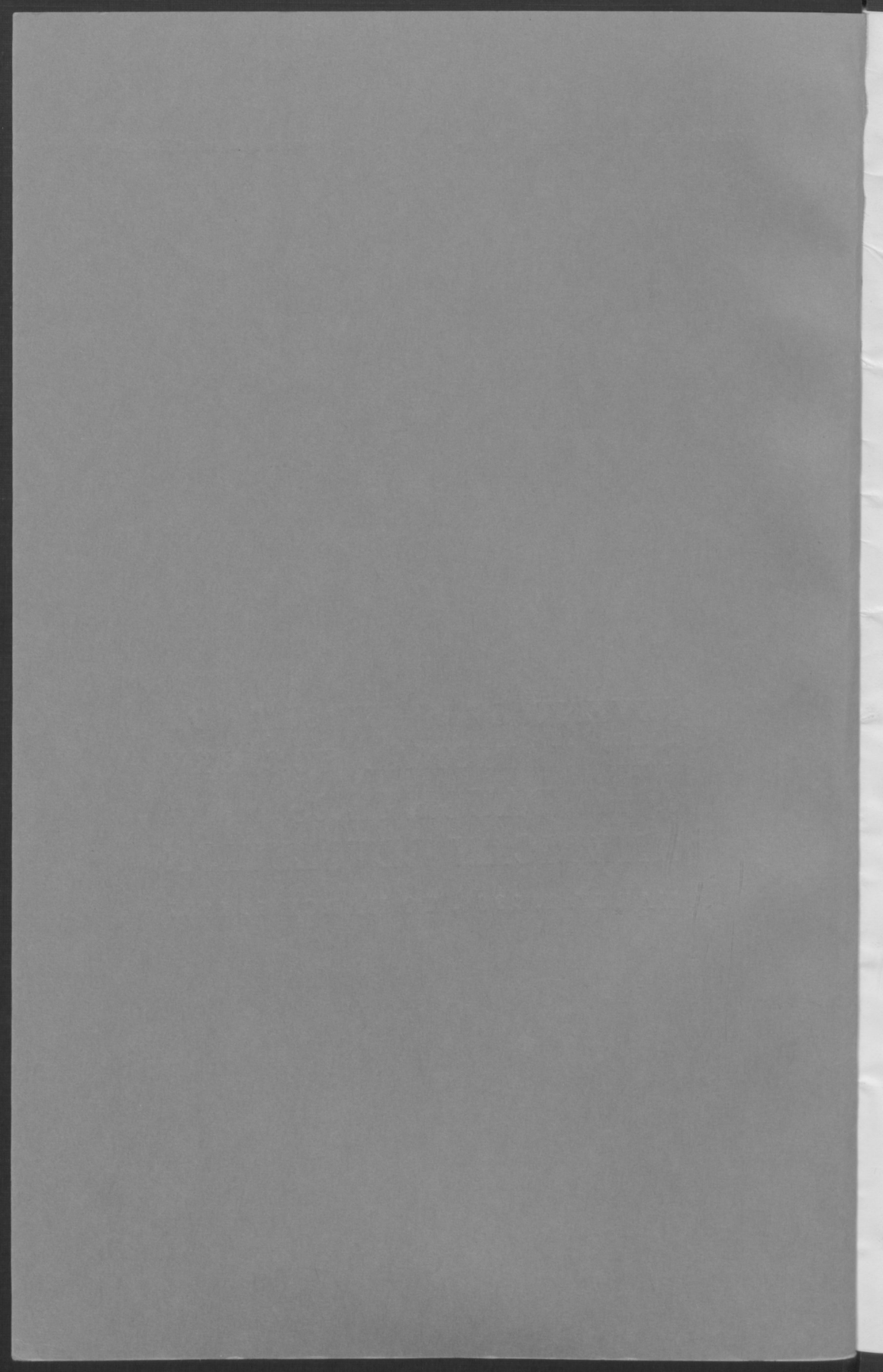




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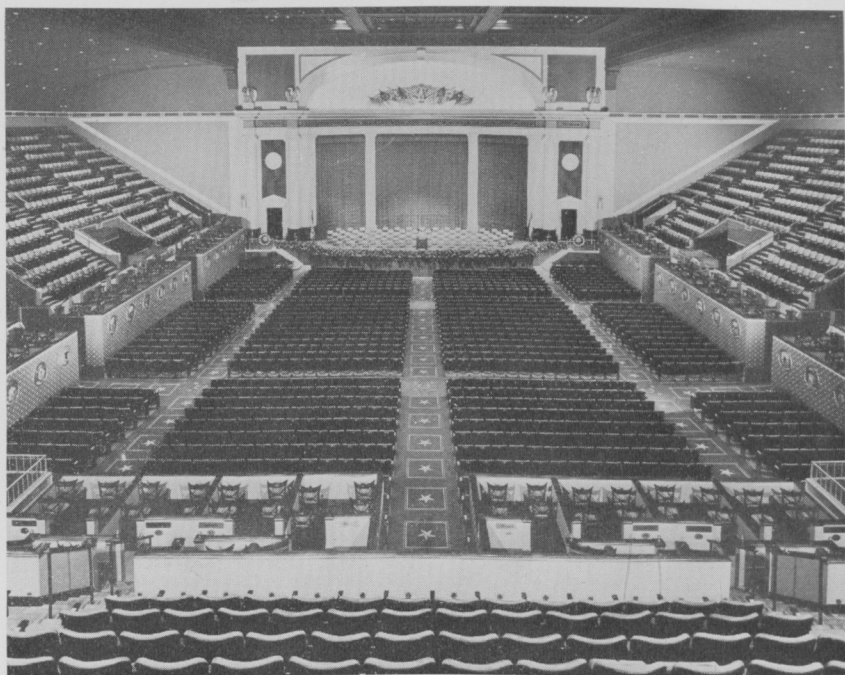


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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES
October 16, 1969.
Resolved, That the seventieth annual report of the National Society
of the Daughters of the American Revolution for the year ended
March 1, 1967, be printed, with an illustration, as a Senate document.
Attest:
FRANCIS W. ALLEN, Secretary

OCTOBER 16, 1969.—Ordered to be printed with an illustration

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LETTER OF SUBMITTAL

MEMORIAL CONTINENTAL HALL,
Washington, D.C., June 25, 1968.

Dr. S. DILLON RIPLEY,
Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution.

SIR: In compliance with the act of incorporation of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, approved February 20, 1896, and by direction of the national board of management, I have the honor to submit the report of work accomplished from March 1, 1966, to March 1, 1967.

EFFIE KARR CHAMPIEUX,
(Mrs. John James Champieux)
Reporter General to the Smithsonian Institution.

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U. S. SENATE, Fifty-fourth Congress, Second Session, at the first session of the Senate and first day of December 1895.

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[H.R. 3553. Fifty-fourth Congress of the United States of America; at the first session begun and held at the city of Washington on the 2d day of December 1895]

[Public No. 19]

AN ACT To incorporate the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Mary Parke Foster (Mrs. John W. Foster), of Indiana; Mary Virginia Ellet Cabell (Mrs. William D. Cabell), of Virginia; Helen Mason Boynton (Mrs. Henry V. Boynton), of Ohio; Henrietta Greely (Mrs. A. W. Greely), of Washington, D.C.; Lelie Dent Saint Clair (Mrs. F. O. Saint Clair), of Maryland; Regina M. Knott (Mrs. A. Leo Knott), of Maryland; Sara Agnes Rice Pryor (Mrs. Roger A. Pryor), of New York; Sara Ford Judd Goode (Mrs. G. Brown Goode), of Washington, D.C.; Mary Desha, of Kentucky; Sue Virginia Field (Mrs. Stephen J. Field), of California; Sallie Kennedy Alexander (Mrs. Thomas Alexander), of Washington, D.C.; Rosa Wright Smith, of Washington, D.C.; Sara C. J. Hagan (Mrs. Hugh Hagan), of Georgia; Mary Stiner Putnam (Mrs. John Risley Putnam), of New York; Mary Leighton Shields (Mrs. George H. Shields), of Missouri; Ellen Hardin Walworth, of New York; Mary E. MacDonald (Mrs. Marshall MacDonald), of Virginia; Eugenia Washington, of Virginia; Alice M. Clarke (Mrs. A. Howard Clarke), of Massachusetts; Clara Barton, of Washington, D.C.; Mary S. Lockwood, of Washington, D.C.; Frances B. Hamlin (Mrs. Tennis S. Hamlin), of Washington, D.C.; Martha C. B. Clarke (Mrs. Arthur E. Clarke), of New Hampshire; Lucia E. Blount (Mrs. Henry Blount), of Indiana; Jane A. O. Keim (Mrs. de B. Randolph Keim), of Connecticut; Louise Ward McAllister, of New York; Effie Ream Osborn (Mrs. Frank Stuart Osborn), of Illinois; Maria Devereux, of Washington, D.C.; Belinda O. Wilbour (Mrs. Joshua Wilbour), of Rhode Island; Georgiana E. Shippen (Mrs. W. W. Shippen), of New Jersey; Julia K. Hogg (Mrs. N. B. Hogg), of Pennsylvania; Katherine C. Breckinridge (Mrs. Clifton R. Breckinridge), of Arkansas; Sara Isabella Hubbard (Mrs. Adolphus S. Hubbard), of California; Mary L. D. Putnam (Mrs. Charles E. Putnam), of Iowa; Delia Clayborne Buckner (Mrs. Simon B. Buckner), of Kentucky; Emily Marshall Eliot (Mrs. Samuel Eliot), of Massachusetts; Lucy Grey Henry (Mrs. William Wirt Henry), of Virginia; Elizabeth Blair Lee, of Maryland; Mrs. Frances P. Burrows (Mrs. Julius C. Burrows), Mrs. Mary L. McMillan (Mrs. James McMillan), Mrs. Emma Gregory T. Hull (Mrs. J. A. T. Hull); Mrs. Mary B. K. Washington (Mrs. Joseph Washington), and their associates and successors, are hereby created a body corporate and politic, in the District of Columbia, by the name of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, for patriotic, historical, and educational purposes: to perpetuate the memory and spirit of the men and women who achieved American independence; by the acquisition and protection of historical spots and the erection of monuments: by the encouragement of historical research in relation to the Revolution and the publication of its results; by the preservation of documents and relics, and of the records of the individual services of Revolutionary soldiers and patriots, and by the promotion of celebrations of all patriotic anniversaries; to carry out the injunction of Washington in his Farewell Address to the American People, "to promote, as an object of primary importance, institutions for the general diffusion of knowledge," thus developing an enlightened public opinion and affording to young and old such advantages as shall develop in them the largest capacity for performing the duties of American citizens; to cherish, maintain and extend the institutions of American free-

dom; to foster true patriotism and love of country; and to aid in securing for mankind all the blessings of liberty.

Sec. 2. That said society is authorized to hold real and personal estate in the United States, so far only as may be necessary to its lawful ends, to an amount not exceeding \$500,000, and may adopt a constitution and make bylaws not inconsistent with law, and may adopt a seal.

Said society shall have its headquarters or principal office at Washington, in the District of Columbia.

Sec. 3. That said Society shall report annually to the Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution concerning its proceedings, and said Secretary shall communicate to Congress such portions thereof as he may deem of national interest and importance. The regents of the Smithsonian Institution are authorized to permit said National Society to deposit its collections, manuscripts, books, pamphlets, and other material for history in the Smithsonian Institution or in the National Museum, at their discretion, upon such conditions and under such rules as they shall prescribe.

GROVER CLEVELAND.

Approved February 20, 1896.

THOMAS B. REED,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

A. E. STEVENSON,

Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

I certify that the above is a true copy of an Act of Congress, the original of which is on file in this Department.

In testimony whereof, I, Richard Olney, Secretary of State of the United States have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the seal of the Department of State to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington this 5th day of May, A.D. 1896, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and twentieth.

[SEAL]

RICHARD OLNEY.

[Public No. 6, 69th Cong.]

[S. 780]

AN ACT To amend section 2 of the Act entitled "An Act to incorporate the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution"

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 2 of the act entitled "An Act to incorporate the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution," approved February 20, 1896, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 2. That said society is authorized to hold real and personal estate in the United States, so far only as may be necessary to its lawful ends, to an amount not exceeding \$5,000,000, and may adopt a constitution and make bylaws not inconsistent with law, and may adopt a seal. Said society shall have its headquarters or principal office at Washington, in the District of Columbia."

Approved February 5, 1926.

[Public No. 93, 82d Cong.]

[H.R. 1899]

AN ACT To amend section 2 of the Act entitled "An Act to incorporate the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution"

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 2 of the act entitled "An Act to incorporate the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution," approved February 20, 1896, as amended, and as amended February 5, 1926, is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 2. That said society is authorized to hold real and personal estate in the United States, so far only as may be necessary to its lawful ends, to an amount not exceeding \$10,000,000, and may adopt a constitution and make bylaws not inconsistent with law, and may adopt a seal. Said society shall have its headquarters or principal office at Washington, in the District of Columbia."

