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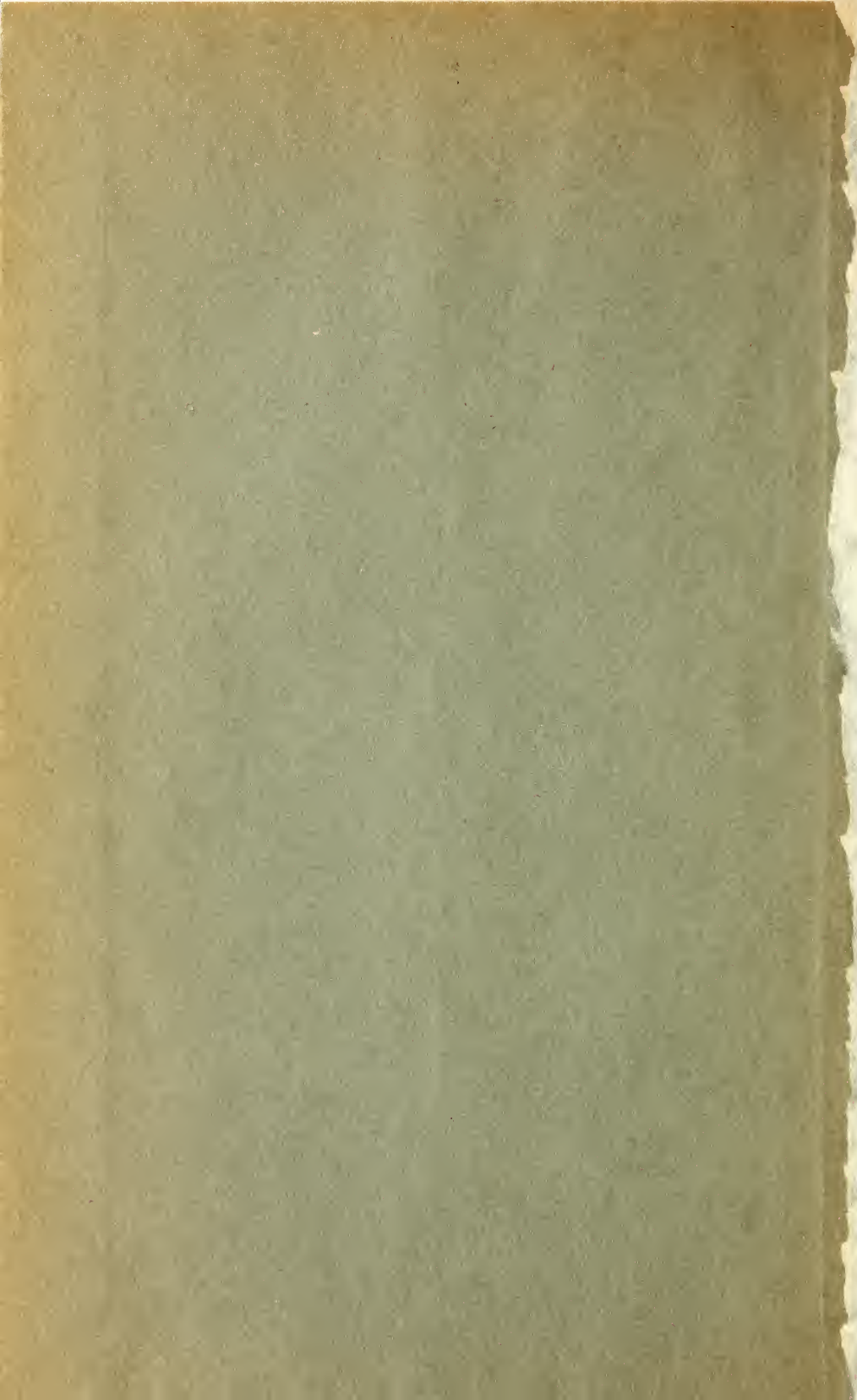
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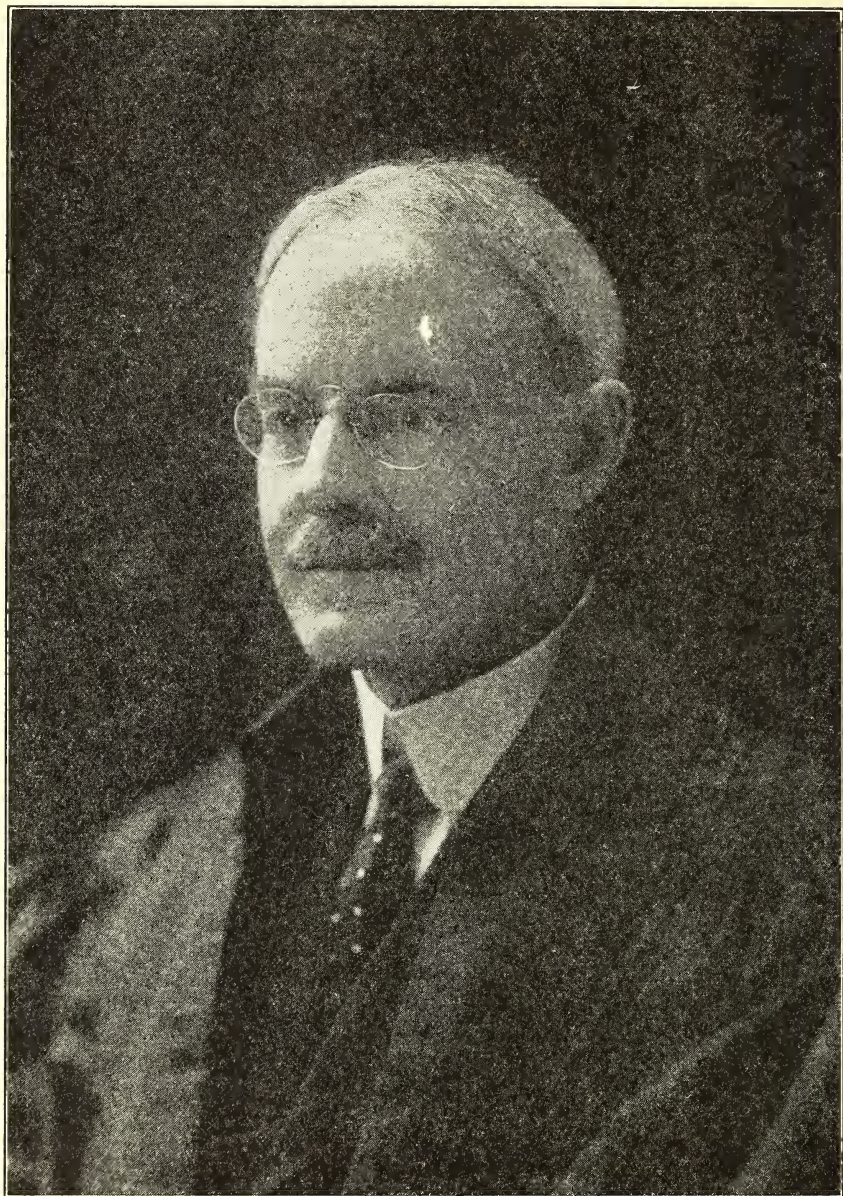


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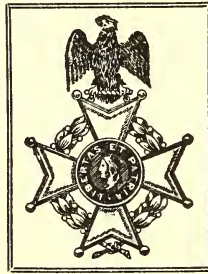


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The OFFICIAL BULLETIN records action by the General Officers, the Board of Trustees, the Executive and other National Committees, lists of members deceased and of new members, and important doings of State Societies. In order that the OFFICIAL BULLETIN may be up to date, and to insure the preservation in the National Society archives of a complete history of the doings of the entire organization, State Societies and local Chapters are requested to communicate promptly to the Secretary General written or printed accounts of all meetings or celebrations, to forward copies of all notices, circulars, and other printed matter issued by them, and to notify him at once of dates of death of members.

## PURPOSES AND OBJECTS OF THE S. A. R.

(EXTRACTS FROM CONSTITUTION)

The purposes and objects of this Society are declared to be patriotic, historical, and educational, and shall include those intended or designed to perpetuate the memory of the men who, by their services or sacrifices during the war of the American Revolution, achieved the independence of the American people; to unite and promote fellowship among their descendants; to inspire them and the community at large with a more profound reverence for the principles of the government founded by our forefathers; to encourage historical research in relation to the American Revolution; to acquire and preserve the records of the individual services of the patriots of the war, as well as documents, relics, and landmarks; to mark the scenes of the Revolution by appropriate memorials; to celebrate the anniversaries of the prominent events of the war and of the Revolutionary period; to foster true patriotism; to maintain and extend the institutions of American freedom, and to carry out the purposes expressed in the preamble of the Constitution of our country and the injunctions of Washington in his farewell address to the American people.

### Qualifications for Membership

Any man shall be eligible to membership in the Society who, being of the age of twenty-one years or over and a citizen of good repute in the community, is the lineal descendant of an ancestor who was at all times unflinching in his 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.

Provided, however, that any male person, above the age of 18 years and under the age of 21 years, whose qualifications in regard to ancestry and personal character are as above prescribed, shall be eligible to a qualified membership to be known and designated as junior membership. . . .

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 applications and supplementals are made in duplicate.

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MAY 22, 1923**

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LOUIS A. BOWMAN, 30 North La Salle Street, Chicago, Illinois.

Mississippi Valley, East District (Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, and Mississippi).

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Mississippi Valley, West District (Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana, and Texas).

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**BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

The General Officers, together with one member from each State Society, constitute the Board of Trustees of the National Society. The following Trustees for the several States were elected at the Nashville Congress, May 22, 1923, to serve until their successors are elected at the Congress to be held at Salt Lake City, Utah, in June, 1924:

Alabama, (vacant); Arizona, E. E. Ellinwood, Phoenix; Arkansas, A. R. Snodgrass, Little Rock; California, Seabury C. Mastick, New York City; Colorado, Hon. George H. Bradfield, Greeley; Connecticut, Ernest E. Rogers, New London; Delaware, Herbert H. Ward, Wilmington; District of Columbia, Selden M. Ely, Washington; Far Eastern Society, Austin Craig, Manila; Florida, Dr. F. G. Renshaw, Pensacola; Society in France, (vacant); Hawaiian Society, Donald S. Bowman, Honolulu; Georgia, (vacant); Idaho, Charles L. Longley, Boise; Illinois, James Edgar Brown, Chicago; Indiana, Charles C. Jewett, Terre Haute; Iowa, Elmer M. Wentworth, Des Moines; Kansas, John M. Meade, Topeka; Kentucky, Marvin Lewis, Louisville; Louisiana, Col. C. Robert Churchill, New Orleans; Maine, Charles L. Hutchinson, Portland; Maryland, Hon. Henry Stockbridge, Baltimore; Massachusetts, Burton H. Wiggin, Lowell; Michigan, Wilbert H. Barrett, Adrian; Minnesota, Dr. Douglas F. Wood, Minneapolis; Mississippi, (vacant); Missouri, George R. Merrell, St. Louis; Montana, Lyman H. Bennett, Virginia City; Nebraska, Benjamin F. Bailey, Lincoln; Nevada, (vacant); New Hampshire, Hon. Harry T. Lord, Manchester; New Jersey, Charles Symmes Kiggins, Elizabeth; New Mexico, C. C. Manning, Gallup; New York, Louis Annin Ames, New York; North Carolina, (vacant); North Dakota, Howard E. Simpson, Grand Forks; Ohio, Hon. George E. Pomeroy, Toledo; Oklahoma, George L. Bowman, Kingfisher; Oregon, Wallace McCamant, Portland; Pennsylvania, James A. Wakefield, Pittsburgh; Rhode Island, Hon. Arthur P. Sumner, Providence; South Carolina, (vacant); South Dakota, F. M. Mills, Sioux Falls; Tennessee, Leland Hume, Nashville; Texas, Walter S. Mayer, Galveston; Utah, Daniel S. Spencer, Salt Lake City; Vermont, Charles A. Plumley, Northfield; Virginia, Col. Eugene C. Massie, Richmond; Washington, Ernest B. Hussey, Seattle; Wisconsin, Henry S. Sloan, Milwaukee; Wyoming, Warren Richardson, Cheyenne.

**ARTHUR PRESTON SUMNER****President General**

Our newly elected President-General, Arthur Preston Sumner, was born in Providence, Rhode Island, on the 8th day of April, 1862. He was the son of Dr. Ossian Sumner and Kate A. (Sayles) Sumner. He was educated in the public schools of Providence, and graduated from Brown University in 1885 with the degree of A. B. He was admitted to the Rhode Island bar in July, 1888, and practiced before the State and Federal courts till February, 1920, when he was elected a Justice of the Superior Court. He served in the Rhode Island House of Representatives from 1912 to 1920, the last two years as Speaker of the House. He joined the Sons of the American Revolution, May 6, 1893, and has attended eight Congresses. He was Treasurer of the Rhode Island Society from 1898 to 1918; was elected Vice-President in 1918 and President in 1919. He served as a Director General of the National Society from 1920 to 1923, and was elected President General, May 22, 1923.

Judge Sumner married Sarah E. Potter in 1918. In politics he is a Republican, and is a member of the Congregational Church. He is descended from Benjamin Sumner, who served on Committees of Correspondence and as a Deputy to the General Assembly of Connecticut from 1769 to 1775, inclusive. Another ancestor is Earl Clapp, who served as a Captain of Minute Men, and afterwards as Major, in several Massachusetts regiments.

**CHARLES HOWARD BANGS, M. D.****Vice-President General for New England District**

CHARLES HOWARD BANGS, physician and educator, elected Vice-President General for New England District at Nashville, Tenn., on May 21-22, 1923, was born in Limerick, York County, Maine, April 14, 1861, and was the only child of William B. and Martha Philpot (Swett) Bangs. He is ninth in line of descent from Edward Bang(e)s, who came to Plymouth in the *Ann* in 1623 and was the founder of the American branch of the Bangs family. Also he is a descendant from Elder William Brewster and Governor Thomas Prentice and his Revolutionary ancestor was Barnabas Bangs, of Gorham, Maine. Dr. Bangs was also elected a Trustee of the National Society upon nomination by the Massachusetts Society, but resigned the office in favor of the President of the Massachusetts Society, not desiring to hold two offices upon the same board. He resides in Swampscott, Mass.

He was a teacher in the public schools of Maine five years and studied medicine at Portland, Baltimore, and Brunswick, graduating from the Medical School of Maine (Bowdoin College) in June, 1892. After a few months' practice in Sanford, Maine, he removed to Lynn, Mass., where he has since practiced his profession, with an office in Boston, for the past fifteen years.

He has taken an active interest in public betterment as well as professional and educational affairs, and the attached memoranda indicate something of the field of his interest and activity: President Massachusetts Society, S. A. R., 1922-23, after serving for three years as Vice-President; Historian, Old Essex Chapter, S. A. R. (Lynn), since 1909; President University of Massachusetts, Inc.; Trustee Limerick Academy (chartered in 1808), from which he is a graduate;

Trustee, Middlesex Hospital; Dermatologist, fifteen years, Lynn Hospital; Trustee and Professor of Dermatology, Middlesex College of Medicine and Surgery; President Essex South District Medical Society during its centennial year; filled every elective office in Lynn Medical Fraternity; Vice-President Swampcott Historical Society, Inc.; Secretary The Edward Bangs Descendants, Inc.; Executive Vice-President Massachusetts Old Home Week Association for several years, and Secretary New England Old Home Week Association; a writer and public speaker on medical, educational, and historical subjects and a member of numerous social and professional clubs and societies.

In 1894 he married Eva A., daughter of George and Emma (Chase) Parcher, of Saco, Maine, former Secretary of the Maine Board of World's Fair Managers. They have a son, William Parcher Bangs, a member of the S. A. R., who is a teacher, and a daughter, Althea Bangs, who is fitting herself for teaching.

### **CARL MONTAIGNE VAIL**

#### **Vice-President General for Middle and Coast District**

Carl Montaigne Vail, elected Vice-President General for the Middle and Coast District at the Nashville Congress, May 22, was born in New York city, is the son of the late Henry Clay and Caroline (Berg) Vail, and a great-great-grandson of Isaac Vail, who was a Captain in Col. Wm. Humphrey's 5th Dutchess County (New York) Regiment. Thomas Vail, first of the family to come to America from England, landed about 1629 and settled in Salem, Mass., later moving to Boston and then to Long Island, N. Y.

Mr. Vail was educated in public and private schools. His business is designing and constructing engineering, in his younger days being connected with Westinghouse, Church, Kerr and Company, of New York, becoming a member of the board of directors and an executive officer of that company. During the same period he was actively interested in and an executive officer of several interurban railroads and two trust companies. In 1914 he joined Mr. Henry R. Kent in establishing an engineering firm under the name of Henry R. Kent & Company, which business grew rapidly and now has headquarters at Rutherford, N. J., with branches in New York and Boston.

In 1914, Mr. Vail joined the New Jersey Society, Sons of the American Revolution, being one of the charter members of Paramus Chapter. The following year he was elected Vice-President of the Chapter and subsequently became its President; in 1917 he was elected Second Vice-President of the New Jersey Society, Sons of the American Revolution, and in 1918 its President, holding the latter office two terms. Mr. Vail has attended several National Conventions as chairman of the New Jersey delegation and was chairman of the War Service Committee of the National Society.

During the Great War, Mr. Vail was an inspector in the American Protective League, being in charge of the southern half of Passaic County and the western portion of Bergen County, N. J., and also was actively engaged in other War Service work.

Among the organizations of which Mr. Vail is a member are the Society of Colonial Wars, Founders and Patriots of America, American Flag Association, Rotary Club, Sulgrave Institution, New Jersey Historical Society, and Bergen County Historical Society, in several of which he has been or is an officer. Though

he has always refused to accept a political office, Mr. Vail is active in politics and was a delegate alternate to the Republican National Convention at Chicago in 1920.

Mr. Vail married Laura Louise Bain. Mrs. Vail is a member of the Society of Mayflower Descendants and the Daughters of the Revolution. Their two sons served in the Great War, one being an ambulance driver, who was awarded a Croix de Guerre, and the other a naval aviator with the rank of ensign.

### **LOUIS A. BOWMAN**

#### **Vice-President General, Mississippi Valley, East District**

LOUIS A. BOWMAN, elected Vice-President General for the Mississippi Valley, East District, at the Springfield Congress, May 16, 1922, and reelected at Nashville, May, 1923, is a native of Rock Island, Ill., removing to Chicago while still a boy and becoming actively identified with the civic, patriotic, and moral forces of the city at an early age. He became a member of the Sons of the American Revolution in 1903 and was elected Secretary of the Illinois Society in 1909, serving continuously since. During this time he has attended every National Congress of the Society save one and has served on various national committees. He was admitted to the bar in 1901 and is assistant attorney for the Northern Trust Company of Chicago.

In the Association of Commerce he served three years as chairman of the Banking Section and four years as a member of the Illinois Committee. He is Secretary of the Lions Club of Chicago, member of the Union League, Hamilton, and other clubs and treasurer of several civic and educational organizations. He has been an officer in the Young Men's Christian Association for many years, serving for nineteen years as Secretary of the State Association of Illinois and for fifteen years a director of the Central Association of Chicago. He is actively identified with the Presbyterian denomination, serving as elder and treasurer in his home church at Oak Park and as a director of various denominational institutions and as a commissioner to the General Assembly.

His associates in the Illinois Society have referred to his work there as characterized by zeal, courage, initiative, enthusiasm, and efficient leadership.

### **J. REID GREEN**

#### **Vice-President General for Mississippi Valley West District**

J. REID GREEN, of Lincoln, Nebr., was born at De Witt, Nebr., in 1881, being the youngest son of Joseph Edwin Green and Corada Walrath Green. His parents were early pioneers of Nebraska, his father being the first school teacher in his District.

He graduated from the high school at Red Oak, Iowa, in 1901. He attended the University of Nebraska, and graduated from the Law School of the University in 1907. Has practiced law at Lincoln since 1909.

Believing it the duty of every citizen to be keenly interested in government and public affairs, Mr. Green has taken an active part in politics, being a Republican. He was secretary and for four years was chairman of the Lancaster County Republican Central Committee. In 1916 he was elected a delegate to the National Republican Convention at Chicago and was the Nebraska member of the com-

mittee to notify Vice-President Fairbanks of his nomination at that convention. He was an ardent supporter of Justice Hughes for President, having helped circulate and having filed the original Hughes-for-President petition in Nebraska, the first one filed in the country.

During the World War he was chairman of the Speakers Bureau and a member of the Executive Committee which had charge for Lancaster County of the campaign for selling Liberty bonds and the raising of funds for all war activities. Also, as the representative of the S. A. R., he served as a Vice-President of the Lincoln Chapter, American Red Cross. While the war was pending he saw the need for legislation along Americanization lines, and for that reason became a candidate for the Legislature in 1918. He was elected, and was reelected in 1920 and in 1922. While in the Legislature he gave special attention to Americanization and Child Welfare measures. Always a member of the House Committee on Committees, in the 1923 session he was chairman of that committee and also chairman of the Republican party (the majority party) caucus of the House.

Mr. Green is a genuine American, as he has had no foreign-born ancestors since the Revolution. He is a descendant of Surgeon John Greene, of Warwick, one of the associates of Roger Williams in the founding of the Rhode Island Colony. Surgeon John Greene was the progenitor of many distinguished Americans, among them General Nathaniel Greene. On his mother's side, he is descended from Adam Walrath, John Adam Walrath, and George Klock, all members of the New York Militia during the Revolution. He has been a member and the Registrar of the Lincoln Chapter, S. A. R., since its organization in 1914 and is also its Historian. He served two years as a member of the Executive Committee and for the past three years has been Historian of the State Society.

In 1910 he was married to Irene G. Courtney, of Lincoln, Nebr., only child of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Courtney, early residents of Lincoln. Her father was one of the well-known attorneys of the State, taking an active interest in public affairs. She is a member of Deborah Avery Chapter of the D. A. R.

## GEORGE ALBERT SMITH

### Vice-President General

GEORGE ALBERT SMITH, member of the Utah Society, was elected Vice-President General at Springfield, Mass., May 16, 1922, and reelected at Nashville, Tenn., May, 1923. Born in Salt Lake City, April 4, 1870. He is the son of John Henry and Sarah Farr Smith. His grandfather, George A. Smith, was one of the leaders in the first company of pioneers to settle in the Rocky Mountain region. This group was composed of one hundred and forty-three men, three women, and two children. They were the first Anglo-Saxons in America to raise crops by irrigation. This little group was the nucleus from which has come the settlement of the Commonwealths of Utah, Idaho, Nevada, California, and Arizona.

George Albert Smith is a descendant of Edward Winslow, of the *Mayflower*, who later became Governor of the Plymouth Colony. Among his ancestors are also the original families of Libbey, Freeman, Hovey, and Lord, all of New England. Some of the Revolutionary ancestors of George Albert Smith are: Samuel Smith, Chairman of the Committee of Safety at Topsfield, Mass.; Ashahel Smith, son of Samuel Smith, who was also of Topsfield, Mass.; Jonathan Farr, private; Timothy Chase, aid to General Washington, and Richard Lyman, orderly sergeant to General Putnam.



Having grown up in a pioneer country, George Albert Smith has witnessed much of the development of western America, in which, with many of his kindred, he has taken a very prominent part. While his scholastic training was received in the common schools of Utah and in the State University, his education has also been greatly enlarged by travel, taken extensively, both in Europe and America.

Mr. Smith was appointed Receiver of Public Money and Disbursing Agent for Utah by President McKinley, and later he was reappointed to this same position by President Roosevelt. During the World War he was a member of the Utah State Council of Defense and he was also Chairman of the Armenian and Syrian Relief.

Mr. Smith has served as Chaplain of the Utah Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, has served repeatedly as a member of the Board of Managers, and has been twice elected President. In the Congresses of the National Society he has frequently been Utah's representative.

Mr. Smith is president, vice-president, or director of some of Utah's largest banking and commercial enterprises. One of these institutions is the Zion's Coöperative Mercantile Institution, the first department store in America and today the largest wholesale and retail house in the Rocky Mountain region. Mr. Smith is Chairman of the Executive Committee of the *Desert News*, the oldest newspaper west of the Rocky Mountains.

George Albert Smith has served as both president and vice-president of the International Irrigation Congress, as president of the International Dry Farm Congress, as president of the International Farm Congress, and at this writing he is vice-president of the Western States Reclamation Association, which organization comprises the thirteen Western States which are so greatly interested in the work of the United States Reclamation Service.

In the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, of which Mr. Smith is a member, he has served in many important capacities. At the close of the World War he was made president of the Latter-Day Saints European Mission, with headquarters in England. Belonging to this mission, there are conferences or church organizations in nearly all of the European countries. Mr. Smith is a member of the Council of the Twelve of his church, which means he is one of the fifteen men who stand at the head of this organization, and he is also General Superintendent of the Young Men's Mutual Improvement Association of the same church, which organization has a membership of nearly fifty thousand young men, most of whom are in America.

## **FRANK BARTLETT STEELE**

### **Secretary General**

FRANK BARLETT STEELE, elected Secretary General May 17, 1921, at the Buffalo Congress, and reelected at Springfield, Mass., May 16, 1922, and at Nashville, Tenn., May 22, 1923, was born in Buffalo, New York, March 28, 1864. He is the son of Charles Gould Steele and Harriet Virginia Snyder, and great-grandson of Zenas Barker, who fought in the Revolutionary War with the New York troops in the battle of Oriskany. Mr. Steele was graduated from the State Normal School of Buffalo and studied law in the offices of George Clinton, grandson of De Witt Clinton. Mr. Steele joined the Buffalo Chapter of the Empire State

Society in 1897 and became its Secretary in 1901, which office he has held continuously since. He has been a delegate to every National Congress since 1906, except those held at Denver in 1907 and Portland in 1915, and has been on a number of important national committees.

Mr. Steele, in coöperation with the School Department of the City of Buffalo and the Daughters of the American Revolution, has been active in the work of Americanization, the field for this work being almost unlimited in Buffalo, due to its large foreign population.

Mr. Steele, shortly after his admission to the bar, became the Clerk of the Superior Court of Buffalo, and was thereafter transferred into the Supreme Court of the State of New York. He was at one time clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Erie County.

He is a member of the Society of Mayflower Descendants in line from Governor William Bradford.

During the World War Mr. Steele was made Executive Secretary of the Home Defense Committee of Erie County, a body created by the State of New York, and during this period gave his time unstintedly to the many activities and responsibilities that were placed upon this committee by the National and State Governments. Under a statute of the State of New York creating local historians, Mayor Buck appointed Mr. Steele Historian of the City of Buffalo, and in this capacity he assisted in writing and compiling the History of the City of Buffalo and Erie County in the World War; also, at the suggestion of the State Historian, Mr. Steele has made a complete survey of the records and archives of Buffalo and Erie County, and upon his recommendations steps are now being taken by the City Commissioners to improve the conditions under which these records are being preserved.

Mr. Steele married Helen Cleveland Varian, of Titusville, Pa., in 1896. Mrs. Steele is also of Revolutionary ancestry, descending from the Atlees of Pennsylvania, the Varians of New York, and Litchfields of Connecticut. She was a daughter of Col. William Varian, Surgeon on the staff of Gen. Gordon Granger during the Civil War, now buried in Arlington Cemetery.

## **GEORGE MCKENZIE ROBERTS**

### **Treasurer General**

GEORGE MCKENZIE ROBERTS, of New York City, elected Treasurer General at the Springfield Congress, May 16, 1922, reelected at Nashville, May 22, 1923, is the son of George Simon and Florence Loise (McKenzie) Roberts, and was born December 28, 1886, in Vergennes, Vt. He is Assistant Treasurer of the International General Electric Company, Inc., 120 Broadway, New York City, and has been connected with the General Electric Company and its subsidiary company since 1901, except for the period from 1907 to 1913, when he was with the Bradstreet Company, in New Haven, Conn. He is a member of the Empire State Society, Sons of the American Revolution, and a former Third Vice-President thereof. He is now on its Board of Managers and a member of the Finance Committee. He was originally a member of the Colonel Cornelius Van Dyck Chapter, Schenectady, N. Y., of which he was Second and later First Vice-President and is now an honorary member of that Chapter. He is Secretary of the New York Chapter, the largest Chapter in the National organization, and was

a delegate to the National Congresses of 1920, 1921, 1922, and 1923, from that Chapter. His Revolutionary ancestors were Sergeant Joseph Convers and Private Daniel Cummings, of Massachusetts; Sergeant Daniel Tallmadge, Corporal George McKenzie, and Privates John Roberts and Eli Denslow, of Connecticut.

Mr. Roberts is also a member of the Philip Livingston Chapter of the Sons of the Revolution in the State of New York, of Albany, N. Y.; also of the Society of Colonial Wars in the State of New York, and of the Governor Thomas Dudley Family Association of Boston, Mass., membership in both of these being through descent from Governor Thomas Dudley, of Massachusetts Bay Colony. He is also a member of the New England Society in the City of New York, the Vermont Society of New York City, the New York State Historical Association, the National Geographic Society, the American Flag Association, and the Denslow Family Association; he is also a Trustee and former Recording Secretary of the Schenectady County (N. Y.) Historical Society. He is also a member and former Chairman of the Supervisory Committee of the Foreign Credit Interchange Bureau of the National Association of Credit Men and a member of the Ways and Means Committee of the New York Credit Men's Association.

He is interested in historical and genealogical subjects and has prepared a genealogy of the Denslow Family.

## FRANCIS BARNUM CULVER

### Registrar General

FRANCIS BARNUM CULVER, author and publisher, elected Registrar General at the National Congress at Springfield, Mass., in May, 1922, reelected at Nashville, Tenn., May, 1923, was born at Baltimore, Md., on November 12, 1868.

He is the son of the late William Edward Culver, a private banker and capitalist of Louisville, Ky., for many years prior to the Civil War, by his second wife, Jane McClintock, a native of Pennsylvania.

The father of the Registrar General was born near Wilkes-Barre, Pa., in 1803, and removed with his parents to Ohio in 1809, but on attaining his majority took up his residence in Bourbon County, Kentucky, and was appointed by Postmaster General John McLean, in 1825, postmaster at Centerville, being, perhaps, the youngest postmaster at that time in the service.

On the paternal side Mr. Culver traces back to the Puritan ancestor, Edward Culver (grandson of Rev. Edward Culver, Episcopal rector of St. Mary's Harmondsworth, Middlesex, under Queen Elizabeth), who came to Boston in 1635, but shortly afterward signed the Dedham Covenant of 1636, and married, at Dedham, Mass., Ann Ellyce, this marriage being the second, in order, to be entered upon the First Church Register of Dedham by the Rev. John Allyn. Subsequently the family removed to Roxbury, Mass., and in 1652 to New London County, Connecticut.

Mr. Culver's paternal grandfather was Solomon Culver, born at Litchfield, Conn., in 1760, who removed with his elder brother, Captain Nathaniel Culver, to New York shortly before the Revolution. At the age of seventeen years Solomon Culver was enrolled in Colonel William Bradford Whiting's (17th New York) Regiment of King's District, Albany (now Columbia) County, which was attached to the Division of General Schuyler, embracing Berkshire County, Massachusetts, and Albany County, New York militia. He served at

Fort George and Fort Edward and was in the American retreat from General Burgoyne's advance toward Saratoga, where the battle took place that resulted in the capitulation of Burgoyne. Solomon Culver married Lodamia Burr, of Farmington, Conn., and through these two families the Registrar General is descended from such New England forebears as Backus, Burr, Pratt, Hibberd, Hinman, Stiles, Cadwell, Stebbins, Butler; and from Hon. John Clarke, Royal Charterer of Connecticut in 1662, and from Rev. Samuel Stone, who, along with Rev. Thomas Hooker, emigrated from England to Cambridge, Mass., and in 1636 removed to Hartford, Conn., founding the First Church in that settlement. Through his mother Mr. Culver is a descendant of William Shield, of Kent County, Md., who was one of the famous "Maryland 400" at the battle of Long Island.

Francis Barnum Culver was graduated from the Johns Hopkins University in the class of 1889, receiving the degree of B. A. He has devoted a great part of his life to genealogical and historical pursuits, has contributed numerous articles on these subjects to magazines, and is the author of certain books, such as "Blooded Horses of Colonial Days, or Classic Horse Matches in America before the Revolution" and a "Historical Sketch of the Militia of Maryland."

Mr. Culver is a member and officer in several patriotic societies, including the Scions of Colonial Cavaliers, Colonial Wars, Sons of the American Revolution, War of 1812, Order of Washington, Order of La Fayette, Knights of the Golden Horseshoe, as well as of the English-speaking Union and the Johns Hopkins Club, and represents his class as chairman in the Alumni Association of the Johns Hopkins University. He is Registrar of the Maryland Society, Sons of the American Revolution.

## JOSEPH B. DOYLE

### Historian General

JOSEPH B. DOYLE, elected Historian General at the 33d National Congress, at Springfield, Mass., on May 16, 1922, and reelected at Nashville, Tenn., May, 1923, is a descendant of Benjamin Doyle, who was born in Loudoun County, Va., in 1762. The latter's wife, Patience, born in 1771, was the daughter of John McGuire, of Winchester, Va., a member of the George Rogers Clark Expedition to the Ohio country in 1778-9, which secured the Northwest Territory to the Union.

The family were among the pioneer settlers of Steubenville, Ohio, going there from West Middletown, Pa., in 1798. John B. Doyle, son of Benjamin, was then four years of age; his son, Joseph C., was born at Steubenville on September 26, 1823, and the subject of this sketch dates from September 10, 1849. His life has been comparatively uneventful. Graduating from the Steubenville High School in his sixteenth year, a commercial college in Pittsburgh a few months later, he studied law and was admitted to the bar on September 29, 1870, being then just past 21 years of age. Shortly after he took up journalism, which he followed closely for thirty-four years. After a season of rest and travel abroad, he was appointed County Law Librarian, which position he still holds, to a certain extent, keeping up his journalistic and other literary work. His leading productions have been: Memorial Life of Hon. Edwin M. Stanton, General Frederick William Von Steuben and the American Revolution, The Church in Eastern Ohio, Twentieth Century History of Jefferson County, with numerous minor publications.

Mr. Doyle has been a participant in local activities, such as Red Cross, Chamber of Commerce, Chairman of Soldiers Bonus Board, Public Library, Union Cemetery, Past President and Historian of the Ohio Society, S. A. R., etc. He is a member of St. Paul's Church, Steubenville, and has been a vestryman in that organization for many years.

## JAMES EDGAR BROWN

### Chancellor General

JAMES EDGAR BROWN, elected Chancellor General at the 34th National Congress at Nashville, Tenn., May 22, 1923, was born in West Virginia, February 8, 1865, and is descended from Virginia Revolutionary ancestry through several lines on both the paternal and maternal sides. His ancestors have borne an important part in shaping the destinies of this country, in fighting its wars, in making its laws, and in educating its youth.

He was graduated from the West Virginia University, Class of 1889, with the degree, Bachelor of Science, and from the law School of the same institution in 1891. He has practiced his profession in the city of Chicago continuously for the past 31 years, and is admitted to all the State and Federal Courts, including the Supreme Court of the United States. He is a member of various legal, social, fraternal, and patriotic associations, among which are: The American Bar Association, the Chicago Bar Association, the Chicago Law Institute, Chicago Association of Commerce, Illinois Historical Society, Order of Elks, Order of Moose, Vice-President of the Hamilton Club of Chicago, member Sons of Veterans, Past President Illinois Society of the War of 1812, and President Illinois Society Sons of the American Revolution. He is also an officer and director in various corporations and is identified with the business interests of the city of Chicago.

Mr. Brown is frequently called upon to address civic, fraternal, and patriotic organizations. He has enjoyed the benefits of European travel, is the author of various articles on legal, economic, and historical subjects, is a devotee of athletic and outdoor sports and is fond of fishing and big game hunting.

The following extracts are from a "Historical Review of Chicago and Cook County" by Judge A. N. Waterman:

"James Edgar Brown is not only a man of high social standing and literary attainments, but a lawyer of sound judgment and breadth of view. \* \* \* During his collegiate career his literary talents were recognized by the bestowal of a number of prizes for the superiority of his work, \* \* \* and in his senior year he served as a university tutor. \* \* \* He was, in fact, what students are pleased to admiringly call a typical "all-around university man. After his graduation from the University Law School in 1891, and a year spent in travel, he located in Chicago, where he has ever since practiced with much success and honor to himself and his profession. He has also gained standing by his contributions to current literature and become well known as a man of originality and force in political and public affairs. \* \* \* He has a most extensive acquaintance and a well established reputation for integrity, ability, and good fellowship wherever he is known."

**WALTER K. WATKINS****Genealogist General**

WALTER KENDALL WATKINS, elected at Buffalo, N. Y., in 1921, and reelected at Springfield, Mass., in 1922, and at Nashville, Tenn., in 1923, was born in Boston, August 5, 1855, and graduated from the Phillips Grammar and English High Schools. Since 1880 he has been engaged in historical and genealogical researches in this country and Great Britain. He has published frequently articles in newspapers and magazines and edited the *Colonial Wars Magazine* and publications of the Society of Colonial Wars in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. A specialty has been his works on the early history of Boston and contributions to the publications of the Bostonian Society. He is an honorary member of Boston Chapter, S. A. R., of which he was a charter member and a director; an honorary member of Old Suffolk Chapter, of which he was a charter member and historian; a charter member and secretary of Malden Chapter. He is the present Secretary of the Massachusetts Society, of which he has been Registrar and Historian. He is Chairman of the "Advisory Committee on Co-operation of Patriotic Work," which is composed of the executive officers and a delegate from all the hereditary patriotic societies of Massachusetts. He was elected Historian General of the National Society at the Congresses of 1908 and 1909; is a charter member of the Massachusetts Society of Colonial Wars.

He is a charter member of the Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants and Secretary of the Bay State Historical League, composed of seven-five historical societies in Massachusetts. A member of the New England Historic-Genealogical Society since 1889; he has been on its library committee for several years, and is chairman of the committee on records. He has recently been appointed a member of the "City Commission on Historical Memorials" of Boston.

He is also an active and honorary member in several historical societies. He is a resident of Malden, Mass., and Grafton, N. H.

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FREDERIC WILLIAMS PERKINS, who was elected Chaplain General at the National Congress in Springfield, Mass., in May, 1922, reelected at Nashville, Tenn., May, 1923, was born in Boston, Mass., on June 16, 1870. He was fitted for college in the Roxbury Latin School and entered Tufts College, from which he was graduated in 1891. He served as pastor of the Church of the Redeemer, in Hartford, Conn., from 1894 to 1901; of the First Universalist Church of Haverhill, Mass., from 1901 to 1905, and of the First Universalist Church, in Lynn, Mass., from that time to the present. Dr. Perkins has served as a trustee of the Universalist General Convention and is at present president of the Lynn Associated Charities and vice-chairman of the Lynn Chapter, American Red Cross, having special oversight of the home service during the World War. He is a member of Old Essex Chapter, in Lynn, of the Sons of the American Revolution and is a lineal descendant of Robert Williams, one of the first settlers of Roxbury, Mass. He married Mary Sherman Thayer, of Somerville, Mass., on June 21, 1894, and they have one son, Sherman Thayer Perkins. Dr. Perkins is a member of the Oxford, Whiting, and Rotary Clubs of Lynn, Mass.

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 Secretary, Maurice Groshon, Cheyenne.  
 Treasurer, James B. Guthrie, Cheyenne.

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### SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!

We introduce the new officers of the Alabama Society:

President, Arthur C. Crowder, Birmingham.

Vice-President, R. L. Douglas, Box 584, Mobile.

Secretary-Treasurer, Harold W. King, 1609 N. 31st St., Birmingham.

Registrar, J. Riddick Estes, Jr., Birmingham.

Chapters are planned for Mobile, Selma, Montgomery, Tuscaloosa, Anniston, Huntsville, Decatur, Florence, Birmingham.

The movement is sponsored jointly by the Louisiana and Tennessee Societies.

## THE PRESIDENT GENERAL'S MESSAGE

### Our Work of Today

Our Society is now entering upon the thirty-fourth year of its existence. Its purposes as declared by its constitution are patriotic, historical, and educational. It aims "to inspire its members and the community at large with a more profound reverence for the principles of the Government founded by our forefathers, \* \* \* to foster true patriotism, \* \* \* to maintain and extend the institutions of American freedom."

How best can we live up to these notable purposes? We set up monuments and tablets commemorating the historic events of the Revolution and refresh our memories of the significant incidents connected with them. We do this that we may the more clearly picture the great scenes of that time, the hard-won battlefields of Bunker Hill, Saratoga, Yorktown; and we dramatize as we may the personalities of that era, men like Washington, Greene, Franklin, Jefferson, Hamilton, not forgetting that most important factor, the common soldier serving steadfastly in the ranks.

When one has really visualized these pictures of scenes and these personalities, then his imagination is touched; and when the imagination is aroused inevitably follow faith, inspiration, and action. As the descendants of Revolutionary sires, and mindful of their deeds, let us translate their purposes, their plans and ambitions into action. They aimed above all things to build a stable Government that should be at once republican, just, and representative. We can apply ourselves to no more beneficent work than the preserving of that Government in the precise form in which they gave it to us.

The modern revolutionist works insidiously in all ranks; he wears the garb of suffering humanity, and mouths hypocritical zeal for the helpless; among other things, he is now attacking the integrity of the courts and the righteousness of their decisions; he urges the recall of judges and the reversal of their opinion by popular vote. No more dangerous or vicious doctrine can be preached. None more subversive of the fundamental principles upon which our Constitution is based. Stamp it out, Compatriots, with all the voice, zeal, and power at your command, before it is too late.

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### THE NASHVILLE CONGRESS AND AFTER

When it was decided to go to Nashville last year from many sources came the rather pessimistic prediction that, because of the distance and that the city was so far south, there would not be a large attendance. If any of these pessimists attended the Congress and came back by way of Mammoth Cave they have no doubt hidden themselves there and will not be heard from again on this subject.

To think of having a Congress that in numbers alone stood up with some of the largest we have ever had, nearly one hundred and seventy-five, and that of that number nearly one hundred were from the New England and Middle States; that the special train that started from New York carried nearly one hundred delegates and ladies; that special cars brought the Pennsylvania party; and that last, but not least, the Congress was honored by having as its special guest Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, the newly elected President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution, who came all the way to this Congress at no little



sacrifice of her time, to bring greetings from our splendid sister organization, and by her gracious presence assist in making it the great success it was. Add to this the delightful and charming hospitality of the members of the Tennessee Society and the citizens of Nashville, together with the untiring and devoted Committee of Ladies that assisted them; then remembering the visit to the lovely homes of some of the city's most charming hostesses and finally the memorable visit to the Hermitage and tomb of one of America's great historic characters. When this is all summed up can there be any doubt that this Congress was a splendid success from the social side?

And what of the Congress itself and its work? As has been said before by observers and not by our own people, there never was a finer body of men that meet together each year, not for any personal gain or political advancement, but purely for the fostering of those ideals that were set forth by their forebears, and, if possible, to carry out those ideals and instill them into others that seem to need some such inspiration in these troublesome times. The members of the Sons of the American Revolution are men of affairs who are willing to give of their time and resources to promote these ideals and when they meet in Congress once each year it is with purpose in view and they are sincere and earnest in their endeavors.

Never before in the history of our organization has there been a better or more enthusiastic spirit shown than in Nashville. If there were differences of opinion they were honest differences and they were fought out fairly and openly. The one contest for office lent zest to the meeting and the two splendid men who were pitted against each other are the best of friends and are working together on the Executive Committee for the upbuilding of the Society this coming year.

The Compatriots everywhere are urged to read the synopsis of the Congress that is printed in this issue of the BULLETIN and the many resolutions and plans that were adopted. Of course the outstanding feature of the sessions was the report of the chairman on Patriotic Education, and it will be seen that the delegates spoke in no uncertain tones when it endorsed the important and far-reaching work that has been accomplished by this committee during the past year.

And now of the future. The past year has been one of progress and achievement. From all parts of the country there have come indications of renewed activities in our work and with the culmination of this work in the great Congress in Nashville, there can be no doubt but that the Society will grow as never before, both in numbers and accomplishment. Those who were present at the Congress will go home with their enthusiasm stirred and quickened and it is hoped that those that did not attend will be impressed with the same spirit and make this year the greatest in the history of the Sons of the American Revolution and when the Congress meets in Salt Lake City, in 1924, there will be a larger number present representing an organization that will be numbered far above the 20,000 mark.

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WANTED.—National Society Year Books of 1890, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1899, 1900, 1901, and 1902, to complete a set to give to a Public Library, where they will be useful to our cause. Address FRANK HERVEY PETTINGELL, Stock Exchange, Los Angeles.

### CONSTITUTION DAY

Mr. Ames, chairman, makes preliminary announcement to the effect that the President of each State Society will be the Director General of that State for all Constitution Day exercises. We ask that every State President request the Governor of the State and mayors of the principal cities in his State to issue proclamations for the fitting observance of Constitution Day and that the American flag on that day, September 17, be displayed on all public buildings, places of business, residences, and automobiles. Furthermore, we ask that every compatriot organize in his community a committee of citizens for ceremonies appropriate to the day; also that the Director General in each State solicit the co-operation of the Chambers of Commerce, boards of trade, and ask that the local clubs of Rotary, Kiwanis, Civitan, Lions, and other business associations have an address delivered on the Constitution at their dinner in the week beginning September 17; also that the local fraternal societies, such as Elks, Masons, etc., holding meetings during the week of September 17 have exercises that include an address on the Constitution of the United States.

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Editor of the OFFICIAL BULLETIN is ambitious to have the BULLETIN reach the compatriots during the month of date of issue and to that end urges the co-operation of State secretaries or other contributors in sending in material for publication by the 20th of the month *preceding* the date, beginning with the October number. Kindly send in all copy by *September 20th* to the Secretary General.

The Secretary General announces for the benefit and information of State officers ordering application blanks and supplies, that no order for less than 100 application blanks or 50 supplemental blanks will be accepted at one time. It is to the advantage of the State Societies to order in larger quantities, as the printing rate for the second hundred is less than for the first one hundred blanks.

Judge Eugene C. Bonniwell, retiring Chancellor General, was signally honored on May 13 by the King of Italy, in being awarded the Insignia of the Chevalier of the Order of the Crown of Italy for his patriotic and friendly interest in Italy during the World War. This honor is rarely conferred upon any one but of Italian birth or descent.

As shown by the minutes of the Trustees, the next meeting place of the Congress will be Salt Lake City, Utah, and it is not too early for the compatriots to plan to attend this meeting, which will probably be held somewhat later in the spring in order to get the benefit of the special rates that are made for visiting Yellowstone Park and many of the wonders of the West during the summer months.

Any compatriots having issues of the BULLETIN or Year Books of the National Society which they do not care to keep and would be willing to turn over to the Secretary General or Registrar General for the files of the National Society will confer a favor by communicating with the Secretary General and sending the dates of any such copies. There are a number of copies of certain volumes missing in the files and it is desired to make these complete.

**Minutes of the Executive Committee, held at the Hotel Hermitage on May 20, 1923, at 10 P. M.**

There were present President General Adams, Directors General McCamant, Ames, Lewis, Lord, Pomeroy, and Sumner. Also Secretary General Steele, by invitation of the President General, Treasurer General Roberts and Registrar General Culver, and Vice-President General Smith, of Utah, Past Presidents General Thruston, Wentworth, Woodworth, Pugsley, and others.

The minutes of the meeting held in New York city on October 31, 1922, and the report of the Secretary General were approved.

Moved by Judge Sumner that the action of the Executive Committee by correspondence, that an additional allowance not to exceed \$25 per month be made to the Registrar General to reimburse him for such additional disbursements as he has been required to make for additional office assistance, be unanimously ratified by the Executive Committee. Motion adopted.

Moved by Director General McCamant that the work of the present firm of printers be approved and that the Committee on Publication and Printing of the Executive Committee be authorized to continue their services for the ensuing year. Motion adopted.

Moved by Director General Ames that the matter of the issuing and distribution of a smaller medal to be used in the public schools, as outlined by the Secretary General and published in the March BULLETIN, be referred to the Congress for consideration. Motion adopted.

Moved by Director General Lewis that the Executive Committee recommend to the incoming Executive Committee that the charge for the certificate of membership be \$4 to State Societies. Motion adopted.

Moved by Director General Lord that the matter of advertising be referred to the incoming Executive Committee.

FRANK B. STEELE,  
*Secretary General.*

**Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the National Society, S. A. R., held at the Hotel Hermitage on May 20, 1923, at 10.30 P. M.**

Present: President General W. I. Lincoln Adams, presiding; Vice-Presidents General Harry T. Lord, of New Hampshire; Philip F. Lerner, of the District of Columbia; Louis A. Bowman, of Illinois; Henry B. Hawley, of Iowa, and George Alfred Smith, of Utah, Secretary General Frank B. Steele, of New York; Treasurer General George McK. Roberts, of New York; Registrar General Francis B. Culver, of Maryland; Chancellor General Eugene C. Bonniwell, of Pennsylvania; Genealogist General Walter K. Watkins, of Massachusetts, and Chaplain General Rev. Frederick W. Perkins, of Massachusetts. State Trustees Charles T. Jewett, of Indiana; Elmer M. Wentworth, of Iowa; Marvin H. Lewis, of Kentucky; Col. C. Robert Churchill, of Louisiana; Dr. Charles H. Bangs, of Massachusetts; Wilbert H. Barrett, of Michigan; C. Symmes Kiggins, of New Jersey; Lewis Annin Ames, of New York; George E. Pomeroy, of Ohio; Linn Paine, of Missouri; Wallace McCamant, of Oregon; James A. Wakefield, of Pennsylvania; Arthur P. Sumner, of Rhode Island; Leland Hume, of Tennes-

see; Walter S. Mayer, of Texas; Daniel S. Spencer, of Utah, and Eugene C. Massie, of Virginia.

The meeting was called to order by the President General and the minutes of the last meeting, held at Springfield, Mass., on May 17th and published in the June BULLETIN, were approved.

It was moved by Trustee Wentworth that the Trustees ratify and confirm all of the acts and proceedings of the Executive Committee that have taken place during the fiscal year beginning May 16, 1922, and ending May 20, 1923. Motion adopted.

It was moved that the President General and the Secretary General be authorized and empowered to grant a charter to the West Virginia Society when said Society shall comply with the constitutional provisions and make application for such charter.

Genealogist General Watkins presented the matter of preliminary blanks, which was referred to the incoming Board of Trustees.

FRANK B. STEELE,  
*Secretary General.*

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**SYNOPSIS OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE 34TH ANNUAL CONGRESS,  
NATIONAL SOCIETY, SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, HELD  
AT HOTEL HERMITAGE, NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE, MAY 21, 22, 1923.**

**Morning Session, Monday, May 20, 10 a. m.**

The session was called to order by the President General, Washington I. L. Adams.

The President General invited all Past Presidents General in attendance at the Congress to occupy seats at the right of the platform, and all Vice-Presidents General at the left of the platform. The following responded: Past Presidents General R. C. Ballard Thruston, Elmer M. Wentworth, Louis Annin Ames, Cornelius A. Pugsley, Newell B. Woodworth, and Wallace McCamant; and Vice-Presidents General Harry T. Lord, Philip F. Larner, Louis A. Bowman, Henry W. Hawley, and George Albert Smith.

The Colors were borne to the platform under the direction of Capt. Rasselas W. Brown, acting chairman of the Committee on Colors and Ceremonies, who had prepared a special ceremony for this occasion. The Pledge to the Flag was given by Compatriot Frederick De G. Hahn, of New Jersey, followed by the singing of one stanza of the "Star Spangled Banner."

Chaplain General Rev. Frederick W. Perkins, D. D., invoked the divine blessing.

Mr. William K. Boardman, President of the Tennessee Society, welcomed the Congress and introduced Hon. Joseph Fort, representing Governor Peay, of Tennessee. Mr. Fort gave a most inspiring address of welcome to the delegates and their guests. An address of welcome was also given by His Honor Percy Sharp, Mayor of Nashville.

The President General responded in a few well-chosen and appreciative words to these addresses of welcome.

The following letter from the President of the United States was received and read by the Secretary General:

THE WHITE HOUSE, February 1, 1923.

MY DEAR MR. ADAMS:

Please be assured of my sincere regrets that it was impossible to receive you in person when you were in Washington, owing to my indisposition. I have now received, through your very kind letter, the invitation which you had intended to present in person, asking me to attend the National Congress of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, at Nashville, in the late days of May. I want you and the members of the Society to know how much I appreciate the invitation, and how greatly I regret that, owing to other arrangements which entirely dispose of my time at that period, acceptance is impossible. I have been particularly proud of my membership in this Society, and of the fact that I am eligible to such membership. I look upon it as one of the worthy and uniformly well directed engines of patriotism that have sought to crystalize into national sentiments and public policies the best thought and purpose of the American Nation; therefore I have pleasure in wishing the success of the forthcoming Congress and the continuance of the Society's splendid service.

Most sincerely yours,

WARREN G. HARDING.

The Secretary General also read messages from Alvin Owsley, Commander of the American Legion, and former Presidents Chancellor L. Jenks and W. A. Marble.

The President General then presented as the special guest of the Congress, Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution, who was received with cheers and applause, the delegates standing. Mrs. Cook made a short address, bringing greeting from the great organization which she represents, and said in part:

"Here we are, two great bodies, taking on responsibilities voluntarily, out of obligation for our inheritance, an inheritance of the most lofty and political imagination that the world has ever known, our Republic. (Applause.) Because we have recognized this we have our avowed aims and our ideals. Now, let us consider just one part of our work—the marking of historic sites and the preserving of sacred places. The value of this one thing alone seems to me incalculable in what we have cherished for ages, preserved to youth, and handed down to posterity. To mark these places is to visualize, to dramatize great events, the great personalities that were active there. It is to arouse the imagination and put imagination into history. And it is only when it is put there that history lives. Then, add to this the other parts of our work, and I believe we can say without boasting that we have had a vision, and we do have a vision, that has a concrete value for our country. And the thought that comes to me is this, that I wonder what will happen and what will come to pass when we realize our strength and our power. Surely nothing short of getting our vision of the whole world will satisfy us then. Can we get our new Americans to be citizens, the foreign-born? Can we get our school children as our co-workers? Can we get our own imagination and our own loyalty so clear and so simple that we can kindle theirs? Then if we can, our eyes shall see the glory of the fulfilment of the dreams of our fathers." (Applause.)

Past President General R. C. Ballard Thruston, of Kentucky, moved that a Committee on Resolutions be appointed by the Chair, to which all resolutions shall be referred without debate, and that such resolutions shall be presented in writing and signed by the mover. The motion was adopted.

The President General appointed as such Committee on Resolutions Compatriots Newell B. Woodworth, of New York, as chairman; Herbert A. Rice, of Rhode Island; Oliver B. Bridgman, of New York; Albert Phenix, of Maryland, and Chauncey P. Overfield, of Utah.

Col. John David Markey, of Maryland, moved the adoption of the following resolution:

That no one speaker shall speak more than twice on the same subject or for more than five minutes on the same subject, except in introducing a resolution or with the unanimous consent of the Congress.

The resolution was adopted.

The President General then addressed the Congress.

### **Annual Address of the President General**

Our Constitution calls for an annual report by the President General. The present incumbent of that office is very much gratified to report that, notwithstanding the five dollars National initiation fee which the Congress established last year, we have made a very satisfactory increase in membership. We have gained about 1,500 new members during the year. We have lost perhaps 900 by death, resignation, and dropped from the rolls, leaving a net increase of 600 new members for the year.

Among those whom we have lost by death during the past year were former Director General Albert M. Henry, of Detroit, Mich.; former President General Morris B. Beardsley, of Bridgeport, Conn., and Commander John H. Moore, of the U. S. Navy, retired, and formerly Vice-President General of our National Society. Representative committees were appointed by your President General in each case to prepare suitable memorials of these distinguished members of our organization. May I ask you all to stand for a single moment with me and thus testify by eloquent silence to the high esteem and sincere affection with which we held these honored members of our patriotic order.

What is of far greater import to the Sons of the American Revolution than the increase in the number of its members, however gratifying that may be, is the deepening sense of patriotic obligation on the part of its members which was everywhere revealed throughout the country, where official visits were made by your President General. Our members are everywhere active and useful in public and private ways in the life of the communities and the commonwealths where they reside. They are recognizing more than ever before the solemn responsibility which devolves upon them as descendants of patriotic ancestry, to acquit themselves in these present critical times like the Men of Seventy-Six, who were their heroic ancestors.

On his official trips the President General has visited thirty States of our Republic, traveling as far west and north as Portland, Oregon, and as far south as New Orleans, Louisiana, and covering in all over ten thousand miles. The current number of our OFFICIAL BULLETIN records in some detail these official journeys and other activities of your Chief Executive. He has regarded himself as "The Outside Man" of our Society and has tried faithfully to discharge the duties which devolved upon him in that capacity, as well as in many others. I have particularly endeavored to stimulate a greater interest in public affairs of our membership, as I conceive that to be a most proper, useful, and patriotic field for our activities.

As your official representative, I have everywhere been received with the most distinguished courtesies and attentions. I have thus realized with what high respect and appreciation our patriotic organization is held by our fellow-country-

men everywhere in the Nation. And may I say here, in passing, with most grateful appreciation, that no organizations not even our own S. A. R. Societies and Chapters, received me with greater cordiality or more courtesy than did various Societies of the Sons of the Revolution. I everywhere found the Sons most sincerely and actively interested in our work and our organization, and I am firmly convinced that no obstacle exists among the membership of either of the revolutionary societies to an eventual, and I hope, not distant, union in one great National Patriotic Organization. [Applause.]

I am also happy to report that I everywhere found a most loyal support of our National Society by our own State and local organizations. While here and there there may have been an occasional difference of opinion as to the wisdom of some policy or method of the National Society, I usually found that it was due to some misunderstanding of the matter rather than to any lack of sympathy for the aims and purposes of our National Organization. In most of our States recruiting is progressing actively, and our membership is loyally working for the advancement, not only of their local organization, but for our great National Society as well. While our finances have been improved by establishing the \$5 initial fee, as will be shown by the Treasurer's report, and by some material economies which we have been able to effect, particularly in our printing, they are not yet in an entirely satisfactory condition; and the question will come before you during this Congress to consider and act upon the amendment proposed last year, to increase the annual dues of each member from fifty cents to one dollar. I am confident that your decision will be a wise one.

Our quarterly OFFICIAL BULLETIN during the year, under the capable management of our faithful Secretary General, has become more interesting and valuable. Each number well repays the careful perusal of our membership. The Executive Committee has authorized the printing of a limited number of appropriate advertisements, which will not only bear part of the rather heavy expense for printing, but will also add interest and value to our publication. We have been considering the advisability of making more of a magazine of our OFFICIAL BULLETIN in the future, bringing it out eight or nine times every year, perhaps, with a suitably designed patriotic cover, and with other magazine features which would make it more generally interesting and useful. This is in line with some suggestions which have been made in these Congresses heretofore.

Other questions of importance will be proposed for your deliberation, and there will be many resolutions for you to consider and act upon; some are of rather unusual importance this year, as it seems to me.

In all that we do or say in these sessions, and in the honest differences of opinion which are always likely to arise, I am sure that we shall all be mindful of the outstanding fact that our aims and our purposes are the same; that we all desire the greatest good for our National Organization, to the end that it may be of the greatest possible service to our Republic; and that, however we may differ in opinion as to methods, we shall never forget that we are in our aims, hopes, and ideals one great band of American brothers, compatriots, Sons of the American Revolution [prolonged applause].

The President General's address was received with enthusiastic applause.

Past President General Louis Annin Ames moved that the Secretary General be instructed to convey the greetings of the Congress to the Past Presidents

General not in attendance at the Congress, some of whom were detained by illness or the infirmities of age. This was unanimously adopted.

Past President General Ames then presented the following memorial resolutions to Judge Morris B. Beardsley and moved their adoption, and that the Secretary be instructed to have them suitably engrossed and a copy sent to the family of Past President General Morris B. Beardsley.

The beloved compatriot of the Sons of the American Revolution, Judge Morris B. Beardsley, answered the summons to the higher life on Friday, March 2, 1923, and there passed from earth one who truly loved his fellow men.

Judge Beardsley served with distinction, efficiency, and faithfulness, in official capacity, for more than twenty years, the citizens of Bridgeport and the State of Connecticut. He rendered a larger service to the cause of humanity—he administered love, justice, and mercy. His daily actions were the realization of the ideals of all fine souls.

In 1896 he became interested in the Sons of the American Revolution, serving the National Society as chairman of committees that secured our National Charter and framed our present Constitution, as a member of the National Executive Committee for two terms; also as Vice-President General and as President General. He loved the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution and was devoted to its interests. We shall miss him greatly, but we rejoice that he was one with and of us. Blessed be his memory.

"None knew him but to love him,  
None named him but to praise."

LOUIS ANNIN AMES,  
*Past President General.*  
WILLIAM A. MARBLE,  
*Past President General.*  
CORNELIUS A. PUGSLEY,  
*Past President General.*

Mr. Harry F. Brewer, of New Jersey, moved that the ceremony of the opening exercises of this Congress, which is in fact a report of the Committee on Ceremonies and Colors, be adopted and become the ceremony to be used at the opening of our National Congresses or any State or Chapter meetings.

This motion was unanimously adopted.

Past President General Ames moved that a Committee on Official Reports and Recommendations be appointed and that all reports of Officers and Committees shall go to this committee without debate. The motion was adopted.

The President General appointed the following as such committee: Past President General Elmer M. Wentworth, of Iowa, chairman; Col. Henry W. Sackett, of New York; Col. William K. Boardman, of Tennessee; Compatriot George V. Muchmore, of New Jersey, and Compatriot Burton H. Wiggins, of Massachusetts.

The President General then requested that resolutions be presented at this time.

The following resolutions were then presented and referred to the Committee on Resolutions:

By Director General Sumner, of Rhode Island, a resolution in reference to the use of family surnames by foreigners. Also a resolution in reference to the teaching of the Constitution of the United States in public schools.

By Judge Harvey F. Remington, of New York, a resolution in reference to the preservation of the Battlefield of Saratoga.

By Mr. W. S. Mayer, of Texas, a resolution in reference to the cost of large certificates.



By Col. Wm. G. Adkins, of Illinois, a resolution in reference to additional Vice-Presidents General.

By Col. Eugene C. Massie, of Virginia, a resolution in reference to amending the National Charter with regard to powers to hold and sell real and personal property.

By Maj. Overton C. Luxford, of District of Columbia, a resolution in reference to a National Headquarters Building in the city of Washington, and the uniting of the offices of Secretary and Registrar General.

Mr. Luxford asked the unanimous consent of the house to take this matter under consideration at this time. Objections being heard, the resolution took the usual course.

By Genealogist General Walter K. Watkins, a resolution in reference to preliminary application blanks.

By Compatriot Harry H. Hoard of Ohio, a resolution in reference to school history text books.

By Col. Massie, of Virginia, a resolution in reference to a National Park at Yorktown, Va.

Reports of officers were then received and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

The report of the Secretary General Frank B. Steele was received.

The report of Registrar General Francis B. Culver was received.

The report of Treasurer General George McKenzie Roberts and Auditor's statement were received.

Report of Special Committee on Permanent Fund, Cornelius A. Pugsley, chairman, was read by the Secretary General.

A resolution by Director General Marvin H. Lewis, of Kentucky, was then presented and referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

Report of Vice-President General Harry T. Lord, of New Hampshire, from the New England District, was received and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

Upon motion the Congress took recess until 1.30 p. m.

### **Afternoon Session, May 21.**

The President General called the session to order at 1.30 p. m.

Mr. Harry F. Brewer, of New Jersey, presented a resolution in reference to a uniform ceremony to be carried out in naturalization courts. Referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

The reports of Vice-presidents General Philip F. Larner, of the District of Columbia, Louis A. Bowman, of Illinois, Henry B. Hawley, of Iowa, and George Alfred Smith, of Utah, for their respective districts, were received and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

The report of the Chaplain General, Rev. Frederick W. Perkins, was received.

Mr. Woodworth, chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, moved that the telegram of greeting from Commander Owsley, of the American Legion, be acknowledged with great appreciation. The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Committee on Resolutions, moved that the resolution in relation to the charge for large certificates be referred to the Executive Committee, with power. The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Committee on Resolutions, moved that the following resolution be referred to the Chancellor General to report to the Executive Committee:

WHEREAS many of our family names are pregnant with the memories of heroic deeds performed or distinguished services rendered to this United States of America, or to the original Colonies from which it sprang; and

WHEREAS these memories should be preserved as far as possible pure and untarnished by commercial, criminal, or other incongruous associations; and

WHEREAS many immigrants with mistaken ideas of assimilation are changing their names to those more akin to the communities in which they live;

*Now be it Resolved*, That the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, in Congress assembled, urges upon the Congress of the United States and the legislatures of the several States, that laws be enacted by them, forbidding any person to assume a family surname belonging to a family distinguished in the Colonial, Revolutionary, or Civic history of this country or its original Colonies; and also forbidding the use of the names of present or former Presidents of this country, in connection with the sale of, or as the name of an article of display or merchandise.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, presented the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS the battlefield of Saratoga, in the State of New York—a battle stated by historians to be one of the fifteen decisive battles of the world and more recently referred to as the American Marne—has yet received but scant attention and recognition from historic and patriotic organizations; and

WHEREAS there has been pending before the Congress of the United States, Senate Bill No. 2381 and H. R. Bill No. 8644, providing for the acquisition and presentation by the United States of this famous battlefield; and

WHEREAS it is believed that the only adequate method to bring about the preservation of this property will be by control vested in some body corporate composed of patriotic citizens;

*Now, therefore, be it Resolved*, That a committee of seven be appointed by the incoming President General, who shall be charged with the duty of investigating the feasibility and practicability of forming a corporation under the laws of one of the States, or of securing a charter from the Congress of the United States, for the purpose of the purchase and preservation of such battlefield and that such committee take such steps as it may be advised to bring about its recommendations and that such committee be empowered to add to its number such other members as to it may seem practicable.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, reported that the resolution in regard to additional Vice-Presidents General was not in order, as it was in the nature of an amendment to the Constitution and that it might be offered as an amendment in the regular manner as provided by the Constitution. The following is the resolution:

WHEREAS the present geographic divisions of the country, for the convenience of supervision by the Vice-Presidents General have been found to be too large and so constructed as to be inconvenient of access in many instances; therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That such geographic divisions be revised and rearranged, and, if necessary, additional Vice-Presidents General be elected to the end that the work of the Society may be more easily done.

The President General: I suggest that it be returned to the mover and if he so wishes he may offer it as an amendment.

Mr. Adkins, of Illinois: As the mover of the resolution, I knew that such action was necessary, but I desired to get an expression of the sentiment. At the present time I will offer it as an amendment.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, reported the following resolution to amend the National Charter and moved that it be referred to the Executive Committee:

*Be it Resolved*, That Section 3 of the Act of Congress, incorporating the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, approved June 9, 1906, be amended as follows, upon due application to the Congress:

"Sec. 3. That said corporation shall have power to receive, purchase, hold, sell, and convey real and personal estate, so far only as may be necessary or convenient for its lawful purposes, to an amount not exceeding at any one time in the aggregate five million dollars; to sue and be sued, complain and defend in any court; to adopt a common seal, and to alter the same at pleasure; to make and adopt a constitution, by-laws, rules and regulations for admission, government, suspension, and expulsion of its members, and from time to time to alter and repeal such constitution, by-laws, rules, and regulations and to adopt others in their places; to provide for the election of its officers and to define their duties; to provide for State Societies or Chapters, with rules for their conduct, and to regulate and provide for the management, safe-keeping, and protection of its property and funds; *Provided always*, That such constitution, by-laws, rules, and regulations be not inconsistent with the laws of the United States or any of the States thereof."

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, reported the following resolution in reference to the Battlefield of Yorktown, was approved by the committee and moved that it be referred to the incoming President General for action:

WHEREAS the Battlefield of Yorktown, Virginia, is worthy of preservation as a National Park, in accordance with the suggestion heretofore made by the Daughters of the American Revolution;

*Resolved*, That the President General shall appoint a committee of five to urge this suggestion upon the Congress of the United States.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, reported in reference to the resolution making all Past Presidents General members *ex officio* of the Executive Committee, that this requires an amendment to the Constitution and that the committee recommended that this take the usual course of such amendment. The resolution referred to is as follows:

*Resolved*, That all Past Presidents General be *ex officio* members of the Executive Committee.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, reported with reference to the resolution regarding the establishment of a National Headquarters, the committee offers the following resolution as a substitute and moves its adoption:

*Resolved*, That the Executive Committee appoint, at the meeting following this Congress, a special committee to take under consideration the location of a National Headquarters and the acquiring or erection thereof of a suitable building, and the methods of financing, and to report to the next Congress.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Past President General Thruston rose and stated that when the time should come that plans for such a National Headquarters were more definite, he was prepared to make a contribution of \$500.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, reported the resolution relative to the teaching and study of the Constitution of the United States was approved by the committee and moved its adoption. The resolution is as follows:

WHEREAS it is especially important at this period of doubt and unrest among the peoples of the earth that the fundamental principles of our Republican form of government should become more fully known and understood by our own people; and

WHEREAS such knowledge is more readily and permanently acquired when the mind is plastic and receptive in youth;

*Now be it resolved*, That this National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, in Congress assembled, hereby urges upon the legislatures of the several States that a law be passed requiring that all students in the normal schools and high schools shall be required to study the Constitution of the United States, and that no pupil in such schools shall receive a certificate of graduation without having previously passed a satisfactory examination upon the provisions and principles of this Constitution; and, it further requests that the State Societies of the Sons of the American Revolution take up this matter in their respective States and use every effort to procure the enactment of such a law.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

The report of the Chancellor General Eugene C. Bonniwell, which was printed in full in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN for March, 1923 (see pp. 28, 29, 30), was received.

After some discussion in reference to the meaning and purport of this report and the statement by Judge Bonniwell that it was simply to clarify and harmonize the Constitution and By-Laws, the report was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, as chairman of the Special Committee on Grave Markers, reported and offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

*Resolved*, That the disk form of official marker for designating the graves of Revolutionary soldiers and sailors as recommended at this Congress by special committee appointed to make recommendations, be approved and the form to be adopted by special committee hereinafter provided for it, is hereby approved.

*Resolved*, That a special committee of three be appointed with full power by the President General, one member of this committee to be selected from the Executive Committee, to prepare an official marker of the Sons of the American Revolution for designating the graves of Revolutionary soldiers and sailors in accordance with the recommendations made to this Congress by a special committee appointed to consider and make recommendations on this subject. This committee to determine the size of the disk, its material, and inscriptions, and to prepare regulations controlling its use, manufacture, and sale, all to be submitted to the Executive Committee for ratification and upon such ratification it shall become the official marker of this Society subject, however, to any change in the regulations included in said ratification by the Executive Committee and all resolutions heretofore adopted by this Society, inconsistent with the provisions of this resolution are hereby revoked and repealed.

After discussion the motion, as originally offered, was unanimously adopted.

The President General called Vice-President General George Albert Smith, of Utah, to the chair.

The report of Historian General Joseph B. Doyle, of Ohio, was received and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

The report of Genealogist General Walter K. Watkins, of Massachusetts, was received and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

Col. David J. Markey, of Maryland, offered a resolution in reference to the appointment of a liaison officer. This was referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

President General Adams resumed the chair.

The report of Past President General R. C. Ballard Thruston, of Kentucky, for the Committee on Memorials, was received. Col. C. Robert Churchill, of Louisiana, moved that this report be published in full in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN. The motion was adopted.

The report of the Committee on Patriotic Education, Judge Wallace McCamant, Past President General, chairman, was then received. Judge McCamant offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

*Resolved*, That the Sons of the American Revolution, in National Congress assembled, reiterate their declaration made at the Springfield Congress on the subject of textbooks on American history. Disclaiming any feeling of hostility to Great Britain or any disposition to punish the present generation of Britons for the sins of George III, we demand that the story of our past be taught in such a way as to assure that the next generation be Americans and not merely Anglo-Saxons; that they become patriotic citizens with a veneration for the fathers and an appreciation of our political heritage; that their loyalty be to country and not to class, bloc, or section.

*Be it further resolved*. That we approve the report of the Committee on Patriotic Education and request the assistance of all State Societies, Chapters, and individual compatriots in their efforts to expel and exclude from the schools all textbooks on American history which fail to measure up to the standard defined by the resolution adopted by the Springfield Congress.

Mr. Marvin H. Lewis, of Kentucky, Director General, moved that the matter be discussed on the floor of Congress. The motion was unanimously adopted. Col. Henry W. Sackett, President of the Empire State Society, spoke against the resolution, not because of the principles that are enunciated in it or the purpose and intent of the resolution, but because of the distinction that is made and the characterization of certain books which have been the subject of controversy, and also because of the misuse of this propaganda by those whose purposes and motives were not guided so much by a love for America as by hatred for England. Col. Sackett also defended Dr. Muzzey, with whom he has a personal acquaintance.

Judge McCamant replied vigorously and pointed out specific passages in the texts criticised to sustain his position in reference to Dr. Muzzey's history and others mentioned.

The PRESIDENT GENERAL: Do you wish to have further debate?

The question was called for, the motion was put, and upon request a rising vote was taken. The ayes were in the majority to the number of about one hundred and fifty, nine delegates voting in the negative. The resolution was declared adopted.

The President General introduced Mrs. Fleming Smith, who presented briefly the merits of the undertaking to preserve the home "Kenmore," at Fredericksburg, Virginia, in response to which pledges of financial assistance were made by several delegates.

Mr. Boggis, of Ohio, presented a resolution in reference to Patriotic Education, which was referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

The report of the Committee on Naval and Military Records, Admiral George W. Baird, chairman, was read by the Secretary General and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

The report of the Committee on Americanization, Judge Harvey F. Remington, of New York, chairman, was received and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

The report of the Flag Committee, Mr. Burton H. Wiggin, of Massachusetts, chairman, was received.

Maj. Alfred Pierce, of Massachusetts, spoke in reference to the Lexington Minute Men Memorial and presented a resolution with regard to this, which was referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

The Report of the Committee on National Archives Building, Maj. Frederick C. Bryan, of the District of Columbia, chairman, was read by the Secretary General and referred to the Committee on Reports and Recommendations.

The report of the Committee on Observance of Flag Day was given verbally by Mr. Lewis B. Curtis, of Connecticut, chairman.

Mr. Ames, chairman of the Committee on Observance of Constitution Day, reporting for the committee, stated that this report had already been printed in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN for December, 1922, and moved that it be adopted as printed. The motion was unanimously adopted.

The President General, in the absence of Mr. Pugsley, chairman, reported for the Committee to Amend the Charter, stating that the amendment to the charter was not passed by the United States Congress at the last session on account of the rush of business, but that it will be introduced at the beginning of the next session in December and undoubtedly will be promptly passed.

Judge Remington, of New York, reporting for the special committee to take up certain matters with a special committee of the Connecticut Society, stated that it had been impossible to arrange a joint meeting of the committees, but that both committees had presented their views by correspondence and that the committee of the National Society reported back unanimously against the adoption of the amendment to the Constitution desired by the Connecticut members. Mr. Ames moved that the standing committee appointed by this National Body to confer with a similar committee from the Connecticut State Society, at the request of the Connecticut Society, be discharged with thanks. The motion was unanimously adopted.

Upon motion recess was taken until 9.30 a. m., Tuesday, May 22.

### **Tuesday Morning Session, May 22, 1923**

President General Adams in the chair.

The Colors were received.

Mr. Frederick de G. Hahn, of New Jersey, presented the following resolution and moved its immediate adoption:

*Resolved*, That the incoming President General immediately appoint a general committee of five or more live, responsible men to be called the Public Safety Committee, whose duty it shall be to devise ways and means to conduct an active anti-radical campaign with power to take the measures necessary to produce results.

By unanimous consent, Compatriot Henry L. Sloan, President of the Wisconsin State Society, was recognized and spoke for the resolution, showing some of the socialistic conditions that prevail in the State of Wisconsin.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

Under the head of new business the Secretary General read the amendment to Section 2 of Article V of the Constitution, proposed by Past President General Ames at the Springfield Congress, May, 1922, as follows:

That Section 2, Article VI of the Constitution of the National Society be amended to read as follows:

Each State Society shall pay annually to the Treasurer General to defray the expense of the National Society, *one dollar* for each member thereof, unless intermitted by the National Congress.

Such dues shall be paid on or before the first day of April for the ensuing year, in order to secure representation in the Congress of the National Society.

(Italic indicates amendments added or changed.)

After discussion, in the course of which an amendment was offered to refer the matter to a committee, which was laid upon the table, a further amendment was offered by Mr. Lewis B. Curtis, of Connecticut, as follows: To substitute, after the word "dollar," instead of the words "each member thereof," the words "for each member carried on the roll of the State Society." Mr. Mayer, of Texas, moved to insert the word "active" before the word "member." The motion was lost.

The question on the amendment of Mr. Curtis being put, the amendment was adopted, and the question on the amendment to the Constitution as amended being put, and the President General stating that a rising vote was necessary, more than two-thirds of the members present voting in the affirmative, the amendment as amended, was declared adopted, reading as follows:

SECTION 2. Each State Society shall pay annually to the Treasurer General, to defray the expense of the National Society, one dollar for each member carried on the roll of the State Society, unless intermitted by the National Congress.

The Secretary General presented a matter concerning medals for presentation to the pupils of grammar schools. This was fully outlined in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN for March, 1923. Mr. Harry F. Brewer, of New Jersey, moved that the National Society endorse this plan and that the Secretary General be authorized to purchase these medals for the purpose of supplying the State Societies who will in turn reimburse the National Society as they are ordered. The motion was unanimously adopted.

The presentation of National Banners then took place.

The President General called Vice-President General Harry T. Lord to the chair.

The presentation of the Traveling Banner for the largest percentage of increase was made by Past President General Cornelius A. Pugsley, of New York, to the Tennessee Society, and was gracefully accepted by Mr. Frederick W. Millspaugh, Vice-President of the Tennessee Society, on behalf of that Society.

The presentation of the Syracuse Banner for the greatest numerical increase of membership was made by Past President General Newell B. Woodworth, of New York, to the New Jersey Society, and accepted by Compatriot Harry F. Brewer, for the New Jersey Society.

President General Adams resumed the chair.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Committee on Resolutions, reporting for the committee, the following resolution in reference to Past Presidents General and moved its adoption:

*Resolved*, That all Past Presidents General now living be hereafter designated Honorary Presidents General instead of Past Presidents General, and that all future Presidents General, upon retiring from that office, be designated Honorary Presidents General.

Past President General Wentworth, of Iowa, spoke against the resolution and also Past President General Thruston, of Kentucky, and upon the question being put the resolution was unanimously lost.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Committee on Resolutions, reporting for the committee, moved the following resolution in reference to preliminary application blanks, be referred to the Trustees:

*Resolved*, That the Trustees be authorized to have printed a preliminary application blank to be furnished to the various State Societies for the purpose of increasing economically the membership.

The motion was adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Committee on Resolutions, reporting for the committee, moved the adoption of the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the Committee on Ceremonials prepare a program for a uniform ceremony, to be carried out in the Naturalization Courts, with the co-operation of the judge thereof, to impress the newly-made citizen with the responsibilities of the obligation he has assumed and to felicitate him upon the forward step he has taken; which program shall be transmitted to the State Societies and they be urged to put the same into operation as widely as possible.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Resolutions Committee, presented resolutions, passed by the California State Society on April 19, 1923, and moved the approval of the Congress. This was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS the late World War has shown that the discoveries of science and the ingenuity of inventors have created appliances of war, which, during four years of carnage, suffering, and anxiety, made mankind doubt whether civilization could survive the forces which it had generated; and whereas, the achievement of our country in transporting millions of men to France in a short space of time revealed a danger to this country from without; and whereas, there exists among us a class of people who, taking counsel of their feelings, rather than of a sound judgment based upon the experience of mankind, decry all preparation for war; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That the words of Washington in his farewell address "In time of peace prepare for war," which were true in his day when preparation was easy and rapid, have become imperative now that the accumulation of highly specialized materials of war and the previous training of men experienced in the use of them, have become the only pledge of safety; and be it further

*Resolved*, That we condemn as unpatriotic and dangerous to the welfare and preservation of our country and its government all pacifist movements or efforts to obstruct this government in creating and maintaining a state of adequate preparedness; and we demand of our representatives in our various legislative bodies their whole-hearted support of a policy of national preparedness to meet any possible emergency.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Resolutions Committee, reporting for the Committee, moved the following resolution be referred to the Executive Committee for such action as it deems wise to take:

WHEREAS in unity and co-operation there is power and strength, and

WHEREAS the leading organizations interested in perpetuating American ideals and keeping our country thoroughly American, are the Daughters of the American Revolution, the American Legion Auxiliary, the American Legion, and the Sons of the American Revolution, and

WHEREAS there are many national questions and problems of mutual interest that can be best considered and solved by the thorough co-operation of the above organizations.

