM SAMUEL BURKS, Arlington, Tex. (60891).

Great²-grandson of Robert Page, private, Va. Militia.

HERBERT LYNN CAMPBELL, Oklahoma City, Okla.

(59313). Great²-grandson of Samuel Houston, private,

Penna. Troops.
MORGAN ROUSE CARTWRIGHT, JR., Stuart. Fla.
(60821). Great^a-grandson of Amos Hotchkiss, Lieutenant, Conn. Militia.
TRACY GRAY CASSIDY, Minneapolis, Minn. (60444).
Great-grandson of Daniel Gray, Lieutenant, Conn. Line.

IRVING ROSS ALLEN, Wheaton, Ill. (60843). Great²-grandson of Phinneas Allen, private, Conn. Troops; great³-grandson of Nathan Bicknell, private, N. H. ALBERT EUGENE CLARK, Buffalo, N. Y. (61518). Great³-grandson of David Baker, private, Mass. Troops RALPH A. CLARK, Brooklyn, N. Y. (61325). Great³-grandson of David Baker, private, Mass. Troops RALPH A. CLARK, Brooklyn, N. Y. (61325).

ALBERT EUGENE CLARK, Buffalo, N. Y. (61518).

Great²-grandson of David Baker, private, Mass. Troops.

RALPH A. CLARK, Brooklyn, N. Y. (61325). Great³grandson of Hezekiah Rice, private, Mass. Militia.

JOHN GARDNER COBURN, Lewiston, Me. (55622).

Great-grandson of Jonathan Gardner, private, Mass.

Troops; great²-grandson of Benjamin Dows, private,
Mass. Troops; great²-grandson of Ebenezer Newman,
private, Mass. Troops.

JOHN FREDERICK COKER, Evansville, Ind. (61067).

Great⁴-grandson of William Coker, private, S. C. Militia.

THOMAS ELLIS COLEMAN, Hamden, Conn. (61235).

Great⁸-grandson of Benjamin B. Coleman, private, N. Y.
Militia.

LEWIS HAUPT CONARROE, Bray, Marty, De. (64501).

Militia,
LEWIS HAUPT CONARROE, Bryn Mawr, Pa. (61501).
Great³-grandson of Richard Riley, on Com. of Defense and Com. for Provincial Congress, Pa.
ANDREW JOSEPH CONLON, Baltimore, Md. (61455).
Great³-grandson of George Jackson, Colonel, Va. Rangers.
ROSS KEELVE COOK, N. J. (42711). Supplementals.
Great²-grandson of John Adam Koch, private, Penna.
Troops; great³-grandson of Adam Koch, private, Penna.

ROBERT STEINER CRAIG, Erie, Pa. (61415). Great4-

grandson of Humphrey Choate, Ensign, Mass. Troops.
NEIL JAMES CRAWFORD, Buffalo, N. Y. (61519).
Great²-grandson of William Crary, Sergeant, Vt. Militia.
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