Approved July 30, 1951.

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SUMMARY OF THE 70TH REPORT

In the following summary, the reporter general points out some of the highlights of the NSDAR activities and accomplishments during the past year—along with those that have been brought out by the president general and the other officers in their reports.

“Be Ye Doers of the Word, and Not Hearers Only” was the theme chosen for the second year of the diamond jubilee administration.

An objective of the president general was to obtain a DAR membership of 200,000. The DAR Membership Growth Plan gave impetus to membership gains in the period. A total of 8,278 applications were received. Present membership is 184,412, including 3,185 members at large and 781 reinstatements. There are 2,887 chapters, including the three chapters overseas. Of the new members 32.2 percent were “Junior” age, 18 to 35 years. Thirty-three new chapters and 36 organizing regents were confirmed.

The DAR Patriot Index, which has become a “best seller,” contains the names of over 105,000 patriots who aided the cause of the War for Independence and whose records have been verified. This new index will be of great benefit in the membership drive and is expected to be a contribution to the celebration of our Nation’s Bicentennial.

The president general presented the first “Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee Award to the Outstanding Nurse of the Year”—1966—by invitation of the Secretary of the Army. This award was presented to Captain Linda A. Bowman on February 1, 1967, in the Main Navy Building. The new award was authorized by the NSDAR national board of management that same day in memory of Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee, who was a vice president general of the DAR during the Spanish American War and founder of the Army Nurse Corps. Future recipients will be selected annually by the Army Medical Service.

All but four States have a contestant for the \$8,000 NSDAR American History Scholarship, which was established by the national board of management in February 1966. Contributors to this scholarship have been most generous. The fund is now \$6,218.14. The amount is to be pro-rated to each recipient (boy or girl) at \$2,000 a year. This scholarship, which represents the first national project of the Student Loan and Scholarship Committee, is the largest individual scholarship ever offered by the NSDAR. In furthering educational aid to American youth, the NSDAR in the past year gave scholarships to American Indians, loans to students, medical scholarships, and miscellaneous scholarships and gifts, and made contributions to the American History Fund and to DAR schools.

On the seventh DAR School Bus Tour two busloads of Daughters, under the capable guidance of Mrs. Sherman B. Watson, national chairman of transportation, visited six of the schools on the Approved List of Schools. A highlight of the tour was the cornerstone laying of the Adèle Erb Sullivan Administration Building at Tamassee

DAR School, the diamond jubilee project of the DAR School Committee, Mrs. Fred Aebly, chairman. This year, 46 students will graduate from Kate Duncan Smith DAR High School, the largest graduating class in the school's history.

The president general gave a talk on the National Society's interest in the "First Americans" when she attended the September 12, 1966, dedication of the DAR wing at St. Mary's School in Springfield, South Dakota. A plaque honoring the DAR and the two administrations responsible for the building and its furnishings is located near the front door. NSDAR members contributed \$48,539.52 for Indian schools. Bacone College received 5,400 pounds of clothing for its Thrift Shop; St. Mary's School received 9,600 pounds. Twelve students drew from our General Indian Scholarship Fund for a total of \$3,650. Bacone College received \$10,000 for scholarships; St. Mary's School for Indian Girls received \$8,400 for scholarships. Both schools received cash donations for buildings and maintenance.

From March 1, 1966, through February 28, 1967, the office of the treasurer general received \$241,176.27 for all schools on the DAR approved list. This amount includes the appropriation of \$5,000 for Kate Duncan Smith and \$5,000 for Tamasee DAR Schools from the National Society, \$7,048.79 as income from invested funds, and \$53,471.69 in contributions for the Adèle Erb Sullivan Administration Building at Tamasee. The Helen Pouch Scholarship Fund of the Junior Membership Committee contributed \$14,515 to the DAR Schools, the largest amount ever contributed by that committee. The DAR in the 50 States, District of Columbia, Canal Zone, Mexico, and France not only reported money sent to the treasurer general, NSDAR, but also an increase in gifts of used clothing to the schools, valued at \$117,316. These much-needed articles are sold at reduced rates or given to the needy. The revenue from the sale is used for general expenses.

Awards were presented by the president general or her representatives at the following institutions: U.S. Naval Academy, U.S. Military Academy, U.S. Coast Guard Academy, U.S. Air Force Academy, U.S. Merchant Marine Academy, U.S. Marine Corps at Quantico, Virginia, and the Officer Candidate School of the U.S. Coast Guard at Yorktown, Virginia.

The chaplain general's diamond jubilee project—compiling the history of the earliest churches in each State—is steadily progressing. Accounts of 40 early churches have been published in DAR magazine. The Ritual, designed for use by all DAR State and chapter chaplains, has been revised and enlarged and is now on sale.

It was with deep regret that the National Society learned of the death of the chairman of its advisory board, the Honorable Harry Flood Byrd, on October 20, 1966, in Virginia. The Honorable Strom Thurmond of South Carolina was asked to fill this vacancy. When accepting, he stated that "this great organization has been a bulwark in fighting for our Constitution and maintaining the American system of government."

The chief project of the American History Month Committee was, again, the sponsorship of the annual American History Essay Contest for students in the 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th grades. The year's subject, "American Naval Battles," proved to be popular with students and teachers alike, as 68,234 contestants participated through 4,108 schools.

A new certificate of appreciation was presented to 9,295 participants. National winners received a \$25 U.S. savings bond; each of the 28 division winners was awarded a copy of *The Golden Book of America*; and 5,876 American history medals and 8,952 American history certificates were given. Cooperation in this contest was received through 806 school assemblies on American history, 334 articles in school papers, 1,170 class discussions, and one-minute spot announcements each day in February on 6,413 radio stations.

At the request of the DAR, an American History Month proclamation was issued by 44 governors, 973 mayors or city managers, and 75 other authorities. Newspaper publicity included 3,653 stories and editorials and 1,631 pictures for a total of 55,275 column inches. DAR-sponsored programs consumed 26,979 minutes on radio and 2,426 minutes on television. DAR members used 5,738 American History Month posters and 33,060 stickers. The chapters spent a total of \$9,183.40 on American History Month activities.

Programs on Americanism were presented by 1,386 chapters at meetings, 275 of which were for the public. DAR Manuals for Citizenship were used by 247 study groups on the Immigration and Nationality Act. Publicity on the DAR Americanism programs included 42,258 column inches in the press and 540 hours on radio and television. DAR members worked 183,930 hours to help reduce illiteracy, poverty, disease, and other social problems. Among these workers were 175 members who have taught in Americanization schools. A total of \$5,095.66 was spent on this part of the program.

A member in Kansas completed an interesting project. She says: "Believing that most family searchers wish to go back to their immigrant ancestors, I conceived the idea of compiling, indexing, and binding into a book over 7,000 naturalizations in the 100-year period of these settlements from 1876. These pre-date those in the Washington, D.C., archives from 1906 and will be an invaluable record for the many thousands of their descendants."

Outstanding naturalized citizens were recognized with the awarding of the DAR Americanism Medal. In the past year 67 such medals were presented; also, 47,018 DAR Manuals for Citizenship were distributed and 386 chapters sponsored teas for 11,020 newly naturalized citizens. A total of \$4,937.72 was spent on this part of the program; 228 chapters reported contributions of \$895.54 to the Occupational Therapy Scholarship Fund.

There were 43 national life promoters and 356 national promoters of Children of the American Revolution. The DAR has always recognized the C.A.R. as a source of potential membership; 367 C.A.R. members transferred to DAR during the year. The C.A.R. benefited from the leadership of DAR members who served as senior officers at all organizational levels, assisted in registration and reservations at State and regional meetings, contacted local historical societies for tours and talks, helped to obtain mayors' and governors' proclamations and in carrying out local and State projects in conservation and patriotic education, assisted in marking historic sites and in patriotic holiday exercises, presented flags, and assisted with press, TV, and radio presentations and window displays.

At the beginning of this diamond jubilee administration it was voted to continue the work of cataloging, indexing, and preserving of the

rare documents in the Archives Room. During the past year 52 documents were received for the Americana collection. More than 4,000 historical programs were given: 3,276 programs for adults and 969 for children. Historical broadcasts: radio 15,420; TV, 1,089. Historical tours: for adults, 12,345; for children, 10,946. Markers placed: Revolutionary soldiers' graves, 130; graves of wives and daughters, 41; graves of members' Revolutionary ancestors, 37; graves of DAR members, 930. Historic restorations completed, 38; marked, 20. Historic markers placed, 98.

The year just ended showed increased interest in and enthusiasm for the DAR Library. The National Archives recently completed the refilming of all the 1850 federal census schedules, and the new film is much clearer and more readable. A request for funds for the purchase of legible microfilm of the 1850 schedules resulted in the receiving of \$4,940.40 to date. During the year the amount contributed for the DAR Library, exclusive of the amount for the 1850 census project, was \$2,718.50; the amount spent for State work was \$3,327.24.

The California DAR presented a copy of the State's 1852 census. Local libraries and historical societies may purchase a set of the film from the California DAR. Various microfilm, manuscripts, books, and pamphlets have been received.

The diamond jubilee project of the DAR Museum Committee is the air-conditioning of the Museum's gallery. Plans for the air-conditioning are in readiness, and it is anticipated that work on this project will commence shortly after the adjournment of DAR Continental Congress.

Contributions to the Museum Fund from the 50 State Societies amounted to \$13,048.94. Forty-three State Societies contributed \$5,100.32 to the Friends of the Museum, and 25 State Societies presented the Museum with manufactures.

A number of groups requested tours of the Museum and State Rooms during the year and 16,402 visitors were recorded.

The Conservation Committee's work to "Save the Redwoods" terminates with this report. A total of \$4,611.31 was contributed to Save the Redwoods League. The California DAR dedicated its Lambert Grove in the past year. Beautification of the grounds of DAR National Headquarters will be the committee's project for the last year of this administration.

Much consideration was given to the problems of air and water pollution. The Daughters of the American Revolution are urging that something be done immediately to counteract these hazards. Letters objecting to the proposed Grand Canyon Dam have been written to Senators and Congressmen. The U.S. Forest Service, Southwestern Region, gave its outstanding achievement award in conservation to Mrs. Robert Lacy Jackson, New Mexico State regent. Four large bronze markers have been placed in various sections of the United States, marking historic spots for conservation.

For the 19th time the DAR Good Citizens Committee was approved by the National Association of Secondary School Principals, a department of the National Education Association. The purpose of the committee is to encourage good citizenship by stressing its importance among the senior girls in accredited public high schools. A competitive

method has been recommended by the National Society as a basis in selecting the winner. A scholastic rating is now required.

A motion was adopted by the National Board of Management of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution on February 1, 1967: That in the future both public and private accredited high schools be permitted to participate in the DAR Good Citizen Contest for senior girls sponsored by the committee.

A \$100 U.S. savings bond was awarded to each State winner by NSDAR. The National winner was awarded a \$1,000 scholarship to the college of her choice and a five-inch sterling silver Paul Revere bowl engraved "National DAR Good Citizen, 1967." DAR chapters, districts, and State Societies gave a total of \$4,925 in U.S. savings bonds, Good Citizen Pins, etc., to district winners. This year, 21 more chapters in the 50 States undertook work under this committee. There was a total of 9,249 DAR Good Citizens, an increase of 771 over the previous year. Each chapter winner was given a copy of *In Washington—The DAR Story*.

In the Junior American Citizens Committee program, designed "to teach children some knowledge of the underlying principles of our Government, of American sentiment, and of all that will go toward making them good citizens," DAR chapters worked in cooperation with public, parochial, and private schools and with various youth groups in sponsoring JAC clubs. No child incurs any expense as a club member, as all needed materials are supplied by the sponsoring chapter. There are 8,181 active clubs, reaching 271,283 young people from kindergarten through high school age. Each year there is a contest based on a predetermined theme in harmony with the annual theme of the National Society. Last year 30 DAR State Societies submitted 850 entries on the theme "Patriots, Doers with a Vision." The DAR of the District of Columbia and 50 States were active in promoting this program. JAC membership pins and motto and creed leaflets, together with copies of the National Society JAC handbook were distributed free.

The Junior Membership Committee, encompassing all DAR members from 18 through 35 years old, admitted 2,477 new members, an increase of 411 over the previous year. The committee has five State officers, 58 State chairmen, 47 chapter regents, 433 chapter officers, and 923 chapter chairmen. The only national fund-raising project of the committee is the Helen Pouch Memorial Scholarship Fund. This past year the sum of \$15,353.64, a new high, was contributed through the sale of flag pins and stationery and through bazaars and benefits. A contribution of \$250 was made to the Constitution Hall Air Conditioning Fund in honor of the president general.

The Lineage Research Committee assisted potential members with their papers, and 2,451 new members were admitted. During 1966-1967 a total of 72 lineage research workshops and seminars were organized in 29 States.