*Therefore, be it Resolved by the Sons of the American Revolution, in Congress assembled, in Nashville, Tennessee, this 22nd day of May, 1923, That the President General be hereby authorized to name liason officers to the Daughters of the*



American Revolution, the American Legion Auxiliary, and the American Legion, who will function under the direction of the President General and help to coordinate the work of the above organizations on matters of mutual interest to our nation, and

*Be it further Resolved*, That the Congress suggest the appointment of similar liaison officers by the respective State Societies to function in State matters along similar lines.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Resolutions Committee, moved the adoption of the following resolution in reference to the teaching of socialism in institutions:

WHEREAS many of our colleges, academies, and schools are either teaching or permitting the propagation of socialism and other similar doctrines contrary to the principles of our Constitution, and

WHEREAS there are several organizations and groups advocating giving to Congress the power to modify or annul decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States, thus destroying the present provisions in our Constitution providing for an Independent Judiciary.

*Now, therefore, be it Resolved by the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, in National Congress assembled, at Nashville, Tennessee, May 21st-23rd, 1923:*

(1) That every effort be made by our organization, and by its individual members, to stop the propaganda and teaching of socialism in our schools and colleges, and that a more complete and definite study of our Constitution and its principles, be urged as a part of the curriculum.

(2) We most earnestly protest against any propaganda, legislation, or change in our National Constitution, designed to deprive us of our present independent National Judiciary, or to give Congress or any other power permission to modify or reverse its decision.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Resolutions Committee, reported the resolution in reference to certain changes by the United States Labor Department in issuing certificates given at the present time to newly made citizens, in which it was suggested that steps be taken to secure power for the National Society to issue such certificates. Mr. Woodworth moved the approval of the resolution and that it be referred to the Committee on Americanization.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, reporting for the Resolutions Committee in reference to the following resolution of the Ohio Society, moved its adoption:

*Resolved*, That no text-books shall be used in our schools which belittle the founders of our Government or minimize their achievements.

This motion was adopted by a rising vote.

Mr. Wentworth, of the Committee on Official Reports and Recommendations, reported for the committee and recommended the publication of such reports from time to time as space and expense will permit; including the full reports of the President General, the Secretary General, the Treasurer General, and Registrar General in the June BULLETIN, and moved the adoption of the report. This was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Charles Timothy Jewett, Trustee of the National Society for Indiana, presented the request of the Indiana Society that the National Society give serious consideration at this time to the establishment in the city of Indianapolis of the National Headquarters and offices of the National Society, and moved that this

request be referred to the committee already provided for the consideration of a National Headquarters.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

#### PRESENTATION OF INVITATIONS TO HOLD THE NEXT ANNUAL MEETING.

Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution, tendered a hearty invitation to the National Society Sons of the American Revolution to meet in Memorial Continental Hall, at Washington, D. C., during the years of her administration. This was received with applause.

Mr. George Albert Smith, Vice-President General, of Utah, presented the invitation of the Utah Society for the next Congress to meet at Salt Lake City. Judge Wallace McCamant, of Oregon, and Col. Eugene C. Massie, of Virginia, and others seconded the invitation of the Utah Society.

Dr. Joseph H. Apple, of Hood College, Maryland, presented the invitation of the Maryland Society for the Congress to be held in Frederick, Maryland. This invitation was supplemented by Mr. James A. Wakefield, Trustee of the Pennsylvania Society, and many others.

A number of other invitations from chambers of commerce of other cities were also in the hands of the Secretary General.

Under the rules the decision of the next meeting place was referred to the incoming Board of Trustees.

Mr. Woodworth, of the Committee on Resolutions, reporting for the committee, approved the following resolution in reference to a memorial to the Lexington Minute Men and moved its adoption:

Inasmuch as the American Revolution is the foundation of this Society, and the Lexington Minute Men ushered in the Revolution;

*Be it Resolved in this Congress of the Sons of the American Revolution assembled,* That the Trustees of the National Society take some action in reference to assisting financially the erection of a lasting bronze Memorial to the 77 Lexington Minute Men who were in action the morning of April 19, 1775, to be dedicated at the 150th anniversary of the birth of our nation, April 19, 1925. That this resolution be brought to the attention of each State Society and that each State Society bring it to the Chapters within its State so that in the end every State may contribute some testimonial to this lasting and worthy Memorial.

The motion was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Woodworth, for the Resolutions Committee, reported favorably the following resolution of the Ohio Society, and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS the Committee on Patriotic Education has reported to this Congress the work for the past year; therefore, be it

*Resolved,* That this Congress empowers such Committee on Patriotic Education to take such further measures as are necessary and proper to carry into effect its foregoing resolutions.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

(The above resolution refers to the resolution of Judge McCamant, following the report on Patriotic Education.)

The election of officers then took place.

Judge Wallace McCamant presented the name of Mr. Marvin H. Lewis, of Kentucky, for President General. This nomination was seconded by Moulton Houk, of Ohio; Selden M. Ely, of the District of Columbia; James Edgar Brown,

of Illinois; W. S. Mayer, of Texas; R. C. Ballard Thruston, of Kentucky; C. T. Jewett, of Indiana; F. W. Millspaugh, of Tennessee; Col. Massie, of Virginia; Charles L. Wood, of Mississippi, and Michigan delegates.

Mr. Herbert A. Rice, of Rhode Island, presented the name of Judge Arthur P. Sumner, of Rhode Island, for President General. The nomination of Judge Sumner was seconded by Mr. Wentworth, of Iowa; Mr. Lord, of New Hampshire; Mr. Doolittle, of Connecticut; Mr. Woodworth, of New York; Mr. Hahn, of New Jersey.

Senator W. L. Love, of New York, placed in nomination to succeed himself, President General W. I. Lincoln Adams.

With Vice-President General George A. Smith presiding, President General Adams took the floor and declined reëlection. Thereupon, the President General presiding, Mr. Love seconded the nomination of Judge Sumner.

It was moved and adopted that nominations be closed and Mr. Wentworth, of Iowa, moved that the President General appoint three tellers. The motion was adopted and the President General appointed Mr. James Edgar Brown, of Illinois; Lewis J. Gorin, of Kentucky, and Frederick de G. Hahn, of New Jersey.

Mr. Wentworth moved that the Secretary call the roll of delegates and as each name was called the delegate cast his vote. The motion was adopted.

The balloting for President General then followed.

The Congress proceeded with the election of other officers while the tellers retired to count the ballots.

Mr. Henry F. Punderson, of Massachusetts, placed in nomination for the office of Vice-President General for the New England District the name of Dr. Charles H. Bangs, of Massachusetts. There being no further nominations for this office, Dr. Bangs was unanimously elected Vice-President General for the First or New England District.

Mr. Harry F. Brewer, of New Jersey, placed in nomination for the office of Vice-President General for the Second or Middle and Coast District, the name of Mr. Carl M. Vail, of New Jersey. There being no further nominations for this office Mr. Vail was unanimously elected Vice-President General for the Second or Middle and Coast District.

Mr. H. J. Stites, of Kentucky, placed in nomination for the office of Vice-President General for the Third or Mississippi Valley East District the name of Mr. Louis A. Bowman, of Illinois. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Bowman was unanimously elected to the office of Vice-President General for the Third or Mississippi Valley East District.

Mr. Linn Paine, of Missouri, placed in nomination for the office of Vice-President General for the Fourth or Mississippi Valley West District the name of Mr. J. Reid Green, of Nebraska. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Green was unanimously elected Vice-President General for the Fourth or Mississippi Valley West District.

Mr. Chauncey P. Overfield, of Utah, placed in nomination for the office of Vice-President General for the Fifth or Mountain and Pacific District the name of George Albert Smith, of Utah. There being no further nominations, Mr. Smith was unanimously elected Vice-President General for the Mountain and Pacific District.

The tellers being now ready to report, Mr. Brown, chairman, announced the result of the vote as follows:

Total number of votes cast, 157. Judge Arthur P. Sumner received 88 and Mr. Marvin H. Lewis, 59.

Mr. R. C. Ballard Thruston moved to make the election of Judge Sumner unanimous.

The motion was adopted and Judge Sumner was declared unanimously elected President General for the ensuing year.

The President General requested Past President General Elmer M. Wentworth to escort the President General elect to the platform. Judge Sumner accepted the office and expressed his thanks with a few words of grateful appreciation.

Judge Harvey F. Remington placed in nomination for the office of Secretary General the name of Mr. Frank Bartlett Steele, of New York. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Steele was unanimously reelected to the office of Secretary General.

Col. Henry W. Sackett, of New York, placed in nomination for the office of Treasurer General the name of Mr. George McKenzie Roberts, of New York. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Roberts was unanimously reelected to the office of Treasurer General.

Mr. George S. Robertson, of Maryland, placed in nomination for the office of Registrar General the name of Mr. Francis Barnum Culver, of Maryland. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Culver was unanimously reelected to the office of Registrar General.

Mr. Carl M. Vail, of New Jersey, placed in nomination for the office of Historian General the name of Mr. Joseph B. Doyle, of Ohio. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Doyle was unanimously reelected to the office of Historian General.

Mr. Louis A. Bowman, of Illinois, placed in nomination for the office of Chancellor General the name of Mr. James Edgar Brown, of Illinois. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Brown was unanimously elected to the office of Chancellor General.

Dr. Charles H. Bangs, of Massachusetts, placed in nomination for the office of Genealogist General the name of Mr. Walter K. Watkins, of Massachusetts. There being no further nominations for this office, Mr. Watkins was unanimously reelected to the office of Genealogist General.

Mr. Burton H. Wiggin, of Massachusetts, placed in nomination for the office of Chaplain General the name of Rev. Frederick W. Perkins, D. D., of Massachusetts. There being no further nominations for this office, Dr. Perkins was unanimously reelected to the office of Chaplain General.

The Secretary General read the list of nominations for National Trustees. It was moved by Mr. Thruston, of Kentucky, that the names as read by the Secretary General be elected Trustees. The motion was adopted and the gentlemen named were elected Trustees for the ensuing year. (The names of the Trustees will be found on page 4.)

Dr. Charles H. Bangs, of Massachusetts, asked permission to resign as Trustee for the State of Massachusetts, in view of his recent election as Vice-President General, and nominated Mr. Burton H. Wiggin, President of the State Society of Massachusetts in his place.

The President General ruled that it was so ordered.

Chairman Woodworth, of the Committee on Resolutions, offered a vote of thanks to the Tennessee State Society and moved that the Secretary General be instructed

to officially convey to the Tennessee Society to the Ladies' Committee and to the local committee the deep appreciation of the Congress of the National Society Sons of the American Revolution of the many courtesies extended during this meeting. In seconding the motion, Mr. Thruston asked to have it include the ladies who came as guests from the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution. The motion was unanimously adopted.

The President General announced that the incoming President General calls for a brief meeting of the Board of Trustees immediately after adjournment.

Mr. Pugsley, of New York, moved that a vote of thanks be tendered our splendid presiding officer of this Congress, Maj. W. I. Lincoln Adams. This was unanimously carried by a rising vote.

Thereupon, at 1.28 p. m., the Thirty-fourth Annual Congress of the National Society Sons of the American Revolution adjourned *sine die*.

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### **Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Trustees, held at the Hermitage, Home of Andrew Jackson, Tuesday, May 22, 1923, at 4.30 P. M.**

The meeting was called to order by the President General Arthur P. Sumner. Upon roll call, the following members of the Board of Trustees responded: Vice-Presidents General Bangs, Vail, Bowman, and Smith; Secretary General Steel, Treasurer General Roberts, Registrar General Culver, Genealogist General Watkins, Chancellor General J. Edgar Brown, of Illinois; Trustees Selden M. Ely, of the District of Columbia; Charles T. Jewett, of Indiana; Elmer M. Wentworth, of Iowa; Marvin H. Lewis, of Kentucky; Col. C. Robert Churchill, of Louisiana; Burton H. Wiggin, of Massachusetts; W. H. Barrett, of Michigan; C. Symes Kiggins, of New Jersey; Louis Annin Ames, of New York; Wallace McCamant, of Oregon; James A. Wakefield, of Pennsylvania; Daniel S. Spencer, of Utah, and Walter S. Mayer, of Texas; Linn Paine, President of Missouri Society.

The President General presented the following names for members of the Executive Committee and asked for their confirmation: W. I. Lincoln Adams, of New Jersey; Louis Annin Ames, of New York; Marvin H. Lewis, of Kentucky; Harry T. Lord, of New Hampshire; Herbert A. Rice, of Rhode Island, and Elmer M. Wentworth, of Iowa. It was moved by Col. Churchill that the names submitted be confirmed by the Trustees. Motion adopted.

The matter of the next meeting place of the Congress was then taken up and it was moved by Mr. Wentworth that the Trustees proceed to ballot for the next place of meeting. Motion adopted.

The President General appointed the Secretary General and the Treasurer General tellers. The result of the ballot was as follows: Salt Lake City received 13 and Fredericksburgh 7. Salt Lake City was declared the next meeting place of the Congress, in 1924.

Moved by Mr. Wentworth that the usual appropriation of \$500 be made for the expenses of the next Congress. Motion adopted.

Moved by Mr. Ames that the Executive Committee be empowered to carry on the work of the Society during the year. Motion adopted.

Moved by Mr. Wentworth that the proceedings of the Congress be approved in all respects and that the report of Judge Bonniwell, in respect to the changes in the By-Laws making them conform to the Constitution be adopted. Motion adopted.

Moved by Mr. Lewis that the traveling expenses of the Secretary General be paid for his attendance at the meetings of the Executive Committee and National Congress, and that the expenses of the Registrar General, Treasurer General, and the chairman of the Committee on Credentials be paid for attendance at the National Congress. Motion adopted.

It was moved by Mr. Churchill that a committee consisting of the President General, the Secretary General, Registrar General, and Genealogist General, be appointed with power to change blanks in conformity with the suggestions of the Genealogist General. Motion adopted.

Moved by Mr. Wentworth that the President General be authorized to appoint a committee in relation to legislation in the National and State legislatures to oppose radical legislation. Motion adopted.

FRANK B. STEELE,  
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The matter of salaries was thoroughly discussed and it was moved by Director General Ames that the salary of the Secretary General be fixed at \$2,100.00 and an additional allowance of \$300.00 per year be made for clerical assistance and expenses; that the salary of the Registrar General be fixed at \$1,500.00 per year and an additional allowance of \$300 per year be for clerical assistance; that an allowance of \$25.00 per month for one year be made to the Treasurer General for clerical assistance. Motion adopted.

Moved by Mr. Lewis that the President General, Arthur P. Sumner, and the Treasurer General, George McK. Roberts, be and hereby are authorized to borrow from the Corn Exchange Bank, Brooklyn, N. Y., the sum of \$5,000.00 as and when required, pledging securities of the Society as collateral if necessary. Motion was duly seconded and carried.

Moved by Mr. Ames that the price of the large certificates be fixed at \$3.00 each to State Societies. Motion adopted.

Moved by Mr. Ames that Director General Adams and Secretary General Steele be constituted the Committee on Printing and Advertising for the BULLETIN. Motion adopted.

Moved by Mr. Adams that a Liaison Officer of the committee be appointed to act with other patriotic societies. Motion adopted.

The President General appointed Major Adams such Liaison Officer.

Moved by Mr. Ames that the President General appoint a Committee to cooperate along patriotic and fraternal lines with other such societies. Motion adopted.

The President General appointed Mr. Ames Chairman of such committee with balance of committee to be completed at some future time.

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CONGRESS OF THE S.A.R.  
NASHVILLE, TENN. MAY 21-22, 1925  
HERMITAGE HOME OF PRESIDENT ANDREW JACKSON

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*Wiles*



### Social Features of the Congress at Nashville.

Probably never before in the history of the National Society have the social features been so extensive or so delightful, especially those given to the ladies accompanying the delegates. The spirit of the South, as embodied in its well-known hospitality, permeated everywhere and the delegates and members will never forget the reception given to them by the members of the Tennessee Society, the Nashville compatriots, and the charming ladies that assisted in the entertainment of the Congress.

On Sunday evening, May 20th, a special patriotic service was held at First Presbyterian Church, a most historic edifice and unique in its decorative effect. The delegates, led by the local committee, marched in body to the church, headed by the National Colors and our own standard. The beautiful and impressive service was conducted by the Rev. James I. Vance, D. D., who, in introducing Chaplain General Frederick W. Perkins, gave an interesting sketch of the history of the church. Doctor Perkins, our Chaplain General, gave a most eloquent and inspiring address on "The American Adventure."

The ladies accompanying the delegates, the representatives of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and invited guests, were given a most delightful luncheon at the Belle Meade Country Club on Monday noon, while the delegates were being entertained at luncheon at the Hotel Hermitage. The luncheon for the ladies was most charming and was presided over by Mrs. Benton H. McMillan who welcomed the guests in a clever speech and introduced the several speakers. Mrs. George Washington was introduced as one that is "all that is beautiful, lovely, and feminine but refuses to talk." Mrs. F. W. Millsbaugh welcomed the guests to the home of Andrew Jackson, James K. Polk, and Alvin C. York, Mrs. W. I. L. Adams, wife of the President General, was presented as a gold star mother, and expressed her deep appreciation for the warmth of the hospitality shown her, her husband, and the entire delegation. Mrs. Marvin H. Lewis, of Louisville, spoke on "What Women Can Do for the Sons of the American Revolution." The entire company rose when Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was presented. It was a signal honor to have Mrs. Cook as the guest of honor at these functions and her graciousness and personality charmed all with whom she came in contact. Mrs. Cook paid tribute to the welcome given the delegates and ladies to this Congress and brought greetings from her splendid society. Mrs. L. S. Gillentine, State Regent of the Tennessee D. A. R., answered the toast "Woman, Challenger Extraordinary," and made a witty and clever address. Mrs. Burton H. Wiggin, of Lowell, Mass., spoke for "New England."

After the luncheon to the ladies a welcome truly Southern in its character was extended to the delegates and visitors, Mrs. James C. Bradford entertaining in their honor at her beautiful home "Woodstock." The entire home built in 1820, with its store of colonial furniture, paintings, and other art treasures, was opened to the guests. Much of the hospitality centered in the lovely gardens, and in the summer house, for the benefit of the guests, the Fisk Jubilee singers were stationed and gave a program of old Southern melodies and Negro spirituals.

On Monday evening the Centennial Club, the Women's Club of Nashville, gave a delightful reception to the delegates and guests. Both floors were devoted to the entertainment and were decorated elaborately with spring flowers. Many

expressions of appreciation were heard of the kindness and cordiality of this splendid body of women.

On Tuesday afternoon, after the adjournment of the Congress, the delegates and guests were driven out to the Hermitage, the home of Andrew Jackson, and there a most interesting ceremony was held. After being given the privilege of inspecting the mansion, the grounds, and the gardens, the procession formed and preceded by the standard bearers, Major Adams, retiring President General, with Mrs. Caldwell and Judge Sumner, newly elected President General, marched to the tomb of General Jackson. There Major Adams placed a wreath on the grave of the great President and paid the hero of New Orleans a beautiful tribute. The Revolutionary marker was unveiled by Judge Sumner and the flag was placed on the marker by Miss Alice L. McDuffie, of Michigan, Vice President of the Daughters of the American Revolution. It was truly an impressive and delightful occasion and one that will remain in the memory of the members for many years.

The guests were driven through the country to the beautiful country place of Mrs. E. W. Cole, "Colemere" where a visit to the famous rose gardens was made. The hostess received her company on the front veranda and an inspection of the home and gardens was made. Refreshments were served in the large dining room.

The annual banquet was held in the ball room of the Hotel Hermitage and was a most brilliant affair, nearly four hundred delegates and guests attending. The toastmaster was the Honorable Joseph Wellington Byrns, who, with a clever wit and brilliant stories, introduced the several speakers of the evening. In the unavoidable absence of Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Miss Alice L. McDuffie was called upon to give greetings from our sister society and spoke at length on the work of the D. A. R. The presentation of World War service medals to eighteen young compatriots of the Tennessee Society, by Major W. I. Lincoln Adams, Past President General of the Society, was a feature of the evening. Major Adams spoke as one comrade to another, and in a few impressive and earnest words told his fellow-compatriots what the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution stands for now and in the future. Judge Arthur P. Sumner, the newly elected President General, gave a brief but brilliant address, outlining some of the ideals for which we stand and pledging a renewed effort to carry on the great work of the Society, Mrs. L. S. Gillentine, of Murfreesboro, State Regent of Tennessee D. A. R., also spoke briefly in most happy vein. Dr. J. H. Kirkland, Chancellor of Vanderbilt University, who was to give the address of the evening, because of the lateness of the hour, gave but a part of his speech. It was regretted by his hearers that this was so, for if the short but brilliant address was any criterion of what this eloquent gentleman is capable of the guests would have been willing to listen to him for any length of time. The Fisk Jubilee Singers gave selections during the evening.

**Officers and Delegates Present at the 34th Annual Congress, S. A. R.,  
Nashville, Tenn., May, 1923.**

President General W. I. Lincoln Adams, First Vice President General Hon. Harry T. Lord, Second Vice President General Philip F. Larner, Third Vice President General Louis A. Bowman, Fourth Vice President General Henry B. Hawley, Fifth Vice President General Hon. George Albert Smith, Secretary General Frank B. Steele, Treasurer General George McK. Roberts, Historian General Joseph B. Doyle, Registrar General Francis B. Culver, Chancellor General Eugene C. Bonniwell, Genealogist General Walter K. Watkins, Chaplain General Frederick W. Perkins, D. D.

*Past Presidents General.*

Hon. Cornelius A. Pugsley, Hon. R. C. Ballard Thruston, Newell B. Woodworth, Elmer M. Wentworth, Col. Louis Annin Ames, Judge Wallace McCamant.

*Directors General and National Trustees.*

Marvin H. Lewis, George E. Pomeroy, Charles Timothy Jewett, Col. C. Robert Churchill, Wilbert H. Barrett, C. Symmes Kiggins, Hon. James A. Wakefield, Hon. Arthur P. Sumner, Leland Hume, Daniel S. Spencer, Col. Eugene C. Massie.

DELEGATES.

*Arkansas.*

Thomas M. Cory.

*Connecticut.*

Leverett Belknap, Orlando H. Brothwell, Frederick A. Doolittle.

*District of Columbia.*

John S. Barker, Seldon Marvin Ely, Joseph Riddick Estes, Jr., Dr. Mark F. Finley, Clarence A. Kenyon, Major Overton C. Luxford, J. McDonald Stewart, Milo C. Summers.

*Illinois.*

Major W. G. Adkins, Bert P. Biggs, James Edgar Brown, Eugene D. Burbank, George A. Cameron, Harry G. Colson, Enoch H. Fudge, Judge Eben B. Gower, Henry L. Green, Charles A. Parker, William Reed, Dixon C. Williams, George A. Wright.

*Indiana.*

Stuart Eagleson, Edmund L. Parker.

*Iowa.*

Ezra Potter, Parley Sheldon.

*Kentucky.*

Lewis J. Gorin, Capt. E. T. Hutchings, Dr. Curran Pope, Lt.-Col. Henry J. Stites, Col. J. Swigert Taylor, Alex. W. Tippet.

*Louisiana.*

Harold W. King.

*Maine.*

Charles L. Hutchinson.

*Maryland.*

Joseph Henry Apple, Benson Blake, Jr., Albert Phenis, Col. David John Markey, T. Murray Maynadier, John Henry Orem, Jr., George Sadtler Robertson, Edward D. Shriner.

*Massachusetts.*

Charles Howard Bangs, M. D., Seth H. Clark, Edward Jones Cox, Horace A. Edgecomb, Henry Chapin Haile, John S. Kirkham, Major Alfred Pierce, Henry F. Punderson, Samuel Fuller Punderson, Eben Putnam, T. Julian Silsby, Richard H. Stacy, Burton H. Wiggin.

*Michigan.*

Almon B. Atwater, Roy Vorhees Barnes, Dr. Frank Ward Holt, Stoddard S. More, Albert H. Tippens.

*Mississippi.*

Charles L. Wood.

(Robert H. Wood as a guest)

*Missouri.*

Linn Paine, J. Alonzo Matthews.

*Nebraska.*

J. Reid Green, George A. Loveland.

*New Hampshire.*

Charles Arthur Holden.

*New Jersey.*

Madison Alling, Harry F. Brewer, Alpheus L. Brown, William J. Conkling, Dwight P. Cruikshank, James L. Garabrant, Frederic de Garmer Hahn, Joseph Holmes, William Clarkson Hope, Henry L. Kent, Charles J. Maxwell, George Vail Muchmore, Thomas A. Painter, David Lawrence Pierson, Stephen B. Ransom, William T. Sharpe, Oscar Stanley Thompson, Sr., Carl Montaigne Vail.

*New York.*

Col. William P. Alexander, George D. Barney, M. D., Ward Belknap, Leslie J. Bennett, Brig.-Gen. Oliver B. Bridgman, George Royce Brown, Lewis B. Curtis, Harold S. Hull, Herbert S. Kellogg, Hon. William Lathrope Love, M. D., Chester Pugsley, Hon. Harvey F. Remington, Col. Henry W. Sackett, George B. Sage, P. Valentine Sherwood, Charles H. Wight, John C. Wight, Charles P. Wortman.

*Ohio.*

Robert P. Boggis, Dr. E. R. Booth, Henry H. Hoard, Moulton Houk, Miles S. Kuhns.

*Oregon.*

Col. Henry C. Cabell.

*Pennsylvania.*

William J. Askin, Jr., Ira B. Blain, Col. Isaac B. Brown, Capt. Rasselas W. Brown, Omar S. Decker, Dr. Theodore Diller, Herman W. Fernberger, Frank J. Forsyth, R. C. Schanck, John A. Simeral.

*Rhode Island.*

Dr. Forrest G. Eddy, Mahlon Myron Gowdy, Herbert Ambrose Rice.

*Tennessee.*

W. K. Boardman, James M. Cox, Dr. L. W. Culbreath, Paul De Witt, M. D., John Tyree Fain, Carey A. Folk, A. L. Hayes, George Sharp Lannon, E. A. Lindsey, Charles S. Martin, Frederick W. Millspaugh.

*Texas.*

Col. Walter Scott Mayer.

*Utah.*

Hon. Chauncey P. Overfield, Hon. William D. Riter.

*Virginia.*

Fred E. Emerson.

*Wisconsin.*

Henry S. Sloan.

*Recapitulation.*

National Officers.....	13
Past Presidents General.....	6
Directors General.....	2
Delegates .....	149
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Total .....	170

**REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL FOR 1923**

In making my report last year I said that it was neither possible nor desirable to give a complete review of the work accomplished by the Society or this office, and this year it will be the endeavor of the Secretary General to tell of some of the outstanding achievements of the Society during the year, and following the custom of our talkative friends in Congress, ask leave to print anything that may have been left out and that seems essential for the good of the organization.

Again, it must be said that the most important duty of the Secretary is the compiling and editing of the BULLETIN. Never has it seemed so important than at this time to have this magazine (for that is what it is now) the chief disseminator of our news and an influence to draw our many State societies and local chapters closer together.

First, let it be said again that this BULLETIN is the organ of the whole Society and not of any particular State, chapter, or locality. It has been the endeavor of the editor to give the widest scope and publicity to the State societies and their activities, and if some of the societies seem to have much more than others printed in the BULLETIN, it is only because these State societies sent in copy for publication and the others did not and the editor did not have any data to insert. In this connection it is again urged that the officers of the several State societies see to it that at least notes of their meetings and activities be sent in promptly. It would be an excellent idea if every State Society, and for that matter every chapter, have a publicity man, not only to gather items for the BULLETIN, but also for their local papers. Our Society does not get nearly the publicity it deserves for the work it is doing.

As you have no doubt noticed, the last publication of the BULLETIN contained a few desirable advertisements. This plan, suggested by the President General, was tried out and though small in this issue, it netted about \$150. It is felt that if a definite, comprehensive plan is carried out, enough advertisements may be secured to very materially lessen the cost of the publication of the BULLETIN. The members can very easily assist in this work. There are no doubt many of the compatriots who are in touch with national advertisers, either on account of personal interest or business connections, and a word spoken to the proper officials of the business house might assist in securing the advertisement. The

circulation of the BULLETIN is now nearly 20,000 and of a class that should appeal to many advertisers on account of its wide distribution and the quality of its readers.

That the OFFICIAL BULLETIN is an influence that is being felt, not only throughout our own organization, but also among others, is shown by the number of letters received from many parts of the country in reference to matter published in the magazine.

Another matter that has been started this year is the distribution of medals to the pupils of the grammar schools. This idea, which is somewhat different from the one that has been carried on by many of our societies for some years, was worked out by the Secretary and Mr. Ernest Hartwell, superintendent of the Buffalo Public Schools, and was set forth tentatively in the March BULLETIN. It has no doubt made a fine impression among the societies and if carried out will do much to forward the work of the patriotic education of this country.

In the matter of the list of members and their upkeep, it must be said that this is the most arduous and continuously strenuous job that the Secretary General has to cope with. The constant changes of addresses that come in after every BULLETIN is issued, the difficulty in obtaining the correct address of many of the members who have moved, and the lack in a few cases of co-operation of certain State societies in not sending in their changes, is a never-ending and sometimes irritating proposition and one that necessitates continuous and careful attention.

The list that was handed over to the Secretary General when he took hold was a geographical one only, and after struggling for a year to use this for all purposes, including the answering of many inquiries for names and addresses, it was decided to have a definite and purely alphabetical list so that these two together now make as perfect a list as could be under the circumstances. This work was started in January of this year and was only completed the week before this Congress. As it meant the refile of some twenty thousand names and the checking them up with the other twenty thousand, the members may readily see that this was something of a job. Without the help of a remarkably able and energetic assistant, it will be frankly admitted that it would have taken twice as long and your Secretary might have been living in a home for incurables instead of enjoying the hospitality of Nashville at this time. However, it was well worth while, and if it is kept up to date will be a valuable and necessary asset to the Society.

As the activities of the Society in general will be set forth in the several reports of the President, the Vice-Presidents General, and the chairmen of the several committees, it is but necessary to mention some of them in passing. The chief efforts that have made a deep impression on the country and demonstrated what our Society can do when it goes after something are the Constitution Day celebration and the fight for the elimination of unpatriotic school histories from some of our public schools. The celebration of Constitution Day this year was even more general than ever before, and under the leadership of Past President General Ames was carried on with enthusiasm in every part of the country. A fine report of this was published in the December BULLETIN.

The BULLETIN has published in every number this year something about the school history matter, and that this has been a live subject and the articles have



been read is shown, as said before, by the number of letters received by the editor. The delegates will have a comprehensive report on this subject from Judge McCamant, who, it is known, has come to this Congress chiefly on account of his deep interest in this most important and vital subject.

The activities of the President General this year have been most far-reaching and strenuous. Major Adams has never refused a call upon him if it was possible to answer it. His tour to the coast in January was one that few men who did not have the splendid physical stamina and personal poise could have stood. The story of this trip is most interestingly told in the March BULLETIN and every member is urged to read it carefully, for it not only shows in detail where the President General visited, but if carefully digested will demonstrate how splendidly our members get together and the lasting effect of such occasions. To be made the guest of honor on numerous occasions; to be asked to speak before State legislatures; to be hailed in many cities by the public press as our "distinguished guest," and have reports of his speeches given outstanding publicity, all go to show that the places visited not only honored the man, but through him the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

The co-operation of the officers of the Society has been as pleasant and friendly as heretofore and a special word must be said for the careful and painstaking work of the Treasurer General, who has let nothing escape his searching eye and has his records in perfect condition.

That the Society is going ahead as never before is demonstrated to the Secretary General by the enthusiasm that seems to be permeating our organization on every side. The most remarkable evidence of this is right here in this State of Tennessee and in this city of Nashville. No one who has not had contact with Compatriot Millsbaugh during the past year or so can realize what a splendid, enthusiastic booster he is. It was largely through his efforts that this Congress was held in this city; that Tennessee won the Traveling Banner last year and probably this year; that a chapter of nearly 50 is likely to be organized in another Tennessee city. And now, just as this report is being written, comes a letter from him saying that there is an excellent chance of reorganizing Mississippi, which has lain in a state of comor for several years past. These are but a few of his accomplishments, and if every State in the Society could have such a member the results would be far beyond our greatest hopes and desires. It is impossible to make a report of this kind without a tribute to such a man and his work.

From Minnesota comes reports of new chapters in Minneapolis and Duluth; from California of new chapters being organized in Sacramento and Fresno; from Ohio one in Akron, and from North Dakota one in Grand Forks.

From Texas, through Mr. Walter S. Mayer, who has been so long actively carrying on the work of the Texas Society, comes word of the election of officers of the State society in Houston and the formation of a new chapter in Galveston. Mr. Mayer has recently written that Texas has started upon a new and definite plan for the increase of interest and members, and to demonstrate their earnestness he has wired for 150 new application blanks for membership.

West Virginia is well on the way toward the formation of a new Society in that State, and Pennsylvania, after holding a most enthusiastic meeting on February 22, at which time new officers were elected, headed by Mr. R. C.

Schanck, of Pittsburgh, is out to show what it can do by sending for 500 application blanks. Mr. Schanck is another of those splendid men who have recently helped our Society grow and increase both in numbers and activities. New chapters have been formed in Middletown and McKeesport and one is about to be formed in Johnstown. With leadership of this kind it is certain that this great State will be well up on the list of accomplishments by the end of another year.

There are many other societies of a similar enthusiasm and interest. New Jersey is still leading in numbers and activities. One has but to read of the constant and continuing meetings of the many chapters in that State, of the large and enthusiastic meetings of the State society and its active participation in all the patriotic events of the year, of the increase in numbers in every quarter, to realize that this State, whose activities are so well handled by its enthusiastic and deeply earnest secretary, is in the van of the whole Society and it will take herculean efforts to dislodge it from its well earned position.

With these few examples it is felt that the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution, is well on its way toward a period of growth, prosperity, and accomplishment that will in a few years make it an organization whose influence will be felt more and more in these troublesome times and one that will go a long way toward keeping our country close to the ideals that were set by our Revolutionary ancestors.

FRANK B. STEELE,  
*Secretary General.*

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### REPORT OF TREASURER GENERAL, MAY 15, 1923

#### *President General and Compatriots:*

In submitting his first annual report, the Treasurer General desires to acknowledge the whole-hearted co-operation and assistance rendered by the former Treasurer General, Mr. John H. Burroughs, whose advice and help have been greatly appreciated. He also wishes to express his thanks to the officers of the various State societies for their co-operation and for their promptness in forwarding remittances.

With the approval of the President General, it has been decided to install a new and complete set of double-entry books, beginning with the new fiscal year.

As will be seen from the figures submitted, of the present cash balance of \$5,266.03 only \$4,014.66 is available for current expenses, the balance consisting of uninvested cash in the Permanent Fund. There are accounts payable of \$2,010.60 not yet due, leaving only a working balance of \$2,004.06. It is evident we will be obliged to again borrow, as our only additional income during the current year will be from membership fees, interest, rebates, etc. The Society should not be obliged to expend the amount received for membership fees to meet ordinary expenses. In the opinion of your Treasurer General, this should be placed in a special fund for other purposes.

If the increase in annual dues is not granted, your finances will be in a serious state, and even if they are increased, the treasury will not benefit for another year.



## Registrar General:

Salary .....	\$1,200.00
Postage .....	71.37
Express charges .....	9.03
Office supplies .....	3.51
Sundries .....	21.32
Clerical assistance .....	54.75
Expenses attending Springfield Congress.....	81.80

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## Treasurer General:

Postage .....	\$15.22
Stenographic services .....	25.00
Expenses attending Springfield Congress.....	42.37

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 82.59

Rent of office at Washington, D. C. ....

630.00

## Bulletin:

Printing and binding.....	\$5,458.07
Half-tones and electros.....	19.25
Stencils .....	259.19
Envelopes .....	570.48
Postage and express.....	426.19

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 6,733.18

## Certificates:

Engraving and lithographing.....	\$520.00
Engrossing .....	447.43
Seals .....	3.00
Carriers .....	4.65
Record book .....	3.50

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## Blanks:

Application .....	\$389.43
Transfer application .....	19.00
Registration .....	11.00
Credential .....	7.25
Membership cards .....	50.50
Invoice .....	7.50
Registrar General .....	14.00
Letterheads and envelopes.....	505.56
Circulars .....	115.40

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 1,119.64

Rosettes .....	43.49
Ribbon .....	126.34
Medals .....	73.93
Copper shell for official seal.....	14.60
Small official seal for certificates.....	20.25
Emblem electros .....	4.25
Signature die .....	3.25
Certificate and insignia electros.....	2.00

Miscellaneous postage .....	\$2.00	
Recording and transcribing proceedings Springfield Congress.....	100.00	
Record book for Congress.....	4.50	
Safe-deposit rent .....	6.00	
Indemnity bond .....	25.00	
Expenses Acting Chairman Credentials Committee attending Spring- field Congress .....	27.60	
Expenses of organization North Carolina and South Carolina Societies	29.67	
Wreath for Washington Monument.....	10.00	
Wreath for Past President General Beardsley's funeral.....	15.00	
American Flag Association membership on account.....	5.00	
National American Council assessment.....	100.00	
Refund deposit account of London Chapter.....	90.00	
Refund account of unaccepted supplemental application Indiana Society	1.00	
Corn Exchange Bank:		
Demand loan .....	\$3,500.00	
Interest on demand loan.....	67.09	
	<hr/>	3,567.09
Refund unpaid P. O. M. O. Indiana Society.....	\$1.00	
Refund unpaid check District of Columbia Society.....	5.00	
	<hr/>	6.00
Exchange on out of town checks.....		11.23
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		\$17,494.37
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Balance on hand May 10, 1922.....	\$3,392.01	
Receipts for year .....	19,368.39	
	<hr/>	\$22,760.40
Disbursements .....	17,494.37	
	<hr/>	\$5,266.03
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In Corn Exchange Bank.....	\$4,014.66	
In Broadway Savings Institution.....	1,251.37	
	<hr/>	\$5,266.03

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Arizona, May 9, 1923, blanks.....	\$6.63
District of Columbia, May 15, 1923, supplementals.....	2.00
Illinois, May 11, 1923, supplementals.....	7.00
Indiana, May 3, 1923, overpayment.....	2.22 cr.
Iowa, April 1, 1923, dues (no report).....	.....
Iowa, April 16, 1923, blanks.....	1.67
Kansas, April 13, 1923, certificate.....	2.24
Louisiana, February 10, 1923, blanks.....	\$8.41
Louisiana, April 13, 1923, certificates.....	50.90

Louisiana, April 16, 1923, blanks.....	\$2.73	
Louisiana, May 4, 1923, supplementals.....	4.00	
		\$66.04
Maine, April 13, 1923, certificates.....		4.26
Minnesota, July 12, 1921, overpayment.....	3.60 cr	
Minnesota, January 23, 1922, supplementals.....	2.00	
Minnesota, February 10, 1923, blanks.....	6.29	
Minnesota, April 1, 1923, dues.....	161.00	
Minnesota, April 16, 1923, blanks.....	10.46	
		176.15
Nebraska, May 8, 1923, blanks.....		6.36
Oklahoma, May 8, 1923, blanks.....		6.45
Utah, April 16, 1923, blanks.....		6.60
Washington, April 16, 1923, blanks.....		6.63
Wyoming, April 1, 1923, dues.....		22.50
Western Reserve Chapter:		
May 21, 1920, certificate.....	\$2.00	
February 24, 1921, supplemental.....	1.00	
April 19, 1921, supplemental.....	2.00	
December 6, 1921, certificate.....	2.00	
February 15, 1923, certificate.....	.22	
		7.22
J. E. Caldwell & Co., April 25, 1923, advertising.....		100.00
		\$419.53*

## ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

H. S. P. Clark, May 5, 1923, clerical services Registrar General's office .....		\$9.25
Francis B. Culver, April 30, 1923, postage.....		4.40
Judd & Detweiler, Inc.:		
April 9, 1923, application blanks .....	\$54.86	
April 9, 1923, letterheads and envelopes.....	26.47	
		81.33
May 7, 1923, application blanks .....	\$10.31	
May 7, 1923, stencils .....	36.25	
May 7, 1923, BULLETIN envelopes .....	36.75	
		83.31
May 7, 1923, printing March BULLETIN.....	\$1,436.60	
May 7, 1923, half tones .....	13.64	
May 7, 1923, postage and express for BULLETINS...	160.92	
		1,611.16
J. T. Lynam Co.:		
April 17, 1923, credential blanks .....	\$6.50	
April 17, 1923, registration blanks .....	8.75	
April 17, 1923, certificate blanks .....	3.25	
April 17, 1923, half tones .....	12.95	

\* Not including Iowa Society dues. Amount not reported.

J. T. Lynam Co.:		
April 17, 1923, letterheads and envelopes.....	\$4.85	
April 17, 1923, circular letters .....	5.50	
		\$41.80
The National Union Insurance Co., April 30, 1923, rent for May...		52.50
Frank B. Steele:		
May 12, 1923, postage .....	\$9.18	
May 12, 1923, telephone .....	3.80	
May 12, 1923, rent of typewriter.....	3.00	
		15.98
Styles & Cash:		
April 30, 1923, BULLETIN envelopes .....	\$86.80	
April 30, 1923, envelopes .....	16.02	
April 30, 1923, ledger .....	3.75	
		106.57
		\$2,010.60
Otto Ulbrich Co., May 1, 1923, office supplies.....		4.30
Audited and found correct.		
HENRY V. CONDUCT,		
<i>For Finance Committee.</i>		

GEORGE MCK. ROBERTS,  
*Treasurer General.*

**Report on Permanent Fund**

MAY 15, 1923.

PRESIDENT GENERAL AND COMPATRIOTS:

The Treasurer General has the honor to submit the following report on the Permanent Fund:

Since the report of May 10, 1922, there has been received \$347.32 from rebates on insignia, rosettes, and ribbons, making the amount uninvested, including interest, \$1,251.37.

The amount of securities now held is \$14,500, par value. A special report on these securities will be made by Hon. Cornelius A. Pugsley, Chairman of the Permanent Fund Investment Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE MCK. ROBERTS,  
*Treasurer General.*

**Report of Committee on Investment of Permanent Funds**

MAY 12, 1923.

I have examined the securities in the safe deposit vault in New York City held by the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution and find the securities are as follows:

- \$1,000 4¼ per cent Liberty Bonds (4th).
- 2,500 4¼ per cent Liberty Bonds (3d).
- 1,000 3½ per cent Liberty Bonds (1st).

1,000	Keokee Cons. Coke Co. 5 per cent Bonds.
1,000	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe 4 per cent.
2,000	State of New York 4 per cent.
4,000	4 per cent Bonds, City of New York.
1,000	4½ per cent City of New York.
1,000	New York Railway Adjustment 5's.

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Total, \$14,500

C. A. PUGSLEY,  
*Chairman of Committee.*

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### AN INTERESTING SOUVENIR

In response to many requests, former President General Adams has allowed his short address on "The Responsibility of the Well-born," which appeared in the October number of the OFFICIAL BULLETIN last year, to be reprinted on card-boards for more permanent and convenient preservation.

The card-boards are eleven by fourteen inches in size, and contain also the official portrait of the President General, which appeared as a frontispiece to our December, 1922, number. The whole is surrounded by a neat border, printed in Continental blue on Colonial buff; and they make appropriate subjects for framing.

Only fifty of these cards have been printed from hand-set type, which has been distributed. Major Adams has signified his willingness to sign a few in India ink, and present them, with his compliments, to those State societies, or chapters, which have permanent headquarters and would like to frame a copy for their walls.

One copy has already been sent to our National Headquarters in Washington and one to Continental Memorial Hall, the National Headquarters of the D. A. R., in the same city. Another copy has gone to the historic Old Barracks at Trenton, N. J., while a Masonic lodge in Texas liked so well the sentiments expressed in this patriotic address they caused it to be engrossed and hung it up on the walls of their lodge-room.

The Secretary General, who is also editor of our OFFICIAL BULLETIN, will gladly forward to Major Adams any request for this interesting souvenir of his administration which he may receive; or applications for it may be sent directly to Major Adams himself, at Montclair, N. J.

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### REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL, 1923

Your Registrar General has the honor to report a year of progress for the Society. There has been no abatement of interest in the work. The influx of new members has been steady and constant.

Immediately preceding October 1, 1922, the date on which the National Society initiation fee became operative, we enrolled an unusual number of new members. This was followed by a brief period of comparative quiescence; and thereafter, as the several State organizations became adjusted to the new order of things, accessions to our membership have been coming in steadily.



There was enrolled from April 1, 1922, to April 1, 1923, a total of 1,424 members. The decrement by deaths, resignations, etc., exceeds that of the preceding year (approximately 1,175 as against 850), being occasioned chiefly by losses in two or three of the larger State societies.

The membership on our rolls as of April 1, 1923, was 18,074, and with 188 additions since the date to May 15, shows a total of 18,262. On account of the losses already noted, our net gain in membership has not been commensurate with our expectations, however.

Besides the admission last year into the Massachusetts Society of Dr. Crosby Perry, a "real son," of whom notice was published in the last June BULLETIN, and who was present at the Springfield Congress, the Maine Society has added to its membership Mr. Peter Brackett, of Biddeford, a son of William Brackett, who was born at Falmouth, Mass., in 1752, and was a sergeant in the Massachusetts Militia and Continental Troops. Compatriot Brackett was born March 4, 1838.

Among our hopes held out for the immediate future, is the organization of a "London Chapter" of the S. A. R., upon which thought and effort have been directed for some time past, and credit must be given the Louisiana and New York Societies for their activities in this undertaking. Since the close of the fiscal year, the nucleus of a revived Society in South Carolina is in process of formation, the old South Carolina Society of twenty members having passed out of existence in 1912. Alabama, also, is expected to be heard from shortly, and the outlook for West Virginia is promising and within the range of certainty.

In the year's necrology we record with regret the following notable losses: Judge Morris B. Beardsley, Past President General; Captain John H. Moore, U. S. N., Past Vice-President General; Colonel Robert W. Guthrie, of Pennsylvania Society, member of the Board of Trustees and a constant attendant at the congresses of the National Society; Paris B. Bartley, President of the Montana Society; Hon. Morgan G. Bulkeley, Past President of the Connecticut Society, former U. S. Senator, etc.; Albert M. Henry, Past President of the Michigan Society and member of the Board of Trustees; James Polk Willard, faithful Secretary of the Colorado Society for a number of years; Colonel George T. Wood, U. S. A., Treasurer of the Kentucky Society and member of the Board of Trustees; Arthur B. Clarke, President of the Virginia Society and member of the Board of Trustees; Charles E. Rittenhouse, Past President of the Minnesota Society; and others whose services as well as their presence in their respective societies will be missed. One "real son" of a Revolutionary soldier, a member of the Colorado Society, passed away last June in the person of William Thomas Eubank.

Since the suspension in 1920 of the publication of our rather expensive Year Book, the Registrar General has published in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN (quarterly) a complete pedigree, as well as the Revolutionary services, of the ancestor of each new member and likewise for all Supplementals; and from the many letters received in this connection, we are convinced that the interest in this section of the BULLETIN is keen and that its publication is of great benefit to an ever-widening circle of individuals seeking genealogical data with the object of gaining admission to our American Revolutionary patriotic societies.

As there was a large number of copies of the Year Books of certain periods lying idle in this office, it was deemed opportune to offer some of the surplus copies to members desiring to possess them. A notice to this effect in the December

BULLETIN was followed by the delivery of 105 copies to officers and members, some of the copies being purchased

In this connection it may be stated that the archives in the Registrar General's office are of great historical and genealogical value, as they contain the application papers of more than 38,000 members who have been admitted since the organization of the Society in 1889.

There is a card index for each of these members, so that any paper may be found upon short notice. There is, likewise, a card index of the Revolutionary ancestors of each member, as well as of Supplemental ancestors, comprising a total list of approximately 50,000 patriot forebears whose actual services can be readily obtained from these papers. The necessity of a fire-proof protection for such valuable archives is patent. It may be a wise and practical provision, to be borne in mind when the time arrives that we can afford a more commodious housing for our valuable records, to have the application papers of our members bound in book form, with durable covers, so that they may be saved from the wear occasioned by the constant, but necessary use of the present files.

One of the most interesting manuscript records in our possession is the volume containing the names of the founders and earliest members of our Society. Among these members are to be met the names of men of national and international reputation a generation ago, the men who devised our Society's Constitution and By-Laws, and whose wisdom and foresight are evident to any one who is familiar with the conduct of the Society's business. The aforementioned volume and some of the later ones are sorely in need of proper binding to preserve their contents.

In addition to these suggestions, it may be remarked that a volume containing an alphabetical list of all Revolutionary ancestors should be published from our files, with such additional data as may appear to be relevant and practicable. A compilation of this kind would constitute a valuable reference work which should be in great demand and could be sold at the price of the cost of publication per volume.

During the year, the Registrar General has received certain donations of books and pamphlets for the office library, including a biography and genealogical history of compatriot Dr. Moses Greeley Parker, of the Massachusetts Society, who died in 1917, compiled by Frederick W. Coburn and presented through the Moses Greeley Parker trust; also a copy of "The Keller Family," by Dr. D. H. Keller, of the Louisiana Society; and numerous State Society compilations. This office will appreciate and utilize for the benefit of our members, any donations of books on family genealogy, county and State histories, or any pamphlets and other material bearing on these subjects, and due acknowledgment will be made.

In the course of the year hundreds of letters have been written in the regular order of the Society's business, and numerous replies have been sent in answer to all sorts of inquiries more or less pertinent, from outsiders. The number of supplemental applications approved during the year is 363; about 500 certificates of membership were issued; and the six months of the operation of the new fee system, 387 original applications (on which the \$5.00 fee had been paid) were approved and registered. Under the new system a free certificate is issued to the new member, but certain State Societies, such as Louisiana, New York, and Texas, have decided to purchase the old-style or larger and more elaborate certificate of membership.

The greatest percentage of net gain by Societies numbering 100 members and upwards, was attained by the Tennessee Society, which commenced on April 1, 1922, with a membership of 157 and ended the present year with a net membership of 226—a gain of 67, or 43.4 per cent. The next highest percentage was made by the Minnesota Society, with 20.6 per cent, and Indiana ranks third highest with 18.5 per cent. Tennessee, therefore, is entitled to the Traveling Banner for the second consecutive time.

The Syracuse Banner, to be awarded to the Society enrolling the greatest number of new members, will be retained by the New Jersey Society, with an enrollment of 167. The next in order are the "Empire State" Society, with 118; Massachusetts, with 104; Pennsylvania, with 96, and Illinois, with 89.

The Registrar General desires to express his thanks for the unflinching co-operation that has existed during the past year on the part of his fellow officers and his appreciation of their many courtesies. In the immediate work of this office he can not fail to mention the invaluable assistance rendered by Mrs. Clark, whose years of experience in this work and whose faithful performance of duty well done have made her an indispensable aid. The Registrar General's office closes the year with a virtually clear track for his successor, and with a record established for economy in the administration of business.

In conclusion, I may add that when I first entered upon the duties of the office to which I was elected at the last National Congress of this Society, I had, perhaps, the notion which is usually in the mind of the tyro, the novice, or whatever you may chose to term the fresh unsophisticated individual who has been looking on the inside from without, that I would discover many things that should be remedied, many innovations that could be made, etc., etc.

But during twelve months of more or less intimate association with this phase of the work of the National Society, I have grown to appreciate the admirable "foresight" of the founders of this great organization in the framing of its Constitution and the working out of its By-Laws, and have felt that my feeble efforts could be confined more advantageously to the conservation of the old landmarks and to a strict adherence to the rules and regulations foreordained by the Society's founders and incorporators, who boasted such names as Porter and Clark of the District of Columbia, Otis of New York, Webb of Vermont, Hoar of Massachusetts, Deming of Connecticut, McDowell of New Jersey, Hayes of Ohio, Wade Hampton of South Carolina, Buckner of Kentucky, Gordon of Georgia, Fitzhugh Lee of Virginia, and Taylor of Tennessee; besides others of equal caliber whose names space and time forbid me to mention here.

FRANCIS B. CULVER,  
*Registrar General.*

## MEMBERSHIP REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL, 1923

	March 31, 1922.	Ad- ditions.	Losses.	March 31, 1923.	Net Gain.	Net Loss.	New Members.
Arizona -----	48	---	1	47	---	1	---
*Arkansas -----	68	4	9	63	---	5	4
California -----	529	70	33	566	37	---	62
Colorado -----	328	7	22	313	---	15	7
*Connecticut -----	1,172	27	30	1,169	---	3	27
Delaware -----	107	8	1	114	7	---	7
District of Columbia--	515	54	14	555	40	---	48
Florida -----	43	15	---	58	15	---	15
Georgia -----	28	5	---	33	5	---	5
Idaho -----	125	6	14	117	---	8	6
Illinois -----	1,220	100	132	1,188	---	32	89
Indiana -----	265	56	7	314	49	---	49
Iowa -----	490	31	109	412	---	78	30
Kansas -----	124	16	30	110	---	14	15
Kentucky -----	220	18	14	224	4	---	18
Louisiana -----	335	45	31	349	14	---	44
Maine -----	346	13	30	329	---	17	13
Maryland -----	496	55	15	536	40	---	51
†Massachusetts -----	1,848	121	143	1,826	---	22	104
Michigan -----	702	59	84	677	---	25	53
Minnesota -----	267	67	12	322	55	---	65
Missouri -----	220	23	8	235	15	---	21
Montana -----	34	4	6	32	---	2	3
*Nebraska -----	250	22	(?)	272	22	---	22
New Hampshire-----	185	8	10	183	---	2	8
New Jersey -----	1,852	175	78	1,949	97	---	167
New Mexico -----	64	7	7	64	---	---	6
New York -----	1,770	134	126	1,778	8	---	118
North Dakota -----	83	17	4	96	13	---	15
Ohio -----	853	64	17	900	47	---	62
Oklahoma -----	119	3	6	116	---	3	3
Oregon -----	260	27	11	276	16	---	25
Pennsylvania -----	763	100	69	794	31	---	96
Rhode Island -----	386	30	16	394	14	---	29
South Dakota -----	78	5	12	71	---	7	5
Tennessee -----	157	74	5	226	69	---	66
Texas -----	98	15	28	85	---	13	14
Utah -----	212	14	7	219	7	---	11
†Vermont -----	198	2	9	191	---	7	2
Virginia -----	263	11	7	267	4	---	10
*Washington -----	295	12	(?)	307	12	---	12
†Wisconsin -----	172	14	6	180	8	---	14
Wyoming -----	44	2	1	45	1	---	2
Hawaiian -----	79	1	10	70	---	9	1
Total -----	17,707	1,541	1,174	18,074	630	263	1,424

\*Alabama, Far East, France, Mississippi, Nevada, North Carolina, South Carolina.

\*No report. Figures when given are based upon incomplete data.

†Figures for March 31, 1922, are revised.

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PATRIOTIC EDUCATION

*Mr. President General and Gentlemen of the Nashville Congress, S. A. R.:*

Your Committee on Patriotic Education makes the following report:

The subject of patriotic education is closely related to the purposes for which this Society exists. The subject is a large one; many forms of activity are properly comprehended by it. It is obviously better for your committee to concentrate on one line of activity in which it is possible to secure results than to spread our activities over so large a field as to preclude the accomplishment of anything practical.

A resolution adopted at the Springfield Congress charged us particularly to take all needful measures to eliminate from our schools text-books on American history which undervalue the services rendered by the men of the American Revolution or which teach class hatred.

Your committee has reviewed a large number of the books in use in our schools. We have found a great deal of inaccuracy and considerable propaganda bearing on political questions which still divide the people. The fundamental defects and those which are most clearly subject to criticism at the hands of a patriotic society are inadequate and unsympathetic treatment of the American Revolution and a treatment of events in our recent history in such manner as to inculcate loyalty to class rather than to country.

The matter is one of great importance. Most Americans go through life with little knowledge of their country's past save such as they learn in school. If this knowledge is tainted, the quality of their citizenship is impaired.

The American Revolution is an event of outstanding significance. We are not mistaken in our contention that it should be adequately covered in a school history.

Nor is a superficial treatment of this epoch to be excused on the ground that the author is writing a book for the use of advanced students who are supposed to have learned the details in more elementary text-books. It is conceded that a history intended for high school students should be adapted to their intelligence, and should differ from elementary histories in style and scope. But any American history is lacking in proportion if it fails to treat adequately the war which made the Declaration of Independence effective and which made possible government under the Constitution. Fiske, Schouler, Lodge, and Trevelyan all wrote for adults who are supposed to have studied the history of our country in their student days. They all tell the stories of Bunker Hill and Bennington, of Trenton, Princeton, and Valley Forge, of King's Mountain, the Cowpens, and Yorktown with a wealth of detail which grips the imagination and convinces the reader that our free institutions are a treasure bought with a great price. An author who devotes ten pages out of five hundred to the Revolutionary War invites the censure of such a Society as ours. Still more is he to be condemned if his account of the Revolution is colorless, if the heroic element is eliminated and if matter is published which will cause indiscriminating school children to feel unkindly to the great men to whom we owe our national independence.

Hero worship is one of the mightiest and most wholesome of ethical influences. A veneration for the great men of our past is the best antidote for radical and disintegrating propaganda. A school history which does not inspire this veneration does not belong in our schools.

The chief purpose to be subserved in teaching American history is the inculcation of patriotism. It is believed by your committee that the subject can be taught in such a way as to insure that the bulk of the students will go through life good Americans and that the appeals of demagogues will find little favor with them.

Your committee is actuated by no feeling of hostility to Great Britain. The present generation of Britons has rendered so magnificent a service in the preservation of civilization that all good Americans should have a feeling of comradeship for them. They should not be punished for the sins of George III. But school histories, while properly stressing the part played by Great Britain in the World War, should also tell with colorful emphasis the story of the heroism of our forefathers in resisting the tyranny of a British king and winning for this country a place among the nations. Our desire for friendly relations with Great Britain must not induce us to bring up a generation of Americans to whom Bunker Hill and King's Mountain will be meaningless names and who will have a feeling of criticism, rather than of gratitude, for such men as John Hancock and Alexander Hamilton. The rising generation must be Americans, not merely Anglo-Saxons.

Your committee has found the McLaughlin & Van Tyne, O'Hara, Everett Barnes, Hart, James and Sanford, Muzzey and West histories objectionable in their treatment of the American Revolution. The Muzzey, West and Burnham histories are also open to criticism on the score of class hatred. The Muzzey and West histories being objectionable on both grounds, we have published criticisms pointing out some of the respects in which we object to them. These pamphlets have been widely circulated.

In our attack on the objectionable books we have been favored with assistance from a number of other organizations, notably the Daughters of the American Revolution, especially in the States of Ohio, Tennessee, and Washington, the Supreme Council of the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry in the Southern jurisdiction, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Patriotic Order Sons of America in Pennsylvania, and the Knights of Columbus Historical Commission, especially in Massachusetts.

So many individuals have co-operated with us in our work that we cannot name them all and we hesitate to name any for fear that we shall seem unappreciative of the work done by others. It is nevertheless true that this report would be inadequate if it failed to mention the scholarly brief printed and circulated by S. T. Cameron, of the District of Columbia on the Muzzey history. It is believed that no open minded man can read this argument without reaching the conclusion that Muzzey is hopelessly unfit for school use.

Captain A. H. Conner, President of the Idaho Society and Attorney General of that State, published in the Boise *Statesman* an attack on the Willis Mason West history which has so much value that we have republished it in pamphlet form. Under his leadership the Idaho Society has succeeded in displacing from all but three of the schools in that State the text-books to which we object.

It is not surprising that we have had difficulties in our work and that we have met with opposition. The publishers of school books have a strong organization reaching into every corner of the Union. It is a part of their business to establish cordial relations with educators influential in the selection of text-books. Wherever an objectionable book is in use there is a board or committee responsible for its presence in the schools. It is to be expected that these men will defend their work.

It is unfortunately true that radical propaganda has distorted the point of view of many of our teachers. This was the keynote of the address of Mrs. George Maynard Minor, President General of the D. A. R., in her address at the Congress of her organization held at Washington on the 16th of April. Publishers of the objectionable books appreciate the radical tendencies of many of the teachers charged with the duty of selecting text-books.

The new edition of Muzzey makes some changes in deference to our criticism of the way in which the Revolution is treated. No concessions whatever are made in eliminating the matter which arouses class hatred. The author cuts out the quotation marks about the word "patriots," by which he indicated that Hancock, Warren, and the Adamses were psuedo or pretended patriots; he continues to publish his attack on the Supreme Court for its decision rendered in May, 1895, declaring the income tax law unconstitutional. Under the lash of criticism of his work as unfair to the South, Muzzey inserts in paragraph 140 a bare mention of Marion, Sumter, and Pickens; he continues to characterize a certain presidential campaign, which most of us remember vividly, as "a bitter battle between the western plowholder and the eastern bondholder."

There are unfortunately many jurisdictions in which radical tendencies in a school book make it more acceptable.

Notwithstanding the opposition which we have encountered, the evidence is abundant that our school-book campaign is accomplishing something. The Everett Barnes history has been amended and the author has removed from it the aspersions on John Hancock to which we objected. This text-book must not be confounded with the old Barnes history, which has always been sound in its Americanism. The Wm. B. Guitteau history has been revised in such a way as to meet all legitimate objections. We can unhesitatingly recommend it for high school use.

The American Book Company, publisher of the objectionable Hart history, has just put on the market a highly meritorious high school history, written by Reuben Post Halleck, of Louisville, Kentucky. The author of this book has agreed to meet our views in several respects and we have no hesitation in saying that the influence of the book will make for higher civic ideals and better citizenship.

Ginn and Company, publisher of Muzzey, within the last month has brought out an excellent grammar-school history, written by Rev. Wm. J. Long, of Stamford, Connecticut. Muzzey has also been amended, but the book is hopelessly wrong. No amendment can fit it for school use.

The Channing history is worthy of special mention. The author is professor of history at Harvard and is a son of William Ellery Channing. He is a man of great ability and ripe scholarship. His work gives abundant evidence of his loyalty to American fundamentals and its general influence in the schools would be good. Unfortunately he refers to the Master Masons who participated in the Boston Tea Party as a mob and he uses the word "riot" in characterizing the measures taken to oppose the Stamp Act and other oppressive measures of the Crown. His work also contains an objectionable reference to Alexander Hamilton. We have written the author in the hope that he can be induced to amend his history in the few respects in which it is open to serious objection.

Your committee recommends for grammar-school use the Gordy, and Thwaites & Kendall histories. For high-school use we approve of the amended Guitteau and the Halleck histories. It has not been possible during the past year to read and

review all of the histories which are in use. Your committee is ready, however, to advise members of the organization on this subject and to review other books from time to time as such review is called for.

The legislatures of Wisconsin and Oregon have enacted statutes which will make it unlawful to use in the schools of those States books of the character objected to.

The school board of Portland, Oregon, has created the office of Instructor in American Ideals and Patriotism. The superannuated teacher who holds this position goes about from school to school emphasizing the lessons to be drawn from our heroic past. The children always welcome him and his work has been of value in inculcating high civic ideals. It is believed that this practice should be followed in other cities.

Individual members of our Society in Rhode Island, New Jersey, the District of Columbia, Ohio, South Dakota, and California have taken issue publicly with the work of your committee. While this has weakened our position, it is recognized that each member of the Society is entitled to his opinion and his freedom of action on all subjects. In a membership of twenty thousand difference in point of view is inevitable and is to be expected.

The activities of your committee have been based on the resolution adopted a year ago at Springfield. It is competent for this Congress to recede from the position taken at that time. If it is the desire of this Congress that we accept as satisfactory the text-books which we have been endeavoring to ban, let that desire find expression in a suitable resolution. If, on the other hand, you approve of the work of your Committee of Patriotic Education, let it have the prestige of an endorsement in unequivocal terms. In other words, the position of the Society on this important subject should be made so clear that no individual member can in the future impair the effectiveness of work undertaken by its official representatives.

Your committee recommends that this Society continue to insist on the elimination from our schools of all text-books on American history which give to the Revolutionary War and the formative period a space and emphasis less than their importance demands; which tell the story of the Revolution without colorful portrayal of its heroic features or which speak of any of the great men of that time in a manner likely to evoke unkindly feeling on the part of school children; which fail to treat of any of the outstanding events of the contest or which contain a mere mention of such incidents as Bunker Hill, King's Mountain, and the partisan warfare in the Carolinas; also all text-books whose tendency is to breed economic discontent and to divide the people into hostile classes. We recommend that this Society insist on the use of text-books which instill loyalty to country rather than to class and which encourage students to affiliate with the patriotic societies and not with the I. W. W. or the socialistic and communistic parties. In carrying out these purposes the Committee on Patriotic Education should be authorized to call upon the State Societies and the various Chapters for assistance and to speak officially for the Society at all hearings on text-books.

The attention of the public has been directed to the subject of school histories. It is our belief that no publishing house will in the future find it profitable or satisfactory to bring out new books similar to those which are under fire. We must expect continued opposition in our efforts to eject from the schools any of the books which are now in use. But our motives will be recognized as dis-



interested, and if we are persistent the results will surely justify the effort put forth.

The objectionable books have been removed from a good many schools. Sometimes this has been accomplished without publicity; in other cases it has been necessary to evoke assistance from the press. With proper newspaper support public opinion will be with us everywhere and an aroused public opinion will compel proper action by the authorities.

Respectfully submitted,



MAY 9, 1923.

*Chairman.*

NOTE.—In a letter dated May 10th, Dr. Channing has agreed to amend his history in all the respects objected to by Judge McCamant, and The Rev. William J. Long, of Stamford, Conn., in a letter to Judge McCamant, uses these significant words: "What I missed in our histories, especially those of recent date, was that spirit of devotion without which mere facts of history have little interest or consequence to my boy or your boy."

#### PAST PRESIDENT GENERAL ADAMS TO NATURALIZED CITIZENS

The Montclair Chapter, S. A. R., as well as the local chapter of the D. A. R. in the former President General's home town, together with the local post of the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the Red Cross, held a very interesting and successful meeting and reception for recently naturalized citizens in the largest hall of Montclair, Thursday evening, April 26.

President Gibson, of the local chapter, presided; there was folk singing, dancing, orchestral music, and refreshments. The ritual of the Colors, with the eloquent Pledge to the Flag of the New Jersey Society and reading of The American's Creed, opened the ceremonies.

Then former President General Adams briefly addressed the newly naturalized citizens. He said, among other things, that it was "eminently fitting that the descendants of the oldest citizens should welcome the newest," and that he personally was "gratified to officially extend the right hand of fellowship and welcome to foreign-born citizens who have recently been naturalized."

He pointed out that "no son of the American Revolution should feel that he was a better citizen than one who was foreign-born just because he happened to be descended from a long line of American ancestry;" he had a "right to be proud of his ancestry, if it was patriotic," said the President General; "but he acquired no personal merit by virtue of his descent." On the other hand, he did inherit "a most solemn obligation from his American ancestors to acquit himself, in these present critical times, like the men of Seventy-six."

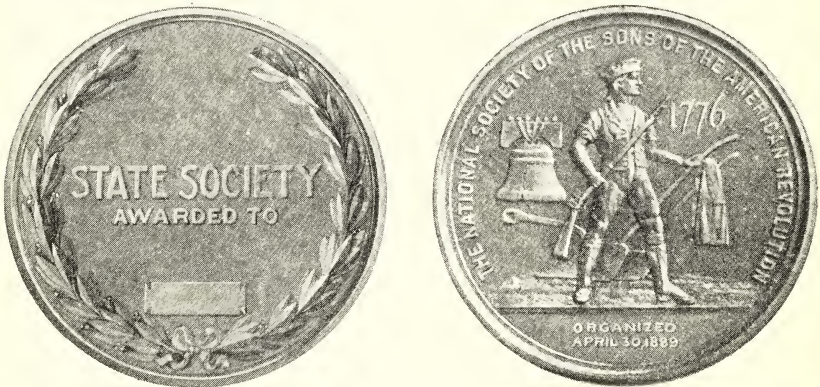
He then went on to explain how "our Revolutionary ancestors came to America originally from foreign shores, and were assisted in their struggle for independence by distinguished representatives of foreign nations, such as Pulaski,

Kosciusko, De Grasse, Rochambeau, and the gallant Lafayette. We are proud of them and of our ancestors; but no more so than your descendants, five or six generations from now, may, and I hope will, be proud of you." He declared that "true American citizenship is measured by its quality, not by its descent"; and that "all are true Americans who have the American spirit, whether native or foreign born."

Major Adams then called the "Roll of the Nations," and cordially grasped the hand of each representative as his native land was named. He reminded them that there was only one limitation to their citizenship, because of foreign birth, and that was the constitutional provision that only native-born citizens were eligible for the Presidency of the Republic. "But," said he, in conclusion, "that does not prohibit an American-born son of yours from becoming President of the United States of America."

### THE SCHOOL MEDALS

The Congress at Nashville unanimously approved the project to issue and present medals to school pupils for achieving the highest standing in citizenship as outlined in the March BULLETIN and many delegates pledged that their State Societies would take a number of these medals. The Secretary General was authorized to contract for the medals and they will be available within the next month. The plan is to start the competition in the public schools next fall and award the medals at the end of a term or the year, as desired. It is believed that



MEDALS FOR PUPILS OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

this plan, if carried throughout the country, will have a great effect in stimulating the teaching of better citizenship along the lines that our Society is trying to develop. The price of the medals will probably not be over \$1 each and the design and workmanship will be of the best. This very reasonable price is given because of the initial order of 1,000.

Societies and Chapters are asked to correspond with the Secretary General for further information and it is hoped that before the fall the first order will be exhausted.

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CEREMONIES AND COLORS, WITH  
CEREMONIES ADOPTED AND INAUGURATED BY THE  
NASHVILLE CONGRESS**

Recently as per advices from your office it has been learned that Colonel George V. Lauman could not make the report of the Committee on Ceremonies and Colors, of which committee he was appointed Chairman at the Springfield Congress, and now in compliance with directions given, the undersigned, being second on said committee, has prepared and respectfully submits the following report.

The Sons of the American Revolution as a society, is fundamentally an embodiment of the most sterling patriotism, unswerving loyalty, and ceaseless devotion to the Republic and American Institutions, for whose perpetuity and supremacy the organization is a potent factor and will ever defend to the limit of human possibilities.

The sentiment that eternal vigilance is the price of our liberties justifies the addition of all features to our ceremonies which will increase our vigilance and accentuate our powers as the greatest of all loyal organizations. Therefore your committee submits the following for adoption, as the Opening Ceremonies of the Congresses of the National Society.

It is proper to state that the tribute to the flag as given in the opening ceremonies appears to be identical with that adopted by the State Society of New Jersey, which will be found in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN of March, 1923, at page 16. The sentiment is grandly heroic and the phraseology is most beautiful.

Respectfully submitted,

RASSELAS W. BROWN,  
*Acting Chairman.*

OPENING AND CLOSING EXERCISES OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY SONS OF AMERICAN  
REVOLUTION TO BE USED AT ALL ORGANIZATION MEETINGS

At five minutes before the hour fixed for the opening of the meeting, buglers will sound "Assembly."

Immediately after "Assembly" the Presiding Officer and Official Staff will assume their respective positions and members will be seated.

Color bearers and color guard carrying the American Flag on the right, and S. A. R. Flag on the left, with bugler will march from the corridors into the Assembly Hall, and come to a halt at rear of hall facing the station of the Presiding Officer.

**PRESIDING OFFICER:** Attention! Salute the colors.

**NOTE:** At the command "Salute the colors," all compatriots will face the colors and hold the military salute. The bugler will sound "To the Color." (If no bugler be present, the "Star Spangled Banner" will be played). At the last note all will resume attention by dropping the hand.

**PRESIDING OFFICER:** "Color Guard, advance the colors."

Color Guard National colors followed in column by other standards will advance to Presiding Officer, execute column left, halt and face to the left. National colors on right of Presiding Officers, S. A. R. color on left. As the colors pass each compatriot will give the courtesy due the flag by executing the military salute.

After the colors have arrived in position, the Presiding Officer will face the American Flag and deliver the following tribute:

"Flag of our great republic, hallowed by noblest deeds and loving sacrifice, guardian of our homes and inspiration in every battle for the right, whose stars and stripes stand for beauty, purity, truth, patriotism, and the Union, we salute

thee, and for thy defense, the protection of our country, and the conservation of the liberty of the American people, we pledge our hearts, our lives, and our sacred honor."

Announced by the Presiding Officer, the last verse of "America" will be sung. The Presiding Officer will announce a prayer by Chaplain or other person.

Here the Presiding Officer will announce the opening of the meeting for the purpose for which it was called.

### CLOSING EXERCISES

PRESIDING OFFICER: "Color Guards, retire the colors."

Color guard will retire the colors in same order of march as advanced retiring to corridors, compatriots saluting, after which the Presiding Officer will announce the closing of the meeting.

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## THE SURRENDER OF THE BRITISH TO GALVEZ AT BATON ROUGE IN 1779.

The following story and letters are taken from the *Morning Chronicle and London Advertiser*, published in London April 3, 1780. This paper was found by Mr. William Beer, of the Howard Memorial Library of New Orleans, in an old book shop and turned over to Colonel C. Robert Churchill. Mr. Beer, who is deeply interested in all work of this character, has helped Colonel Churchill to unearth the history of the Galvez organization, and when one reads this most interesting description of the surrender and the definite statements of both General Campbell and Colonel Dickson, there can be no doubt that most valuable and convincing historical facts concerning this event are brought to light. The articles of capitulation are published in this article, but because of lack of space are not printed in the BULLETIN at this time; possibly later they will be used in another article.

THE MORNING CHRONICLE AND LONDON ADVERTISER (LONDON, ENGLAND,  
APRIL 3, 1780.)

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE, OF SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 1780.

Whitehall, April 1.

*Extract of a Letter from Major-General Campbell to Lord George Germain,  
Dated Penfacola, December 15, 1779.*

What a grievous mortification must it be to me to have to relate to your Lordship, for my Sovereign's information, the conquest of the Western part of this province, by the arms of Spain, in consequence of their early intelligence of the commencement of hostilities. Having in my dispatches of the 14th of September, prepared your Lordship for the events which have followed, I shall refer for particulars to Lieutenant-Colonel Dickson's letter to me of the 20th of October from New Orleans, to the Articles of Capitulation between him and his Excellency Don Bernardo de Galvez, Governor of Louisiana, at Baton Rouge, the 21st day of September, to the list he furnishes of the killed, wounded, and prisoners, and to a paper containing the reasons assigned by him for preferring Baton Rouge for a post whereto to make a stand, as comprising all the additional intelligence that appears to be requisite, of this unfortunate disaster.

I cannot help observing, that facts have demonstrated, that Spain had pre-determined on a rupture with Great Britain long before the declaration made on the 16th day of June last by their Ambassador at the Court of London; had laid their plans, and prepared all their Governors abroad for such an event; and it would appear, had even fixed on the day, or at least nearly the time, on

which it was to take place; for we are here informed, that war was declared at Porto Rico in a few days after the 16th of June. English vessels are known to have been carried into the Havannah as prizes in the beginning of August last. And from New Orleans I have the Governor's own acknowledgment of his being apprized of the commencement of hostilities on the 9th day of August last; but how much earlier his intelligence of that event really was, is uncertain. However that be, it is now uncontrovertibly known, that he has long ago been secretly preparing for war. That having previously collected the whole force of the province of Louisiana, the independency of America was publicly recognized by beat of drum at New Orleans on the 19th day of August; and everything being in readiness for that purpose, he immediately marched against our forces of the Mississippi; and he so effectually succeeded by the capture, by stratagem, of a King's loop in Lake Pontchartrain, by the seizure of a schooner in the river Mississippi on her way with rum and provisions for Manchack, and of six other small vessels on the lakes and in the river Amite. One of these last with troops of the regiment of Waldeck, and another with provisions, and by preventive precautions in stopping any communication of intelligence of his movements, being sent to this place; that he had nearly effected the reduction of the Western part of this province, before we at Pensacola were apprized, or had the smallest communication of his having commenced hostilities; the information of that event having only reached me on the 14th of September, as intimated to your Lordship in my letter of that date; and Lieutenant-Colonel Dickson, it appears, was forced to capitulate on the 21st day of that same month.

*Copy of a Letter from Lieutenant-Colonel Dickson to Major-General Campbell, Dated New Orleans, October 20, 1779.*

SIR:

I send by Lieutenant Wilton, for your information, a copy of a journal which I kept ever since the commencement of hostilities with the Spandiards. The dangerous and disagreeable situation I was in ever since that period will be fully related to you by him, and I hope will in every particular justify me, by convincing you that I have used my utmost efforts, even to the last minute, against a great superiority of forces, with every other advantage an enemy could desire. I send by Lieutenant Wilton the Capitulation in English, as proposed by me to his Excellency Don Bernardo de Galvez, and the original one in the French language, as finally concluded on between us. The terms are honourable to the troops and favourable to the inhabitants, and I hope will meet with your full approbation. Engineer Graham, who has obtained leave from his Excellency Don Bernardo de Galvez to go to Pensacola on private business, was very useful to me in drawing up the terms of Capitulation, and since our arrival here, on many occasions, from his perfect knowledge of the French language.

It is with pleasure I assure you, that all the officers and men under my command, behaved exceedingly well, and did every duty they were ordered with great cheerfulness and exactness. Lieutenant Wilton and the detachment of the Royal Artillery, as well as the additional gunners, distinguished particularly, the day the enemy offered their batteries against the redoubt.

I must, in justice to his Excellency Don Bernardo de Galvez, say, that the officers and soldiers, who are prisoners of war at this place, are treated with the greatest generosity and attention, not only by the officers, but even the Spanish soldiers seem to take pleasure in being civil and kind to the prisoners in general.

I am, &c.

(Signed)

ALEX. DICKSON,

*Lieutenant-Colonel 16th Regiment of Foot.*

*Copy of Lieutenant-Colonel Dickson's Reasons for Removing to Baton Rouge.*

BATON ROUGE REDOUBT, Sept. 22, 1779.

The various reports, seemingly well founded, that the rebels were in force above, and meditated in a short time an invasion of this part of the country, made it necessary without delay to fix upon some spot where works might be

thrown up and fortifications erected, so as to prevent, if possible, the troops under my command, and the country I was sent to protect, from falling into the hands of the enemy. The situation of Manchac was unanimously condemned, and the fort there considered as indefensible against cannon. Accordingly, on the 30th day of July, 1779, agreeable to my own sentiments, and those of the engineer and other officers I consulted on this occasion, it was determined to take post at Meff. Watts and Flowers's Plantation at Baton Rouge, the situation of which, and large quantity of cleared ground, pointing it out as the only place where I could have a reasonable prospect of accomplishing the intent of my command. I accordingly sent Engineer Graham with a letter addressed to the inhabitants, requesting them to cooperate with me in throwing up a redoubt on that place, with which they cheerfully complied.

Having intelligence which I could depend upon, on the 3d day of September, that his Excellency Don Bernardo de Galvez was approaching in force to attack me, and that the redoubt at this place was in pretty good forwardness, it was determined in a council of war to remove the troops, artillery, and stores, as soon as possible, to the redoubt, which was accordingly done. On the 12th day of September the redoubt was invested, and early in the morning of the 21st a battery of heavy cannon was opened against it; and after an incessant fire on both sides for more than three hours, I found myself obliged to yield to the great superiority of his artillery, and to surrender the redoubt to his Excellency Don Bernardo de Galvez, who commanded the troops of his Catholic Majesty.

I am confident I should not have been able to have made so good a defence at Manchac, and of course to have procured such favourable terms for the troops under my command, and the country I was sent to protect.

On account of the redoubts being erected thereon, Governor Galvez, considering the plantation of Meff. Watts and Flowers as belonging to the King, has accordingly taken it; and unless Government shall make them a recompence, by reason of their loyalty and readiness to promote the protection of the country, they will lose a very valuable property; I therefore most strongly recommend them to Government for a generous satisfaction.

(Signed)

ALEX. DICKSON,  
*Lieut. Colonel 16th Regiment of Foot.*

I do hereby certify, That having been consulted by Lieut. Col. Dickson, when it was reported that the Rebels were coming down for to attack his Britannick Majesty's possessions on the Mississippi, it appeared to me, that in our actual circumstances nothing better could be done than to erect a field redoubt in the clearing of Meff. Watts and Flowers, who had been generous enough to offer the use of the land provisionally for that purpose: and that hearing that the Spanish forces under Don Bernardo de Galvez were coming to attack us, that it appeared to me that nothing else was left but to make our stand in the said Field Redoubt, the Stokade Fort at Manchac being untenable against cannon.