In 1967 the DAR Magazine converted to the IBM system for mailing the publication to all subscribers in order to meet the new postal requirements for use of Zip Code. More than 75,000 cards were punched, a procedure that began October 10, 1966. The issue of April 1967 was the first one to be operated entirely by the IBM system. For the May

issue, 55,000 copies have been printed. There was a 40.11 percent increase in the cash balance of DAR Magazine over the previous year. The treasurer general's report carries a detailed statement. The DAR Magazine has been cited as the best magazine of its type published in this country today.

The DAR Magazine Advertising office received checks and contracts totaling \$86,828.23, an increase of \$3,577.30 over the advertising revenue of the diamond jubilee year. The revenue goal for 1968 is \$100,000.

The Motion Picture Committee was reinstated as a national committee by a resolution of the Seventy-Fifth Continental Congress. Its work is in two sections: as a member of the Film Board of National Organizations; and in endeavors by all DAR chapters throughout the country dealing with motion pictures and visual aids of all sorts in their own communities. The Film Board of National Organizations consists of ten national societies, including the DAR, that prepare the "Green Sheet," a monthly survey of current films which is published by the Motion Picture Association of America. The chapters' aim is to encourage the use of historical, educational, or patriotic films, either free or for rent, that are suitable for chapter programs or for showing in schools or community centers.

The National Defender is sent gratis each month with other selected materials to all DAR state and chapter chairmen of the DAR National Defense Committee, national officers, and DAR state and chapter regents. The committee's yearly report was presented in a speech by Mrs. Frederick Griswold, Jr., National Defense Committee chairman, entitled "We Believe." The report did not include statistics covering the work of this committee.

The Program Committee reported that 517 slide programs and 4,374 manuscripts were reserved between February 1, 1966, and February 1, 1967. DAR officers and chairmen were frequent speakers at chapter meetings. Many worthwhile manuscripts were added to the files of the program office by the Program Reviewing Committee.

The American Heritage Committee reported that 3,712 programs on American heritage were held, an increase of 1,689 over the previous year. Thousands of valuable historical items were donated to the DAR Museum. State museums, restorations, historical societies, and other repositories; 374 members attended art classes, 350 belonged to art groups, and 972 visited museums. Fifty-six programs on art and artists were given. One DAR State society reported 253 programs on American music. There was excellent coverage by radio, TV, newspapers, and other media.

Public Relations.—Rehabilitation and air-conditioning of Constitution Hall, the laying of the cornerstone for the new administration building at Tamasee DAR School, and inspiring messages from the president general on her 48,000-mile state-conference tours all received favorable attention from the press. The public viewed DAR in action through 559 television stations (323 hours of viewing time); read about DAR activities in 2,867 daily and 1,706 weekly newspapers (725,182 column inches), and saw 16,954 photographs (representing 118,699 column inches) that illustrated the DAR story.

The Flag of the United States of America Committee.—The week of October 11, 1966, brought to a close the official Diamond Jubilee

Year of the National Society. The closing ceremony was the dedication of two handsome flagpoles in front of Memorial Continental Hall, the gift of Mrs. George U. Baylies, national chairman of the DAR Speakers Staff Committee. These poles, together with the accompanying flags (the Flag of the United States of America and the DAR Banner), were given in memory of Mrs. Baylies' mother, Mrs. John Frederic Osborn, and in honor of Mrs. William A. Becker, honorary president general.

By vote of the Executive Committee, the old flagpole formerly located atop Memorial Continental Hall was donated to Troop 1026 of the Boy Scouts of America upon request. This Boy Scout troop is sponsored by the Washington Memorial Christian Church near Fort Washington, Maryland, where a 32-acre tract has been set aside for use by all Boy Scouts in Maryland.

Likewise on behalf of the National Society, the president general presented the Society's previous Flag of the United States of America that flew from the pole to the "First Annual Patriots' Ball" (held for the benefit of the New York State C.A.R. Society in New York City) for use at subsequent balls and as a further link between the two societies.

Six Braille-textured flags for the blind were given by two chapters in Idaho to a school for the deaf and blind at Gooding, Idaho. These flags are made of red velvet and white grosgrain stripes, with raised embroidered white stars on a blue felt field. By touching these different textures the blind can "see" the beauty of Old Glory.

A total of 39,098 flags were given to schools, youth groups, naturalized citizens, libraries, hospitals, and Indian reservations; 47,384 copies of the flag code were distributed, and 835 corrections of incorrect display or misuse of the flag were made. There were 2,785 programs on radio, and 205 programs on television.

Transportation Committee.—Increased interest in the pilgrimages and the tours in chartered buses or in individual cars is evident in the reports, with over 500 different pilgrimages reported. There were 17 bus tours, and several States Societies reported tours to Continental Congress. More than 1,000 programs were given on traffic safety. DAR chapters reported close working arrangement with their city patrolmen, highway safety patrolmen, and with other law enforcement officials. Many members visited traffic courts.

The two special museum events in 1967 that inaugurated a series of events for personnel of the armed services proved to be very popular. Special invitations for these two events were extended to the board of directors of the USO to select and accompany members of the Armed Forces to National Headquarters. Featured at the first event was a Chinese tea chest from the Boston Tea Party, December 16, 1773. The National Society is indebted to the Boston Tea Party Chapter for this priceless relic, which is on loan to the DAR Museum.

In May 1966 the president general was elected to the board of Washington National Symphony, which held its first performance in Constitution Hall and has made its home there ever since. Later in July she was invited to serve as an advisory editor on the addition to the Outstanding Young Women project of Outstanding Club Women of America.

The president general presented a citation to the General Federation of Women's Clubs upon its diamond jubilee convention, held in Chicago on June 11.

The National Society was invited to participate in two fairs during the past year. The president general was a guest of honor at the Pan American Union on November 14, 1966, to introduce the Women's Pavillion for HemisFair 1968, to be held in San Antonio, Texas. In December 1966 she was visited by Ambassador Pierre Dupuy of Canada, commissioner general of Expo 67, to discuss the possibility of having the National Society present a Flag of the United States of America as a token of good will on a people-to-people basis in Montreal, Canada.

EFFIE KARR CHAMPIEUX

(Mrs. John James Champieux),

Reporter General to the Smithsonian Institution.

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PART I

REPORT OF THE 76TH CONTINENTAL CONGRESS OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, HELD AT CONSTITUTION HALL, WASHINGTON, D.C., APRIL 17-21, 1967.

REPORTS OF EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

PRESIDENT GENERAL

It has been an extremely busy and exciting year, due in part to the authorization at the 75th Continental Congress to air condition, redecorate and refurbish Constitution Hall. Immediately following the Continental Congress a special committee was appointed by the president general to be in charge of this diamond jubilee project, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Erwin F. Seimes, who will report in detail.

Many planning meetings were held with the consulting engineers, the design consultant, the major tenants of the Hall, and the Society's attorney preparatory to signing contracts for the gigantic task. Many deadlines had to be met in order to have the Hall in readiness for the official opening to the public on October 11, 1966, the Society's 76th birthday, which coincided with the National Symphony's initial concert of the season.

An added highlight was the presence of the President of the United States and Mrs. Johnson and many dignitaries of the government. The concert was followed by a reception given by the board of directors of the National Symphony in honor of Dr. Howard Mitchell, music director, in the John Quincy Adams Room of the State Department, with the president general in the receiving line with President and Mrs. Johnson.

The 76th Continental Congress is the first to be held in the newly decorated, modern, air-conditioned Constitution Hall. The magazine section of the Sunday, April 16th edition of the Washington Star has an article titled "Bright Welcome for the DAR," with color photographs of Constitution Hall. My thanks to Mrs. Seimes and her committee and to everyone who had a part in this endeavor.

The results of these improvements will be far-reaching. The increased bookings will make it possible for the Society to discontinue its long-standing subsidy of the Hall's many activities, as well as assist in creating better public relations, as it provides the residents and visitors of the City of Washington with their first air-conditioned auditorium capable of serving the largest audience under one roof on a year-round basis. Your support of this project played a vital role in making it possible.

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To answer a long-time need, and as promised by the president general, this administration has instituted sound, modern business procedures that have greatly decreased the cost of operation. Data processing machinery has not only aided in speeding up the work load but has resulted in greater accuracy.

A modern central purchasing system has been installed, consolidating competitive purchasing, which has demonstrated that significant savings will be made in the future by its continued and increased use. In its first four months of application the use of competitive buying and standardization of items of general use has resulted in noticeable cost reductions.

A much-needed professional survey of the security of our valuable National Headquarters has been completed, and the required recommendations are being put into effect.

A diamond jubilee project on a national level is the DAR Membership Commission, established to promote this administration's emphasis on membership. As reported last year, the first year of this administration showed a net gain of 66—the first net gain since 1961. This past year showed a net gain of over 2,000.

In an effort to interest the junior members further in our DAR program the Junior Forum has been reactivated this year. The last such forum was held during the 1940s.

The national board of management at its meeting on February 1, in response to numerous requests throughout the country, voted to permit both public and private accredited high schools to participate in the DAR Good Citizens program.

The 1966 packet of letters from national officers and national chairmen went out in July this past year, one month earlier than usual. In response to many requests, efforts are being made to have the annual packet reach the chapter regents in June this year.

During the past year, the Executive Committee held five meetings—in June, October, December, February, and April—and the national board of management held four regular meetings and two special meetings for the election of members and confirmation of chapters and organizing regents. The president general held five informal Executive Committee meetings, each preceding the regular Executive Committee the day following.

Since the last Continental Congress the president general traveled 48,735 miles in performing official duties. She spent 102 days "on the road," attended 65 events, and held 50 interviews with the press and on radio and television. She attended 21 DAR State conferences: Alaska, Idaho, Wyoming, Utah, South Dakota, North Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan, Indiana, Maryland, New Mexico, Cali-

ifornia, Nevada, Arizona, Texas, Kansas, Colorado, Washington, Oregon, and New Jersey. She also attended the June 1966 and January 1967 board of management meetings of Tamasee DAR School with Mrs. Fred Aebly, national chairman of DAR School Committee, and met with the architect, Mr. John M. Lambert, Jr., to discuss plans and schedules for the Adèle Erb Sullivan Administration Building.

On Friday, April 14, it was an honor to be the recipient of an award from the American Coalition of Patriotic Societies, Inc., for "patriotic service to our Nation." And on Sunday, April 16, prior to the Memorial Service, it was a pleasure to receive the two charter member pins which belonged to Mrs. Annette Peabody Trowbridge Kinney (Mrs. Cabell Carrington Kinney), last known active charter member, who joined the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, in 1891, National Number 232. From 1945 until she passed away in 1966, Mrs. Kinney was a member of the Army and Navy Chapter, DAR. The pins were given to the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, by Mrs. Kinney's daughter, Mrs. Philip E. Bradley.

The president general pays tribute to the national officers, members of the national board of management, national chairmen, Continental Congress chairmen, chapter chairmen and workers, and all members in the field. To the staff, many of whom are members, appreciation is expressed for the constant and faithful loyalty and interest shown. Due to the difficulty in retaining a normal retinue of workers, many extra burdens have fallen on staff members. Each respective office has given extra time on these occasions in order that schedules would not fall behind.

May the theme of the year, "Progress Is the Activity of Today and the Assurance of Tomorrow," serve to inspire us to continue our efforts together.

ADÈLE ERB SULLIVAN

(Mrs. William Henry Sullivan, Jr.),
President General

FIRST VICE PRESIDENT GENERAL

Following the adjournment of the last DAR Continental Congress the first vice president general attended the C.A.R. national meeting and, representing the president general, presented the DAR traveling banner to the winning C.A.R. society.

It was a pleasure on June 6 to represent the president general in again presenting the Samuel Pierpont Langley Award to the outstanding cadet in aerodynamics at the Air Force Academy.

This officer was the guest speaker at the Pennsylvania State DAR Conference in Pittsburgh; was present at the gala opening of our newly refurbished Constitution Hall; joined other members of the board of management on October 13 for a buffet supper with the members of the Motion Picture Association of America; attended Executive Committee and board of management meetings; and took part in the 2,000-mile school tour. During the next few weeks she gave

talks in chapter meetings throughout Kansas. She attended the State S.A.R. meeting in Little Rock, Arkansas, on February 22, and then attended the Arkansas DAR State Conference, where she was guest speaker. In March she had the privilege of speaking to the students at Sterling College in Kansas about the work and accomplishments of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

ROBERTA KILBOURN

(Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn),

First Vice President General

CHAPLAIN GENERAL

All of the routine duties of the chaplain general and her responsibilities in connection with the 75th DAR Continental Congress were fulfilled, and all meetings of the national board of management and all formal meetings of the Executive Committee were attended. Devotionals were given whenever requested, and the requests were numerous.

The Ritual, designed for use by all DAR chapter and State chaplains, has been revised and enlarged. Copies are on sale in the corresponding secretary general's office.