(Signed)

F. F. GRAHAM,  
*Affittant-Engineer.*

### THE PRESIDENT GENERAL'S SPECIAL

For the first time in the annals of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, a special train transporting delegates to the annual Congress was run over the tracks of the Baltimore & Ohio and the Louisville & Nashville lines to Nashville, Tennessee, on May 19-20. It was named the President General's Special and carried representatives, accompanied by members of their families, from New England, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, and the District of Columbia; also a number of the national officers, including President General Major Washington I. L. Adams. He appointed David L. Pierson as the traffic manager, who, after arranging the preliminaries, was assisted by Compatriots George McK. Roberts, Treasurer General, John C. Wight,

of the Empire State Society, Harry F. Brewer, delegate-at-large, and William C. Hope, of the New Jersey Society. All of these compatriots rendered most valuable service and made possible the success of the trip.

Special cars left the Pennsylvania Terminal, New York, at 9:30 a. m. and passengers were taken on en route till Washington was reached, when the train was made up as the special. At the National Capital the party spent several hours in sightseeing, the new memorial of Abraham Lincoln being visited, which made a most wonderful impression upon all the members of the party. Its ideal setting, magnificent proportions, and artistic feeling were all in thorough harmony, and it is truly a worthy memorial of the great life commemorated.

A stop was made at Harper's Ferry, and then the trip was continued to Nashville, where the Reception Committee of the Tennessee Society was in waiting to receive the party. Transportation was provided from the train to the hotel and the entire trip from the beginning to the end was most successful. J. B. Scott, General Eastern Passenger Agent, and E. J. O'Hearn, City Passenger Agent Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, and Richard Corry, City Passenger Agent Louisville & Nashville Railroad, were most faithful in looking after the wants of the travelers.

On the return trip the party was accompanied by Judge Arthur Preston Sumner, the newly elected President General, of Providence, R. I. The train left Nashville at 2:31 Wednesday morning, stopping at the Glasgow Junction, where breakfast was in waiting at 7 o'clock, after which the narrow-gauge line was taken to the Mammoth Cave. The mysteries of this nature wonder were explored by nearly all in the party for several hours and experiences, unique and in some respects hazardous, were the portion of all who took the trip. About eight miles were traveled and when daylight was again seen at 12 noon there was one general exclamation of thankfulness that the trip was over, but which had not been without its profit in promoting a fine spirit of good-fellowship, and in permitting of the inspection of the strange formations underneath the surface of the earth.

Early in the afternoon the train left Glasgow station for the remainder of the trip and New York was reached at 9 o'clock on Thursday evening, May 24.

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### THE WONDERS OF THE DUNES

"The Wonders of the Dunes," the long-promised book by Compatriot George A. Brennan, of the Illinois Society, representing the work of forty years as a naturalist and historian of the Dune-Chicago Region, is now completed. It is written in a very simple and pleasing style, and the boys and girls will enjoy reading it as much as the grown folks will.

This book contains about 300 pages, with illustrations and maps, and will be appreciated by all lovers of nature. It describes the beauties of the Dunes, its rare plants, birds and animals, and its wonderful history, from the Mound Builders to the present time, including the discovery near Waverly Beach of the site of the little French fort, Petite Fort, 1750-1800, and also the correct location of the Revolutionary battle of December 5, 1780, which was fought at Michigan City, instead of South Chicago. It tells about the old French fort at Chicago,

and also explains why Chicago, the Dunes, etc., were claimed by Spain in 1781. It describes the Dune-Chicago Region.

"The Wonders of the Dunes" contains a great deal of new information, especially Revolutionary history of northern Illinois and Indiana, as well as the Northwest territory. It shows how Major de Linctot, General Clark's great commissioner, organized a great Indian alliance, that extended from Pennsylvania to the Mississippi River, and how it collapsed at the Major's death in August, 1781. He was General Clark's right-hand man, and held Illinois and Indiana for the Americans until his death, when the Indians, who had been loyal to him, swung over to the British, and for years killed the Americans, including General Harmar and his army, and defeating General St. Clair with great slaughter.

It shows also how General Washington picked out Mad Anthony Wayne to command the western army, and personally drilled Mad Anthony in the way to fight Indians, insisting that he must march in open order, must camp every afternoon, must put a log barricade around his camps, and never to have his cavalry dismount to act as infantry. Mad Anthony drilled his men in all kinds of Indian tactics for two years, until he had a force of nearly 5,000 soldiers, many of whom were frontiersmen, that were ready to take the field and whip the Indians at their own game, just as Washington planned.

When Mad Anthony was ready, he started north from Cincinnati, building forts at strategic points, and when the Indians tackled him at Fallen Timbers he gave them such a thrashing that for a number of years they dared not trouble an American. It is not generally known that Washington planned this Indian Campaign.

Bobbs-Merrill Co., Indianapolis, Ind., are the publishers of this valuable book.

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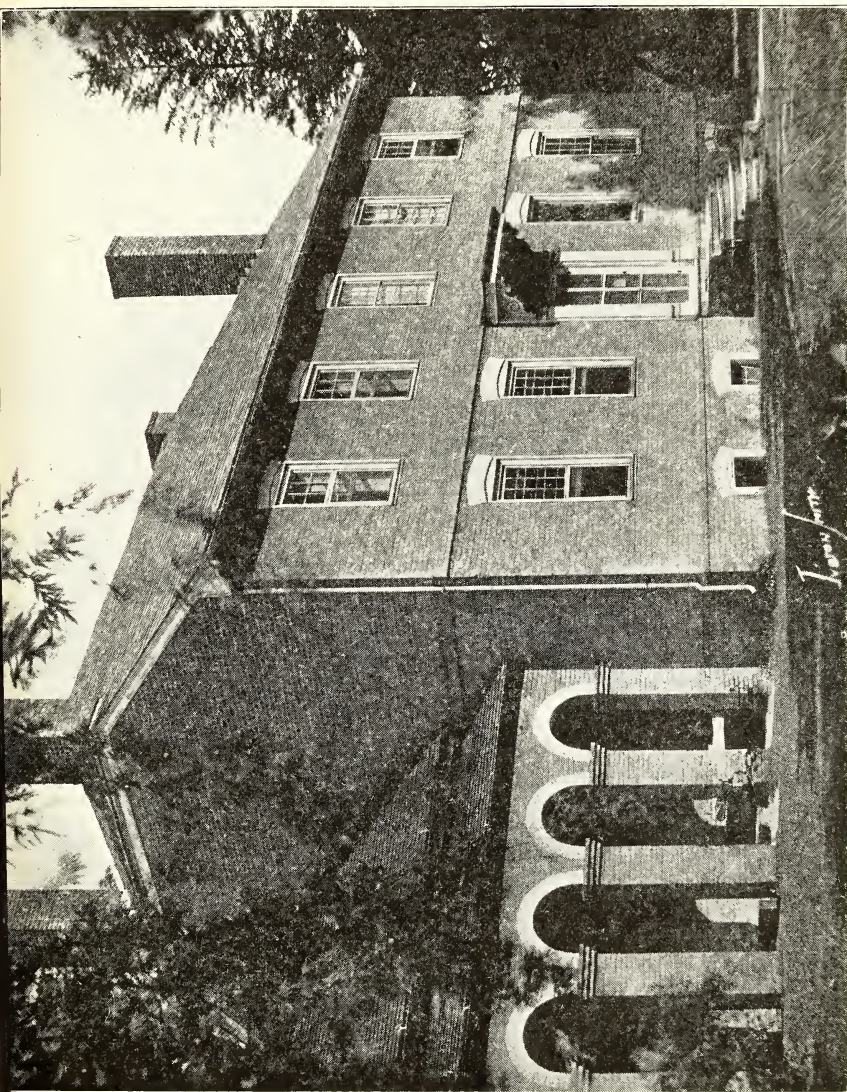
### KENMORE

This beautiful old Colonial home was built about the middle of the eighteenth century by Col. Fielding Lewis for his bride, Betty Washington, who was the only and much-loved sister of George Washington. It is adorned by unique ceilings and mantels which were suggested and designed by Washington himself.

This fine old historic homestead was constructed of solid brick, and is now and will be for generations to come a magnificent example of this type of Colonial architecture—the type consistent with the culture, wealth, and attainments of its illustrious occupants. The most striking feature of this famous old mansion is its interior decoration. George Washington took the deepest interest in his sister's home, which he loved next to Mount Vernon. The mantel in the reception room, which he designed—the fox, the crow, and the piece of cheese—was to teach his nephews to beware of flatterers.

Colonel Fielding Lewis was a man of large fortune, fine family, and great prominence in the Colony, and when the Revolutionary War came on there were none more fervently patriotic than he. His two older sons were with their uncle, the General. Ill health prevented him from taking the field himself, but his great influence was used and his fortune freely given for the cause of Liberty.





KENMORE, BUILT 1740 BY FIELDING LEWIS, WHERE HE TOOK BETTIE WASHINGTON (GEORGE'S SISTER)  
AS A BRIDE, FREDERICKSBURG, VA.

The Virginia Assembly, July, 1775, appointed Colonel Lewis chief commissioner for the manufacture of small arms ordered to be established in Fredericksburg, said to have been the first one established for the Colonies. It was in working order before the first of the year and continued throughout the war, furnishing arms and ammunition for the troops. He advanced seven thousand pounds (thirty-five thousand dollars) of his own money for this vital enterprise. In a letter written in February, 1781, he said: "But for my advances the factory must have been discontinued." At one time he was so embarrassed that he could not raise the money to pay his taxes (Calendar of State Papers, Vol. I, p. 593).

It was to this home of his sister that General Washington brought his comrades in arms, French and American, after the surrender of Lord Cornwallis at Yorktown. Its spacious and elegant rooms have echoed the voices of Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Henry, Richard Henry Lee, John Paul Jones, Light Horse Harry Lee, Count de Rochambeau, and that brilliant coterie of Frenchmen which went with him to Washington's home after the surrender at Yorktown.

It adjoined the home of Mary, the mother of Washington, with which it was connected by an old-fashioned box walk. Thirteen horse-chestnut trees were planted on the grounds by Washington himself to represent the thirteen original Colonies, and three of these fine old trees are still living on these historic grounds.

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### EVENTS OF STATE SOCIETIES

**The California Society.**—Condemnation of all pacifist movements as unpatriotic and dangerous to the welfare of the United States was voiced by the California Society of the Sons of the American Revolution at its annual meeting at San Francisco, April 20, in which resolutions were adopted demanding a state of adequate preparedness for war. The resolution was made public today in connection with the announcement of the new officers of the organization. The meeting was held in Odd Fellows' Hall and the resolution, presented by George C. Sergent, was unanimously adopted. These Resolutions were presented to the Congress at Nashville and endorsed by that body and will be found in the Synopsis of the Proceedings.

The newly elected officers for the ensuing year were: President, Fred L. Barry; Vice-Presidents, E. Delos Magee and Leon L. French; Secretary and Registrar, Thomas A. Perkins; Treasurer, Col. John C. Currier; Historian, Howard C. Rowley.

SAN DIEGO CHAPTER observed Lexington Day with a dinner at the San Diego Hotel, on Thursday evening, April 19, with ladies, and the attendance was commensurate with the importance of the anniversary thus observed. The speaker of the occasion was Capt. Thomas T. Craven, U. S. N., commanding officer at the Naval Air Station, North Island, who used as his topic, "Aviation—Its History and Progress."

The officers of this Chapter for the current year are: President, David W. Shick; First Vice-President, Dr. Leon R. Briggs; Second Vice-President, Robert C. Stone; Secretary, Allen H. Wright; Treasurer, Franklin P. Reed; Historian,

Francis O. Dort; Registrar, Willis W. Brown; Chaplain, Alfred H. Haines; Marshal, Lieut. Edward J. Beakes, U. S. N., retired.

It is with much regret that announcement is made of the death of Dr. Paul Wegeforth, in Colorado Springs, Colo., on March 29, after a long illness. During the World War Dr. Wegeforth served his country in an able manner, winning high commendation for the manner in which he handled important problems in the medical branch of the military service.

In addition to those heretofore listed as being awarded the Sons of the American Revolution medal for service in the World War are: Lieut. Lawrence E. Schick, U. S. A., son of Compatriot and President David W. Schick; George Frank Kerfoot and Bennett W. J. Kerfoot, and Lieut. Butler E. Ward. These make a total of 19 medals thus far awarded.

The present membership of the Chapter is 53, with two applications pending.

**The Colorado Society.**—The following outline of the work accomplished by the Colorado Society during the year 1922-1923 is of interest to Compatriots: At the instance of the Colorado Society, Governor Oliver H. Shoup issued a Constitution Day proclamation, setting October 19, 1922, the anniversary of the surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown, as a fitting day for the observance of Constitution Day. The day was generally observed by exercises in the schools and by comments in the newspapers and pulpits of the State.

Following the lead of the National Society, the officers of the Colorado Society began a state-wide campaign for scrutinizing the United States histories used in the public schools of the State. It was found that seven of the histories which had been condemned by the National Society were being used in Colorado. Through the efforts of Compatriot L. G. Carpenter, of Denver, the Society invited Generalissimo Joffre, of France, to make a stop in Denver. State officials, city officials, and all patriotic organizations joined in giving him a hearty welcome. A new constitution and by-laws were drafted and adopted. Changes concerning revenues, suspensions, the personnel of the Board of Managers, and the re-election of the State President for consecutive terms were made. State President Judge George H. Bradfield visited all of the local chapters in the State. Local conditions were considered and definite progressive programs were carried out.

The annual meeting of the State Society was held on February 22, at which time the following officers were elected: President, Judge George H. Bradfield, Greeley; First Vice-President, Lathrop M. Taylor, Fort Collins; Secretary and Registrar, R. Harvey Boltwood, Denver; Treasurer, Walter D. Wynkoop, Denver; Chaplain, Rev. Leon C. Hills, Denver; Historian, Charles B. Toppan, Denver; Board of Managers: Clinton Enos, A. Lincoln Fellows, Clarkson N. Guyer, Malcolm Lindsey, Charles B. Toppan, Lester C. Wheeler, and Benjamin F. Young.

Judge George H. Bradfield, of Greeley, was reelected State President and outlined three definite objectives for the ensuing year—the wider observance of Constitution Day, greater Americanization work among our newly created citizens, and a concentrated drive against the treasonable text-books in use in the schools. Treasurer Walter D. Wynkoop was reelected for the fifteenth time. Compatriot Simpson D. Butler was elected a member of the Board of Managers for the thirteenth time. He was a member for four years, and is now serving his ninth term as Chairman. In addition to this Compatriot Butler served two terms as State President.

The Colorado Society suffered an irreparable loss in the death of Dr. James Polk Willard, who served as Secretary of the State Society for eight years. The Colorado Society sustained the loss of two own sons, William Thomas and Joseph James Eubank, aged 89 and 84 respectively. Their father, Achilles Eubank, engaged in the Battle of Yorktown and was present when Cornwallis surrendered.

The Society's Committee on Americanization, with Vice-President Herbert Monroe as chairman, is engaged in the writing of text-books on American history and government in simple language for the use of aliens. This is a commendable work, but takes considerable time for its performance. The committee hopes to have these books ready for publication within the next year.

The annual memorial service of the Society was held Sunday evening, April 22, at the Capitol Heights Presbyterian Church. Special music, eulogies, and a sermon on "The Spirit of Sacrifice," by Compatriot Rev. Leon C. Hills, comprised the program.

This is a brief résumé of the activities of the Society during the past year. To the date of this report, there are seven Chapters in the State, with a total membership of approximately 345.

**Connecticut Society.**—DAVID HUMPHREYS BRANCH NO. 1, NEW HAVEN.—The annual meeting of this Chapter was held in the Foot Guard Armory May 16. After a buffet lunch, Chaplain Orville A. Petty told of some of his interesting experiences in France and Lieut. Edwin Barnes and Percival Barnes gave personal experiences of their war service, which included a period as prisoners of war, and gave tribute to the administration of the American Red Cross. The following officers were elected: President, Earnest C. Simpson; Vice-President, Clarence Blakeslee; Secretary and Treasurer, George F. Burgess; Chaplain, Rev. Harris E. Starr; Historian, A. McClellan Mathewson. This Chapter has recently had the gratification of learning of the final consummation of the matter of naming of Humphreys Lake, which has been controversy for some time. A sketch of David Humphreys and an account of this effort to have the lake at Stevenson, Conn., named for him was given in a previous BULLETIN. The United States Geographic Board has now rendered a decision and this action means that all maps accepted by the Government as standard authority will designate this body of water as Humphreys Lake, in memory of the loyal and active patriot and citizen, David Humphreys. The General David Humphreys Branch of the Connecticut Society was the chief advocate of this and feels justly proud to have been instrumental in restoring the honor of having his name perpetuated in the region to which he was such a benefactor.

**Delaware Society.**—This Society held its annual meeting on April 19 for the election of officers. The following gentlemen were elected for the ensuing year: President, Herbert H. Ward, Wilmington; Vice-Presidents, Dr. Willard Springer, Wilmington; James H. Hughes, Dover; Edwin C. Marshall, Lewes; Secretary-Treasurer-Registrar, Charles A. Rudolph; Historian, Willard Springer, Jr.; Chaplain, Rev. Richard W. Trapnall; Managers, John Bancroft, William B. Megear, and Claude W. Sutton, all of Wilmington.

**The Hawaiian Society** held a meeting on May 7. Officers of the Society are: President, Donald S. Bowman; Vice-President, Dr. C. B. Cooper; Treasurer, Elmer T. Winant; Registrar, Gerrit P. Wilder; Secretary, James T. Taylor.

The Society deeply mourns the recent death, on April 27th of Compatriot Bernard Rudolph Banning, and adopted resolutions in his memory, which have been suitably printed and presented to members of his family.

**Iowa Society.**—The annual meeting of the Iowa Society of the Sons of the American Revolution was held at the Grant Club April 19, Frank D. Harsh, President, presiding. There was a fine attendance from all over the State. The report of Treasurer W. E. Barrett showed a balance of \$638.70 on hand and Liberty bonds to the amount of \$300, making a total of \$938.70. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Roger Leavitt, Cedar Falls; Vice-President, Geo. C. White, Nevada; Second Vice-President, Sidney A. Foster, Des Moines; Treasurer, W. E. Barrett, Des Moines; Historian, A. H. Davison, Des Moines; Registrar, H. H. Griffiths, Des Moines; Secretary, Geo. A. Jewett, Des Moines; Chaplain, Dr. Frederick W. Long, Keokuk. Delegates were appointed for the National Congress at Nashville.

A vote of thanks and appreciation was adopted for Capt. Eldridge Drew Hadley, retiring Secretary. Captain Hadley has been Secretary for 25 years, and on motion he was elected permanent Secretary *emeritus* and a life member without dues. This Society has, through coöperation of various members, granted several medals for best essays on American History to eleven girls and four boys throughout the State.

Since this meeting the Iowa Society has been called upon to mourn the death of Captain Hadley, its long-time Secretary. His long years of service and loyalty to the Society's interests endeared him to all who knew him, and made him well known far beyond the confines of the State. The loss will be felt by the Society at large, as well as by the Iowa compatriots. His successor in office, Mr. George A. Jewett, is President of the Jewett Family of America, Inc., and has been a student of genealogy for years, a member of the London Genealogical Society and the Iowa Historical Society, the New England Genealogical and Historical Society and the National Historical Association, and is well qualified for his duties in the Iowa State Society, S. A. R.

**The Maine Society** held a meeting on May 11, at Portland, and elected the following new members: Carl C. Parcher of Saco, Judge Harold H. Bourne of Kennebunk, Frank P. Ayer of Bangor, and Edward T. Richardson of Peaks Island. Delegates to the Nashville Congress were also elected and included Charles L. Hutchinson, President and Wm. B. Berry of Gardiner, Past President and Trustee, and Wm. K. Sanderson and Frederick S. Vaill of Portland. The Society took action in favoring the candidacy of Judge Sumner of Rhode Island for President General.

**The Massachusetts Society.**—The thirty-fourth annual meeting of the Massachusetts State Society was held at 9 Ashburton Place, Boston, Thursday, April 19. The meeting was convened in Wilder Hall at 10 o'clock a. m. The business of the annual meeting was transacted in accordance with the Constitution and By-Laws of the Society, and included action on an amendment to the Constitution and By-Laws and the election of delegates to the Congress of the National Society, at Nashville, Tennessee, and the nomination as Trustee of the National Society of Dr. Charles H. Bangs, retiring President of the Society. A delegation with the colors of this Society participated in the patriotic parade at 10:30 o'clock. Twenty

volunteers for the Color Guard responded to the call. The Board of Managers met immediately after the close of the annual meeting. Guests who participated in this meeting included Governor Channing H. Cox and Mrs. Cox, President General Washington I. L. Adams and Mrs. Adams, Chaplain General Rev. Frederic W. Perkins, D. D., and Mrs. Perkins.

Extracts from the President's annual communication will show the splendid condition of the Society and its many activities.

"Our present headquarters is a great improvement in every respect over the small room previously occupied and is maintained at considerable less expense. The Wilder Halls (large and small) and the John Foster Memorial Room, to which this Society has access, affords desirable meeting places for the Society, its Board of Managers, and the Chapters of Greater Boston. Many courtesies have been extended to this Society by the officers of the New England Historic Genealogical Society in the use of its rooms and access to its unrivaled library for genealogical research.

"The Society has had one bequest of \$250.00 through the will of our late Com-patriot George Lambert Gould, and now has over \$18,000.00 in hand or in trust for its permanent fund. Material additions have been made by gift and purchase to the office furnishings and equipment and the office inventory now amounts to fully \$2,500.00. We have many priceless documents, relics and pictures that could not be replaced if destroyed; therefore we appreciate the advantages of a fire-proof office and building. Contributions to our collection of reference books are solicited.

"There have been added to the membership during the past year by election, 104; by transfer from other State Societies, 6; and by reinstatement, 11—making a total of 121. The total number enrolled April 1, 1923, is 1,826, with twelve applications awaiting action at the next meeting of the Board and several uncompleted applications on our files.

"There have been 40 additions to the enrollment of the Washington Guard during the year and the total membership is 512.

"Markers have been furnished by the Society for the graves of about 30 Revolutionary soldiers during the year.

"About 160 Massachusetts high schools and academies were provided with Washington and Franklin Medals to be awarded to the pupils showing the highest proficiency in the study of United States History in the school year closing in June, 1922, and the Society has provided for supplying 200 schools this year. This is an activity that is most commendable and is worthy of an endowment.

"Constitution Day and week was observed by the display of special series of lantern slides in many of the moving picture theaters of the Commonwealth, in schools, and before this Society. It is estimated that audiences totaling 75,000 were reached by this method of instructive display. These slides are available free for Chapters, schools, churches, and clubs upon application to the office of this Society.

"Samuel Adams Day, September 17, was observed in accordance with the proclamation of Governor Cox. This Society decorated the site of his birthplace on Purchase Street, and of his home on Winter Street, took part in the parade, attended the "town meeting" in Faneuil Hall and the public memorial meeting at Old South Meeting House. In this observance we were joined by the Society of Colonial Wars, who contributed one-half of the cost of the decorations.

"New Bedford Chapter, at New Bedford, was organized January 26 and is the first Chapter in this Commonwealth to receive a charter since 1915. It bids fair to become one of the most flourishing in the State.

"Never before has the Society received better or more general publicity through the Press than during the past year and the work of the Committee on Co-operation between the Massachusetts Society and the Chapters throughout the Commonwealth has been received with especial favor.

"The expenditures for the year will be within the total of the budget, and the Society has no indebtedness.

*"Your President believes that the active local Chapter is vital to the development of the State and the National Society to the position to which each has the right*

*to aspire. He believes that the local Chapter, encouraged and assisted if necessary by the parent organization, is a vital necessity to our progress. Fees and dues are a secondary consideration. Create the interest—serve the individual and the community and an interested membership will regulate all other matters. Where active Chapters exist our membership flourishes and increases and the beneficial influence of the Society is felt.*

*"It is inconsistent with the character and dignity of this Society that it has no policy for active encouragement of local Chapters and no appropriation for meeting the necessary expense of regular visitations to the nineteen existing Chapters, or for promoting the formation of other centers of patriotic activity in our Commonwealth.*

*"Founded upon the most intimate personal history of those who helped to establish American Independence, this Society should make emphatic our avowed aim to develop an enlightened public opinion; to maintain the institutions of American freedom, and to develop in old and young the largest capacity for performing the duties of American citizens through making every Chapter a center of patriotic influence and example."*

BOSTON CHAPTER.—The meetings of the Boston Chapter of the Massachusetts Society of the Sons of the American Revolution during the year 1922-'23 were as follows:

The annual meeting, which was the 189th of the Chapter, was held at 9 Ashburton Place, Boston, on Friday evening, May 19, 1922, at 8 o'clock. Reports of the Treasurer and Secretary were read, officers elected, and other business transacted.

The next meeting was an outing at Pemberton Inn, Nantasket, on June 14, to celebrate the 146th anniversary of the reopening of the Port of Boston on June 17, 1776, when the last of the British ships were driven out of the lower harbor. A poem by Mrs. C. H. Bangs and a letter from her husband, Dr. Bangs, President of the Massachusetts Society, were read; and Secretary of the State Society, Walter Kendall Watkins, read a paper on the final evacuation of the harbor by the British. All enjoyed the shore dinner and boat ride.

On September 27, 1922, the Chapter helped celebrate the two hundredth anniversary of Samuel Adams' birthday by taking part in the parade and town meeting at Faneuil Hall.

The fall meeting was at 9 Ashburton Place, on November 9, 1922, at 8 p. m., the 191st of the Chapter, and Mr. Walter Kendall Watkins gave a lantern slide lecture on the Great Boston fire on 1872, after which were refreshments. The guests were members of the State Society.

The December meeting was on the evening of the 18th, with guests including ladies, and Mr. Watkins described lantern views of the Boston Tea Party of December 16, 1773. Capt. Guy H. Empey, author of "Over the Top," spoke on the moving-picture industry, after which refreshments were served.

On the evening of January 17, 1923, the Chapter meeting was in celebration of Franklin's birthday, and lantern slides relating to Franklin were shown by Mr. Watkins and Mr. W. B. Russell, Director of the Franklin Union, who gave a very interesting talk about that institution.

Evacuation Day meeting was on the evening of March 17, and Professor Albert de Martin, of Belgium, gave a lantern-slide lecture on war scenes, after which there were refreshments.

The April meeting, the 195th of the Boston Chapter, was held on the afternoon of the 18th, and President William O. Comstock read his paper on "Four Mounted

Messengers of the Revolution." By-laws were passed reducing the annual dues to three dollars and the initiation fee to two dollars. Light refreshments were served. The Chapter took part the next day in the State Society celebration at the dinner of which Vice-President Coolidge and Mrs. Coolidge, Governor Cox and Mrs. Cox, and President General Adams were honor guests.

GEORGE WASHINGTON CHAPTER, of Springfield, held on April 17 an enthusiastic meeting. Frank P. Forbes, the newly-elected President, presided and introduced some matters of business, notably the contribution of \$20 to the Girl Scouts toward their work of beautifying Cherry Lane Cemetery, where three Revolutionary heroes lie buried.

Dr. Crosby A. Perry, of Pittsfield, a member of the State Society, was elected an honorary member of the Springfield Chapter. John K. Joy was appointed chairman of the committee to arrange the summer outing, and H. C. Haile chairman of the membership committee. Plans were made for a good representation at the State Society gathering in Boston on April 18.

It was announced that the money remaining from the congress held here will be used for memorial purposes. Following the business Prof. Horace H. Morse, head of the department of history in Mt. Hermon School, spoke on the character and work of Paul Revere.

Professor Morse was heard appreciatively by about sixty members who joined in tribute to the Revolutionary patriot.

A meeting of the Board of Managers of the Massachusetts Society was held June 8. President Wiggin is inaugurating the custom of having the Board meeting preceded by a luncheon at the Boston City Club, at 12:30, at which some guest speaks briefly, and to which interested members can come. A Report of the Nashville Congress was given by Dr. Charles H. Bangs, newly elected Vice-President General for New England.

Since returning from Nashville Dr. Bangs has represented the Society at the dedication of the tablet placed to mark the old residence of Brigadier General John Glover at Marblehead, delivering the address. He has also spoken before the Brookline Historical Society at Devotion House, Brookline.

Sunday, June 17, Dr. Bangs delivered the Bunker Hill Day address at Charlestown, taking the subject, "The Spirit of Bunker Hill." Monday, June 25, he will attend the annual meeting of the New Hampshire Society, S. A. R., at Concord. Saturday, June 16, President Burton H. Wiggin, with a suite, attended the Field Day of Berkshire County Chapter. President Benjamin Newhall Johnson, of Old Essex Chapter, has invited the Compatriots to hold their Fall Field Day as his guests at Burkhart Camp, his summer place at Saugus.

The following account of the John Glover House and the service of the "Amphibious Regiment" mentioned above is of historical interest. Upon the former home of Brigadier General John Glover, the Revolutionary leader, in Glover street, Marblehead, a bronze tablet was unveiled by the chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Lynn that bears his name. General Glover led what was known as the "Amphibious Regiment." It was composed of sailors from Marblehead and vicinity and operated upon the sea as well as on the land. General Glover had charge of ferrying Washington and his army across the Delaware. He gave not only his services, but his personal fortune



to the cause of the Revolution. Entering the war a prosperous shipowner, he was obliged to open a cobbler's shop, after peace was declared, to support himself.

The inscription on the tablet is as follows: "In this house lived John Glover, Brigadier General in the Continental Army, leader of the celebrated amphibious regiment of Marblehead, which rowed Washington and his army safely across the Delaware at Trenton, Dec. 25, 1776, and served with distinction at Long Island and Valley Forge. This tablet erected 1923 by Brigadier General John Glover chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution."

THE SETH POMEROY CHAPTER of Northampton met for luncheon at Boyden's in observance of Memorial Day. Prof. H. H. Morse, head of the history department of Mt. Hermon School, gave an address on "John Quincy Adams," and Prof. Karel Roessingh, of Leiden, Holland, President of the International Congress of Free Christians, spoke briefly. Before the introduction of either speaker, President Henry G. Smith conducted a short business meeting.

At this time the volume being compiled by the Chapter in memory of Thomas Munroe Shepherd was reported upon by Secretary Walter H. Hadley, and the resolutions were read.

The officers for the coming year were then elected, as follows: President, Rev. Henry G. Smith; Vice-President, Luman S. Drowne; Secretary, Walter H. Hadley; Treasurer, Louis L. Campbell; Historian, Dr. E. H. Copeland; Chaplain, Rev. T. A. Emerson; Auditor, C. H. Chase; Directors, Dr. F. H. Smith, R. E. Edwards, and J. L. Harrison.

**The Michigan Society.**—Dr. Frank Ward Holt, of Detroit, was elected President of the Michigan Society at the annual meeting, April 16, in the banquet-room of the Detroit Club. Other officers elected were: Vice-President, Edward C. Parsons, Kalamazoo; Vice-President, Thaddeus D. Seeley, Pontiac; Secretary, Raymond E. Van Syckle, Detroit; Treasurer, Frank G. Smith, Detroit; Registrar, Franklin S. Dewey, Detroit; Historian, William L. Jenks, Port Huron; Chaplain, Rev. George Paul Torrence Sargent, Grand Rapids.

Delegates to the Congress of the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution, at Nashville, Tenn., May 20-22, were chosen. Wilbert H. Barrett, of Adrian, was elected National Trustee.

Tribute to the memory of the founders of the Republic was rendered by Louis A. Bowman, of Chicago, Vice-President General of the Sons of the American Revolution. "The explanation of the success of the Continental Army can be found only in the indomitable spirit which pervaded its ranks—the spirit of '76—devotion to the right, and the conviction of the men in buff and blue that it was part of the divine plan that the Colonies should be free." Mr. Bowman pointed out the deepness of the foundation of law and order laid by the Americans of the Revolutionary period. "Some of the problems of today," he stated, "they foresaw effectually; others they did not. But the idea of loyally to serve and to sacrifice they gave clearly and unmistakably to posterity."

The purpose of the existence of the Sons of the American Revolution, Mr. Bowman concluded, was to keep alive the memory of deeds and sacrifices of those patriots who achieved American independence.

Dr. Holt outlined in the course of his address, the growth of the National Society since its beginning in San Francisco in 1876, the hundredth year of American independence.

William L. Jenks, of Port Huron, Historian, read a paper on conditions in Detroit when the British under Colonel Proctor ruled the town; and when the only whites in Michigan were to be found in the eastern part of the State and in the small settlements at Mackinaw and Sault Ste. Marie.

Reports from various State Chapters were presented to the meeting by Edward C. Parsons, of Kalamazoo; L. F. Bean, of Adrian; Thaddeus D. Seeley, of Pontiac; Roy V. Barnes, of Royal Oak; William L. Jenks, of Port Huron; Milton E. Osborn, of Ann Arbor, and Carl F. Clarke, of Detroit. Secretary Raymond E. Van Syckle and Treasurer Frank G. Smith presented their annual reports.

**DETROIT CHAPTER.**—The annual meeting and election of officers of the Detroit Chapter was held Thursday, June 14, 1923 (Flag Day), at the University Club, 1411 Jefferson Avenue East, at 6.30 p. m. Dinner was first served, followed by election of officers and transaction of business, after which an address on "Old Americans and New" was given by the guest of the evening, Charles D. Cameron, of the *Detroit News*.

The following officers were elected: President, George E. Bushnell; First Vice-President, Julius E. Thatcher; Second Vice-President, Norman B. Conger; Secretary, Raymond E. Van Syckle; Treasurer, Frank B. Smith; Historian, Edgar M. Bosley; Chaplain, Rev. Joseph A. Vance; Board of Governors, Roland B. Barrett, Clarence M. Dickerson, Frederick T. Ducharme, Lewis Le Baron Goodwin, Dr. Howard L. Jones, Dr. Carl C. McClellan, Howard A. Sleeper, Francis M. Sessions, Jefferson T. Wing.

Reports of the National Congress were presented by Almon B. Atwater and Dr. Frank Ward Holt, delegates, and Secretary Raymond E. Van Syckle and Treasurer Frank G. Smith and Historian Allen G. Ludington presented their reports. Chaplain Rev. Joseph A. Vance pronounced the invocation and Com-patriot George E. Bushnell presided.

**The Minnesota Society.**—MINNEAPOLIS CHAPTER, No. 1, of Minneapolis, held a Lexington Day Observance, with a dinner at the Curtis Hotel, on April 19. The special guest and speaker was Judge Frank M. Nye and a feature of the evening was the minuet presented by the Children of the American Revolution.

**The New Jersey Society** held its annual meeting on April 21, when officers for the new year were chosen as follows: President, Adrian Lyon; Vice-Presidents, Elvord G. Chamberlin and Sylvester H. M. Agens; Secretary, David L. Pierson; Treasurer, Frank E. Quinby; Registrar, William J. Conkling; Assistant Registrar, Edward H. Lum; Genealogist, Samuel C. Worthen; Historian, Rev. M. S. Waters; Chaplain, Rev. Dr. Frank A. Smith; Chancellor, Raymond T. Parrot; Librarian, Russell B. Rankin.

A stirring address was delivered by Rev. George P. Eastman, Chaplain of the Orange Chapter, on "Some Lessons to be drawn from the Anniversaries of the Battles of Lexington and Corncoord" and the Newark Chapter quartet rendered a number of selections most satisfactorily. This only musical organization within the National Society has, in the year and a half of its organization, proved a most worthy auxiliary of the work in New Jersey. On the following day, Sunday, the Society, accompanied by a number of the members of the D. A. R., met at the headquarters and marched to the Trinity Cathedral, where the annual service

in remembrance of Lexington and Concord was held, the sermon being preached by the Rev. Dr. H. Percy Silver, of the Church of the Incarnation, of New York city. A feature of the service was the massing of the colors in front of the chancel and the giving of the Pledge to the Flag, composed by Rev. John Hobart Egbert, member of the New Jersey Society, whose father, it may be interesting to know, was born during the War for Independence, in 1777.

The patriotic luncheons, which proved very successful during the winter, have been discontinued until the early autumn.

On Thursday, April 12, the Captain Abraham Godwin Chapter, of Paterson, gave a reception in honor of Major Washington I. L. Adams, President General, at the First Presbyterian Church, in that city.

NEWARK CHAPTER held its annual meeting at the headquarters of the State Society on April 19, and reelected Sylvester H. M. Agens President for the third consecutive year. Other officers chosen were: Vice-President, Col. Charles A. Andrews; Historian, John Willis Weeks; Registrar, Russell B. Rankin; Secretary, John W. Halsey; Chaplain, Rev. Charles L. Reynolds. "What Lexington and Concord Means to Us" was the subject of the address by Christopher P. Connelley, the speaker of the evening. A membership of 210 members was reported by Registrar Rankin.

Judge Adrian Lyon, accompanied by Compatriots O. Stanley Thompson, Sr., and David L. Pierson, State Secretary, journeyed to Haddonfield, N. J., from the State headquarters, on Saturday, May 26, for the purpose of presenting the new charter to South Jersey Chapter, which has its headquarters at the Indian King Inn, located in that town. After the serving of dinner the entire party made an automobile trip to Fort Mercer, or Red Bank, on the Delaware River, by both of which names the reservation is known. It was here that the famous battle was fought on October 22, 1777. Two monuments have been erected upon the plot and there is a house built in 1747 in an excellent state of preservation standing at the easterly end of the enclosure. On the return trip to the headquarters the party was caught in a jam of automobile and fire apparatus, caused by a dwelling-house fire which deranged completely the ceremony of presentation. It was hurriedly presented, however, by Judge Lyon, and then the visitors made an exit for their train, and home was reached about midnight without further mishap.

The annual meeting of Montclair Chapter was held on the evening of May 8, when J. Stewart Gibson was reelected President, and Gilbert D. Maxwell and Arthur H. Churchill, Vice-Presidents; Secretary, William H. Sutton, Jr.; Treasurer, Albert W. Ballentine; Registrar, Philip T. Heartt; Historian, Charles B. Alling; Chaplain, Rev. Luke M. White. The Newark Chapter quartet sang very acceptably and the work of Gilbert D. Maxwell, as chairman of the Americanization Committee, was extolled. He had worked up a very successful meeting for the reception of newly-made citizens, which was held in the town hall on April 26.

David L. Pierson, State Secretary, arranged an order of exercises at the Old First Presbyterian Church, Orange, upon invitation of the pastor, Rev. H. H. McQuilkin, for the evening of May 27, when the individuals of the community who had sacrificed in all the wars in which the United States have been engaged were remembered. The sermon was preached by Dr. McQuilkin and the tribute was given by Secretary Pierson.

Secretary Pierson conducted a walk through the Old Burying Ground, Sunday

afternoon, June 10, when the older memorials were explained to a group of citizens for an hour or more. This is a revival of a custom inaugurated twenty years ago, but abandoned at the time of the war, for the purpose of remembering the lives and deeds of the early years of the Republic.

Representatives of the New Jersey Society who attended the dedication of the boulder and tablet at the Parsippany Cemetery, under the auspices of Parsippanong Chapter, D. A. R., were Secretary Pierson and Compatriots Rev. S. Ward Righter, O. Stanley Thompson, father and son, Rev. Charles B. Bullard, and Charles R. Banks.

WEST FIELDS CHAPTER has elected officers for the new year as follows: President, C. Milton Tremaine; Vice-President, Milton E. Loomis; Treasurer, John J. High; Secretary, Lawrence A. Clark; Registrar, Rutherford O. Pierson; Historian, Major Ray E. Mayham; Chaplain, Rev. William W. Coe.

The Board of Managers of the New Jersey Society, Sons of the American Revolution, held its final meeting of the season on Friday night, June 8, and was attended by an unusually large number of members. Dinner was first served at the Essex Club, on Park Place, to which the delegates to the Nashville Congress and Chapter Presidents were invited. Many of them responded. After the menu had been discussed, President Adrian Lyon presented former President General Major Washington I. L. Adams, who spoke of the constructive features of the Congress and of the delightfully hospitable welcome given by the Tennessee Society and the D. A. R., which assisted largely in making the entertainment features a great success. He was followed by Harry F. Brewer, delegate-at-large, William C. Hope, who assisted in managing the President General's special train; Vice-President General Carl M. Vail, and David L. Pierson, all of whom spoke of various features of the annual S. A. R. gathering.

At the meeting which convened at the headquarters, 33 Lombardy Street, the reports of the Secretary, Treasurer, and Registrar all indicated the Society was in a flourishing condition.

Thomas W. Williams suggested that a tablet be placed on the house standing near Princeton where John Witherspoon, a New Jersey Signer of the Declaration of Independence, lived. This was referred to the Committee on Monuments and Memorials. David L. Pierson, chairman of this committee, suggested also that a system be adopted of placing tablets at each cemetery where there are soldiers of the Revolutionary War buried, of which there are a large number in New Jersey. It was also suggested that a boulder and tablet be placed on the common in the town of Bloomfield, named for Governor Joseph Bloomfield, who was an officer in the War for Independence, and who was Governor of New Jersey at the beginning of the War of 1812. These will all be taken care of by the committee.

Major Adams secured the passage of a motion granting an appropriation of fifty dollars toward the purchase of the Kenmore home at Fredericksburg, Va. Reports from a majority of the chapters indicated a healthy, vigorous forward movement. The next meeting of the Board will be held on September 14.

The NEWARK CHAPTER held a very interesting meeting on May 28, when Col. Lewis B. Ballentine gave a talk on "Preparedness and Patriotism." There were contributions to a well-rounded program from the New Chapter quartet, Rev. M. S. Waters, Rev. Warren P. Coon, and others.

On Memorial Day, May 30, the Chapter took part in the local ceremony of decorating the graves of soldiers and sailors and remembered the sixty patriots

buried in the Old Cemetery used in the colonial period. Passaic Valley Chapter also decorated the graves of Revolutionary soldiers.

CAPTAIN ABRAHAM GODWIN CHAPTER, of Paterson, has elected Ide Gill Sargeant President; Walter J. Doremus, Vice-President; Dr. William H. Rauchfuss, Secretary; Fred. W. Wentworth, Treasurer; Dr. Frank R. Sandt, Registrar; Albert H. Heusser, Historian; Rev. George W. Labaw, Chaplain.

John Willis Weeks, Historian of the Newark Chapter, broadcasted a message to the people on the afternoon of Memorial Day. He told of the sacrifices made that the country might go on in its great mission.

Secretary David L. Pierson delivered an address on Friday, June 1, before the Girls Continuation School, Newark, and because of the patriotic spirit aroused he was invited to deliver four additional addresses during the month. This is an excellent form of Americanization work, the story being told of the creation of the Republic and its mission among the powers of the world.

ELIZABETHTOWN CHAPTER held its annual meeting on June 21, and on Saturday, June 16, it joined with Passaic Valley, West Fields, and Roselle Chapters in an automobile pilgrimage to the Wallace House at Somerville, where Washington made his headquarters in the winter of 1778-1779.

ORANGE CHAPTER, at its annual meeting on April 19, selected officers for the new year as follows: President, James L. Garabrant; Vice-President, L. Woodruff Faulks; Secretary, Schuyler G. Harrison; Treasurer, Oscar Stanley Thompson, Jr.; Historian, Rev. Charles B. Bullard; Registrar, Rev. S. Ward Righter; Chaplain, Rev. George P. Eastman. On May 25 the Chapter met for the first time in its new quarters in the building occupied by the Dr. William Pierson Medical Library Association, in Hillyer Street, Orange. Reports from its four delegates to the annual Congress were received and among the features of the evening's entertainment was a brief address on "Humorists of the Revolutionary War." A. P. Bachman, who arranged the program, George W. Benton, and Cornelius C. Vermeule contributed toward the entertainment.

ORANGE CHAPTER observed Flag Day in the evening of Thursday, June 14, with special exercises at its new headquarters. The address was given by Rev. S. Ward Righter, on "The Religious Spirit in the Flag." Patriotic selections were sung, refreshments were served, and a very enjoyable evening ensued, ladies also being present. David L. Pierson, former President of the Chapter, is chairman of the Independence Day celebration, and Rev. Charles B. Bullard is his assistant. They are planning to hold an old-fashioned Independence Day celebration in Elmwood Park, where thousands of persons can be reached with the patriotic message where it will do the most good. It is expected that Judge Adrian Lyon, State President, will be the speaker.

On the morning of Flag Day, June 14, David L. Pierson, Secretary of the State Society, who is also President of the Old Burying Ground Association, of Orange, arranged and conducted exercises at the statue of the Dispatch Rider at the Old Burying Ground, at 8.45 o'clock. Several hundred children of the Orange schools were present, and besides singing the Star Spangled Banner and America, passed by the statue in single file, saluting in remembrance of the soldiers of the war buried within the enclosure. A wreath was placed upon the statue in the name of Orange Chapter. The statue was dedicated sixteen years ago on this very day and it was the privilege of Compatriot Pierson to arrange the first public Flag Day exercises in Orange on this day in 1903, twenty years ago.

Under the direction of a special committee of Orange Chapter, of which Rev. George P. Eastman is chairman, a bronze tablet will be placed upon the outer wall of the Orange Post-office Building, on September 17 next, in remembrance of Constitution Day, the anniversary of which will be held on that day.

Awards of prizes of gold pieces were made by Newark Chapter to the various students of the Newark High Schools on Flag Day, in return for the essays submitted on "New Jersey Women in the American Revolution." The response was very general, and after the usual process of elimination it was found that the essay pronounced to be the best submitted in the entire city was won by a young woman, Anne Coulter, of the East Side School, the prize for the second time going to this institution. The Rev. Joseph F. Folsom made the award of \$10 in gold in behalf of the Chapter; John Willis Weeks, chairman of the committee, presented the prize of \$5 to Sadie Shifman, of the South Side School, and Rev. Warren Patten Coon officiated at the Barringer High School, where the award was made to Charles Reynolds. Mr. Folsom also presented the prize to Helen Rabin, of the Central High School.

Rev. Dr. Lyman Whitney Allen, former Chaplain General of the National Society, and past President of the New Jersey Society, broadcasted from the WOR station in Newark, on Wednesday night, June 13, telling the story of the birth of the flag. Rev. Warren P. Coon performed a similar service for Memorial Day, May 30.

Arrangements are being made by the officials of Orange, at the request of Secretary David L. Pierson, to throw a spotlight on the beautiful statue of the Dispatch Rider at the Old Burying Ground, erected to the memory of the men and women of the community who assisted in establishing the independence of the United States. The light will glow every night, beginning, it is hoped, with the anniversary of the Battle of Springfield, which occurs on June 23.

**The New York (Empire State) Society.**—The annual meeting of the Society was held at the Army and Navy Club, New York City, on April 19, for the election of officers for the ensuing year. The death, a few days previous to the meeting, of President George D. Bangs, who it had been expected was to succeed himself in the presidency, was a great shock to the whole membership of the Empire State Society. Fitting tribute to his sterling worth as a banker and citizen as well as chief officer of the Society was paid by messages from over the State and Nation as well as in eloquent tributes in addresses to the meeting by the Vice-President (and succeeding President) of the Society, Colonel Henry W. Sackett; by Colonel Louis Annin Ames, Director General of the National Society; Brigadier-General Oliver B. Bridgman, President of the New York Chapter, and others.

The officers elected to serve one year were: President, Col. Henry W. Sackett; First Vice-President, Brigadier-General Oliver B. Bridgman; Second Vice-President, George B. Sage; Third Vice-President, Harold S. Hull; Secretary, Major C. A. Du Bois; Treasurer, James de la Montanye; Registrar, Teunis D. Hunting; Historian, Hon. James B. Laux; Chaplain, Joseph Fort Newton, D. D.

A very active interest in the purposes of our Society has been manifested by the Officers and Board of Managers, as well as by many of the compatriots as individuals, to whom patriotism and all that it implies is something very real and vital, and bespeaks a splendid future of achievement in the development of high

ideals of civic duty and government, not only among those citizens born in less favored lands, but among our own native-born Americans, whose patriotism has often been of a perfunctory character.

It is a great pleasure to record generous responses to the appeal made last year by the Historian in his annual report, for donations of books and manuscripts for the library. A number of very valuable publications have been received from compatriots and from the State and National governments.

The collections of the Society have also been enriched by Revolutionary arms: One flintlock rifle, two flintlock pistols, one cutlass, and one powder-horn, the gift of Mrs. Slauson, of Kingston, New York, the widow of our late compatriot, A. M. Slauson.

It is earnestly hoped that many other relics of Colonial and Revolutionary days may find their way into the library and museum, a very appropriate repository for such precious memorials of heroic days.

It is also a great pleasure to record that two battle flags, splendid examples of patriotic art, the gifts of compatriots Colonel Henry W. Sackett and William L. Allen, will in the near future be formally dedicated to patriotic service by the Society.

**NEW YORK CHAPTER.**—The Chapter held its annual meeting on April 19 at the Army and Navy Club. Dinner was served previous to the meeting. The same officers were re-elected for the coming year.

The special church service to commemorate the 134th anniversary of the inauguration of Washington was held at St. Paul's Chapel, under the auspices of the New York Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, on Sunday, April 29, at 4 p. m.

The organization of the Color Guard on military lines has been perfected by its very able and energetic commander, Compatriot Harold S. Hull. The Guard now numbers twenty-five, with seventeen flags and banners. Its members are distinguished when on duty by the wearing of a brassard on the left arm, presented by Compatriot George R. Brown, which adds greatly to the appearance of the Guard.

The perfect drill of the Guard was shown at the annual church service of the Church of the Divine Paternity and at the banquet by the New York Chapter on the evening of February 21 at the Army and Navy Club. The alignments and beautiful evolutions of the Guard were a revelation to the compatriots present and received the heartiest praise from all.

April 30, 1923, a detachment of the Color Guard of the Chapter, under the command of Mr. Joseph P. Knight, Jr. attended the service in connection with the ceremony of unveiling a tablet to the memory of Colonel Morgan at Broadway and 181st Street, under the auspices of the Society of American Wars.

May 24th, at the unveiling of Alexander Hamilton's bust at the Hall of Fame, the Chapter was represented by Dr. James B. Laux and Compatriot Franklin B. Huntington.

May 30th a delegation represented the Chapter at the Decoration Day exercises of McKeel's Post, G. A. R., at Katonah, N. Y.

Memorial Day, representatives of the Color Guard, carrying the White Plains battle flag and the Bunker Hill flag, attended the ceremonies in connection with the placing of a wreath on the Crawford Monument at Tuckahoe, N. Y. This wreath was sixteen feet in diameter and was composed of sprays of evergreen

sent by President and Mrs. Harding and the Governors of the 48 States. The U. S. Army was represented by Major McKenney, aide to General Pershing. The S. A. R. Colors had as escort the Veterans of Foreign Wars. The D. A. R. undertook the decoration of the Revolutionary Burying Ground. Taps were sounded and a squad of ten rifles fired salutes.

In the evening of May 30 the Secretary of the Color Guard, B. H. Whitman, Jr., attended the Memorial exercises under the auspices of the G. A. R. at Carnegie Hall.

June 1, at the graduating exercises of the New York State Nautical School, the Chapter was officially represented.

New York Chapter took part in the celebration of Flag Day, Thursday afternoon, June 14, at City Hall Park. Flag Day was impressively celebrated in the evening of June 14 by the ceremonies in commemoration of the 146th Anniversary of the Adoption of the Flag of the United States by the American Congress, June 14, 1777, under the auspices of the New York Chapter, with the co-operation of the municipal authorities of the City of New York, on the Mall in Central Park. The Celebration of Flag Day was instituted by the Sons of the American Revolution in 1890, and this was the 24th celebration of the day under their auspices. General Oliver B. Bridgman, President of the Chapter, presided at the ceremonies. The committee consisted of Brigadier-General Oliver B. Bridgman, President; William C. Demorest, chairman; Col. Louis Annin Ames, George Royce Brown, Major Charles A. Du Bois, Captain Reginald Fay, Dr. Edward Hagaman Hall, Harold S. Hull, Messmore Kendall, George McK. Roberts, and J. Henry Smythe, Jr.

ROCHESTER CHAPTER.—The Annual Washington's Birthday dinner of the Chapter was attended by about thirty members, with Compatriots G. L. Hutchins, of Salt Lake City; J. Henry Smythe, Jr., of New York City, and Warren Cobb, of Fairport, N. Y., as guests. The principal speaker was Senator-elect Royal S. Copeland, of New York City, who called attention to the added responsibilities that American ancestry has laid on Sons of the American Revolution and of our duty toward the alien-born citizen, and stated that we should take more than ordinary interest in conditions in this country and abroad and at all times make the influence of our organization felt in the halls of Congress for the passage of all just laws.

COLONEL CORNELIUS VAN DYCK CHAPTER (Schenectady) took part in the Memorial Day parade. Compatriots assembled at the Union College, Charles H. Huntley, President, leading.

The annual meeting of the Chapter was held in the rooms of the Schenectady County Historical Society, the President, Charles H. Hunting, presiding.

The following officers were elected for the year: P. S. Miller, President; George E. Young, First Vice-President; Horace S. Van Voast, Jr., Second Vice-President; Hanford Robison, Secretary; H. S. Stedman, Treasurer; J. L. Hall, Judge Frank Cooper, H. S. Van Voast, Henry Van Horne, and J. W. Collamer, Executive Committee. Various plans for work for the coming year were discussed. The next meeting will be held the first Wednesday in September.

GENESEE CHAPTER, BATAVIA.—The following quotation from a circular report issued by Genesee Chapter to its members shows what a commendable undertaking this little chapter is engaged in, and the results achieved so far. The example might well be followed:



"Soon after our Chapter was organized we endeavored to locate and learn the condition of the graves of Revolutionary Soldiers who are buried in Genesee County. We immediately became impressed with the fact that there were many rural cemeteries in a most disgraceful condition. Most of these were the older cemeteries, in many of which there had not been a burial in many years. The conditions found were such as being unfenced, grown up to weeds, briars, underbrush and trees, some infested with woodchucks, many stones broken and lying on the ground. These cemeteries are unincorporated, have no means of income for work to be done and some where no one is directly interested to care for them by private means.

"We invoked the aid of Section No. 332 of the Town Law, a copy of which is given herewith. To a considerable extent we found the town officials and the superintendents of highways, who have direct charge of the carrying out of these provisions, in a co-operative mood. We made considerable progress during the season of 1922 and several cemeteries were cleaned up and in a few years at the most will be fenced and present a much improved appearance. Early in 1922 we appointed committees, giving each committee a town to look after, to see the authorities and, if possible, have work begun where needed. We expect to continue this work in 1923. In case the officials of any town refuse to carry out the provisions of the law, such action as may be necessary to secure its enforcement will be taken. This would seem to be in the nature of a supreme court order. We trust we will not have to resort to this action. If our Chapter can succeed in having our cemeteries put in a neat, clean condition and not be an eyesore to those who pass by them and a disgrace to the town in which located we will feel that our time has been well spent and our efforts well directed.

"*Rural Cemeteries Law, Section No. 332 of the Town Law.*—The title to every lot or piece of land which shall have been used by the inhabitants of any town in this State as a cemetery or burial ground for the space of fourteen years shall be deemed to be vested in such town, and shall be subject in the same manner as other corporate property of towns to the government and direction of the electors in town meeting. In any town in which trustees of burial grounds have not been chosen as provided in sections 330 and 331 of this chapter, the town board may adopt regulations for the proper care of any such cemetery and burial ground and regulating the burial of the dead therein. It shall be the duty of the superintendent of highways of any such town to remove the grass and weeds from any such a cemetery or burial ground in any such town at least three times in each year, and to erect and maintain suitable fences around such cemetery or burial ground at a cost of not to exceed one hundred dollars unless authorized by a majority vote of such town. The town board of any town must also provide for the removal of grass and weeds at least twice in each year from any cemetery or burial ground by whomsoever owned, in such town, where such control is not vested by other provisions of law in the town or in trustees or other corporate body and provide for the presentation, care, and fencing of any such cemetery, all at a cost of not to exceed \$100 in any one year, unless authorized by a majority vote of such town, and such duties shall be performed under the supervision of the superintendent of highways of the town, or a person whom the town board may designate; provided, however, that such duties shall not be exercised in respect to any private ground or particular lot or lots therein after the true owners thereof file written objections thereto with the town clerk. The cost and expenses of any officer or person performing any duties under or pursuant to the provisions of this section, shall be a town charge, and the town board shall appropriate and provide annually the moneys necessary for carrying out the provisions of this section, and make the same available for the proper officer or person by whom the moneys are required to be expended."

(Took affect May 20, 1920.)

BUFFALO CHAPTER met on Thursday evening, May 10, for a dinner at the Lafayette Hotel, Commander Thomas W. Harris, the President, presiding. The guest of the evening was Admiral John K. Robison, Chief of the Bureau of

Engineering, and seldom has the Chapter been given the opportunity to hear a gentleman of Admiral Robison's high attainments. His address dealt largely with some of the achievements of the United States Navy during the war and was replete with anecdotes and thrilling stories of that trying time. The annual meeting of the Chapter will be held during the month of June, with the ladies as guests.

#### N. Y. CHAPTER'S NEW COLOR GUARD

On November 18, 1922, a call for the reorganization of the Color Guard of New York Chapter, S. A. R., was sent out by the Board of Managers of New York Chapter, and on November 22, 1922, the reorganization was effected. The Code of Regulations was ratified by the Board of Managers December 7, 1922.

The Color Guard consists of a commander and "not more than four compatriots for each color possessed by the Empire State Society." For tactical purposes, the Guard is divided into sections, each of which is under a Chief Color Bearer. The commander and the chief color bearers constitute the executive committee. Of this executive committee, one member is chosen as Secretary, in charge of the roster and the records, and one member as treasurer. The entire activities of the Color Guard are subject to the direction of the Board of Managers of New York Chapter. Election of chief color bearers, secretary, and treasurer are held the same day as the election of the Officers of New York Chapter.

The duties of the Color Guard as defined by the Code of Regulations are "to parade and display the colors of the Empire State Society, S. A. R., in connection with any civic, patriotic, memorial, or commemorative ceremony or escort in which the Empire State Society or New York Chapter may see fit to participate, either directly as a Society or Chapter or by representation of delegates or detachments."

For identification, the Color Guard has adopted a brassard consisting of a dark-blue silk band, on which is a white disk with the National Color and the Society standard in regulation colors, and with the letters "S. A. R.—N. Y." embroidered in buff silk. These brassards were very generously donated by Mr. George Royce Brown, of the Board of Managers.

The Guard also wears white gloves and makes every effort to have its appearance at all times worthy of the organization it represents. Members of the Guard are urged to wear the Insignia or the Ceremonial Badge of the Society.

In order that strangers viewing the Guard on parade may understand the significance of the various battle flags and standards which it carries and in order to spread information as to the proper use and care of the Colors, the Guard is undertaking the preparation of a Manual of the Colors, which will be available for distribution.

Aside from appearing at the regular meetings of the New York Chapter, the Guard has also been represented at the Second Annual Victory Ball of the American Legion; the service of the Massing of the Colors at the Church of the Heavenly Rest; the Amity Service at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, and the Annual Church Service of the New York Chapter.

The present officers are: Harold S. Hull, Commander; B. H. Whitman, Jr., Secretary, and R. B. Wiedemann, Treasurer.

**North Dakota Society.**—The 12th annual meeting and banquet of this Society took place at the rooms of the Commercial Club at Fargo on the evening of April

19th. Ladies were guests of the Society, as well as new applicants for membership. Professor Howard E. Simpson, of Grand Forks, State President, was the guest of honor and speaker and addressed the Society on "The Geography of the American Flag." A charter was presented to the newly organized chapter at Fargo, to be known as the George Washington Chapter, Vice-President John O. Hanchett, of Valley City, making the presentation, which was accepted by Compatriot Charles A. Pollock, of Fargo. Mrs. O. A. Stevens, secretary of the Dacotah Chapter, D. A. R., of Fargo, gave greetings. War Service medals were presented by Compatriot B. F. Spalding, of Fargo, first President of the State Society. Compatriot Frank Drew Hall, Historian, gave a report on the Americanization work and the distribution of the American's Creed. The Society has done an outstanding piece of work through the efforts of Compatriot Hall in distributing over 15,000 pamphlets "Fundamentals of American Citizenship," a very attractively arranged booklet, containing the Declaration of Independence, the United States Constitution, Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, "America the Beautiful," and other patriotic sentiments as well as the American's Creed. The latter is also printed separately in colors for personal distribution suitable for framing. This pamphlet was given to every newly admitted citizen and each public school in the State in the name of the North Dakota Society. The coöperation of the North Dakota Society for the Advancement of Education made this work possible in unselfishly financing and giving the largest part of the credit to the North Dakota S. A. R. The Society elected officers at this meeting as follows: President, Walter R. Reed, Fargo; Vice-President, John O. Hanchett, Valley City; Secretary-Registrar, Charles E. Boyden, Fargo; Historian, Frank D. Hall, Fargo; Chaplain, William J. Clapp, Fargo; Treasurer, Willis E. Fuller, Grand Forks. Prof. Howard E. Simpson, of Grand Forks, retiring President, was nominated for Trustee.

**The Ohio Society** held its annual meeting at Cleveland, May 1. The guest of honor was Mr. Marvin H. Lewis, of Louisville, Ky., Director General of the National Society, who led the discussion on School History Textbooks, which resulted in a very lively debate. The Springfield, Ohio, *Sun* comments in a long editorial upon the discussion at this meeting in part as follows:

"The Sons of the American Revolution in their convention at Cleveland have raised an interesting question. It is, in effect, whether history should tell the truth about the heroes of the Revolution, when that truth would tend to impair their greatness and perhaps to decrease the respect in which we have held them. One is wholly in sympathy with the Sons of the American Revolution on this score. Already our children know too little about the motives of the fathers of the Republic, and to have those ideas perverted and poisoned, either by design or because some historian wants to demonstrate the keenness of his critical faculty, is nothing short of a crime. The Sons of the American Revolution may well dedicate a large part of their energies to attacking such things, and in the work they should be encouraged and aided by the newspapers, albeit their knowledge of history may be a little dim and indistinct."

A resolution adopted by the convention declared the opinion of the organization that no textbook should be used in the schools "which belittles the founders of our Government or minimizes their achievements."

Newly-elected officers attending the National Convention at Nashville, Tenn., May 20, were instructed to carry the resolution with them, and to leave action,

aside from individual remonstrance of members with school officials, to the National Convention.

The officers elected at this meeting were: Harry H. Hoard, Cleveland, President; J. P. Wilson, Youngstown, Vice-President; Col. W. L. Curry, Columbus, Registrar and Secretary; Col. S. G. Harvey, Toledo, Treasurer; Rev. Dr. E. P. Whallon, Cincinnati, Chaplain; Col. Moulton Houk, Delaware, Historian.

Colonel Curry and Coloney Harvey were both re-elected. Colonel Curry has held office since 1889 and Colonel Harvey since about 1900.

Muzzey's history has not been used as a textbook in Cleveland high schools since 1916, Charles H. Lake, assistant superintendent of schools, said when he was told of the discussion at the convention. A work by Charles E. and Mary R. Beard, formerly of Columbia University, is used in high schools, and a text by McLaughlin is used in junior high schools.

State officers of the Sons of the American Revolution have recently visited Springfield for the purpose of organizing a Chapter of the S. A. R. there. It is estimated there are nearly fifty local men eligible to membership in the organization. E. L. Shuey, Sr., Dayton, Past President of the Ohio Society, has been in the city looking over the field and hopes to organize a chapter early in the fall.

GENERAL FRANCIS MARION CHAPTER, Marion.—This Chapter held a supper and rally in the Gray Room of Beecher's Cafeteria, Wednesday evening, April 25. The State Secretary and Registrar, Col. W. L. Curry, of Columbus, was an honor guest and delivered his famous lecture "Battle Fields of Ohio." Colonel Curry also read an original poem "Our Patriotic Sires," written for this occasion. This being the first social affair given by this Chapter, the program committed provided many attractive features for the evening's entertainment, including special music. Col. Moulton Houk, of Delaware, Ohio, was also special guest and speaker on this occasion and brought before the Chapter the need to examine and supervise the school history text books now being used and the work of the National Society along these lines. Both speakers emphasized the importance of teaching more intensively the history of Ohio and the battles fought in this State. The officers of General Francis Marion Chapter, elected on March 5, are: President, James A. Knapp; Vice-President, James E. Phillips; Registrar, Harry W. Haberman; Chaplain, C. C. Fisher; Secretary-Treasurer, H. B. Cooper. The Chapter is very much alive and making earnest efforts to increase its membership.

**The Oklahoma Society.**—The *Daily Oklahoman* substituted the full text of the American Creed for an abbreviated form that had been running about fifteen months ago, and has run it every day since then at the head of its editorial page. This paper also gives the Oklahoma Society splendid co-operation in anything undertaken for the advancement of the cause of patriotism or Americanism. Its running of the Creed in full was at the request of our Society. True to this spirit of patriotism and co-operation was the editorial which appeared on Lexington Day, and of which brief extracts are here given:

"This is the anniversary of Lexington. One hundred and forty-eight years ago this morning a band of Massachusetts militia withstood the scarlet troops of Major Pitcairn and precipitated the war of the revolution. In a large sense this is the natal day of American freedom. The flag we revere, the Constitution

we respect, and the nation we idolize, all had a common origin amid the death-winged rifle volleys of Lexington green.

"In remembering the details of the Lexington battle we should also remember the ideals that motivated the minute men of Massachusetts. They preferred death to despotism. They picked up their muskets rather than relinquish the constitutional guarantees of English citizens. Knowing their rights as British subjects they dared maintain those rights against the trained troops of King George.

"Such is the lesson of Lexington. It teaches the people of this Republic that life is less precious than liberty, that freedom is the world's dearest possession. It teaches the descendants of the minute men to guard with religious vigilance the privileges won at Lexington and Valley Forge and keep forever and forevermore the prerogatives of the people in the hands of the people. Every drop of blood that fell on that glorious April morning pleads like angels trumpet-tongued for the maintenance and preservation of American ideals."

**The Pennsylvania Society—MIDDLETOWN CHAPTER.**—Washington's Birthday was fittingly observed by the Middletown Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, on Friday evening, February 23, in the Parish House of the Lutheran Church. A goodly number of the Sons and their friends were present when the meeting was opened by the singing of "America" and, after the pledge of Allegiance to our Flag, Rev. Bergstresser led in prayer. Patriotic solos and community singing followed, after which President Raymond introduced the speaker of the evening, Compatriot the Rev. Dr. Fuller Bergstresser, pastor of St. Peter's Lutheran Church. The subject being George Washington, Dr. Bergstresser traced his life from its beginning, through the wars with the Indians, the Revolution, and the years spent as President of these United States until his death, which came upon him while he was living as a private citizen at Mount Vernon.

After the stirring address, a short business session was held for the purpose of electing officers and other business. Officers were re-elected to serve for the ensuing year as follows: Robert P. Raymond, President; Truman P. Eteile, First Vice-President; Colin S. Few, Second Vice-President; W. K. Lemon, Jr., Secretary; H. B. Etter, Assistant Secretary; Robert F. Keiper, Registrar; Le Roy H. Markley, Treasurer; Joseph Montgomery, 2d, Chaplain and Historian.

After a discussion as to markers to be placed on the graves of Revolutionary soldiers the matter was referred to the President and Secretary. After refreshments, the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner" and prayer by Rev. Bergstresser, the meeting adjourned.

The Middletown Chapter held a meeting in the American Legion home, April 17. Compatriot R. C. Schanck, of Pittsburgh, President of the Pennsylvania State Society, was the guest of honor.

The meeting was opened by President R. P. Raymond. After singing "America" and pledging allegiance to our country's flag, Compatriot Rev. Dr. Fuller Bergstresser offered prayer.

President Schanck was then introduced and gave an outline of the work of the S. A. R., of its wonderful advantages in curbing the Red propaganda being spread throughout the United States and urged all to do their best toward stopping this. He also dwelt at length on the bill introduced by C. M. Barr in the legislature making it a law that the Constitution of the United States be taught in all public and private schools.

The Chapter unanimously adopted resolutions to endorse this bill and a copy of the endorsement and urging our county representative to support the bill was ordered sent to each one. Mr. Schanck also talked on the manner in which some school teachers of the United States are teaching Red propaganda in the schools, and paid a great tribute to the Daughters of the American Revolution in hunting up this evidence and having it stopped as far as possible.

After his address the meeting was thrown open for questions on the work of the Chapter and addresses were made by Dr. Bergstresser, E. C. Leber, H. B. Garver, and others. It was unanimously agreed that the charter of the Middletown Chapter be closed on July 4, 1923, with appropriate ceremonies. It is earnestly hoped that a large number of members will be added by this time.

After a buffet luncheon the Chapter adjourned to meet on Flag Day, June 14, when an appropriate program will be rendered.

PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER.—The Anniversary of the Battle of Lexington and Concord was celebrated by the Philadelphia Chapter with a banquet at the Adelphia Hotel. The affair was highly successful, there being a large attendance. The meeting was presided over by Mr. Walter Gabell, President of the Philadelphia Chapter, and the speakers included Mr. R. C. Schanck, President of the Pennsylvania Society, of Pittsburgh; Miss Eugenie Goldsmith, President of the Muhlenberg Chapter, Children of the American Revolution, and Hon. Benjamin H. Ludlow, member of the Pennsylvania Legislature. This, so far as is known, was the only celebration in commemoration of Lexington Day in the city of Philadelphia.

On Tuesday, May 8, a special committee of the ladies of the Philadelphia Chapter, S. A. R., gave a card party. The proceeds were appropriated by the Chapter for prizes to be given for patriotic essays in our public schools. Over one hundred ladies attended the party, which was held at the rooms of the Emergency Aid of Pennsylvania, and it has done much to stimulate the interest on the part of their brothers and husbands in the work of the Chapter. Mrs. Walter Gabell, wife of the President of the Philadelphia Chapter, was chairman of the committee, assisted by Mrs. John H. Edwards, Mrs. Warren Matlack, and Mrs. Lawrence C. Hickman.

Flag Day observance was quite general in Philadelphia, the Philadelphia Chapter taking a most prominent part. The first celebration consisted in a noonday luncheon, which was attended by a number of the members and guests. The Chapter was presented with a gavel by the Past President, Mr. Fernberger, who obtained it from a hickory tree on the plantation of Andrew Jackson, at Nashville, Tenn. The speaker for the occasion was Mr. J. H. Mitchell, who delivered a stirring address. In the evening the Chapter joined forces with the P. O. S. of A. in a very large street parade. Some of the members carried the beautiful colors of the Chapter, consisting of one Original 13-State Flag and another of the 48-State Flag, together with the Chapter banner. These were at the head of the column and were regarded as one of the most handsome sets of colors in the city. The route of procession ended in front of the Betsy Ross House, where an elaborate ceremony took place. Mr. Walter Gabell, President of the Philadelphia Chapter, delivered one of the orations.

McKEESPORT CHAPTER took a very active part in the celebration of Flag Day, June 14, by joining with the Daughters of the American Revolution, the American Legion, the Elks, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and Boy Scouts. The day was

fittingly observed by a very general display of the Stars and Stripes and by exercises in Market Street and at the home of Mrs. C. N. Shaw. A surprise feature of the observance was the presentation to the local Scout Council of a handsome silk streamer from President Harding. The speaker at the Market Street exercises was Dr. H. C. Westervelt, of Pittsburgh, Senior Vice-President of the Pennsylvania Sons of the American Revolution, and chairman of the State Flag Committee of the S. A. R. At the Shaw home the speaker was S. B. McCormick, of Pittsburgh, former, chancellor of the University of Pittsburgh and a Past President of the Pennsylvania State Society, S. A. R. At the conclusion of his address, Mr. Westervelt presented handsome silk flags for 20 troops of Scouts to Reed Albig. They were given by the McKeesport Chapter of Sons of the American Revolution. He also presented the President Harding streamer, in recognition of the McKeesport Council gaining a stipulated membership increase of 25 per cent.

(NOTE.—An excellent photo of this flag presentation ceremony by the McKeesport Chapter was received too late for insertion with this article.—EDITOR.)

In Pittsburgh, on June 29, the State Society joined with the United Spanish War Veterans in presenting to the Merrill W. Allen Camp, No. 15, U. S. W. V., a stand of colors consisting of one United States Flag, one Union Jack, and one State Camp Flag, on which is the seal of the State of Pennsylvania. Compatriot James A. Wakefield, Past President and National Trustee of the Pennsylvania State Society, was the speaker.

**The Rhode Island Society.**—To honor Judge Arthur Preston Sumner, recently elected President General of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, a reception was given in Churchill House by the Rhode Island Society, at Providence, on the evening of June 12. The event was of more than passing interest, for Judge Sumner is the first President General of the national organization to be elected from this State.

For an hour or more Addison P. Munroe, President of the State Society; Mrs. Munroe, and Judge and Mrs. Sumner received the guests, who were presented by four former Presidents of the Society, Messrs. Frederick D. Carr, former Governor Charles Dean Kimball, William A. Viall, and Francis E. Bates.

Also in the receiving line was Mr. Henry Allen Burlingame, of Pawtucket, the only "real son" in Rhode Island and the youngest son in the United States. As the formal reception concluded, Mr. Mahlon M. Gowdy introduced President Addison P. Munroe, who referred to the honor given to Rhode Island in the election of Judge Sumner, who, he said, being an eminent jurist, and a man prominent in public affairs, his leadership was bound to bring success to his administration.

In response, the President General, after expressing his appreciation of the event and his pleasure in greeting representatives of the Daughters of the American Revolution, said the members of patriotic organizations had been criticised for worshipping their ancestors. On the contrary, he likened the respect and admiration of our "forebears" to the love we bear to our parents, and, if we study carefully, he said, we can find many things to emulate in the pioneers of this country and the Government which they established. As a closing word, President Sumner urged all to perpetuate the Government of our forefathers and to preserve it in its entirety. Refreshments were served. Excellent music enlivened the affair, which was concluded with dancing.

The Rhode Island Society conducted Memorial Day exercises at Hopkins Park, on the morning of May 30, assisted by the Esek Hopkins School. A patriotic program of music and an address by President Addison P. Munroe, placing of the Flag and a wreath on the grave and statue of Commodore Hopkins by pupils of the school comprised the program.

**The Tennessee Society** has not allowed the passing of the 34th Annual Congress of the National Society, so successfully completed within the portals of hospitable Nashville, to be a signal for settling down and resting on its laurels, but has taken on, if possible, even new impetus, so far as membership increase is concerned. A number of new members have been accepted since the Congress and Vice-President Millspaugh promises a net gain of at least one hundred this year. The Memphis Chapter held ceremonies in connection with the marking of Revolutionary graves on June 14 and on the 15th were the guests of the Memphis Chapter, D. A. R., at a garden party and the recipients of a silver-mounted gavel as a token of co-operation and loyal service in the allied work.

**The Texas Society.**—The annual meeting of the Society at Galveston should have been held on the anniversary of the Battle of Lexington, April 19, but as a matter of fact it was held upon the anniversary of the Battle of San Jacinto, one of the special anniversaries celebrated by the State of Texas, April 21. The meeting this year was the best attended of any meeting held since the year 1911, there being about thirty present. The members were full of enthusiasm and adjourned with a firm determination to double the membership this year. Mr. George Dickenson Morgan, one of the members attending the annual meeting, was one of the organizers of the Texas Society. This Society was organized at the Tremont Hotel, Galveston, Texas, on December 8, 1896, and Mr. Morgan was one of the men who helped make the Society possible. He was one of the first secretaries, and is still very active in the affairs of the Society.

It was the sense of the meeting that the annual convocation should be held each year in a different city and that the principal officers of the Society should be chosen in the city where the meeting should be held; and the next meeting was appointed to be held in the city of Houston on the anniversary of the Battle of Lexington, April 19, 1924.

The following officers were elected to serve for one year and until their successors are chosen: John Charles Harris, of Houston, President; Samuel Moore Gaines, of Ft. Worth, First Vice-President; William F. Beers, of Galveston, Second Vice-President; Walter S. Mayer, of Galveston, Third Vice-President and Genealogist; E. E. Rice, of Galveston, Registrar (re-elected); James T. Huffmaster, of Galveston, Chaplain (re-elected); Robert L. Sonfield, of Houston, Secretary-Treasurer; Edward F. Harris, of Galveston, C. B. Dorchester, of Sherman; F. F. Downs, of Temple, and S. B. Robedeaux, of Austin, Directors.

The officers and directors together constitute the Board of Managers, who are in entire charge of the affairs of the Society between the annual convocations; but because the different members of the Board of Managers are scattered all over the State of Texas, the President was authorized to appoint an Executive Committee, a majority of whose members should reside in the city of the President's residence, so that at all times the Executive Committee could be in full charge. In pursuance of this authority, the President has appointed the fol-



lowing Executive Committee: John S. Hoover, Houston; C. B. Gillespie, Houston; William F. Beers, Galveston; Walter S. Mayer, Galveston; John Charles Harris, Houston, ex-officio Chairman of the Executive Committee; Robert L. Sonfield, Houston, ex-officio Secretary of the Executive Committee. The Executive Committee will meet on the last Saturday in each month at the University Club in Houston.

The President was authorized to present a bronze World War Medal to each member of the Society who saw service in the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps of the United States during the war with Germany, upon such member filing the required proof under oath with the Secretary; and in pursuance of such authority the President has made the following presentations:

Colonel John S. Hoover, of Houston, Texas who saw service on the firing line in France as Colonel of the 143d Regiment of Infantry, 36th Division.

Lieutenant Robert L. Sonfield, who saw service on the firing line in France as a Lieutenant in Company B, 143d Infantry Regiment, 36th Division.

Lieutenant Grover Rees, who saw service on the firing line in France as an Artillery Officer with the 21st Field Artillery, 5th Division, Regular Army.

The action of the Board of Managers and officers in raising the initiation fee of this Society, so as to meet the initiation fee of the National Society, and the furnishing of every member with one of the large, handsome Certificates of Membership, was ratified. The initiation fee is now \$10 and the annual dues \$3 per annum, payable yearly in advance on the first of January of each year.

The decision was reached to issue each member in good standing a membership card, of the size to be carried in a pocketbook; and upon a supply of cards being received from the printer the Secretary was ordered to mail one to each member whose dues are paid up through 1923.

After much discussion a resolution was passed, that text-books setting forth the true facts regarding American history be used in the schools. The resolution calls for text-books in the schools which will give facts from an American standpoint regarding all conflicts and periods in American history.

Plans for increasing the membership of the Texas Society by stimulating interest among eligibles in every community in the State where the Society now has representation were discussed at some length. Mrs. Samuel Moore Gaines, a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution at Fort Worth, Texas, addressed the meeting and suggested that the Daughters in every section of the State be asked to co-operate, and that they be asked to submit to the Texas Society, Sons of the American Revolution, the names of their male relatives who are eligible to membership and that the Society make an effort to secure their membership. Mrs. Gaines' suggestions were received with enthusiasm, and the officers and executive are now making plans to work along the lines suggested.

It was decided to elect officers from different communities each year and by this system of rotation strive to increase interest in the Society's activities.

Mr. Walter S. Mayer, of Galveston, for fifteen years the active Secretary of the Texas Society, was nominated Trustee for the Texas Society and elected to represent the Society as delegate-at-large to the Annual Congress at Nashville.

The publication of a monthly bulletin outlining the activities of the Society and the policies of the Executive Committee, to be distributed to all members, was another outstanding and progressive decision of this conference. Altogether, the

Texas Society feels that it has started on a new lease of life and hopes that this successful meeting will prove the incentive to constant future progress.

**Vermont Society.**—At the present time there are 189 members. During the past year this Society has coöperated with other patriotic societies in observance of Constitution Day and Washington's Birthday.

At the annual meeting held in Montpelier on February 28, the following list of officers were elected: President, Charles A. Plumley, Northfield; Vice-President, Wallace G. Andrews, Montpelier; Secretary, Walter H. Crockett, Burlington; Treasurer, Clarence L. Smith, Burlington; Registrar, Dorman B. E. Kent, Montpelier; Historian, Walter H. Crockett, Burlington; Chaplain, Rev. I. C. Smart, D. D., Burlington; Board of Managers, George M. Hawks, Bennington; Frank L. Fish, Vergennes; Wellington E. Aiken, Burlington; Maurice W. Dewey, Montpelier; Abram W. Foote, Cornwall; James M. Hamilton, Rutland, and Mortimer R. Proctor, Proctor.