To date, accounts of 40 early churches have been published in DAR Magazine. Appreciation is expressed to the DAR State chaplains who did the research for this work and compiled the accounts. It is the hope of the chaplain general to place all extra accounts of the history of churches in the program office, where they will be available for chapter and individual use.

Since March 1, 1966, the chaplain general has attended the DAR State conferences of North Carolina, West Virginia, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Colorado, where she was guest speaker; the 1966 Diamond Jubilee School Tour; a Flag Day program in Clarksville, Tennessee; and DAR Day at the Cathedral of the Pines, Rindge, New Hampshire. She then made a tour of the New England States. Two highlights of the visit to the Western States were visits to San Miguel Church in Santa Fe and to Bacone College in Muskogee, Oklahoma.

In response to a questionnaire concerning the work of the chaplains, all except four chaplains replied, and all except two of those who replied had contacted every chapter chaplain in her State in regard to the activities of her office. Such activities included participation at State DAR meetings, installation of officers, board meetings, memorials, and grave markings; visiting the sick; preparing and presenting devotionals; assisting with C.A.R. meetings; and working to promote good will among the members.

The most interesting replies in the questionnaires came in answer to the question, "In what way do you find your office as State Chaplain a rewarding one?"

The following quotations are illustrative of the reactions of the chaplains:

"I know I have grown spiritually. One does not touch the sorrows of others without a deepening spiritual reaction and a growing compassion."

"This year I have put scripture readings on 'Doers of the Word and Faith' in our State Newsletter to help the chapter chaplains with their devotionals."

"The feeling of Christian Service in His work has been the rewarding part of my work. I feel I have touched many lives in kindly ways, and that has made my work worth-while. I have endeavored to give meaning to this spiritual phase of the work of our Society with faith, loving kindness, and true devotion . . ."

"The office of State Chaplain has proved very helpful in my personal life. It has also given me a deeper insight into the true purpose and usefulness of our National Society."

All the chaplains have done conscientious, devoted work.

Included in one of the devotionals submitted was this inspirational poem:

What must it be to step on shore and find it—Heaven;
 To take hold of a hand and find it—God's Hand;
 To breathe a new air and find it—Celestial air;
 To feel invigorated and find it—Immortality;
 To rise from the care and turmoil of earth into an unbroken calm;
 To wake up and find it—Glory?

May each of us continue to grow as a "Doer of the Word."

RUTH C. OSBORNE
 (Mrs. Fred Osborne)
 Chaplain General

RECORDING SECRETARY GENERAL

After the close of the 75th DAR Continental Congress resolutions and letters are directed by that Congress were sent to the President of the United States, members of the Cabinet, heads of the Defense, Army, and Navy establishments, chairmen of committees of the United States Congress, and others.

The resolutions adopted by the 75th DAR Continental Congress were prepared and printed in pamphlet form for distribution. The publication of the proceedings was completed in August. Minutes of the regular and special board meetings were prepared for publication in DAR Magazine and proofread. Minutes and verbatim transcripts were indexed and recorded.

Motions and resolutions of the national board of management and of Continental Congress were typed, copies delivered or mailed to each national officer, copied for the statute book, and indexed.

The minutes of Executive Committee meetings were written and copies sent to all members of the committee; were copied for binding in book form, and indexed. Motions affecting the work of each office and committee were typed separately and delivered.

During the past year 8,296 membership certificates were prepared and mailed to new members, and 45 commissions were sent to national officers, state regents, and state vice regents.

Notices of meetings of the national board of management and Executive Committee were mailed to the members.

After the June board meeting this officer visited St. Mary's School for Indian Girls and attended the Niobrara Convocation; she then

visited in California and Arizona. In September she spoke at the West Virginia DAR State Conference in Clarksburg and at the Indiana DAR State Conference, Indianapolis. In October she was an honored guest at the Pennsylvania State Conference.

After the October board meeting she accompanied the president general, the national chairman of the DAR School Committee, and other officers and chairmen on the DAR Diamond Jubilee School Tour and attended the cornerstone laying of the Adèle Erb Sullivan Administration Building at Tamasee. She spoke at many chapter meetings, and where she showed slides of her trips to St. Mary's and of the School Tour.

She extends her appreciation and sincere thanks to the members of her staff, Miss Adaline Thornton, chief clerk, and Mrs. Helen Ball, and Mrs. Swanson. Through their efficient and gracious cooperation and their careful attention to detail the work has run smoothly and effectively.

CHARLOTTE W. SAYRE,
Recording Secretary General.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY GENERAL

On December 15, all orders for DAR publications and supplies (with the exception of those for DAR Magazine and the National Defense Committee) were transferred to the office of the corresponding secretary general. During December, January, and February 2,009 orders were processed and filled. An order blank was included with all orders for the reordering of material used regularly by members. The reorder blank has facilitated the work in this department.

Between March 1, 1966, and March 1, 1967, mailings were made as follows:

Material:	Number of mailings
Resolutions	3,685
July packets	3,037
Amendment to bylaws.....	3,048
Proceedings	697
Directory of committees.....	3,335
December packets (credentials and honor roll).....	2,993
December mailing (American History Month spot announcements).....	3,073
Special mailings	3,127
Proposed amendments	3,024
Public relations and honor roll questionnaires.....	2,948

Official mail sent from this office totaled 28,967 pieces, exclusive of free materials and the hundreds of letters that were written.

Copies of the resolutions adopted at DAR Continental Congress were sent to Senators, Congressmen, and governors.

Last year, the packet of letters of instructions from the national officers and national chairmen were mailed in July instead of in August, as in previous years. We hope this change has proved helpful to the state societies and chapters. The mailing of these packets is under the supervision of this office. Extra July packets were made up to sell for \$1.00, and orders for 102 such packets were filled.

Letters requesting information relative to membership in the DAR were received daily. In reply to each of these a packet was sent that included a copy of "How To Become a Member," requirements for and preparation of application papers, a work sheet, "DAR in Action," "Madonna of the Trail" sheet, fact sheet, schools booklet, and an order form for *In Washington—The DAR Story*. A letter was written to each prospective member, and then a letter was sent to the respective state regent requesting that a local representative contact the prospective member.

As of February 1, a total of 1,722 letters had been answered; 447 of the letters were relative to membership and 62 requested information about scholarships. A total of 1,658 orders were filled for additional applications, school forms, and rules for the NSDAR American History Scholarship.

The work of the Honor Roll Committee also is done in this office. This work includes the ordering of certificates and ribbons, typing of the certificates and the honor roll books, sending of reports following Continental Congress, and compiling the final report for publication in the DAR Magazine.

The reservations for the 1966 DAR Diamond Jubilee School Tour were handled by Mrs. Eldred M. Yochim, chief clerk in the office of the corresponding secretary general.

Free material for distribution at state DAR meetings and conferences was sent to many state societies. State regents requested material on consignment for their state conferences and this office complied with their requests.

It was the sad duty of this office to report the deaths of three beloved honorary vice presidents general: Miss Helen McMackin on April 27, 1966; Mrs. Warder Lee Braerton on November 16, 1966; and Mrs. Raymond C. Goodfellow on February 27, 1967.

Two assistants were added to the office staff: Miss Carolynann Hillman and Mrs. Joan Nigro.

Sincere thanks and deep appreciation are expressed to Mrs. Yochim, for her untiring help and valuable service, to the assistants, and to other members of the staff at National Headquarters who have assisted with work in my office.

MAE M. STEWART
(Mrs. Jackson E. Stewart),
Corresponding Secretary General

ORGANIZING SECRETARY GENERAL

This report covers the period beginning with the April meeting of the national board of management following the 1966 DAR Continental Congress and ends with the meeting of April 15, 1967.

Happily, we can report the confirmation of 33 new chapters. The disbandment of 21 chapters gives a net gain of 12. During the period covered by this report 36 organizing regents were confirmed. At present there are 2,884 chapters.

The 33 new chapters are located as follows: Alabama 1, Arkansas 1, California 4, Florida 1, Indiana 1, Kansas 1, Maryland 5, Mississippi 1,

Missouri 1, Nevada 1, New Mexico 2, North Carolina 2, Oklahoma 1, Pennsylvania 2, Tennessee 4, Texas 3, Virginia 1, and West Virginia 1. Commendation is due the state regents, organizing secretaries or chairmen, and the organizing regents of these states for their work in the formation of the new chapters.

During the year your organizing secretary general attended all meetings of the Executive Committee and of the national board of management. She made two visits to St. Mary's School for Indian Girls and participated in the DAR School Tour. She was a speaker at the Arkansas, New York, Wisconsin, Ohio, and Nebraska DAR State Conferences and at the fall meeting of the New Jersey State Society.

Following is the statistical report for the year: organizing regents confirmed, 36; organizing regencies expired, 9; organizing regents reappointed, 8; resignation of organizing regents, 1; chapter authorizations expired, 1; chapter extension of time, 6; chapter locations changed, 6; chapter names changed, 2; chapters disbanded, 21; chapters confirmed, 33; chapters in process of organization, 25; confirmation of state regents, 20; confirmation of state vice regents, 20; charters issued, 5; chapter elections reported, 2,850; membership cards filed, 31,037; chapter regents lists sold, 11; permits issued for national and state bars and 25- and 50-year membership pins, 1,500; 50-year membership certificates issued, 185.

Commendation is due Mrs. Evelyn Brown, chief clerk, and her assistants, Mrs. Betty Hershman and Miss Kitty Orme. They gave devoted service to our Society during the year.

AMANDA A. THOMAS,

Organizing Secretary General

TREASURER GENERAL

The second financial report of this administration shows that the finances of the National Society are in a sound position. Balances in the current fund and for the special funds exceed those of a year ago. The debt incurred as the result of the Constitution Hall project has been held well below the \$400,000 authorized last year.

In order to exercise the closest possible supervision of the Society's finances during the past year the treasurer general spent almost 10 months in Washington. A daily check on bank balances was instituted; and this, together with your contributions, enabled us to postpone borrowing during most of the period of peak interest rates. We did not pay any interest during the fiscal year ending February 28, 1967. During the same period, earned interest reached the highest figure in the history of the Society—\$44,314. With interest rates dropping, we cannot hope to duplicate this figure next year. Your contributions helped make this possible, since they were used to defray actual expenses of the Constitution Hall project. These contributions totaled \$58,762 as of February 28, 1967.

Borrowings for the Constitution Hall project have been held to \$315,000. The interest rate has been reduced twice since the loan was first negotiated, and it is now 5½ percent. Our first interest payment of \$4,711 was made on March 31, 1967. At the same time, we were able to reduce the loan by \$20,000, so that it now stands at \$295,000.

At the close of the fiscal year, total disbursements for the Constitution Hall project came to \$357,402, and there was a balance of \$45,102 in the fund. However, not all of this money was available for debt reduction, since there are still bills to be presented. Of the balance in the fund, the sum of \$38,638 represents a transfer from Constitution Hall events. This sum should be larger next year, since we will then have had the benefit of a full year of increased rentals on the Hall. However, interest payments will tend to reduce the surplus available for debt reduction from this source. Meanwhile, through our own efforts we can accelerate debt reduction and thus decrease the interest payments.

SARA R. JONES
(Mrs. Henry Stewart Jones),
Treasurer General

Account Name	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
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147,000.00	147,300.00	147,600.00	147,900.00	148,200.00	148,500.00	148,800.00	149,100.00	149,400.00	149,700.00	150,000.00	150,300.00	150,600.00	150,900.00	151,200.00	151,500.00	151,800.00	152,100.00	152,400.00	152,700.00	153,000.00	153,300.00	153,600.00	153,900.00	154,200.00	154,500.00	154,800.00	155,100.00	155,400.00	155,700.00	156,000.00	156,300.00	156,600.00	156,900.00	157,200.00	157,500.00	157,800.00	158,100.00	158,400.00	158,700.00	159,000.00	159,300.00	159,600.00	159,900.00	160,200.00	160,500.00	160,800.00	161,100.00	161,400.00	161,700.00	162,000.00	162,300.00	162,600.00	162,900.00	163,200.00	163,500.00	163,800.00	164,100.00	164,400.00	164,700.00	165,000.00	165,300.00	165,600.00	165,900.00	166,200.00	166,500.00	166,800.00	167,100.00	167,400.00	167,700.00	168,000.00	168,300.00	168,600.00	168,900.00	169,200.00	169,500.00	169,800.00	170,100.00	170,400.00	170,700.00	171,000.00	171,300.00	171,600.00	171,900.00	172,200.00	172,500.00	172,800.00	173,100.00	173,400.00	173,700.00	174,000.00	174,300.00	174,600.00	174,900.00	175,200.00	175,500.00	175,800.00	176,100.00	176,400.00	176,700.00	177,000.00	177,300.00	177,600.00	177,900.00	178,200.00	178,500.00	178,800.00	179,100.00	179,400.00	179,700.00	180,000.00	180,300.00	180,600.00	180,900.00	181,200.00	181,500.00	181,800.00	182,100.00	182,400.00	182,700.00	183,000.00	183,300.00	183,600.00	183,900.00	184,200.00	184,500.00	184,800.00	185,100.00	185,400.00	185,700.00	186,000.00	186,300.00	186,600.00	186,900.00	187,200.00	187,500.00	187,800.00	188,100.00	188,400.00	188,700.00	189,000.00	189,300.00	189,600.00	189,900.00	190,200.00	190,500.00	190,800.00	191,100.00	191,400.00	191,700.00	192,000.00	192,300.00	192,600.00	192,900.00	193,200.00	193,500.00	193,800.00	194,100.00	194,400.00	194,700.00	195,000.00	195,300.00	195,600.00	195,900.00	196,200.00	196,500.00	196,800.00	197,100.00	197,400.00	197,700.00	198,000.00	198,300.00	198,600.00	198,900.00	199,200.00	199,500.00	199,800.00	200,100.00	200,400.00	200,700.00	201,000.00	201,300.00	201,600.00	201,900.00	202,200.00	202,500.00	202,800.00	203,100.00	203,400.00	203,700.00	204,000.00	204,300.00	204,600.00	204,900.00	205,200.00	205,500.00	205,800.00	206,100.00	206,400.00	206,700.00	207,000.00	207,300.00	207,600.00	207,900.00	208,200.00	208,500.00	208,800.00	209,100.00	209,400.00	209,700.00	210,000.00	210,300.00	210,600.00	210,900.00	211,200.00	211,500.00	211,800.00	212,100.00	212,400.00	212,700.00	213,000.00	213,300.00	213,600.00	213,900.00	214,200.00	214,500.00	214,800.00	215,100.00	215,400.00	215,700.00	216,000.00	216,300.00	216,600.00	216,900.00	217,200.00	217,500.00	217,800.00	218,100.00	218,400.00	218,700.00	219,000.00	219,300.00	219,600

Summary statement of current and special funds, year ended Feb. 28, 1967

Funds	Balance, Feb. 28, 1966			Cash receipts	Cash disbursements	Appropriations	Balance, Feb. 28, 1967		
	Total	Investments	Cash				Total	Investments (schedule 7)	Cash
Current fund (schedule 1)	\$1,050,103.67	\$963,610.75	\$86,494.92	\$932,943.59	\$776,036.36	(\$94,000.00)	*\$1,113,010.90	\$938,157.33	\$174,853.57
Special funds (schedule 6):									
Appropriations funds:									
Committee maintenance	609.21		609.21	2,570.00	10,082.93	7,000.00	96.28		96.28
Good Citizens	8,128.91		8,128.92	6,993.25	11,414.14	2,000.00	5,708.03		5,708.03
Junior American Citizens	103.13		103.13	4,629.15	7,011.64	3,000.00	720.64		720.64
Americanism and DAR Manual	7,210.50		7,210.50	1,147.05	14,831.07	11,000.00	4,526.48		4,526.48
DAR School				170,655.79	180,655.79	10,000.00			
Lineage research	856.95		856.95	2,701.91	11,777.20	11,000.00	2,781.66		2,781.66
National defense	19,283.77	5,000.00	14,283.77	27,607.91	57,014.00	25,000.00	14,877.68	5,000.00	9,877.68
Public relations	6,450.97		6,450.97	541.64	27,541.71	25,000.00	4,450.90		4,450.90
Adele Erb Sullivan Building	18,370.45		18,370.45	53,471.69	38,543.96		33,298.18		33,298.18
American Indians	2,863.17		2,863.17	48,539.52	50,008.56		1,394.13		1,394.13
Charles Simpson Atwell	8,975.80	8,975.60	.20	1,384.10	1,384.30		8,975.60	8,975.60	
Constitution Hall refurbishing and air conditioning				412,505.45	367,402.61		45,102.84		45,102.84
Diamond jubilee	1,607.04		1,607.04	1,419.88	3,026.92				
Genealogical records	2,973.13		2,973.13	1,123.66	463.00		3,633.79		3,633.79
Harriet E. Bowen book	284.72		284.72		284.72				
Landscaping	1,860.35		1,860.35	682.97	1,959.72		583.60		583.60
Life membership	1,750.61		1,750.61	250.00			2,000.61		2,000.61
Lillian K. P. Farrar	2,000.00		2,000.00				2,000.00		2,000.00
National Officers Club Sarah Corbin Robert endowment				3,975.35			3,975.35	3,975.35	
DAR magazine	67,721.71		67,721.71	233,515.39	205,153.22		96,083.88		96,083.88
Museum	9,835.83		9,835.83	18,149.26	20,799.30		7,185.79		7,185.79
NSDAR American history scholarship	6.75		6.75	5,951.39			5,958.14		5,958.14
Occupational therapy	867.08		867.08	1,070.83	800.00		1,137.91		1,137.91

Reserve for maintenance of properties.....	41,647.19		41,647.19	30,999.47	18,650.42		53,996.24		53,996.24
Save the redwoods.....	552.30		552.30	2,872.74	3,425.04				
State rooms.....	8,678.87		8,678.87	6,310.32	5,943.26		9,045.93		9,045.93
Combined investment funds:									
Ada W. Frazer.....	7,618.27	7,618.27		475.91	370.05		7,724.13	7,724.13	
Agnes Carpenter Mountain schools.....	26,680.32	26,680.32		1,674.88	1,302.26		27,052.94	27,052.94	
Anne Rogers Minor Indian scholarship.....	3,684.65	3,502.06	182.59	219.68			3,904.33	3,550.95	353.38
Anonymous.....	5,275.93	5,275.93		329.51	256.19		5,349.25	5,349.25	
Caroline E. Holt educational.....	27,690.54	26,903.55	786.99	1,693.16	1,400.00		27,983.70	27,280.21	703.49
Dixon Medical.....	491.46	491.46		27.45	21.35		497.56	497.56	
Doris Pike White endowment.....	677.45	677.45		36.62	28.47		685.60	685.60	
Edna Davis Starkey Crist endowment.....	13,138.45	13,138.45		905.01	594.20		13,449.26	13,449.26	
Eichelberger Americanization.....	2,316.90	2,316.90		151.00	117.42		2,350.48	2,350.48	
Elнора Corpe.....	1,000.37	1,000.37		64.05	49.81		1,014.61	1,014.61	
Eunice R. Porter scholarship.....	953.25	953.25		59.43	46.25		966.43	966.43	
Fannie C. K. Marshall Library.....	20,553.55	16,101.33	4,452.22	1,006.71			21,560.26	16,325.26	5,235.00
Gertrude Cilpin Oliver Richards memorial.....	1,627.71	1,627.71		103.68	78.28		1,653.11	1,653.11	
Gladys R. Blood.....	30,677.28	30,677.28		1,780.22	1,384.10		31,073.40	31,073.40	
Golden jubilee endowment.....	75,611.32	66,434.63	9,176.69	4,131.24			79,742.56	67,337.61	12,404.95
Grace C. Marshall memorial.....	11,279.67	11,279.67		744.26	551.50		11,472.43	11,472.43	
Grace H. Morris.....	4,898.74	4,898.74		311.18	241.95		4,967.97	4,967.97	
Gridley Adams.....	1,234.29	998.73	235.56	64.05			1,298.34	1,012.97	285.37
Helen Pouch memorial scholarship.....	14,469.24	475.05	13,994.19	15,381.09	14,515.00		15,335.33	481.15	14,854.18
Hillside School endowment.....	2,665.63	2,665.63		169.73	131.65		2,703.71	2,703.71	
Hugh Vernon Washington Library.....	31,008.26	27,635.26	3,373.00	1,734.29	1,208.34		31,534.21	28,021.02	3,513.19
Investment trust.....	463,579.69	425,084.01	38,495.68	35,773.19	5,870.00		493,482.88	437,812.72	55,670.16
Isabel Anderson Library.....	76,947.81	73,725.78	3,222.03	5,263.64	1,290.00		80,921.45	74,614.60	6,306.85
Julia C. Fish endowment.....	27,172.68	22,853.67	4,319.01	1,441.54			28,614.22	23,174.40	5,439.82
Margaret C. McGuire.....	2,100.31	2,031.35	68.96	100.67			2,200.98	2,053.75	147.23
Mary E. Brown Ferrell memorial.....	2,886.77	2,886.77		173.82	135.21		2,925.38	2,925.38	
May Duryee scholarship.....	15,327.88	15,327.88		782.52	608.43		15,501.97	15,501.97	
Ruby W. Freeman Library.....	5,000.00	5,000.00		256.27			5,256.27	5,057.01	199.26
Total special funds.....	1,089,206.87	812,237.10	276,969.77	1,113,923.52	1,068,373.97	94,000.00	1,228,756.42	834,060.83	394,695.59
Total current and special funds.....	2,139,310.54	1,775,847.85	363,462.69	2,046,867.11	1,844,410.33		2,341,767.32	1,772,218.16	569,549.16

*The current fund balance on Feb. 28, 1967, included \$550,549 received for 1967 dues which were not available for use in operations until Mar. 1, 1967. In addition, approximately \$32,766 in dues and fees had been received from applicants and will not be available for operations until the applicants are admitted to membership.

Contributions

State DAR	DAR School	American Indians	DAR Museum	Pouch scholarship	Adèle Erb Sullivan Building	Investment trust fund	Constitution Hall air conditioning and re-furbishing
Alabama	\$4,816.20	\$106.75	\$274.00	\$14.00	\$282.45	\$100.00	\$497.00
Alaska	20.00	5.00	17.00		15.00	8.00	32.00
Arizona	266.00	63.00	82.50	74.60	42.00	34.00	97.00
Arkansas	533.60	146.00	97.00	8.00	345.50		113.25
California	5,985.45	2,762.50	290.00	328.00	1,844.40	401.85	4,624.21
Canal Zone	50.00	50.00					
Colorado	1,101.94	568.55	46.00	154.00	139.00	59.50	335.00
Connecticut	9,649.55	1,696.12	145.00	174.30	168.50	865.50	1,300.00
Delaware	675.00	132.19	5,014.00	34.00	40.00	60.00	207.00
District of Columbia	7,481.26	769.50	433.50	86.50	607.50	235.50	1,722.00
Florida	5,042.70	1,594.81	274.00	1,040.20	1,865.75	223.50	866.00
Foreign	60.00	5.00			10.00	5.00	
Georgia	7,876.05	822.25	330.00	274.62	966.70	204.50	1,250.00
Hawaii	30.00	15.00		10.00	25.00	10.00	25.00
Idaho	133.00	278.00	8.00	10.00	2.00	1.00	100.00
Illinois	8,251.81	5,446.65	341.00	1,755.59	1,340.30	390.00	2,381.50
Indiana	4,483.99	957.07	143.07	109.66	866.47	167.00	925.00
Iowa	1,731.73	388.31	53.50	914.67	476.57	70.50	277.00
Kansas	2,190.81	435.66	346.50	283.10	907.08	103.00	942.50
Kentucky	2,414.40	415.70	94.50	120.00	1,154.75	137.50	724.50
Louisiana	350.75	244.00	131.00	523.75	408.75	118.50	383.75
Maine	204.90	23.70	47.00	8.00	37.00	59.00	440.80
Maryland	1,723.49	1,160.16	292.00	647.19	2,053.50	148.00	813.00
Massachusetts	4,284.31	1,934.07	284.00	129.51	437.44	176.00	1,006.50
Michigan	11,371.49	1,379.00	208.00	40.00	1,468.00	412.50	4,379.00
Minnesota	651.65	419.00	458.85		44.50	43.00	2,344.30
Mississippi	1,333.31	388.60	132.50	40.00	508.60	133.50	406.00
Missouri	2,874.25	1,082.70	289.50	68.00	412.00	202.50	1,325.81
Montana	81.00	32.50	7.00		4.00	10.00	3.00
Nebraska	778.76	277.99	56.50	352.95	123.00	77.00	1,062.30
Nevada	165.00	44.00	28.50		41.50	12.50	78.00
New Hampshire	662.61	140.05	363.00	6.00	381.15	63.50	563.00
New Jersey	5,868.31	3,651.15	216.50	421.64	1,003.48	208.00	1,991.00
New Mexico	218.00	623.50	65.00	399.20	120.00	32.50	345.50
New York	20,510.08	3,080.76	604.00	999.75	2,926.60	554.75	6,339.00
North Carolina	7,619.25	297.50	270.00	210.25	173.50	166.00	902.00
North Dakota	57.00	46.40	5.00	12.00	35.50	10.00	47.00
Ohio	7,445.11	6,387.72	443.50	851.47	9,188.80	316.75	3,814.49
Oklahoma	429.36	732.60	34.50	153.82	85.50	87.00	108.50
Oregon	408.00	368.05	116.50	124.00	278.50	51.00	1,208.50
Pennsylvania	13,684.82	4,425.03	1,118.50	611.50	1,000.00	348.00	2,267.30
Rhode Island	1,233.50	520.38	30.00	114.70	184.20	34.00	224.00
South Carolina	13,712.94	178.50	159.00	191.00	1,365.00	77.00	201.45
South Dakota	111.50	201.00	5.00	23.80	42.00	10.00	14.00
Tennessee	2,882.88	600.05	88.50	747.00	236.00	110.50	785.00
Texas	4,033.70	1,073.50	418.95	1,001.15	1,071.25	278.57	2,684.67
Utah	75.00	10.00	15.00	25.00	50.00		15.00
Vermont	152.00	98.16	33.00	2.50	63.50	32.00	230.00
Virginia	1,979.15	1,109.01	616.50	949.78	532.50	275.50	2,870.00
Washington	1,394.23	204.87	61.50	260.69	155.00	56.50	339.50
West Virginia	555.20	245.50	36.00	15.75	812.95	110.00	1,774.50
Wisconsin	775.75	322.00	15.00	32.00	104.00	71.00	2,589.00
Wyoming	235.00	80.00	48.00		25.00	35.00	117.00
Miscellaneous		500.00	3,461.89	1,000.00	17,000.00		671.09
Total	170,655.79	48,539.52	18,149.26	15,353.64	53,471.69	7,484.10	58,762.92

REGISTRAR GENERAL

The figures below attest to the fact that our staff has again, through hard work and by our attempts at time and labor economy, made an impressive record for the second year of this administration.