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#### ADDITIONS TO MEMBERSHIP

There have been enrolled by the Registrar-General from March 1, 1923, to June 1, 1923, 320 new members, distributed as follows: Arizona, 1; California, 11; Colorado, 5; Delaware, 3; District of Columbia, 10; Hawaii, 1; Idaho, 2; Illinois, 21; Indiana, 4; Iowa, 3; Kentucky, 3; Louisiana, 13; Maryland, 9; Massachusetts, 35; Michigan, 15; Minnesota, 13; Missouri, 1; Montana, 1; Nebraska, 5; New Hampshire, 2; New Jersey, 39; New Mexico, 1; New York (Empire State), 22; North Dakota, 8; Ohio, 16; Oklahoma, 1; Oregon, 2; Pennsylvania, 27; Rhode Island, 4; South Carolina, 4; Tennessee, 15; Texas, 5; Utah, 2; Vermont, 1; Virginia, 12; Washington State, 2; Wyoming, 1.

## In Memoriam

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- WALTER ASPINWALL, Empire State Society, died March 24, 1923.  
 GEORGE D. BANGS, President, Empire State Society, died April 16, 1923.  
 BERNARD R. BANNING, Hawaiian Society, died April 27, 1923.  
 EDWARD P. BARTLETT, M. D., Illinois Society, died May 11, 1923.  
 FRANK E. BLAKEMAN, Connecticut Society, died February 18, 1923.  
 RALPH DELAPLAINE BRITTON, Connecticut Society, died March 1, 1923.  
 GEORGE WASHINGTON CAMPBELL, New Jersey Society, died March 9, 1923.  
 DAVID DEXTER CLARKE, Oregon Society, died March 3, 1923.  
 ALONZO COLE, Oregon Society, died January —, 1923.  
 JOHN R. DAVIDSON, Empire State Society, died March 9, 1923.  
 EDWARD MANSFIELD DEXTER, Connecticut Society, died March 19, 1923.  
 CHARLES HERBERT DU BUISSON, New Jersey Society, March 16, 1923.  
 ARTHUR WINSHIP EARLE, Connecticut Society, died February 26, 1923.  
 JOHN R. FISHER, New Jersey Society, died February 26, 1923.  
 HON. JOSEPH W. FOLK, former Governor of Missouri, member Missouri Society,  
 died May 29, 1923.  
 ALBERT LABERGE GEER, Connecticut Society, died December 31, 1921.  
 ROBERT BEARDSLEY GOODYEAR, Connecticut Society, died January 31, 1923.  
 DAVID RAMSEY GRAY, Past-President Utah Society, died May 11, 1923.  
 FRANKLIN MASTON GREELEY, Connecticut Society, died January 2, 1923.  
 HENRY STRONG GULLIVER, Connecticut Society, died April 13, 1923.  
 CAPT. ELBRIDGE DREW HADLEY, Secretary Iowa Society for twenty-five years, died  
 May 27, 1923.  
 SIDNEY E. HAWLEY, Connecticut Society, died March 17, 1923.  
 FRANCIS ANDREW HOADLEY, Connecticut Society, died February 26, 1923.  
 WILLIAM AUGUSTUS HOWELL, New Jersey Society, died March 12, 1923.  
 BURT P. HOYER, Empire State Society, died August 3, 1922.  
 E. FELLOWS JENKINS, Empire State Society, died May 16, 1923.  
 HENRY PHINEAS JONES, New Jersey Society, died March 17, 1923.  
 RILEY L. JONES, Michigan Society, died April 25, 1923.  
 FRANK W. KENT, New Jersey Society, died February 27, 1923.  
 JACOB F. KIRK, Pennsylvania Society, died March 27, 1923.  
 ADDISON ALEXANDER LINDSLEY, Oregon Society, died April 13, 1923.  
 GEORGE WELSH LOOMIS, Empire State Society, died November 8, 1922.  
 HENRY W. LYON, Connecticut Society, died January 24, 1923.  
 EDWARD CARRINGTON MAYO, Virginia Society, died September 4, 1922.  
 CHARLES H. MEKEEL, Pennsylvania Society, died October 13, 1921.  
 ALBERT MORRIS, Empire State Society, died March 20, 1923.  
 JOHN GRAHAM MOSELEY, Massachusetts Society, died February 14, 1923.  
 ADRIAN JAMES MUZZY, Connecticut Society, died January 2, 1923.  
 WILLIAM F. OSBORNE, Empire State Society, died April 13, 1923.  
 JONATHAN RIDER PHELPS, Empire State Society, died March 20, 1923.  
 WALTER POND, Connecticut Society, died January 12, 1923.  
 CHARLES C. ROYCE, District of Columbia Society, died February 11, 1923.  
 CHARLES P. SANDERS, Empire State Society, died June 1, 1923.  
 THOMAS H. SIMPSON, Michigan Society, died May 9, 1923.  
 ELMER ELLSWORTH SPENCER, Connecticut Society, died July 9, 1922.  
 CARLYLE E. SUTPHEN, New Jersey Society, died March 7, 1923.  
 LOT O. SWEETLAND, Oregon Society, died April 9, 1923.  
 STEPHEN A. THAYER, Illinois Society, died May —, 1923.  
 PAUL FITZHUGH THORNTON, Texas Society, died March 7, 1923.  
 GEORGE NEWTON TILLMAN, Tennessee Society, died May 15, 1923.  
 HORACE ABRAM TOMPKINS, Pennsylvania Society, died February 10, 1923.  
 JOHN C. WARD, Illinois Society, died February —, 1923.  
 PAUL WEGEFORTH, California Society, died March 29, 1923.  
 CHARLES M. WILLIAMS, Empire State Society, died May 14, 1922.  
 DEMICK WILLIS G. WISER, Connecticut Society, died April 19, 1923.  
 MICHAEL CARNAHAN ZAHNISER, Pennsylvania Society, died March 10, 1923.

**RECORDS OF 320 NEW MEMBERS AND 108 SUPPLEMENTALS APPROVED AND ENROLLED BY THE REGISTRAR GENERAL FROM MARCH 1, 1923, TO JUNE 1, 1923.**

- CHARLES ELMER ADAMS, Grand Junction, Colo. (36349). Son of William Chauncey and Amy (Morris) Adams; grandson of Samuel and Orra Ann (—) Adams; great-grandson of *John Bradford Adams*, private, Fourth Co., Col. Israel Putnam's Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- CARLOS D. AINGER, Cleveland, Ohio (38088). Son of Charles D. and Myra (Barber) Ainger; grandson of Amherst H. and Rhoda (Drake) Barber; great-grandson of *Lory Drake*, private, Fifth Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Line.
- GEORGE OLIVER ALEXANDER, Stanton, Tenn. (38389). Son of Oliver and Martha Gertrude (Stanley) Alexander; grandson of I. N. and Mary Louise (McMaben) Stanley; great-grandson of W. V. and Cathrine (Hill) McMaben; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Nancy (Peebles) Hill; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Green Hill*, Member Halifax, N. C., Provincial Congress and Second Major North Carolina Light Horse.
- REGINALD W. ALEXANDER, Orange, N. J. (38240). Son of William H. and Esmorald A. (Waldron) Alexander; grandson of Henry Peter and Mary A. (Harris) Waldron; great-grandson of Russell D. and Rebecca (Carl) Harris; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Squire Harris*, private, New Jersey Militia.
- JOHN HOWARD ALLEN, Lieutenant-Colonel U. S. Army (Tenn. 38392). Son of John Douglas and Clarissa Van Horn (Burford) Allen; grandson of David and Elizabeth W. (Alexander) Burford; great-grandson of Richard and Nancy (Cunningham) Alexander; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Alexander (Rowan Bill)*, Captain of North Carolina Volunteer Spies and in Col. Wade Hampton's South Carolina Cavalry, pensioned.
- ALBERT BOSWELL ALSOP, Richmond, Va. (36565). Son of Boswell and Maria T. (Pollard) Alsop; grandson of Benjamin and Camilla M. (Price) Pollard; great-grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth (Dowell) Price; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Price*, Captain, Hanover County, Va., Militia, and provision commissary, pensioned.
- BENJAMIN POLLARD ALSOP, Richmond, Va. (36566). Same as Albert Boswell Alsop, Va. (36565).
- MARK PERCIVAL ANDREWS, Montclair, N. J. (38482). Son of Mark and Ellen (Clark) Andrews; grandson of Josiah and Lucy (Frazer) Andrews; great-grandson of *Mark Andrews*, private, Massachusetts Militia.
- HARRIS LYON AWL, Duquesne, Pa. (38367). Son of John Loughry and Mary (Rogers) Awl; grandson of William Maclay and Rebecca (Loughry) Awl; great-grandson of Samuel and Mary (Maclay) Awl; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Maclay*, Assistant Commissary Cont'l Army, Member Pennsylvania Assembly and Supreme Executive Council.
- FRANK PERCY AYER, Bangor, Me. (38184). Son of James Curtis and Mary Armine (Bennett) Ayer; grandson of John Perkins and Armine (Whitten) Bennett; great-grandson of Simon Jordan and Mary B. (Pike) Whitten; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Richard Whitten*, private, Col. Joseph Prime's Regt., York County, Massachusetts Militia.
- LEWIS HENRY BADGER, Fairmont, Nebr. (37000). Son of Henry Lewis and Mary Azubah (Phelps) Badger; grandson of William and Jane (Watt) Phelps; great-grandson of *Edward Phelps*, private, Eighth Co., First Regt., Connecticut Train Band.
- AMBROSE MOODY BAILEY, Wash. (30312). Supplemental. Son of Orange James and Louisa Burr Robbins (Porter) Bailey; grandson of Amos and Mary (Abbot) Bailey; great-grandson of *Bancroft Abbot*, private, Col. Timothy Bedell's Regt., New Hampshire Troops, widow pensioned.
- WILLIAM EDGAR BAILEY, Lisbon, N. H. (36263). Son of John Martin and Sarah (Brown) Bailey; grandson of Zalmon and Hannah (Martin) Bailey; great-grandson of Timothy and Hannah (Clifford) Bailey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Timothy Bailey*, private and Ensign, Col. Bedell's and Col. Nicholl's Regts., New Hampshire Militia.
- ALBERT BREWER BAKER, Md. (34991). Supplemental. Son of Henry Fenimore and Cora (Warman) Baker; grandson of Milton and Henrietta (Boozer) Baker; great-grandson of William and Susanna Pettinger (Maxwell) Boozer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Rachel

(Fenimore) Boozer; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Fenimore (Fenemore)*, Artificer, Flower's Pennsylvania Cont'l Artillery, and Matross, Fourth Regt. Con'tl Artillery.

HENRY FENIMORE BAKER, JR., Md. (34992). Supplemental. Same as Albert Brewer Baker, Md. (34991).

EVELYN BRIGGS BALDWIN, Washington, D. C. (38013). Son of Elias Briggs and Julia Cornelia (Crampton) Baldwin; grandson of Jacob and Abigail (Briggs) Baldwin; great-grandson of Elisha and Jimema (Ryder) Baldwin, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Elisha Baldwin*, private, Seventh Regt., Duchess County, New York Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Elisha and Elizabeth (Cornwell) Baldwin; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Daniel Cornwell*, private, Seventh Regt., Duchess County, New York Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joshua and Fanny (Pugsley) Ryder; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *William Pugsley*, private, Sixth Regt., Duchess County, New York Militia; grandson of Nathaniel and Lucy Hart (Dudley) Crampton; great-grandson of David and Julia (Davis) Crampton, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David and Rachel (Stone) Crampton; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Crampton*, private, Guilford, Connecticut Seacoast Guards; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Seth Stone*, private, Connecticut Militia, pensioned; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Solomon Davis (III)*, private, East Haven, Connecticut Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Solomon Davis (II)*, private, Connecticut Militia, Corporal on Galley "Shark"; great-grandson of Jedediah and Charlotte (Cowles, or Cole) Dudley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *David Cowles (Cole)*, private, Col. Wolcott's Connecticut Regt. at Boston, Minute Man at Danbury Raid; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David and Eunice Treat (Paine) Cowles (Cole); great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Abner Paine*, private, Col. Sprout's Massachusetts Regt., at Rhode Island Alarm.

WILLIAM H. BARBER, Cleveland, Ohio (38089). Son of Charles H. and Clementina (Parsons) Barber; grandson of Henry and Emily Terry (Osborn) Barber; great-grandson of George and Betty (Wolcott) Barber; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Noah Barber*, Lieutenant, Eleventh Co., Nineteenth Regt., Connecticut Troops.

LE ROY HANSON BARNARD, Washington D. C. (38014). Son of Harry F. and Emma (Belfield) Barnard; grandson of Le Roy and Mary E. (Spilman) Belfield; great-grandson of Thomas Meriwethe and Francis (Santord) Belfield; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Thomas Wright and Anne H. (Beale) Belfield; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Belfield*, Captain and Major, First and Third Virginia Cont'l Dragoons.

EDGAR ALLAN BARRY, Minneapolis, Minn. (38309). Son of William Palmer and Henrietta (Dorman) Barry; grandson of John and Sarah (Palmer) Barry (Berry); great-grandson of *Jonathan Berry (Barry)*, private, Lincoln County, Massachusetts Militia.

JOSEPH HENRY BATCHELDER, Peoria, Ill. (37891). Son of Mark Daniel and Mary Alvina (Williams) Batchelder; grandson of James Henry and Phebe Hannah (Gove) Batchelder; great-grandson of Mark and Mary (Martin) Batchelder; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Nathaniel and Martha (Duncklee) Batchelder; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Batchelder*, private, New Hampshire Militia and Second Regt., Cont'l Troops.

JAMES HARRIS BAUGHMAN, Danville, Ky. (38576). Son of Samuel and Sally Wallace (Harris) Baughman; grandson of James Anderson and Susan (Taylor) Harris; great-grandson of Christopher and Sally (Wallace) Harris; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Margaret (Maupin) Harris; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Christopher Harris*, private, Albemarle County, Virginia Militia.

ALFRED HOLMES BEACH, Minneapolis, Minn. (38318). Son of Middleton Sumner and Elnora Cynthia (Smith) Beach; grandson of Hatten Middleton and Mary (Bow) Beach; great-grandson of Noah H. and Eunice (Cooley) Beach; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Mary (—) Beach; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Gershom Beach*, private and Armourer, Vermont Militia.

HARRY BEAL, New Bedford, Mass. (38447). Son of Joseph and Helen Clymena (Clark) Beal; grandson of Hiram R. and Sophia O. (Wilcox) Clark; great-grandson of Sanford and Clymena Allen (Hunt) Wilcox; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Charles and Jerusha (Newcomb) Hunt; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Daniel Newcomb*, Lieutenant, Fifth Regt., Hampshire County, Massachusetts Militia, Member Committee of Correspondence.

HENRY LEE BEECHER, New Ulen, Minn. (38316). Son of Hezekiah and Pauline Eugenia (Morrison) Beecher; grandson of Abraham and Harriet (Wooding) Beecher; great-grandson of *Hezekiah Beecher*, private, Connecticut Militia, at Lexington Alarm.

- WARREN SYLVANUS BELLOWES, Oklahoma City, Okla. (35247). Son of George Elihu and Stella (Ferris) Bellows; grandson of Warren Smith and Edith Alvord (Smith) Bellows; great-grandson of Jesse and Betsy (Smith) Bellows; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Elhu and Sarah (Phelps) Bellows; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jesse Bellows*, private, Col. Woodbridge's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- GEORGE HENCH BERNHEISEL, Hartsdale, N. Y. (38413). Son of Samuel Herman and Anna Rachel (Hench) Bernheisel; grandson of Solomon and Hannah (Dunkleberger) Bernheisel; great-grandson of *John Bernheisel*, private, Fifth Regt., Berks County, Pennsylvania Militia; great-grandson of John and Catherine (Sunday) Dunkleberger; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Clemens Dunkleberger*, private, Berks County, Pennsylvania Militia; great-grandson of John and Catherine (Loy) Bernheisel; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Michael Loy*, private, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- EDWARD I. BERRY, Merchantville, N. J. (38488). Son of Francis H. and Harriet (Irwin) Berry; grandson of Daniel and Louisa (Haskell) Berry; great-grandson of Merrill and Hannah (Brackett) Berry; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Peter Brackett*, private, Cumberland County, Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- LEON MEREDITH BETTS, Washington, D. C. (38015). Son of Frank F. and Florence Grant (Stillman) Betts; grandson of Edwin Amos and Jane (Craig) Stillman; great-grandson of Amos and Susanna Sumner (Trench) Stillman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Amos Stillman*, Ensign, Fourth Co., Hopkinton, Rhode Island Militia.
- STEPHEN TAYLOR BEVERIDGE, Richmond, Va. (36567). Son of John Williams and Lucinda (Carter) Beveridge; grandson of Thomas Francis and Frances (Greene) Carter; great-grandson of *Robert Carter*, private, Fourteenth Regt., Virginia Cont'l Troops.
- GEORGE FREDERICK BLACKIE, Nashville, Tenn. (38381). Son of George S. and Marie E. (Cheatham) Blackie; grandson of Leonard and Elizabeth D. (Robertson) Cheatham; great-grandson of Jonathan Friar and Ciddy (Davis) Robertson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Robertson*, Captain, Washington County, Virginia Militia.
- LOUIS L. BLAUVELT, Newark, N. J. (38241). Son of Jacob E. and Mary Elizabeth (Clapp) Blauvelt; grandson of William Henry and Hester (Patterson) Clapp; great-grandson of John K. and Christine (Acker) Clapp; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Acker*, private, Westchester County, New York Militia, and Cont'l Troops; grandson of John Tallman and Susan B. (Coe) Blauvelt; great-grandson of Jacob I. and Maria (Van Houten) Blauvelt; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Isaac Abraham and Martha (Onderdonk) Blauvelt; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Rem Onderdonk*, private, Orange County, New York Land Bounty Rights; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Roelof and Helanah (Tallman) Van Houten; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Resolvort Van Houten*, Lieutenant, Orange County, New York Militia.
- HERBERT CHARLES BLISS, Attleboro, Mass. (38430). Son of Charles E. and Sarah H. (Newcomb) Bliss; grandson of Zeba and Lepha (Peck) Bliss; great-grandson of *Oliver Peck*, private, Rehoboth, Massachusetts Militia.
- RALPH WAGENER BLIVEN, San Francisco, Calif. (38159). Son of Samuel Nelson and Katherine (Wagener) Bliven; grandson of Samuel and Mary (—) Bliven; great-grandson of George and Vashiti (Gavitt) Bliven; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Edward Bliven*, Captain, Col. Joseph Noyes' Regt., Rhode Island Militia, died on prison ship "Jersey."
- ALVA EGBERT BOATRIGHT, Chicago, Ill. (37892). Son of George Wesley and Nannie Jane (Keeney) Boatright; grandson of Egbert Garnet and Terese Ann (Oldaker) Boatright; great-grandson of Isaac W. and Eliza Barnes (Russell) Oldaker; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Russell*, Matross, Col. Charles Harrison's Regt., Virginia Cont'l Artillery
- FRANK PERRYMAN BOLTON, Alexandria, La. (38121). Son of George H. and Tennessee (Wade) Bolton; grandson of Elisha Perryman and Eliza (Burbridge) Bolton; great-grandson of *Matthew Bolton*, private, Virginia Militia; grandson of Absalom and Malinda Kennedy (Porter) Wade; great-grandson of William and Hannah (Kennedy) Porter; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Sarah (Purcell) Porter; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *William Porter*, Captain, Second Battalion, Chester County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- WILLIAM GOODYEAR BOND, Holly Oak, Del. (35671). Son of William Vinton and Alice Saxton (Goodyear) Bond; grandson of John and Caroline (Fleppard) Goodyear; great-grandson of John and Anna (Burkholder) Goodyear; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Ludwick Goodyear*, private, Col. George Feather's Regt., Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia.

- CHARLES LEWMAN BOTTORFF, New Iberia, La. (Ky. 36548). Son of Edmond M. and Mary Ann (Lewman) Bottorff; grandson of Samuel and Susan Ann (Beadle) Bottorff; great-grandson of Henry and Catherine (Hikes) Bottorff; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Henry Bottorff*, Ensign, Berks County, Pennsylvania Militia; grandson of John and Mary (Grisemer) Lewman; great-grandson of Moses and Elizabeth (Cash) Lewman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Cash*, private, Fourth Battalion, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Lewman*, Sergeant, Sixth Regt., Pennsylvania Con't Line; great-grandson of Jacob and Mary (Treichler) Grisemer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jacob Grisemer*, Second Lieutenant, Col. Hunter's Battalion, Berks County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- HAROLD HUBBARD BOURNE, Kennebunk, Me. (38185). Son of Herbert E. and Marcia Antonette (Jordan) Bourne; grandson of Edward Emerson and Mary Russell (Nason) Bourne; great-grandson of Edward Emerson and Mary (Gilpatric) Bourne; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Bourne*, private, Capt. Sawyer's Co., York County, Massachusetts Militia.
- HAROLD KING BOWEN, Iowa (35608). Supplementals. Son of William Walker and Lydia May (King) Bowen; grandson of David Wood and Lydia Ann (Hall) King; great-grandson of William and Persis (Wood) King; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David and Abigail (Keep) Merrick Wood; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Stephen Wood*, private, Hampshire County, Massachusetts Militia; great-grandson of Phineas and Lydia (Huntley) Hall; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Stephen Russell and Hannah (Wilson) Hall; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jesse Wilson*, Captain, Col. Moses Nichol's Regt., New Hampshire Militia.
- FRANK M. BRADBURY, Richmond, Va. (36568). Son of Charles M. and Cora L. (Lafferty) Bradbury; grandson of John W. and Anne Eliza (Wells) Bradbury; great-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Leighton) Bradbury; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Mirriam (Fernald) Leighton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Leighton*, private, York County, Massachusetts Militia, at Siege of Boston, and Selectman of town of Kittery.
- EDWARD WILD BRADFORD, Washington, D. C. (38019). Son of Laurence and Hattie Homans (Phipps) Bradford; grandson of Joseph Hobson and Laura Matilda (Wild) Phipps; great-grandson of Charles and Mary Joanna (Rhodes) Wild; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William Nehemiah and Mary T. (Jenckes) Rhodes; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Jenckes*, Member Rhode Island General Assembly, Council of War, Committee of Safety, and other War Committees.
- CHARLES ELMER BRAINARD, Somerville, Mass. (38144). Son of James Sidney and Lucy Fuller (Chase) Brainard; grandson of James Smith and Maria (Cone) Brainard; great-grandson of *Robert Cone*, private, Col. Henry Shelburne's Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- WILLIAM WALKER BRAINARD, New York City, N. Y. (38218). Son of Frank and Esther (Silver) Brainard; grandson of Calvin Cone and Sophia (Fitch) Brainard; great-grandson of David and Marcia (Porter) Fitch; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Haynes Fitch*, private, Capt. Jabez Gregory's Co., Connecticut Militia; great-grandson of John and Anna (Cone) Brainerd; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Henry and Mary Hosmer (Bidwell) Brainerd; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Phineas Brainard*, Haddam Deputy to Connecticut Assembly of '76.
- ROSCOE HARP BRANE, Dayton, Ohio (38095). Son of C. I. B. and Clara M. (Harp) Brane; grandson of Henry and Margaret (Lauman) Brane; great-grandson of *Jacob Lauman (Lowman)*, private, Lieutenant-Colonel Abram Hubley's Regt., Pennsylvania Troops, pensioned.
- LEON THOMAS BRANHAM, Minneapolis, Minn. (38310). Son of Delaney Ezra and Nettie Irene (—) Branham; grandson of Jessie Vawter and Mollie (Stark) Branham, Jr.; great-grandson of Jessie Vawter and Mary (Butler) Branham; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Frances (Vawter) Branham; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Jesse and Elizabeth (Watts) Vawter; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *David Vawter*, private, Col. George Gibson's First Regt., Virginia State Troops.
- ALEXANDER WALTON BREINGAN, New York City, N. Y. (38404). Son of Alexander Smillie and Elizabeth Stephens (Walton) Breingan; grandson of William Marsh and Frances Cordelia (Stephens) Walton; great-grandson of Isaac and Prudence (Webster) Walton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Walton*, private, Bucks County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- HARRY C. BRENTON, Clarion, Iowa (37664). Son of Archibald Glenn and Lydia Ann (Weems) Brenton; grandson of James Baird and Elizabeth (Glenn) Brenton; great-

- grandson of Henry and Esther (Baird) Brenton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Brenton (Brinton)*, Major, Monongahela, Virginia Militia.
- ALBERT NEWTON BRIGGS, East Grand Forks, Minn. (N. D. 38651). Son of Albert Newton and Maria (Andrews) Briggs; grandson of Newton and Lucena (Stephens) Briggs; great-grandson of *Zephaniah Briggs*, Lieutenant, Ninth Co., Fifth Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Troops.
- FREDERICK BRINGHURST, Wilmington, Del. (35672). Son of John Richardson and Elizabeth (Tatnall) Bringhurst; grandson of Joseph and Sarah (Richardson) Tatnall; great-grandson of Edward and Margery (Paxson) Tatnall; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Tatnall*, Delaware patriot and miller who furnished flour to the Army.
- EUGENE CLIFFORD BRISON, Newark, N. J. (38242). Son of James W. and Martha L. (Cole) Brison; grandson of William and Hannah A. (Biddle) Cole; great-grandson of John and Hannah (Van Dyke) Biddle; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Aaron Biddle*, Captain, First Battalion, Salem County, New Jersey Militia.
- WILLIAM AVERY BRODHEAD, Hailey, Idaho (35118). Son of William H. and Eliza (Avery) Brodhead; grandson of William and Susannah (Coolbaugh) Brodhead; great-grandson of Richard and Hannah (Drake) Brodhead; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Garret Brodhead*, Ensign, Northampton County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- CHARLES E. BROSSMAN, Columbus, Ohio (38081). Son of John H. and Rebecca Irene (Brown) Brossman; grandson of Joseph and Rebecca L. (Foster) Brown; great-grandson of Job and Hannah (Packard) Foster; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Foster*, private, New Hampshire Militia, pensioned.
- EDWIN CLINTON BROWN, Mansfield, Ohio (38122). Son of James Newton and Mary Jane (Crittenden) Brown; grandson of George and Rebecca (McLaughlin) Brown; great-grandson of James and Mary (Sellars) McLaughlin; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John McLaughlin*, private, Bucks County, Pennsylvania Militia, and Trooper, Col. Marlberry's and Col. Dixon's Regts., North Carolina Troops.
- HAROLD CANT BROWN, Buffalo, N. Y. (38403). Son of Henry Morris and Rosalia A. (Cant) Brown; grandson of Daniel and Catherine A. (Bagley) Brown; great-grandson of George and Eliza (Smith) Brown; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Brown*, Lieutenant, Col. Jacob Stafford's Regt., Massachusetts Volunteers.
- IRVING L. BROWN, Chicago, Ill. (38455). Son of Francis L. and Blanche (McFarlane) Brown; grandson of William and Margaret (Hanna) McFarlane; great-grandson of Samuel and Susan (Miles) Hanna; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (—) Miles; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Miles*, Ensign, First Battalion, Chester County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- OLIVER FRANKLIN BROWN, New Bedford, Mass. (38439). Son of Oliver Hazard Perry and Mary Penfield (Hathaway) Brown; grandson of Ephraim and Mary Robeson (Penfield) Hathaway; great-grandson of Eleazar and Anna (Pope) Hathaway; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Eleazar Hathaway*, Captain, Twelfth Co., Second Regt., Bristol County, Massachusetts Militia.
- LEEMON RICHARD BROWNE, Cranford, N. J. (N. Y. 38406). Son of Enos C. and Charlotte Catherine (Curtis) Browne; grandson of Philander C. and Ann Elizabeth (Medrell) Curtis; great-grandson of Carlos and Polly (Sample) Curtis; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Philo and Huldah (Hubbell) Curtis; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Curtis, Jr.*, private, Col. Samuel Elmore's Regt., Connecticut State Troops.
- JOHN STEWART BRYAN, Richmond, Va. (36562). Son of Joseph and Isobel (Stewart) Bryan; grandson of John Randolph and Elizabeth Tucker (Coalter) Bryan; great-grandson of Joseph and Delia (Froman) Bryan; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Josiah and Elizabeth (Pendarvis) Bryan; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Bryan*, Member Georgia Provincial Congress of '75 and of Council of Safety, prisoner.
- GEORGE MACLAREN BRYDON, Richmond, Va. (36569). Son of Robert and Ellen Page (Dame) Brydon; grandson of George Washington and Mary Maria (Page) Dame; great-grandson of Carter and Lucy (Nelson) Page; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Nelson*, Signer of Declaration of Independence, Governor of Virginia, and Major-General of Militia.
- HAROLD F. BUDINGTON, Springfield, Mass. (38431). Son of Justin L. and Ida Bertha (Van Aken) Budington; grandson of Henry Aaron and Zadel (Barnes) Budington;



- great-grandson of Aaron Olmsted and Annie (McClure) Budington; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Budington*, Master of Connecticut Brigantine "Favourite"; grandson of Cornelius Du Bois and Barbara Caroline (Dibble) Van Aken; great-grandson of Bowdewine and Jane C. (Ekert) Van Aken; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Abraham and Catherine (Terpenning) Van Aken; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Pieter Van Aken*, private, Ulster County, New York Militia.
- LE ROY NEWTON BUNCE, Omaha, Nebr. (36999). Son of Grosvenor George and Jenny Maria (Hupp) Bunce; grandson of Charles William and Sabrey Maria (Dowd) Bunce; great-grandson of Isaac and Anna (Sherwood) Bunce; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Bunce*, private, Woodbury, Connecticut Militia.
- HENRY PROCTOR BURT, New Bedford, Mass. (38448). Son of Samuel Proctor and Amanda Almy (Taber) Burt; grandson of Daniel Crane and Susan (Jenney) Burt; great-grandson of Levi and Susanna (Proctor) Jenney (Jenne); great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Levi Jenne*, private, Col. Hathaway's Second Bristol County Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- WARREN CLINTON BURT, New Bedford, Mass. (38145). Son of William Albert and Fannie Estella (Walsh) Burt; grandson of Stephen Albert and Clara Amelia (French) Burt; great-grandson of Stephen Godfrey and Maria (Burt) Burt; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Edmond and Rebecca (Macomber) Burt; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Stephen Burt*, private, Col. Edward Pope's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- ARTHUR DERMONT BUSH, Grand Forks, N. Dak. (36948). Son of William and Mary Amanda (Davis) Bush; grandson of James and Azubah F. (Withington) Davis; great-grandson of Seth and Nabby (Bartlett) Davis; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Bartlett, 2nd*, private and wagoner, Col. Timothy Bigelow's Regt., Massachusetts Continental Troops.
- CHARLES EGNER CABELL, Guilford, Surrey, Eng. (La. 38117). Son of Robert Hervey and Lillian (Egner) Cabell; grandson of Robert Hervey and Alice (Oliver) Cabell; great-grandson of Edward Blair and Harriet Forbes (Monroe) Cabell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Pocahontas Rebecca (Bolling) Cabell, Jr.; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Cabell*, Colonel, Virginia Militia.
- ROBERT HERVEY CABELL, Guilford, Surrey, Eng. (La. 38118). Son of Robert Hervey and Alice (Oliver) Cabell; grandson of Edward Blair and Harriet Forbes (Monroe) Cabell; great-grandson of Joseph and Pocahontas Rebecca (Bolling) Cabell, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Cabell*, Colonel, Virginia Militia.
- ROBERT HERVEY CABELL, JR., Paris, France (La. 38119). Same as Charles Egner Cabell (La. 38117).
- ROBERT MASON CADMAN, Summit, N. J. (38232). Son of Robert and Nellie (Hills) Cadman; grandson of Augustus Utley and Mari Anna (—) Hills; great-grandson of Jacob and Mary (—) Hills; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Elijah Hills*, private, Col. Moseley's and Col. Belden's Regts., Connecticut Militia.
- WILLIAM H. CAMFIELD, Newark, N. J. (38233). Son of William Henry and Anna J. (Krumeich) Camfield; grandson of David James and Catherine (Mead) Camfield; great-grandson of Jabez and Elizabeth (Johnson) Camfield; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Abiel Camfield*, Quartermaster, New Jersey Troops.
- JOHN CARGILL, Chicago, Ill. (37893). Son of William and Harriet Shaw (Rose) Cargill; grandson of Solomon and Mary (Adams) Rose; great-grandson of Ebenezer and Marcie (Rose) Adams; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Ebenezer Adams*, Captain, Col. Elliott's Regt., Rhode Island Artillery.
- ARTHUR JAY CARRUTH, Kansas (36741). Supplementals. Son of Uri and Lucy Ann (Robinson) Carruth; grandson of Levi and Lucy (Hager) Carruth; great-grandson of *James Carruth*, private, Col. Nathan Sparhawk's Regt., Massachusetts Militia; great-grandson of *John Hager*, private, Col. Spooner's and Col. Putnam's Regts., Massachusetts Militia; grandson of Ira and Polly (Kibbee) Robinson; great-grandson of Ambrose and Sallie (Belknap) Kibbee; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Moses Belknap*, private, Col. Peter Olcott's Regt., Vermont Militia.
- THOMAS ARCHIBALD CARY, JR., Richmond, Va. (36570). Son of Thomas Archibald and Maria B. (Abert) Cary; grandson of John Baytop and Columbia (Hudgins) Cary; great-grandson of Gill Armistead and Sally (Baytop) Cary; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Cary*, Captain, Elizabeth City, Va., Militia and Member Committee of Safety.

- CHARLES SILAS CHAMPLIN, Baldwinsville, N. Y. (38414). Son of Albert Benton and Ruth Wood (Ellsworth) Champlin; grandson of Hallam C. and Annie B. (Hitchcock) Champlin; great-grandson of Pownal and Sally A. (Knowlton) Hitchcock; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Elijah Hitchcock*, private, Massachusetts Militia at Lexington Alarm; grandson of Nathan and Arksah (Carpenter) Ellsworth; great-grandson of Hezekiah and Lousana (Loomis) Ellsworth; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Reuben Loomis*, private, Connecticut Militia.
- DAVID CAMPBELL CHAPLIN, Sewickley, Pa. (38357). Son of James Crossan and Fanny (Campbell) Chaplin; grandson of James Crossan and Martha (Harris) Chaplin; great-grandson of William Craig and Sarah Jane (Crossan) Chaplin; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Huntington and Harriet (Craig) Chaplin; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Isaac Craig*, Lieutenant on battleship "Andrew Doria" and Captain and Major, Col. Thomas Proctor's Regt., Pennsylvania Continental Artillery.
- CHARLES MCCOY CLARK, Globe Gila County, Ariz. (36605). Son of Russel Erskin and Sarah Philena (Howland) Clark; grandson of Lucius and Mary (Polly) (Childs) Howland; great-grandson of Eliphaz and Ruth (Gibbs) Childs; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Timothy Childs*, Captain, Deerfield, Mass. Militia.
- ROBERT CRAWFORD, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38359). Son of James P. and Mary (McClintock) Crawford; grandson of William and Elizabeth (Rea) Crawford; great-grandson of John and Salome (Jennings) Crawford; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Crawford*, Captain, Virginia Militia.
- JAMES CROSSAN CHAPLIN III, Sewickley, Pa. (38358). Same as David Campbell Chaplin, Pa. (38357).
- CAROLUS THOMAS CLARK, Westfield, N. J. (38479). Son of Salter Storrs and Caroline M. (Goddard) Clark; grandson of James Edward and Catherine (Jennings) Goddard; great-grandson of Hezekiah and Eunice (Rathbone) Goddard; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Daniel Goddard*, Lieutenant, Sixth Regt., Worcester County, Massachusetts Militia.
- JOSEPH HENRY CLINE, Chicago, Ill. (38456). Son of Henry Miller and Mary (Shepherd) Cline; grandson of Michael and — (—) Cline; great-grandson of *Philip Kline* (Cline), private and Corporal, Berks County, Penna. Militia and German Regt.
- LOGAN COATES, Memphis, Tenn. (Ind. 38281). Son of J. Edward and Eliza (Hart) Coates; grandson of John and Sarah (Sallie) (Yeates) Coates; great-grandson of *John Coates, Sr.*, private, Spotsylvania County, Virginia Militia, pensioned; great-grandson of *John Yeates*, Lieutenant, Col. Thomas Marshall's Regt., Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- WINFIELD SCOTT SCHLEY COCKEY, Cockeyville, Md. (37694). Son of Joshua Frederick and Anna (Bussey) Cockey; grandson of Clement and Mary Ridgely (Cockey) Bussey; great-grandson of Henry Green and Elizabeth (Harris) Bussey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Bennett Bussey*, Captain, Col. Hall's Battalion, Maryland Flying Camp.
- DON BYRON COLTON, Vernal, Utah (37556). Son of Sterling D. and Nancy (A—) Colton; grandson of Philander and Polly Matilda (Merrell) Colton; great-grandson of Charles and Polly (Jones) Colton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Eli Colton*, private, Hampshire County Regts., Massachusetts Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Colton*, drummer, Col. Rufus Putnam's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- LEWIS COMPTON, Perth Amboy, N. J. (38234). Son of James L. and Emma (De Bow) Compton; grandson of George Alfred and Emma Eugenia (Disosway) Compton; great-grandson of Lewis and Abigail (Golding) Compton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Compton*, private, First Regt., New Jersey Cont'l Line.
- DONALD RICHMOND COMSTOCK, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38219). Son of Herbert Courtney and Stella Louise (Fullerton) Comstock; grandson of Thomas Anthony and Bertha Edith (Giles) Comstock; great-grandson of Samuel and Catherine (Clock) Comstock; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Abijah Comstock*, Member Connecticut Militia at Tryon's Invasion and Member Committees on procuring provisions and clothing; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Johnathan Clock*, private, Col. Waterbury's and Col. Elmore's Regts., Connecticut Militia.
- HERBERT COURTNEY COMSTOCK, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38220). Son of Thomas Anthony and Bertha Edith (Giles) Comstock; grandson of Samuel and Catherine (Clock) Comstock; great-grandson of *Abijah Comstock*, Member Connecticut Militia at Tryon's Invasion and Member Committees on procuring provisions and clothing; great-grandson of *Johnathan Clock*, private, Col. Waterbury's and Col. Elmore's Regts., Connecticut Militia.

- HERBERT COURTNEY COMSTOCK, JR., Brooklyn, N. Y. (38221). Same as Donald Richmond Comstock, N. Y. (38219).
- FRANKLN THOMAS CONDIT, Newark, N. J. (38492). Son of Franklin I. and Mary J. (Thomas) Condit; grandson of Israel B. and Susan R. (Butler) Condit; great-grandson of Samuel Wheeler and Sarah (Brundage) Condit; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joel and Sarah (Wheeler) Condit; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Daniel Condit*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia, Second Establishment State Troops and in Cont'l Line.
- CLIFTON HOVEY CORNISH, New Bedford, Mass. (38437). Son of Ivory S. and Frances S. (Perkins) Cornish; grandson of Spooner and Ruth (Hovey) Cornish; great-grandson of Aaron and Sarah (Griffiths) Hovey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Dominicus Hovey*, Lieutenant, Plymouth County, Massachusetts Militia and Cont'l Troops.
- GEORGE MALTBY COWAN, Pa. (29641). Supplemental. Son of Andrew Jackson and Jane W. (Smith) Cowan; grandson of William and Catherine (McIntosh) Cowan; great-grandson of *Henry Cowan*, private, Fourteenth Regt., Virginia Troops.
- FLOYD GUY CRANDELL, Toledo, Ohio (38092). Son of Theodore and Laura Ely (Benton) Crandell; grandson of Youngs Elliot and Mary Ann (Ely) Benton; great-grandson of John and Mary (Lord) Ely; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Seth Ely*, Captain, Third Co., Third Regt., Connecticut State Troops.
- JOHN CARR CRENSHAW, Hartsville, Tenn. (38378). Son of James C. and Clarissa (Brevard) Crenshaw; grandson of Alfred and Mary (Alexander) Brevard; great-grandson of *John Brevard, Jr.*, Lieutenant, Ninth Regt., North Carolina Cont'l Line, Delegate to Halifax Constitutional Convention.
- GEORGE WASHINGTON CRITCHLOW, Meadville, Pa. (38368). Son of Thomas and Eliza (Dodds) Critchlow; grandson of John and Sophia (Gray) Critchlow; great-grandson of *William Critchlow*, private, Capt. Lusk's Co., Pennsylvania Frontier Rangers.
- PAUL, NISBET CRITCHLOW, Seweckley, Pa. (38369). Son of George Washington and Felicia (Nisbet) Critchlow; grandson of Thomas and Eliza (Dodds) Critchlow; great-grandson of John and Sophia (Gray) Critchlow; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Critchlow*, private, Capt. Lusk's Co., Pennsylvania Frontier Rangers.
- GEORGE IRWING CROLIUS, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38407). Son of John Austin and Sarah Elizabeth (Whitney) Crolius; grandson of William Austin and Levinia (Munson) Crolius; great-grandson of William and Jane (De Grove) Crolius; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Crolius*, private, Col. John Lasher's Regt., New York Militia.
- WILLIS ORLANDO CURTISS, Ohio (34146). Supplemental. Son of Orlando F. and Angeline (Lewis) Curtiss; grandson of Samuel B. and Amy (Ferris) Lewis; great-grandson of *John Lewis*, Captain, Col. William Douglas' Connecticut State Regt.
- GOODMAN RICHARD DAVIS, II, New York City, N. Y. (38415). Son of Goodman Richard and Benvenida (Brickner) Davis; grandson of Michael Marks and Miriam (Peixotto) Davis; great-grandson of Daniel Levi Maduro and Rachel (Seixas) Peixotto; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Mendez Seixas*, Officer, New York Militia.
- HARRY ALEXANDER DAVIS, D. C. (38004). Supplementals. Son of David R. W. and Mary T. (Deering) Davis; grandson of David Rogerson Williams and Mary White (Norris) Davis; great-grandson of Henry H. and Elizabeth (—) Davis; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Henry Davis*, Lieutenant, Col. Powell's Regt., Marion County, South Carolina Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Davis*, private, Marion County, South Carolina Militia.
- PAUL GARDNER DAVIS, Ben Avon, Pa. (38360). Son of John Julian and Maud (Frink) Davis; grandson of William M. and Minerva (Jones) Davis; great-grandson of John Leftridge and Ann (Lewis) Jones; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Jones*, Captain, Sixth Regt., Virginia Cont'l Troops.
- JOHN CRANE DAY, Newark, N. J. (38235). Son of Wilbur F. and Sarah Elizabeth (Kinsey) Day; grandson of Samuel L. and Elizabeth (Crane) Day; great-grandson of Stephen and Elizabeth Coe (Wood) Day; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Daniel S. Wood*, Captain, First Regt., Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- EDWARD M. DEANE, Grand Rapids, Mich. (37960). Son of Charles H. and Maria (McReynolds) Deane; grandson of A. F. and Elizabeth Morgan (Brewster) McReynolds; great-grandson of Jonah and Betsey (Belcher) Brewster; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Belcher*, Captain, Gen. Wadsworth's Brigade, Connecticut Cont'l Line.

- CALVIN DECKER DECKER, Minneapolis, Minn. (38311). Son of Jacob Smith and Mary Ann (Smith) Decker; grandson of Calvin and Christina (Smith) Decker; great-grandson of Thomas and Susannah (Shoemaker) Decker; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Henry Shoemaker*, Teamster, Capt. Hallybirt's New Jersey Team Brigade.
- JOHN THOMAS DIBRELL, Capt. U. S. Army, Tenn. (38390). Son of Sydney Stanton and Narcissa (Rhea) Dibrell; grandson of George Gibbs and Mary N. (Leftwich) Dibrell; great-grandson of Anthony and Milly (Carter) Dibrell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Charles Dibrell*, Ensign, Virginia Militia and Convention Guards, pensioned.
- EDWARD-CHAPMAN DOUGLAS, Springfield, Mass. (38146). Son of Edward and Caroline Elizabeth (Chapman) Douglas; grandson of Charles and Elizabeth Hanford (Porter) Chapman; great-grandson of Obadiah and Eliza (Hanford) Porter; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Levi and Mary (Mead) Hanford; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Mead*, Brigadier-General, Fourth Brigade, Connecticut Militia.
- JAMES ALEXANDER DOWDY, Chicago, Ill. (38457). Son of James Hamond and Emma Frances (Runyan) Dowdy; grandson of Gerardus Bennett and Lavina Hertman (Reeve) Runyan; great-grandson of John and Martha (Bennett) Runyan; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Hugh Runyan*, New Jersey Quartermaster.
- JOSEPH BEATTY DOYLE, Ohio (20918). Supplemental. Son of Joseph C. and Eliza Ann (McFeely) Doyle; grandson of Eli H. and Elizabeth (Ward) McFeely; great-grandson of John and Anna (McClellan) Ward; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Alexander McClellan*, Member First Pennsylvania Legislature, Justice of the Peace, and Officer, Westmoreland County Rangers.
- WILLIAM RAYMOND DUNCAN, Chicago, Ill. (37894). Son of William David and Sally Ann (Raymond) Ayres Duncan; grandson of Thomas Bell and Katy (Bunnell) Raymond; great-grandson of *Isaac Raymond*, private, Pennsylvania Cont'l Line.
- EDWIN WESLEY DUNLAVY, Denver, Colo. (36350). Son of Howard Houston and Hannah E. (Oliver) Dunlavy; grandson of John Wesley and Nancy Jane (Straughan) Dunlavy; great-grandson of Francis and Mahala (Steward) Dunlavy; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Daniel and Martha (Yocum) Dunlavy; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Anthony Dunlavy*, private, Frederick County, Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- CHARLES RAYMOND DUNN, Westfield, N. J. (38250). Son of David and Evelyn (Taylor) Dunn; grandson of Isaac H. and Hannah A. (Dunham) Dunn; great-grandson of David and Mary (Holton) Dunn; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joel and Rachel (Runyon) Dunn; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Micajah Dunn*, Lieutenant-Colonel, First Regt., Middlesex County, New Jersey Militia.
- FREDERICK ELI EDMANDS, Springfield, Ill. (37895). Son of Charles Henry and Mary Ellen (Cook) Edmands; grandson of Charles H. and Mahitabel (Barker) Edmands; great-grandson of David and Mercy (Burdette) Edmands, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *David Edmands*, Bombardier and Corporal, Charlestown, Massachusetts Militia; grand-grandson of David and Rebecca (Burdette) Barker; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Burdette (Burditt)*, Second Lieutenant, Col. Wheelock's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- HENRY E. EDWARDS, Jackson, Mich. (37974). Son of Randolph and Harriet M. (Powers) Edwards; grandson of Isaac and Hannah (Foster) Powers; great-grandson of *Isaac Powers*, private, Westford, Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- WILLARD WEBSTER EGGLESTON, Washington, D. C. (Vt. 38029). Son of Romaine James and Mary Elizabeth (Squier) Eggleston; grandson of Eleazer Harwood and Charity Mary (Hathaway) Squier; great-grandson of *Daniel Squier*, Minute Man and Drummer, Connecticut Militia, pensioned; great-grandson of *James Hathaway*, Sergeant, Col. Green's Regt., Rhode Island Cont'l Line, pensioned; grandson of James and Lydia Jackman (Tenney) Eggleston; great-grandson of *Benjamin Tenney*, private, Rowley, Massachusetts Militia for defense of Gloucester Harbor, and of Col. Rufus Putnam's Regt., Cont'l Line.
- EDWARD OWEN ELDRED, Pueblo, Colo. (38551). Son of George and Carrie (Owen) Eldred; grandson of Sylvester and Nancy Jane (Cook) Owen; great-grandson of Jabez Croke and Sarah (Gailey) Owen; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Sally (Croke) Owen; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Croke*, private, Col. Elias Edmond's Regt., Virginia Troops, pensioned.

- JOHN TOWSON ELSROAD, Laurel, Md. (D. C. 38016). Son of John T. and Ella (Hallock) Ellsroad; grandson of Erasmus Darwin and Mary (Latting) Hallock; great-grandson of Warring and Sally Anne (Sperry) Latting; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James and Fannie (Pixley) Sperry; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Isaac Pixley*, private and Captain, Berkshire County, Massachusetts Militia.
- IRWIN C. ELLSWORTH, Orrville, Ohio (38087). Son of Irvin H. and Anna J. (Mawer) Ellsworth; grandson of E. D. and N. J. (Overmyere) Ellsworth; great-grandson of Jacob and M. M. (Hommell) Overmeier; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David and B. (Hockhacker) Overmeier; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John George Overmeier*, Captain, Third and First Battalions, Northumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia, and Member Committee of Safety.
- RALPH CALEB ESTES, Attleboro, Mass. (38432). Son of Frank C. and Nellie F. (Bradbury) Estes; grandson of Joseph W. and Laura J. (Huntress) Bradbury; great-grandson of Aaron and Jemima (Sampson) Huntress; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Sampson*, private, Col. Jacobs' Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- CHESTER WILLIAM EVANS, San Francisco, Calif. (38162). Son of Chester Hepburn and Margaret Wallace (Craib) Evans; grandson of Chester Burke and Clara (Hepburn) Evans; great-grandson of James and Rebecca (Cowden) Hepburn; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Hepburn*, Captain of Fort Muncy, Pennsylvania Militia.
- SAMUEL DICKEN EWART, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38370). Son of William McKibben and Alice N. (Dicken) Ewart; grandson of Samuel and Mary (Brackenridge) Ewart; great-grandson of Alexander and Mary (Porter) Brackenridge; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Hugh Henry Brackenridge*, Chaplain, Pennsylvania Troops.
- LEWIS MEAD FAGELEY, East Orange, N. J. (38493). Son of Warren C. and Juliete M. (Mead) Fageley; grandson of Lewis Walter and Juliete M. (Worden) Mead; great-grandson of Norman and Margaret A. (Luvry) Mead; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Peter and Alice (—) Mead; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John and Mary (Coe) Mead; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *John Mead*, Member Connecticut Legislature, Colonel and Brigadier-General Connecticut Militia.
- GEORGE BURNSIDE FLOOD, North Adams, Mass. (38440). Son of Nathan Beman and Addie E. (Millard) Flood; grandson of Roger Alexander and Maria (Pearson) Flood; great-grandson of Luke and Lecena (Alexander) Flood; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Roger Alexander*, private, Col. Peck's Regt., Rhode Island Militia, also seaman, U. S. Navy.
- WALTER TROTTLÉ FLORENCE, Ohio (37030). Supplementals. Son of John and Blanche (Morgridge) Florence; grandson of Joshua Baily Emerson and Harriett Esther (Tuttle) Morgridge; great-grandson of Azor and Sarah (Hoyt) Tuttle; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jacob Hoyt*, private, Westchester County, New York, also Connecticut Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *David Hoyt*, private, Ninth Regt., Connecticut Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Enos Tuttle*, private, Col. Meigs' Regt., Connecticut Militia; great-grandson of Richard and Sally (Emerson) Morgridge; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonathan and Rhoda (Baily) Emerson; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Joshua Baily*, Steward on Capt. John Curtis' galley in 1781; grandson of Robinson and Elizabeth (Williams) Florence; great-grandson of William and Fanny (Robinson) Florence; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Florence*, private, Col. Buford's Regt., Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- NELSON H. FOOKS, Preston, Md. (37696). Son of George W. and Sarah Emily (Causey) Fooks; grandson of Irving and Charlotte J. (Coulbourn) Fooks; great-grandson of Uriah and Eliza Jane (Johnson) Fooks; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Seth and Matty (—) Fooks; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jesse Fooks*, private, Wicomico County, Maryland Militia.
- ARTHUR WHITTON FORBES, New Bedford, Mass. (38147). Son of Charles H. and Emeline (Whitton) Forbes; grandson of Henry Hall and Cynthia (Macomber) Forbes; great-grandson of Joshua and Hannah Harriet (Hall) Forbes; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Hall*, private, Guilford, Connecticut Cont'l Troops, died on prison ship.
- JOSEPH WARREN FORDNEY, Saginaw, Mich. (37961). Son of John and Achsah (Cotton) Fordney; grandson of Melchior and Mary (Michael) Fordney; great-grandson of *Jacob Fortneux (Fordney)*, private, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- JOSEPH WELLER FORSYTHE, Carnegie, Pa. (38371). Son of George B. and Lettie (Weller) Forsythe; grandson of George and Margaret (Henry) Forsythe; great-grandson of *James Forsythe, Jr.*, private, Capt. Raucher's Regt., Virginia Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Forsythe*, private, Fourth Battalion, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.

- ROMULUS ADAMS FOSTER, Washington, D. C. (38017). Son of Adams and Sarah Jane (Burch) Foster; grandson of James and Cynthia (Adams) Foster; great-grandson of *James Foster*, Lieutenant, Second Regt., Middlesex County, Massachusetts Militia.
- STANLEY ALFRED FOSTER, Lowell, Mass. (38441). Son of Alfred Joel and Stella Frances (Kelly) Foster; grandson of Joel and Elizabeth Jane (Porter) Foster; great-grandson of Joel and Louisa W. (Page) Foster; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Foster*, private, Col. Parker's and Col. Bridge's Regts., Massachusetts Militia.
- BURT CORNELIUS FOWLER, Omaha, Nebr. (38502). Son of Francis and Eveline (Van Vechten) Fowler; grandson of Cornelius and Caroline (Thayer) Van Vechten; great-grandson of Walter and Jane (Fonda) Van Vechten; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Derrick Van Vechten*, Major, New York Militia.
- WILLIAM BYRAM FOSTER, Detroit, Mich. (Mo. 37615). Son of John Byram and Arabella (McMahan) Foster; grandson of John and Sarah (Julien) Foster; great-grandson of John and Ann (Vanoy) Foster; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Foster*, private, Virginia Cont'l Line; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Vanoy*, private, Capt. Andrew Vanoy's Co., Col. Benjamin Cleveland's Regt., North Carolina Troops.
- WILLIAM ERIC FOWLER, D. C. (36147). Supplemental. Son of John Calhoun and Emma Smith (Peden) Fowler; grandson of Riley and Susan (Crane) Fowler; great-grandson of *William Crane*, private, Third Regt., South Carolina Cont'l Troops.
- BURROWS HOLCOMBE FRASCH, Bremen, Ohio (38086). Son of George J. and Nina May (Holcombe) Frasche; grandson of Calvin Burrows and Jane Reed (Shelhamer) Holcombe; great-grandson of Burrows and Sarah (Ogg) Holcombe; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Rachel (Burrows) Holcombe; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Elijah Holcombe*, private, Capt. Beatty's Pennsylvania Troops and Capt. Anderson's Co. of New York Troops, pensioned.
- JAMES WILLIAM FRAZIER, Charleston, Ill. (37896). Son of Thomas Ellsberry and Lou Alice (Swango) Frazier; grandson of James William and Mary Florence (O'Hair) Frazier; great-grandson of Thomas and Anna (Stark) Frazier; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Frazier*, Sergeant, Virginia Cont'l Line; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Hardwick) O'Hair; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Michael Oharro (Ohara)*, private, Gen. Green's Regt., Virginia Cont'l Troops.
- ADRIAN MARTIN FULLER, Sugar Grove, Ohio (38083). Son of Louis Samuel and Marietta Elizabeth (Linn) Fuller; grandson of Ezra Buell and Josette (Smith) Linn; great-grandson of Andrew and Theodate (Buell) Linn; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Alexander and Hannah (Armstrong) Linn; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Linn*, Adjutant, Second Regt., Sussex County, New Jersey Militia.
- SAMUEL LINN FULLER, Columbus, Ohio (38093). Son of Louis Samuel and Mariette Elizabeth (Linn) Fuller; grandson of Ezra Buell and Josette (Smith) Linn; great-grandson of Andrew and Theodate (Buell) Linn; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Alexander and Hannah (Armstrong) Linn; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Linn*, Adjutant, Second Regt., Sussex County, New Jersey Militia.
- ADDISON LEMAN GARDNER, JR., Oak Park, Ill. (37897). Son of Addison L. and Jeanie A. (Black) Gardner; grandson of Lemman and Eliza (Knapp) Gardner; great-grandson of William Wilkinson and Fanny (Yeomans) Gardner; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Gilbert and Sarah (Bullock) Yeomans; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Eliab Yeomans*, private, Dutchess County, New York Militia.
- EARL DAVID GETMAN, North Adams, Mass. (38150). Son of Charles and Elizabeth (C—) Getman; grandson of David and Margaret (Shawl) Getman; great-grandson of Bartlett and Elizabeth (Grant) Getman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Mark Grant*, private, First Regt., New York Troops.
- WILLARD MERCEREAU GILMAN, Newark, N. J. (38243). Son of Frank Gaylord and Lena (Mercereau) Gilman; grandson of James Lyman and Sarah (Kenyon) Gilman; great-grandson of William and Marcia (Templer) Gilman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonathan and Charity (Downs) Gilman; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Antipas Gilman*, signer of New Hampshire Association Test.
- LUDWELL HARRISON GILMER, Philadelphia, Pa. (Md. 37700). Son of George Walker and Frances Harrison (Brown) Gilmer; grandson of George Christopher and Leanna

- D. (Lewis) Gilmer; great-grandson of George and Elizabeth (Hudson) Gilmer, 3d; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *George Gilmer, 2d*, Lieutenant, Albemarle County, Virginia Volunteers.
- BENJAMIN ANTHONY GILMORE, Acushnet, Mass. (38426). Son of Abiel P. R. and Ruth Emma (Anthony) Gilmore; grandson of Adomiam and Chloe Caroline D. (Robinson) Gilmore; great-grandson of Abiel Peirce and Chloe (Dean) Robinson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Godfrey and Hannah (Peirce) Robinson; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Abial Peirce*, Captain, Middleborough, Massachusetts Militia.
- WILLIAM GORDON, New Bedford, Mass. (38427). Son of Thomas Pope and Carrie Swain (Richmond) Gordon; grandson of William and Clarissa H. (Nye) Gordon, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Gordon*, Lieutenant, Col. Craft's and Col. Crane's Regts., Massachusetts Artillery, prisoner.
- HARRY WILSON GOSSER, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38372). Son of George W. and Mary Emma (—) Gosser; grandson of Henry and Delilah (Wilson) Gosser; great-grandson of James and Majory (Means) Wilson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Robert and Martha (McGill) Means; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *James McGill*, private, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania Militia, and Third Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Line.
- JOHN HOWARD GRAVES, San Jose, Calif. (38163). Son of Edmund A. and Catherine Hardenis (Merriwether) Graves; grandson of David and Sarah Hoar (Leonard) Meriwether; great-grandson of *William Meriwether*, Ensign, Virginia Militia.
- JULIUS STANLEY GRAVES, Foxboro, Mass. (38442). Son of William Hubbard and Jennie S. (Fisk) Graves; grandson of William and Mary E. (Davis) Graves; great-grandson of Thaddeus and Mary (Mann) Graves; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Graves*, private and Corporal, Massachusetts Militia.
- OLIVER HERALD GRIFFIN, Columbus, Ohio (38084). Son of William Henry and Lillian Dale (Ferguson) Griffin; grandson of Thomas Frazier and Elnora Fedora (Woods) Griffin; great-grandson of Worden and Pamela (Moore) Griffin; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Moore*, private and Sergeant, Vermont and Massachusetts Militia.
- ALBERT AVERY GRINNELL, Detroit, Mich. (37962). Son of Willis and Laura M. (Avery) Grinnell; grandson of Ezra and Lucretia (Leonard) Grinnell; great-grandson of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Amasa Grinnell*, private, Col. James Holmes' Regt., New York Troops, and in Connecticut Cont'l Line.
- CHARLES H. GRINNELL, Highland Park, Mich. (37963). Son of Clayson and Catherine (Thorpe) Grinnell; grandson of Major and Delilah (—) Grinnell; great-grandson of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Amasa Grinnell*, private, Col. James Holmes' Regt., New York Militia, and in Connecticut Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- CLAYTON ALBERT GRINNELL, Detroit, Mich. (37964). Son of Ira and Betsey Anne (Balcom) Grinnell; grandson of Ezra and Lucretia (Leonard) Grinnell; great-grandson of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Amasa Grinnell*, private, Col. James Holmes' Regt., New York Militia, and in Connecticut Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- ELMER W. GRINNELL, Detroit, Mich. (37965). Son of Ira L. and Ellen (Parks) Grinnell; grandson of Ira and Betsey Anne (Balcom) Grinnell; great-grandson of Ezra and Lucretia (Leonard) Grinnell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Amasa Grinnell*, private, Col. James Holmes' Regt., New York Militia, and in Connecticut Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- FREDERICK A. GRINNELL, Pontiac, Mich. (37966). Son of Herbert and Lucy (Ward) Grinnell; grandson of Ira and Betsey Anne (Balcom) Grinnell; great-grandson of Ezra and Lucretia (Leonard) Grinnell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Amasa Grinnell*, private, Col. James Holmes' Regt., New York Militia and in Connecticut Cont'l Line.
- HERBERT JAY GRINNELL, Detroit, Mich. (37967). Same as Frederick A. Grinnell, Mich. (37966).
- LEONARD E. GRINNELL, Detroit, Mich. (37968). Son of Elmer W. and Cecile C. (Crosby) Grinnell; grandson of Ira L. and Ellen (Parks) Grinnell; great-grandson of Ira and Betsey Anne (Balcom) Grinnell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Ezra and Lucretia (Leonard) Grinnell; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Isaiah and Jane (Crane) Grinnell; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Amasa Grinnell*, private, Col. James Holmes' Regt., New York Militia and in Connecticut Cont'l Line, pensioned.

- ZADOC LAWRENCE GRIESEMER, Roselle, N. J. (38236). Son of Milton Henry and Clara M. (Weber) Griesemer; grandson of Zadoc and Margaret (Purst) Weber; great-grandson of John Peter and Susannah (Reber) Weber; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Henry Weber*, Captain, Sixth Battalion, Berks County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- JOHN ELISHA TRIMBLE GRISBY, Honolulu, H. T. (28537). Son of Elish L. and Sue D. (Vandeventer) Grigsby; grandson of John Trimble and Sarah L. (White) Grigsby; great-grandson of Elisha and Elizabeth H. (Porter) Grigsby; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Grigsby*, Captain, Thirteenth Regt., Virginia Line.
- HAROLD LELAND GROESBECK, Salt Lake City, Utah (37555). Son of Frank and Nellie (Young) Groesbeck; grandson of Brigham H. and Francis (Gibson) Young; great-grandson of Phineas H. and Clarissa (Hamilton) Young; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Young*, private, Middlesex County, Massachusetts Militia.
- DANIEL PAUL GROSSCUP, Spokane, Wash. (36668). Son of Daniel and Fianna (Stober) Grosscup; grandson of Paul and Rebecca (Shearer) Grosscup; great-grandson of *Paul Grosscup*, Captain Col. Balzar Gheer's Regt., Berks County, New Jersey Militia.
- FRANK E. GROVE, Columbus, Ohio (38082). Son of John H. and Rhoda (Brown) Grove; grandson of Joseph and Rebecca L. (Foster) Brown; great-grandson of Job and Hannah (Packard) Foster; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Foster*, private, New Hampshire Militia, pensioned.
- GEORGE IRVIN GUNCKEL, Ohio (34600). Supplementals. Son of O. I. and Harriet (Suthin) Gunckel; grandson of George W. and Julia (Ayers) Gunckel; great-grandson of Michael and Barbia (Shuey) Gunckel; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Philip and Catherine Lorisich (Schaeffer) Gunckel; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Peter Schaeffer*, private, York County, Pennsylvania Militia; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *George Schaeffer*, Lieutenant, Col. Nicholas Haussenger's Pennsylvania German Battalion; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Martin Shuey*, private, Second Battalion, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia; grandson of Joseph and Caroline (Johnston) Sutphin; great-grandson of John and Jane (Potter) Sutphin; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Abram and Deborah (Nichols) Sutphin; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Derrick Richard Sutphin*, private and Sergeant, Monmouth County, New Jersey Militia and Artillery; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Abram Sutphin*, private, Monmouth County, New Jersey Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Moses Potter*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia; great-grandson of William and Mary (Shaw) Johnston; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Shaw*, private, Col. John Stone's First Regt., Maryland Troops.
- CALLENDER FAYSSOUX HADDEN, New Orleans, La. (38526). Son of George Robert and Leonora (Fayssoux) Hadden; grandson of Callendar Irvine and Sarah A. (McLellan) Fayssoux; great-grandson of Peter S. and Rebecca (Irvine) Fayssoux; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Peter Fayssoux*, Surgeon-General for South Carolina; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *William Irvine*, Colonel, Seventh Pennsylvania Regt., Brigadier-General Cont'l Line.
- CHARLES WESLEY HAGAR, Newark, N. J. (38481.) Son of Charles Luther and Elizabeth (Annabel) Hagar; grandson of Luther and Sarah (Addoms) Hager; great-grandson of *John Addoms*, New York Engineer and Surveyor, rank of Major.
- ELLERY ALLEN HALL, Providence, R. I. (38333). Son of Oliver Davis and Susan Anna (Smith) Hall; grandson of Preservid and Eunice (Browning) Hall; great-grandson of *Caleb Hall*, private and Captain, Connecticut Militia.
- WYLIE CICERO HAMRICK, Gaffney, S. C. (23348). Son of Street and Almira (—) Hamrick; grandson of Moses and Sallie (Robinson) Hamrick; great-grandson of *Isaac Robinson*, private, Rutherford County, North Carolina Militia.
- RUTLAND HARDY, Orland, Calif. (38160). Son of Eugene Atwood and Ruth (Dibble) Hardy; grandson of George and Francis J. (Harkness) Hardy; great-grandson of Thomas and Susan G. (Hall) Harkness; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Harkness*, Second Lieutenant, Third Regt., New Hampshire Cont'l Troops.
- EUGENE TRUETT HARRIS, SR., Houston, Tex. (37535). Son of James Ambrose and Roberta Matilda (Wilson) Harris; grandson of Legrord Whitehall and Catherine Matilda (Bourdon) Wilson; great-grandson of *Nicholas Joseph Bourdon*, cannon-assistant to M. de Barras and M. de Bougainville, French troops.
- SAMUEL JAMES HART, Charlottesville, Va. (36563). Son of Mathew Garland and Jane Lewis (Anderson) Hart; grandson of Frank Hart and Lavina Frances (Richardson) Anderson; great-grandson of Mathew Garland and Jane Lewis (Hart) Anderson; great<sup>2</sup>-



- grandson of Archibald and Martha Callis (Winston) Anderson; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John and Mary (Johnson) Winston; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *John Winston*, Captain, Fourteenth and Tenth Regts., Virginia Cont'l Troops.
- SAMUEL STEEL HAUDENSHIELD, Carnegie, Pa. (38373). Son of John Edward and Mary Holmes (Burk) Haudenshield; grandson of William Henry and Susan (Steel) Burk; great-grandson of Samuel and Nancy (Detrich) Steel; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Andrew and Mary (Stitt) Steel; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Steel*, Captain, Eleventh Regt., Pennsylvania Independent Co., and Delegate to Pennsylvania Convention of Associated Battalions.
- JOHN B. HAVILAND, Portland, Ore. (37496). Son of William King and Caroline M. (Boys) Haviland; grandson of Joseph and Sarah Jane (King) Haviland; great-grandson of Stephen and Rebecca (Haviland) Haviland; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Haviland*, private, Third Regt., Dutchess County, New York Militia.
- WILLIAM CHASE HAWES, Fairhaven, Mass. (38428). Son of William Thatcher and Ann Maria (Eldridge) Hawes; grandson of Ebenezer and Thankful (Thatcher) Hawes; great-grandson of *William Thatcher*, Corporal, Col. Nathaniel Freeman's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- EDWARD LIVINGSTON HAZEN, East Orange, N. J. (38489). Son of Joseph Kerr and Jennie E. (Johnson) Hazen; grandson of Aaron Coursen and Sarah (Young) Hazen; great-grandson of Joseph Kerr and Phebe (Primrose) Hazen; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Nathan and Gertrude (Kerr) Hazen; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Hazen*, Orderly Sergeant, Sussex County, New Jersey Militia.
- JOSEPH KERR HAZEN, East Orange, N. J. (38490). Son of Aaron Coursen and Sarah (Young) Hazen; grandson of Joseph Kerr and Phebe (Primrose) Hazen; great-grandson of Nathan and Gertrude (Kerr) Hazen; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Hazen*, Orderly Sergeant, Second Regt., Sussex County, New Jersey Militia.
- EDGAR FRANKLIN HEFFNER, Lock Haven, Pa. (38362). Son of William W. and Alice (Fritz) Heffner; grandson of John W. and Mary (Schwartz) Heffner; great-grandson of John and Maria (Dalritsch) Heffner; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jacob Heffner*, private, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania Militia, Court-Martial Man, Sixth Battalion, Berks County Militia.
- LAURENCE TUNSTALL HERON, Urbana, Ill. (38458). Son of Carl Clark and Marian (Wright) Heron; grandson of Paul and Laura (Tunstall) Wright; great-grandson of John F. and Jane (Meriwether) Tunstall; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David Wood and Mary (Lewis) Meriwether; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *William Meriwether*, Captain, Virginia Militia.
- JACKMAN HERRICK, Duchesne, Utah (38020). Son of Edward and Ella F. (Jackman) Herrick; grandson of Castle Hopkins and Rachael (Mead) Herrick; great-grandson of Samuel and Margaret Howard (Davidson) Herrick; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel and Margaret (Per-Lee) Herrick; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Rufus Herrick*, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, Dutchess County, New York Militia.
- CHARLES BORLAND HILL, JR., Montclair, N. J. (38483). Son of Charles Borland and Sarah Cooper (Rogers) Hill; grandson of Augustus and Julia Miller (Knapp) Hill; great-grandson of Nathaniel Peter and Matilda (Crawford) Hill; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Peter Hill*, Captain, Orange County, New York Minute Men in 1775.
- GEORGE WALDO HILLMAN, New Orleans, La. (38529). Son of John Wesley and Rosalie (Frye) Hillman; grandson of Frederick and Matilda (Brooks) Frye; great-grandson of Daniel Mackey and Anne (Butler) Frye; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Frederick Frye*, Ensign, Col. Joseph Vose's Regt., Massachusetts Cont'l Troops; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *James Frye*, Colonel, Essex County, Massachusetts Militia.
- WILLIAM JAMES HOLLOWAY, Baltimore, Md. (37699). Son of Daniel James and Gertrude C. (Adkins) Holloway; grandson of Elisha and Sallie (McGee) Holloway; great-grandson of Joshua and Elizabeth (Adkins) Holloway; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joshua Holloway*, private, Worcester County, Maryland Militia.
- WILLIAM HUBON HOLTON, Nashville, Tenn. (38382). Son of William Henry and Annie (Ansley) Holton; grandson of William David and Priscilla Smith (Williams) Holton; great-grandson of Samuel Z. and Elizabeth (Smith) Williams; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Robert and Priscilla (Parker) Smith; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of William and Kitty (Mathews) Parker; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *John Parker*, private, Delaware Militia.

- ELMORE DELOS HOTCHKISS, II, Richmond, Va. (36571). Son of Elmore Delos and Alice (Starke) Hotchkiss; grandson of Nelson Hill and Hariett (Russell) Hotchkiss; great-grandson of Stiles and Lydia (Beecher) Hotchkiss; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Amraphel and Appaulina (—) Hotchkiss; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of David and Abigail (Douglass) Hotchkiss; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Gideon Hotchkiss*, Captain, Connecticut Militia at the attack on Danbury, Member Committees of Safety and for collecting clothing.
- HENRY HERBERT HOWARD, Brockton, Mass. (38433). Son of Charles and Lavina (Rounds) Howard; grandson of Asa and Eunice (Thayer) Howard; great-grandson of *Benjamin Howard*, Sergeant, Braintree, Massachusetts Militia.
- ROBERT WADE HUMPHREYS, Galveston, Tex. (37536). Son of Benjamin F. and Edna V. (Wade) Humphreys; grandson of Josiah Phillip and Frances Virginia (Reiley) Wade; great-grandson of Robert and Esther (Stevens) Reiley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Reiley*, private, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania Militia, and Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- LOUIS GROW HUNTLEY, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38374). Son of Charles Louis and Antoinette (Grow) Huntley; grandson of George Bartley and Alma A. (Chamberlain) Grow; great-grandson of Hiram H. and Elizabeth (Bartley) Grow; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Peter Grow*, private, Capt. King's Co., Col. Marshall's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- WILLIAM J. HUTCHISON, Kittanning, Pa. (36769). Supplemental. Son of Joseph H. and Mary Ellen (Foster) Hutchison; grandson of Joseph C. and Eliza (Mathews) Hutchison; great-grandson of John and Esther (Brown) Mathews; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Isaac Brown*, private, Second Battalion, Chester County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- PHILIP BAILEY INGRAHAM, Ho-Ho-Kus, N. J. (38494). Son of Clark S. and Alice H. (Ryon) Ingraham; grandson of George L. and Hannah (Hammond) Ryon; great-grandson of David and Polly (Tubbs) Hammond; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Hannah (Tubbs) Hammond; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Amariah Hammond*, private, Connecticut Militia, at Wyoming Massacre, killed.
- CARTER COLEMAN JETT, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38363). Son of William Wills and Sarah Ellen (Coleman) Jett; grandson of James Carter and Ann Eliza (Mills) Coleman; great-grandson of Edward Spilsbe and Margaret (Blanton) Coleman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Coleman*, private and Sergeant, Twelfth and Eighth Regts., Virginia Cont'l Line; great-grandson of Charles Henry and Tabitha Buckner (Daniel) Mills; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Mills*, Captain, Orange County, Virginia Militia.
- ALBERT JACKSON JEWETT, Terre Haute, Ind. (38279). Son of Charles Timothy and Gracia Agatha Milton (Custer) Jewett; grandson of Albert Follett and Mahala Ann (Roberts) Jewett; great-grandson of Timothy and Harriet (Follet) Jewett; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Abel and Susanna (Munson) Jewett, Jr.; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Abel Jewett*, private, Col. Enoch Hale's Regt., New Hampshire Cont'l Troops.
- CHARLES MILTON JEWETT, Terre Haute, Ind. (38280). Same as Albert Jackson Jewett, Ind. (38279).
- GEORGE ANSON JEWETT, Des Moines, Iowa (37661). Son of George Enoch and Patty Maria (Mathews) Jewett; grandson of David Lewis and Marie (Rostedo) Jewett Jewett; great-grandson of Joseph and Huldah (Fenton) Jewett; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Jewett*, Hopkinton, New Hampshire Scout, and Signer of "Fidelity Test Oath."
- LEWIS FRANKLIN JOHNSON, Frankfort, Ky. (38577). Son of William Priestly and Mary Elizabeth (Cardwell) Johnson; grandson of William and Sarah Priestly (Arnold) Johnson; great-grandson of Stephen and Martha (McBride) Arnold; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William McBride*, Major, Virginia Troops, killed at battle of Blue Licks.
- RODNEY KNOX JOHNSON, Ann Arbor, Mich. (37971). Son of Albert Litle and Elizabeth (Patmore) Johnson; grandson of Andrew and Mary Ann (Litle) Johnson; great-grandson of *Benjamin Johnson*, private, Col. Thomas Stickney's Regt., New Hampshire Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- CHARLES WILLIAM JOHNNOT, Newton Upper Falls, Mass. (38434). Son of Artemus Robbins and Mary Elizabeth (Blake) Johnnot; grandson of William Bill and Betsey (Robertson) Blake; great-grandson of Bill and Polly (Wait) Blake; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Seth Blake*, private, Col. Knox's Massachusetts Artillery; great-grandson of John and (Cledenning) Robertson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Mary (Swan) Robertson; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Archibald Robertson*, Delegate to Fifth New Hampshire Provincial Congress of 1775.

- FLOY CARLETON JONES, Manor Township, Armstrong County, Pa. (38356). Son of James F. and Frances Maria McGill (Haft) Jones; grandson of John and Mary (Dumars) McGill; great-grandson of James and Sophia (Roberts) Dumars; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Robert Morgan Roberts*, private, Kent County, Maryland Militia.
- JAMES BROOKS JONES, Albuquerque, N. M. (37829). Son of Edward Joseph and Ellie (Brooks) Jones; grandson of James Carroll and Sarah Crawford (Robert) Brooks; great-grandson of Whitfield and Mary Parsons (Carroll) Brooks; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Zachariah Smith Brooks*, Lieutenant, South Carolina Troops; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Zachariah Smith and Elizabeth (Butler) Brooks; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *James Butler*, Captain, South Carolina Militia, killed in service.
- FREDERICK PHILLIP KARNS, Franklin, Pa. (38355). Son of Augustine Snowden and Florence (Kribbs) Karns; grandson of Phillip F. and Catharine (Knight) Kribbs; great-grandson of George and Susannah (Sheffer) Kribbs; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Christian and Maria Susanna (—) Kribbs; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *George Kribbs (Krebs)*, private, York and Lancaster Counties, Pennsylvania Militia.
- ORION ALLEN KENNEDY, Omaha, Nebr. (38501). Son of Frank A. and Etola Kate (Reed) Kennedy; grandson of James W. and Mary Jane (Hendricks) Reed; great-grandson of Adam R. and Rachael Bowles (Stephens) Hendricks; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Emos Jefferson and Elizabeth Bowles (Hanna) Stephens; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Thomas Fulton and Jane (Jefferson) Stephens; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Stephens*, private, Baltimore County, Maryland Militia.
- THOMAS HALL KEYES, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38222). Son of William Henry and Susan Brown (Miller) Keyes; grandson of Morris and Laura M. (Carlow) Miller; great-grandson of Gilbert and Susan (Brown) Miller; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Miller*, Lieutenant, Second Regt., New York Grenadiers.
- THOMAS HALL KEYES, JR., Brooklyn, N. Y. (38223). Son of Thomas Hall and Lillian May (Runyon) Keyes; grandson of William Henry and Susan Brown (Miller) Keyes; great-grandson of Morris and Laura M. (Carlow) Miller; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Gilbert and Susan (Brown) Miller; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Miller*, Lieutenant, Second Regt., New York Grenadiers.
- HORACE OGDEN KILBOURN, Englewood, N. J. (38246). Son of Joseph Austin and Sarah Alacoque (Dooley) Kilbourn; grandson of Horace and Mary (Young) Kilbourn; great-grandson of Joseph and Hannah (Sellew) Kilbourn; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Philip Sellew*, Committeeman to purchase clothing for Army, Collector of Army Tax, and Representative to Connecticut General Assembly.
- HENRY PRICE KNIGHT, Chicago, Ill. (37898). Son of George Edward and Maud St. Leon (Price) Knight; grandson of Henry William and Frances Irene (Warner) Price; great-grandson of Myron and Harriett (Smith) Warner; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Ebenezer and Lucinda (Chamberlin) Smith; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Harvey and Elizabeth (Warren) Chamberlin; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Ephraim Warren*, Captain, Fifth Co., Eleventh Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- EZRA McFALL KUHNS, Ohio (18288). Supplemental. Son of Daniel Y. and Leanora (McFall) Kuhns; grandson of Jesse and Mary (Shull) McFall; great-grandson of Thomas and Anna (Murdock) McFall; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Murdock*, private, Bucks County, Pennsylvania Associators, and Ninth Regt., Pennsylvania Line.
- MILES S. KUHNS, Ohio (18555). Supplemental. Same as Ezra McFall Kuhns, Ohio (18288). Supplemental.
- CHARLES WARREN LAKE, JR., Providence, R. I. (38334). Son of Charles William and Annie Eliza (Franks) Lake; grandson of Williams and Mary Carpenter (Wheaton) Lake; great-grandson of Joseph and Eleanor (Williams) Lake; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Laban Lake*, private, Bristol County, Massachusetts Militia.
- FREDERICK DE FORREST LAMB, Rochester, N. Y. (38412). Son of F. D. and Margaret (Richards) Lamb; grandson of Darius and Lydia (Graves) Lamb; great-grandson of Ira and Alice (Gates) Lamb; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Isaac Lamb*, private, Col. Charles Burrell's Regt., Connecticut State Troops.
- ROBERT SCOTT LAMB, Washington, D. C. (38011). Son of Daniel Smith and Elizabeth (Scott) Lamb; grandson of Jacob Matlock and Delilah Mick (Rose) Lamb; great-

- grandson of William and Priscilla Ellis (Matlock) Lamb; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jacob Matlock*, private, Gloucester County, New Jersey Troops.
- ARTHUR MORELAND LAZIER, Pa. (24118). Supplemental. Son of Henry Bayard and Mary Agnes (Moreland) Lazier; grandson of William and Mary Ann (Lazier) Lazier; great-grandson of Henry and — (Berkshire) Lazier; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Lazier*, private, Bedford County, Pennsylvania Rangers.
- JEREMIAH CROPSEY LEAMING, Highland Park, Ill. (37899). Son of Joseph Faulkenberg and Katherine Mae (Cropsey) Leaming; grandson of Jeremiah and Harriet (Scovel) Leaming; great-grandson of Jeremiah and Abigail (Faulkenberg) Leaming; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Persous and Charlotte (Eldridge) Leaming; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Aaron Leaming, Jr.*, Chairman, Cape May County, New Jersey Committee of Safety; grandson of John Henry and Elizabeth Charlotte (Ballard) Cropsey; great-grandson of John Griffith and Catherine (Du Colon) Cropsey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jacob and Anne (Griffith) Cropsey; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Cropsey, Jr. (Cropsey)*, private, Col. John Van Rensselaer's Regt., New York Militia, pensioned.
- LEON LOCKE, Lake Charles, La. (38527). Son of James and Sophia (Douglas) Locke; grandson of James and Marcia (Stowe) Locke; great-grandson of Samuel Barron and Hannah (Russell) Locke; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Locke*, Member of Massachusetts Constitutional Convention of 1779 and Member of Legislature of '83.
- GEORGE DAVID LOCKIE, Springfield, Ill. (37900). Son of George and Cynthia (Bachelder) Lockie; grandson of Nathan and Mary (Nelson) Bachelder; great-grandson of *James Bachelder*, private, Poplin, New Hampshire Cont'l Troops.
- JEREMIAH TALCOTT LOCKWOOD, White Plains, N. Y. (38416). Son of Jeremiah Talcott and Jane (Shurragar) Lockwood; grandson of James and Nancy J. Alvin (Voorheis) Lockwood; great-grandson of *Jacob Lockwood*, Drummer, Third Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- ARTHUR HAMMOND LOZIER, Oakland, Calif. ((N. J. 38237). Son of De Forest Parsons and Ada Louise (Storrs) Lozier; grandson of Abram and Mary (Cronkrite) Lozier; great-grandson of John Peck and Hannah (Guest) Lozier; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Abram Lozier*, Sergeant, Col. Van C. Holmes' Regt., New York Troops, pensioned.
- DOUGLAS ELLSWORTH LURTON, Grand Forks, N. D. (36944). Son of Freeman Ellsworth and Alice (Babbitt) Lurton; grandson of Clinton and Sarah S. (Johnson) Babbitt; great-grandson of Nathan Godfrey and Eunice (Brewster) Babbitt; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathan Babbitt*, Surgeon's Mate, Providence, Rhode Island Hospital Department.
- CHARLES HANA LUSK, San Francisco, Calif. (38165). Son of Salmon Brooks and Isabelle (Walton) Lusk; grandson of Samuel and Sarah Fales (Brown) Walton; great-grandson of Samuel and Patty (Brainard) Walton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Timothy Brainard (Brainerd)*, Sergeant, Col. McCobb's and Col. Lithgow's Regts., Massachusetts Militia.
- GEORGE ASA LYON, Minneapolis, Minn. (38319). Son of Orlo Henry and Belle (Bradford) Lyon; grandson of Asa and Sabra (Skinner) Lyon; great-grandson of *Thomas Lyon*, private, Capt. Ingall's Co., Eleventh Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- BENJAMIN BROWN MANCHESTER, JR., Cranston, R. I. (38335). Son of Benjamin Brown and Martha Harris (Angell) Manchester; grandson of Silas H. and Ellen F. (Munroe) Manchester; great-grandson of Jonas and Julia Ann (Smith) Munroe; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Abraham and Sarah (Knight) Munroe; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Munroe*, Captain, Second Co., Second Worcester County Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- HAROLD JACKSON MANCHESTER, Pawtucket, R. I. (38336). Same as Benjamin Brown Manchester, Jr., R. I. (38335).
- WILLIAM ARTHUR MARCUS, Mill Valley, Calif. (38166). Son of Morris and Jean (Douglas) Marcus; grandson of José Arnaldo and Emma Clara (Willcocks) Márquez (Marcus); great-grandson of Lewis and Margaret Ellinor (Morris) Willcocks; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Willcocks*, Captain, First Battalion, New York City Troops, Aide-de-Camp to Gen. Stirling.
- HARRY HALPINE MARLIN, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38375). Son of Thomas Jefferson and Elizabeth (Hutchinson) Marlin; grandson of Jesse and Ann (McLaughlin) Marlin; great-grandson of *Joshua Marlin*, private, Second Battalion, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.