Some of our innovations are paying dividends, and, as members learn to cooperate, they will further save time, work, and often misunderstanding.

The short-form application blanks save time of members and staff. The liaison with officials at the National Archives regarding photo-

copies of pension records saves the staff tedious abstract work. Our efforts to divert personal interviews from the staff to the registrar general have to some extent relieved a tense situation in which members of the staff, especially at the time of national board meetings, have been disturbed in their labors. During the time it takes for a genealogist to get the dossier of a paper and all its attendant exhibits of proof and its correspondence, and then to go over it all with a disgruntled member, she could be verifying the papers of several potential members whose names will now be absent from the list ready for the national board.

Members are asked to remember that the task of verifying papers would be easy if we failed to insist on adequate proof. The lineage paper means nothing unless we labor together to make it accurate.

Another means by which we hope to avoid undue correspondence is in the use of the new *DAR Patriot Index*. When members have information at their fingertips, they can avoid writing to our department or taking up the time of our record clerk in asking if anyone has joined the Society through the service of a given patriot.

Much time of our record room personnel is consumed by members who desire to see one or more application papers for pertinent information. For \$2, a copy of such a paper (unless it is "closed") can be made by photostat, and the member can study the paper at leisure. Nonmembers of the DAR and the C.A.R. formerly have requested and often insisted on having the record clerk look up data for them. They now may buy a copy of the index but they must not expect the services of our staff.

Probably the biggest time-saving project is that of microfilming our application papers. We hope to finish that tremendous task during this administration, but the advantages of the system—in which small aperture cards that carry a whole set of papers are inserted in a reader that magnifies 16 times—will be felt by those who come after us.

The equipment necessary for this microfilming will, when the application papers are done, be available to all departments of the Society. It not only will save records and space (now at a premium in all offices) but it will save the Society the cost of microfilming certain other important records which are sent out for processing.

The money for the project is being received by the treasurer general under the title of the Registrar General's Microfilm Fund, but it is really an all-department matter and deserves much more support from members and chapters than it has received thus far. Next year it will be a "fund choice" on the honor roll, and perhaps chapters will send money for the pieces of equipment as memorials or honorariums (if so marked) or for the fund used to cover supplies and service.

Your registrar general has given considerable thought to the matter of permission to copy the application papers of members, since thousands of our members have been able to join the Society through the data compiled by relatives. All past motions relating to this subject have been examined, and the obsolete and obstructing motions detected. Such motions have now been rescinded by either the Executive Committee or the national board, according to their origin. During the last administration a directive to all members stipulated that unless a re-

sevent's administration. Of both historic and modern times, the "The Great Riding," a narrative poem of the passage of Herbrand to

quest to "close" a paper was received prior to a certain deadline, all other papers, unless already closed, would be open to examination.

At the national board meeting of February 1, 1967, the following motion was made and carried:

That in order to avoid excessive correspondence duplication and delay in obtaining written permission to copy data on application papers from members who have already given that permission in their papers or have failed to deny it, and because the application papers of the Society bear the statement that all records submitted to the Society become its property . . . that:

1. The Registrar General's Department be authorized to furnish photostatic copies of application papers to members and prospective members of the Society and to the genealogists of the C.A.R., provided no written request to "close" such papers of a still active member is on file in the Registrar General's office;

2. That the Registrar General extend this privilege only to those members who established the line or those who desire to close their own papers to examination of personal data; and

3. That since the chapters hold and are responsible for the duplicate copies of the application papers, their policy regarding examination and copy of data be the same as that of the National Society.

Actually, less than 1 percent of our members have "closed" their lines. We hope this directive not only will please our members and facilitate their work but that it will eliminate much needless correspondence.

Our biggest problem remains one of personnel. Every effort has been made to enlarge our genealogical staff, which is still inadequate to the three-fold task of processing new application papers, examining supplementals, and making corrections in existing lines. With the aid of every qualified person who could be persuaded to help us, we have kept fairly well abreast of new papers except for that annual crush in December and January when every chapter rushes its papers to us in order to affect its honor roll rating. We simply cannot cope with this avalanche, and chapters are urged to get their papers in before this hectic period. We are delighted to receive all applications, but they should come to us early enough so that we can deal with them properly.

It can readily be seen that the genealogical staff cannot work on supplemental papers until it is enlarged, nor can it effect such corrections as require considerable time for review. Last year our corps of expert DAR genealogical volunteers stayed in Washington an extra week at its own expense. These generous women helped to process over 200 back old-line supplementals, and each of them wanted to give her services again this year. Their work, done under the supervision of Miss Morris and with the cooperation of the librarian general and her staff, will continue for a week following this Continental Congress.

That staff, under the efficient and dedicated service of Mrs. Kelly and Miss Morris, chief clerks, has provided for us the following report for the second year of this administration, such report running from April 16, 1966, to April 15, 1967: Applications received, 8,278; applications verified, 8,206; supplementals verified, 253; total papers verified, 8,459; applications returned unverified, 188; supplementals returned unverified, 63; new records verified, 508; permits issued for insignia, 2,402; letters written, 10,620; postals written, 7,801; applications photocopied, 4,980 (making a total of 19,920); pages of data photocopied, 1,710; total pages photocopied, 21,630; volume micro-filmed, 370 (making a total of 74,000 application papers). The last National Number is 524,943.

My sincere thanks to my staff, to the Library staff, and to all those who work with us, and especially to those members who have been understanding and patient and who have given us that encouragement so necessary to our efforts for the Society.

EVELYN C. PETERS
(Mrs. Albert Grover Peters),
Registrar General

HISTORIAN GENERAL

The DAR State and chapter historians have steadily increased their work and interest in securing documents for the Americana Collection, marking historic spots, and placing markers for Revolutionary soldiers and markers for deceased members.

It has been gratifying that the State and chapter historians have learned that facts must be certified and marker inscriptions received by the historian general before a marker may be placed by the DAR. In placing a marker on a historic site it is necessary to send certified proof of statements concerning the site and a sketch of the marker with exact wording of inscription before ordering a marker from one of the authorized firms.

A card catalog of historic markers which includes lay member markers (markers which have been placed by the DAR) is kept in this office. Accurate information on these markers with inscriptions should be sent to this office immediately after placement. During the summer we wrote letters to chapters that failed to report placement of markers. We had had permits outstanding for some time, and felt that this was an excellent time to find out if the graves had been marked. To date 347 reports have been received.

Permission was given to mark 540 graves (deceased members, 514; Revolutionary soldiers, 18; daughters of Revolutionary soldiers, six; wives of Revolutionary soldiers, one; famous persons, one) and 20 historic sites.

Placements of 971 markers were reported—937 on graves (deceased members, 902; Revolutionary soldiers, 33; daughters of Revolutionary soldiers, one; wives of Revolutionary soldiers, two), 28 on historic sites, and five on miscellaneous sites.

Accessions.—Fifty-two documents were received for the Americana Collection. A rare document signed by the first governor of Georgia, John A. Treutlen, and dated 10 December 1777 is on indefinite loan from the University of Georgia as long as there is a DAR building. This was made possible through the efforts of the Georgia State regent, Mrs. Herman M. Richardson. A set of seven beautifully drawn and detailed maps of the continents and oceans, prepared as a school exercise by two ancestors of Mrs. Glenn W. Oliver, were presented in the name of Cheyenne Chapter, Wyoming. The Archives Room library has been enriched by the addition of two publications given by Rear Admiral E. M. Eller, director of the Division of Naval History. One of these is volume 2 of *Naval Documents of the American Revolution*, published in 1966 (we already have volume 1); the other is the "John Paul Jones Commemoration," a reprint of the speeches made at the reinterment of John Paul Jones at Annapolis during Theodore Roosevelt's administration. Of both historical and artistic significance is "The Great Riding," a narrative poem of the passage of Hernando de

Soto through the delta region of what is now Arkansas. It was presented by Miss Lily Peter, honorary State regent of Arkansas.

The first actual cataloging of the Americana documents was the preparation of a list of names of all persons mentioned in the documents. This listing, which is virtually complete, includes about 7,000 names.

Mrs. Robert P. Sweeny reports filling requests for 5,876 history medals. The historian general's office received requests for 8,952 history certificates of award, 9,295 certificates of appreciation, 1,059 posters, and 33,060 stickers.

In the questionnaires and reports of DAR State historians is visible proof of how our State and chapter historians are promoting the National Society's historical objective. Your historian general thanks you for your excellent cooperation.

Gleanings from questionnaires returned by the State DAR historians.—Historical anniversaries celebrated: famous men, 1,484; famous women, 404; famous events, 2,046. Historical programs given: adult 3,276; children, 968. Historical broadcasts: radio, 15,420; TV, 1,089. Historical tours: adults, 12,345; children, 10,946. Markers placed: Revolutionary soldiers' graves, 130; graves of wives and daughters, 41; graves of members' Revolutionary ancestors, 37; graves of DAR members, 930. Historic restorations: begun, 123; completed, 33; marked, 20. Historic markers placed, 98.

Following are excerpts from reports of DAR State historians:

California.—Chapters are canvassing their members to verify the exact location of their Revolutionary ancestors' graves. Independence Hall at Knott's Berry Farm was dedicated. Whittier Chapter sent numerous letters throughout the States to locate descendants of Signers of the Declaration of Independence, with 80 persons responding.

Colorado.—Copies of a booklet of historical markers were placed throughout the State by Colorado DAR. Radio stations responded well in presenting historical programs and spot announcements.

Georgia.—The DAR celebrated 133 famous events and commemorated 87 famous men and 16 famous women. Savannah Chapter continued its work toward establishing the Revolutionary Battle Site Park. French officials are now working with DAR and Savannah officials on this project.

Idaho.—Cameawait Chapter reported that 14 historical tours were made by school children. Another chapter studied the State of the Union addresses of the Presidents.

Indiana.—Mary Anthony McGary Chapter, together with area chapters, marked Red Bank Trace, which was first a buffalo trace, then an Indian trail, then a pioneer road.

Louisiana.—Talks were given by chapter historians at elementary, junior high, and high schools (all given at the request of the schools) on the history of the DAR, its work and goals. The DAR cooperated with the Louisiana Tourist Development Commission in the reactivation of the historic marker program.

Mississippi.—A historic marker survey program was instituted and received very good response. The survey generated new interest in the chapters about the markers placed by the individual chapters, was the subject of DAR and C.A.R. programs, and inspired Scout

field trips to learn more about events or places commemorated by the markers.

New Mexico.—The DAR State Society, in conjunction with the Children of the American Revolution Society and the U.S. Forest Service, commemorated the 75th anniversary of the NSDAR by marking the historic Whitewater Canyon and Catwalk in Gila National Forest.

Oregon.—Portland chapters promoted the historical background of their State and made the public aware of the many phases of DAR work through their displays and programs.

Pennsylvania.—Twelve Pennsylvania Daughters continued to work on 25 historic restorations. Quoting the State DAR historian: "The locating and marking of milestones has proven interesting. This is a State Project with the hope of linking Erie and Philadelphia. Milestones have been located in six counties."

Rhode Island.—Gaspee Day, in observance of the sinking of the *Gaspee* in 1772, was proclaimed by Governor Chafee and observed on June 4, 1966. Rhode Island DAR dedicated a plaque and a grove of trees at the "Gaspee Overlook."

Texas.—The programs were concentrated upon the historical work of DAR, with 120 anniversaries honoring famous Americans and 180 of noted events. Emphasis was placed on the locating of Revolutionary ancestors' graves. Quoting from the State DAR historian's report: "The Texas Society has a Historian's Book which contains newsclippings and pictures of chapter historical activities, National Awards won, official Proclamations by the Governor and mayors. It is exhibited at each State Conference, comparable only to the Press Public Relations Scrapbook though not as voluminous. This book serves as visible proof of how Texas Daughters are carrying out the National Society's Historical Objective, and will someday, we hope, be useful as a source of research for the Texas Society."

Virginia.—Jack Jouett Chapter reprinted and distributed hundreds of copies of a leaflet on the history of Captain Jack Jouett, Jr., American Revolutionary War hero, and of his 40 mile ride from Cuckoo Tavern to Monticello. The story was written by Mr. Virginus Dabney. Increased interest was shown in the preservation of historic spots.

Wisconsin.—The debris-covered gravestone of Betsy Hoyt Willis, daughter of a Revolutionary War soldier for whom the Clinton Chapter is named, was found during the restoration begun last year on the Clinton Corner Cemetery. Twelve additional graves of Revolutionary ancestors of DAR members were located.

Mrs. John Fred Schlafly, chairman of American History Month, was instrumental in getting the United States Congress to designate February 1967 as American History Month.

My sincere thanks to the historian's committee of the District of Columbia for its gift of a *Webster's Third International Dictionary*, with stand, for the Archives Room; to the State Societies and chapters for their contribution to the Americana Fund; and to Mrs. Florence Daum who has been of inestimable help to me in carrying out the duties of this office.

ESTHER G. LANGE
(Mrs. Forrest Fay Lange),
Historian General

LIBRARIAN GENERAL

During the year just ended increased interest and enthusiasm were shown for our DAR Library, which were busy with our many readers and the work of the office. Our State DAR librarians were very active.

A letter was sent to each DAR State regent and librarian telling of the special project of collecting funds for the purchase of legible microfilm of the 1850 Federal Census schedules. The National Archives recently completed refilming all of the 1850 schedules. The first filming, many years ago, was poorly done. The reduction in size to allow two pages to an exposure, poor lighting, and improper focus made many of the old microfilm copies difficult, if not impossible, to read. The new filming methods have succeeded in intensifying even faded script, making the new film much clearer and more readable.

The response to my appeal proved quite satisfactory, as reports from the State DAR librarians show that 27 State Societies have sent the required funds for the purchase of the newly filmed records: Alabama, Arkansas, California, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, New Jersey, New Mexico, North Carolina, Ohio, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, and Virginia.

To date the money received for the purchase of the film amounts to \$4,940.40.

States not having an 1850 census were sent a list of requested books, and valuable contributions have come to us through their interest.

During the year the amount contributed for the DAR Library (exclusive of the 1850 census project) was \$2,718.50; the amount spent for State society work was \$3,327.24.

Received 604 books, 310 pamphlets, and 65 manuscripts. Various microfilm and manuscripts also have come to us. All of this material is of value in the work of verifying DAR applications and helping prospective members.

The California state project should be helpful to those interested in securing records of the State's 1852 census. The 13 volumes of the typed material in the library were microfilmed by the State. One copy of the film was presented to the library. The negatives are owned by the California DAR. Interested local libraries and historical societies may purchase a set of the film from the California DAR.

It was my pleasure to speak to three chapters in Mississippi and to the Spirit of '76 Chapter in New Orleans on the work and function of the library and to stress its importance as a basis for the verifying of DAR application papers. I attended the Mississippi, Georgia, and Ohio State Conferences, which presented opportunities to speak of our fine library at DAR headquarters.

My thanks go to our efficient staff—Mrs. Walsh, Miss Allmond, Miss Bullard, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Johnston, Mr. Stinger, and Mr. Newman.

CLARA W. FORREST
(Mrs. Herbert D. Forrest),
Librarian General

CURATOR GENERAL

An important event of the year was the arrival of the Boston Tea Chest at the DAR Museum. On indefinite loan from the Boston Tea Party Chapter, Massachusetts, it is one of 342 chests that were tossed into Boston harbor on December 16, 1773. Only one other is known to be in existence. The chest was bequeathed to the Boston Tea Party Chapter by John Hancock Foster, in 1902. It was made by the East India Company. The exterior of the chest gleams with Chinese lacquer and decorated with flowers and butterflies. Written on an inside wall of the chest are these words: "This chest was on one of the ships in the Boston tea catastrophe, 1773." The second surviving chest, owned by a family in San Antonio, Texas, is valued at \$100,000.

Of special significance was the acquisition of two silver wine or spirit cups. One was made by Denis Colombier of Paris, France, in 1789; the other was made by Paul Revere, Jr., the patriot. These cups, similar in size and design, were originally owned by Elias Haskett Derby, a merchant prince of Salem, Massachusetts. They came to the DAR Museum through the generosity of Miss Katharine Matthies, benefactor, Sarah Ludlow Chapter, Connecticut.

A three-piece silver tea set (consisting of teapot, sugar basin, and cream jug) by John Pearson, of New York City, was a gift from the Misses Clementina R. Russell, Elizabeth Yarrington Russell and Clara Hoyt Russell, through the Colonial Chapter, Minnesota, and DAR adviser and benefactor, Mrs. James A. Vaughan. The Misses Russell also gave five teaspoons by John Pearson and a handsome ladle by James Byrne, of Philadelphia and New York, all dating from the 1790's.

Valuable American silver that belonged to the 18th-century ancestors of Mrs. Franklin E. Campbell, Sarah Bradlee Fulton Chapter, Massachusetts, was sent on indefinite loan by Mr. and Mrs. Campbell. This exhibit consists of 14 manufactures representing the work of 12 craftsmen of the Massachusetts Bay Colony and State. Important items are a magnificent sauce boat by Thomas Edwards (1701-1755); a porringer by Allen and Edwards, 1700; a salt, by Samuel Burt (1724-1754); and a punch ladle by Joseph Loring (1743-1815), all of Boston.

A three-legged iron pot that belonged to Molly Stark, of Revolutionary War fame, was given through the West Virginia DAR.

Several fine pieces were received for display in the State Rooms. Mrs. Harry Clark Boden, IV, of Newark, Delaware, Museum benefactor, made possible the purchase of a Queen Anne style American desk (c. 1740) on a frame. A cabinet dating from about 1795 was presented for the District of Columbia Room by Mrs. William Bradley Willard; a beautiful French chandelier of crystal and bronze was given by Mrs. William G. Ewald, Thomas Johnson Chapter, in honor of Mrs. Wilson K. Barnes, Maryland State regent; and an heirloom side chair (c. 1780) was given for the New York State Room by Mrs. O. J. Whitney, Hendrick Hudson Chapter.

Museum purchases include a handsome 18th-century corner cupboard made of regional walnut in the Philadelphia area and inspired

by the designs of Thomas Chippendale, and an exceptionally fine American looking-glass, of about 1770.

Accessions include "Portrait of a Lady with Small Son," attributed to Joseph Blackburn, New England, 1760; a child's tea set of Chinese export porcelain (c. 1820) consisting of 32 pieces; a handsome bowl and tray of solid silver, embellished with gold, that was given in April 1909 to Mrs. Donald McLean, president general of NSDAR; and a six-legged drop-leaf table signed by Samuel T. Bellerjeau, Trenton, New Jersey.

Additions to the Presidents and First Ladies memorabilia include a solid gold compact from Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower, a Chinese silk shawl owned by Mrs. James F. Polk, and a fan belonging to Mrs. Grover Cleveland.

During the year, a number of groups requested tours of the Museum and State Rooms. A total of 16,402 visitors was recorded.

GENEVIEVE F. MORSE
(Mrs. Frederick Tracy Morse),
Curator General

REPORTER GENERAL TO THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

The work of the reporter general for the past year included a summary of the annual report and a statistical summary of the reports of the State Regents.

Complying with the terms of our charter granted by Congress, the Sixty-ninth Annual Report of the National Society was submitted to the Smithsonian Institution for printing as a Senate Document.

Sincere thanks are extended to Mrs. Florence Daum and Miss Lena Ralston for their cooperation and assistance.

Letters and statistical forms were sent to the State regents and national chairmen regarding preparation of reports for inclusion in the annual report to the Smithsonian Institution and to the state DAR historians outlining the manner in which data on the locating of Revolutionary soldiers' graves should be recorded. Application forms for procuring Government headstones and markers may be obtained from the Chief of Support Services, Headquarters, Department of the Army, attention: Memorial Division, Washington, D.C. 20025.

Complete data was received on the locating of 267 Revolutionary soldiers' graves that had not been previously reported. These graves were located in 20 States.

This officer was among those taking the DAR School Tour in October 1966. She attended two national board meetings, two Executive Committee meetings, a State conference, and four council meetings. Also, she made numerous talks on the "DAR Story" and the "Smithsonian Institution."

EFFIE KARR CHAMPIEUX
(Mrs. John James Champieux),
Reporter General to the Smithsonian Institution

REPORTS OF DAR STATE REGENTS (STATISTICAL SUMMARY)

Activities in NSDAR programs and objectives reported by State regents

State	Membership		American heritage Programs	American Indians				
	Chapters	Members		Scholarships		Clothing		Contributions, St. Mary's dormitory
				Number	Value	Pounds	Value	
Alabama	70	3,545	40	2	\$10	172	\$283	\$42
Alaska	3	114						
Arizona	8	708	9		57			
Arkansas	36	1,691					1,106	27
California	147	8,271	56	1	2,095		6,402	335
Colorado	33	2,057	20	2	100	406	200	332
Connecticut	56	4,170	25		347	720		1,624
Delaware	9	583	10		136	170		
District of Columbia	58	3,462	55	1	300	356	500	400
Florida	79	6,411	82	6	400	2,817	4,207	117
Georgia	95	6,538	56		628	319	400	34
Hawaii	1	125	1					15
Idaho	13	527						
Illinois	119	10,154	100	30	3,000	250	1,000	465
Indiana	97	7,626	89		358	1,111	1,053	548
Iowa	79	3,789	175			357	501	186
Kansas	64	3,471	45		43	860	950	
Kentucky	76	4,681	76	1	50			154
Louisiana	50	3,478						
Maine	32	1,840						
Maryland	48	2,527				399	562	695
Massachusetts	87	4,653	82		738	267	412	804
Michigan	55	3,875	69	27	796	169		519
Minnesota	39	1,584	6	1	70	25		409
Mississippi	59	3,692	75				180	56
Missouri	85	5,325	160	1	300			399
Montana	13	684						
Nebraska	38	2,307	69	2	93	301	550	36
Nevada	7	324	7			30		12
New Hampshire	32	1,682						
New Jersey	77	4,936	62	39	2,126	1,100		138
New Mexico	15	904	22	2	300			
New York	170	12,639						
North Carolina	93	5,370	107	4	400			
North Dakota	8	282	8		100	69	8	26
Ohio	119	8,826	111		2,295		2,257	2,631
Oklahoma	42	2,687	71	2	414	305	100	17
Oregon	31	1,492	43	2	288		200	38
Pennsylvania	135	12,128	237		2,537	1,608	308	266
Rhode Island	22	910	30	1	300		50	15
South Carolina	65	3,446	2		64			63
South Dakota	14	402	13	1	5	32		30
Tennessee	90	4,700						
Texas	112	9,585	169	1	182	2,368	1,350	247
Utah	4	220	8					5
Vermont	29	1,043	22					10
Virginia	115	6,985	5	5	514	251	48	363
Washington	42	1,916	38	2	200	100	163	16
West Virginia	55	3,312	40	1	200	35	17	162
Wisconsin	44	2,080						
Wyoming	8	443	7			100		5

Activities in NSDAR programs and objectives reported by State regents—Cont.

State	American History Month			Americanism and DAR Manual for Citizenship			
	Essay contestants	Awards given		Manuals distributed	Medals given	"Citizen U.S.A." tapes used	Expenditures
		Number	Value				
Alabama	1,611	11	\$36	281	2		\$207
Alaska		1		440			
Arizona	68	5	7	13	1		
Arkansas	859	286		170	14	14	51
California	4,192	787	602	7,842	7	63	1,583
Colorado	848	88	40	176			67
Connecticut	860			1,044		5	224
Delaware	430	4		278		1	
District of Columbia	89			423		4	196
Florida	1,280	198	800	1,077	1	3	278
Georgia	1,099	3	10	851	1	3	272
Hawaii	174	12	70	400		3	100
Idaho							
Illinois	2,500	12	75	700	100	50	500
Indiana	1,980	338		93		3	14
Iowa	1,124	133	56	281	1	6	74
Kansas	469	147	25	198			2,080
Kentucky	1,801	61	167	1,300	1	5	262
Louisiana							
Maine							
Maryland	1,089	444		785			224
Massachusetts	1,283	250	380	412	6	6	116
Michigan	679	341	220	696	5	19	484
Minnesota	127	28	39		1		
Mississippi	1,054	373	208			5	
Missouri	1,343			212			
Montana							
Nebraska	416	12	20	525	1	3	163
Nevada	3	1	3	263	3		45
New Hampshire							
New Jersey	1,697	8		2,937	4	4	425
New Mexico	789	193		104			75
New York							
North Carolina	15,031	965		476	1		35
North Dakota	287	2	14	250	18		
Ohio	1,441	116	290	2,240			1,263
Oklahoma	630	106	20	316	5		107
Oregon	29	12	71	189		2	
Pennsylvania	3,473	1,056	477	1,029	5	18	460
Rhode Island	245	15	50				
South Carolina	1,352	4		577	2	4	
South Dakota		12	9	95			
Tennessee							
Texas	6,731	508	762	7,864	10	78	3,545
Utah	21	21	125	170	1	1	17
Vermont	9	2	4	250		4	
Virginia	2,644	972	1,074	731	3	15	434
Washington	337	8	16	473			14
West Virginia	17	4	15	87	1	10	
Wisconsin							
Wyoming	60	4	8	25			10

John (Miss Champeux),
 Reporter General to the Smithsonian Institution

Activities in NSDAR programs and objectives reported by State regents—Cont.