- HARRY AVERY MARR, Denver, Colo. (36348). Son of Nicholas and Lillian May (Avery) Marr; grandson of William Lane and Suphronia Caroline (Williams) Avery; great-grandson of Henry and Elizabeth (Greene) Avery; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Washington and Rachel (Mackey) Greene; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jarvis Greene*, private, Tryon County, North Carolina Militia, killed at Blue Licks; great-grandson of John Washington and Nancy (Lane) Williams; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Williams*, private, Col. Jairus Hogan's Regt., North Carolina Militia, pensioned.
- HARRY ALFRED MARSHALL, Summit, N. J. (38496). Son of Philip M. and Anna Amelia (Crane) Marshall; grandson of Samuel Muchmore and Joanna Lyon (Woodruff) Crane; great-grandson of Matthias and Phebe (Lyon) Woodruff; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *David Lyon*, private, Col. Philip Van Cortlandt's Regt., Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- GEORGE F. MAXFIELD, New Bedford, Mass. (38449). Son of George Foster and Mary (—) Maxfield; grandson of William and Maria Palmer (Bourn) Maxfield; great-grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth (Palmer) Bourn; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Palmer*, Captain, Barnstable County, Massachusetts Militia.
- CARL ROSS MCKENRICK, Baltimore, Md. (37695). Son of Joseph Francis and Margaret Eleanor (Read) McKenrick; grandson of Ross and Mary (Thompson) Read; great-grandson of Alexander and Martha (Jordan) Read; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Alexander Read*, private, Captain Richard Smith's Regt., Maryland Flying Camp.
- HERBERT ROWE MCKINNEY, Detroit, Mich. (37970). Son of Peter and Jessie Lavinia (Bellows) McKinney; grandson of Charles Fitzroy and Julia E. (Walter) Bellows; great-grandson of William Edwy and Lavinia A. (Harris) Bellows; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Solomon and Mary Norvil (Hoyt) Bellows; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Peter Bellows*, private, Col. Benjamin Bellows' Regt., New Hampshire Militia at Ticonderoga, pensioned.
- ANDREW McLEAN, JR., Passaic, N. J. (38484). Son of Andrew and Sarah Belle (Cridge) McLean; grandson of Andrew and Virginia (Kipp) McLean; great-grandson of John and Eleanor (Weaver) Kip; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Jane (Van Keuren) Weaver; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Abraham and Nellie Petrie (Wilsey) Van Keuren, Jr.; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Abraham Van Keuren*, Second Lieutenant, Fourth Regt., Dutchess County, New York Militia.
- GEORGE EDMUND McLEAN, Passaic, N. J. (38485). Same as Andrew McLean, Jr., N. J. (38484).
- FREDERICK GORDON MEAD, Springfield, Mass. (38443). Son of Frederick St. John and Hannah Mary (Avery) Mead; grandson of Russell and Mary Ann (Dunning) Mead; great-grandson of Nehemiah and Anna (Bartram) Mead; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Mead*, private, Col. Chandler's, also Ninth Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- GEORGE GORDON MERRILL, Eagle Grove, Iowa (37663). Son of John Smith and Sarah (Hasty) Merrill; grandson of Ezra and Rhoda (Rich) Merrill; great-grandson of William and Mary (Stevens) Merrill; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Malatiah Merrill*, private, Capt. Ollivar Titcomb's Co., Salisbury, Massachusetts Militia.
- THEODORE BALDWIN MILLARD, U. S. M. C., Porte-au-Prince, Haiti (Mass. 38446). Life Member. Son of Sterling Eldon and Annie Maria (Baldwin) Millard; grandson of William H. and Annie (Madden) Baldwin; great-grandson of Benjamin and Anna Maria (Crippen) Baldwin; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Baldwin*, private, Col. John Ashley's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- ERWIN CURTIS MILLER, Hanover, N. H. (36262). Son of Henry A. and Mary A. (Parlin) Miller; grandson of Enoch and Lucy (Child) Miller; great-grandson of Sanford and Polly (Conant) Child; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jeremiah Conant*, Sergeant, Col. Carpenter's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- WILLIAM HENRY HAYDN MILLER, New York City, N. Y. (38408). Son of William Henry Hecht and Elizabeth V. (Hammet) Miller; grandson of Henry S. and Camilla (Clemens) Miller; great-grandson of Peter and Mary C. (Seiple) Miller; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Conrad Seiple*, Lieutenant, Second Co., First Battalion, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- CHARLES HENRY MILLS, Corsicana, Tex. (37537). Son of Roger Q. and Carrie R. (Jones) Mills; grandson of Charles Henry and Tabitha Buckner (Daniel) Mills; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Mills*, Captain, Orange County, Virginia Militia.

- FRED GORDON MINER, Chicago, Ill. (38451). Son of Cyrus and Esther Cornelia (Hart) Miner; grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Potter) Hart; great-grandson of James and Lydia Gates (Smith) Potter; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Levi Potter*, Connecticut Mattross at Tryon's Invasion and Artillery Guard.
- HOMER WADDINGTON MONAHAN, Minneapolis, Minn. (38312). Son of James G. and Helen (Waddington) Monahan; grandson of Joseph and Nancy (Pilling) Monahan; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Stitt) Monahan; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Stitt*, private, Sixth Regt., Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- CHADWICK H. MOORE, Hampton, Eng. (La. 38531). Son of Henry John and Harriet (Chadwick) Moore; grandson of John Chapman and Mary Ann (Thomas) Moore; great-grandson of Ephraim and Ruth S. (Chapman) Moore, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Ephraim Moore*, private, Col. Thomas Poor's Regt., Essex County, Massachusetts Militia.
- CLYDE BENNETT MOORE, Greensburg, Pa. (38361). Son of John Alexander and Papsie Drenora (Keefer) Moore; grandson of John and Mary Ann (Bell) Keefer; great-grandson of Walter and Polly (Finley) Bell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Andrew Finley*, Lieutenant, Eighth Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Line.
- CFCIL MORGAN, Shreveport, La. (38532). Son of Howell and Thisba Ann (Hutson) Morgan; grandson of Thomas Gibbes and Lydia Anne (Carter) Morgan, Jr.; great-grandson of Thomas Gibbes and Sarah (Fowler) Morgan; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Margaret (Bunyan) Morgan; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *George Morgan*, Deputy Commissary-General of Purchases and Agent for Indian Affairs with rank of Colonel; great-grandson of Albert Gallatin and Frances Priscilla (Howell) Carter; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Charles Burr and Priscilla (Kirkland) Howell; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Richard Howell*, Major, Second Regt., New Jersey Troops.
- ARTHUR GIBSON MORSE, Lakewood, Ohio (38090). Son of Seth Gibson and Lucy (Cooley) Morse; grandson of *Seth Morse*, private, Col. Jonathan Brewer's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- RAY MAYNARD MOSIER, Elizabeth, N. J. (38486). Son of Cleveland Horton and Elizabeth Abbey (Kelley) Mosier; grandson of Edwin T. and Harriette Jane (Abbey) Kelley; great-grandson of Orrin and Demmis C. (Tucker) Abbey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joshua and Polly (Crane) Tucker; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of James and Lydia (Squares) Crane; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Ezra Crane*, private, Col. Swift's Seventh Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Line.
- ROBERT JONES MOULTON, Baltimore, Md. (37697). Son of James Du Hamel and Grace Irene (Jones) Moulton; grandson of John Du Hamel and Margaret Anne (Owings) Moulton; great-grandson of James F. and Araminta (Du Hamel) Moulton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James and Martha (Seth) Du Hamel; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *William Clayland Seth*, Adjutant, Second Infantry, Count Pulaski's Regt., Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- BENJAMIN FRANKLIN MULKEY, Portland, Ore. (37497). Son of Isaac Newton and Sarah Frances (—) Mulkey; grandson of Jonathan and Talitha (—) Mulkey; great-grandson of John and (—) Mulkey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonathan and (—) Mulkey; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Philip Mulkey*, private, Halifax County, North Carolina Militia.
- MATTHIAS BRICKELL MURFREE, Murfreesboro, Tenn. (38383). Son of James Brickell and Ada Juliett (Talley) Murfree; grandson of Mathias Brickell and Mary Ann (Roberts) Murfree; great-grandson of *Hardy Murfree*, Lieutenant-Colonel, First Regt., North Carolina Cont'l Troops.
- LORENZO DOW NICHOL, JR., Chicago, Ill. (38459). Son of Lorenzo Dow and Emma Belle (Simmons) Dow; grandson of Robert Miller and Julia Frances (Leftwich) Simmons; great-grandson of William and Frances (Otey) Leftwich; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Otey*, Colonel, Bedford County, Virginia Riflemen; great-grandson of John and Naomi (Jarrard) Simmons; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Jarrard*, Captain, Berkeley County, Virginia Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Leftwich*, Lieutenant-Colonel, Bedford County, Virginia Militia.
- WILLIAM ALANSON NILES, Oak Park, Ill. (38452). Son of Franklin Adolphus and Mary Ann (Turner) Niles; grandson of Alanson and Phebe (Newell) Niles; great-grandson of John and Eunice (Doty) Newell, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Newell*, Captain, Massachusetts Militia, stationed at Boston.

- HOMER LINCOLN NIXON, Crafton, Pa. (38676). Son of S. S. and Jennie (B—) Nixon; grandson of Samuel and Jane (Steel) Nixon; great-grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth (Russell) Steel; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *David Steel*, Captain, Thirteenth Regt., Virginia Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- DWIGHT COGGSHALL PAGE, Mass. (38450). Supplementals. Son of Frank Dwight and Tacie Lyda (Johnson) Page; grandson of Albert Gallatin and Sarah Cummings (Swallow) Page; great-grandson of Edmund and Betty (Dwight) Page; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John* and Susanna (Harris) *Dwight, Jr.*, private, Col. Brook's Regt., Massachusetts Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Francis Harris*, Selectman and Shirley, Mass., Delegate to Provincial Congress; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Phineas* and Hannah (Stone) *Page*, Sergeant, Col. John Jacob's Regt., Massachusetts Light Infantry; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Deacon James Stone*, Member Groton, Mass., Committee of Inspection; grandson of Albert Gallatin and Sarah Cummings (Swallow) Page; great-grandson of Amaziah and Asenath (Cummings) Swallow, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Amaziah Swallow*, Lieutenant, Seventh Regt., Middlesex County, Massachusetts Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Simon Cummings*, Corporal, Col. Reed's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, Second Lieutenant, Seventh Regt., Middlesex County, Massachusetts Militia.
- CARL CLIFTON PARCHER, Saco, Me. (38186). Son of Sumner Chase and Ida (Stockman) Parcher; grandson of George and Emma (Chase) Parcher; great-grandson of George and Eunice (Gould) Parcher; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Gould*, Corporal and Sergeant, Cumberland County, Massachusetts Militia.
- GEORGE JOSEPH PARKE, Norfolk, Va. (36572). Son of George Motter and Mercy White (Neal) Parke; grandson of Joseph Maxwell and Amanda (Motter) Parke; great-grandson of George Washington and Mary (Fleming) Parke; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Parke*, Lieutenant-Colonel, First Battalion, Chester County, Pennsylvania Associators, and Member of War Committees.
- EDWARD GARFIELD PARVIN, Roselle, N. J. (38248). Son of Robert Crouch and Caroline (Smith) Parvin; grandson of Ephraim L. and Hattie (Lummis) Parvin; great-grandson of George and Rachel (Ogden) Lummis; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Ogden*, private, New Jersey Militia.
- ROBERT HUMPHREYS PEARSON, East Orange, N. J. (38238). Son of Charles G. and Josephine E. (Nichols) Pearson; grandson of Robert Humphreys and Hannah Ann (Demuth) Nichols; great-grandson of *Isaac Nichols*, Lieutenant, Col. James Livingston's Regt., New York Additional Continentals.
- JOSEPH HENRY PENDLETON, Coronado, Calif. (38167). Son of Joseph Rhodes and Martha Jane (Cross) Pendleton; grandson of Gilbert and Margaret (Rhodes) Pendleton; great-grandson of Amos and Anna (Foster) Pendleton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Pendleton*, Member, Westerly, Rhode Island Recruiting and other War Committees.
- GARDNER KING PETTEE, Dorchester, Mass. (38444). Son of Warren Nichols and Mary Emma (King) Pettee; grandson of Mozart Asbury and Mary Ann (Williams) King; great-grandson of David Clifford and Mary Ann (Hunton) Williams; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Peter and Betsey (Turner) Hunton; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Peter Hunton; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Hunton*, private, Col. James Frye's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- CHARLES JOHN PETTIBONE, Lumberton, Miss. (38528). Son of F. W. and Ann (Early) Pettibone; grandson of Chauncey and Emily M. (Goddard) Pettibone; great-grandson of Dean M. and Livia Jerusha S. (Kirener) Pettibone; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Chauncey Pettibone; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Pettibone*, private, Capt. Mills' Co., Connecticut State Troops in 1776.
- HENRY TILLINGHAST PHILLIPS, New Bedford, Mass. (38601). Son of Allen and Sarah Helen (Briggs) Phillips; grandson of Tillinghast and Parnell (—) Briggs; great-grandson of *Thomas Briggs*, private, Col. Crary's Regt., Rhode Island Troops.
- JOHN FOWLER PHILLIPS, Baltimore, Md. (38626). Son of J. Wilmer and Maria Elizabeth (Dashiell) Phillips; grandson of Benjamin Jones and Esther Wilson (Ker) Dashiell; great-grandson of Henry and Elizabeth (Jones) Dashiell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Arthur Dashiell*, Lieutenant, First Battalion, Maryland Militia.
- HARRY LAWRENCE POPE, Fairhaven, Mass. (38602). Son of Nathaniel and Ada (L—) Pope; grandson of John Irving and Anna S. (Barstour) Pope; great-grandson of

- Nathaniel Pope*, Lieutenant, Second Regt., Bristol County, Massachusetts Militia, and Commanding Officer of Volunteers on Sloop "Success."
- ORION GATES POPE, Pueblo, Colo. (38552). Son of Eliphalet Stickney and Prudence (Shaver) Pope; grandson of Gersham and Almira (Miller) Pope; great-grandson of Timothy and Hannah (Stickney) Pope; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Gersham Pope*, private, Capt. Hall's Co., Major Backus' Regt., Connecticut Light Horse.
- CHARLES SIDNEY PRESCOTT, Snohomish, Wash. (36669). Son of Ulysses Sidney and Nellie L. (Huntoon) Prescott; grandson of Rufus and Sarah Ann (Wells) Prescott; great-grandson of Perrin and Susanna (Sanborn) Prescott; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Elisabeth (Nichols) Prescott; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Prescott*, private, New Hampshire Militia, killed at Bunker Hill.
- GEORGE POND PROCTOR, Lewistown, Ill. (38460). Son of Charles and Harriet (Phelps) Proctor; grandson of Charles and Cornelia H. (Pond) Proctor; great-grandson of Benjamin and Anna (Lambert) Proctor; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Elijah Proctor*, Lieutenant, Col. Jonathan Reed's Regt., Massachusetts Guards.
- THORPE LAUROS PURCELL, Va. (34220). Supplemental. Son of John Nelson and Laura Lillian (Thorpe) Purcell; grandson of George W. and Flora M. C. (Mease) Thorpe; great-grandson of Levi Achey and Sarah Jane (Patton) Mease; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Robert and Mary (Wagner) Patton; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Patton*, private, Capt. Thomas Robinson's Regt., Pennsylvania Frontier Rangers.
- CALVIN RAYBURN, Bloomington, Ill. (38453). Son of William Kerr and Amanda M. V. (Dungan) Rayburn; grandson of William Wilson and Sarah Milburn (Groves) Dungan; great-grandson of Jesse and Jane (Wilson) Dungan, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jesse Dungan*, private, Second Battalion, Philadelphia Troops.
- CHARLES EUGENE RAYMOND, Hinsdale, Ill. (38454). Son of Darius Milton and Charlotte (Stilson) Raymond; grandson of Thomas Bell and Katy (Bunnell) Raymond; great-grandson of *Isaac Raymond*, private, Pennsylvania Cont'l Line.
- JOHN WILLIAM RAYMOND, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38224). Son of Charles H. and Abby Brown (Martin) Raymond; grandson of Elhanan and Sarah Olney (Brown) Martin; great-grandson of Elhanan and Mary (Hawkins) Martin; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Abigail (Hopkins) Hawkins; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Esek Hopkins*, Providence, R. I., Commander-in-Chief of American Fleet.
- CHARLES CLARENCE READ, Arlington, Mass. (38148). Son of Charles Freeman and Catherine Augusta (Wright) Read; grandson of Calvin and Catherine (Baxter) Read; great-grandson of Caleb and Sarah (Richardson) Read; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Eleazer Read*, private, Dunstable, Massachusetts Militia.
- RICHARD SILL READE, Romeo, Mich. (37973). Son of Samuel A. and Helen E. (Sill) Reade; grandson of Richard and Mary (Harris) Sill, Jr.; great-grandson of Joseph and Lucretia (Ford) Harris; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Israel Harris*, Captain, Second Co., Col. Simond's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- ELLIS REED-HILL, Lieutenant, U. S. Coast Guard, Detroit, Mich. (37969). Son of George Earing and Georgianna Lavina (Ellis) Reed-Hill; grandson of Myron H. and Lavina W. (Burroughs) Ellis; great-grandson of George Holland and Rebecca J. (Bell) Burroughs; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Tyler and Anne (Pratt) Burroughs; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *David Burroughs*, private, Worcester County, Massachusetts Militia.
- JOHN THOMAS REESE, Nashville, Tenn. (38393). Junior Member. Son of John Thomas and Annie (Butler) Reese; grandson of James Thomas and Sarah Jane (Butler) Reese; great-grandson of Augustine Wyatt and Mary Duke (Hyde) Butler; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Edward and Martha Starke (Williamson) Butler; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Starke) Williamson; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Bolling Starke*, Member Virginia Convention of 1776, Governor's Council in '81, and State Auditor.
- STANLEY BELL REID, Tenn. (36797). Supplemental. Son of Francis Thorpe and Josephine (Woods) Reid; grandson of John and Margaret Louise (Trimble) Reid; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth Branch (Maury) Reid; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathan Reid*, Captain, Fourteenth and Tenth Regts., Virginia Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- EDWARD THOMPSON RICHARDSON, Portland, Me. (38187). Son of Daniel Thompson and Nellie Frances (Gurney) Richardson, Jr.; grandson of Daniel Thompson and Eliza



- Ann (Sawyer) Richardson; great-grandson of Joseph and Charlotte (Thompson) Richardson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Isaac Snow and Charlotte (Hay) Thompson; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Daniel Thompson*, Massachusetts patriot, killed at Concord, April 19, 1775.
- JOHN HARRIMAN RICE, Wilmington, Del. (35673). Son of Charles Richard and Juliette (Blanchard) Rice, grandson of John and Judith (Merrill) Blanchard; great-grandson of *Ozias Blanchard*, Second Lieutenant, Cumberland County, Massachusetts Militia.
- EUGENE E. RIDER, Lincoln, Nebr. (38503). Son of George E. and Julia Franklin (Martin) Rider; grandson of George Clinton and Ellen Jane (—) Martin; great-grandson of Presley Neville and Margaret (Clinton) Martin; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Charles Martin*, Sergeant and Sergeant-Major, Pennsylvania Cont'l Line.
- GRANVILLE SUMNER RIDLEY, JR., Murfreesboro, Tenn. (38391). Son of G. S. and Mildred (Thomas) Ridley; grandson of C. O. and Elizabeth Reid (Williams) Thomas; great-grandson of John Philip and Mildred (Hopson) Williams; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of George B. and Eliza (Read) Hopson; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Hopson*, Lieutenant, Seventh Regt., Virginia Troops, pensioned.
- EVERETT WILLIAM RISING, Hailey, Idaho (35119). Son of Isaac Adams and Charlotte Amanda (Everett) Rising; grandson of Jesse and Mary Ann (Root) Everett; great-grandson of Jesse and Sally (Pitt) Everett; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Everett*, private, Massachusetts Militia, at Lexington.
- CLAUDIUS GREEN RIVES, JR., New Orleans, La. (38123). Son of Claudius Green and Mary Lane (Williams) Rives; grandson of Nathan Lane and Lucy (Williamson) Williams; great-grandson of Gideon Glenn and Mary (Lane) Williams; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Levin and Nancy (Bryan) Lane; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Nathan and Winnifred (Bryan) Bryan; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Needham Bryan*, Delegate to Needham and Hillsboro, North Carolina, Congresses.
- FRANK BOYD ROBBINS, New Bedford, Mass. (38445). Son of Ansel and Francis (Boyd) Robbins; grandson of Ansel and Susan (Perry) Robbins; great-grandson of Joseph and Hannah (Raymond) Robbins; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Robbins*, private, Middleborough, Massachusetts Militia.
- FREDERICK AVERILL ROBBINS, Sansalito, Marin County, Calif. (38168). Son of Nelson Barnard and Mary Jane (Averill) Robbins; grandson of Levi and Eliza (Botsford) Robbins; great-grandson of *Levi Robbins*, private, Major Sheldon's Regt., Connecticut Light Horse.
- JAMES EDWIN ROBINSON, Bloomington, Ill. (38462). Son of James Edwin and Georgiana (Ford) Robinson; grandson of Henry Mortimer and Nancy (Allison) Robinson; great-grandson of James and Amelia (Wood) Robinson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Robinson*, Adjutant and Major, Ninth and Fifth Regts., Virginia Troops; grandson of Hiram and Roselia (Hunt) Ford; great-grandson of John Chandler and Sarah Ann (Coomes) Ford; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Alexander and Cornelia (Leonard) Coomes; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John and Joanna (Colton) Coomes, Jr.*, private, Col. Benjamin Hinman's Regt., Connecticut Militia; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *John Coomes*, private, Enfield, Connecticut Militia at Siege of Boston; great<sup>5</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Colton*, private, Col. David Leonard's Regt., Massachusetts Militia; great<sup>6</sup>-grandson of Robert and Lucy (Stephens) Leonard; great<sup>7</sup>-grandson of *John Stephens (Stevens)*, Captain, Connecticut Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Adam and Susanna (Hersey) Ford; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Luke and Hannah (Reed) Ford*, private, Col. Hawes' Regt., Massachusetts Militia; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Jacob Ford*, private, Col. Mitchel's and Col. Cary's Regts., Massachusetts Militia; great<sup>5</sup>-grandson of *John Hersey*, private, Gen. Thomas' Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- CHARLES BELCHER RUGG, Worcester, Mass. (38603). Son of Arthur Prentice and Florence May (Belcher) Rugg; grandson of Prentice Mason and Cynthia (Ross) Rugg; great-grandson of Luther and Ruth (Jewett) Rugg; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Amos Rugg*, private, Col. Josiah Whitney's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, 1776.
- CEPHAS BRIGHAM RUSS, JR., St. Paul, Minn. (38317). Son of Cephas Brigham and Mariatt (Martin) Russ; grandson of Artemas and Sally (Brigham) Russ; great-grandson of *Nathan Russ*, private, Mansfield, Connecticut Militia, at Lexington Alarm.
- CHARLES EDGAR APPLEBY SAWYER, Westfield, N. J. (38480). Son of William Snowhill and Sarah F. (Appleby) Sawyer; grandson of Leonard L. F. and Harriet Amanda

- (Appleby) Appleby; great-grandson of Leonard and Ann Amanda Fitz Allen (Van Wickle) Appleby; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jacob and Sarah (Morgan) Van Wickle; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *James Morgan*, Ensign and Captain, Middlesex County, New Jersey Militia, and State Troops.
- HARRY BATEMAN GOE SCOTT, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38677). Son of William A. and Elizabeth Jacobs (Morris) Scott; grandson of Benjamin West and Mary (Jacobs) Morris; great-grandson of David and Mary (Fulton) Morris; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Morris*, private, Third and Sixth Battalions, Chester County, Pennsylvania Militia, and Member Committee of Observation.
- JAMES KNIGHT SCOTT, JR., St. Paul, Minn. (38313). Son of James Knight and Anna M. (Grant) Scott; grandson of Thomas M. and Felicite E. (Tillman) Grant; great-grandson of Charles and Julia (Jarrot) Tillman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Nicholas and Julia (Beauvais) Jarrot; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Vetal Beauvais*, Kaskaskia, Virginia Magistrate and furnished flour to Virginia Troops.
- CORNELIUS D. SCULLY, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38678). Son of John Sullivan and Mary Elizabeth (Negley) Scully; grandson of Felix Casper and Margaret Ann (Dickson) Negley; great-grandson of John and Anna Elizabeth (Patterson) Negley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Alexander Negley*, private, Capt. Samuel Moorhead's Independent Co., Bucks County, Pennsylvania Militia, also a gunsmith.
- EDWARD TUCKER SEAY, Nashville, Tenn. (38384). Son of George Edward and Mary Jane (Landerdale) Seay; grandson of Edward T. and Mary B. (Seawell) Seay; great-grandson of Benjamin and Abigail (—) Seawell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Seawell*, Colonel, North Carolina Militia, and Member Provincial Congress.
- EDWARD ISAAC SEYBURN, Patterson, La. (38124). Son of Isaac D. and Mary Anne (Rogers) Seyburn; grandson of John Michael and Elizabeth (Reynolds) Rogers; great-grandson of Bernard and Monica (McKeen) Reynolds; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Bernard Reynolds*, private, Virginia State Line.
- ROBERT BAYLOR SHACKELFORD, Major, U. S. Army, New Orleans, La. (38533). Son of Robert B. and Dora (Sampson) Shackelford; grandson of Stephen and Sarah (Campbell) Sampson; great-grandson of Joseph W. and Amanda (Rogers) Campbell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Campbell*, Lieutenant-Colonel, Second Regt., Second Brigade, Orange County, Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- ELISHA DOUGLAS PERKINS SHAW, San Francisco, Calif. (38169). Son of Joseph Prentice Turner and Mary Duick (Perkins) Shaw; grandson of Elisha Backus and Emily (Pope) Perkins; great-grandson of Elisha and Eunice (Backus) Perkins, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Elisha Perkins*, Surgeon, Col. Douglass' Regt., Connecticut State Troops.
- LEWIS MANNING SHEFFIELD, San Francisco, Calif. (38164). Son of Pitt M. and Sadie (Meade) Sheffield; grandson of Richard H. and Sarah A. (Manning) Sheffield; great-grandson of Jacob and Anna (Fuller) Manning; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jacob and Lucy (Andrews) Manning; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jacob Manning*, private, Col. Green's Massachusetts Militia, at Lexington Alarm, and Member Bellirica, Massachusetts War Committees.
- IRA SHEPPARD, Newark, N. J. (38239). Son of Richard D. and Rhoda (D—) Sheppard; grandson of Isaac and Mary (Truitt) Sheppard; great-grandson of James and Ellen (Shepherd) Truitt; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Lawrence Shepherd*, private, Gloucester County, New Jersey Militia, and Col. Somers' Regt., State Troops.
- SYDNEY LATHAM SHONTS, Washington, D. C. (38012). Son of James and Emma (Clement) Shonts; grandson of Charles C. and Sarah (Latham) Clement; great-grandson of Cyrus and Betsy (Stinchfield) Latham; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of George and Sarah (Mathews) Latham; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jabez Mathews*, Second Major, Fourth Regt., Cumberland County, Massachusetts Militia.
- BERRY DON SHRIVER, Tenn. (38074). Supplemental. Son of Thomas Abraham and Betty (Holt) Shriver; grandson of Don Carlos and Susan (McGuire) Shriver; great-grandson of Abraham and Frances (Moore) Shriver; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Moore*, private, Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- FRANK DOHRMAN SINCLAIR, Steubenville, Ohio (38080). Son of Dohrman J. and Mary (Donaldson) Sinclair; grandson of Thomas and Catherine (Dohrman) Sinclair; great-

- grandson of Peter Arnold and Margaret (Garrett) Dohrman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Arnold Henry Dohrman*, patriot who equipped a regiment at his own expense and United States Agent to Lisbon, Portugal, in 1780.
- WILLIAM ANDREW SMILEY, Lemoine, Pa. (38364). Son of L. C. and Ida S. (Loy) Smiley; grandson of William A. and Martha A. (Adair) Smiley; great-grandson of William and Ann (Wilson) Smiley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Smiley*, private, Sixth Co., Fifth Battalion, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- CHARLES STEWART SMINCK, Plainfield, N. J. (38245). Son of William B. and Sarah (Morgan) Sminck; grandson of John and Margaret Elizabeth (Patterson) Sminck; great-grandson of William and Elizabeth (Giltner) Patterson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Alexander Patterson*, Captain, Twelfth Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Troops.
- DAVID RICHARD SMITH, Oradell, N. J. (38495). Son of Charles Henry and Viola (McNiell) Smith; grandson of Charles Henry and Anna Maria (Johnston) Smith; great-grandson of Robert and Anna Maria (Willis) Johnston; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David and Anne (Hosier) Willis; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Hosier*, private, Col. McDougal's and Col. Crane's Regts., New York Troops, pensioned.
- RUFUS ALBERTSON SOULE, JR., New Bedford, Mass. (38604). Son of Rufus A. and Susan C. (Nesmith) Soule; grandson of Thomas Howard and Margaret Albertson (Dunham) Soule; great-grandson of George and Mary (Albertson) Dunham; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *George Dunham*, Captain, Second Regt., Massachusetts Cont'l Troops.
- CHARLES FOWLER SOUTHWICK, Galveston, Tex. (37534). Son of Sandford Brewster and Elizabeth H. (Booth) Southwick; grandson of Isaac Patterson and Abigail (Wheeler) Booth; great-grandson of Silas and Ruth Curtis (Jones) Booth; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Booth*, Captain, Col. Dimon's Connecticut Regt., at Tryon's Invasion.
- CARLTON CUTLER SPALDING, Fargo, N. D. (36945). Son of Burleigh Folsom and Alida (Baker) Spalding; grandson of Benjamin Pendall and Ann (Folsom) Spalding; great-grandson of Noah and Phebe (Pendall) Spalding; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Spalding*, private, Col. Hazen's Regt., New Hampshire Troops.
- DEANE BAKER SPALDING, Fargo, N. D. (36946). Same as Carlton Cutler Spalding, N. D. (36945).
- RALPH MORTON SPARKS, Chicago, Ill. (38627). Son of Lewis Smith and Mary (Orr) Sparks; grandson of John W. and Sarah (A—) Sparks; great-grandson of Solomon and Rachael (Nixon) Sparks; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *George Sparks*, private, Pennsylvania Militia, prisoner.
- HOMER FARGO SPINK, New York (34881). Supplementals. Son of Martin Simpson and Mary (Fargo) Spink; grandson of Allen Dwinell and Lydia (Olin) Spink; great-grandson of Whitman and Cynthia (Weaver) Spink; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John* and Mary (Weeden) *Spink*, private, Washington County, Rhode Island Militia, pensioned; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Ishmael Spink*, private, Washington County, Rhode Island Militia.
- CORNELIUS HOWARD STEADMAN, Yonkers, N. Y. (38225). Son of Howard B. and Elizabeth (Ryerson) Steadman; grandson of William and Emily (De Witt) Steadman; great-grandson of Robert and Desire (Heath) Steadman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Thomas and Lydia (Sweet) Steadman; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *William Steadman*, Ensign, Rhode Island Militia, pensioned; great-grandson of Nathan and Electa (Wyatt) De Witt; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John A. De Witt*, Ensign, Ulster County, New York Militia.
- CHARLES HENDRICKSON STOCKING, Baltimore, Md. (37698). Son of Lyman and Elizabeth (Hendrickson) Stocking; grandson of Hezekiah and Lois (Carter) Stocking; great-grandson of *Reuben Stocking*, Com.-Lieutenant on privateer "Sampson," prisoner.
- PERCY FITCH STORRS, London, Eng. (La. 38120). Son of Cassius Percival and Gertrude (Fitch) Storrs; grandson of Wales F. and — (Cramer) Storrs; great-grandson of Elijah and Julia (Holcomb) Storrs; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Hannah (Fowler) Storrs; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Storrs*, Member Connecticut Committee of Correspondence and Justice of the Peace.
- PERRY BEAVER STRASSBURGER, Montclair, N. J. (38249). Son of Jacob Andrew and Mary (Beaver) Strassburger; grandson of Ephraim Kerr and Lucy Ann (Solliday) Beaver; great-grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (Stein) Solliday; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Solliday (Sallade)* private, Third Battalion, Bucks County, Pennsylvania Militia.

- DWIGHT L. STRONG, Wyandotte, Mich. (37972). Son of Wilbert H. and Flora (Dunnivan) Strong; grandson of Dennis and Ellen (Rowan) Dunnivan; great-grandson of James and Abigail (Hinckley) Rowan; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Zenas and Abigail (Langdon) Hinckley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Heman Hinckley*, private, Barnstable County, Massachusetts Militia.
- CARLYLE SUMMERBELL, Keokuk, Iowa (37662). Son of Joseph James and Martha Alice (Bell) Summerbell; grandson of Nathaniel and Nancy (Endicott) Bell; great-grandson of Henry and Polly (Bell) Bell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Bell*, private, First Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Light Dragoons, and Washington County Militia.
- JOSEPH FREDERICK SWEASY, Newark, N. J. (38478). Son of Joseph and Frances Emily (Baldwin) Sweasy; grandson of John and Fannie Pearson (Ward) Baldwin; great-grandson of *Bethuel Ward*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- FREDERIC HOWLAND TABER, New Bedford, Mass. (38605). Son of Frederic and Elizabeth Delano (Howland) Taber; grandson of James Henry and Frances Louisa (Peters) Howland; great-grandson of John and Susanna (Thompson) Peters; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Elizabeth Farrington (Davis) Peters; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Andrew Peters*, Sergeant, Massachusetts Militia, at Lexington Alarm.
- WILLIAM RAY TABLER, Wilkensburg, Pa. (38679). Son of Daniel C. and Ella (Core) Tabler; grandson of William S. and Elizabeth (Barnes) Tabler; great-grandson of Moses and Elizabeth (—) Barnes; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Lewin and Hannah (Slack) Barnes; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Henry Slack*, Sergeant, Col. Chester Harrison's Regt., Maryland First Artillery, Cont'l Troops.
- ARTHUR BELL TARPLEY, Nashville, Tenn. (38379). Son of Thomas Watson and Nancy Elizabeth (Holt) Tarpley; grandson of Henry and Betty (Elizabeth) (McGuire) Holt; great-grandson of *William McGuire*, Lieutenant, First Regt., Virginia Artillery, Cont'l Troops.
- WARREN JAMES TAYLOR, Thermopolis, Wyo. (38253). Son of James and Mary (O'Donnell) Taylor, 3d; grandson of James and Lucinda (—) Taylor, 2d; great-grandson of James and Phœbe (Wildes) Taylor; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Sarah (Waterhouse) Taylor, 4th; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Taylor*, private, Col. John Vixon's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- WILLIAM CHARLES TERRY, Roslindale, Mass. (38435). Son of William Tyler and Mary (Pike) Terry; grandson of Reuben Egleston and Mary Diantha (Crandall) Terry; great-grandson of *Reuben Terry*, private, Col. Nathan Sparhawk's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- \*FREDERIC CHARLES THAROOD, St. Paul, Minn. (38320). Son of Charles and Mae Isabelle (Newell) Crittenden; grandson of William Pitt and Susannah Valentine (Rockefeller) Newell; great-grandson of William P. and Phœbe (Fox) Newell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Simeon Newell*, Second Lieutenant, Connecticut Cont'l Troops, Captain, Third Co., Eighth Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- HOWARD GODELL THOMPSON, Wash. (36657). Supplemental. Son of Archibald Brewer and Mary Elizabeth (Eddy) Thompson; grandson of John Wilkes and Mary Maria (Bushnell) Eddy; great-grandson of Thomas and Nancy (Blood) Bushnell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jared Blood*, private, Col. Luke Drury's Regt., Massachusetts Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Isaiah Blood*, Corporal and Sergeant, Worcester County, Massachusetts Militia.
- HENRY CADLEY TICHENER, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38247). Son of John Whitehead and Ann Eliza (Towill) Tichener; grandson of Nathan Whitehead and Nancy (Little) Tichener; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Mary (Bruen) Tichener; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Bruen*, private, Second Regt., Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- JAMES CLARK TIPPENS, Nashville, Tenn. (38385). Son of W. N. and Anne Martin (Clark) Tippins; grandson of William Martin and Mary Elizabeth (Blackman) Clark; great-grandson of Martin and Charity Ann Horn (Battle) Clark; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Isaac and Lucinda (Mayo) Battle; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of William and Charity (Horn) Battle; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Elisha Battle*, Member of Halifax, North Carolina Provincial Congress of '76.

\* Name changed from Crittenden to Tharood by adoption.

- OLIVER WILLIAM TONG, Minneapolis, Minn. (38314). Son of Lucius G. and Bridget C. (Ball) Tong; grandson of Oliver Perry and Elinor E. (Poorman) Tong; great-grandson of William H. and Rebecca (Watson) Tong; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Tong*, Minute Man, Capt. Rezin Beal's Regt., Maryland Troops, pensioned.
- THOMAS THOMSON TOWLES, Richmond, Va. (36564). Son of William Beverley and Mary Ellen (Thomson) Towles; grandson of William Beverley and Harriet C. M. (Johnson) Towles; great-grandson of Oliver and Agatha (Lewis) Towles; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Oliver Towles*, Lieutenant-Colonel, Virginia Cont'l Troops, wounded and prisoner.
- LEWIS C. TRENT, Max, N. D. (36950). Son of Hugh P. and Mary Jane (Hall) Trent; grandson of Abner and Nancy (Overstreet) Hall; great-grandson of *John Overstreet*, private, First and Tenth Regts., Virginia Cont'l Troops.
- ELBERT LEE TRINKLE, Richmond, Va. (36573). Son of Elbert Stephen (or Sevier) and Letitia Mary (Sexton) Trinkle; grandson of Stephen and Sarah (Trolinger) Trinkle; great-grandson of *Christopher Trinkle*, private, Twelfth and Eighth Regts., Virginia Troops.
- NELSON SMITH TROTTMAN, Wis. (452). Supplemental. Son of James Franklin and Frances Margaret (Smith) Trotzman; grandson of Horatio Nelson and Laura (Chase) Smith; great-grandson of George and Eliza (Grover) Chase; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Philander and May (Fay) Chase; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Dudley and Allace (Corbett) Chase; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Chase*, Sergeant, Col. Jonathan Chase's Regt., New Hampshire Militia.
- ALLAN LINCOLN TRUAX, Crosby, N. D. (36947). Son of John Galbraith and Louisa (Rouse) Truax; grandson of John and Mary (Galbraith) Truax; great-grandson of Isaac and Helena (Marcellus) Truax; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Abraham J. Truax*, private, New York Cont'l Troops, Ensign, Albany County Militia.
- HAROLD RICHARDS ULRICH, Toledo, Ohio (38094). Son of Frank E. and Mary A. (Richards) Ulrich; grandson of Lewis Y. and Harriet A. (Brancher) Richards; great-grandson of Isaac and Mary (Washburn) Brancher; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Hannah (—) Washburn; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Washburn*, private, Col. John Fellows' Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- ARTHUR TURNER VANCE, Fort Washington, N. Y. (38405). Son of Jules Comfort and Marietta (Southworth) Vance; grandson of Robert and Mary Ann (Wilcox) Vance; great-grandson of *James Vance*, private, Col. John Hawthorn's Regt., Orange County, New York Militia.
- EGMONT CHARLES VON TRESCKOW, Camden, S. C. (23349). Son of Egmont and Jane A. (Eldredge) von Tresckow; grandson of Charles and Janet Pamela (Waterman) Eldredge; great-grandson of Christopher and Olive (Whitney) Eldredge, 3d; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Christopher Eldredge, 2d*, Captain of a New London, Connecticut Privateer, and wounded at Groton Heights.
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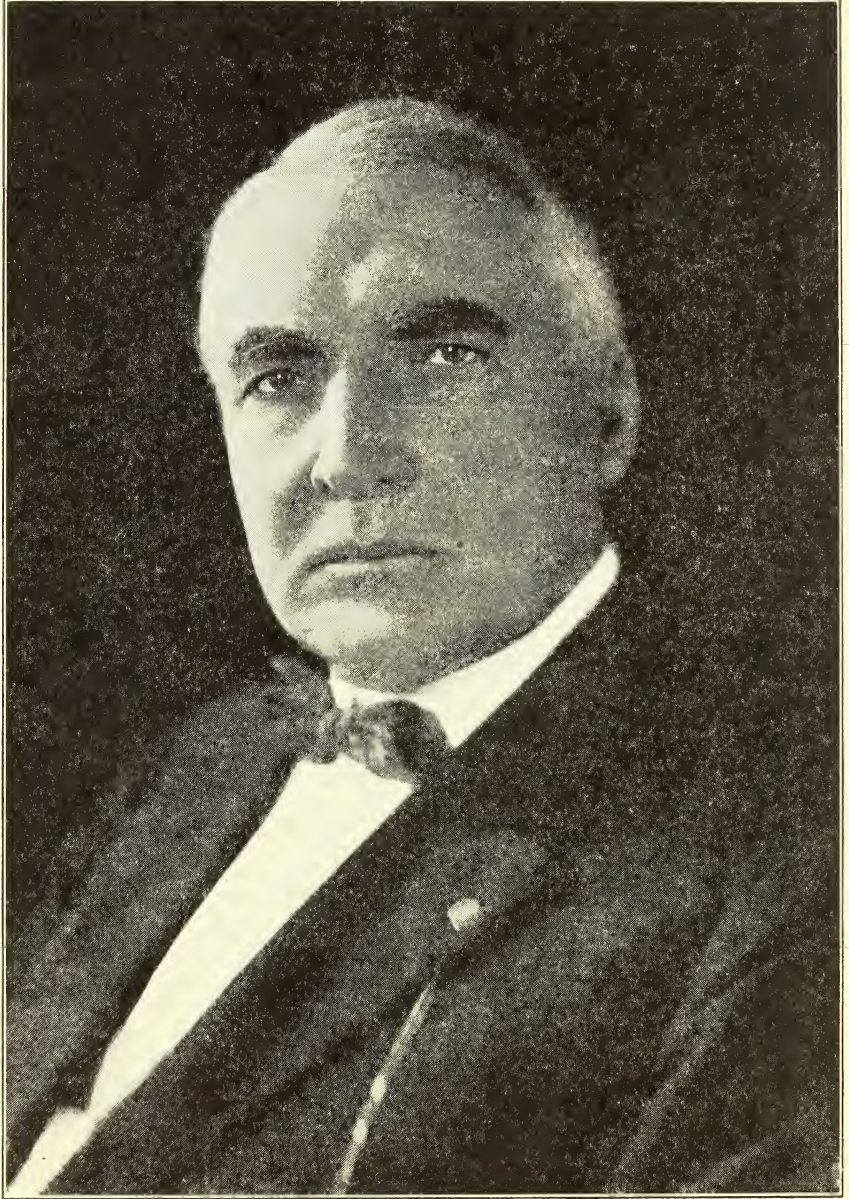
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**OUR LATE COMPATRIOT  
WARREN G. HARDING**

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**August 2, 1923**

BY LYMAN WHITNEY ALLEN, D. D.

*Formerly Chaplain General, National Society, S. A. R.*

Martyr to duty, lo, he fell.  
Then rose his bright commanding soul,  
To be the Nation's sentinel  
On heights the Sons of God control.

The Constitution and the Cross  
He held aloft together,—sign  
That Freedom should not suffer loss  
Nor Virtue's high ideals decline.

His death has proved apocalypse  
Of a great People's finer sense  
Of life. A sudden sorrow grips  
Men's hearts, and shames their negligence.

His faith has turned a Morning Star  
Upon the Nation's darkened sky,—  
God's token, sweet and singular,  
Our Father's dreams shall never die.

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(EXTRACTS FROM CONSTITUTION)

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### SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!

It is with great pleasure that announcement is made of the issuing of a Charter to the new State Society of West Virginia. Principally through the efforts of Mr. Harry C. Compton, of Grafton, the necessary fifteen signatures to the application were obtained, with one or two new additional members. The organization of officers and personnel is not quite completed, but the document has been officially signed by the National Officers and turned over to Vice-President Bowman, and Vice-Chairman Millspaugh of the Organization Committee for that district and the organization will be completed very shortly. We wish our new organization every success.

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Compatriots having issues of the BULLETIN or Year Books of the National Society, which they do not care to keep and would be willing to turn over to the Secretary General or Registrar General for the files of the National Society, will confer a favor by communicating with the Secretary General.

Numbers desired are: Vol. VII, No. 1; Vol. XI, Nos. 3, 4; Vol. XII, Nos. 1, 3; Vol. XIII, Nos. 1, 2; Vol. XIV, Nos. 2, 4; Vol. XV, No. 3; also Vol. XI, Nos. 1, 3; Vol. XII, No. 4; December, 1906, and July, 1907.

We are greatly indebted to Registrar Teunis D. Hunting, of the Empire State Society, for supplying the Secretary General with a complete set of the volumes heretofore missing. However, additional copies of any of the above are desired and will be greatly appreciated.

**OUR LATE COMPATRIOT, WARREN G. HARDING, TWENTY-NINTH  
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES**

**Resolutions on the Death of President Harding, Drafted by the Special  
Committee Appointed by President General Sumner**

The untimely death of our distinguished Compatriot, Warren Gamaliel Harding, the President of the United States, shocked the entire civilized world.

Compatriot Warren G. Harding wrote that he was particularly proud of his membership in the Sons of the American Revolution.

We admired him for his sterling qualities, his love of duty, his devotion to his country, and all that made him a true American.

We loved him for his gentle manners, kindly nature, wholesomeness, and high ideals.

We rejoiced in his success. We were proud of the honors he justly merited. We are grieved by his too early passing on. We are thankful he was one with and of us.

Hail and farewell, beloved compatriot. Thy name is written high among the good and great.

LOUIS ANNIN AMES,

*Past President General, Sons of the American Revolution.*

W. I. LINCOLN ADAMS,

*Past President General, Sons of the American Revolution.*

HENRY W. SACKETT,

*President Empire State Society, Sons of the American Revolution.*

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**A Radio Address by Former President General, Major Washington I. L. Adams,  
Broadcasted Over W. O. R. Newark, N. J., August 13, 1923**

Our late Compatriot, Warren G. Harding, was the most distinguished member of the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution.

He was descended from a long line of sturdy American stock, which goes back much farther than the Revolutionary period. His first American ancestor settled in this country within the first half century following the settlement of the earliest American colony in Jamestown, Virginia, in 1607, and by virtue of descent from this pioneer or Founder ancestor he was a member of that small genealogical Society known as the Order of the Founders and Patriots of America.

President Harding believed in the patriotic value and practical usefulness of these and other similar hereditary organizations, as he considered that they not only fostered our most-cherished American traditions and ideals, but that they efficiently cultivated the best public sentiment of our country and helped to "crystallize" it, as he said, into wise public policies.

In this connection I should like to read a short letter which he wrote me on this very subject, as it describes in his own forceful language, so much better than I could possibly do it, just how he regarded our National patriotic Society and his own membership in it. It is dated at the White House, on February 1 of this year, and is in answer to an official invitation to attend our National Con-

gress in Nashville, Tenn., and there make (as I suggested) "a good, old-fashioned American address," such as he could so well make, not only to his compatriots in Congress assembled, but through them to his fellow-countrymen everywhere.\*

This letter is characteristic of others which he wrote me on this subject and of his expressions in conversation.

He has now been taken from us in the full maturity of his prime and of his usefulness. Like that other martyred President, Abraham Lincoln, he gave the last full measure of devotion to his country and for his countrymen. Like Lincoln, he understood and loved "the plain people," as Lincoln called them, and he was in turn loved and understood by them. It may truly be said, he had no enemies; all were his well-wishers, and he had only good-will for all his countrymen. In this respect he more closely resembled the charitable and loving Lincoln than any other of all our Presidents.

Even those who differed with and opposed him he yet continued to respect and kindly regard. He was a real friend to every one with whom he came in contact—young or old, rich or poor, high or low, men, women, and children, and especially the children. We are therefore thinking of our dear dead President today (who yet lives in our hearts and our memories) not so much as the trusted political leader, the calm and wise statesman, the glowing patriot, or even the honored President, as we are of the departed and affectionate friend, and we consequently feel this sad loss as a poignant, personal one.

For this reason it is difficult to express our feelings about Compatriot Harding on an occasion such as this, or rather it is difficult for us to control the expression of our feelings and of our emotions. Our hearts are too full for adequate expression.

The widespread and general love with which Harding was regarded by his fellow-countrymen was most dramatically expressed by the thousands who flocked to the railway stations from many miles, merely to see his funeral train pass by. The pictures of these throngs show many a tear-stained face of grown men, as well as of women and children.

And so this great and good man has gone to his well-earned rest and reward, followed by the love and the blessings of his countrymen everywhere. It only remains for us now, as admonished by the immortal Lincoln, to dedicate ourselves anew to the great tasks left by him unfinished.

May he rest in peace!

"His life was gentle, and the elements so mixed in him that Nature might stand up and say to all the world, 'This was a man.'"

Compatriot Harding, hail and farewell!

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**Several items follow of formal action by resolution or letter showing the participation of our compatriots in the nation's grief upon the death of President Harding.**

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\* This letter was printed on page 20 of the March BULLETIN, 1923.

**Telegram Prepared by Minneapolis Chapter, No. 1, of the Minnesota Society,  
by Request of the City of Minneapolis, to Convey  
Sympathy to Mrs. Harding**

MRS. WARREN G. HARDING,  
*Marion, Ohio:*

The citizens of Minneapolis, in mass meeting assembled to pay tribute to the memory of our great and beloved President, Warren G. Harding, extend to you their deepest sympathy and join in the Nation's grief.

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**LETTER OF SYMPATHY TO MRS. HARDING**

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., *August 7, 1923.*

MRS. WARREN G. HARDING,  
*Washington, D. C.*

DEAR MRS. HARDING:

We, Minneapolis Chapter, No. 1, Sons of the American Revolution, extend to you our deepest sympathy in this hour of sorrow. We assure you that we hold in highest respect the memory of Compatriot Warren G. Harding. His staunch and sincere patriotism and his simple Christian faith and character have endeared him to us and to the American people, and we feel his loss most keenly. We rejoice, as we know you must, that the things he has accomplished for America, the world, and mankind will not die, but live on, and that our country and the world have been permanently benefited by his works and his example.

Sincerely yours,

MINNEAPOLIS CHAPTER, NO. 1,  
SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.  
CHARLES P. SCHOUTEN, *President.*

LOUIS P. CHUTE, *Secretary.*

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**GREETING AND PLEDGE TO PRESIDENT COOLIDGE**

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., *August 7, 1923.*

TO THE PRESIDENT, CALVIN COOLIDGE,  
*Washington, D. C.*

MR. PRESIDENT AND COMPATRIOT:

We, Minneapolis Chapter, No. 1, Sons of the American Revolution, greet you and pledge to you our loyalty and support in your high office.

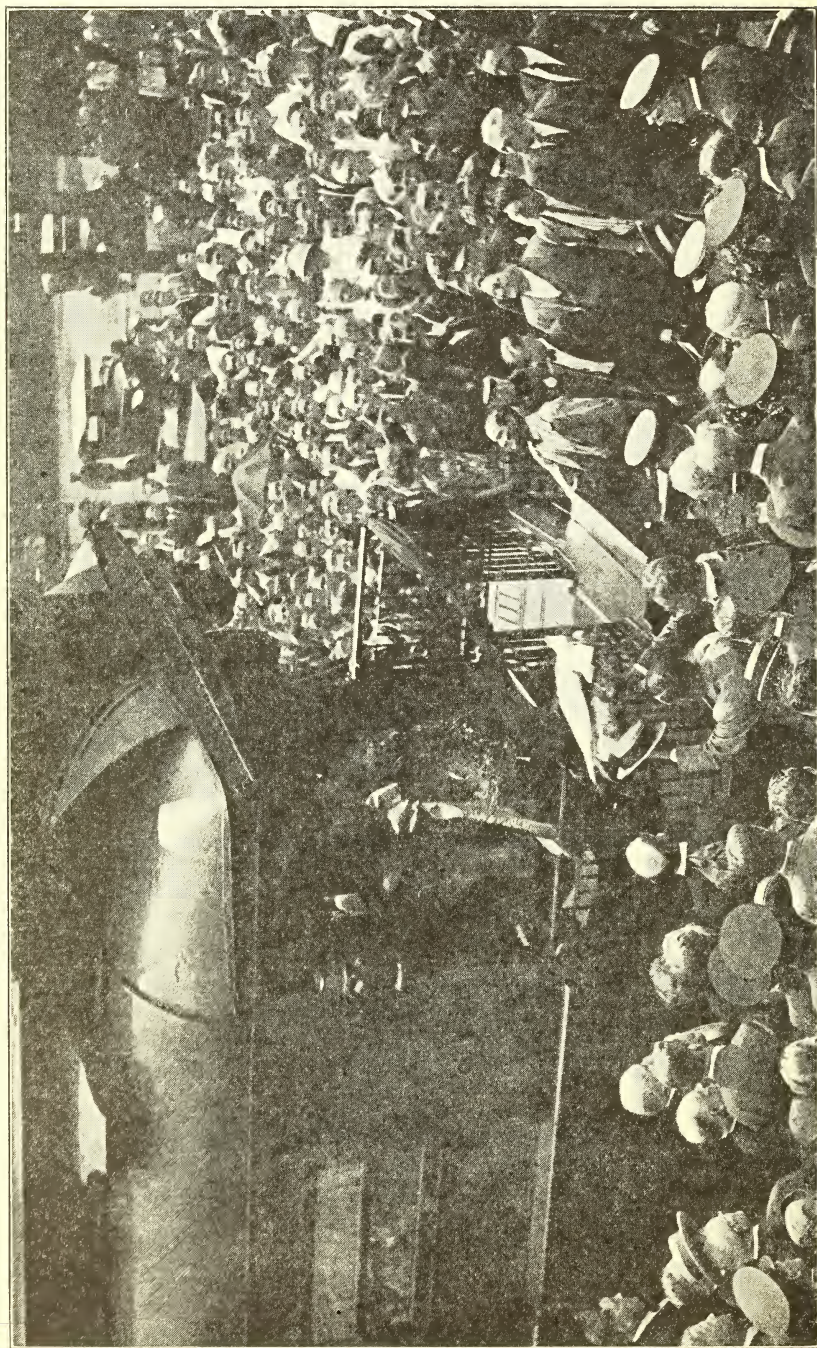
We and our country have suffered an irreparable loss by the death of our beloved compatriot, Warren G. Harding, who as President of the United States endeared himself to the people of this Nation and won their highest respect by his simple, honest, true, Christian manhood, and by the wisdom with which he guided us and helped the world through this troublesome period.

It is with a feeling of confidence and faith in the future that we realize that his place is filled by you, a man of similar character and sterling qualities.

Very sincerely yours,

MINNEAPOLIS CHAPTER, NO. 1,  
SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.  
CHARLES P. SCHOUTEN, *President.*

LOUIS P. CHUTE, *Secretary.*



ARRIVAL OF PRESIDENT HARDING'S BODY AT PITTSBURGH

### RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY

The Pennsylvania Sons of the American Revolution, at a meeting of the State board of managers, adopted the following minutes in memory of President Harding, prepared by Past President W. C. Lyne, a personal friend of President Harding of long standing :

"The board of managers of the Pennsylvania Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, convened in Pittsburgh August 6, in the shadow of the national sorrow that bows in grief the heads and hearts of patriots, hereby places on the records of the Society minutes its sense of the great loss to this patriotic organization of Compatriot Warren Gamaliel Harding, who on August 2 passed from his honored field of abundant usefulness and distinguished service.

"Compatriot Harding had been conspicuous for many years as one of the truest, most loyal, and honored Sons of the American Revolution, earnestly interested in conserving the spirit and records of the Fathers of the Revolution, who established the American Republic and its form of government upon the Constitution of the United States. He gave without stint his best thought and valued time, even amid the multifold responsibilities and duties of the Chief Executive of this great Nation, as evidence of his warm sympathy and ardent support of the patriotic objectives for which this Society stands. We are not unmindful that during last year he used each of the four patriotic observances of the Pennsylvania Society—Armistice Day, Flag Day, Constitutional Day, and Washington's Birthday—as occasions to send to the patriots of Pennsylvania warm greetings, accompanied by patriotic messages of force and beauty and inspiring in appeal for the strengthening and uplifting of American citizenship, with obligations to honor and obey to the utmost the Constitution and law.

"He combined, in a peculiarly marked manner, high qualities of pure patriotism with broad-vision statesmanship, and, as is generally recognized, he as the Chief Magistrate of this great Nation was most helpful in organizing, vitalizing, and harmonizing political and social forces along broad, constructive lines of efficiency.

"In common with all who knew him, we bear testimony that Compatriot Harding was not only a great executive in his conscientious discharge of heavy responsibilities and official duties, but as a man he was most lovable, affable, and kind-hearted, winning all he came in contact with by his cordial friendliness and genial ways. Now that he has passed as a martyr to duty and met his Pilot "face to face," we offer our sincere sympathy to his bereaved wife and companion of his trials and triumphs, feeling that in this hour she is strengthened by the consciousness that, during his life of rich usefulness to his country and mankind, he kept the faith, walked humbly and did justly, and can say in humble sincerity, "Master, I have done Thy bidding. The light is low in the west. The long shift is over. Master, I have earned it—rest."

(Signed)

W. C. LYNE,

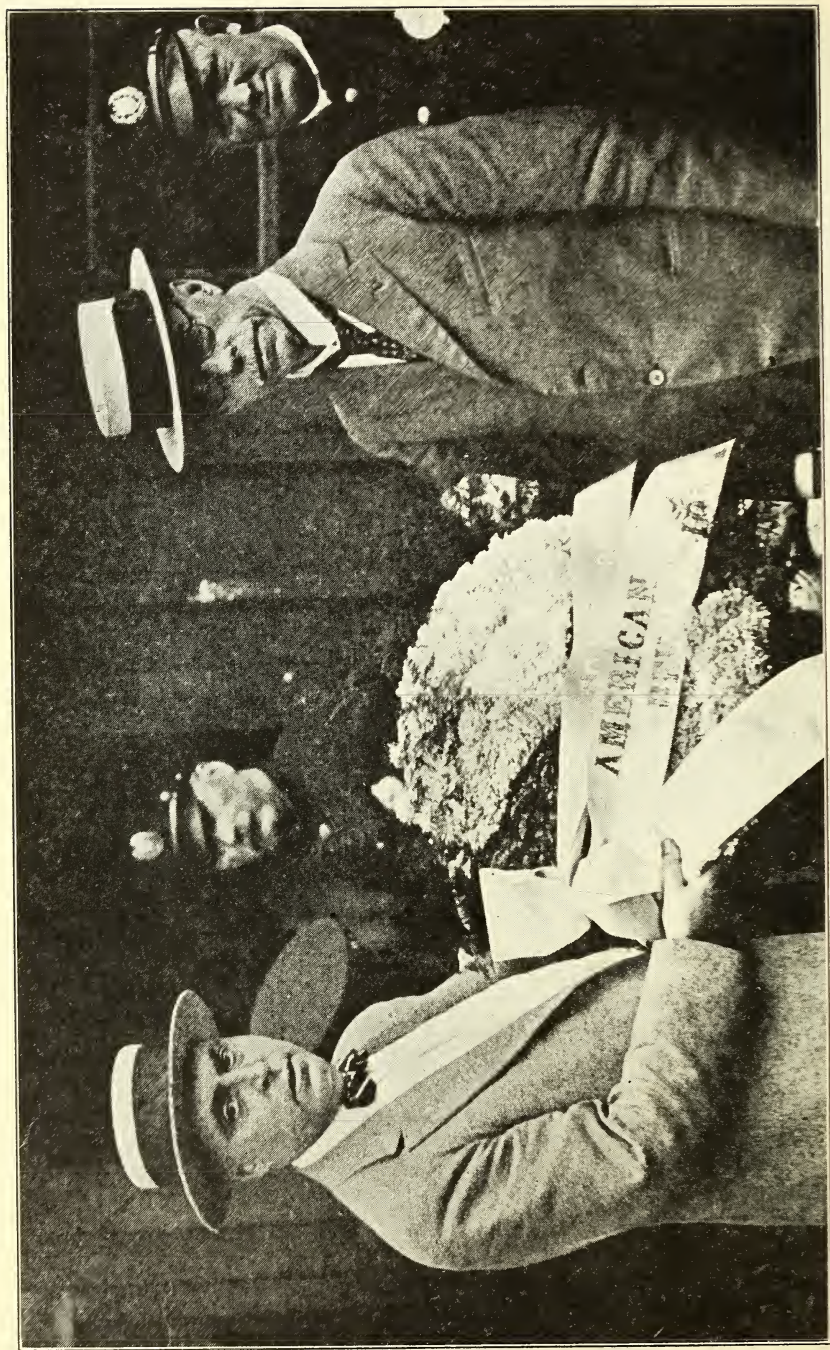
*Chairman of Memorial Committee.*

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The pictures show the Pennsylvania Society Sons of the American Revolution paying tribute to Compatriot Warren G. Harding as the funeral train passes through Pittsburgh. On the opposite page is shown ex-State President W. C. Lyne with Registrar W. J. Askin presenting the wreath. On the following page is shown these two compatriots with the floral emblem.

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The Ohio State Society sent a beautiful wreath to Mrs. Harding and letter of condolence, and was represented at the funeral of our late President by Mr. Harry H. Hoard, of Cleveland and Lakewood, State President.



EX-STATE PRESIDENT W. C. LYNE AND REGISTRAR W. J. ASKIN PRESENTING THE WREATH



**DATE OF CONGRESS IN SALT LAKE CITY FIXED**

Just as we go to press, the following telegram was received from the President of the Utah Society:

Utah Society has definitely set dates for holding Thirty-fifth Annual Congress of National Society at Salt Lake City, July 20, 21, and 22, 1924. Overfield advises these dates are satisfactory to President General. On behalf of the Utah Society, I extend a most cordial and hearty welcome to our compatriots throughout the nation to meet with us next year, and can assure you all of a genuine Western welcome. Please give official notice in October BULLETIN.

JOHN QUALE CANNON,  
*President.*

**DIRECTOR GENERAL LORD**

Harry T. Lord, of New Hampshire, Director General and former Vice-President General for the Eastern District, was stricken at his office in Manchester, N. H., on September 1 last, and died within a few hours. Mr. Lord has taken deep interest in the work of the Sons of the American Revolution during the past few years, and as Vice-President General for the New England District and member of the Executive Committee has given of his time and ability. He had been prominent in New Hampshire politics and at one time was President of the State Senate. He had also performed splendid service during the World War as a member of the draft board. A more fitting memorial to him will be dedicated by a proper committee and published in a later issue of the BULLETIN.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Past President General Major Washington I. L. Adams made the address on our late compatriot, Warren G. Harding, at the public memorial service, which was held in his home city of Montclair, N. J., Friday forenoon, August 10, pursuant to the proclamation of Compatriot Calvin Coolidge, President of the United States. The church was crowded to the doors and the service was a most impressive one.

Compatriots are introduced in this issue to our new page, "Notes and Queries." We hope that this will prove a very valuable service to the membership generally, and we are greatly indebted to Registrar General Culver for his willingness to conduct such a department, and are assured that in his hands it will be very capably managed.

In order that the December issue of the OFFICIAL BULLETIN shall reach the hands of compatriots during that month instead of some time in January, all contributions should be sent to the Secretary General *before November 20*. Anything received after that date will have to wait for a later issue. The co-operation of all National and State Officers is earnestly requested.

**APPOINTMENTS ON SPECIAL NATIONAL COMMITTEES**

President General Sumner has appointed the following named compatriots upon the Special National Committees authorized by the Nashville Congress:

## NATIONAL COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS FOR 1924 CONGRESS

Elmer M. Wentworth, *Chairman*, Iowa.  
 Louis Annin Ames, New York.  
 Chauncey P. Overfield, Utah.

## COMMITTEE ON OFFICIAL GRAVE-MARKERS

Newell B. Woodworth, *Chairman*, Syracuse, N. Y.  
 Dr. Thomas J. W. Brown, Washington, D. C.  
 Hon. Harry T. Lord,\* Manchester, N. H.

## COMMITTEE ON IMMIGRATION

Marvin H. Lewis, *Chairman*, Louisville, Ky.  
 Dr. George D. Barney, New York, N. Y.  
 Royal S. Copeland, New York, N. Y.  
 Selden M. Ely, Washington, D. C.  
 Henry W. Sackett, New York, N. Y.  
 R. C. Schanck, Pittsburgh, Pa.

## COMMITTEE FOR PRESERVATION OF SARATOGA BATTLEFIELD

Charles E. Ogden, *Chairman*, Rochester, N. Y.  
 W. I. Lincoln Adams, Montclair, N. J.  
 Frederick M. Alger, Detroit, Mich.  
 Louis Annin Ames, New York, N. Y.  
 Royal S. Copeland, New York, N. Y.  
 Dr. Walter J. Sherman, Toledo, Ohio.  
 James W. Wadsworth, Jr., Geneseo, N. Y.

## COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC SAFETY

Frederick DeG. Hahn, Elizabeth, N. J.  
 Newell B. Woodworth, Syracuse, N. Y.  
 Herbert A. Rice, Providence, R. I.  
 Henry S. Sloan, Milwaukee, Wis.  
 James E. Brown, Chicago, Ill.  
 Henry H. Hoard, Cleveland, Ohio.  
 Col. W. S. Mayer, Galveston, Texas.

## COMMITTEE ON YORKTOWN BATTLEFIELD

Col. Eugene C. Massie, Richmond, Va.  
 Lieut.-Col. John Stites, Louisville, Ky.  
 Albert Phenix, Baltimore, Md.  
 R. C. Ballard Thruston, Louisville, Ky.  
 T. Murry Manadier, Baltimore, Md.  
 Leverett Belknap, Hartford, Conn.

\* Mr. Lord's death occurred suddenly, September 1.

An omission on the list of the Committee on Americanization and Aliens, as printed in the June BULLETIN, is here noted: Judge Harvey F. Remington, former chairman of this committee, is still serving as a member, and Mr. Samuel Herrick, President of the District of Columbia Society, has since been added.

It is understood that names may be added, from time to time, to any of the National Committees.

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### SUGGESTIONS BY THE COMMITTEE ON AMERICANIZATION AND ALIENS

It would seem that never before in the history of our organization have the committees appointed at the last Congress begun their work in such an energetic manner as this year. The Committee on the Saratoga Battlefield is making a most enthusiastic campaign to carry on its plans; the Constitution Day Committee had a greater success than ever; the Patriotic Education Committee is doing its far-reaching work, and many of the other important committees are making plans for the future. And now comes the Committee on Americanization and Aliens with the following far-reaching and practical suggestions which are published in the first issue of the BULLETIN in the fall, something unheard of in the annals of our Society.

This is a concrete, definite plan for work to be carried on by our Societies and Chapters in every part of the country, and the officers and members of the State Societies and Chapters are asked to read this report carefully and use the suggestions that are made by Mr. Brewer's committee in their work during the coming year. This is one of our underlying objects, and when it is put before the Society in such a clear and practical way the Societies and Chapters should be glad of the opportunity to make use of these splendid ideas.—EDITOR.

#### Suggestions to the State Societies and Local Chapters

The Society of the Sons of the American Revolution should have a very prominent and positive place in preserving those principles and ideals secured by our ancestors which have combined to put our land in the forefront of the nations of the world and which are now being violently attacked and may, if we are not watchful, be overthrown or so misused as to lose their pristine effectiveness and power. In so doing we will not only be fulfilling our obligations as citizens and patriots, but we will also bring a degree of credit to our Society that will make membership a thing sought for because of exemplary well-doing and not altogether by reason of the fortunes of ancestry.

Believing that brief suggestions as to opportunities for work along lines that have already proven successful will be helpful to many of our State Societies and local Chapters, the Committee on Americanization and Aliens submits the following outline of activities, any or all of which may be put into operation with very little difficulty, for the will to do makes smooth the path of doing:

(1) In the schools:

- (a) Essays for prizes, medals, or other awards upon subjects connected with our history, government, and institutions.
- (b) Pageants, plays, and programs properly celebrating historic events, emphasizing local participation and characters if possible.

(c) Distribution of carefully selected literature which can be taken home and read by the children to their parents.

(2) Among aliens who are citizens or about to be so:

(a) Distribution of carefully selected literature published by responsible organizations.

(b) Classes in English (should be conducted by school authorities.)

(c) Classes in American history, institutions, customs, etc.

(d) Receptions for newly made citizens.

(e) Ceremony at naturalization court (to be submitted by Committee on Ceremonials).

(f) Classes for new voters.

(3) Award traveling banners to Boy Scout Troop in community which has best record in securing Merit Badge for American history, politics, etc.; banner should become permanent property of troop winning it three years in succession.

Same to apply to Girl Scouts.

(4) In distribution of literature and organization of civics classes, co-operation of local and State Federation of Labor unions should be sought, since this is all anti-radical propaganda and fits in with their avowed animosity toward radicalism.

All of the above suggestions are clearly feasible and practical for even small communities and Chapters to undertake. Work among the children in the schools is very important, for it is among them that seeds of anti-Americanism are being sown, and the effect can be in a great measure counteracted through the study necessary in essay competition, by arousing the imagination in pageants and patriotic exercises and by reading safe and sane literature about our country, its government, institutions, and laws.

Among the men, classes in English should be in the regular school system. We can co-operate in securing good attendance, which is most essential, by giving prizes or other awards for attendance and excellent work. The civics classes are, we feel, the most important work our Societies and Chapters can undertake. There are three angles to this work.

First. The work carried on in the public night schools. The books used and attitude of teachers is most important. The city of Rochester, N. Y., has done this work very successfully, and we are sure that the director, Mr. Charles E. French, would gladly advise other communities as to proper organization methods, etc. Chapters can take the matter up with their local boards of education and see that classes are organized.

Second. The work carried on by a local Chapter or group. In this case the volunteer teacher, who need not be a pedagogue, should be sufficiently interested to be present at every class, and if a paid instructor is secured the same attendance should be required. Classes should be organized in groups of from 10 to 20 and meetings held once or twice a week, in a convenient location. We recommend for a text-book one published by the International Y. M. C. A., entitled "Civics for Coming Americans," and in amplification of what that book contains the teacher should grasp every opportunity to preach anti-radicalism by the negative process of teaching real Americanism. The course should take about 20 lessons 1½ hours each, and a portion of the session should be given to asking questions of each student. At the close a written examination in simple form should be given, and in rating consideration of the pupils' attendance should be taken into account. A very valuable arrangement can be made through the Federal naturalization

examiner in each district, who can authorize the superintendent of schools in a particular community to conduct the classes and give the examination. Those who pass are certified to the examiner, who secures from the Department of Labor at Washington an official diploma, which practically guarantees the holder immunity from examination by the naturalization authorities or the court upon the subjects passed. The superintendent will designate, if required, the location of the class and the instructor, according to the plans of the Chapter, but usually all the Federal examiner wants, when our organization is involved, is the final test by the superintendent of schools. The New Jersey Society has operated classes under this plan for several years and further information can be secured from it. This is the most important work along Americanization lines that our Society can do, and where the Government diploma feature can be included we have a most potent argument to induce men to come to the classes and stay through the whole course. The aliens who should be approached are those who have filed their petition for naturalization, lists of whom can be readily secured from the clerk of the naturalization court. Your chairman will gladly elaborate upon the outline above given for any group desiring to undertake the work.

Third. Same as second, only the S. A. R. group works in co-operation with the Y. M. C. A., K. of C., Y. M. H. A., American Legion, labor unions, or any other organization of a similar character; in which case we should furnish the teachers as far as possible and have the others work up the classes.

Your committee respectfully submits the above suggestions and ideas, and we ask you not to hesitate to communicate with us for further and other information you may desire. In any event, we trust that your organization is sufficiently alive to the ever-present menace of the inboring radical and destructionist, who is always and untiringly on the job to make this Americanization work in some phase a serious, well-directed business, and by so doing you will be of actual service to your community, you will belie the alien's lament that nobody takes pains to give him an understanding of America, and you will give your Society a wonderful opportunity to expand and become more influential and respected for what it actually has accomplished.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY FRANK BREWER,  
*Chairman.*

**GRAMMAR-SCHOOL MEDALS TO PROMOTE CITIZENSHIP**

The following letter was sent out to State and Chapter officers a few weeks ago in order to get the matter of these medals started this fall. The March BULLETIN gave a preliminary outline of the method of distribution, which was based upon three characteristics: dependability, as evidenced by the pupil's punctuality; truthfulness, honesty, loyalty, and self-control; co-operation, as evidenced by respect for authority, for property, and the rights of others; leadership, as evidenced by what the pupil has done to make his school a better school. These medals are now ready for distribution and a sample will be sent to any Society or member wishing to inspect the very attractive design.



BUFFALO, N. Y., *September 17, 1923.*

DEAR SIR AND COMPATRIOT:

As you may know, one of the accomplishments of the Nashville Congress was the unanimous adoption of the new medals to be presented to school pupils for the achievement of the highest standing in good citizenship. The preliminary details of the plan are explained in the article in the OFFICIAL BULLETIN for March, page 30.

The idea seems to have made a deep impression in many parts of the country and enthusiastic responses have been received, and we have been solicited by several other organizations for an opportunity to co-operate in this work.

The committee in charge is anxious to have this plan made practically universal in our Society, and if you have not already taken up the plan with your State Society or Chapter, will you not do so at once, and write to the Secretary General that you will assist in carrying out the plan.

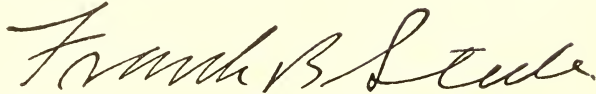
The expense is nominal, \$1.00 for each medal, and no Society or Chapter should hesitate to take up the matter of presenting these medals to their grammar-grade pupils. In the average city the number of schools would not be more than twenty-five or fifty, and this amount expended in such a far-reaching and practical way should accomplish results that would more than repay the outlay.

Full details of this plan for presenting the medals and the literature that will accompany the order for medals have been worked out and will be sent to the State Societies and Chapters on application.

The school year is just starting, and if this plan is to be a success it must be started during the next month or six weeks.

Hoping to receive your co-operation,

Very truly yours,



Secretary General.

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### BRIEF PREPARED FOR THE KENTUCKY TEXT-BOOK COMMISSION

LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, June 22, 1923.

*To the Honorable Text-Book Commission, Commonwealth of Kentucky.*

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned committee, representing and speaking for the Kentucky Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, respectfully submits for your consideration the views of our organization relative to the manner in which some of our school text-books are presenting certain phases of our country's history.

Ours is a patriotic society, dedicated to historical research, to the inculcation of the principles of good citizenship, and to the preservation of that high patriotism and idealism "that has made and preserved us a nation." We feel, therefore, that it is our imperative duty to call to your attention certain current weaknesses in many of our school histories—weaknesses that, if left uncorrected and unrebuked, may in time work serious injury to our national character.

One of the flagrant weaknesses of some of our present-day writers of American history texts is the omission of the names and deeds of many of the most dramatic and picturesque characters of the American Revolution. Men whose names and exploits have been an unfailing source of inspiration to millions of American youth and whose achievements and patriotic sacrifices have been the theme of poets and orators are not mentioned by many of these historians. And what will be the inevitable reaction to this? The children of future generations will be deprived of the stimulating influence of the lives and deeds of these immortals; and, what is of equal concern, the children of the foreign-born who seek our shores will be kept in ignorance of much of the richness of our history, a knowledge of which would go far toward moulding them into real Americans.

The excuse of these historians is that a school history should trace "movements" and "institutions," and not give undue emphasis to heroes and battles. They contend, and rightfully so, that most of our school histories of the past were not scholarly—were unscientific, inaccurate, and without balance. But in attempting to correct these weaknesses they have gone to the other extreme, with the result that their texts offer silent indignities to many of the most sacred names and deeds of our forefathers. Of course, we want "epochs" and "movements" and "institutions" scientifically developed and presented, but that policy gives no historian the right to omit from the pages of his book the names of the *men* who led the *movements*, whose sacrifices created the *institutions*, and whose vision shaped

the *epochs*. When all is said, gentlemen, the example of a noble life, the inspiration of a patriotic deed, is worth more to an American high-school boy than an abstract discourse on the Articles of Confederation or an analysis of the banking policies of Alexander Hamilton. In no other period of his life is he more sensitive to the influence of great men and great achievements than in those plastic years of his school career.

Not only are such names as Marion, Sumter, Pickens, Light-Horse Harry Lee, John Stark, Nathan Hale, Dr. Warren, and many others of equal renown omitted from many of these histories, but great events in our struggle for independence are given scant mention. In Muzzey's American History, a book typical of this type of text, and used in many of our high schools, only one sentence is devoted to the Battle of Bunker Hill; bare mention is made of Valley Forge, while the battles of Trenton and Princeton are honored with but a part of a sentence. We contend that any high-school history that fails to give the proper dignity to such pre-eminent historical matter as these events is unfit to inspire real Americanism in the hearts of our youth.

Furthermore, Muzzey's History and others—we mention Muzzey because of the fact that it is widely used—appear to labor under the impression that the righteousness of the American Revolution is a debatable question. There seems to be a studious effort to discount such men as the Adamses, Jefferson, Hamilton, Henry, and others, at the same time subtly palliating the conduct of the British Government.

Our Society has no desire to "twist the lion's tail"; we share with our kinsman across the sea the common heritage of tradition, literature, and law; we respect the British Empire and pay tribute to her greatness; but these considerations do not impel us to discount our own history or our own rights. To the Sons of the American Revolution the righteousness of the cause of the men who fought at Lexington, Bunker Hill, and Yorktown is not a debatable question—a view concurred in by such eminent English statesmen as Burke, Fox, and Pitt. The ties of blood and language are not of sufficient warrant to prompt us to belittle our own fundamental rights and aspirations.

Reverting to Muzzey's niggardly treatment of some of the battles of the Revolution, and likewise illustrative of his pro-British proclivities, permit us to call your attention to this fact: He dismisses the Battle of Bunker Hill with these words: "In June Gage's army stormed the works on Bunker Hill"; and yet, in treating of Wolfe and the Battle of Quebec, he devotes more than 200 words to that British victory. He pays eloquent tribute to Wolfe, who richly merited it; but not a word for the sublime sacrifices of Dr. Warren and Nathan Hale, and thirteen words for the bloody footprints of Valley Forge!

This brief does not permit of space to amplify these citations, or to direct your attention to certain inaccuracies in the text—an examination of the book will justify our statement that they exist.

Let us say, in conclusion, however, that in the latter pages of Muzzey's History are to be found sentences, cleverly placed, that have a ring decidedly socialistic. There is a kind of flippancy in many of these latter paragraphs that smacks of the "soap-box" orator.

Not a few have criticized Muzzey on the ground of partianship, and we believe that such a criticism is merited; and while it is not within the province of such an organization as ours to apply the political "testing rod" to a book of this kind



(our interest being patriotic), nevertheless we consider it extremely poor taste on the part of a text-book writer for high schools to discuss political and economic questions as a partisan.

Confident that we may rely upon your judgment and patriotism to safeguard the interests of our children in the matter of selecting for them the proper type of school history, we respectfully submit our brief.

JAMES H. RICHMOND,  
R. C. BALLARD THRUSTON,  
MARVIN H. LEWIS,  
CURRAN POPE,

*Committee.*

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### SARATOGA BATTLEFIELD COMMITTEE

The Saratoga Battlefield Association, Inc., the incorporation papers having been filed with the Secretary of State, is the outgrowth of action taken by the Rochester Chapter, Empire State Society, which resulted in resolutions being presented before the National Congress at Nashville last May. As a result of these resolutions the President General appointed a committee of seven to take steps toward forming an association which would carry on the work and preserve these historic grounds. This committee is announced on another page of this issue.

After careful consideration, the committee decided in favor of forming an association, and on August 24 articles of incorporation were filed with the Secretary of State in Albany. The incorporators and directors and other officers of the new patriotic association are composed of some of the best-known patriotic citizens in the country. The headquarters of the association will be in Rochester. A vigorous campaign for funds to carry out the purpose of the association will be waged.

Such organizations as the Sons of the American Revolution, the Sons of the Revolution, Daughters of the American Revolution, Society of New England, Colonial Dames, and others are interested in this work of making the Saratoga battlefield a patriotic park.

Saratoga Battlefields Association, Inc., organized as a membership corporation under the laws of the State, has been formed primarily to administer the Saratoga battlefields in the interests of patriotic education. Its application for a certificate of incorporation says its purposes are:

"To stimulate and promote patriotism in all who owe allegiance to or dwell within the confines of the United States of America, and by education and dissemination of literature to create a more intimate knowledge of the struggles and sacrifices made by our forefathers, who were responsible for the events which culminated in the birth of our Republic and the consequent guarantee of freedom to every citizen.

"To keep constantly before all who owe allegiance to our country and our flag, by written and spoken word and by precept, the glory of the freedom which our forefathers secured by their sacrifices and which all mankind within our Republic enjoy under the Constitution of the United States and its several States.

"To acquire and hold title to land and property for the purpose of fostering such objects, and particularly the land situated in the County of Saratoga, State of New York, upon which the battles were fought which culminated in the surrender of General Burgoyne October 17, 1777, and to create thereof a park, to be known as the Saratoga Battlefield Park, and to erect therein suitable buildings, which shall be open to visitors at all reasonable times."

## GET 'EM IN

The following little story was prepared by our good compatriot, Colonel Churchill, President of the Louisiana Society, by request, for presentation at the Nashville Congress, but time did not permit. It is practical and suggestive, and for that reason we give it space here. One has only to remember that the Louisiana Society started out with a nominal membership of about 60 about the time Colonel Churchill took hold of it, with every evidence of having laid itself down to die a quiet and unprotesting death. The first thing was to hew it down, which was done, all the deadwood eliminated, and then the building process began. Since that time about 485 members have been added to the rolls. "Hard work and plenty of it," as Colonel Churchill says, a systematic campaign, is the only way to "Get 'em in."—EDITOR.

"Just exactly how to go about increasing the membership of any one State or city organization is hard to say. It depends entirely upon conditions and what help you can get. One thing is certain, that if you are going to depend upon other people to help you do this work, you are going to get fooled. Another certainty is that it means a lot of hard, hard work. I speak from experience and I know what I am talking about.

"Five years ago, when I became President of the Louisiana Society, I was told that it would be a very easy matter to get members; that all I would have to do was to get up a list of eligibles and go out and get 'em. It was not very long before I found that this was a fallacy. As a matter of fact, lists or no lists, it meant all kinds of work.

"At all events, the first thing I did was to find out who were really members of the Louisiana Society. I mean by that who really took an interest in the thing. I proceeded to work down rather than to work up. When the thing got wound up, instead of having about seventy members on our roll, I found that we had about thirty. In other words, we simply dropped a lot of dead material and started to build up from the very ground. The first survey I made was with the material present. I found out how many of our members had brothers who were eligible, fathers, sons, cousins, and kinfolks. We then got busy and got quite a number in that way. Then we got each member to send in a list of such eligibles as he could think of. We took it up with the various D. A. R. organizations and asked for a list of brothers and husbands and sons. We immediately gained a few members that way. However, after getting these lists together, I again found that it was a question of hard work; but by systematizing the work and using a regular follow-up system we got a few more members. And, speaking of the follow-up system, I believe that that is the only real successful way to get new members in. Just hound them until they come in to get rid of you. Of course, on many of those that we were following up, I was able in many instances to practically complete their papers; in other words, have the papers made up. In many instances I would personally go to the man and tackle him to become a member. Of course, he would have a whole lot to say about not having time to make up the papers and a dozen and one excuses. I would then say, "My friend, the work's all done. All that you have to do is to put your name on the dotted line," and would hand him the papers. I got lots of them in that way.

"My idea has always been to get 'em in, irrespective of where I found them. The result has been that we have picked up quite a number of members from

Mississippi. I had a double purpose in that. One was to get more members in our Society, but the principal object was to get members in the State of Mississippi, so as to eventually reorganize the Society in that State. Then I got a few in from Alabama, a few in from Florida, got several from Texas; came right up here to Tennessee and got two in. My idea was to get 'em in, and, as happened in the case of the Tennessee Society, we eventually let them take a demit and become members of their own State organization. However, my plan has been to get 'em in and let them imbibe freely of the idea.

"As time went on, we picked up members from California, one or two from New York and Massachusetts, and so it went. And then the greatest thing of all happened. One of our members went to England to live. He has the right degree of enthusiasm, the right idea of getting 'em in, and it was not long before we had an application for a charter for a chapter in London. This is coming along in good shape, and we expect that very shortly we can grant them their charter.

"Another source of membership with the Louisiana Society was found among the descendants of Galvez soldiers. These people are the real blue-blood families of Louisiana, original settlers, the finest people on earth; but only a few of them could trace back. So, in order to assist them, I got busy on another track and proceeded to get copies of the muster rolls of the Spanish and French organizations that were active under Galvez in 1779, 1780, and 1781, and in these campaigns materially assisted the American colonists to win their independence. I finally succeeded in getting copies of the muster rolls of the various Spanish and Louisiana organizations which took part in these campaigns. It is a most wonderful find.

"With these authentic records we have enabled quite a number of the descendants to establish the military service of their ancestors, and in that way to become members of the Louisiana Society.

"And then the matter of publications—this is one sure way to get members into the Society. Our Year Book of 1918 was about 300 copies. The issue of 1919 was about 1,000. The issue of 1920 was 2,000. The issue of 1921 was 3,000. The issue of 1922-1923 was 3,500. We have sent these broadcast, first, to all Societies similar to our own, both male and female. We have broadcasted them to the libraries throughout the country, to historical societies, and, as a matter of fact, have asked members of our Society and of the D. A. R. Society to give us names of parties to whom we should send them, parties who would be interested. These publications have brought us lots and lots of inquiries, have brought us lots of members. I have no doubt in the world but that, broadcasted as they are, they will result in greater interest in these organizations all over the country, because wherever they are read they no doubt will start some one thinking. Quite a number of the Societies, in thanking us, have stated that bulletins of that character are beneficial to them in building up their membership.

"Those of you who have seen our bulletins no doubt have noted that in publishing our roster we give not only the full name and address of our members, but we give the name of their ancestor and the State from which the ancestor comes. That, too, has had a beneficial effect and has resulted in our getting members.

"One thing is certain, that any way you look at this, it means a lot of work. You can't depend upon membership committees and, as a rule, you can't depend upon members going out and getting members. It don't work out that way. It all comes back to one or two men among the faithful. One or two men have

got to systematize the work and go out and get members in a regular business-like way.

"The wearing of the lapel button is one of the best methods of bringing members in. It causes people to ask questions, and when he is told, possibly the man will say, "I think I am eligible to that Society." Then you have to get busy and follow him up. The Louisiana Society has each year given a button to each member. This we consider good advertising. It no doubt is helpful. I say, give the button.

"In my office, several of the young ladies working there are posted in the matter of making up papers. If a man comes in and says he is a brother of one of our members, or a son of one of our members, or a cousin of one of our members, the young lady knows just what to do, and the papers are made up accordingly. And, in order to assist in this work, we have gotten together quite a genealogical library, and through the data that we have, we have been able to make up papers for quite a number of people. One of the most valuable—I might say invaluable—volumes in our library are the D. A. R. Lineage Books. We have a complete set. There is hardly a week goes by but what there is somebody down consulting our books. This means both S. A. R. and D. A. R., Louisiana Colonials, and other kindred organizations. When I finally get my Galvez roster records fully indexed, they are going to be most wonderful sources of information.

"Now, just one more thing: It is said that few men have any vanity; and yet the most remarkable thing that I know of is the fact that some men will almost work their heads off to prove up their membership. I have had people claim that they were eligible, and when it came down to making up their papers they simply could not do it. There was one man particularly, a good friend of mine, whom I helped a whole lot, and when we finally ran the thing down we found he was a descendant of a Tory and not at all eligible. There is one thing certain, however, that if we do get a man interested he will generally stick to it until he gets it out all right. It doesn't seem to be a matter of course with one of those fellows. It is simply that we have them interested and they want to come in. I have a dozen of that kind working right now.

"Again I repeat, that the whole thing of getting members in resolves itself down to hard, hard work. To depend upon people coming in of their own volition is a mistake. They are not coming. The thing to do is to interest them."

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**Statement of President Coolidge in Relation to the Observance of Constitution Day, Sent to the Secretary General of the Sons of the American Revolution and First Issued at the Request of the Kentucky Society**

THE WHITE HOUSE.

The annual observance of September 17th as Constitution Day, in honor of the fact that it is the anniversary of the signing of the great charter, is a custom altogether worthy of continuation and perpetuation. I am glad to know that the day will be so widely celebrated this year, for I am sure that, as the American people widely appreciate the blessings that their Constitution has insured to them, so they will be the more disposed to live in accordance with its precepts and purposes.

CALVIN COOLIDGE.

## THE FLAG CODE

Adopted at the National Flag Conference, Washington, June 14-15, 1923

The National Flag Conference convened at the call of the American Legion, in Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C., on Flag Day, June 14, 1923, composed of delegates from the principal national patriotic, fraternal, educational, and civic organizations, adopts the following code and urges that every citizen be governed by this code in the use and care of the Flag of the United States.

The Flag of the United States symbolizes that freedom, equality, justice, and humanity for which our forefathers sacrificed their lives and personal fortunes. Today this flag represents a nation of over one hundred million free people, its Constitution and institutions, its achievements and aspirations.

The Flag Code Committee comprised Mr. Gridley Adams, chairman; Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, vice-chairman, President General D. A. R.; Maj. O. C. Luxford, secretary, D. C. S. A. R.; Mr. E. S. Martin, Boy Scouts of America; Mrs. Henry Osgood Holland, National Congress of Mothers; Mr. John L. Riley, American Legion, New York Department; Lieut.-Col. H. S. Kerrick, American Legion, Ohio Department; Mrs. Livingston R. Schuyler, President General, U. D. C.; Capt. Chester Wells, U. S. Navy; and Capt. George M. Chandler, U. S. Army, advisers.

### PROPER MANNER OF DISPLAYING THE FLAG

There are certain fundamental rules of heraldry which, if understood generally, would indicate the proper method of displaying the flag. The matter becomes a very simple one if it is kept in mind that the National Flag represents the living country and is itself considered as a living thing. The union of the flag is the honor point; the right arm is the sword arm, and therefore the point of danger, and hence the place of honor.

1. The flag should be displayed only from sunrise to sunset or between such hours as may be designated by proper authority. It should be displayed on National and State holidays and on historic and special occasions. The flag should always be hoisted briskly and lowered slowly and ceremoniously.

2. *When carried in a procession* with another flag or flags, the Flag of the United States should be either on the marching right—*i. e.*, the flag's own right, or when there is a line of other flags the Flag of the United States may be in front of the center of that line.

3. *When displayed with another flag, against a wall from crossed staffs*, the Flag of the United States should be on the right, the flag's own right, and its staff should be in front of the staff of the other flag.

4. *When a number of flags are grouped* and displayed from staffs, the Flag of the United States should be in the center or at the highest point of the group.

5. *When flags of States or cities or pennants of societies are flown on the same halyard* with the Flag of the United States, the National Flag should always be at the peak. When flown from adjacent staffs, the Flag of the United States should be hoisted first. No flag or pennant should be placed above or to the right of the Flag of the United States.

6. *When flags of two or more nations are displayed*, they should be flown from separate staffs of the same height and the flags should be of approximately equal size. (International usage forbids the display of the flag of one nation above that of another nation in time of peace.)

7. *When the flag is displayed from a staff projecting horizontally or at an angle from the window-sill, balcony, or front of building*, the union of the flag should go clear to the head of the staff, unless the flag is at half mast.

8. *When the Flag of the United States is displayed in a manner other than by being flown from a staff*, it should be displayed flat, whether indoors or out. When displayed either horizontally or vertically against a wall, the union should be uppermost and to the flag's own right—*i. e.*, to the observer's left. When displayed in a window, it should be displayed the same way—that is, with the union, or blue field, to the left of the observer in the street. When festoons, rosettes, or drapings of blue, white, and red are desired, bunting should be used, but never the flag.

9. *When displayed over the middle of the street*, as between buildings, the Flag of the United States should be suspended vertically, with the union to the north in an east-and-west street, or to the east in a north-and-south street.

10. *When used on a speaker's platform*, the flag should be displayed *above and behind the speaker*. It should never be used to cover the speaker's desk, nor to drape over the front of the platform. If flown from a staff, it should be on the speaker's right.

11. *When used in unveiling a statue or monument*, the flag should *not be allowed to fall* to the ground, but should be carried aloft to wave out, forming a distinctive feature during the remainder of the ceremony.

12. *When flown at half staff*, the flag is first hoisted to the peak, and *then lowered to the half-staff position*. But before lowering the flag for the day it is raised again to the peak. On Memorial Day, May 30, the flag is displayed at half-staff from sunrise until noon, and at full staff from noon until sunset, for the nation lives and the flag is the symbol of the living nation.

13. *When used to cover a casket*, the flag should be placed so that the *union is at the head and over the left shoulder*. The flag should not be lowered into the grave nor allowed to touch the ground. The casket should be carried foot first.

14. *When the flag is displayed in church*, it should be on a staff placed on the congregation's right as they face the clergyman. The Service Flag, the State Flag, or other flag should be at the left of the congregation. If in the chancel, the Flag of the United States should be placed on the clergyman's right as he faces the congregation, and other flags on his left.

15. When the flag is in such a condition that it is no longer a fitting emblem for display, it should not be cast aside or used in any way that might be viewed as disrespectful to the national colors, but should be destroyed as a whole, privately, preferably by burning, or by some other method in harmony with the reverence and respect we owe the emblem representing our country.

#### CAUTIONS

1. Do not permit disrespect to be shown to the Flag of the United States.
2. Do not dip the Flag of the United States to any person or anything. The regimental color, State Flag, organization or institutional flag will render this honor.
3. Do not display the Flag of the United States with the union down, except as a signal of distress.
4. Do not place any other flag or pennant above or to the right of the Flag of the United States.
5. Do not let the Flag of the United States touch the ground or trail in the water.
6. Do not place any object or emblem of any kind on or above the Flag of the United States.
7. Do not use the flag as drapery, in any form whatever. Use bunting of blue, white, and red.
8. Do not fasten the flag in such manner as will permit it to be easily torn.
9. Do not drape the flag over the hood, top, sides, or back of a vehicle, or of a railroad train or boat. When the flag is displayed on a motor car, the staff should be affixed firmly to the chassis or clamped to the radiator cap.
10. Do not display the flag on a float in a parade except from a staff.
11. Do not use the flag as a covering for a ceiling.
12. Do not use the flag as a portion of a costume or of an athletic uniform. Do not embroider it upon cushions or handkerchiefs or print it on paper napkins or boxes.
13. Do not put lettering of any kind upon the flag.
14. Do not use the flag in any form of advertising, nor fasten an advertising sign to a pole from which the Flag of the United States is flying.
15. Do not display, use, or store the flag in such a manner as will permit it to be easily soiled or damaged.

#### PROPER USE OF BUNTING

Bunting of the national colors should be used for covering a speaker's desk, draping over the front of the platform, and for decoration in general. Bunting should be arranged with the blue above the white, in the middle, and the red below.

#### SALUTE TO THE FLAG

During the ceremony of hoisting or lowering the flag or when the flag is passing in a parade or in a review, all persons present should face the flag, stand at attention, and salute. Those present in uniform should render the right-hand salute. When not in uniform, men should remove the headdress with the right hand and hold it at the left shoulder. Women should salute by placing the right hand over the heart. The salute to the flag in the moving column is rendered at the moment the flag passes.

When the National Anthem is played, those present in uniform should salute at the first note of the anthem, retaining this position until the last note of the anthem. When not in uniform, men should remove the headdress and hold it as in the salute to the flag. Women should render the salute as to the flag. When there is no flag displayed, all should face toward the music.

#### FEDERAL FLAG LAWS

There is but one Federal statute which protects the flag throughout the country from desecration. This law provides that a trade-mark cannot be registered which consists of or comprises, among other things, "the flag, coat of arms, or other insignia of the United States or any simulation thereof" (33 Stat. at L., p. 725, February 20, 1905).

#### SUGGESTIONS FOR STATE LEGISLATION REGARDING THE FLAG

Based upon the opinion of the Supreme Court of the United States, rendered by Justice John Marshall Harlan, every State should enact adequate laws for the protection of the National Flag. State Flag laws should include the following:

1. That June 14, Flag Day, be set apart by proclamation of the Governor, recommending that Flag Day be observed by people generally by the display of the Flag of the United States and in such other ways as will be in harmony with the general character of the day.
2. That the Flag of the United States be displayed on the main administration building of every public institution.
3. That the Flag of the United States, with staff or flag-pole, be provided for every school-house and be displayed during school days either from a flagstaff or, in inclement weather, within the school building.
4. That the Flag of the United States be displayed in every polling place.
5. That the use of the Flag of the United States as a receptacle for receiving, holding, carrying, or delivering anything be prohibited.
6. That the use of the flag for advertising purposes in any manner be prohibited.
7. That penalty (fine and imprisonment) be provided for public mutilation, abuse, or desecration of the flag.

#### PLEDGE TO THE FLAG

"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States and to the Republic for which it stands: one nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

#### THE SHIELD OF THE UNITED STATES

The shield of the United States has 13 vertical stripes, 7 white and 6 red, with a blue chief without stars.

#### NATIONAL ANTHEM

The Star-Spangled Banner is recommended for universal recognition as the National Anthem.

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### KENMORE

The Kenmore Association still solicits the contributions and aid of the Sons of the American Revolution and wishes to express appreciation for the support already tendered. The inauguration of State auxiliaries is a new feature of the movement, these having been formed in Maryland and Georgia. President Calvin Coolidge, while Vice-President, a year ago, launched the campaign for Kenmore and is a warm friend of the Association.

## AN OPINION OF THE CHANCELLOR GENERAL, JAMES EDGAR BROWN

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DEAR SIR AND COMPATROIT:

I am in receipt of your letter of August 15, relative to the organization of a Chapter of the Society in London, requesting an official opinion relative to members retaining membership in their respective State Societies and also in the London Society, and have the honor to submit herewith the following opinion.

In order to pass judgment upon this matter, it is necessary to make a critical examination of the organic law, viz., the original charter of the National Society, its Constitution and by-laws, which are based upon this charter, together with the various amendments, and also the Constitution and by-laws of some of the State Societies.

An act of Congress was passed by the 50th Congress, begun and held at the City of Washington December 4, 1905, and approved June 9, 1906, granting a national charter and incorporating a National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. Section 3 of this act, containing a grant of the powers of the corporation, contains, among others, the following:

### CHARTER POWERS

"That said corporation shall have power to make and adopt a constitution, by-laws, rules, and regulations for admission, government, suspension, and expulsion of its members, and from time to time alter and repeal such constitution, by-laws, rules, and regulations and to adopt others in their places; to provide for the election of its officers and to define their duties; to provide for State Societies or Chapters, with rules for their conduct, and to regulate and provide for the management, safekeeping, and protection of its property and funds: *Provided always*, That such constitution, by-laws, rules, and regulations be not inconsistent with the laws of the United States or any of the States thereof."

A sharp line of demarkation exists between the State Societies and the National Society. In order that the one may not encroach upon the jurisdiction of the other and the sovereignty of each may be preserved and their respective rights harmonized, the Constitution of the National Society has delegated some of its powers to the State Societies and yet reserves certain rights relative to membership in the National Society.

### SOCIETY IN A FOREIGN COUNTRY

Section 7 of Article IV of the Constitution is as follows:

"A Society may be formed in any foreign country by fifteen or more persons who are eligible to membership under this Constitution, which shall bear the same relation to the National Organization as the State Society, subject to the provisions of this Constitution."

Thus there arises the question of the relationship existing between the National Society and the State Society.



Section 5 of Article IV provides :

“Whenever a member in good standing in his Society shall change his residence from the jurisdiction of the State Society in which he is a member to that of another, he shall be entitled, if he so elects, to a certificate of honorable demission from his own State Society, in order that he may be transferred to the State to whose jurisdiction he shall have changed his residence: *Provided*, That his membership shall continue in the former until he shall have been elected a member of the latter.

“Each State Society shall, however, retain full control of the admission of members by transfer.”

The following concrete example will serve to illustrate the situation of the London Society :

A reasonable interpretation of Section 7, Article IV, above cited would be, that the Society so formed in a foreign country would bear the same relation to the National Society as if fifteen or more members or eligibles were to remove from the State of Massachusetts to the State of West Virginia, in which latter State no Society now exists, and there form a Society.

They need not relinquish citizenship in the State of Massachusetts or membership in the Massachusetts Society, nor need they acquire citizenship in West Virginia, or in Great Britain, in order to form such a Society. A domicile in the new locality and eligibility to membership would seem to be all that is necessary.

A condition of eligibility is (Article III) that the applicant shall be “a citizen of good repute in the community,” etc. Were it not for the special provision relative to the formation of a Society in a foreign country (Section 7, Article III), such a Society would be impossible under the Constitution.

Now, having formed such a Society, what obligations to the National Society does such an act entail? There is some analogy, but not complete analogy between citizenship and membership. One cannot hold citizenship in two States or a State and a foreign country simultaneously. When he acquires the one, he relinquishes the other. I find nothing in the Constitution of the National Society, however, forbidding one to hold membership in two or any number of State Societies. If one desires to hold two or more such memberships, however, he must comply with the Constitution and By-Laws of each State Society in which he holds such membership, pay his dues as provided by the Constitution and By-Laws of the State Society, and in turn each State Society shall pay annually to the Treasurer General, to defray the expenses of the National Society, \$1.00 for each such member carried on the roll of the State Society, unless intermitted by the National Congress.

There seems to be no valid reason why a Society, Sons of the American Revolution, may not be formed, under the provisions of the Constitution, in London or elsewhere in the Kingdom of Great Britain in like manner as in France.

This opinion does not presume to pass on the wisdom or unwisdom of penalizing a compatriot who, though absent a long way from his native country, desires to exemplify his loyalty thereto by forming or joining a Society in a foreign country.

It is the province of the Chancellor General only to interpret the Constitution and By-Laws as they now exist, and, when requested, to pass upon their legality, and give legal opinions when called upon by the proper officers.

My opinion is, therefore, that members of the contemplated London Society are at liberty to form such a Society, subject to the provisions of the Constitution, and shall be at liberty to regulate all matters pertaining to their own affairs not inconsistent with the Charter of the National Society or with its Constitution. This Society shall pay the required per capita tax of \$1.00 per member to the National Society, unless "intermitted by the National Congress." (Article VI of the Constitution as amended at the Nashville Congress, 1923.)

It is entirely optional with the member whether he retains his membership in the original State Society to which he belonged prior to the formation of the London Society. This is a matter in which the National Society has no concern, except that such retention would produce a double per capita tax, and thus add to the revenues of the National Society.

The encouragement of such societies in foreign countries, the spread of American ideals and principles by all proper methods, designed to perpetuate the memory of the men who by their services or sacrifices during the War of the American Revolution achieved the independence of the American people, would seem most commendable.

Due regard should be had, however, for the national ideals of the people of these foreign countries among whom our compatriots may be domiciled, in order that no needless offense may be given, and that national good-will and cordiality may be preserved.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES EDGAR BROWN,  
*Chancellor General.*

AUGUST 27, 1923.

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### **REPORT OF THE VICE-PRESIDENT GENERAL FOR THE NEW ENGLAND DISTRICT, HON. HARRY T. LORD, FOR THE YEAR 1922-23**

*Mr. President General and Compatriots:*

In making my report as Vice-President General for the New England District, I first wish to acknowledge with gratitude the various invitations and courtesies which have been extended to me.

It has been my privilege to attend the luncheon at the Boston City Club tendered to the President General by the Massachusetts Society, the luncheon at Concord, N. H., given by the New Hampshire Society upon the occasion of the President General's visit to that State in September, and the dinner of the New York Chapter of the Empire State Society at the Army and Navy Club, at which the President General and the Executive Committee of the National Society were guests. All were very enjoyable occasions. An invitation from George Washington Chapter of the Massachusetts Society to be their guest on Washington's Birthday was accepted with pleasurable anticipation by me, only to have to be declined at the last moment on account of illness. Several other invitations to Mrs. Lord and myself were declined with regret, because of our inability to be in two places at the same time.

During the year I have received many year books and notices from other States and I have distributed many copies of Past President General McCamant's report on Muzzey's History.

I am now serving on the Tercentenary Commission, selected by the Governor because of my membership in this Society, and we are making arrangements for celebrations to be held especially in Portsmouth and Dover during Old Home Week, in August, in commemoration of the first settlement of the State, in 1623. All sons of New Hampshire are ordered home. Every one else is invited.

As Weare, N. H., is about twenty miles from my home, it devolved upon me to investigate the claims of an aged French gentleman who stated that he was a great-grandson of Count Rochambeau and had fought in our Indian wars. I found that his statements were greatly exaggerated and wholly unsupported by any evidence, documentary or otherwise.

At one of our meetings in Boston, President General Adams called attention to the practice, more or less common, on the part of aliens of assuming old-time American names. A short while after I was pleased to read a news item to the effect that Federal Judge Morton in naturalization cases had refused permission to Adolph Papkevitz to call himself Parker, and to Hyman Sorocovich to call himself Stone, allowing in the first case the name "Popkin" and in the latter case "Soroco." I trust that other courts will adopt his rule.

In taking up the activities of the various State Societies in my district, I have had to rely principally upon information sent to me by the Secretaries, and I wish to thank Compatriots Littlefield, of Maine; Watkins, of Massachusetts, and Baker, of New Hampshire, for their assistance, so graciously rendered.

#### MAINE

The Maine Society is active and has been represented on numerous occasions when it would be expected to be, and its members have been active in various movements calculated to make our country a better place in which to live.

It secured general recognition of Constitution Day, and the work of placing markers on the graves of Revolutionary soldiers is steadily progressing. The greatest achievement of the year was the substituting at Valley Forge of an adequate bronze marker on the Maine monument for one entirely out of proportion to the monument itself. This was described and illustrated in the December BULLETIN. Two real sons are included in its membership, Osborne Allen, of Dexter, and Peter Bracket, of Biddeford. Maine has no local Chapters, although, on account of the great size of the State and the fact that certain groups of towns logically come together, the local members here and there have formed regional groups without official designation, which to all intents and purposes are, and easily could be, converted into local Chapters.

It is estimated that there are upward of 2,500 men in Maine eligible to membership, and special efforts in certain sections always produce results. There are able volunteer missionaries at work from time to time, but they are far too few to cover the field. As a result, the membership is a little over 10 per cent of the available material.

#### NEW HAMPSHIRE

The New Hampshire Society has been able to hold its own during the past year, although its work has been seriously handicapped by the sudden death of its Secretary-Treasurer, Compatriot Charles L. Mason, which occurred just as he was becoming familiar with the work left by the equally sudden death of his predecessor, Compatriot Will B. Howe.

The event of the year with us was the visit of President General Adams to our Society, and the enthusiasm which he aroused among the members who were fortunate enough to meet him at that time has already been shown in the increased interest in our Society.

Constitution Day was observed in our churches and schools and by the press. The graves of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence are being visited by members, the conditions reported, and a committee has been authorized to place a bronze marker at the grave of the Hon. Matthew Thornton. There is one local Chapter in New Hampshire and efforts are now being made to form several others out of our present membership.

#### VERMONT

The Vermont Society has held its usual number of meetings and celebrations, and has also promoted the general observance of Constitution Day in the schools and churches. A very successful meeting for the latter purpose was held in Burlington under the auspices of this Society and other patriotic societies. In this State there are no local chapters and, so far as I know, no efforts are being made to establish them.

#### MASSACHUSETTS

The Massachusetts Society has had a very successful and prosperous year, and it is now delightfully located in its new headquarters, at 9 Ashburton Place, Boston, with every convenience for holding its meetings and for genealogical research. It has nineteen local Chapters, one having been formed in New Bedford during the present year, and has approximately 1,850 members.

The last National Congress was held one year ago at Springfield, Mass., and the successful manner in which every detail of the arrangements were carried out reflects great credit upon George Washington Chapter and the Massachusetts Society. The entertainment of Past President General McCamant in May and of President General Adams and the Vice-President General of the New England District in August were delightful occasions to the entertained and a pleasure to the entertainers.

Constitution Day was observed by the display of the special series of lantern slides in many moving-picture theaters and schools, markers have been furnished for the graves of thirty Revolutionary soldiers, and about 160 high schools and academies were provided with Washington and Franklin Medals, to be awarded to pupils showing the highest proficiency in the study of United States history.

Samuel Adams Day, September 17, was observed by decorating the site of his birthplace and of his home and by participating in the parade and memorial meeting in the Old South Meeting House.

A House-Warming and Ladies' Night, a Fathers' and Sons' Meeting on Washington's Birthday, the annual meeting of George Washington Chapter, at which President General Adams was the guest of honor; the participation in the dedication of the new Memorial Bridge at Springfield, and, finally, the parade on Patriots' Day were all outstanding events in a busy year of which the Massachusetts Society has a right to be extremely proud.

## RHODE ISLAND

The Rhode Island Society held its annual meeting February 22d, with several noted guests present, and among them Director General Lewis, of the Kentucky Society, who in his address, "The Hermitage and Its Keeping," clearly and forcefully brought home to his audience the present conditions which threaten our Constitution. The Society has four local Chapters and is in a flourishing condition.

## CONNECTICUT

The Connecticut Society has had a prosperous year and the local Chapter in New Haven has taken a forward step in arranging for co-operation with the local post of the American Legion, in order to show due appreciation of the service rendered in the World War by the enlisted men of that city. It has also encouraged the study of American history by the presentation of medals for merit. The State Society, through its branches (as its local Chapters are called), of which it has eight, has been more active than ever before in the observance of Constitution Day. On Washington's Birthday the Col. Jeremiah Wadsworth Branch, at Hartford, entertained President General Adams.

Generally speaking, the New England District is in good condition and the affairs of the several State Societies are in the hands of able and efficient officers. In some States there is a lack of enthusiasm among the rank and file, due principally to scattered membership and lack of opportunity to get together. There is a lack of contact not only among themselves, but also with the officials of the National Society.

In closing, I wish to express to this National Society my sincere appreciation of the honor conferred upon me at the Springfield Congress when I was made a member of President General Adams' official family.

The office was unsought and wholly unexpected by me, but I have tried to answer every call to duty to the best of my ability and I can truthfully say that I have enjoyed the service.

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**REPORT OF PHILIP F. LARNER, VICE-PRESIDENT GENERAL, SONS  
OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, FOR THE MIDDLE AND COAST  
DISTRICT, FOR THE YEAR 1923**

*Mr. President General and Compatriots of the Thirty-fourth Annual Congress:*

To those who have acquired and enjoyed the habit of attendance on these congresses, and appreciated year after year the meeting with many old friends, as well as the making of new acquaintances, the annual occurrence of these meetings becomes a pleasure to be long remembered. In the thirty-two years of my membership in the organization I have attended so many congresses that I have ceased to count the number, but I can testify from personal experience that the time has been well spent, and likewise the years devoted to official work in the local and National Societies, while at times quite heavy, has been nevertheless enjoyable in very many of its features.

Several of the States in the jurisdiction assigned to me have, during the year, kept the Society advised of their activities in various directions. The effort to keep the National Society so advised appears to be more generally confined to the

larger State organizations, as is evidenced by the publication of the quarterly BULLETIN. In such States as New York and New Jersey the reports are particularly complete and the Society is kept well informed as to the progress of these State Societies and their activities, which tends to keep the membership well informed and encourages enthusiasm and effort in the ranks. The example here indicated is one well to be copied in the smaller States, which are not in any manner to be injured by keeping their lights burning.

While it is impossible at this time, before the report of the Registrar General, to indicate the present net membership in the various States of the Middle and Coast District, I note that during the four quarters of the past year the State of New York has reported new additions to its membership amounting to 118.

New Jersey shows an addition of 179 new members and apparently again takes the lead in this particular. The Secretary of this State Society keeps the general organization well informed of his Society's activities and it has maintained enthusiasm well during the year. I note that a new Chapter has been organized. The Society took part in the dedication of the Battle Monument at Princeton on June 9; engaged through its Chapters in the very general celebration of Flag Day and of Independence Day, as well as a most notable observance of Constitution Day and February 22d and still is making plans for increasing the usefulness of the Society.

Pennsylvania has made a very encouraging effort in the addition of 94 new members. It has established a new Chapter and has engaged in various activities for the advancement of the organization. I note particularly the observance of Memorial Day at Pittsburgh by decorating the graves of Revolutionary officers and soldiers in Allegheny Cemetery. During the past year the Society has lost one of the State's oldest members in the death of Col. Robert W. Guthrie, who was Trustee for the State in the National Society for many years and attended many congresses.

Maryland has been active in the matter of the participation in public ceremonies, and especial note is made of the unveiling of the Francis Scott Key Monument erected by the United States. This Society has furnished an addition of 48 new members during the year.

The District of Columbia Society has had a very successful and a very active year. Additions have been made in the membership amounting to 45 and the total number of members has now reached 555. This Society has taken part in numerous patriotic exercises during the year, among which may be specially noted a "Field Day" meeting in Rock Creek Cemetery on October 24, commemorating the setting of four Revolutionary gravestone markers; the unveiling ceremonies of the presentation to the City of Washington of the monument to Edmund Burke by the Sulgrave Institution of England; also, on October 27, participated in the program for Navy Day, with exercises at the grave of the Unknown Soldier at Arlington in the morning and a program at the monument of John Paul Jones during the afternoon. The usual joint celebration of February 22d was held in the auditorium of the D. A. R. Memorial Continental Hall with the Daughters of the American Revolution and Sons of the Revolution in the District of Columbia.

In Virginia we have, during the year, but a small advance in additional members. and I believe that this is due in a very large measure to the long illness and death of its former President, Arthur B. Clarke. Mr. Clarke has attended severa

of our congresses, representing his State, and I feel that his death is a great loss to the Society.

In my last report I indulged in what now appears vain expectations that we would see a fine advance in Delaware, but this State seems to have only made a new addition of but 8 members.

In the remaining States in my District, viz., North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida, I am compelled to report disappointment in progress and without the encouragement suggested in my last annual report.

Georgia and Florida have had a very slight growth in membership by way of new additions. The Carolinas remain apparently as they were and have been for some years. I reported last year that I had hoped the North Carolina Society would be reorganized under a gentleman then selected for the purpose, but this effort has not been successful. At the last Congress the National Society appointed a Special Commissioner for the purpose of reorganization of the two Carolinas. I do not know what progress the Commissioner has made and have no information to indicate that the situation is particularly gratifying.

NOTE.—About the time this report was being written and before the writer could have the information, the results of Major Jones' work in South Carolina began to become apparent. As stated among the State events, the State charter has been formally renewed and applications from this State are coming in with most gratifying rapidity. Notice of this is given in the State items, and the new applicants' names will appear in the list of new members in this issue.—EDITOR.

I must confess that I am disappointed in the lack of interest in the Society in the Southern States referred to. So much material is at hand and of such a fine quality that we should think such an organization as this would carry a strong appeal among the men of this locality.

I had planned a trip last winter to three of the Southern States in my District, but becoming a victim of the "grippe," which fully justified its name, as it lingered for about two months, I was forced to give up my plans.

It was my pleasure on February 22d to again attend and represent the National Society at the decoration of the Washington Monument at the City of Washington. It has been the custom, inaugurated several years ago (largely through the instrumentality of Compatriot F. D. Owen, of the District of Columbia Society), on this day for representatives of the various departments of the U. S. Government, including the President, and many patriotic Societies to place floral emblems at the base of the Washington Monument with appropriate ceremonies, and the affair has become one of much significance. On invitation of the official in charge, our National Society has been represented each year since the inauguration of this ceremony, and a large wreath bearing our colors in ribbon has been placed in the name of the organization.

On the 16th of April I was honored by an invitation from the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, to be present with President General Adams at the opening ceremonies of the Daughters' Annual Congress, held in Memorial Continental Hall at Washington. I wish that every member of this organization could have been present and witnessed that magnificent assemblage of two thousand or more ladies. It was inspiring and a powerful example to the Sons, showing how a large and strong organization may be established by sufficient effort. President General Adams made an excellent address, and I was particularly

impressed by that portion in which, in the presence of that multitude of ladies, he bravely suggested that he had devised a scheme for the increase of our membership by having the Sons "embrace" the Daughters.

The Daughters at the recent Congress had a triennial election for President General, and in Washington we knew that something was "going on." The State of Pennsylvania was particularly honored in the selection from that State of Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook as the President General. Since the election I have had the honor and very great pleasure of a personal call upon Mrs. Cook, and in the name of our Society extended to her our very cordial congratulations upon her selection to this great office and our well wishes for the greatest success in her administration. One object of my visit was to urge upon Mrs. Cook her presence at this meeting of our Congress, but I found that Compatriot Millspaugh, having had previously the opportunity of a personal interview with her in Tennessee, had already secured a favorable promise. So we are greatly honored by Mrs. Cook's presence here today.

Let us take courage from the great example afforded us by our Sister Society and, with hopes for the future, courageously and continuously put forward strong efforts to recruit our ranks with new members and bring the organization up to the high position which it merits and should maintain.

Respectfully submitted,

PHILIP F. LARNER,

*Vice-President General for the Middle and Coast District.*

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**REPORT OF THE MEMORIAL COMMITTEE OF THE NASHVILLE  
SOCIETY OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, MAY  
20, 1923**

*Mr. President General and Compatriots:*

The reports which I had the pleasure of reading, at our Buffalo Congress two years ago and at Springfield last year, have attracted a great deal of attention, not only from our compatriots, but others. There are many people who have put themselves to a great deal of trouble and occasionally some expense to aid us in this work, one going so far as to send us prints of thirty-odd negatives which he had made of homes, monuments, etc., that are pertinent to our work. Another sent us photographs of seven family portraits of the early Lees of Virginia, including that of Richard Henry Lee, the Signer. We are keeping a record of what others are doing for us, so that in the final result we can give them credit for their assistance. To enumerate them now would make this report too long.

Two years ago we had obtained copies of the wills of.....	38
Reports upon the administration of the estate of.....	6
Were lacking information regarding.....	12

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Since then we have obtained copies of three additional wills, administration upon the estates of two, and are promised information regarding the estates of three others. We now, therefore, have,



Copies of the wills of-----	41
Administration upon the estate of-----	8
Are on the trail of information regarding-----	3
James Wilson, of Pennsylvania,	
Thomas Lynch, Jr., of South Carolina, and	
Thomas Heyward, Jr., of South Carolina.	
Of the remaining -----	4
George Clymer, of Pennsylvania,	
Carter Braxton, of Virginia,	
William Hooper, of North Carolina, and	
George Walton, of Georgia,	

so far we have not been able to obtain any information regarding either the wills or administration upon their estates.

Regarding the burial places of the Signers, there are certain customs which must be very carefully considered by those who are making investigations of this character. In our Northern colonies, New England especially, the colonists settled and lived in communities with community burial grounds. In the Southern colonies, however, with a few exceptions, such as that at Jamestown, where they had to huddle together virtually within a walled and fortified inclosure for protection against the Indians, the early colonists lived upon their plantations. Adjoining their residences they had formal gardens, and within those gardens they buried their dead. Where they had a large number of slaves, they generally had separate burial grounds for them.

As a rule, most of these early settlements in the South were made within tidewater, where there was little or no rock, in the usual acceptation of that term. Graves of the gentry were generally brick-lined and often covered with inscribed limestone or marble slabs, which, as a rule, were imported from England. Very frequently these burial grounds contained one or more vaults, brick-lined and arched. The conditions were such that but few name and date plates were placed upon the caskets. Therefore, where the inscriptions are worn or the slab disintegrated or removed, it is virtually impossible to identify the remains unless there was some distinction, such as loss of a limb, a military button or other accoutrement to aid.

Even after the old residence was abandoned for a newer one, some distance away, the old burial ground continued in use, in many cases even for a century or more. Here the gentry were buried in their private burial grounds, on the plantations which belonged to them or their ancestors. The churchyards around the parish churches were also used as burial grounds. Here were buried those in the humbler walks of life, who had no plantations of their own, though occasionally the gentry were also buried there. When a planter, therefore, died, the chances were a thousand to none that he was buried within his own family burial ground, unless there is some good evidence to the contrary, even though the exact location of the grave may be difficult to identify. These conditions apply to the graves of Cæsar Rodney, of Delaware; Carter Braxton and Benjamin Harrison, of Virginia, and Arthur Middleton and Thomas Heyward, Jr., of South Carolina.

In our report two years ago we stated there was

Lost at sea, Thomas Lynch, Jr.-----	1
The exact spot of the original burial place known and remains undisturbed -----	32

To which we are now pleased to add that there have been definitely located the graves or vaults within which there were buried, Richard Henry Lee and George Wythe, of Virginia, Joseph Hewes, of North Carolina, Arthur Middleton and Thomas Heyward, Jr., of South Carolina-----	5
Increasing this number to-----	37
Those whose remains have been removed and reinterred elsewhere-----	10
We reported two years ago ten, the location of whose graves were known within a close degree of approximation, such as churchyard, or burial ground, but the identity of the grave not determined, of which the five last above named have been identified, thus leaving still five whose graves have not been identified, Francis Lewis, of New York, Francis Hopkinson, of New Jersey, Richard Stockton, of New Jersey, George Ross, of Pennsylvania, and Cæsar Rodney, of Delaware-----	5
And to which must be added Carter Braxton and Benjamin Harrison, of Virginia-----	2
since, in the opinion of your committee, we have located the garden spots or burial grounds within which we are satisfied they were buried.	
This leaves but one the location of whose grave is unknown or merely surmised, Burton Gwinnett, of Georgia-----	1
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Of the five whose graves have been located since our report in Buffalo, we last year reported that of George Wythe, in St. John's Churchyard, Richmond, Va., where a monument has been erected by the patriotic societies and citizens of that State.

An association has been formed among the descendants of the Lee family of Virginia; they have identified the graves in and around the old burial ground at "Old Burnt House," in Westmoreland County, built a concrete wall around it, replaced the slabs which had been removed from there years ago, definitely located the grave of Richard Henry Lee and of his two wives, and plan erecting a monument to him there.

To the careful, painstaking efforts of Mr. Charles Thornton Adams, formerly Secretary of the Descendants of the Signers and also of our Joint Committee, until ill health compelled him to retire, and to Mr. C. P. Keith, of Philadelphia, we owe the identification of the grave of Joseph Hewes, of North Carolina, in Christ Churchyard in Philadelphia, and while the inscription on the slab over his grave is illegible, your committee feels this identification is correct.

Thomas Heyward, Jr., was buried in the family graveyard on his plantation, "White Hall," St. Luke's Parish, Beauford District, in what is now Jasper County, South Carolina. The monument at the head of his grave was photographed some years ago by Compatriot Edward Denham, of New Bedford, Mass. We are informed that it has since been injured by a falling tree, and that the General Assembly of the State has made provision for its replacement.

At Middleton Place, on Ashley River, seventeen miles southwest of Charleston, there was erected nearly 200 years ago a large commodious house, with out-buildings, and planned and planted some twenty-two acres in what is even today a surpassingly beautiful garden. Within this and near the residence were erected two large vaults, in which were deposited the remains of the family dead. About a century later there was erected over one of these vaults a handsome mausoleum, 11 by 15½ feet in area, about 10 feet high, and capped by the marble sarcophagus that formerly covered the remains of the Signer's mother. In one of these vaults was deposited the remains of the Signer ARTHUR MIDDLETON, probably the one beneath the mausoleum.

Some forty or fifty years ago the Hon. William Willing Leach, our present Commissioner to the Brazilian Exposition, began the collecting of data with a view of writing a work on the lives and genealogies of the Signers. He was most careful and painstaking and active in this work and collected together a vast amount of material relating to nearly all of the Signers. With advancing years and failing health, he realized that it would be impossible for him to complete this work. This valuable collection of material has recently been sold to one who was kind enough to permit our Joint Committee to have full and free access to it. These papers are mainly genealogical and as such will be of great value to our organization.

Mr. John Calvert, Secretary of the Descendants of the Signers and also of our Joint Committee, is now busily engaged in going over these papers and reports them as being most systematically arranged. These papers occupy 14 cubic feet in the safety vault; when bound they will require fully forty feet of shelf space to house them, and you, therefore, will not be surprised to learn that Mr. Calvert and a stenographer have been nearly six months in this work and are not yet half done.

In addition to that, we are extremely desirous of locating any or all documents, preferably in the handwriting of the Signers, but especially such as may throw light on the characters and incidents in the lives of those eminent men and their families, in order that the final results may be as full and accurate as possible, and for that purpose we are asking all the assistance which you and your friends can render us. We have already acquired quite a little of such material, but are seeking more.

The original Declaration of Independence has been kept in a fireproof vault in the Department of State at Washington, where for a number of years past but few eyes have been allowed to view it. In conversation recently with Mr. Herbert Putnam, Librarian of the Congressional Library, I was informed that arrangements are now being perfected for bringing this original Declaration of Independence to the Congressional Library, where it will be so placed under artificial light as to make it visible to visitors.

Respectfully submitted,

R. C. BALLARD THRUSTON,  
*Chairman Memorial Committee.*

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NATURALIZATION AND ALIENS AT THE NASHVILLE CONGRESS

*To the Congress:*

Your Committee on Americanization and Aliens begs leave to submit the following report:

There have been many activities on behalf of bettering conditions of aliens and new citizens in various parts of the United States with which members of our organization have had more or less connection. Wherever you find a member of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution you can generally record it as a fact that he is a citizen interested in the uplift of those who come to us from foreign shores.

Among the activities which have come to the notice of your committee, we take pleasure in recording the report of Judge Doremus, of the Bergen County District Court of New Jersey, as follows:

(1) I have been for five or six years chairman of the Committee of Aliens and Americanization in our county (Bergen), for the Bergen County Historical Society, and for the Paramus Chapter of the S. A. R., and as such have instituted in our courts a method and procedure, which is being followed carefully, to have all applicants for naturalization thoroughly examined along all lines relating to the government of our country in every department, from national down to municipal; also, as to their moral value as citizens, to further the proper respect for the Flag by using it at the time they are sworn in. The judge of the court makes a little address, quite formal, in connection with it, admonishing the applicants of their responsibilities, duties, privileges, and opportunities.

(2) The Veterans of the World War, Veterans of the Spanish-American War, Daughters of the Revolution, supervising principals of the public schools, and several church societies throughout the State of New Jersey perform a great deal of work in educating employees in mills and other places of employment by delivering lectures through volunteer lecturers and those paid for the purpose, having classes which meet at noontime and receive instructions as to what it means to be an American citizen, to revere the Flag, to be patriotic, industrious, and to take courses of study in night schools and elsewhere, and this work is being attended with magnificent results.

(3) I recommend that courses of lectures, printed outlines of study, activities by various organizations, similar to those enumerated in the preceding paragraph of this letter, be standardized as far as possible, but with, of course, the modification that might be required by various localities.

(4) My opinion and recommendation as to the work for your committee in connection with the work of Americanization or in co-operation with other organizations is set forth as fully as I can do so in the foregoing paragraphs of my report, except that, as a last recommendation, I suggest that each State, through the proper officials of the S. A. R., be covered, especially in the manufacturing centers, so that a more comprehensive and greater degree and plan of Americanization be instituted as early as possible in order that insidious propaganda from organizations which seek to control, especially our industrial forces, may be checked and their effort nullified.

Thomas Stephen Brown, of Pittsburgh, reports that his Society has not conducted any special Americanization work this past year, but that the members of his Society have assisted with effect in work done under the auspices of the Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce and the public school organization of Pittsburgh, both of which organizations have done work of very real significance and value. The Pennsylvania State President, Dr. W. C. Lyne, has been one of the most active workers in this line in the chamber of commerce and the members of the organization in Pennsylvania have this subject very much at heart. Their Society

is trying to reach the foreign-born in sane and profitable ways. An industrial training school for foreign-speaking children and young people has been established at Old Concord, in Washington County, Pennsylvania, under Christian auspices, which is doing fine work, of which Dr. C. L. McKee is the principal executive.

Your committee has been particularly interested in the Institute of Practical Arts at Old Concord, Pa., as a very practical work is being carried on at this place. Mr. McKee, the chief executive, reports as follows:

We and our great enterprise for the Americanization in the right sense of our vast alien population are still very much in evidence, and, to quote the classic language of Dr. Coué, we "are in every way getting better every day."

Industry and big business are beginning to waken up to see what this school means to them.

The great Hazel Atlas Glass Company, having three plants in Washington, have given us \$1,000 for each plant.

The Washington Trust Company, one of the two largest banks in our county, gave us \$1,000 last week. Other banks and businesses are following.

We have a magnificent site and location for such a work, and we believe the people will see that it functions to its full plan.

I am inclosing our leaflet, just revised also the last copy of our monthly bulletin, which tells of a get-together meeting recently held in our new million-and-a-half-dollar hotel.

The Daughters are doing nobly; many Chapters from every section of the State are sending in contributions and more are following.

I had the pleasure of addressing the large Pittsburgh Chapter last week. The Sons of Pennsylvania are also waking up.

I am appointed on the Committee on Education and Americanization with our Past President, W. C. Lyne, himself a former college president.

As I am putting all my time and money that I can spare into the Institute of Practical Arts, I think it unwise for me to attend the National Congress at this time unless by doing so in some way I can advance our cause.

At this time, when there is an unceasing and highly financed propaganda to revolutionize America, and this propaganda is effective at least in inciting discontent and inefficiency among workers, even where it has not incited the organized strike, it is a good time for the Sons of the American Revolution to stand solidly for the principles of justice, freedom, and democracy, which have made us the most prosperous and happy country in the world.

What we need is not another form of government, but the loyal and intelligent exercise of the government we have, and to do this millions must be enlightened in the meaning and functions of American democracy. Under our form of government, America will be as good a place to live as its citizenship makes it.

Samuel Judd Holmes, of the Washington Society, reports as follows:

Little has been done by our local Chapter or State Society, which appears quite willing to leave this splendid work to other agencies, for the reason, probably, of the increase of organizations doing the work.

Commendable work has been carried on in night schools under the Board of Education of Seattle; also by the Veterans' Posts of the World War and the Y. W. C. A. and special committees of the women's clubs (Century Clubs, etc.). This concerns not only men, but women as well (the two latter).

Past President General Jenks, of the Illinois Society, reports for that Society as follows:

(1) The distribution of 200 additional copies of the book "The American's Creed" among the grade schools of the city of Chicago. These have been eagerly welcomed by teachers and parents alike. Following the distribution we made the year before of 1,000 copies, the gift of Mr. Felt, requests reach us for additional copies, and still further distributions are to be made.

(2) Fully twenty members of our Board of Managers spent from one hour to a full day in the naturalization courts studying conditions and observing the process. Their reports indicate that a great opportunity for service exists in endeavoring to make the process of being ushered into the rights and privileges of American citizenship a much more dignified, impressive, and valuable ceremony.

(3) The Chief Naturalization Officer of the Government in Chicago addressed our Board of Managers, and, upon his recommendation and with his co-operation, a group of new applicants for citizenship are being assigned to members of the board, one applicant to each man, for personal visitation, acquaintance, advice, and encouragement to him in his preparation and quest for citizenship. The experiment will be watched with interest and if found to be valuable it will be still further extended.

The activities of the Rochester Council for Better Citizenship have been conducted by five special committees, with functions respectively as follows:

*Education.*—To co-operate with the Board of Education to induce foreign-born residents of Rochester to learn English.

*Legislation.*—To study present and proposed laws relating to immigration, naturalization, and other matters affecting the status of alien or native-born citizens.

*New Citizens.*—To assist new citizens to a higher sense of civic responsibility and a more intelligent, loyal, and patriotic citizenship.

*Racial Group.*—To co-operate with loyal American citizens of alien birth in elevating the standard of citizenship of their nationals.

*Service Bureau.*—To direct the Service Bureau of the Council. The Council has made approximately 23,755 contacts with the foreign-born in the past year. These contacts were made by upwards of 2,132 American born and naturalized citizens, under the leadership of 182 active members of the above-named committees, and with the co-operation in special undertakings of 1,100 other members of the Council, the Chamber of Commerce, and representatives of public and parochial schools.

*Special Projects.*—Thirty-five special undertakings were effected, including a "Learn English" campaign; "Know Your Country" meetings to the number of twelve; attendance at ten sessions of the naturalization court; three suppers in honor of new citizens, followed by presentation exercises; a Washington's Birthday celebration; co-operation in "Know Your School" week; an address by the Hon. W. W. Husband, Commissioner-General of Immigration, on the present 3 per cent immigration law; a meeting addressed by Allen Burns and Le Roy N. Kilman on present and pending laws regarding naturalization; and five night-school rallies.

*Work in Behalf of Better Laws.*—The Legislation Committee, in studying laws and proposed laws regarding immigration and naturalization, invited Allen Burns, who conducted the Americanization study for the Carnegie Corporation, and Le Roy N. Kilman, Federal examiner for this district, to speak in explanation of these matters. Recommendations of the Service Bureau committee were approved by the officers and trustees of the chamber.

*Entertainment of New Citizens.*—The New Citizens' Committee greeted the 951 new citizens admitted at the ten naturalization court sessions in 1922. The committee ascertained the names of their employers and notified them which of their employees had become naturalized. The committee gave three suppers at which the new citizens were guests. Members of the council and of the chamber and employers of the new citizens were hosts. One supper was given on Washington's Birthday, at which time new citizens admitted in January were guests; one in June, when those admitted in February, March, April, and May were guests, and one in October, when those admitted in June, July, August, and September were guests. Following the supper in each case a program of music and pageantry was given, together with an address and presentation of certificates of citizenship by the Mayor of Rochester. Families and friends of the new citizens were invited to witness the ceremonies. On Washington's Birthday all persons naturalized the previous year were invited. Speakers at these suppers were Hon.

Frederick E. Crane, Judge of the Court of Appeals, February 22d; Hon. Robert F. Thompson, Justice of the Supreme Court, June 2d; Hon. W. W. Husband, Commissioner-General of Immigration of the United States, October 10th. The pageant at the first supper was presented by pupils of Washington Junior High School, assisted by the standard-bearers of the schools. The second was given by pupils of West High School, and the third by pupil-teachers of the City Normal School, assisted by the color guard of the American Legion. Music was contributed by the Park Band, the orchestra of the American Laundry Machinery Company, the Chamber of Commerce Glee Club, the Damascus Chanters, and the Washington Junior High School chorus.

At the dinner to new citizens, held February 22d, Compatriot Royal S. Copeland, Junior Senator from New York, addressed the new citizens and was enthusiastic as to the work of the chamber. The following evening he addressed the Society of the Genesee in New York, and his speech, in which he referred at length to the citizenship work of the Rochester Chamber, was broadcasted throughout the country.

*Instruction in Things American.*—The committee will co-operate with the Rochester Council, Boy Scouts of America, in organizing Scout troops in sections of Rochester where there is a demand for them and where meeting places, leaders, and committees are available. The committee has secured information of foreign sections in Rochester with the purpose of advocating places where boys and young men can indulge in American sports under wholesome influences.

The American Bar Association is devoting much attention to the American Citizenship Movement, and there is running in the *American Bar Association Journal* a series of important articles dealing with current fundamental misconceptions and to bring home the meaning of the Constitution to the public mind. Some of the topics are: "The Individual Citizen's Power and Responsibility," by Former Governor Herbert S. Hadley, of Missouri; "National Standards," by Hon. Jacob M. Dickinson, Former Secretary of War; "Representative Government," by Former Governor Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, and "The Constitution," by Judge Francis E. Baker, of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

The Young Mens Christian Associations, chambers of commerce, church organizations, and many welfare organizations are increasingly devoting more time to American citizenship problems. The work done by the Council for Better Citizenship of the Rochester Chamber of Commerce is typical of the work done in many chambers of commerce.

In conclusion, your committee would earnestly recommend that all State Societies and Chapters, where no definite citizenship work has been undertaken under the auspices of these Societies, co-operate with other organizations in work such as is being carried on in various parts of the country for the benefit of the foreign-born.

One annoyance to busy people in these times is the multiplicity of organizations carrying on uplift work of various kinds, and if in the smaller divisions of the State, particularly villages and towns, the agency work were combined, a great saving of time and money could be accomplished, and it should be our aim to encourage the combination of this character, in order to conserve our resources and energy in the amelioration of those needing our assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

HARVEY F. REMINGTON,  
*Chairman.*

**EVENTS OF STATE SOCIETIES**

**Alabama Society.**—This Society, reorganized and put on its feet with the energetic and untiring efforts of Compatriots Churchill, of the Louisiana Society, and F. W. Millspaugh, of the Tennessee Society, is making good its promise of increasing membership and interest. We can very shortly look for the formation of local chapters in Birmingham and Mobile. In the latter place Vice-President R. L. Douglas is undertaking the work of organizing, and, with his experience in this work among the Scottish Rite Masons and Shriners, we have reason to expect great things. The Alabama Society has a Citizenship Committee, modeled after that authorized by the Nashville Congress, headed by Compatriot Cadwallader Jones; an Americanization Committee, and a Committee on Patriotic Education. *All are functioning*—not a “dead” member on the roster! The Society identified itself with the movement for the Observance of Constitution Week, and not only succeeded in securing local observances in Birmingham and Mobile, but throughout the State generally, aided by the active co-operation of the newspapers.

**California Society.**—Independence Day was observed as usual in San Francisco by a general civic celebration in which the State Society, Sons of the American Revolution, co-operated. Upon the literary and musical program at the Civic Auditorium, Compatriot J. Rush Bronson gave an oration, and in the Pageant of Nations George Washington was represented by one of our San Francisco compatriots. All national and foreign organizations and colonies participate in this annual celebration. Constitution Day was observed by San Francisco compatriots, assisted by the Daughters of the American Revolution, by a large civic meeting, at which the principal address was made by U. S. Senator Samuel M. Shorthridge. Vice-President Maj. Leon French presided..

**Connecticut Society.**—General David Humphreys Branch, No. 1, with the co-operation of the New Haven County Bar observed Constitution Day on Sunday, September 16, with a public meeting at the porch of Center Church. Rev. Oscar E. Maurer, D. D., presided and Prof. William R. Vance, of Yale, and the New Haven County Bar spoke. An attendance of nearly 400, made up largely of new Americans, made the effort seem well worth while. This branch offered a series of prizes in the public schools of New Haven and West Haven, and as a result awarded as follows: Fifteen gold prizes amounting to one hundred dollars, two silver medals, twelve bronze medals, and two sets of *Chronicles of America*, published by the Yale University Press, one set being awarded to the school represented by the pupil having the best essay of all the grammar schools in New Haven. The total expenditure for these prizes was \$398.50.

**District of Columbia Society.**—This Society feels deeply the loss of Compatriot William Van Zandt Cox, whose death occurred on July 24. Mr. Cox was identified intimately with the progressive work in building and development of the city of Washington and indefatigable in his efforts in whatever he undertook. He was deeply interested in the preservation of Washington's landmarks and promoted and often personally conducted the work of properly marking historic spots and buildings in the District. His activities in the District of Columbia Society made him a highly regarded and honored member. Compatriot Cox was for a number of years chairman of the National Society Committee on the Flag



and of the Committee of the District of Columbia Society on the Desecration of the Flag.

**Society in France.**—As befitted the occasion, Americans in Paris began the celebration of Independence Day with the annual ceremony of the Sons of the American Revolution at the tomb of La Fayette, in Picpus Cemetery. Mr. Edward H. de Neveu, of the Sons of the American Revolution, placed a wreath. The Colonial Dames of America also sent one. The ceremony was attended by the American Ambassador and his son, Mr. Parmely Herrick; Colonel and Mrs. T. Bentley Mott, Mr. Alexander M. Thackara, Mr. Ernest Ives, Major R. P. Harbold, Q. M. C., Miss Patterson, of the American Women's Club; Miss Anne Ward, stepdaughter of Colonel Bayne, and Miss Cuthbert.



PLACING A WREATH ON THE TOMB OF LA FAYETTE, JULY 4, 1923

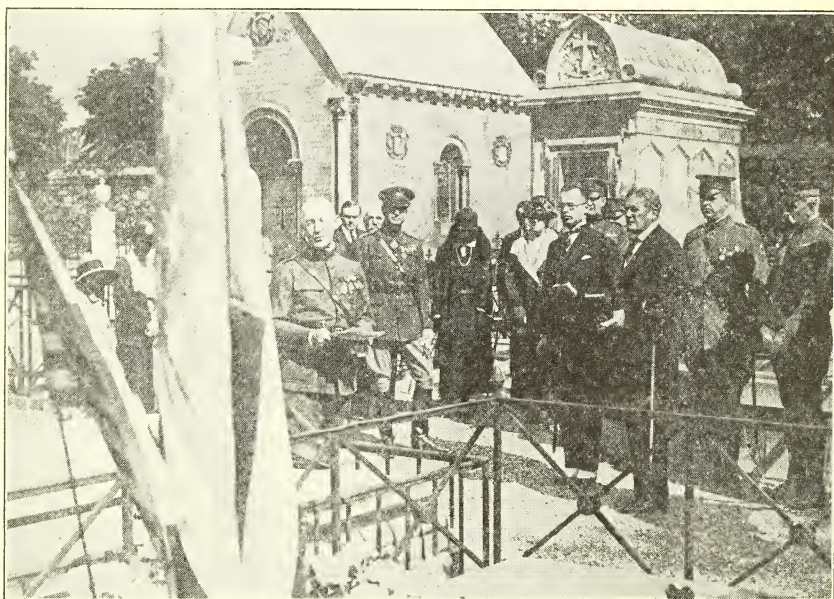
Colonel Hugh A. Bayne, commander of the American Legion, made a short address in which he compared La Fayette with the Spirit of Youth. Colonel Bayne's very short address is given in full, and the accompanying photographs of the placing of the wreath and the other ceremonies are of great interest. This was one of the best celebrations our compatriots in France have ever held. Colonel Bayne spoke as follows:

The La Fayette who crossed the wide ocean to offer his flaming sword and his fresh young life to America, struggling for liberty, was the embodiment of the spirit of youth; of Youth, whose enthusiasm is undiscouraged by Age's failures; of Youth, whose daring and generosity are unchecked by Age's counting of the cost; of Youth, whose pure ideals are unsullied by the slow stain of time. We know what a refreshment was this sparkling goblet of Youth to the war-weary soul of our aged patriot, Washington, this goblet sparkling with enthusiasm—the

generosity, the daring, and the ideals of a France whose perennially youthful soul was about to have a new birth.

With La Fayette and with France to help us, we won our struggle for liberty. It was fitting, therefore, when a century and a quarter later the occasion arrived when America might repay to war-weary France, herself now struggling for liberty, the debt of gratitude which La Fayette placed us under, she was able to repay it in the same coin—in the coin of Youth, with the enthusiasm of Youth, with the generosity of Youth, and inspired by Youth's unsullied ideal of altruistic devotion to the cause of liberty and justice. It was fitting, too, that on the first Fourth of July which found the young American Army in France its general should come to this sacred spot to say, "La Fayette, we are here."

We came; we fought the fight; we helped win the victory; and then we re-crossed the ocean, carrying with us glorious memories and friendships such as



COLONEL HUGH A. BAYNE, MASTER OF CEREMONIES, AT THE TOMB OF LA FAYETTE

La Fayette carried back with him from America to France when the immortal Washington gave to his well-beloved adopted son his last fatherly embrace. For there is a tie stronger than the tie of material interest, than the tie of gratitude, than the tie even of bloodkinship—and that is the tie of comradeship in arms, of dangers and death shared in fighting for a common cause. Some of us Americans have French blood in our veins; but, as was said by a soldier of the Foreign Legion, "It is not the blood we have received from you, O France, that binds us to you for all time; it is the blood we have given for you!" It is the blood which America's young soldiers have poured out as a sacrificial libation upon the soil of France, that soil in which 50,000 of them repose with you, O La Fayette, for all eternity.

**Illinois Society.**—The Board of Managers of the Illinois Society held a noon meeting on September 15, for election of members, and inducted thirty into the

Society. Afterwards a number of the members of the board spent the afternoon visiting a number of the most important historical spots in Chicago, brief addresses being given, at each place visited, by different members especially assigned to review the events occurring in the respective localities. On Constitution Day the Society merged its observance with that of the Union League Club, all participants in the program being members of both organizations. Vice-President General Louis A. Bowman, who is also Secretary of the Illinois State Society, was chairman for both bodies. Compatriot and Ex-Governor Frank O. Lowden following the reception and dinner, made the address, giving a scholarly and force-



COMPATRIOT'S OLIVER MCDANIEL AND AMOS GUSEMAN

ful analysis of the great fundamentals of the Constitution. An attendance of over four hundred gave evidence of the interest in the observance. The new flag ceremony was used for the first time and made a profound impression.

SPRINGFIELD CHAPTER.—This Chapter celebrated Constitution Day with a luncheon and address upon the Constitution. During the summer weeks the Chapter conducted an active campaign for new members, securing the signatures and admission fees of 51 new eligible applications. Permanent papers are being com-

pleted rapidly. The State Society awarded the Chapter a cash prize of \$250 in appreciation of this successful effort. We herewith present a photograph of two "grandsons" of the Springfield Chapter, Compatriots Oliver McDaniel and Amos Guseman, taken on June 14, at the Flag Day Celebration of this Chapter and the Daughters of the American Revolution. These compatriots are both Civil War veterans. Compatriot McDaniel made an impromptu speech at these exercises, closing by reciting "Your Flag and My Flag."

**Iowa Society.**—LEXINGTON CHAPTER, No. 4, of Keokuk, celebrated Constitution week with a dinner and meeting in the banquet room of the Hotel Iowa, with Roger Leavitt, of Cedar Falls, State President of the Society, as the guest of honor. The Chapter took this occasion also to hold a memorial for William Graffen Blood and Charles Gerloch Allen, departed members of the Chapter. "Taps," the soldier's farewell, were blown by Bugler Francis Adams, of the Boy Scouts, while the members of the Chapter stood, facing the east, following a brief but sincere tribute to the departed members by Acting President W. C. Howell.

The Chapter has the honor of having a State officer in its membership, the State chaplain, Dr. Frederick W. Long, and attention was called by President Howell to his election to that office. Mention was made also of the death of Elbridge Drew Hadley, for twenty-five years secretary of the Iowa Society. Resolutions were presented on the deaths of Compatriots Blood and Allen, and reports were made of the activities of the chapter since the last annual meeting.

**Kentucky Society.**—A most comprehensive plan for the development of patriotic sentiment has been formulated by this Society, not only for the city of Louisville, but throughout the State, and because of its very definite and specific details it is here submitted with the idea that it may be suggestive to other State Societies which desire to inaugurate similar activities.

Kentucky is divided into eleven congressional districts, and it is proposed to give in each one of these eleven congressional districts two gold medals and one bronze medal for the best patriotic essay that will be submitted by the school children or high schools, each district to have a committee of educators that will examine the papers in the contest and send to the Central Committee on Patriotic Education, of which Dr. Curran Pope is chairman, the six best papers submitted in the contest in their district. These sixty-six papers will be again submitted to a committee of competent and educated people, who will finally decide the prize-winners, who will receive for the first prize in each district a large engraved gold medal, a medium-sized gold medal and one of the bronze medals of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. This, it is hoped, will be a method of antidoting the present tendency and drift toward radicalism.

In the city of Louisville a special patriotic drive is planned for the schools, and to that end there will be offered in the male and female high schools two gold and one bronze medal to each of the two groups—that is to say, for the high schools, the same kind of medals that are offered in the congressional districts.

In the ward or graded school there will be offered a single bronze medal, which will be awarded according to the rules and regulations that were laid down in the March issue of the OFFICIAL BULLETIN, and the method of award will be the method suggested in that article, so that it is not necessary to repeat here what

is already in print. The Society has appropriated \$250 for this work alone, and with this above comprehensive plan in execution the citizenship work of the organization should have a fine foundation.

The Kentucky Society planned and put into execution one of the most elaborate the effective programs for Constitution Week that took place in any section. In the city of Louisville, in addition to four-minute speeches in schools, factories, and theaters, story hours for small children in school and public libraries were arranged, and at noon, on Constitution Day, all whistles and bells were blown and rung, all factory and store employees were assembled, and work was stopped long enough to repeat the "Allegiance to the Flag;" also, four-minute speakers were provided for all factories and appropriate exercises were held in all schools, and a mass meeting held at noon at Lincoln Park, in the heart of the business district.

The proclamation of the Governor requested State-wide observance, which was well carried out. At the horse show at the State Fair, the week preceding Constitution Week, a large piece of canvas containing the "Allegiance to the Flag" painted in big letters was dropped to the middle of the ring each day, and the audience, averaging about 5,000 people, with a leader, repeated the pledge. There was also a presentation of colors with appropriate ceremony. In Louisville an evening parade, illuminated, containing some 350 massed flags, as well as other flags, was a feature of Constitution Day, culminating in a large meeting, addressed by Past Presidents Maj. W. I. L. Adams and Wallace McCamant. One hundred thousand copies of the United States Constitution, with expository notes, were printed and distributed by the Kentucky Society, and one of the Louisville newspapers ran the Constitution serially during the week, with notations, and the press of the city and State generally co-operated in most generous fashion. The other details of the week's observance were equally well planned and conducted, and the entire program is to be printed and distributed to the State Society in the near future for suggestive ideas for their use. The statement of President Coolidge with regard to Constitution Day was first issued at the request of the Kentucky Society.

The Society is certainly to be congratulated upon its up-to-date and active plans along all lines of work for the coming winter. In the matter of survey of school histories, the committee appointed by the Society has prepared a brief which will be found elsewhere in this issue. The above plans for constructive patriotic work were formulated at a meeting of the Kentucky Society held shortly after the Nashville Congress, and at the same time resolutions were adopted by the Kentucky Society requesting that Mr. Marvin H. Lewis, Director General of the National Society, National Trustee for Kentucky and Past President General, permit the Kentucky Society to present his name as a candidate for the office of President General at the next National Congress, to be held at Salt Lake City, Utah.

**Louisiana Society.**—Activities for the fall season were inaugurated by the Louisiana Society at a luncheon on August 17, when the monthly noon meetings of this Society were resumed. The speaker was Benjamin Waldo, and his subject was "Preparedness." The Society for the Preservation of Ancient Tombs was encouraged and commended for its work in identifying and preserving graves of historic Americans. The work of this society was enthusiastically presented by Mr. George C. H. Kernion, who outlined the importance played by many

Louisianians in the early history of the country. About thirty-five members attended. Plans were outlined for the observance of Constitution Week, and included speakers provided for various groups throughout the city of New Orleans on pertinent subjects dealing with the topic of the "Privileges and Responsibilities with which the Constitution Endows its Citizens." The Society has distributed the pamphlet "We, the People," an educational publication of the National Lamp Association, of Cleveland, Ohio, and which is very instructive with regard to the Constitution. The Louisiana Society has endorsed the resolution adopted by the National Congress at Nashville last May with regard to legislation to prevent foreigners adopting historic American family names, and has already taken steps to promote legislation in this State of that character.

**Massachusetts Society.**—Dr. Charles H. Bangs, Past President of the Massachusetts Society and Vice-President General of the National Society for New England District, represented the Society at the ceremonies, under the auspices of the Marblehead Historical Society, on July 1, in the old burying ground. These services are held in honor of the soldiers of the American Revolution and the War of 1812 who went from Marblehead, and takes place annually, between June 17 and July 4. An attendance of about 260 showed the deep interest of the community. Dr. Bangs spoke of the importance of Marblehead at the outbreak of the American Revolution, it being the second town in the colony in point of population, having a large fleet engaged in foreign commerce, in addition to the great fishing industry carried on there. More than 2,000 men from Marblehead enlisted as soldiers or sailors during the American Revolution, and one full regiment, fully armed and equipped, marched to Cambridge two days after the battle of Bunker Hill. It is said that Washington issued his first order after reaching Cambridge to General Glover, who commanded the Marblehead regiment. Marblehead has the names and service recorded from official records of 1,643, and of about 400 from non-official records who enlisted and served in the patriotic cause.

**GEORGE WASHINGTON CHAPTER, Springfield.**—Sixty members of George Washington Chapter held the annual outing in Deerfield on June 23, accompanied by their wives. Leaving the city in autos, the trip was made to the historic old town in about two hours, and the latter part of the afternoon was spent in visiting the old colonial houses, with a trip through the Deerfield Museum.

Dinner was served in the Deerfield Arms at 7 o'clock, after which the president, Frank P. Forbes, spoke briefly on the need of new flags for the chapter, illustrating by means of miniature flags those which the Chapter needed. He also held up to view the gavel made of wood from the Cambridge Elm.

Samuel F. Punderson, delegate to the National Congress in Nashville, Tenn., described Southern hospitality enjoyed and urged a large representation at Salt Lake City next year. Burton H. Wiggin, State President also spoke on the National Congress in Nashville and urged a large representation at Salt Lake City.

President Wiggin told of his visit to Chester, where 70 men of the Revolutionary period gave up their lives in the struggle, displaying great valor at Bennington.

Reference was made to the alleged unjust statements in some histories which would minimize the heroism of the American patriots in the War of the Revolution and the spirit that characterized as the work of a mob the service rendered at the Boston Tea Party. He said that the Sons did not like to have the valorous

deeds of their ancestors termed the work of a mob. Mr. Wiggin reported a splendid interest in the school history medals the State Society is distributing.

**Michigan Society.**—ST. CLAIR CHAPTER of Port Huron reports the following officers recently elected for the current year: President, Burt D. Cady; Vice-President, Sydney C. McLouth, of Marine City; Secretary, William R. Chadwick; Treasurer, Albert D. Bennett; Historian, William L. Jenks.

LENAWEE CHAPTER, Adrian, held its third annual meeting on April 13 and elected the following officers: President, W. H. Barrett; Vice-President, Ladd J. Lewis, Jr.; Secretary-Treasurer, W. Herbert Goff; Registrar, Franklin J. Russell; Historians, Ladd J. Lewis and George W. Armstrong; Chaplain, Irving W. Swift. Through the efforts of this Chapter, the Muzzey History has been condemned in Adrian and replaced by another in the schools of this city.

Constitution Day was well observed throughout the State of Michigan by all the local chapters in Grand Rapids, Adrian, Pontiac, Port Huron, Kalamazoo, and Ann Arbor, naturally the most noteworthy being in Detroit. Great credit is due to the fine work and untiring energy of Compatriot Henry M. Leland, through whose efforts the day was suitably observed in all schools, churches, and public meeting places, as well as factories. President George R. Bushnell, of the Detroit Chapter, broadcasted a fine address via the Evening News radio.

TABLET HONORS D. A. R.; KIN RESIDE IN DETROIT.—Detroit has an element of interest in the unveiling of the bronze tablet to Susan Corbin Dodge, a real daughter of the American Revolution, at her grave in Bay City. This interest lies in the fact that Raymond E. Van Syckle, attorney, Secretary Michigan Society, S. A. R., and Miss Maude Van Syckle, both of Detroit, are great-grandchildren of Mrs. Dodge.

The tablet was unveiled by the Anne Frisby Fitzhugh Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, with impressive ceremonies. The service was participated in by Lieut.-Col. Augustus H. Gansser, Mrs. Irene Pomeroy Shields, of the D. A. R.; Mrs. Homer E. Buck, Rev. Henry Kreulin, Charles Tingle, Civil War veterans, the American Legion, and Boy Scouts.

Susan Corbin Dodge, native of Dudley, Mass., died in Bay City in 1873. Her father, Timothy Corbin, served under Washington; her grandfather served in the French and Indian wars.

**Minnesota Society.**—MINNEAPOLIS CHAPTER.—On August 8 this Chapter accepted the invitation of the officers of the Citizens' Military Training Camp at Fort Snelling to view the camp, and met at this place with members of the D. A. R. and D. R. The privilege of witnessing the first military review of about 800 boys, who had been in camp for only one week's training, was a feature of the visit, and the progress made in this short time was considered remarkable. The Minneapolis Chapter has been active in furthering the interests of the military training camps as well as voluntary military training in high schools, against which there is a strong pacifist propaganda. The city-wide committee in charge of the memorial for President Harding, in recognition of the fact that both President Harding and President Coolidge were members of the S. A. R., requested this Chapter to prepare a telegram of condolence to Mrs. Harding to be read at the Memorial Service. This telegram, prepared by President Schouten and presented by him at the meeting, is printed elsewhere in the BULLETIN.

MINNEAPOLIS CHAPTER held an especially interesting meeting in observance of Constitution Day on Sunday, September 16, in joint session with the Inter-racial Society of the Y. M. C. A. This marked the first joint meeting ever held in Minneapolis between members of an old American patriotic society and one of the new associations. The Inter-racial Association was organized by the Y. M. C. A. a few years ago to promote a patriotic spirit among its membership, and this meeting was held on the anniversary of its birth. The joint meeting presented an opportunity to members of the Sons of the American Revolution to mingle with a large number of the newer Americans and to accomplish some very effective and comprehensive work through individual effort. Minneapolis Chapter, No. 1, was represented on the platform by Congressman Walter H. Newton, while Judge G. W. Buffington was the speaker for the Inter-racial Association. Both addresses were along the lines of good citizenship and in keeping with the historical and important occasion commemorated. Special music added to the enjoyment of those present.

**Missouri Society.**—A meeting in celebration of the battles of Lexington and Concord was held at the Gatesworth Hotel, in St. Louis, on April 19. Dr. A. E. Bostwick, the eminent librarian of St. Louis, made the principal address and related many of the stirring events of the War for American Independence. President Linn Paine, also former President W. D. Vandiver, spoke on the activities of the Society. Hon. James M. Breckenridge was chairman of the Reception Committee, consisting of sixty members. The musical program, consisting of patriotic songs, was rendered under the direction of William M. Jenkins. The entertainment included songs by Mr. Edward L. Baker and Dr. Howard E. Shilling and recitations by George M. Ravold.

An informal patriotic and musical entertainment was given in the ball-room of the Gatesworth Hotel, in St. Louis, on the evening of Flag Day, June 14. Linn Paine, President of the Missouri Society, welcomed the assembly, and an address on "The Flag of our Country" was delivered by Reverend Russell Henry Stafford. Mrs. Ben F. Gray, President of the Colonial Dames in Missouri, and Mrs. S. H. Curlee, Regent of the St. Louis Chapter, D. A. R., were guests of honor and gave us a most interesting account of the progress of their respective organizations. The entertainment of the evening included solos and duets by Miss Ruth Harris and Mr. James W. Porteous.

The Society arranged for an appropriate celebration of Constitutional Day throughout the churches and schools and secured very wide press publicity. An address by radio by President Linn Paine made an appeal for greater appreciation of the Constitution and included a recital of the purposes and objects of the S. A. R.

**New Hampshire Society.**—This Society interested itself actively in the Tercentenary Celebration of Portsmouth, which took place August 21, 22, and 23. This included a particularly fine pageant which told the story of the settlement and development of Portsmouth. Special services in the churches opened the ceremonies. Our Society held open house in the Hotel Wentworth during the celebration and welcomed with a reception committee all compatriots and their friends who visited Portsmouth during the events, beside furnishing many active executives for the carrying out of the program.



This Society has since been called on to sustain the very sudden and shocking loss of our valued and deeply beloved compatriot, Hon. Harry T. Lord, Director General and Past Vice-President General, whose death occurred suddenly on September 1. Further mention of Mr. Lord's services and life will be found elsewhere in this and a later issue of the BULLETIN.

**New Jersey Society.**—Constitution Day was observed in New Jersey on a very general and comprehensive scale. First of all the meetings was the one held under the auspices of Passaic Valley Chapter, co-operating with Beacon Fire Chapter, both of Summit, held at the First Presbyterian Church, in that town on Sunday afternoon, September 16. Rev. W. Warren Giles, pastor of the First Reformed Church of East Orange, delivered a stirring address on "The Constitution of the United States." In the evening Dr. Giles delivered the same sermon at the union meeting of the Morris County Chapter of the New Jersey Society and Morristown Chapter, D. A. R., at Morristown. Both services were attended by large congregations. At noon on Monday the church bells and factory whistles in many of the municipalities were rung and blown for three minutes, in remembrance of the day and calling the attention of the people to its importance. Every newspaper in the State gave some notice of the day's observance and several thousand circular letters were sent throughout the State requesting the people to display the Flag of Stars and Stripes. Vice-President General Carl M. Vail sent a letter to every Mayor of Bergen County, where he lives, requesting them to issue a proclamation calling upon the citizens to remember the anniversary, and in Paterson, an industrial center, the Mayor, in response to the request of the Captain Abraham Godwin Chapter, issued a proclamation calling for the ringing of the bells and blowing of whistles at the noon hour. Other cities and towns were also keyed up to a high pitch of enthusiasm in the celebration, which was more emphatic than at any other time during the eight years the anniversary has been remembered.

At noon a number of the members of the State Society met at the Essex Club, 44 Park Place, Newark, and enjoyed a Constitution Day luncheon. Members of the Broad Street Association, an organization for mutual helpfulness along business lines, were guests of the Society. Rev. George P. Eastman, Chaplain of Orange Chapter and pastor of the Highland Avenue Congregational church, offered the invocation, and after the menu had been served David L. Pierson, Secretary, outlined the outstanding features of the Constitutional Convention, in session in the old State House, Philadelphia, during the summer of 1787. Judge Adrian Lyon, President, spoke on the solidity and elasticity of the Constitution, noting especially how it had withstood the assaults of the years. In the afternoon, at 5:15 o'clock, a tablet was dedicated on the outer wall of the Post-Office Building in Orange, on which is recorded the fact that the conception of observing the 17th of September as Constitutional Day was from the mind of a resident of the community, and that the first proclamation calling the attention of the people to the day's observance was issued by the President General of the S. A. R. in 1917. Rev. George P. Eastman, chairman of the committee, presided, and there was singing by the school children, prayer by Rev. Charles B. Bullard, Historian of the Chapter, and an address by David L. Pierson on "The Meaning of the Constitution." The tablet was unveiled by James L. Garabrant, President of the Chapter, who said that the one who first brought out the idea of observing Constitution Day was the speaker of the afternoon, former Historian General, former

President of the Chapter, and now Secretary of the New Jersey Society. The exercises closed with the singing of "America."

In the evening Newark Chapter held exercises at the headquarters of the State Society, 33 Lombardy Street, presided over by Sylvester H. M. Agens, President, and a feature of the celebration by the chapter was the reading of the concluding paragraphs of Webster's famous reply to Senator Hayne, of South Carolina, January 29, 1830, when the nullification was discussed in the Senate. This was most dramatically read by Rev. Warren P. Coon, Chaplain in the A. E. F. during the World War. Rev. Dr. Robert Scott Inglis, pastor of the Third Presbyterian Church, Newark, delivered a stirring address, telling of the historical relationship of the century and more of the past to the period when the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution were adopted. The religious influence was largely responsible for both creations. David L. Pierson also spoke briefly. The Newark Chapter Quartet sang several selections, and Rev. Dr. Lyman Whitney Allen, former Chaplain General, offered the prayer.

Secretary David L. Pierson has offered a prize of a framed picture of the bas-relief on the Subtreasury Building, Wall Street, New York, entitled "Washington at Prayer at Valley Forge," to the Chapter enrolling the largest number of members from September 17, 1923, to June 1, noon, 1924. The Newark Chapter has energetically stepped into the campaign and will offer, in addition, a prize of a gold jewel of the S. A. R. to the member responsible for the enrollment of the largest number of members, the minimum to be ten members. The prize is on exhibition at the State headquarters.

Rev. Dr. Lyman Whitney Allen, past Chaplain General, broadcasted from the WOR on the night of August 15, his subject being "Present Day Americanism." A circular letter has been sent to every member of the New Jersey Society, calling for a continued co-operation during the coming season, which is to be of a very intensive character. The permanent headquarters have recently been renovated and are now in excellent condition for the busy days that are just ahead.

PARAMUS CHAPTER, Ridgewood, enjoyed its annual pilgrimage to historical shrines on September 22, the objective being Washington's Headquarters at Morristown. Heretofore, all the trips have been in Bergen County and vicinity.

CAPTAIN ABRAHAM GODWIN CHAPTER is preparing a seven years' program for the remembrance of events leading to and occurring in the War for American Independence in the city of Paterson, where the Chapter is located. At a recent competition for a medal in the public schools in Paterson, the prize was won by a boy of Italian birth.

Harry F. Brewer, chairman of the Americanization Committee of the State Society, has prepared a long program of suggestions for the Chapters to carry out during the coming season. It was reported at the meeting of the Board of Managers on the evening of September 14 and met with hearty approval.

Vice-President General Carl M. Vail, by gift, has added forty-one rare historical volumes to the library of the New Jersey Society. Included in the list are twenty-three volumes of the records of the Continental Congress.

Independence Day was observed by several of the Chapters. At East Orange exercises were held at the Elmwood Park, under the auspices of Orange Chapter, at 9 o'clock in the morning. A procession of school children around the park was a feature of the celebration. David L. Pierson, State Secretary and chairman

of the committee, presided, and the oration was delivered by Judge Adrian Lyon, President of the State Society. He measured up well to the expectancy of the hour. A brass band played a number of patriotic selections and the order of exercises was well carried out.

MONTCLAIR CHAPTER held a very interesting order of exercises in the evening, in connection with Eagle Rock Chapter, D. A. R. Compatriot Elvord G. Chamberlin, former President of the Montclair Chapter and now First Vice-President of the New Jersey Society, will on October 1 be sworn in as the postmaster of Montclair. He had no opposition whatever, a tribute to his popularity and personal worth.

Rev. Dr. Frank A. Smith, Chaplain of the New Jersey Society, delivered a stirring address on the call to service at the services held in the Springfield Presbyterian Church on Sunday, June 24, in remembrance of the 143d anniversary of the Battle of Springfield, fought on June 23, 1780. The services were held for the ninth consecutive year under the auspices of Passaic Valley Chapter of Summit. The Chapter is planning a dinner at Summit on the evening of October 11 in honor of Judge Adrian Lyon, President of the New Jersey Society.

ELIZABETHTOWN CHAPTER No. 1, of the New Jersey Society, plans to celebrate its thirtieth anniversary on the evening of November 1. This was the first local Chapter formed in the Organization and became the forerunner of the Chapter method of conducting the activities of the State Societies. The affair will be held at the Elks Club in Elizabeth, and special guests of the Chapter at the reception and dinner will include the President General and members of the National Executive Committee, as well as the New Jersey State officers and representatives of other patriotic societies. It is expected that the New Jersey Society will be out in force and the brilliance of the occasion will be greatly enhanced by the presence of the ladies. The Rev. Frank A. Smith, D. D., Chaplain of the New Jersey Society, is the President of the Chapter, and Harry F. Brewer, former Vice-President of the New Jersey Society, is chairman of the Committee of Arrangements.

At the commencement exercises of Summit High School, on June 22, the prize offered by Passaic Valley Chapter for the best essay, entitled "Thomas Payne's Contribution to the American Revolution," was awarded to Miss Frances Blondin by Compatriot Alfred W. Alesbury, President. On the following day, June 23, President Alesbury presented a prize to Miss Kathryn L. Merrill for her essay, entitled "Battles in New Jersey During the Revolution." This was offered for competition in the 8th grade of the Summit schools.

A joint automobile pilgrimage by the Elizabethtown, West Fields, and Abraham Clark Chapters, New Jersey Society, and the Beacon Fire Chapter, D. A. R., of Summit, took place on June 16, with the Wallace House at Somerville, N. J., as the objective. This house was the headquarters of General Washington during the winter of 1778-1779. An address was delivered by Rev. M. S. Waters, Historian of the State Society, and a picnic lunch was enjoyed on the lawn. Malcolm MacDougall was chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements.

**New York (Empire State) Society.**—The usual ceremony was held, under the auspices of the Empire State Society, at the tomb of General Marquis de La Fayette, in Paris, on July 4th, by the compatriots in that city, and is given special mention elsewhere in this issue.

NEW YORK CHAPTER.—The Chapter was well represented at the James Monroe Memorial Association and Foundation Ceremonies, held on July 4th, at St. Paul's Chapel, at the City Hall, and at the "Monroe House," in Prince Street. The addresses were broadcasted to the whole Nation.

On Wednesday evening, July 4th, the New York Chapter arranged through the courtesy of Mr. Charles B. Popence, a program appropriate to the day, which was broadcasted by the Radio Corporation of America from Æolian Hall. The program included the Star Spangled Banner, sung by the solo soprano of the Church of the Divine Paternity, Miss Parkhurst, and ten-minute addresses by Dr. Edward Hagaman Hall and Rev. Joseph Fort Newton, D. D., Chaplain of the Empire State Society. Gen. Oliver B. Bridgman, President, presided.

Lafayette-Marne Day was observed by the Chapter by the placing of a wreath upon the tomb of Colonel Etienne Bechet, Sieur de Rochefontaine, in the churchyard of St. Paul's Chapel, Broadway and Vesey Street. Colonel Bechet was a volunteer French officer, who served with distinction in the Engineer Corps of General Duportail under the immediate command of Washington during the Revolution, from 1778 to the close of the war, in 1783. A brief address was made by Hon. James B. Laux, Historian of the Society, extracts of which follow:

"In behalf of the New York Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution, and in grateful remembrance of the valiant service as a volunteer soldier of France, you rendered the cause of liberty in America during our long struggle for independence, a worthy comrade-in-arms of Lafayette, whose nativity we celebrate this day, and that other glorious event, the Battle of the Marne, in more recent days, where the valor of liberty-loving French soldiers triumphed over German despotism, we place this wreath upon your tomb, Etienne Béchet, Sieur de Rochefontaine. May the memory of your service to liberty and of the help and friendship of your native land in America's hour of need remain undimmed and endure forever. 'Oue la grâce et la paix vous soient données de la part de Dieu notre Pere et au Seigneur Jésus Christ.'"

Commemoration of the 136th Anniversary of the Adoption of the Constitution of the United States, on September 17, 1787, was observed, under the auspices of the Chapter, on the steps of the United States Subtreasury Building (site of Federal Hall), corner of Wall and Nassau Streets, New York City, on Monday, September 17, at 12:30 o'clock p. m. The procession, headed by Major Charles A. Du Bois, marshal, marched from Vesey Street in the following order: Mounted police; band from Brooklyn Navy Yard; United States marines; officers of the S. A. R.; Color Guard of the S. A. R.; members of the S. A. R.; officers, color-bearers, and members of participating patriotic societies. The stirring program was as follows: Brigadier-General Oliver B. Bridgman, President of the New York Chapter, S. A. R., presided; "The Star-Spangled Banner," by the audience, led by the boy choir of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, and accompanied by the U. S. Navy Band from the Brooklyn Navy Yard; invocation by Rev. Joseph Fort Newton, D. D., Litt. D., Chaplain of the New York Chapter, Empire State Society, S. A. R., and pastor of the Church of the Divine Paternity, New York City; "Battle Hymn of the Republic" by the audience, led by the boy choir and accompanied by the band; introduction of speaker by Brigadier-General Oliver B. Bridgman, President of the New York Chapter, S. A. R.; address, "The Constitution," by Hon. Royal S. Copeland, U. S. Senator from New York, who made a strong appeal for the

study and upholding of the Constitution, not only as originally written, but for all amendments since added thereto. The address was attentively listened to by the large audience, who were gathered in Wall and Broad Streets. Benediction by Rev. Joseph Fort Newton, D. D., Litt. D., Chaplain, and "America" was sung by the audience, led by the boy choir and accompanied by the band. The committee in charge consisted of Captain Reginald Fay, chairman; Colonel Louis Annin Ames, Frederick H. Cone, William C. Demorest, Major Charles A. Du Bois, Edward Hagaman Hall, I. H. D., Harold S. Hull, and George McK. Roberts.

The New York Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, also arranged a program Constitution Day evening, September 17, which was broadcasted by the Radio Corporation of America, WJZ. Brigadier-General Oliver B. Bridgman, the President, presided, and the program included the "Star-Spangled Banner," by the boys from the choir of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, and an address appropriate to the day by the Hon. Montague Lessler. This was followed by "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," sung by the choir. In a two-minute talk the President expressed the appreciation of the Society to those who participated, and the exercises closed by singing of "America" by the choir. This ceremony was in addition to the one held at noon at the Subtreasury, Broad and Wall Streets.

ROCHESTER CHAPTER.—The May meeting of the Chapter was held at the D. A. R. Chapter House on May 21. Mr. Charles H. Wiltsie read a paper—the results of a lifetime of travel, study, and legal experience—covering conditions in Europe as they affect the future welfare of America. At this meeting were elected to membership Mr. De Elton Seeber, of Cape Vincent, New York, and Mr. Frederick De Forest Lamb, of Rochester, New York. The meeting was well attended and a social hour and refreshments were enjoyed after the paper. The most important work this Chapter has ever undertaken was inaugurated last year by the appointment of a committee to consider the matter of acquiring and preserving the Saratoga Battlefield. The committee consists of Compatriots Charles E. Ogden, chairman; Hon. Harvey F. Remington and Mr. Frank E. Gannett, of the Rochester *Times-Union*. The work of this committee bore fruit in the adoption of a resolution adopted by the National Congress at Nashville, Tenn., May 21. Compatriots Ogden, Remington, and Dann obtained options on the Freeman and Sarle farms at Saratoga on August 9, 1923. Subscriptions for the funds to carry on the project are now being solicited. A more detailed account of this committee's plans and accomplishments will be found elsewhere in this issue.

To further the celebration of Constitution Day, the President of the Rochester Chapter appointed a committee, consisting of Edward R. Foreman, Charles E. Ogden, and Harvy F. Remington, to arrange the matter of the proper observance of the day in the schools, etc., and also by sermons on Sunday, September 16.

THE BUFFALO CHAPTER is planning a most interesting and attractive program for this year. On October 30 there will be a meeting of the Chapter, with Director General Marvin H. Lewis as the guest of honor. Invitations will be sent to Pittsburgh, Cleveland, and Rochester to send delegations to the meeting. The Chapter is hoping to entertain General Pershing about the middle of January, when he is to visit Buffalo as the guest of the Reserve Corps. A partial promise has been made that the Chapter will have the privilege of having the General for luncheon. Other patriotic organizations will be asked to co-operate.

A patriotic ceremony in which Empire State compatriots take an interest is the annual 4th of July service held each year at old St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Eastchester. A tablet in honor of Ann Hutchinson was this year formally presented by Mrs. Quincy Gillmore, of New York, who represented the Colonial Dames of the State of New York. The tablet, which is on one of the outer walls of the church, was accepted in behalf of the church by the rector. These 4th of July exercises have been held at the church since 1892, when they were inaugurated by Rev. William Samuel Coffey, then rector of the church, in co-operation with ex-Justice Isaac N. Mills and others. Judge Mills has been a most faithful attendant and was among the fifty people present this summer. During the exercises, in accordance with the custom, the church bell was rung thirteen times in memory of the Thirteen Original Colonies. An historical address by Hon. Thomas H. Hodge, whose lifelong connection with St. Paul's gave his reminiscences much interest, the reading of the Declaration of Independence by Dr. Archibald T. Banning, and other addresses and music made the program a very impressive one. A historical sketch of Anne Hutchinson was a feature.

COL. CORNELIUS VAN DYCK CHAPTER, Schenectady.—At the quarterly meeting of the Chapter, held September 4, Compatriots P. Schuyler Miller, Aaron Becker, E. R. Whitney, F. R. Champion, and Horace S. Van Voast were appointed a committee to act in conjunction with a committee from the Schenectady County Historical Society in reference to the report of the New York State Historical Association on the celebration of the 150th anniversary of Revolutionary events occurring in this State. The Chapter has issued a circular urging regular attendance at all meetings, and personal and individual interest in recruiting new members. On October 6 the members made a trip by automobile to the Saratoga battlefield. Plans for accepting an invitation from the Schenectady D. A. R. to attend a reception on October 18, and for a Chapter dinner on November 18, are announced, and the year bids fair to be a lively one for this, one of the most active Chapters in the Empire State.

**Ohio Society.**—This Society made a comprehensive report of its work for the year ending on April 1, but this was received too late for publication in the June BULLETIN. Several outstanding accomplishments not previously reported, however, deserve mention at this time. The Society made a total addition of new members to the number of 65 during the year ending April 1, 1923, and since the organization of this State Society, in April, 1889, there have been 1,742 members admitted. The work of locating graves of Revolutionary soldiers buried in Ohio is an active work of this Society, and there have altogether been located about twelve hundred graves. The members of the D. A. R. also assist in this work. In Ohio the county commissioners are required to pay for grave-markers for all such graves located, so that the patriotic duty of properly identifying the graves is all that is required of the Societies. In April a second local Chapter was organized at Springfield, to be known as the George Rogers Clark Chapter, and to comprise all members residing in Clark County. The organization was completed on April 19 by election of the following compatriots as officers of the new Chapter: President, Dr. Victor G. A. Tressler; Secretary, Alexander H. Ballard; Treasurer, Charles B. Zimmerman. Plans for great activity in bringing in new members were formed at this meeting.

**RICHARD MONTGOMERY CHAPTER, DAYTON.**—On July 1 this Chapter conducted ceremonies incident to the placing of markers on the graves of two soldiers of the American Revolution—Benjamin Cox and John Kiser—at Willow View Cemetery.

**ANTHONY WAYNE CHAPTER, Toledo,** held a meeting on September 18, with the State President, Harry H. Hoard, as guest of honor. Mr. Hoard spoke on the State activities in general, and the Hon. Simeon Fess, U. S. Senator from Ohio, made an address upon the Constitution. Other addresses were made by Mayor B. F. Brough and Compatriot Frank E. Calkins, President of the Bar Association. Benjamin Franklin Chapter, of Columbus, and Ethan Allen Chapter, of Warren, both held fine Constitution Day meetings, and brought about a general observance of the day and week. The President of Kenyon College at Gambier, William F. Pierce, an enthusiastic compatriot, was instrumental in having an appropriate program of observance on September 19. The State Society was represented at the funeral of President Harding in Marion by the State President, Mr. Hoard, and sent a beautiful wreath and letter of condolence to Mrs. Harding.

**The Oregon Society** held a most enjoyable smoker on Saturday evening, June 23. The program was of interesting and patriotic character. Compatriot John K. Kollock read the Declaration of Independence and Judge Martin L. Pipes delivered an instructive and comprehensive address, admirably setting forth the relation of the Declaration to the Constitution and the national development. Past President General Wallace McCamant gave a capital account of the proceedings of the National Congress held at Nashville, and the various incidents and episodes connected with the gathering.

Compatriots Robert E. Smith, chairman; Dr. Henry Waldo Coe, James S. Gay, Jr., L. D. Bosley, Robert G. Dieck, Edward D. Baldwin, and W. B. Crane were appointed as a committee on observance of Constitution Day, September 17, 1923. This committee will act in conjunction with similar committees of the Oregon Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Oregon Bar Association, and other organizations.

Compatriots H. L. Bates, Wm. Bittle Wells, and G. W. Gearhart were also named as the committee to take charge of the 1923-1924 essay competition among the school children of the State.

Compatriot B. E. Sanford has been selected as the representative of the Oregon Society on a general committee, representing the patriotic organizations of Oregon, to carry on a State-wide campaign for general observance of the rules and regulations relating to the use of the American flag.

**Pennsylvania Society.**—On June 29 this Society was represented very generously on the program upon the occasion of a flag presentation to Merrill W. Allen Camp, United Spanish War Veterans. Members participated in a parade to West Park, on the North Side, and addresses were made by Compatriots James A. Wakefield, chairman, Past President, and National Trustee, and Col. H. C. Westervelt, of the State Society of Pennsylvania. On July 3 the Pennsylvania Society presented to the Pittsburgh Council, Boy Scouts, a fine United States Flag. This took place at Gyasuta Park. Colonel Westervelt made the presentation speech. The Society takes pride and gratification in the fact that Governor Pinchot has signed the resolution calling upon the Department of Public Instruc-

tion to examine history texts used in the public schools, with a view to eliminating undesirable ones and making recommendations for legislation to that end if necessary.

MIDDLETOWN CHAPTER.—On Flag Day this Chapter combined with the Daughters of the American Revolution for a joint meeting in the old St. Peter's Brick Church, built in 1767, which is owned by the Lutheran Church at Middletown. The services were held in the afternoon, as there are no lights in the building. The building is the same as when built in 1767, and has never been changed, except to paint it. We had a very enthusiastic meeting. Dr. George P. Donehoo, State Librarian, was the principal speaker, and gave a very interesting talk on "Pennsylvania, with Its Historical Events and Relations to the Flag." On July 4th the charter of this Chapter was closed with appropriate ceremonies, the entire Chapter taking part. The Chapter aims to eclipse its former record, and those engrossed as charter members feel proud of the distinction.

Middletown Chapter joined with the Swatara Pine Ford Chapter, D. A. R., in a Constitution Day meeting held in the lecture room of St. Peter's Lutheran Church. Appropriate music and an address by Mark T. Milnor, of Harrisburg, were features of the program. The Chapter also arranged for addresses before the pupils of the high and grammar schools of the city and secured a general display of the flag.

The following is quoted from an editorial in *The Spectator*, the well-known life-insurance publication, and the Editor takes pleasure in presenting this favorable notice of an honored compatriot:

#### DR. W. C. LYNE IS HONORED

Dr. W. C. Lyne, Past President of the Pennsylvania Society, S. A. R., was recently honored by being presented with a gavel made from the oak table used in drawing up the fundamental principles of the Republican Party at its birth, in the old Lafayette Hotel, Pittsburgh, in 1856, when John C. Fremont was nominated as the party's first standard-bearer. This souvenir was to have been presented to the late President Warren G. Harding by its owner, James H. Scott, of Pittsburgh, who has held it as a treasured relic for a half century; but as a token of his high appreciation of the patriotic administration of the affairs of the Pennsylvania Society of the Sons of the American Revolution by the retiring President of that Society, Dr. W. C. Lyne, it was presented to the latter. Dr. Lyne's administration of the affairs of the Society was generally recognized as one of the strongest and best in its history. Dr. Lyne was chairman of the Memorial Committee of the Pennsylvania Sons of the American Revolution which drew up the minutes adopted by the Society named in the honor of the memory of President Harding, who for many years had been actively identified with the Sons of the American Revolution. Dr. Lyne has not only won success in the life-insurance business, but his scholarly attainments and distinguished usefulness have been recognized by the Grove City College, which conferred on him the honorary degree of Doctor of Literature. In the address accompanying conferment of the degree, President Weir Kettler said: "You come of a long line of men and women distinguished for scholarship and public service. You, yourself, have been worthy of the traditions of your race. As a student in college you showed marked ability. As a teacher and executive head of schools, you won the confidence and respect of all who knew you. You have been active in the business affairs in the great city in which you live. You have taken a leading part in its civic and religious life. You have been prominently identified with one of the great patriotic organizations of this country. In a happy way you have combined the genius of a successful business man, the attainments of a scholar, and the graces of a gentleman." President Lyne is a senior member in point of service on the Board of State Managers and



rendered valuable service as chairman of the Committee of Patriotic Activities, serving as assistant State chairman in the first observance in Pennsylvania of the adoption of the American Constitution and Chairman of Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce. On Armistice Day, he headed the State delegation to Washington, D. C., in the nation's tribute to the Unknown Soldier brought from overseas. Mr. Lyne belongs to an old Colonial Revolutionary family, with a long record of distinguished service, covering representation in the English Parliament, the American Congress, the President's Cabinet, Washington's staff, and the House of Virginia Burgesses. During the late war activities, Mr. Lyne was appointed on the National Executive Committee of the American Defense Society and was a member of the Executive Council of Allegheny County of the Four-Minute-Men and also a member of the intercollegiate Bureau of College Alumni acting in an advisory relation with the Administration.

Constitution Day was celebrated in Pittsburgh by the members of the Society attending services in a body at the Point Breeze Presbyterian Church. Dr. Percival H. Barker, the pastor of this church, had invited the Society to take part in the services and a fitting program had been arranged. His address dealt with past and present constitutional problems and our duty to follow in the footsteps of our ancestors in helping to solve these problems. The entire service was broadcasted by KDKA, the powerful sending station of the Westinghouse Electric Co., and was no doubt heard all over the eastern part of the United States by many of our members who were listening in on the radio. The Society co-operated with the other patriotic and civic organizations in Pittsburgh in making the week of the 17th Constitution Week. Each Society furnished speakers, and addresses were made in each of the Pittsburgh public schools on the Constitution. A general letter was sent to the Pittsburgh newspapers and important editorials appeared in each paper.

**South Carolina Society.**—Major John F. Jones, who has been working so diligently for the resuscitation of this Society, is at last beginning to see his labor of love bear results. The State Charter was formally renewed early last spring and applications are coming in from South Carolina in encouraging numbers. Major Jones has lost no opportunity of presenting the cause of our organization, both privately and publicly, and on July 14th had an exceptional opportunity to speak publicly at the ceremonies incident to the opening of the wonderful new bridge, known as the Wateree Bridge, between Columbia and Sumter. Major Jones made a stirring address and brought home to the Carolinians their patriotic obligation to affiliate themselves with the Sons of the American Revolution, where so many were eligible through such wonderful ancestral service to the patriotic cause. There is no question but that this address brought forth much fruit in the way of new applications, and we are happy to observe the completed papers coming through rapidly.

**Tennessee Society.**—Bronze markers were placed by the Tennessee Society on the graves of two Revolutionary patriots, William Wallace and his son, Jesse Wallace, in New Providence Churchyard, at Maryville, on August 4. Major Will A. McTeer presided at the brief ceremony, which was participated in by the Mary Blount Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mr. Will E. Parham, of Maryville, well-known genealogist, representing the State Society, read a sketch of the civil service of William Wallace and the military service Jesse Wallace rendered during the Revolution. Major McTeer

recalled the pioneer days of east Tennessee, the dangers and the privations endured by the hardy generations of the past. He paid a tribute to William Wallace, who assisted in establishing American independence as a civil officer, having been a magistrate from Sullivan County, appointed by the territorial governor, and later was one of the commissioners called by Governor Blount to convene and advise as to restraining the Indians from attack. He assisted in the organization of the county court of Sullivan, the second county formed in what is now Tennessee, and later served in both Knox and Blount counties, being chairman of the first county court of Blount County. He died in 1799.

Jesse Wallace, when about 15 years of age, became actively engaged in defending his country, under Colonel John Sevier, and was connected with most, if not all, of Colonel Sevier's heroic and dangerous expeditions. At the time of his death, in 1854, he was in his eighty-eighth year and the oldest resident of Maryville.

The Tennessee Society has conferred a War Service Medal upon Compatriot Frank Marshall Gilliland, of Memphis, whose services in France were notable. This medal was presented by Vice-President McDowell to Lieutenant Gilliland at the State meeting of the American Legion in Memphis during the week of September 10th, at which the Tennessee Society, S. A. R., was represented by a speaker on the program, and during which time the Memphis Chapter entertained the officers of the American Legion at luncheon.

**Texas Society.**—Following the suggestion and recommendation of the Nashville Congress, this Society has appointed Major Walter Scott Mayer, former Secretary of the State Society, now Third Vice-President and Genealogist, Chief Liaison Officer from the Texas Society to the Texas Department of the American Legion. Major Mayer attended the convention of the American Legion at Galveston on August 16 and presented and urged upon the assemblage the passage of several resolutions in conformity to certain resolutions passed by the Nashville Congress of the S. A. R. The American Legion at this meeting passed a resolution urging the study of the Constitution of the United States in grammar schools and favored activity of its posts against improper school histories. The resolutions with regard to use by foreigners of American historic names and more drastic legislation relative to the study of the Constitution by aliens also were offered by Major Mayer, were not favored by the meeting. Senator Morris Sheppard, of the Texas Society, was one of the speakers at this meeting.

The monthly bulletins of the Texas Society are proving very interesting and the one issued in August contained an excellent comment pertinent to the Constitution of the United States, in anticipation of Constitution Week. The Society has also distributed very widely a circular letter urging suitable observance of this anniversary.

Through the energy of Major Mayer, National Trustee for Texas, the press of the State, particularly in Galveston, co-operated very heartily with the effort to bring the observance of Constitution Day forcibly before the citizenship. Fine editorials appeared in all dailies and the observance was very general. A circular letter to every American Legion Post in Texas was also issued by Mr. Mayer, and this was productive of a wider influence than could have been acquired in any other way, as sections of the State were thus reached not likely to have been approached.

**The Utah Society** is much gratified over the fact that the Thirty-fifth Annual Congress of the National Society will be held in Salt Lake City during the summer of 1924. The compatriots of the Utah Society are keenly interested in making this, the first Rocky Mountain Congress of the National Society, a most pronounced success and a source of true pleasure and delight to the compatriots and ladies from other States who will honor Utah with their presence. Strong delegations are expected from Oregon, Washington, California, Idaho, Montana, Colorado, and other Far Western States, and it will give an opportunity to these splendid compatriots of the Far West to meet in National Congress their compatriots from the Eastern and Southern States, who will doubtless send strong delegations. The date of the Salt Lake Congress will be arranged so as not to conflict with the Republican or Democratic National Conventions and at a time when Yellowstone National Park, which can be visited without extra railroad fare, will be open, and arrangements will be made for a special train from Chicago, and possibly from New York.

General John Q. Cannon, President of the Utah Society; Russel L. Tracy, Vice-President; Hon. George Albert Smith, Vice-President General; Hon. Chauncey P. Overfield, Member of the National Committee on Arrangements; Hon. Daniel S. Spencer, National Trustee, are all devoting much time to the working out of the arrangements, which will from time to time appear in the BULLETIN.

The Utah Society succeeded in arousing a State-wide interest in the observance of Constitution Day through generous newspaper co-operation, in which the ever-alert *Deseret News* took the lead. The proclamation of Governor Mabey was one of the earliest to be issued, and he has set a precedent for several years in this matter, which is followed in many States more and more generally each year.

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### ADDITIONS TO MEMBERSHIP

There have been enrolled in the office of the Registrar General from May 30, 1923, to October 1, 1923, 280 new members, distributed as follows: Arizona, 2; Arkansas, 1; California, 10; Connecticut, 8; Florida, 2; Georgia, 3; Hawaii, 1; Idaho, 2; Illinois, 25; Indiana, 2; Iowa, 6; Kansas, 3; Kentucky, 2; Louisiana, 3; Maryland, 5; Massachusetts, 7; Michigan, 12; Minnesota, 19; Missouri, 3; Nebraska, 8; New Hampshire, 1; New Jersey, 18; New Mexico, 1; New York (Empire State), 16; North Carolina, 1; North Dakota, 1; Ohio, 22; Oklahoma, 1; Oregon, 4; Pennsylvania, 28; Rhode Island, 7; South Carolina, 24; South Dakota, 1; Texas, 1; Tennessee, 9; Virginia, 14; Washington State, 1; Wisconsin, 4; Wyoming, 2.

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### ERRATA

In the October, 1922, BULLETIN, page 85, the name "Fisbach" should read *Leyburn G. Fishach*.

In the June, 1923, BULLETIN, page 128, the name "Tharood" should read *Frederic Charles Sharood*.



In view of the appreciable number of inquiries that are directed to the Registrar General's Office from all parts of the United States concerning matters of genealogy and Revolutionary War service, it has been deemed expedient and advisable to inaugurate a special department of this magazine under the caption of "Notes and Queries."

Very often the same question is put by different individuals who may be descended from a common ancestral line. This department, therefore, will be helpful to all such inquirers. Again, there may be some who are entitled to claims in right of supplemental ancestors, but who are not able to establish the connecting links between the supplementary and the known line of descent. It will be the object of this department to assist any member who is interested in this phase of his family tree.

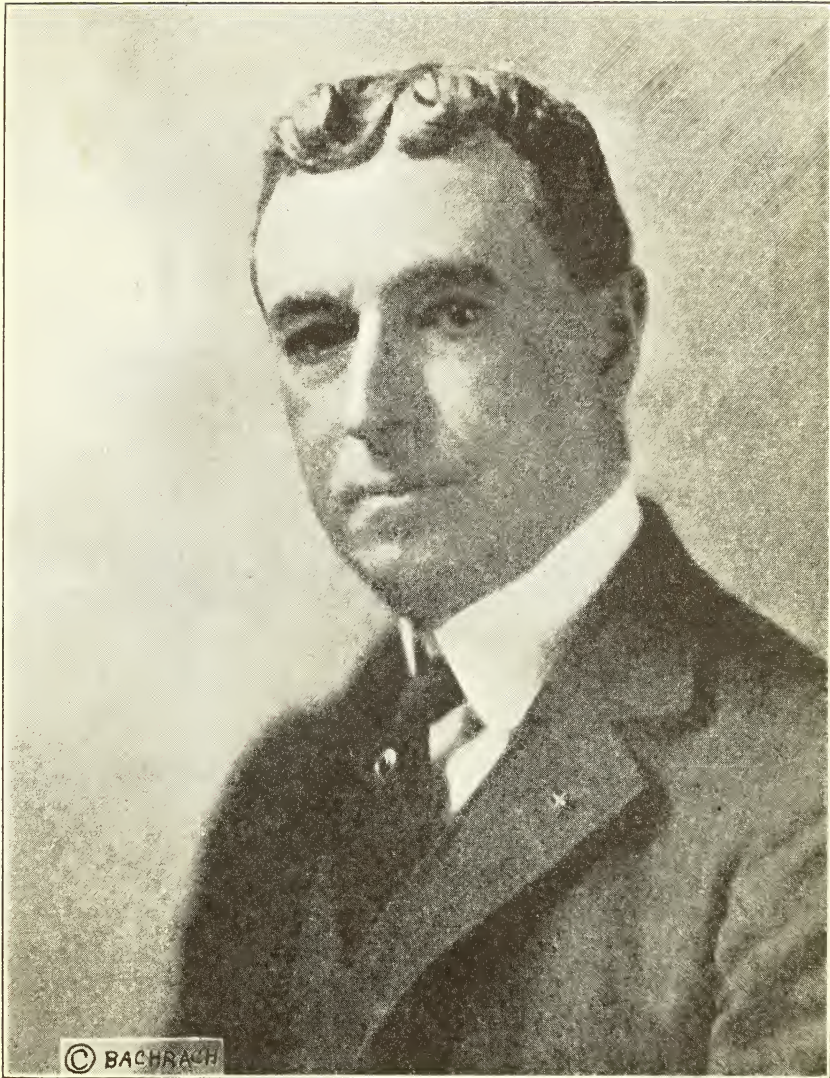
With regard to the matter of Revolutionary War service, it is a known fact that numbers of military muster rolls, pay lists, etc., have been lost or at least are inaccessible. Hence the official published lists, as well as the War Department records, are incomplete. Sometimes these gaps may be supplied from other sources, and it will be the duty of this department to suggest the means whereby it may be possible to obtain some of the missing data.

Every member of this Society, perhaps, has some friend or acquaintance who desires to be enrolled in our membership, but who is unable to establish the Revolutionary connection. We shall be glad to extend a helping hand in all such cases that are brought to our notice through the medium of these columns.

Finally, compatriots, this department is at your service. Every pertinent query will be numbered and initialed, the answer will be designated to correspond, and the record will be open to all members of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

Faithfully yours,

*Francis B. Culver*  
Registrar General.



THE REGISTRAR GENERAL

## In Memoriam

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- CHARLES GERLOCH ALLEN, Iowa Society, died August 8, 1923.  
 FREDERICK WILLIAM ALLEN, Massachusetts Society, died May 24, 1923.  
 TRAVIS, F. BEAL, Michigan Society, died July 27, 1923.  
 JOHN LOVEJOY BEARDSLEY, Connecticut Society, died June 2, 1923.  
 WILLIAM GRAFFEN BLOOD, President, Lexington, Iowa Chapter, died March 24, 1923.  
 THOMAS JEFFERSON BOARDMAN, Connecticut Society, died June 17, 1923.  
 CLANCY D. BOYNTON, New Jersey Society, died August 11, 1923.  
 CHARLES H. BROWN, New Jersey Society, died August 9, 1923.  
 MONMOUTH S. BUCKBEE, Empire State Society, died August 22, 1923.  
 ELMER VALENTINE BURDETT, Massachusetts Society, died April 3, 1923.  
 WILLIAM BUCHANAN BURKE, Tennessee Society, died July 21, 1923.  
 GEORGE THOMAS CAMPBELL, Michigan Society, died April 1, 1923.  
 SAMUEL CLARK, New Jersey Society, died July 10, 1923.  
 J. MILTON COBURN, Connecticut Society, died August 13, 1923.  
 EDWARD COMSTOCK, Empire State Society, died August 30, 1923.  
 WILLIAM VAN ZANDT COX, District of Columbia Society, Past Chairman National Committee on the Flag, died July 24, 1923.  
 GEORGE CURRIER, Iowa Society, died July 26, 1923.  
 RICHARD WIGGIN DAKE, Tennessee Society, died August 13, 1923.  
 CHARLES D. DAVIS, Connecticut Society, died November 9, 1922.  
 JOHN WALKER DINSMORE, California Society, died April 2, 1922.  
 JOHN WELCH EMERSON, Massachusetts Society, died August 20, 1923.  
 JUSTIN E. EMERSON, Michigan Society, died April 8, 1923.  
 BENJAMIN FARREN ENGLISH, Connecticut Society, died June 26, 1923.  
 FREDERICK F. GLASBY, New Jersey Society, died June 17, 1923.  
 GEORGE O. GLAVIS, Empire State Society, died June 21, 1923.  
 BYRON H. GOODRICH, Michigan Society, died April 16, 1923.  
 JOHN GOTT, Massachusetts Society, died August 10, 1923.  
 PETER GRAFFAM, Massachusetts Society, died September 3, 1923.  
 CHARLES D. HALSEY, New Jersey Society, died September, 1923.  
 WARREN GAMALIEL HARDING, President of the United States, Ohio Society, died August 2, 1923.  
 LEW CASS HILL, Massachusetts Society, died August 25, 1923.  
 CHARLES SHERMAN HUBBARD, Pennsylvania Society, died July 27, 1923.  
 RICHARD A. HUTCHINSON, Minnesota Society, died August 14, 1923.  
 HENRY K. JONES, Michigan Society, died September 1, 1923.  
 RILEY L. JONES, Michigan Society, died April 23, 1923.  
 EDWARD LOWELL KELLY, Massachusetts Society, died May 29, 1923.  
 EDWARD KIBLER, Sr., Ohio Society, died April, 1919.  
 JAMES ALBERT LEWIS, Empire State Society, died October 7, 1922.  
 HARRY T. LORD, New Hampshire Society, Member National Executive Committee, a Director General, died September 1, 1923.  
 JOSEPH S. LUDINGTON, Connecticut Society, died May 1, 1923.  
 WILLIAM H. LUM, New Jersey Society, died July 11, 1923.  
 HOWARD A. MCGROW, Michigan Society, died June 13, 1923.  
 LEBBEUS B. MILLER, New Jersey Society, died July 23, 1923.  
 I. WIMBERT MOHLER, Maryland Society, died May 19, 1922.  
 NORTON THAYER MONTAGUE, Tennessee Society, died February 17, 1923.  
 HON. LUTHER W. MOTT, M. C., Empire State Society, died July 10, 1923.  
 FRANKLIN SISSON NORRETT, Connecticut Society, died June 1, 1923.  
 JOSEPH TAYLOR POE, Tennessee Society, died March, 1917.  
 GEORGE S. POLLARD, New Jersey Society, died June 27, 1923.  
 LUCIUS FRANCIS PAULINT, Massachusetts Society, died August 18, 1923.  
 OSCAR READ, Empire State Society, died September 29, 1923.  
 EDWARD D. REDFIELD, Connecticut Society, died June 15, 1923.  
 VALENTINE RIKER, New Jersey Society, died August 17, 1923.  
 CHARLES LEE ROCKWELL, Connecticut Society, died June 24, 1923.  
 FRANK LYON ROSS, Alabama Society, died, 1919.  
 EDWARD W. RUSSELL, New Jersey Society, died April 4, 1923.  
 GEORGE H. SERGEANT, Massachusetts Society, died April 20, 1923.  
 HENRY SOUTHWORTH SHAW, Massachusetts Society, died June 1, 1923.  
 ENOCH SMITH, Michigan Society, died August 1, 1923.  
 OTIS SMITH, Empire State Society, died September 3, 1923.  
 J. FRED TOWNSEND, Ohio Society, died March 22, 1923.  
 HENRY CARR WARD, New Jersey Society, died August 24, 1923.  
 ALLEN CLARKE WARNE, Pennsylvania Society, died July 23, 1923.  
 CHARLES A. WARREN, Michigan Society, died May 13, 1923.  
 PAUL WATERMAN, Connecticut Society, died July 31, 1923.  
 WILLIAM S. WETHERBEE, Connecticut Society, died February 21, 1923.  
 LEVI LINCOLN WILLCUTT, Massachusetts Society, died June 2, 1923.

**RECORDS OF 280 NEW MEMBERS AND 65 SUPPLEMENTALS APPROVED AND ENROLLED BY THE REGISTRAR GENERAL FROM MAY 30, 1923, TO OCTOBER 1, 1923.**

- CHARLES FREDERICK ABBOTT, Montclair, N. J. (38739). Son of George Washington and Margaret (Weir) Abbott; grandson of Thomas W. and Adaline N. (Vent) Abbott; great-grandson of Benjamin and Esther (Carrier) Abbott; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Daniel* and Rachel (—) *Abbott*; Signer, N. H. Association Test.; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *George Abbott*, Signer, N. H. Association Test.
- HENRY BLANES ADSIT, Calif. (29956). Supplemental. Son of Samuel and Jane Maria (Arms) Adsit; grandson of Abner and Electra (Boyden) Arms; great-grandson of *Consider Arms*, Member Conway, Mass., Committee of Safety and town treasurer.
- CHARLES LEON AGNEW, Rock Springs, Wyo. (Nebr. 38508). Son of George Crawford and Nannie Bell (Richards) Agnew; grandson of Isiah S. and Jane (Secrest) Richards; great-grandson of John and Margaret (Spaid) Richards; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Hannah (Anderson) Spaid; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of George Nicholas and Elizabeth (Cale) Spaid; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *John Cale*, private, Col. Abraham Bowman's Eighth Regt., Virginia Troops.
- RICHARD STEERE ALDRICH, Warwick, R. I. (38337). Son of Nelson Wilmarth and Abby Pearce Truman (Chapman) Aldrich; grandson of Anan Evans and Abby Ann (Burgess) Aldrich; great-grandson of Gideon and Phebe (Williams) Burgess; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Gideon Burgess*, private, Captain General's Co. Rhode Island Cavaliers.
- RAYMOND GREEN ALLERTON, Council Bluffs, Iowa (38509). Son of William Myron and Hannah (Hoge) Allerton; grandson of William Chauncey and Jane Ann (Green) Allerton; great-grandson of Joshua and Polly (Bassett) Allerton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Allerton*, Signer Dutchess County, N. Y., Association Act.
- JAY MILTON ALLSWORTH, New Castle, Pa. (39007). Son of Milton Bard and Lizzie (Misk) Allsworth; grandson of William and Mary (Bard) Allsworth; great-grandson of *James Allsworth (Alsworth)*, private, First Class, Sixth Battalion, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- DAVIS ZELLNER ANDREWS, New York City, N. Y. (38423). Son of Montefiore J. and Mabelle (Zellner) Andrews; grandson of Joseph J. and Miriam (Nones) Andrews; great-grandson of Joseph and Sally (Salomon) Andrews; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Hyam Salomon*, Financial Agent between the United States, and France and Holland.
- JOSEPH CUMMINS ANDREWS, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38684). Son of Alexander P. and Jane (Riter) Andrews; grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (Wagenseller) Riter; great-grandson of Michael and Elizabeth (—) Riter; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *George Riter (Reiter)*, private, Second Battalion, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- FRANK DAVIS ANDRUS, Detroit, Mich. (38776). Son of Loren and Lucina (Davis) Andrus; grandson of Elon and Nancy (Lamb) Andrus; great-grandson of Isaac and Clarissa (Harris) Andrus; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Isaac Andrus*, Lieutenant, Col. Ebenezer Walbridge's Regt., Vermont Militia.
- GEORGE CATHEY APPLEBY, Nashville, Tenn. (38396). Son of Samuel Bell and Esther Emaline (Cathey) Appleby; grandson of John and Sarah (Bell) Appleby; great-grandson of *William Appleby*, private, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- HUGH CUSTER AREY, Excelsior, Minn. (38324). Son of James Blanding and Estelle Eliza (Goss) Arey; grandson of Nathaniel Hopkins and Susannah Carpenter (Blanding) Arey; great-grandson of James and Elizabeth (Carpenter) Blanding; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Blanding*, sergeant, Col. Ebenezer Francis's Regt., quartermaster in Col. Carpenter's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- WILLIAM RHODES ARNOLD, Providence, R. I. (38338). Son of Wiliam Rhodes and Sarah Hill (Carpenter) Arnold; grandson of George Carpenter and Phebe (Rhodes) Arnold; great-grandson of James Utter and Mehetabel (Carpenter) Arnold; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of George and Ruth (Utter) Arnold; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *James Arnold*, captain-lieutenant, Kent County, Rhode Island Militia, Member Council of War, and Signer of

- Rhode Island Declaration of Independence; great-grandson of William and Sarah (Arnold) Rhodes; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Robert Rhodes*, captain, First Battalion, Kent County, Rhode Island Militia and senior officer of Rhode Island Recruiting Committee.
- JAMES HOPE ARTHUR, Providence, R. I. (38339). Son of James H. and Clara M. (Stevens) Arthur; grandson of Samuel and Mary (Cony) Stevens; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Gove Stevens*, private and sergeant, Warwick, Massachusetts Militia.
- LAURENCE RICE ATHERTON, Peekskill, N. Y. (38831). Son of Henry F. and Anna Howe (Muzzey) Atherton; grandson of Charles H. and Maria Ware (Howe) Muzzey; great-grandson of Aaron and Harriett (Richardson) Howe; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Abigail (Haven) Richardson; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Moses Haven*, private, Col. Samuel Bulard's Regt., Massachusetts Militia at Lexington Alarm, Member Middlesex County Committee of Safety.
- CLIFFORD W. AXTELL, Thermopolis, Wyo. (38254). Son of Delos and Mary Elizabeth (—) Axtell; grandson of William and Ann Eliza (Heath) Axtell; great-grandson of Moses and Zillah (Sherman) Axtell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Moses Axtell*, private, Massachusetts Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Daniel Axtell*, private, Massachusetts Militia.
- GEORGE WILLIAM AYRES, N. J. (36390). Supplemental. Son of Horace Beemer and Ida (Luebker) Ayres; grandson of George H. and Sarah Bray (Shaw) Ayres; great-grandson of Archibald and Elizabeth Betson (Sutton) Ayres; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Sutton*, corporal and sergeant, Col. Frelinghuysen's Regt., Somerset County, New Jersey Militia.
- HORACE BEEMER AYRES, N. J. (30958). Supplemental. Son of George H. and Sarah Bray (Shaw) Ayres; grandson of Archibald and Elizabeth Betson (Sutton) Ayres; great-grandson of *Joseph Sutton*, corporal and sergeant, Col. Frelinghuysen's Regt., Somerset County, New Jersey Militia.
- ARTHUR GEE BAILEY, Winnebago, Minn. (38325). Son of Turner Smith and Helen Mar (Gee) Bailey; grandson of Benjamin B. and Elizabeth B. (Dimm) Bailey; great-grandson of Benjamin and Philena Achsah (Munger) Bailey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Ichabod Munger*, private, Col. William Shepard's Massachusetts Cont'l Regt.
- ELMORE RUFUS BAILEY, Boise, Idaho (35121). Son of Harry Hampton and Anna Pearl (March) Bailey; grandson of Marquis De Lafayette and Martha Elma (Parker) March; great-grandson of Daniel Pierce and Viola (Haynes) March; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Stephen and Abigail (Robinson) March; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Clement March*, Member, New Hampshire House of Representatives of 1776.
- LINDSLEY REESE BAILEY, Nanuet, N. Y. (38424). Son of Harry E. and Ina Beula (Grosvenor) Bailey; grandson of George E. and Louise M. (Ernst) Bailey; great-grandson of Samuel and Nancy Stiles (Lindsley) Bailey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Matthew G. and Abigail (Beers) Lindsley; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Lindsley*, captain, New Jersey Cont'l Artificers, second major Morris County Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Tappan) Bailey; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *James Tappan*, private, Somerset County, New Jersey Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Bailey*, private and corporal, Fourth Regt., New Jersey Cont'l Line; grandson of Niram and Martha (Reese) Grosvenor; great-grandson of Amasa and Phebe (Kenyon) Grosvenor; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Moses and Dorcas (Sharp) Grosvenor; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Caleb Grosvenor*, private, Major Backus' Regt., Connecticut Light Horse.
- WILLIAM O. BAILEY, East Orange, N. J. (38728). Son of Silas and Mary (Hadden) Bailey; grandson of Jonathan and Abbey (Beach) Bailey; great-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Tappan) Bailey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Bailey*, private and corporal, New Jersey Militia; private Fourth Regt., New Jersey Cont'l Line.
- HENRY WARREN BAKER, East Orange, N. J. (38740). Son of James Augusta and Martha Louisa (Austin) Baker; grandson of Daniel and Amenda (Hurlbut) Austin, Jr.; great-grandson of Daniel and Mary Elizabeth (Davis) Austin; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Isaac Austin*, private, Albany County, New York Militia, and Assignor of Land Bounty Rights.
- LEAVITT RANDALL BARKER, Minneapolis, Minn. (38960). Son of Carlyle Bartlett and Lena (Young) Miller; grandson of Samuel and Mary Almira (Randall) Miller; great-grandson of Jared Hinkley and Lucinda (Chamberlain) Randall; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of



- Thomas and Mary (Barrett) Chamberlain; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jonas Barrett*, lieutenant, Col. William Prescott's Massachusetts Regt. at Lexington Alarm.
- PAUL BRANDON BARRINGER, Charlottesville, Va. (36574). Son of Rufus and Eugenia (Morrison) Barringer; grandson of Paul and Elizabeth (Brandon) Barringer; great-grandson of *John Paul Barringer*, patriot, who raised Militia Company; imprisoned at Camden, South Carolina.
- EDGAR ALLAN BARRY, Minn. (38309). Supplemental. Son of William Palmer and Henrietta (Dorman) Barry; grandson of Enoch and Lydia (Clark) Dorman; great-grandson of Samuel P. and Lydia (Smith) Clark; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Stephen Smith*, captain, Sixth Regt., Lincoln County, Massachusetts Militia, also naval officer for Port of Machias, seacoast defense.
- FRANK A. BAUM, Phoenix, Ariz. (36607). Son of Samuel and Mary (Sandusky) Baum; grandson of Charles and Susan (Moier) Baum; great-grandson of *Charles Baum*, private, Second Battalion, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- ALFRED HOLMES BEACH, Minneapolis, Minn. (38318). Son of Middleton Sumner and Elnora Cynthia (Smith) Beach; grandson of Hatten Middleton and Mary (Bow) Beach; great-grandson of Noah and Eunice (Cooley) Beach; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Mary (Polly) (Cushman) Beach; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Isaac Cushman*, ensign, Vermont Militia; great-grandson of Edmund B. and Elizabeth (Haskell) Bow; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Stephen* and Rebecca (Marston) *Haskell*, private, Colonels Hull, Greaton and Jackson's Regts., Massachusetts Troops, pensioned; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jasper Marston*, private, North Yarmouth, Massachusetts Militia; grandson of Theodore F. and Amy Jane (Davis) Smith; great-grandson of Ebenezer I. and Phebe Marie (Burhans) Davis; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Rebecca (Wheeler) Burhans; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Wheeler*, private, Sixth Regt., Dutchess County, New York Militia, widow pensioned.
- AZEL LYNDON BELL, Urbana, Ill. (38463). Sen of Frank A. and Viola (McKerg) Bell; grandson of Milton Abbott and Harriet (Brimmer) McKerg; great-grandson of Abraham and Clarissa (Osborne) McKerg; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Osborne*, sergeant, Col. Enos's Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- HENRY MILLAR BIRDSEYE, New York City, N. Y. (38827). Son of Levi Henry and Delia (Finne) Birdseye; grandson of Charles Henry and Isabelle (Drought) Birdseye; great-grandson of Levi Henry and Emily (Wood) Birdseye; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Phœbe (Coe) Birdseye; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *James Coe*, private, Capt. Booth's Co. of Guards from Fourth Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- WILLIAM WILLIS BODDIE, Kingstree, S. C. (38704). Son of Willis and Georgianna (Perry) Boddie; grandson of Samuel and Elizabeth Petway (Gee) Perry; great-grandson of Elijah Boddie and Lucy (Williams) Perry; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joshua and Mary (Boddie) Perry; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Nathan Boddie*, Member North Carolina Provincial Congress of '76 and Framers of State Constitution; great-grandson of Sterling Harwell and Mary Temperance (Williams) Gee; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Henry Guston and Lucy (Tunstall) Williams; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Solomon Williams*, corporal, Capt. Donoho's Co., Sixth Regt., North Carolina Troops.
- JAMES CALDERWOOD BOLTON, La. (38101). Supplemental. Son of James Wade and Mary Esther (Calderwood) Bolton; grandson of George Washington and Tennessee (Wade) Bolton; great-grandson of Elisha Peryman and Eliza (Burbridge) Bolton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Matthew Bolton*, private, Col. Goose Van Schank's Regt., New York Troops, pensioned.
- WALTER ELIJAH BOSTWICK, Algonac, Mich. (38786). Son of Seneca Doan and Mahala (Hemingway) Bostwick; grandson of Elijah Winn and Sarah (Rogers) Bostwick; great-grandson of Nathan and Esther (Winn) Bostwick; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathan Bostwick*, ensign, Seventh Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- ALFRED WELLINGTON BOSWORTH, Champaign, Ill. 38464). Son of Frederick Alfred and Clara Louise (Brown) Bosworth; grandson of Charles Edgar and Clarissa (Gooding) Brown; great-grandson of Charles W. and Hannah Hewett (Cole) Brown; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonathan and Amy (Arnold) Brown; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Abial Brown*, lieutenant, Capt. Ballou's Co., Col. Mathewson's Regt., Rhode Island Militia.

- PAUL DELAFIELD BOWDEN, Warrenton, Va. (38762). Son of Upton Beall and Henrietta P. (Douglas) Bowden; grandson of William Kirtland and Sarah Louisa (Tucker) Douglas; great-grandson of John and Anne (Carter, or Cotter) Douglas; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Sarah (Kirtland) Douglas; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *William Douglas*, colonel, Connecticut State and Cont'l Troops.
- NATHANIEL W. BOWE, Richmond, Va. (38751). Son of Nathaniel Woodson and Emma Lewis (Griffin) Bowe; grandson of Hector and Mary Ursula (Ellis) Bowe; great-grandson of Woodson and Agnes (Turner) Ellis; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of George and Ursula (Pleasants) Ellis; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Pleasants*, captain, Fifth Regt., Virginia Cont'l Line.
- WYTHE DAVIS BOWE, Richmond, Va. (38752). Same as Nathaniel W. Bowe, Va. (38751).
- HARVEY F. BOWERMAN, Champaign, Ill. (38465). Son of William Foster and Alice Isabel (Beeman) Bowerman; grandson of Newell and Annie Jane (Harvey) Beeman; great-grandson of Thomas and Elvira (Colwell) Beeman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Josiah Beeman*, private, Morris County, New Jersey Militia, Artificer Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- HARRY LAITY BOWLBY, East Orange, N. J. (38732). Son of Robert Melroy and Elizabeth (Dettart) Bowlby; grandson of Joseph and Sarah (Melroy) Bowlby; great-grandson of Robert and Eleanor (Cole) Melroy; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Cole*, private and wagoner, Hunterdon County, New Jersey Militia, pensioned.
- JOHN ROBERT BOWMAN, JR., Norwich, Conn. (37318). Son of John R. and Sarah (Seamons) Bowman; grandson of Eden and Sarah (Palmer) Seamons; great-grandson of Amos and Polly (Mary) (Lewis) Palmer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Stephen and Dorcas Burdick) Palmer; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Amos Palmer*, private, Col. John Topham's First Regt., Rhode Island State Troops.
- TOWNSEND HARDING BOYER, Haddonfield, N. J. (38497). Son of Titus Dodge and Maria (Harding) Boyer; grandson of Abraham Ludwig and Sarah (Dodge) Boyer; great-grandson of John and Mary (Ludwig) Boyer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Boyer*, private, Sixth Battalion, Berk's County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- WILLIAM SAMUEL BRANCH, Orlando, Fla. (39026). Son of William S. and — (—) Branch; grandson of Samuel Gore and Arvilla (C—) Branch; great-grandson of *William Branch*, private, Col. John Durkee's and Col. Zebulon Butler's Regts., Connecticut Cont'l Troops, six years' service.
- RALPH MAHLON BRANN, Hartford, Conn. (37317). Son of Wilbur Fisk and Mary C. (Stuart) Brann; grandson of Nathaniel and Mercy L. (Sturtevant) Brann; great-grandson of *Asa Sturtevant*, fifer and private, Fifth and Second Regts., Massachusetts Continental Troops.
- HARRY C. BRENTON, Iowa (37664). Supplemental. Son of Archibald Glenn and Lydia A. (Weems) Brenton; grandson of James Baird and Elizabeth (Glenn) Brenton; great-grandson of Henry and Esther (Baird) Brenton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Baird*, private and clerk, Col. Abraham Smith's Regt., Eighth and Sixth Battalions, Pennsylvania Troops, pensioned; great-grandson of Archibald and Lydia (Rhodes) Glenn; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Archibald* and Sarah (Ferguson) *Glenn*, private, Bedford County, Pennsylvania Militia and Rangers; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Moses Ferguson*, private, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia and Rangers; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jacob* and Elizabeth (Furlon) *Rhodes*, private, Pennsylvania Militia and Frontier Rangers; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Robert Furlon*, private, Capt. Joseph Cisna's Co., Pennsylvania Frontier Rangers.
- AUSTIN BROCKENBROUGH, Richmond, Va. (38755). Son of Jno. Mercer and Austina (—) Brockenbrough, grandson of Moore Fauntleroy and Sarah (Smith) Brockenbrough, Jr.; great-grandson of Moore Fauntleroy and Lucy Rodne (Barnes) Brockenbrough; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Brockenbrough*, lieutenant, Richmond County, Virginia Militia.
- BURTON SEYMOUR BROCKETT, New Haven, Conn. (37319). Son of James Seymour and Louisa Ann (Barnes) Brockett; grandson of Seymour and Laura (Hodge) Brockett; great-grandson of Benjamin and Rachel (Clark) Brockett; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Hezekiah Brockett*, private, Capt. Samuel Bett's Co., Second Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Line.
- DAVID HODGE BROCKETT, New Haven, Conn. (37320). Son of James Seymour and Louisa Ann (Barnes) Brockett; grandson of Seymour and Laura (Hodge) Brockett; great-grandson of Benjamin and Rachel (Clark) Brockett; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Hezekiah Brockett* (*Brocket*), private, Capt. Samuel Bett's Co., Second Regt., Connecticut Line.

- CHARLES PLATT BROWN, El Dorado, Kans. (36748). Son of John C. and Mary E. (Gates) Brown; grandson of Nathan and Sally (Foote) Gates; great-grandson of *Jehiel Foote*, private, Col. Ebenezer Sprout's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- DUDLEY CHARLES BROWN, Kansas City, Mo. (37617). Son of Dudley Parrish and Addie May (Gibbons) Brown; grandson of Harvey Rice and Howard Ellen Dudley (Parrish) Brown; great-grandson of Daniel and Theresa (Bartlett) Brown; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Bartlett*, Collector for Port of Beverly, Mass., and Member Committee of Safety and Correspondence.
- EARLE BROWN, Minneapolis, Minn. (38323). Son of Cyrus Elwood and Jean (Martin) Brown; grandson of Cyrus S. and Mary (Burnham) Brown; great-grandson of Ephraim and Sibel (Wright) Brown; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *David Brown*, captain, Massachusetts Minute Men at Concord.
- JAMES ALBERT BROWN, San Francisco, Cal. (38175). Son of Albert Vincent and Sylvia H. (Grover) Brown; grandson of James Lyman and Hannah Folsom (Elsemore) Grover; great-grandson of William and Lucy G. (Folsom) Elsemore; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Dearborn and Hannah (Gooch) Folsom; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Folsom*, captain, Col. Waldron's Regt., New Hampshire Militia.
- JAY AUSTIN BROWN, Pittsburgh, Pa. (39008). Son of John Phillips and Anna Z. (Whaley) Brown; grandson of Elisha Clayton and Jamima Josephine (Songer) Whaley; great-grandson of Washington and Sarah (Clayton) Whaley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Whaley*, private, sergeant, sergeant-major, and captain, Loudoun County, Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- RICHARD TUNIS BROWNE, JR., Dormant, Pa. (38685). Son of Richard Tunis and Florence (Huff) Browne; grandson of Samuel and Anna Van Zant (Polhemus) Browne; great-grandson of Garret Hart and Hannah S. (Coates) Heulings Polhemus; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Montgomery and Ann (Van Zant) Polhenius; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John and Susannah (Hart) Polhemus; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *John Hart*, Signer of the Declaration of Independence.
- PHILANDER SHERIDAN BRADFORD, Columbus, Ohio (38883). Son of George Lane and Lucinda Jane (Cone) Bradford; grandson of Barton and Julia Ann (Walker) Cone; great-grandson of Jared and Elizabeth (Schoff) Cone; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Philip Schoff*, private, Capt. Asia Hill's Co., Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- CHARLES MIDDLETON BRYAN, Memphis, Tenn. (38397). Son of Charles Bailey and Anne E. (Semmes) Bryan; grandson of Raphael and Anne E. (Spencer) Semmes; great-grandson of Oliver Marlborough and Electra (Oliver) Spencer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Oliver Spencer*, major and lieutenant-colonel, New Jersey Militia, colonel of one of the sixteen additional regiments.
- JAMES HOWARD BUCK, Middletown, Pa. (38686). Son of Ed. and Emma (Dodson) Buck; grandson of John Chapin and Susanna (Trescott) Dodson; great-grandson of Luther and Eleanor (Parke) Trescott; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Solon Trescott*, private, Col. John Fellow's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- GEORGE WALTER BURKE, Atlanta, Ga. (36833). Son of John Battle and Lizzie (Overstreet) Burke; grandson of Boethius E. and Lueza F. (Clark) Burke; great-grandson of Robert Boethius Egan and Eleanor (McCullough) Burke; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Michal and Sarah (Forsyth) Armstrong; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Robert Forsyth*, captain, Lee's Battalion of Light Dragoons; major, Virginia Militia.
- VICTOR BURNETT, Massillon, Ohio (38882). Son of Albert and Hannah (Miller) Burnett; grandson of Henry and Catherine (Kelly) Miller; great-grandson of *Benjamin Miller*, private, Salem County, New Jersey Militia, and in Third Regt., New Jersey Cont'l Line.
- ALFRED FLOURNOY GRIGGS BURNSIDE, Columbia, S. C. (38718). Son of James Walter and Olivia America (McCants) Burnside; grandson of Allen Gautier and Olivia America (Towles) McCants; great-grandson of Robert James Pembroke and Caroline Elizabeth (Allen) McCants; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Showell and Ruth (Linton) Allen; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Linton*, quartermaster, Wade Hampton's Regt., Gen. Sumter's South Carolina Brigade; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James and Jane (McCants) McCants; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Thomas McCants* (father of James), private, South Carolina Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-

- grandson of *Nathaniel McCants* (father of Jane), private, Gen. Lincoln's South Carolina Troops at siege of Charleston.
- MAURICE GWINN TOWLES BURNSIDE, Columbia, S. C. (38713). Son of James Walter and Olivia America (McCants) Burnside; grandson of Allen Gautier and Olivia America (Towles) McCants; great-grandson of Robert James Pembroke and Caroline Elizabeth (Allen) McCants; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Showell and Ruth (Linton) Allen; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Linton*, Quartermaster, Wade Hampton's Regt., Sumter's N. C. Brigade; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James and Jane (McCants) McCants; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Thomas McCants* (father of James), private, South Carolina Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel McCants* (father of Jane), private, Gen. Lincoln's South Carolina Regt. at siege of Charleston.
- FRANK LEANDER BUSH, New Bethlehem, Pa. (38695). Son of Henry and Mary Jane (Hutchison) Bush; grandson of Philip and Mary (Quarters) Hutchison; great-grandson of *Cornelius Hutchison*, private, Col. Stewart's Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Line; pensioned.
- RICHARD EVELYN BYRD, Richmond, Va. (38758). Son of William and Jennie (Rivers) Byrd; grandson of Richard Evelyn and Ann (Harrison) Byrd; great-grandson of *Benjamin Harrison*, captain and major, Thirteenth Regt. Virginia Cont'l Troops, member of State Council and House of Delegates.
- WILLIAM ARTMAN CAINE, Wadsworth, Ohio (38887). Son of Lewis O. Z. and Mabelle (Artman) Caine; grandson of William E. and Mary (Kremer) Artman; great-grandson of Charles and Anna (McKnight) Artman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Susannah (Boyer) McKnight; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of James and Elizabeth (Gillin) McKnight, private Northumberland County, Pa. Militia and Cont'l Troops; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *William McKnight*, member Northumberland County, Pa., Committee of Safety.
- FRANK ELWOOD CALKINS, Toledo, Ohio (38878). Son of Harvey and Louisa (Smith) Calkins; grandson of John and Elizabeth (Rice) Calkins; great-grandson of *Ebenezer Calkins*, private Capt. John Vaughan's Independent Co. of Twelfth Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- GEORGE HATHAWAY CANFIELD, San Francisco, Cal. (38976). Son of Charles William and Ada Allen (Hathaway) Canfield; grandson of George and Adeline (Cohenour) Canfield; great-grandson of James and Elizabeth (Cunningham) Canfield; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Ebenezer Canfield*, private, Westchester County, New York Militia.
- GEORGE REMEY CANFIELD, Kearny, N. J. (38733). Son of Burton E. and Millie B. (Remy) Canfield; grandson of George D. and Harriet (Hadley) Canfield; great-grandson of Halsey and Lucy Ann (Hoyt) Hadley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David Cole and Betsey (Frost) Hoyt; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Frost*, private, Fairfield, Conn., Militia and Cont'l Troops; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jared Hoyt*, private, Sixth Troop, Col. Sheldon's Connecticut Light Dragoons.
- HUGH JOHN CAPERTON, Louisville, Ky. (38578). Son of John Hays and Virginia (Standiford) Caperton; grandson of John and Mary (Guthrie) Caperton; great-grandson of James and Eliza Churchill (Prather) Guthrie; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Richard and Mary (Churchill), Prather; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Armistead Churchill*, colonel, Second Battalion, Farquier County, Va., Militia.
- CARL WILLARD CARDEN, Winfield, Iowa (37671). Son of Willard S. and Jennie (Lindley) Carden; grandson of Alvah and Rachel (Van Syoc) Lindley; great-grandson of Timothy and Ruth (Axtell) Lindley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Axtell*, captain, Fifth Co., Fourth Battalion, Washington County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- HOWARD BOBO CARLISLE, Spartanburg, S. C. (38712). Son of John Wilson and Louisa (Bobo) Carlisle; grandson of Simpson and Nancy (Foster) Bobo; great-grandson of Burwell and Elizabeth (Roebuck) Bobo; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Sampson Bobo*, private, Col. Brandon's Regt., Union County, South Carolina Militia.
- HAROLD FRANKLIN CARLTON, Montclair, N. J. (38729). Son of William Franklin and Fannie (Davis) Carlton; grandson of William Jackson and Catharine Fidelia (Barrie) Carlton; great-grandson of Joshua and Susanna (Chamberlain) Carlton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Carlton*, private, Col. Enoch Hale's Regt., New Hampshire Militia and Cont'l service.

- E. ARTHUR CARR, Lincoln, Nebr. (38504). Son of George Washington and Hannah Jane (Everhart) Carr; grandson of William and Jane (Stanford) Carr; great-grandson of *Peter Carr*, private, Bergen County, N. J., Militia, Light Horsemen and State Troops.
- CHARLES HERBERT CARROLL, Concord, N. H. (36264). Son of Lysander Herbert and Annett Josephine (Blake) Carroll; grandson of Mansel and Olive (Wadleigh) Blake; great-grandson of Jesse and Betsey (Paige) Blake; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jesse and Dolly (—) Blake; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Blake*, private, New Hampshire Militia.
- BENJAMIN LAWRENCE CASEY, Toronto, Ohio (38881). Son of John Stanton and Hannah (Myers) Casey; grandson of Michael and Hannah K. (Bowles) Myers; great-grandson of George and Hannah (Robb) Myers; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Michael Myers*, Captain, Virginia Scouts in border warfare.
- EDWARD CLARK CHAMBERLAIN, Dayton, Ohio (38888). Son of Israel Clark and Harriet (May) Chamberlain, Jr.; grandson of Israel Clark and Nancy (Compton) Chamberlain; great-grandson of *Joseph Compton*, private, Monmouth County, New Jersey Militia and captain of Guerrillas.
- J. WARREN CLARK, Detroit, Mich. (38787). Son of Harney and Mary (Morley) Clark; grandson of William and Margaret (Terfos) Clark; great-grandson of *Noah Clark*, private Eastern Battalion, Morris County, N. J., Militia.
- BOWEN ELIPHA CLARKSON, Kingstree, S. C. (38705). Son of William John and Mary Jane (Gordon) Clarkson; grandson of William Nicoll and Margaret O'Hear (Fabian) Clarkson; great-grandson of William and Catherine (Floyd) Clarkson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Floyd*, colonel, First Regt. Suffolk County, New York Militia, delegate to Cont'l Congress and Signer of the Declaration of Independence.
- CLYDE BURR CLISBY, Youngstown, Ohio (38097). Son of Frank Asa and Charlotte (Harrison) Clisby; grandson of John Wesley and Rhoda (Ketcham) Clisby; great-grandson of William and Hopestill Tryon (Woodworth) Harrison; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Ezra Woodworth*, private, Fourth Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- GUY PARKE CONGER, Oak Park, Ill. (38466). Son of Seth B. and Ella Adele (Olmstead) Conger; grandson of Lauren C. and Amanda (Hasbrook) Conger; great-grandson of Uzziah and Hannah (West) Conger; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Conger*, private, Fifth Regt., Albany County, N. Y., State Troops.
- JESSE ROBERT COOPER, New Castle, Pa. (39009). Son of Robert and Elizabeth (Pence) Cooper; grandson of Samuel and Catherine (Stoner) Pence; great-grandson of *John Stoner*, private, lieutenant and captain, Lancaster County, Pa., Troops.
- THOMAS ARMITAGE CORY, U. S. Navy, Ark. (31774). Supplemental. Son of Thomas Moses and Emma Josephine (Armitage) Cory; grandson of Azro Buck and Rhoda Scott (Hart) Cory; great-grandson of Thomas Robbins and Lytta (Howe) Cory; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Ebenezer and Joanna (Fletcher) Cory; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Ebenezer Fletcher*, private, Col. William Prescott's Regt., Massachusetts Minute-Men, at Lexington Alarm.
- HENRY WILSON CRANE, Elizabeth, N. J. (38498). Son of John Williams and Anna Elizabeth (Wilson) Crane; grandson of Moses Miller and Phoebe Stills (Williams) Crane; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Crane*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- JOHN WILLIAMS CRANE, Elizabeth, N. J. (38499). Son of Henry Wilson and Alice M. (Earl) Crane; grandson of John Williams and Anna Elizabeth (Wilson) Crane; great-grandson of Moses Miller and Phoebe Stiles (Williams) Crane; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Crane*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- GEORGE WILLIAM CUMBLER, Elmhurst, N. Y. (38696). Son of Charles C. and Sara Eve (Fortney) Cumblor; grandson of William Henry and Anne Margaret Weibly; great-grandson of Joseph H. and Margaretta (Shrom) Weibly; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Ann (Fleming) Shrom; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *William Fleming*, private and sergeant, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- ELLIOTT BARRINGTON DAVIS, JR., Berkeley, Calif. (38977). Son of Elliott B. and Mary Warren (Wilhelm) Davis; grandson of Edward Loring and Emily Orlina (Sanderson) Davis; great-grandson of Alpheus and Sallie Closson (White) Sanderson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Amos G. and Abigail (Marvin) White; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Seth* and Julia

- (Little) *Marvin*, captain, Fourth Regt. Orange County, New York Militia; great-grandson of *Elihu Marvin*, Lieutenant-Colonel, Cornwall Regt., New York Militia.
- MICHAEL MARKS DAVIS, JR., White Plains, N. Y. (38828). Son of Michael Marks and Miriam (Peixotto) Davis; grandson of Daniel Levi Maduro and Rachel (Seixas) Peixotto; great-grandson of *Benjamin Mendez Seixas*, officer, New York City Militia.
- LAKE EDWIN DAVISSON, Nevada, Iowa (37666). Son of Murlin J. and Grace E. (Boozel) Davisson; grandson of Alexander Herron and Susan (Griffith) Davisson; great-grandson of Jesse and Nancy (McIntosh) Davisson; great-grandson of *Josiah Davisson*, private, First and Tenth Regts., Virginia Cont'l Line and Captain Virginia Militia.
- CHARLES CLIFTON DeLONG, Sadorus, Ill. (38467). Son of Edwin B. and Bertha (Attebery) De Long; grandson of Charles and Mary E. (Roberts) Attebery; great-grandson of Louis and Clementina (Talking) Attebery; great-grandson of Melchedic and Mary (Peebles) Attebery; great-grandson of *John Peebles*, private, Gen. Francis Marion's Regt., South Carolina Troops, pensioned.
- WILLIAM FREDERICK DIBRELL, Waldensia, Tenn. (38394). Son of Jefferson and Cora (Taylor) Dibrell; grandson of George Gibbs and Mary E. (Leftwich) Dibrell; great-grandson of Anthony and Milly (Carter) Dibrell; great-grandson of *Charles Dibrell*, private, Buckenham County, Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- DAYTON AUGUSTINE DOYLE, JR., Akron, Ohio (38099). Son of Dayton A. and Ida M. (Westfall) Doyle; grandson of Jepeth and Julia A. (Myers) Westfall; great-grandson of Abraham and Nancy Sutton (English) Westfall, Jr.; great-grandson of *Abraham Westfall*, private, Col. Du Boise's Regt., New York Cont'l Line, captain Col. Albert Pawling's Regt., New York Levies, pensioned.
- FRANK W. DOYLE, Akron, Ohio (38886). Son of Dayton A. and Ida M. (Westfall) Doyle; grandson of Jepeth and Julia A. (Myers) Westfall; great-grandson of Abraham and Nancy Sutton (English) Westfall; great-grandson of *Abraham Westfall*, captain, Col. Albert Pawling's New York Levies and in Lieut.-Col. Marinus Willett's Levies for Frontier Defense, pensioned.
- CHARLES CARLYLE DRISCOLL, La Fayette, Ind. (38283). Son of James and Mary Jane (Morris) Driscoll; grandson of Cornelius and Dortha (Laborn) Morris, Jr.; great-grandson of *Cornelius Morris*, private and wagoner, Maryland Militia and Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- ARTHUR EILERT DRUCKER, Urbana, Ill. (38468). Son of Eilert and Emma Florence (Cootey) Drucker; grandson of Lawrence and Emily (Buckman) Cootey; great-grandson of Abner and Polly (Perkins) Buckman; great-grandson of *John Perkins*, mariner on Ship "Warren," private, Col. Jacob's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- HENRY DEAN CHURCH DUBOIS, Edgewood, R. I. (38340). Son of Henry Joseph Church and Eoline Glenmore (Dean) Dubois; grandson of Edward Church and Emma (Davison) Dubois; great-grandson of Edward and Marie Phillipe (Dubois) Church; great-grandson of *Edward Church*, Member Massachusetts First Provincial Congress of 1774 and of Committee of Correspondence.
- LLOYD DUNLAP, Stewart, Minn. (38961). Son of Walter Clarence and Mindola Emma (Briggs) Dunlap; grandson of Nathan Draper and Harriet (Doud) Dunlap; great-grandson of Josiah and Mary (Draper) Dunlap; great-grandson of *William Dunlap*, sergeant, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- FRED EASTMAN, Omaha, Nebr. (38505). Son of George Merritt and Mary Louisa (Barrett) Eastman; grandson of Dyer and Clarissa Louisa (Clark) Barrett; great-grandson of Calvin and Abigail (Kendall) Barrett; great-grandson of *James Barrett*, private, Col. Roger Enos' Regt., Connecticut Militia; great-grandson of *Benjamin Barrett*, private, Col. Roger Enos' Regt., Connecticut Militia; grandson of Leander and Mary (Merritt) Eastman; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Marilla (—) Eastman; great-grandson of Abraham Dayton and — (—) Eastman; great-grandson of *Joseph Eastman*, Bonder for Maryland Brigantine "Nancy" and Schooner "Laurens."
- ELMER VERNON EDDER, New Bethlehem, Pa. (38687). Son of Frank Henry and Margaret (Gibson) Edder; grandson of George Washington and Mary Isabel (Travis) Edder; great-grandson of Samuel and Margaret B. (Thom) Travis; great-grandson of

- Robert and Lydia (Moorhead) Thom; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (Craig) Thom; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Craig*, lieutenant, Westmoreland County, Pa., Militia.
- WILLIAM ROSS EDDER, New Bethlehem, Pa. (38688). Son of George Washington and Mary Isabel (Travis) Edder; grandson of Samuel and Margaret B. (Thom) Travis; great-grandson of Robert and Lydia (Moorhead) Thom; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (Craig) Thom; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Craig*, lieutenant, Westmoreland County, Pa., Militia.
- EDWIN E. EDGAR, Troy, Ohio (38100). Son of George M. and Mary (Brindle) Edgar; grandson of William and Elizabeth (Hudnell) Edgar; great-grandson of *John Hudnell*, private, Bedford County, Va., Militia, pensioned.
- JOHN CAMPBELL EDGAR, Troy, Ohio (38876). Son of Edwin E. and Elizabeth (Campbell) Edgar; grandson of John M. and Anna (Career) Campbell; great-grandson of Michael G. and Sarah (Davis) Career; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and — (Byrn) Davis; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Byrn*, private, Loudoun County, Va., Militia, pensioned; grandson of George M. and Mary (Brindle) Edgar; great-grandson of William and Elizabeth (Hudnell) Edgar; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Hudnell*, private, Bedford County, Va., Militia, pensioned.
- HARRY WILLIAMSON EVANS, Nashville, Tenn. (38398). Son of William Henry and Margaret (Williamson) Evans; grandson of David Lewis and Mary (Wyche) Evans; great-grandson of *Elijah Evans*, captain, Col. Rawling's Maryland Cont'l Regt.
- WILLIAM EVANS, Norfolk, Va. (34205). Supplemental. Son of Daniel Corwin and Mary Louise (Hartwell) Evans; grandson of William and Rosetta (Corwin) Evans; great-grandson of *John* and *Jean (Grubb) Evans, Jr.*, private, Sixth Battalion, Lancaster County, Pa., Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Evans*, private Capt. Robert Campbell's Co., Lancaster County, Pa., Militia; great-grandson of Daniel and Mary (Little) Corwin; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Silas Corwin*, signer, of Long Island, N. Y., Engagement to support Congress.
- CHARLES EUGENE EVERETT, Hibbing, Minn. (38963). Son of Charles Edwin and Lucretia N. (Chapman) Everett; grandson of William A. and Mary (Twitchell) Everett; great-grandson of *Josiah Everett, Jr.*, private Col. McIntosh's Regt., Massachusetts Militia and marine on Massachusetts ship "Tartar."
- FREDERICK C. EWART, Sewickley, Pa. (38700). Son of Samuel and Mary (Brackenridge) Ewart; grandson of Alexander and Mary (Porter) Brackenridge; great-grandson of *Hugh Henry Brackenridge*, Chaplain, Pennsylvania Troops.
- GEORGE B. EWING, San Francisco, Calif. (38978). Son of William Wallace and Sarah Alice (Bumbarger) Ewing; grandson of Jacob and Lucy Packard (Foster) Bumbarger; great-grandson of Job and Hannah (Packard) Foster; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Mark Packard*, private and sergeant, Massachusetts Militia.
- WILLIE EAST FERGUSON, York, S. C. (38722). Son of John Gaston and Rhoda Lawrence (Grist) Ferguson; grandson of John Ellis and Elizabeth (Lawrence) Grist; great-grandson of Ison and Rhoda (Lawrence) Grist; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Grist*, lieutenant, Col. William Campbell's Regt., Virginia Militia.
- GEORGE CURTIS FISHER, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38689). Son of Richardson and Ellen (Thompson) Fisher; grandson of Samuel and Mary (Richardson) Fisher; great-grandson of *Paul Fisher*, private, Northumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- JAMES GARDNER FLORANCE, Richmond, Va. (38759). Son of William Edward and Mary Phillips (Gardner) Florance; grandson of James Henry and Phebe (Phillips) Gardner; great-grandson of *James Gardner*, ensign, Woburn, Mass., Militia and Cont'l service.
- PHILIP JOSEPH FLYNN, Dubuque, Iowa (37667). Son of Philip John and Norah (Corcoran) Flynn; grandson of Thomas and Margaret (Delahunty) Flynn; great-grandson of *Thomas Flinn (Flynn)*, captain of Schooner "Dove," captured and imprisoned.
- STEPHEN ALFRED FORBES, Urbana, Ill. (38469). Son of Isaac Sawyer and Agnes (Van Hoesen) Forbes; grandson of John and Ann (Sawyer) Forbes; great-grandson of *Stephen Forbes*, private, Col. Dike's Regt., Massachusetts Militia; grandson of Francis

- and Eva (Oudt) Van Hoesen; great-grandson of *Garret Van Hoesen*, private, Albany County, N. Y., Militia and also Cont'l Line.
- ROBERT LEA FORSYTHE, Ben Avon, Pa. (39001). Son of Joseph Pusey and Aurelia (Vaughan) Forsythe; grandson of George and Phebe Ward (Derickson) Vaughan; great-grandson of David and Mary (Vincent) Derickson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Cornelius Vincent*, Ranger, Capt. Wilton Atkinson's Co., 12th Regt., Pennsylvania Troops.
- ARTHUR EDWIN FOWLE, Toledo, Ohio (38892). Son of Edwin Monroe and Sarah (Hatch-Miller) Fowle; grandson of William Nichols and Sarahann (Hatch) Miller; great-grandson of Prince and Sarah (McIntyre) Hatch; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Elisha Hatch*, lieutenant, Sixth Co., Third Regt., Lincoln County, Massachusetts Militia.
- PETER FRANCISCO, East Orange, N. J. (38734). Son of Francis Arnold and Margaret (Wagner) Francisco; grandson of Cornelius and Margaret Canfield (Ogden) Francisco; great-grandson of *Peter Francisco*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- MORRIS MAYFIELD FREEMAN, Claremont, N. H. (So. Car. 38703). Son of John Mayfield and Mary Minerva (Patrick) Freeman; grandson of John Hendrix and Nancy (Mitchell) Patrick; great-grandson of William and Catherine (Moulder) Mitchell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Wilber Mitchell*, private, Georgia Cont'l Troops.
- PHILIP RAY FREEMAN, Eastover, S. C. (23350). Son of John Mayfield and Mary (Patrick) Freeman; grandson of John Hendrix and Nancy (Mitchell) Patrick; great-grandson of William and Catherine (Moulder) Mitchell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Wilbur Mitchell*, private, Georgia Cont'l Troops.
- GERVAIS GARRETT, Bossier Parish, La. (38535). Son of Absalom M. and Alabama (Wagoner) Garrett; grandson of Abraham and Frances (Alston) Garrett; great-grandson of David and Susanna (Strother) Alston; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Mary (Boyd) Alston; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Philip Alston*, major, Cumberland County, N. C. Militia.
- FRANCIS WARRINGTON GILLET, Brooklandville, Md. (38628). Son of George Martin and Mary Frances (Koons) Gillet; grandson of George Musgrave and Antoinette (Jacobson) Gillet; great-grandson of Martin and Eliza (Edwards) Gillet; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Mary (Mines) Gillet; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Gillet*, lieutenant, 17th Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Troops, prisoner, pensioned.
- GEORGE MARTIN GILLET, Brooklandville, Md. (38629). Same as Frances Warrington Gillet, Md. (38628).
- CARROLL CHETWYN GILLETTE, Monroe, La. (38536). Son of Cyrenus Gregory and Mattie Carmella (Smith) Gillette; grandson of Abraham and Fannie (Burnette) Smith; great-grandson of *Leavin (Levin, Levi) Smith*, private, Clarke County, Georgia Militia.
- CHARLES LEWIS GILMAN, Minneapolis, Minn. (38951). Son of Samuel Charles and Hattie Frances (Clark) Gilman; grandson of Charles A. and Hester (Cronk) Gilman; great-grandson of Charles and Eliza (Page) Gilman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel and Sarah (Jones) Gilman; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Samuel and Alice (Gilman) Gilman; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Antipas* (father of Alice), *Gilman*, delegate to New Hampshire Provincial Congress of 1775, and signer of Association Test.
- JAMES GAMEWELL GLAES, Orlando, Fla. (So. Car. 38707). Son of Peter Bryce and Ella Rebecca (Tradewell) Glass; grandson of James Douthit and Elizabeth Christiana (Boatwright) Tradewell; great-grandson of Benjamin and Eliza M. (Bird) Tradewell, great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Reuben Tradewell*, private and lieutenant, Gen. Francis Marion's Regt., South Carolina Militia and State Troops, pensioned; grandson of John and Susan Roindexter (Sneed) Glass, Jr.; great-grandson of John and Mary (Vallotton) Glass; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *David Moses Vallotton*, Georgia patriot, imprisoned on British ship "Nancy" for refusing to join British forces.
- HAROLD HORTON GOLDING, U. S. Army, Fort Slocum, N. Y. (38417). Son of William H. and Ella F. (Horton) Golding; grandson of William and Salina (Tomkins) Horton; great-grandson of Ambrose and Nancy (Lyon) Tomkins; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Enos and Sarah (Condit) Tomkins; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *David Condit*, major and lieutenant-colonel, Essex County, N. J., Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Tomkins (Tompkins)*, private, Second Regt., Essex County, N. J. Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Enos and Naome (Jones) Lyon; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Cornelius Jones*, private, Essex County, N. J., Militia.



- FREDERICK PROCTOR GORIN, Seattle, Wash. (36670). Son of Marcellus Gladden and Joanna (Knott) Gorin; grandson of Bartley William and Mary (Johnson) Gorin; great-grandson of John D. and Martha (Thomas) Gorin; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Henry and Sarah (Pel) Gorin; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Gorin (Goren)*, private, Virginia Militia.
- HAROLD MOFFET GOULD, Detroit, Mich. (38777). Son of Wallace White and Ida (Moffet) Gould; grandson of Henry Burr and Mary E. (White) Gould; great-grandson of Stephen and Eliza Smith (Marvin) White; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Stephen and Mary (Quintard) White; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Stephen White*, captain Sixth Co., 12th Regt., Albany County, N. Y., Militia.
- J. DE LOSS GRANT, Sioux Falls, S. Dak (38851). Son of John Dodge and Angeline (Carpenter) Grant; grandson of Thomas and Anna (Wright) Carpenter; great-grandson of *Thomas Carpenter*, private New York Levies and Fourth Regt., Westchester County, N. Y. Militia.
- STEWART HORATIO GRAVES, Rice, Minn. (38952). Son of Willis Alviro and Emily Eugenia (Carlton) Graves; grandson of Sylvanus and Eliza Ann (Thraser) Graves; great-grandson of John and Jerusha (Campbell) Graves; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Bela Graves*, private, Seventeenth Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- MONTE LEE GREEN, Garrett, Ind. (38284). Son of Jesse H. and Louise D. (Beach) Green; grandson of Stephen and Ann (Pentenev) Beach; great-grandson of Stephen and Sarah (Sherwood) Beach; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Zerah Beach*, quartermaster and ensign, Connecticut Cont'l Line.
- SAMUEL FOWLER GREEN, Toledo, Ohio (Nebr. 38510). Son of Eleazer Mastin and Jules L. (Fowler) Green; grandson of Francis and Eveline (Van Vechten) Fowler; great-grandson of Cornelius and Caroline (Thayer) Van Vechten; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Walter and Jane (Fonda) Van Vechten; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Derrick Van Vechten*, major, Fourteenth Regt., New York Militia.
- JUDSON ROY GRIFFIN, Elkhart, Ind. (38470). Son of Arthur L. and Minerva Jane (Beers) Griffin; grandson of James and Alice (Cootey) Griffin; great-grandson of Lawrence and Emily (Buckman) Cootey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Abner and Polly (Perkins) Buckman; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Perkins*, marine on ship "Warren," private, Col. Jacob's Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- ALBERT MASON GRIST, York, S. C. (38714). Son of Lewis Mason and Frances Vienna (Vise) Grist; grandson of John Ellis and Elizabeth (Lawrence) Grist; great-grandson of Isom and Rhoda (Lawrence) Grist; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Grist*, lieutenant, Col. William Campbell's Regt., Virginia Militia.
- WOOD DAVIDSON GRIST, York, S. C. (38706). Son of Lewis M. and Frances Vienna (Vise) Grist; grandson of John E. and Elizabeth (Lawrence) Grist; great-grandson of Isom Grist; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Grist*, lieutenant, Col. William Campbell's Regt., Virginia Militia.
- SIDNEY GROSVENOR, Schenectady, N. Y. (38420). Son of Nelson and Delana (Cramer) Grosvenor; grandson of George and Katherine (Best) Grosvenor; great-grandson of Amasa and Phoebe (Kenyon) Grosvenor; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Moses Grosvenor*, sergeant, Eleventh Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- AMOS GUSEMAN, Cornland, Ill. (38471). Son of Jacob and Christeena (Wolf) Guseman; grandson of *Abraham Guseman*, private, Berkeley County, Va., Militia.
- WALLACE CLARE HALL, Highland Park, Mich. (38782). Son of Charles Lewis and Ellen Sophia (Greeley) Hall; grandson of Philetus Doty and Mary (Wanamaker) Hall; great-grandson of Jonas and Anna Sanford (Doty) Hall; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Hall*, five-major, Orange County, N. Y., Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Archibald and Ann (Sanford) Doty; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Ezra Sanford*, private, Fourth Regt., Orange County, N. Y., Militia.
- DON PETERS HALSEY, JR., Lynchburg, Va. (38760). Son of Don Peters and Sarah A. (Daniel) Halsey; grandson of William and Sarah A. (Warwick) Daniel; great-grandson of William and Margaret (Baldwin) Daniel; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Cornelius Baldwin*, surgeon, Sussex County, New Jersey Militia.

- HALE FANEUIL HAMILTON, Dayton, Ohio (38879). Son of Wilson S. and Mary Floyd (Roberts) Hamilton; grandson of William and Mary (Moore) Roberts; great-grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (—) Roberts; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Roberts*, captain, lieutenant-colonel and colonel, Bucks County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- JOSEPH VICTOR HARRIS, Oak Park, Ill. (38472) Son of Israel John and Emily (Nelson) Harris; grandson of Joseph and Matilda Caroline (Hart) Harris; great-grandson of James and Rebecca C. (Jennings) Harris; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Israel and Elizabeth (Mead) Harris, Jr.; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Israel Harris*, lieutenant and captain, Col. Benjamin Simond's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- CHARLES H. HARRISON, Irvington, N. J. (38730). Son of Edwin Deemas and Emma E. (Ash) Harrison; grandson of Charles W. and Mary A. (Bodwell) Harrison; great-grandson of Delmas and Rhoda (Tuttle) Harrison; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Harrison*, ensign, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- HARVEY LEE HARWOOD, Richmond, Va. (36575). Son of Samuel White and Sarah (Ritter) Harwood; grandson of Robert H. and Mary Elizabeth (White) Harwood; great-grandson of *Thomas Harwood, Jr.*, lieutenant, York County, Virginia Militia.
- GEORGE HENRY HAVENS, Providence, R. I. (38341). Son of Jonathan and Abbie (Holdridge) Havens; grandson of Jonathan and Catherine (Gallup) Havens; great-grandson of Jesse and Catherine (Fish) Gallup; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benadam Gallup*, major, Second Battalion, Wadsworth Connecticut Brigade, Militia service and Member of War Committees.
- JOHN TENNYSON HAYNES, Sandusky, Ohio (38098). Son of Moses H. and Sarah (Hunter) Haynes; grandson of John and Ruth (Harriman) Haynes; great-grandson of *Daniel Haynes*, private, Hampshire County, Massachusetts Militia.
- GEORGE CORTES HAZARD, Providence, R. I. (38342). Son of George Joy and Helen Frances (Darling) Hazard; grandson of George Potter and Rachel (Joy) Hazard; great-grandson of John Boss and Mary (Potter) Hazard; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Anthony Potter*, captain, Cranston, Rhode Island Militia.
- SHADRACH ABRAM HEDGES, Middletown, Md. (38632). Son of Shadrach and Mary Magdalene (Miller) Hedges; grandson of *Charles Hedges*, signer of the Frederick County, Maryland Association.
- ARTHUR REYNOLDS HICKMAN, Kirkwood, Mo. (37618). Son of Frank Moore and Jane (Belt) Hickman; grandson of Benjamin Franklin and Mary Elizabeth (Moore) Hickman; great-grandson of Benjamin and Frances (Littlepage) Hickman; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Hickman*, private, Virginia Cont'l Line.
- FRANK MOORE HICKMAN, Kirkwood, Mo. (37619). Son of Benjamin Franklin and Mary Elizabeth (Moore) Hickman; grandson of Benjamin and Frances (Littlepage) Hickman; great-grandson of *William Hickman*, private, Virginia Cont'l Line.
- FRANK EDWIN HILTON, Portland, Ore. (37499). Son of George Oliver and Mary Elizabeth (Luce) Hilton; grandson of Thomas Jefferson and Elizabeth (Coombs) Hilton; great-grandson of Andrew and Deborah (Gilman) Hilton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Gilman*, captain, Second Regt., New Hampshire Cont'l Troops, pensioned; member from Newmarket, N. H., to General Assembly and of Committee of Safety.
- FRANK HOWARD HILTON, Portland, Ore. (37500). Son of Frank Edwin and Georgie Elstner Hilton; grandson of George Oliver and Mary Elizabeth (Luce) Hilton; great-grandson of Thomas Jefferson and Elizabeth (Coombs) Hilton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Andrew and Deborah (Gilman) Hilton; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Gilman*, captain, Second Regt., New Hampshire Cont'l Troops, pensioned; member from Newmarket to General Assembly and of Committee of Safety.
- RALPH N. HOLDRIDGE, Detroit, Mich. (38780). Son of Eleazar Slocum and Emma (Spear) Holdridge; grandson of Eleazar and Mehitabel (Stone) Holdridge; great-grandson of Felix and Deborah (Slocum) Holdridge; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Eleazar Slocum*, private, Thirteenth Regt., Albany County, New York Militia.
- STEPHEN JOSEPH HERBEN, JR., Maplewood, N. J. (38741). Son of Stephen Joseph and Grace Ida (Foster) Herben; grandson of John Ounimus and Caroline Amelia (Bolles) Foster; great-grandson of John I. and Sarah (Hegeman) Foster; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John

and Hannah (Batton) Hegeman; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Henry Batton*, first and orderly sargeant, Col. Gaddis' and Col. Minor's Regts., Pennsylvania Militia.

HENRY KIRKWOOD HUBER, Torrington, Wyo. (38255). Son of Henry L. and Mary (Bell) Huber; grandson of John S. and Harriett A. (Newell) Huber; great-grandson of Elisha and Lucy (Caulkins) Newell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Roswell Caulkins*, private, Col. Chandler's and Col. Isaac Sherman's Regts., Connecticut Militia.

HALLAN LEWIS HUFFMAN, Benridge, Minn. (38953). Son of Charles Albert Sherman and Abbie (Lewis) Huffman; grandson of Willis Dewitt C. and Abigail (Girdler) Lewis; great-grandson of Benjamin Ingersol and Abigail (Sargent) Girdler; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Isaac and Mary (Harriman) Sargent; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Nehemiah Sargent*, private, Massachusetts Militia at Lexington Alarm.

OLIVER DENNETT HUTCHINSON, Minneapolis, Minn. (38954). Son of Asa B. and Elizabeth (Chace) Hutchinson; grandson of Jesse and Mary or "Polly" (Leavitt) Hutchinson; great-grandson of *Elisha Hutchinson*, quartermaster sergeant, Col. Israel Hutchinson's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.

ROBERT FENNER JACKSON, JR., Nashville, Tenn. (38399). Son of Robert Fenner and Nannie (Baxter) Jackson; grandson of Nathaniel and Laura (Lavender) Baxter, Jr.; great-grandson of Nathaniel and Mary Louise (Jones) Baxter; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John Ridley and Martha (Lane) Jones; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John and Sarah Elizabeth (Jones) Lane; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Joel Lane*, member North Carolina Provincial Congress of 1775 and of Council of Safety.

HENRY FELDER JENNINGS, Columbia, S. C. (38711). Son of John Franklin and Augusta (Moorer) Jennings; grandson of Henry Hilliard and Amelia A. (Wolf) Jennings; great-grandson of John and Mary (Stroman) Jennings; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Philip and — (Vernon) Jennings, Jr.; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Philip Jennings*, Commissioner for Opening Navigation in Edisto River, South Carolina, and active in furnishing provisions to Troops; grandson of Henry M. and Sarah Ann (Felder) Moorer; great-grandson of Henry and Mary (Dantzler) Moorer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Henry Moorer*, lieutenant in Jacob Ott's Co., Gen. Marion's Brigade, South Carolina Troops; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jacob Dantzler*, private, Gen. Marion's Brigade, South Carolina Troops; great-grandson of Henry and Ann Catherine (Huse) Felder; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Henry Felder*, private, South Carolina Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jacob Stroman*, private, Orangeburgh County, South Carolina Militia.

LYMAN HENRY JOHNSON, New Haven, Conn. (37321). Son of Lyman Humiston and Mary Lucinda (Bishop) Johnson; grandson of David Chittenden and Lucinda (Baldwin) Bishop; great-grandson of Jonathan Chittenden and Julia (Tyler) Bishop; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Bishop*, private and sergeant, Guilford, Connecticut Militia, widow pensioned.

JOHN HENRY JOHNSON, Allendale, S. C. (38708). Son of John William and Lorena (Bowman) Johnson; grandson of Reddick Asbury and Mary M. Rebecca (Murray) Bowman; great-grandson of Isaac and Elizabeth (Koger) Murray; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Mrs. — (Koger) Milhous Koger; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Koger*, captain, Colleton County, South Carolina Militia; grandson of Henry Loring and Linna Agnes (Smith) Johnson; great-grandson of John Greggsby and Matilda Ann (Rice) Smith; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Martha (Tindal) Rice; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Aaron Rice*, private, South Carolina Militia.

MANION FRANCIS JONES, Lawton, Okla. (35248). Son of Charles Neilson and Sarah Elizabeth (Boyd) Jones; grandson of Richard Manson and Sarah Lewis Hale (Neilson) Jones; great-grandson of Philip Hale and Sarah Baddily (Howarth) Neilson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Benjamin and Elizabeth Carter (Marion) Howarth; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Marion*, private, Second Regt., South Carolina Militia.

FRANK MORTIMER JORDAN, Norwalk, Conn (N. Y. 38425). Son of Linwood Forest and Hattie Amanda (Cheney) Jordan; grandson of Joseph Franklin and Mary A. (Foster) Cheney; great-grandson of Gilbert Nichols and Amanda (Adams) Cheney; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Sukey (Stratton) Cheney; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jesse Cheney (Cheaney)*, private, Col. Perry's and Col. Reed's Regts., New Hampshire Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Elisha Stratton*, private Weston, Massachusetts Militia at Lexington Alarm.

- GEORGE RANNELLS KALER, Detroit, Mich. (38783). Son of George and Sarah (Rannels) Kaler; grandson of Watson and Charlotte (Jones) Rannels; great-grandson of David and Maria (Bothwell) Jones; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James and Charlotte (Potter) Bothwell; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Potter*, captain, New Jersey Militia and State Troops.
- PETER ROBERTS KEELS, Greeleyville, S. C. (38710). Son of Robert Bradford and Augusta (Rhodus) Keels; grandson of Peter Roberts and Magadlene (China) Keels; great-grandson of Peter Roberts and Eliza (—) Keels; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Keels*, private, South Carolina Militia.
- DAVID HENRY KELLER, Ia. (35998). Supplementals. Son of James E. M. and Laura A. (Whitesell) Keller; grandson of Henry and Elizabeth (George) Whitesell; great-grandson of Abraham and Christiana (Meyers) George; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Adam and Catherine (Glass) Meyers; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Michael* and Christina (Hubler) *Glass*, private, Northampton County, Pennsylvania Militia; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Jacob Hubler*, Member, Northampton County, Pennsylvania Committee of Observation.
- HOWARD DAY KELLOGG, Peoria, Ill. (38473). Son of Charles Hosmer and Flora Jane (Day) Kellogg; grandson of Bela and Mary (Hosmer) Kellogg; great-grandson of Ira and Ruth (Dickinson) Kellogg; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonathan and Mary (Holland) Kellogg; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Ebenezer Kellogg*, private, Col. Woodbridge's and Col. Whitcomb's Regts., Massachusetts Militia.
- ARTHUR STERLING KERFOOT, Cal. (37874). Son of George Thomas and Alice Rebecca (Allemong) Kerfoot; grandson of Henry and Rebecca (Maston) Allemong; great-grandson of Christian and Ruth (—) Allemong (Alleman); great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Alleman*, private and sergeant, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Henry Alleman*, private, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- FRANK SHERMAN KIMBALL, Fargo, N. Dak. (38652). Son of Carleton Carroll and May (Irish) Kimball; grandson of Henry Plummer and Ellen (Haskell) Kimball; great-grandson of George and Eunice Prescott (Edwards) Haskell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Edwards*, private, Capt. Abishai Brown's Co., Col. John Robinson's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- HENRY LEE KINNISSON, Colonel U. S. Army, Fort McDowell, Cal. (38979). Son of William David and Mary Isabelle (Roberts) Kinnison; grandson of John Reid and Maria (Fletcher) Roberts; great-grandson of Thomas C. and Nancy Owen (Rodgers) Roberts; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William Caldwell and Elizabeth (Ritter) Rodgers; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Rodgers (Rogers)*, corporal, Third Regt., Virginia Troops.
- EDGAR A. KIRK, Minneapolis, Minn. (38955). Son of Robert E. and Alamanda W. (Welch) Kirk; grandson of Robert and Elizabeth (Fargo) Kirk; great-grandson of Thomas and Ann Mercy (Comstock) Fargo; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Elisha Comstock*, corporal, Col. Erastus Walcott's Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- PAUL, CLIFTON LABLANT, Atlanta, Ga. (36831). Son of William Henry and Anna (Caudle) Simonson; grandson of Peter Ashley and Mary Jane (Cantine) Simonson; great-grandson of John Muret and Mary (Aldrich) Cantine; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Jane (Carte) Cantine, Jr.; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Cantine*, colonel, Ulster County, New York Militia.
- FRANKLIN DU BOIS LANE, Phoenix, Ariz. (36606). Son of Henry P. and Eleanor R. (Du Bois) Lane; grandson of Tunis and Elizabeth (Smock) Du Bois; great-grandson of Aaron and Sarah C. (Schenck) Smock; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Hendrick and Sarah (Lane) Smock; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Smock*, colonel, First Regt., Monmouth County, New Jersey Militia.
- THERON SPARHAWK LANGFORD, Ann Arbor, Mich. (38788). Son of George W. and Arvilla (R—) Langford; grandson of Noah and Maria (Baker) Sparhawk; great-grandson of William and Lucy (Chandler) Baker; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathan Chandler*, private, various regiments Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- JOSEPH HENRY LATIMER, Atlanta, Ga. (36832). Son of Thomas and Mary (Nance) Latimer; grandson of Wetherell and Abigail (Fitch) Latimer; great-grandson of *Jonathan Latimer*, lieutenant-colonel, Fourth Battalion, Wadsworth's Brigade, later colonel Connecticut Militia.

- HAROLD EUGENE LAWRIE, Chicago, Ill. (38474). Son of Henry E. and Mary E. (Nichols) Lawrie; grandson of Eugene D. and Nellie T. (Madden) Nichols; great-grandson of Daniel B. and Terresa Jane (Emmons) Nichols; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonathan and Nancy (Avery) Emmons; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Emmons*, private, Fifth and Twenty-sixth Regts., Connecticut Troops.
- JOHN FITZHUGH LAY, Richmond, Va. (38753). Son of David McCaw and Nannie (Marsh) Lay; grandson of John Fitzhugh and Caroline (McCaw) Lay; great-grandson of John Olmstead and Lucy Anna Fitzhugh (May) Lay; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of George and Anna (Fitzhugh) May; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Harrison) Fitzhugh; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Harrison*, Member, Virginia Privy Council, 1777-'78.
- WILLIAM ALBERT LEWIS, Des Moines, Iowa (37669). Son of Dustin E. and Hannah Katharine (—) Lewis; grandson of Leander W. and Sarah Delia (Sears) Lewis; great-grandson of Joseph and Lenira (Walker) Sears; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Silas and Elizabeth (West) Sears; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Sears*, private, Col. Ebenezer Sprout's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- ALBERT EASTMAN LONG, Omaha, Nebr. (38506). Son of Robert and Sarah (Seip) Long; grandson of Reuben and Mary (Fenstermaker) Seip; great-grandson of George and Katherine (Dreisbach) Fenstermaker; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Fenstermaker*, private, Third Battalion, Northampton County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- JOSEPH BOYER LOUCKS, Nanking, China (N. Y. 38829). Son of Frank H. and Emma C. (Boyer) Loucks; grandson of Alexander Hamilton and Lydia (Parent) Loucks; great-grandson of George S. and Mary (Gray) Loucks; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *George Loucks*, lieutenant, Second Regt., Tryon County, New York Militia, prisoner.
- LAURENCE KING LYNN, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38690). Son of P. Albert and Clara King (Ross) Lynn; grandson of J. Holman and Abigail Elizabeth (King) Ross; great-grandson of John and Martha (—) King; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Hugh King*, lieutenant, Baxter's Battalion, Pennsylvania Flying Camp, prisoner.
- WILLIAM WALTER MacLAUGHLIN, JR., Nashville, Tenn. (38400). Son of William Walter and Loory F. (Bailey) MacLaughlin; grandson of Jesse William and Bettie (Loory) Bailey; great-grandson of Jesse and Elizabeth Mattox (Woodson) Bailey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Callum Bailey*, private, Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- JESSE FRANCIS McCLENDON, Minneapolis, Minn. (38321). Son of James Wooten and Annie Eliza (Thompson) McClendon; grandson of Ethelid and Rebecca (Wooten) McClendon; great-grandson of *Isaac McClendon*, private, Wilkes County, Georgia Militia; grandson of Absolem Christopher Columbus and Sarah Ann (Haddaway) Thompson; great-grandson of Daniel Lambden and Clementine (Hughes) Haddaway; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Webb Haddaway*, captain and major, Talbot County, Maryland Militia.
- MURRAY McCONNELL, Jersey City, N. J. (N. Y. 38421). Son of Wilfred Gillette and Caroline Ann (Johnson) McConnel; grandson of George Murray and Maria (Gillette) McConnel; great-grandson of Murray and Mary (Mapes) McConnel; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Murray) McConnel; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Mathew McConnel*, sergeant, Fourth Regt., Orange County, New York Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Noah Murray*, sergeant, Seventh Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Line; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Stephen* and *Susannah (Decker) Mapes*, private, Col. Albert Pawling's Regt., New York Levies; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Peter Decker*, lieutenant, Fourth Regt., Ulster County, New York Militia, pensioned.
- DOWNER McCORD, Chicago, Ill. (38808). Son of John C. and Elizabeth (Downer) McCord; grandson of Samuel A. and Mary (Van Der Veer) Downer; great-grandson of Samuel Mott and Elizabeth (Hunt) Downer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Avery and Abigail (Mott) Downer; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Mott*, colonel, Connecticut State Troops.
- LESTER EUGENE McGEE, McKeesport, Pa. (38697). Son of Charles W. and Emma J. (Umburn) McGee; grandson of Robert and Sarah (Humphreys) Ellis McGee; great-grandson of *Patrick McGee*, private, Cumberland County, Pennsylvania Militia and various battalions Cont'l Troops.
- ROBERT LEWIS McGEE, McKeesport, Pa. (38698). Same as Lester Eugene McGee, Pa. (38697).

- GEORGE ELLIS McKAY, Savanna, Ill. (38475). Son of Augustus Frank and Margaret (Ferris) McKay; grandson of Edwin Fitzgerald and Margaret (Steele) Ferris; great-grandson of Joseph and Sarah (Ransom) Steele; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of George Palmer and Olive (Utley) Ransom; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Ransom*, captain, Wyoming Valley Co., killed at Wyoming Massacre.
- FREDERICK JAMES McMURTRIE, Detroit, Mich. (38778). Son of John Henderson and Annie Elizabeth (Corner) McMurtrie; grandson of John and Julia Ann (Bailey) McMurtrie; great-grandson of Hugh and Margaret (Crothers) McMurtrie; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John McMurtrie*, ensign, First Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Troops, and captain, Kentucky Militia.
- JOHN OWSLEY MANIER, Nashville, Tenn. (38395). Son of Will Rucker and Mary (Owsley) Manier; grandson of John Samuel and Susan Malinda (Miller) Owsley; great-grandson of Thomas W. and Mary Jane (Hocker) Miller; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Daniel and Susannah (Woods) Miller; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Robert Miller, Jr.*, private, Fourteenth Regt., Virginia Cont'l Troops, captain of Orange County Militia.
- FRANK CONOVER MANLEY, Roselle, N. J. (38735). Son of Andrew Ten Eyck and Cornelia Grice (Hegel) Manley; grandson of John A. and Maria (Messler) Manley; great-grandson of Cornelius and Jemimah (Ten Eyck) Messler; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Cornelius Messler*, private, First Regt., Somerset County, New Jersey Militia.
- RAYMOND PERMAR MARKLE, Steubenville, Ohio (38889). Son of Batzeline and Catharine (Hood) Markle; grandson of Abram Towers and Harriett (Johnston) Markle; great-grandson of *Abraham Markle*, private, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- RAYMOND FISHER MEEKER, New York, N. Y. (38835). Son of Joseph Frank and Harriett Georgett (Fisher) Meeker; grandson of Robert William and Sarah Elizabeth (Clawson) Fisher; great-grandson of Robert and Mary Elizabeth (Anspeck) Fisher; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Frederick and Catherine (Bogardus) Anspeck; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Bogardus*, private, Second Regt., Dutchess County, New York Militia.
- FREDERICK W. MILLSPAUGH, Tenn. (27912). Supplemental. Son of Charles Edward and Elizabeth Susan (Tozer) Millspaugh; grandson of Homer and Sarah Elosia (Goesbeck) Millspaugh; great-grandson of John Quackenbos and Hannah (Arnold) Goesbeck; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jonathan and Mary (Hoozeboom) (Hogeboom) Arnold; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *James Hogeboom*, second lieutenant, Col. Robert Van Rensselaer's Regt., New York Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Wouter W. and Hannah (Arnold) Goesbeck; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Wouter N. Goesbeck*, captain, Fourteenth Regt., New York Troops.
- GEORGE SMULLER MISH, Middletown, Pa. (39002). Son of George Frederick and Mary Smuller) Mish; grandson of George and Catherine (Doll) Mish; great-grandson of Jacob and Catherine (Bickel) Mish; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Bickel*, private, Capt. Koppenheffer's Co., Col. Timothy Green's Battalion, Pennsylvania Troops.
- BE NEELY MOORE, York, S. C. (38716). Son of Eli Peyton and Elizabeth (Neely) Moore; grandson of James and Sophie (Springs) Moore; great-grandson of *Alexander Moore*, captain, Col. Edward Lacy's Regt., Gen. Sumter's South Carolina Brigade.
- PAUL NEELY MOORE, York, S. C. (38717). Son of Be Neely and Willie Alice (McCorkle) Moore; grandson of Eli Peyton and Elizabeth Ann (Neely) Moore; great-grandson of James and Sophie (Springs) Moore; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Alexander Moore*, captain, Col. Edward Lacy's Regt., Gen. Sumter's South Carolina Brigade.
- WALTER BEDFORD MOORE, York, S. C. (38715). Son of Eli Peyton and Elizabeth Ann (Neely) Moore; grandson of James and Sophie (Springs) Moore; great-grandson of *Alexander Moore*, captain, Col. Edward Lacy's Regt., Gen. Sumter's South Carolina Brigade.
- WALTER BEDFORD MOORE, JR., Columbia, S. C. (38723). Son of Walter Bedford and Annie Lee (Adickes) Moore; grandson of Eli Peyton and Elizabeth Ann (Neely) Moore; great-grandson of James and Sophie (Springs) Moore; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Alexander Moore*, captain, Col. Edward Lacy's Regt., Gen. Sumter's Brigade, South Carolina Troops.
- ROBERT EDMONDSON LEE MORGAN, Hernando, Miss. (Tenn. 38901). Son of James Bright and Elizabeth Ann (Daugherty) Morgan; grandson of John H. and Martha (Edmondson) (Edmiston) Morgan; great-grandson of William Campbell and Elizabeth

- (Stuart) Edmouson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Edmondson*, major, Col. Campbell's Regt., Virginia Rangers.
- SYDNEY PHILIP MUNROE, Fall River, Mass. (38343). Son of Oliver Buchanan and Ethel Brandt (Cross) Munroe; grandson of Philip Allen and Delana (Pierce) Munroe; great-grandson of *Isaac Pierce*, private, Col. Carpenter's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- GEORGE MICHAEL MYERS, Toronto, Ohio (38877). Son of William F. and Mary (E. —) Myers; grandson of Michael and Hannah K. (Bowles) Myers; great-grandson of George and Hannah (Robb) Myers; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Michael Myers*, Virginia border scout, with rank of captain.
- JOHN OLIVER MYERS, Garden City, Kans. (Va. 39010). Son of Albert I. and May L. (Oliver) Myers; grandson of John L. and Elizabeth (Nixon) Oliver; great-grandson of Samuel and Jane (Steele) Nixon; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Thomas and Elizabeth (Russell) Steele; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *David Steele (Steel)*, captain, Thirteenth Regt., Virginia Troops.
- THOMAS JEFFERSON MYERS, Toronto, Ohio (38880). Son of William F. and Mary (E—) Myers; grandson of Michael and Hannah K. (Bowles) Myers; great-grandson of George and Hannah (Robb) Myers; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Michael Myers*, captain, Virginia Scouts in Border Warfare.
- FRED MOORE NEELY, San Francisco, Cal. (38980). Son of John D. A. and Elizabeth (Yingling) Neely; grandson of Jesse and Mary (Sigworth) Neely; great-grandson of Henry and Barbara (Frey) Neely; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Paul Neely*, private, Northampton County, Pennsylvania Militia, killed in action.
- RAYMOND ALEXANDER NELSON, Los Angeles, Cal. (38171). Son of Alexander Philip and Amy Amanda (Stephens) Nelson; grandson of Edwin Elias and Arminda (Rice) Stephens; great-grandson of Job and Amanda M. (Jacques) Stephens; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nicholas Stephens*, private, Col. David Forman's and Col. Oliver Spencer's Regt., New Jersey Cont'l Troops.
- JOHN WILLIAM NORRIS, New Castle, Pa. (39011). Son of Edwin Franklin and Rebecca (Jones) Norris; grandson of William and Rachel (Bonham) Norris; great-grandson of Llewellyn and Matilda (Fry) Bonham; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jacob and Mary (Moore) Fry; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *James Moore*, captain, major and brevet lieutenant-colonel, Pennsylvania Cont'l Line.
- RALPH SACKETT NORRIS, Urbana, Ill. (38801). Son of David Lee and Helen (Roberts) Norris; grandson of Ralph Sackett and Phoebe Scribner (Wood) Norris; great grandson of Jeremiah and Elizabeth (Scribner) Wood; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Scribner*, captain, Connecticut Militia, pensioned.
- WILLIAM AUGUSTUS NORTON, Vallejo, Cal. (38981). Son of Charles Crane and Wilhelmina (Francis) Norton; grandson of Samuel Erastus and Aner Brown (Crane) Norton; great-grandson of Miles and Lois (McNeil) Norton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Miles and Sybil (Andrus) Norton; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Ebenezer Norton*, lieutenant-colonel, Seventeenth Regt., Connecticut Militia, Member Connecticut Legislature and of War Committees.
- CHAUNCEY O'NEIL, Sewickly, Pa. (39003). Son of Edward and Eugenia A. (Courtney) O'Neil; grandson of Benjamin Haines and Mary R. (Cook) O'Neil; great-grandson of Palmer and Polly (Halsey) Cook; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jeremiah Halsey*, captain and lieutenant-colonel, Connecticut Militia; lieutenant, Sixth Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Troops.
- GEORGE GRIFFITH OWEN, York, Pa. (39004). Son of George and Lydia Ann (Mottter) Owen; grandson of Abraham and Mary (Dunn) Owen; great-grandson of *Thomas Owen*, private, Third Battalion, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- HERBERT ATHERTON PAGE, Alameda, Cal. (38982). Son of Nathaniel and Emilia Amanda (Simonton) Page; grandson of Nathaniel and Lydia (Fitch) Page, Jr.; great-grandson of *Nathaniel Page*, minute man, Bedford, Massachusetts Militia.
- JOHN VAN CLEVE PARKER, Morristown, N. J. (38500). Son of John Edwin and Sarah Muirheid (Van Cleve) Parker; grandson of John Stevenson and Hannah Maria (Muirheid) Van Cleve; great-grandson of Joseph and Charity (Stilwell) Van Cleve; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Van Cleve*, private, Hunterdon County, New Jersey Militia.

- CHARLES ROBERT PAUL, Wynnewood, Pa. (39005). Son of John L. and Jean (McLean) Paul; grandson of Charles Campbell and Mary (Reynolds) McLean; great-grandson of James and Barbara (Campbell) McLean; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Charles Campbell*, major and colonel, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- THOMAS ELLIOTT PEIRCE, Brooklyn, N. Y. (38830). Son of Thomas Wentworth and Nannie Hill (Elliott) Peirce; grandson of Gilbert and Lucy Ann (Hill) Elliott; great-grandson of Whitmel John and Lavinia Dorothy (Barnes) Hill; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Thomas Blount and Rebecca (Norfleet) Hill; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Whitmel Hill*, lieutenant-colonel of Martin County, North Carolina Militia, Delegate at Provincial Congresses of Hillsboro and Halifax, and Member of Cont'l Congresses, 1778-81.
- WILLIAM LEON PENNIMAN, Urbana, Ill. (38802). Son of Dr. W. L. and Louella Hall Hacquard; grandson of Louis Leon and Mary Frances (Corns) Hacquard; great-grandson of John Wesley and Elizabeth Baird (Scott) Corns; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Robert Baird and Elizabeth (Burt) Scott; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Burt*, private, Col. Baldwin's Regt., Massachusetts Cont'l Artillery, pensioned.
- JOEL SMITH PERRIN, Richmond, Va. (38756). Son of Joel Smith and Ellen (Watkins) Perrin; grandson of Henry Clay and Malvina (Haskins) Watkins; great-grandson of Claiborne and Ellen (Harris) Watkins; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James and Obedience Jefferson (Turpin) Harris; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *James Harris*, captain, Fifteenth Regt., Virginia Troops; lieutenant-colonel, Virginia Militia.
- FRED W. PHELPS, St. Louis, Mo. (Ill. 38809). Son of William Rathburn and Harriet (Adkins) Phelps; grandson of David and Asenath (Camp) Adkins; great-grandson of *David Atkins (Adkins)*, private, in Connecticut Militia, Regts. of Cols. Douglas, Dimon, Meigs, and Butler, pensioned.
- ALFRED NOROTON PHILLIPS, JR., Stamford, Conn. (37322). Son of Alfred Noroton and Elizabeth Mariner (Plumley) Phillips; grandson of Gardiner Spring and Emily Augusta (Fisher) Plumley; great-grandson of Alvin and Martha (Lovell) Fisher; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Horace and Phila (Parsons) Lovell; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Parsons*, private, Massachusetts Militia at Lexington Alarm and with Arnold's Canadian Campaign.
- WILMER STANLEY PHILLIPS, Captain U. S. Army, Fort Totten, N. Y. (Md. 38630). Son of John Fowler and Loretta Margaret (Roberts) Phillips; grandson of J. Wilmer and Maria Elizabeth (Dashiell) Phillips; great-grandson of Benjamin Jones and Esther Wilson (Ker) Dashiell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Henry and Elizabeth (Jones) Dashiell; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Arthur Dashiell*, lieutenant, First Battalion, Maryland Militia.
- JAMES LEWIS PIERCE, Marianna, Fla. (39027). Son of Robert Samuel and Ella (Lewis) Pierce; grandson of Richard and Bettie (McNealy) Lewis; great-grandson of Arthur and Isabella Gee (Chapman) Lewis; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Benjamin and Isabella (Gee) Chapman; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *James Gee*, captain, Second Regt., North Carolina Cont'l Troops.
- MERRITT FULLER POLLARD, Nehawka, Neb. (38507). Son of Malcolm Hall and Ruth Ella (Bates) Pollard; grandson of James Addison and Josephine (Hall) Pollard; great-grandson of Moses and Abigail (Boynton) Pollard; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Pollard*, private and corporal, New Ipswich, New Hampshire Militia.
- JOHN TAYLOR POSTELL, Chicago, Ill. (38810). Son of John Cunningham and Ellen V. (Taylor) Postell; grandson of John and Sarah B. (Cunningham) Postell; great-grandson of James and Eliza Jane (Porcher) Postell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Postell*, lieutenant-colonel, South Carolina Militia.
- ARTHUR BERGE PRATT, Kans. (36745). Supplemental. Son of Berge Elijah and Lottie Jane (Hoover) Pratt; grandson of David and Mary (Jamison) Hoover; great-grandson of Archibald and Mary (Lydick) Jamison; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Patrick and Mary (McHenry) Lydick; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Isaac McHenry*, lieutenant, Second Battalion, Col. John Perry's Regt., Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- RAYMOND SILAS PRATT, U. S. Army, Fort Leavenworth, Kans. (Minn. 38956). Son of Willis Horton and Eliza (Stephens) Pratt; grandson of Chester and Priscilla (Brockway) Pratt; great-grandson of *Timothy Brockway*, private, Maj. Sheldon's Regt., Connecticut Light Horse; corporal, Fifth Regt., Connecticut Line.



- BRADLEE PRUDEN, Wilmette, Ill. (38803). Son of Harry Bradlee and Daisy Rose (Jackson) Pruden; grandson of William Patterson and Susan (Strickler) Jackson; great-grandson of Hugh and Margaret Ferguson (McConnell) Jackson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James Ferguson and Rachel (Lytell) MacConnell; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Hugh McConnell*, private, Fifth and Second Regts., New Jersey Cont'l Troops.
- KING HAYNES PULLEN, New Orleans, La. (38534). Son of William Hefin and Louise (Haynes) Pullen; grandson of Benjamin King and Minerva Anne (Smith) Pullen; great-grandson of Edward Warren and Harriet Cornelia (Fisher) Smith; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Smith*, ensign and paymaster, Fifth Regt., Virginia Militia, and lieutenant-colonel, Virginia Cont'l Troops.
- JAMES QUARLES, Milwaukee, Wis. (37288). Son of James Addison and Carrie Wallace (Field) Quarles; grandson of James and Sarah Ann (Mills) Quarles; great-grandson of Charles and Nancy (Mills) Quarles; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Mills*, captain, Spottsylvania County, Virginia Militia.
- CHARLES EDWIN RANSIER, Waterloo, Iowa (37670). Son of Jonathan C. and Elizabeth (Frizelle) Ransier; grandson of Erasmus and Sarah (Humphrey) Frizelle; great-grandson of Samuel and Polly (Tiffany) Frizelle; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Simeon Tiffany*, private, Ashford, Connecticut Militia at Lexington Alarm.
- EUGENE HOWARD RAY, Ky. (34711). Supplemental. Son of Samuel and Ellen Thomas (Howard) Ray; grandson of Jesse and Lucy (Mayfield) Howard; great-grandson of William and Jane (Hart) Howard; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Obediah Howard*, private, Col. Thomas Brandon's Regt., South Carolina Militia.
- CHARLES ANDERSON REED, New Castle, Pa. (39012). Son of John C. and Phœbe Ann (Iddings) Reed; grandson of Joseph and Hannah (Hoopes) Iddings; great-grandson of *Ezra (Isra) Hoopes*, Associator and Militiaman, West Chester and Goshen Counties, Pennsylvania.
- ALBERT CASSIUS REYNOLDS, Mingo, Iowa (37668). Son of Lucien and Ann (Rea) Reynolds; grandson of George and Caroline (Matthews) Reynolds; great-grandson of *John Reynolds*, sergeant, Fourth Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Artillery, pensioned.
- LUKE ASHLEY RICH, Newton, Mass. (38606). Son of Lamont and Ethel (—) Rich; grandson of Charles and Sarah A. (Lewis) Rich; great-grandson of Nelson and Nannie (Goodell) Rich; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Lemuel Rich*, private, Connecticut Militia, pensioned.
- CHARLES LEWIS ROBINSON, Adrian, Mich. (38779). Son of Philo and Gannet (Thomas) Robinson; grandson of Bartlett and Sarah (Bradish) Robinson; great-grandson of *John Bradish*, private, Col. Ezra May's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- HUGH FONTAINE ROSE, Richmond, Va. (38757). Son of Charles A. and Logan (Chiles) Rose; grandson of Charles A. and Mary E. (Rutherford) Rose; great-grandson of Alexander and Louisa (Fontaine) Rose; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Henry Jordan and Sarah (Walker) Rose; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Charles Rose*, private, Thirteenth and Fifteenth Regts., Virginia Troops, and clerk, Amherst County Committee of Safety; great-grandson of Samuel Jordan and Francis Catherine (Watson) Rutherford; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Thomas and Sarah (Winston) Rutherford; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Geddes Winston*, sheriff and private, Hanover County, Virginia Militia.
- ALLEN BERNARD SCHALL, Saginaw, Mich. (38781). Son of Adolph B. and Katherine (Riggs) Schall; grandson of John S. and Katherine (Vincent) Riggs; great-grandson of Lauren P. and Sarah Talmadge (Peck) Riggs; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jeremiah and Lucy (Peck) Riggs; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jeremiah Riggs*, corporal, Seventeenth Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- GEORGE PEARSALL SCHOUTEN, Minneapolis, Minn. (19940). Supplemental. Son of John William and Mary Louise (Pearsall) Schouten; grandson of Lewis and Harriet (Hustis) Pearsall; great-grandson of George and Hepsbeth (Ammermaine) Pearsall, Jr.; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *George Pearsall*, private, Fourth Regt., Dutchess County, New Jersey Militia.
- RUSSELL JACOB SCHUNK, Minneapolis, Minn. (38964). Son of Arthur John and Melissa Olive (Russell) Schunk; grandson of Morris C. and Jennie (Byrne) Russell; great-grandson of Samuel and Matilda (Raymond) Russell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Aaron Raymond*, corporal and sergeant, Second and Third Regts., Connecticut Cont'l Line.

- WILLIAM HENRY SCOFIELD, Chicago, Ill. (38804). Son of William H. and Elizabeth Jane (Orput) Scofield; grandson of Haran and Parnelia (McClanthan) Scofield; great-grandson of *Seely Scofield*, private, Col. Mead's and Col. Webb's Regts., Connecticut Militia, pensioned.
- HARRY BATEMAN GOE SCOTT, JR., Washington, Pa. (38691). Son of Harry Bateman Goe and Florence Crozier (Brown) Scott; grandson of William A. and Elizabeth Jacobs (Morris) Scott; great-grandson of Benjamin West and Mary (Jacobs) Morris; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David and Mary (Fulton) Morris; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Morris*, Member Pennsylvania Committee of Observation and private, Third and Sixth Battalions, Chester County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- WILLIAM ADOLPHUS SCOTT, JR., Pittsburgh, Pa. (38692). Son of William Adolphus and Elizabeth Jacobs (Morris) Scott; grandson of Benjamin West and Mary (Jacobs) Morris; great-grandson of David and Mary (Fulton) Morris; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Morris*, Member Chester County Committee of Observation, and private, Third and Sixth Battalions, Chester County, Pennsylvania Militia.
- EDISON ERNEST SCRANTON, San Diego, Cal. (38172). Son of Edwin E. and Hannah (Wood) Scranton; grandson of Ralph and Elizabeth (Pickering) Scranton; great-grandson of Jared and Pliebe (Mattoon) Scranton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Timothy Scranton*, private, Col. R. J. Meig's Regt., Connecticut Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- FRANK ERWIN SEELEY, Payette, Idaho (35120). Son of Horace David and Idaho Jane (Failey) Seeley; grandson of Curtis and Lovina (Whitney) Bailey; great-grandson of Jonathan Butterfield and Hannah (Dufur) Bailey; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Abijah Bailey*, private, Col. Timothy Bedell's Regt., New Hampshire Troops, pensioned.
- SAMUEL PREWITT SEMMES, Memphis, Tenn. (38902). Son of Samuel Spencer and Frances (Morris) Semmes; grandson of Raphael and Anne E. (Spencer) Semmes; great-grandson of Oliver Marlborough and Electra (Oliver) Spencer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Oliver Spencer*, major and lieutenant-colonel, New Jersey Militia; colonel, one of the sixteen additional Cont'l Regts.
- GEORGE MILSON SHEPARD, St. Paul, Minn. (38322). Son of Wiliam and Lucy Mehetable (Thrall) Shepard; grandson of Willis Collins and Mary Jones (Palmerlee) Thrall; great-grandson of Asa and Lucy (Seaward) Palmerlee; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Stephen and Lucy (Ingalls) Seaward; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Henry Ingalls*, sergeant and lieutenant, Col. Doolittle's and Col. Ashley's Regts., Massachusetts Militia.
- OWEN SHEPHERD, Bronxville, N. Y. (38422). Son of Isaiah Lord and Hannah Frances (Hooper) Shepherd; grandson of James and Hannah (Coan) Hooper; great-grandson of Joshua and Sally (Tarleton) Hooper; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Elias Tarleton*, Third, Signer, New Hampshire Association Test.
- ABRAHAM LINCOLN SHOCKLEY, New Bedford, Mass. (38607). Son of Charles and Harriet M. (Eaton) Shockley; grandson of Joseph and Sarah (Alden) Shockley; great-grandson of *Humphrey Alden*, private, Sixteenth Regt., Massachusetts Cont'l Line.
- THOMAS ABRAHAM SHRIVER, JR., Tennessee (38075). Supplemental. Son of Thomas Abraham and Elizabeth (Holt) Shriver; grandson of Don Carlos and Susan (McGuire) Shriver; great-grandson of Abraham and Francis (Moore) Shriver; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Moore*, private, North Carolina Troops, pensioned.
- HERMAN SUKER SIDENER, Gambier, Ohio (38096). Son of William Martin and Bertha Emma (Suker) Sidener; grandson of Martin Luther and Malvina (Blanchard) Sidener; great-grandson of Jacob and Martha (Fox) Sidener; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Nicholas and Sarah Winter (Prough) Sidener; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Martin Sidener*, private from Fredericksburg, Va., in Cont'l Troops.
- ABBOTT METCALF SMITH, New Bedford, Mass. (38608). Son of Abbott Pliny and Sarah (Metcalf) Smith; grandson of Henry and Ruth Lawrence (Wilcox) Smith; great-grandson of Henry and Hannah (Bailey) Wilcox; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Willard and Ruth (Lawrence) Wilcox; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Wilcox (Willcox)*, captain, Bristol County, Massachusetts Militia.
- ABBOTT PLINY SMITH, New Bedford, Mass. (38609). Son of Henry and Ruth Lawrence (Wilcox) Smith; grandson of Henry and Hannah (Bailey) Wilcox; great-grandson of

- Willard and Ruth (Lawrence) Wilcox; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Wilcox (Willcox)*, captain, Bristol County, Massachusetts Militia.
- ARTHUR EDWARD SMITH, Minneapolis, Minn. (38957). Son of E. Rundel and Grace Eveline (Bemis) Smith; grandson of Lewis Shepard and Olivia (Dewing) Bemis; great-grandson of Dexter and Deidamia (Weaver) Dewing; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jeremiah Dewing*, private, Col. John Rand's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- CORNELIUS VAN ALEN SMITH, Chicago, Ill. (38805). Son of George Alexander and Catherine (Van Alen) Smith; grandson of Cornelius Peter and Caroline (Witbeck) Van Alen; great-grandson of *Peter Lucas Van Alen*, lieutenant, Col. Abraham Van Alstyne's Regt., New York Militia.
- HENRY VILLIERS BROWN SMITH, N. M. (30091). Supplemental. Son of George Henry and Mary Frances (Brown) Smith; grandson of Squire and Prudence (Randall) Smith; great-grandson of Esquire and Amy (Brown) Smith; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Noah Smith*, messenger for Pennsylvania General Assembly; grandson of Henry Villiers and Mary Elizabeth (Breed) Brown; great-grandson of Hezekiah and Elizabeth (Cole) Brown; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jesse Brown*, private, Col. George Peck's Regt., Rhode Island Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Richard Brown*, matross, Col. Elliott's Regt., Rhode Island Troops; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Thomas and Miriam (Kinne) Cole; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jeremiah Kinne (Keeney)*, Windham, Connecticut Justice of the Peace, 1775, '76.
- PRESTON RUGGLES SMITH, Buffalo, N. Y. (38832). Son of Griffin and Anna Chester (Hough) Smith; grandson of Eli Botsford and Maria (Wiley) Smith; great-grandson of Abijah and Keziah (Botsford) Smith; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Othniel Smith*, ensign, Queen's County, New York Militia.
- THOMAS BURTON SNEAD, Dumbarton, Va. (38754). Son of Chapman Price and Fannie Elizabeth (Hutchinson) Snead; grandson of William and Jane (Clarke) Snead, Jr.; great-grandson of *William Snead (Snead)*, private, Hanover County, Virginia Militia.
- FRANK JEFFERSON SOLIS, Watertown, Mass. (38610). Son of Andrew Jackson and Eliza Jane (Barker) Solis; grandson of Christopher and Hannah (Blanchard) Solis; great-grandson of Caleb and Lucy (Hill) Blanchard; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Hill*, private, Col. Thatcher's Regt., Massachusetts Militia; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Sylvanus Blanchard*, private, Col. Brook's Massachusetts Regt. of Cambridge Guards, and furnished money for equipment of soldiers.
- ARTHUR MILTON SPINING, Springfield, Ohio (38884). Son of Isaac Milton and Harriet Louisa (Taylor) Spining; grandson of Pierson and Mary (Schooley) Spining; great-grandson of *Isaac Spining*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia and in Second Establishment, New Jersey Cont'l Line.
- ORA MORRIS SPINK, Ohio (37031). Supplemental. Son of Albert Milo and Mary Ann (Hemens) Spink; grandson of Elijah and Wilhelmina (Vincent) Spink; great-grandson of Thomas and Polly (Crumby) Vincent; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Vincent*, lieutenant, Westerly, R. I. Co. of Alarm Men, surgeon, Col. Joseph Noyes' Regt., Rhode Island Militia.
- CHARLES WILLIAM SPOFFORD, Evanston, Ill. (38811). Son of Charles Franklin and Lillie Margaret (Jones) Spofford; grandson of Augustus Franklin and Martha (Perkins) Spofford; great-grandson of Frederick and Deborah (Wilkins) Spofford; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Stephen Spofford (Spafford)*, private, Col. Samuel Johnson's Regt., Massachusetts Militia at Lexington Alarm.
- FRANK ROBERT SQUIRES, Shippensburg, Pa. (39006). Son of Ambrose Cecil and Ella (Mateer) Squires; grandson of John Baily and Susan (Stough) Mateer; great-grandson of Robert and Mary (Baily) Mateer; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of John and Mary (Nelson) Baily; great-grandson of *Samuel Nelson*, captain and lieutenant-colonel, First and Sixth Battalions, Pennsylvania Troops.
- CHARLES EASTMAN STANIELS, New Hampshire (7630). Supplemental. Son of Edward Langmaid and Ruth (Eastman) Staniels (Stanyan); grandson of John and Abigail (Langmaid) Stanyan; great-grandson of *Jonathan Stanyan*, second lieutenant, Thirteenth Regt., New Hampshire Militia, Selectman and Member Chichester, N. H., Committee of Safety.

- JAMES MAURICE STICE, Altamont, Ill. (38812). Son of James A. and Hattie (Keplinger) Stice; grandson of James P. and Mary M. (Conlee) Stice; great-grandson of Andrew and Nancy (Armstrong) Stice; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Andrew and Nancy (Wilson) Stice; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *William Wilson*, private, Fifth Regt., North Carolina Militia.
- JOHN RAYMOND STILES, Minneapolis, Minn. (38958). Son of John Lewis and Emma Frances (Burby) Stiles; grandson of John Dodson and Mary Amanda (Gibbons) Stiles; great-grandson of Lewis and Sarah (Dodson) Stiles; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Daniel Stiles*, private, Col. Timothy Robinson's Regt., Hampshire County, Massachusetts Militia.
- JULIUS W. ST. JOHN, Columbia, S. C. (38701). Son of William Seymour and Betsy Ann (Hanford) St. John; grandson of Thaddeus Seymour and Hannah Grey (Eells) St. John; great-grandson of Samuels and Hannah (Grey) Eells; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jeremiah Baird Eells*, lieutenant, Ninth Regt., Connecticut Militia, prisoner; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Grey*, ensign, Col. Mead's Ninth Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- JAY THOMAS STOCKING, Upper Montclair, N. J. (38731). Son of Myron T. and Elizabeth (Thompson) Stocking; grandson of Daniel C. and Mary (Hanna) Stocking; great-grandson of Billius and Patience (Gray) Stocking; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Timothy Stocking*, corporal, Col. John Fellows' Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- WALTER HORATIO STONE, Chicago, Ill. (38806). Son of Osborn and Emeline (Vunk) Stone; grandson of Israel and Zerviah (Conant) Stone; great-grandson of *Isaac Stone*, private, Col. James Barrett's Regt., Massachusetts Militia at Lexington Alarm.
- WILLIAM JAMES STONE, Hilo, Hawaii (28538). Son of Eli and Ellen (Vanderpool) Stone; grandson of Eli and Catherine M. (Whittaker) Stone; great-grandson of Luther and Lydia (Patrick) Stone; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Stone*, lieutenant-colonel, Worcester County, and Col. Holman's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- HENRY FRANCIS STRYKER, Portland, Ore. (38926). Son of William Henry and Maria Agnes (Noonan) Stryker; grandson of Henry Francis and Mary Ann (Hart) Stryker; great-grandson of James I. and Elizabeth Margaret (Friese) Stryker; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Stryker*, captain, Somerset County, New Jersey Militia.
- ROBERT HENRY TALLEY, JR., Westhampton, Va. (38761). Son of Robert Henry and Annie Irick (Gilmer) Talley; grandson of Henry and Frances (Epps) Talley; great-grandson of Charles and Mary (Mills) Talley; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Anthony Talley*, private, Hanover County, Virginia Militia.
- WILLIAM TALLMAN, Fairhaven, Mass. (38611). Son of Edward G. and Ella S. (Delano) Tallman; grandson of William Tallman; great-grandson of William Tallman, 2nd; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Tallman, 1st*, Dartmouth, Massachusetts Commissary of Forces.
- HENRY WILSON TEMPLE, Washington, Pa. (38699). Son of John B. and Martha (Jameson) Temple; grandson of William and Mary (Hutchison) Jameson; great-grandson of *Cornelius Hutchison*, private, Col. Walter Stewart's Thirteenth Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Line, pensioned.
- EMMETT H. TERRELL, Richmond, Va. (38763). Son of Charles Thomas and Fannie (McGehee) Terrell; grandson of Joseph Carr and Ann (Terrell) Terrell; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Walker) Terrell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Joseph Terrell*, private, Third, Fifth and Seventh Regts., Virginia Cont'l Line.
- WILLIAM FREDERICK THOMS, Connersville, Ind. (Mo. 37620). Son of William M. and Clara C. (Colby) Thoms; grandson of Charles and Ellen (Frost) Colby; great-grandson of John and Hannah (Rowell) Colby; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Aaron and Polly (Putney) Rowell; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Rowell*, Member New Hampshire Legislature of 1779, lieutenant, Thirteenth Regt. of Militia.
- HOWARD GOODELL THOMPSON, Washington (36657). Supplemental. Son of Archibald Brewer and Mary Elizabeth (Eddy) Thompson; grandson of John Wilkes and Mary Maria (Bushnell) Eddy; great-grandson of Thomas and Nancy (Blood) Bushnell; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jared and Esther (Upham) Blood; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Upham*, private, Col. Holmes' and Col. Cushing's Regts., Massachusetts Militia; grandson of James and Nancy Murray (Baird) Thompson; great-grandson of Sylvanus and Elizabeth (Brewer) Thompson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Samuel and Mehitabel (Upham) Brewer; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Nathaniel Upham*, private, Massachusetts Militia.

- WILDER B. THOMPSON, Harvey, Ill. (38807). Son of Robert and Zulemma (Taylor) Thompson; grandson of *Thomas Taylor*, private, Col. Taylor's and Col. Bull's Regts., New Jersey Militia and Cont'l Troops, pensioned.
- JOSEPH STAFFORD TROTTMAN, Milwaukee, Wis. (37290). Son of James Franklin and Frances Margaret (Smith) Trotman; grandson of Horatio Nelson and Laura (Chase) Smith; great-grandson of George and Eliza (Grover) Chase; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Philander and Mary (Fay) Chase; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Dudley and Allace (Corbett) Chase; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Samuel Chase*, sergeant, Col. Jonathan Chase's Regt., New Hampshire Militia; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of Daniel and Mary (Paige) Fay, Jr.; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Timothy Paige*, captain, Massachusetts Militia of 1777, and Member Committee of Correspondence.
- ARTHUR D'ARMOND TUTTLE, Westfield, N. J. (38726). Son of William Edgar and Frances Matilda (Bonham) Tuttle; grandson of William Austin and Mary (Ross) Tuttle; great-grandson of William and Lusalle (Steele) Tuttle; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Tuttle*, private, Thirteenth Regt., Albany County, New York Militia.
- JAMES BLAINE WAGG, Appleton, Wis. (37289). Son of Solomon Reed and Sarah (Ling) Wagg; grandson of Eldridge Gerry and Hannah (Reed) Wagg; great-grandson of Samuel and Mary (Dingley) Wagg; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Wagg*, private, Twelfth Regt., Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- OREN WAITE, Portland, Ore. (37498). Son of Nathan and Lestina (Quimby) Wait; grandson of *Jeduthan Wait*, private, Massachusetts Militia and Cont'l Troops, six years' service.
- WHITSON GAMALIEL WALDO, Detroit, Mich. (38785). Son of Bertram Milton and Grace C. (Howe) Waldo; grandson of Gamaliel Palmer and Bessie (Lotham) Waldo; great-grandson of Campbell and Rena (Griswold) Waldo; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Gamaliel Waldo*, private, Col. Thomas Lee's Regt., Vermont Militia.
- DANDRIDGE WALL, Asheville, N. C. (31503). Son of Sam S. and Alma G. (Stike-leather) Wall; grandson of Samuel and Sarah V. (Dandridge) Wall; great-grandson of William A. and Sarah (Nichols) Dandridge; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Nancy (Pullman) Dandridge, 3rd; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *William Dandridge*, major, King William County, Virginia Militia.
- JOSEPH WALTON, Haddonfield, N. J. (37992). Son of George Godfrey and Emeline (Davis) Walton; grandson of Joseph Hall and Susan (Surrick) Walton; great-grandson of Jesse and Rebecca (Hall) Walton; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Joseph and Susannah (Hart) Hall; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of John and Catherine (Knowles) Hart; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *John Hart*, Signer of the Declaration of Independence and Speaker of the Assembly of August 27, 1776.
- ARTHUR BEACH WARD, Newark, N. J. (38736). Son of Joseph Grover and Julia Smith (Cochran) Ward; grandson of Aaron Condit and Mary Oliver (Munn) Ward; great-grandson of Jacob and Abigail (Dodd) Ward, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Jacob Ward*, private, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.
- JOSEPH GEORGE WARDLAW, York, S. C. (38724). Son of Joseph James and Mary Ann (Witherspoon) Wardlaw; grandson of James and Hannah (Clarke) Wardlaw; great-grandson of *Hugh Wardlaw*, captain, South Carolina Whig Militia; grandson of James Hervey and Jane (Donnom) Witherspoon; great-grandson of *James Witherspoon*, captain of Kingtree Co., Gen. Marion's Brigade, South Carolina Militia.
- TRACY BRONSON WARREN, Connecticut (7770). Supplementals. Son of David Hard and Louisa (Bronson) Warren; grandson of William and Almira (Tyler) Bronson; great-grandson of Isahael and Esther (Upson) Bronson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James and Sarah (Brockett) Bronson; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Josiah Brockett*, private, Col. Sabin's Regt., Connecticut Militia; great-grandson of Roswell and Susannah (Easton) Tyler; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of James and Anne (Hungerford) Tyler; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Robert Hungerford*, private, Connecticut Militia, pensioned; grandson of Alanson and Sarah M. (Hickox) Warren; great-grandson of Caleb and Ruth (Scoville) Hickox; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Daniel and Sibyl (Thompson) Williams Hickox; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Thomas Hickox, Jr.*, sergeant, Col. John Mead's Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- WALTER OLIN WATKINS, Carlton, Minn. (38965). Son of Francis Asbury and Anna C. (Wick) Watkins; grandson of Orick Williams and Susan Thompson (Harlow) Wat-

- kins; great-grandson of Eli and Hulda (Stone) Watkins; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Elias Watkins*, private, Col. James Reed's Second Regt., New Hampshire Cont'l Infantry, afterwards Captain of Militia.
- THOMAS McCOY WATTS, Holstein, Iowa (Nebr. 38511). Son of George W. and Estelle (White) Watts; grandson of John Quincy and Elvira (Hough) White; great-grandson of Joseph and Hannah (Finley) Hough; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Robert W. Finley*, private, Capt. Christian Saddles' Co., Second Regt., Pennsylvania Cont'l Troops.
- WADE RICHARDS WEAVER, Cleveland Heights, Ohio (38890). Son of Orlando Lloyd and Lallah Noble (Richards) Weaver; grandson of George E. and Rebecca Levina (Johnson) Richards; great-grandson of Levi M. and Hannah Wilson (Leaverton) Johnson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Solomon and Lettice Ann (Thompson) Leaverton; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *John Foster Leaverton*, private, Fourth Independent Co., Talbot County, Maryland Regular Troops.
- LEWIS WEBB, Newburgh, N. Y. (38826). Son of Allen W. and Clara D. (Johnston) Webb; grandson of Lewis and Rhoda H. (Allen) Webb; great-grandson of Jonathan and Rebecca (Cole) Webb; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William* and Lois (Strong) *Webb*, seaman on Connecticut frigate "Trumbull"; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *Jonathan Strong*, private, Twelfth Regt., Connecticut Militia.
- JOHN SMITH WELLS, Harper, Kans. (36750). Son of Lemuel and Mary (Walton) Wells; grandson of Abraham and Mary (Hutchison) (Hutchinson) Walton; great-grandson of *Ebenezer Hutchinson*, private, Col. Nichols' Regt., New Hampshire Militia.
- ISAAC DAVIS WHITE, Bridgeport, Conn. (37323). Son of Daniel Mansfield and Minnie Luvia (Osgoode) White; grandson of Isaac Davis and Timnah (Mansfield) White; great-grandson of James and Milly (Law) White; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Reuben Law*, private, Acton, Massachusetts Militia and Col. Brooks' Regt., Middlesex County Cont'l Troops.
- CHARLES ELBERT WHELAN, Madison Wis. (37292). Son of Curtis Erskine and Martha (Rowley) Whelan; grandson of Moses and Lydia (Barrell) Rowley; great-grandson of Colburn and Esther (Videto) Barrell, Jr.; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Colburn Barrell*, sergeant, Massachusetts Militia and Cont'l service.
- JESSE WILLIAM WIGGINTON, California (36406). Supplemental. Son of Benjamin Franklin and Martha Jane (Twyman) Wigginton; grandson of William and Elizabeth (Corbin) Wigginton; great-grandson of *Henry Wigginton (Wiginton)*, private, Loudoun County, Virginia Militia, pensioned.
- JAMES CLAY WILBORN, York, S. C. (38719). Son of James Wood and Elizabeth Jean (McNary) Wilborn; grandson of John and Priscilla (Wood) Wilborn; great-grandson of Pennial and Sara (Kimball) Wood; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *William Wood*, captain, Col. Thomas Clarke's Regt., North Carolina Cont'l Line.
- HENRY LANE WILLIAMS, Minneapolis, Minn. (38962). Son of Job and Catherine (Stone) Williams; grandson of Giles and Fannie Marion (Gallup) Williams; great-grandson of Zephaniah and Olive (Howe) Williams; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Seth Williams*, corporal, sergeant and lieutenant, Massachusetts Militia.
- CHARLES EDWIN WILSON, Catonsville, Md. (38631). Son of John Sanford and Rebecca (Minnick) Wilson; grandson of James and Martha (Cox) Wilson; great-grandson of John Sanford and Nancy (Lemon) Wilson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *John Wilson*, private, New York Militia, pensioned.
- WALLACE NEVILLE WILSON, La Grange, Ky. (38579). Son of Joel Thomas and Lizzie (Waide) Wilson; grandson of William Boone and Elizabeth Ann (Offutt) Wilson; great-grandson of William and Matilda (Boone) Wilson; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of William and Nancy (Grubbs) Boone; great<sup>3</sup>-grandson of *George Boone*, private and frontiersman, Kentucky County, Virginia Militia.
- WILLIAM JACKSON WILKINS, Gaffney, S. C. (38702). Son of Robert Smith and Violet (Moorhead) Wilkins; grandson of Robert and Rebecca (Pridmore) Moorhead; great-grandson of *William Moorhead*, private, South Carolina Militia, pensioned.
- CHARLES OLIVER WINSHIP, Flushing, N. Y. (38833). Son of Charles and Grace (Naylor) Winship; grandson of Oliver and Mary MacDonald) Winship; great-grandson

- of George C. and Cornelia (Baker) Winship; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Daniel and Mary (Seabury) Winship; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Ebenezer Winship*, captain, Fourth and Fifth Regts., Massachusetts Cont'l Infantry and Deputy Commissary of Issues.
- DANIEL WINTERS, Pittsburgh, Pa. (38693). Son of Daniel and Elizabeth (Davis) Winters; grandson of Abraham and Lucinda (House) Winters; great-grandson of John and Elizabeth (Draper) House; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Edward and Lucinda (Owens) Draper; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Vincent Owens*, private, Col. William Brent's Second Regt., Virginia State Troops.
- WILLIAM IRWIN WITHERSPOON, York, S. C. (38725). Son of Isaac Donnom and Margaret Elizabeth (Wright) Witherspoon; grandson of Isaac Donnom and Ann (Reid) Witherspoon; great-grandson of James Hervey and Jane (Donnom) Witherspoon; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Witherspoon*, captain of Kingtree Co., Gen. Marion's Brigade, South Carolina Militia.
- JOSEPH EUGENE MICHAEL WOOD, Ensign, U. S. Navy, Albuquerque, N. M. (37831). Son of Francis E. and Maude Elizabeth (Smith) Wood; grandson of Otis H. and Elizabeth (Sherwood) Smith; great-grandson of James and Selvia (—) Sherwood; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *James Sherwood*, corporal, Col. Phillip Van Cortlandt's Second Regt., New York Cont'l Troops.
- WILLIAM WOODBRIDGE, Akron, Ohio (38885). Son of Henry and Sarah Ann (Foster) Woodbridge; grandson of John Eliot and Mary M. (Horner) Woodbridge; great-grandson of *Jahleel Woodbridge*, captain, Stockbridge, Massachusetts Minutemen and Member Third Massachusetts Provincial Congress.
- HAROLD JOHN WOODFORD, Topeka, Kans. (36749). Son of W. D. and Mary (Flecher) Woodford; grandson of J. R. and Amerna E. (Fortnor) Woodford; great-grandson of Ira and Parthena (Hulburt) Woodford; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Bissell Woodford*, private, Connecticut Militia, pensioned.
- WALLACE ISAAC WOODIN, Hartford, Conn. (37324). Son of Wallace Wallin and Melinda (Fralick) Woodin; grandson of Abram and Anne Mary (Bassett) Woodin; great-grandson of Jeremiah Woodin; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Amos Woodin*, minuteman and sergeant, Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- WALTER HENRY WOODS, Cincinnati, Ohio (38891). Son of Luther Franklin and Virginia Frances (Durant) Woods; grandson of Luther and Susan (Omensetter) Woods; great-grandson of *Jonathan Woods*, private, Capt. Asa Lawrence's Co., Col. William Prescott's Regt., Massachusetts Militia.
- FRANK B. WORTHING, Chatham, Mass. (38612). Son of James Franklin and Mary (Clement) Worthing; grandson of Otis and Mehitable (Davis) Worthing; great-grandson of Lewis and Mary (Getchell) Worthing; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jacob and Elizabeth (Healey) Worthen; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of Jacob and Mary (Brown) Worthen; great<sup>4</sup>-grandson of *Ezekiel Worthen*, Member New Hampshire Provincial Congress of 1775 and '76, and of War Committees.
- CHARLES WILBUR WRIGHT, Glen Ridge, N. J. (38737). Son of Charles F. and Grace (Beesley) Wright, Jr.; grandson of Charles F. and Elizabeth (Burhans) Wright; great-grandson of Barzillai Wood and Minerva (Moon) Wright; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of David and Sarah (Wood) Wright; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Barzillai Wood*, private and corporal, Hampshire County, Massachusetts Militia, pensioned.
- GEORGE NICHOLS YARD, Galveston, Texas (37540). Son of Nahor Biggs and Caroline (Nichols) Yard; grandson of Joseph and Elizabeth (Brinley) Yard; great-grandson of Nahor and Elizabeth (Biggs) Yard; great<sup>2</sup>-grandson of *Benjamin Yard*, New Jersey Manufacturer of Arms for Cont'l Army; great-grandson of *Jacob Brinley*, private, Capt. Walton's Troop, New Jersey Light Dragoons.
- LAURENS GARLINGTON YOUNG, Union, S. C. (38709). Son of John Laurens and Susan James (Garlington) Young; grandson of John and Susan Washington (James) Garlington; great-grandson of *Benjamin James*, private, South Carolina Cont'l Troops.

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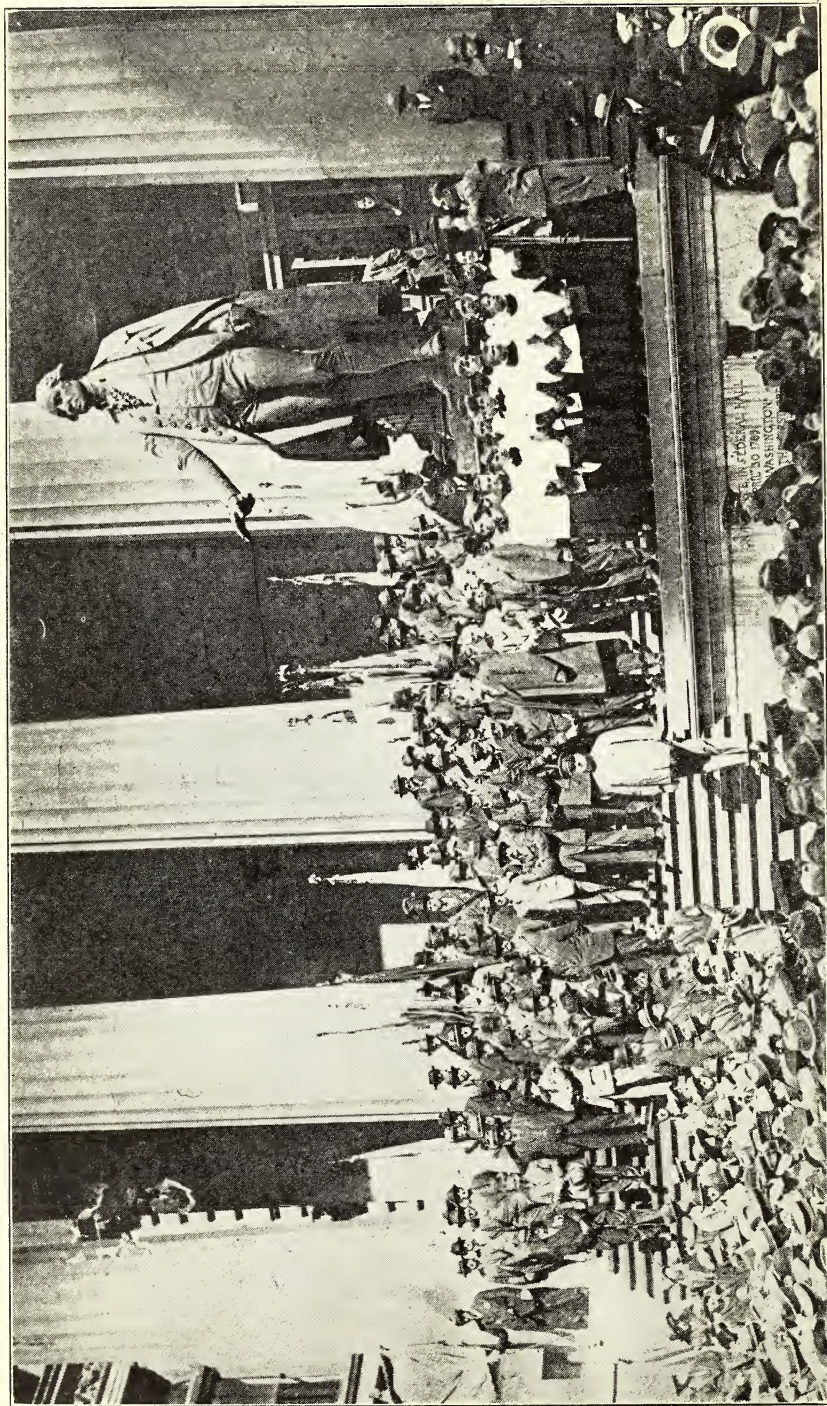
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