State	Constitution Week			DAR Good Citizens			
	Essay contes- tants	Awards given		Number of contes- tants	Pins given	Awards given	Expendi- tures
		Number	Value				
Alabama				301	301	2	\$150
Alaska						5	
Arizona				94	94	3	142
Arkansas				105	105	1	
California	134	17	(?)	535	535	11	262
Colorado				126	126	2	174
Connecticut		32	74		128		
Delaware				33	33	3	86
District of Columbia					14	14	372
Florida	735	15	331	179	179	179	595
Georgia		5	11		188		75
Hawaii				14	14	1	100
Idaho				40			100
Illinois	75	3	15	600	600	8	250
Indiana		(?)	(?)	470	442	3	138
Iowa				130	130	5	200
Kansas							
Kentucky	120	5		156	156		
Louisiana							
Maine				119	119		
Maryland							
Massachusetts				(?)	233	233	1,029
Michigan				450	450	25	793
Minnesota				175	175	3	377
Mississippi				99	123	123	80
Missouri				161	161	3	400
Montana							
Nebraska				29	57	15	67
Nevada				23	23	3	60
New Hampshire							
New Jersey				158		5	
New Mexico				(?)	83	1	55
New York							
North Carolina				242	242	242	
North Dakota				28	28	28	105
Ohio				948	442	7	1,001
Oklahoma		3	15		108	115	107
Oregon				99	99	99	244
Pennsylvania				573	561	68	
Rhode Island				(?)	33	3	165
South Carolina	2			(?)	116	7	
South Dakota		6		204	82	3	65
Tennessee							
Texas				589	589	589	605
Utah				15	15	15	64
Vermont				78	78	78	5
Virginia		50	100	199	199	199	66
Washington				141		1	193
West Virginia		8	16	116	116	1	182
Wisconsin				360			
Wyoming				12	12		45

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Activities in NSDAR programs and objectives reported by State regents—Cont.

States	Children of the American Revolution			Contr. "Save the Red-woods" project	Plantings	Scholarships		Total contributions
	Societies	Members	Membership change			Number	Value	
Alabama	12	250	-25	\$4,	385,631			
Alaska								
Arizona	2	26						
Arkansas	11	138	-4	1	586			\$1
California	38	774		1,375	2,030			1,696
Colorado	5	104	+15	48	1,206	7	\$350	360
Connecticut	14	418			1,360			650
Delaware	8	161		6	1			
District of Columbia	4	224	+17	103	3,000			207
Florida	31			136	667			266
Georgia	18	403	+10	6	37,566			
Hawaii	1	28	+4					
Idaho								
Illinois	37	774	-25					
Indiana	19	439	+29	11	155,704	2	100	184
Iowa	2		+16	43	800	1	50	90
Kansas	1			52	327			
Kentucky	21	371			51,661			
Louisiana								
Maine								
Maryland	9							
Massachusetts	21	374	+3	519	436			546
Michigan	13	256	+6	340	40,170	17	560	2,060
Minnesota	2	21		134	31	1	48	182
Mississippi	22	522	+36	7				1,221
Missouri	10	182	+52					
Montana								
Nebraska	7	104	-4	6	5			10
Nevada	2	53	+2		61			362
New Hampshire								
New Jersey	30			72				
New Mexico	7	189			15			415
New York								
North Carolina	33	604	+55					
North Dakota								19
Ohio	29	529	-43	305	57,496	30	959	1,137
Oklahoma	7	141	+32	3	1,001			18
Oregon	9	119	+(?)	5	9			7
Pennsylvania	36	940	+6	495	60	3	140	635
Rhode Island	6	68	-12	14	70			14
South Carolina				79				
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas	36	1,065	+77	51	18,000			101
Utah				10				10
Vermont				3	4			3
Virginia	36	992	-49	89	23,062			204
Washington	12	170	+(?)	26	65			206
West Virginia	9	167	-35	6	100	3	60	24
Wisconsin								
Wyoming	1	18			200			35

Activities in NSDAR programs and objectives reported by State regents—Cont.

State	DAR Magazine		DAR Museum and "Friends of Museum"	
	Subscribers	Number of ads placed	Cash contributions	Gifts presented
Alabama	1,098	63	\$250	4
Alaska				4
Arizona	86	5	37	2
Arkansas	512	72	99	1
California	2,791	152	632	8
Colorado	486	21	6	
Connecticut	930	54	145	13
Delaware	141	1	7	
District of Columbia	972	?	440	43
Florida	1,636	163	432	9
Georgia	1,509	98	188	5
Hawaii	38	1	1	
Idaho				
Illinois	2,597	119	100	10
Indiana	1,852	X	143	2
Iowa	826	X	33	4
Kansas	715	51	225	28
Kentucky	867			
Louisiana				
Maine	(?)	(?)		2
Maryland		116		20
Massachusetts	701	60	320	
Michigan	991	46	833	15
Minnesota	62	1	222	17
Mississippi	1,051	X	40	
Missouri	1,410	15	134	3
Montana				
Nebraska		32	51	1
Nevada	119	11	21	(?)
New Hampshire				
New Jersey	933	3	336	5
New Mexico	264	7	32	
New York				
North Carolina	1,290	27	267	
North Dakota	63	3	5	
Ohio	2,015	125	433	9
Oklahoma	870	9	16	1
Oregon	316	2		
Pennsylvania	2,051		1,096	18
Rhode Island	174	9	25	3
South Carolina	600	X	53	1
South Dakota	129	13	3	
Tennessee				1
Texas	2,657	74	62	
Utah	(?)		5	
Vermont	60	5	27	4
Virginia	1,972	106	327	5
Washington	493	5	56	
West Virginia	754	23	43	11
Wisconsin	(?)			
Wyoming	75	3	16	

Activities in NSDAR programs and objectives reported by State regents—Cont.

States	DAR School					
	Scholarships		Clothing		Contributions	
	Number	Value	Pounds	Value	AES Building	General
Alabama			5, 120	\$8, 199	\$268	
Alaska						
Arizona				60	36	\$548
Arkansas				1, 285	68	349
California		\$984		2, 547	2, 834	4, 268
Colorado	2	100	868	650	439	967
Connecticut			4, 897	2, 151		9, 789
Delaware					40	675
District of Columbia		4, 866	1, 458	7, 853	500	2, 633
Florida	12	1, 878	4, 446	8, 874	605	3, 207
Georgia		2, 074	7, 553	15, 818	953	8, 777
Hawaii					25	
Idaho						
Illinois		14, 037	10, 000	500		8, 000
Indiana		2, 872	4, 746	7, 037	791	4, 283
Iowa	1	900	2, 397	1, 397	397	506
Kansas	1	450	1, 647	1, 966	1, 000	
Kentucky				812	142	2, 514
Louisiana						
Maine						162
Maryland		228			2, 072	2, 100
Massachusetts	7	177	(?)	1, 474	4, 277	4, 687
Michigan	25	2, 845	6, 190		1, 463	8, 906
Minnesota			709	735	52	
Mississippi		102	1, 072	3, 434	503	1, 333
Missouri					411	2, 557
Montana						
Nebraska	2	406	904	1, 609	72	285
Nevada					36	189
New Hampshire						
New Jersey	17	3, 357	1, 815	1, 897	829	2, 316
New Mexico			148	209	120	701
New York						
North Carolina	132	6, 627	(?)	20, 782	167	22, 037
North Dakota		67			23	6
Ohio		1, 719	10, 660	11, 238	9, 181	7, 333
Oklahoma			1, 546	1, 431	88	429
Oregon					28	654
Pennsylvania		4, 095	9, 203	10, 089	879	16, 000
Rhode Island	6	490	971	1, 348	100	939
South Carolina		2, 344			364	6, 318
South Dakota					42	153
Tennessee		575	3, 602	4, 637		2, 432
Texas	4	25	3, 102	3, 408	1, 120	4, 181
Utah			295	265	50	70
Vermont					66	117
Virginia	10	1, 133	3, 252	3, 179	522	844
Washington	13	255		172	155	659
West Virginia	1	100	41	246	644	562
Wisconsin						
Wyoming					10	125

Activities in NSDAR programs and objectives reported by State regents—Cont.

State	Genealogical Records			Honor Roll		
	Forms completed	Reels of micro-film	Books and pamphlets	Gold	Silver	Honorable mention
Alabama	554			18	12	8
Alaska						
Arizona			4		1	2
Arkansas	523	51	598	13	4	5
California	671	5	178	34	24	19
Colorado	208	7	3	3	5	5
Connecticut	884		5	6	4	9
Delaware	64	14				7
District of Columbia	248	3	23	11	19	7
Florida	10		26	22	20	8
Georgia		1	3,486			
Hawaii						
Idaho						
Illinois			50			
Indiana	11,924	1	11	26	18	13
Iowa	158	4	444	16	5	11
Kansas	108		315			
Kentucky	1,961			32	11	7
Louisiana						
Maine						
Maryland		1		20	7	6
Massachusetts	150		5	8	6	8
Michigan	2,155		10	9	8	6
Minnesota			15	2		4
Mississippi	147	1	12			
Missouri		54		23	17	12
Montana						
Nebraska				10	4	7
Nevada	1			2		2
New Hampshire						
New Jersey	4		3			
New Mexico	113		5	9	3	
New York						
North Carolina			22	24	12	10
North Dakota						
Ohio	815	1		20	9	8
Oklahoma		2	4	12	8	9
Oregon			3			
Pennsylvania	2,243		1,200	18	16	10
Rhode Island			4	1	7	3
South Carolina	108		2	22	3	6
South Dakota			3			
Tennessee						
Texas	20	2	20	33	8	14
Utah			1			
Vermont			1		1	4
Virginia	45		566	42	31	18
Washington	1,140			6	4	3
West Virginia	502		52	6	2	6
Wisconsin						
Wyoming		2	149	1		1

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Activities in NSDAR programs and objectives reported by State regents—Cont.

State	Junior American Citizens					Junior Membership		
	No. Clubs	Member-ship	JAC flags pre-sented	Pins, cita-tions given	Expend-itures	Members		Contr. Helen Pouch Scholarship fund
						No.	Gain	
Alabama	40	1,238	521	4				
Alaska								
Arizona						17		\$87
Arkansas	41	1,340		10		253	19	59
California	44	1,205	6	180	\$142	331	47	400
Colorado	36	1,345		10	65	86	28	154
Connecticut	10	282				212	37	174
Delaware	2					25		34
District of Columbia	34	974		42	226	206	48	94
Florida	467	19,625	2	48	64	316	78	1,545
Georgia	1,644	51,820	3	17	11	341	69	277
Hawaii						5		10
Idaho								
Illinois	9	270	270	270	34	1,000	156	1,500
Indiana	15	454			13	599	18	109
Iowa	9			550	93		34	814
Kansas						26		
Kentucky	52	1,951						100
Louisiana								
Maine								
Maryland	42	1,466				227	29	647
Massachusetts	1	600		15	14	159	15	138
Michigan	25	729		6	28	177		40
Minnesota								
Mississippi	8	258		10				40
Missouri	53	1,624		57		291	3	51
Montana								
Nebraska	53	790		63	32	136	25	225
Nevada	5	395		3	5	16		
New Hampshire								
New Jersey	15	409		6		350	61	417
New Mexico	2	50				106	21	301
New York								
North Carolina	1,187	34,828	13	106	16	322		301
North Dakota						5	3	12
Ohio	502	15,002	66	38	117	86	9	851
Oklahoma	387	11,225	2	30	24		48	133
Oregon								
Pennsylvania	58	4,239	4	23		700	(?)	611
Rhode Island						114		114
South Carolina	915	25,178	3	12	10	94	(?)	97
South Dakota							4	
Tennessee						200		
Texas	1,914	57,540	101	343	76	575	135	1,164
Utah				1		2		25
Vermont	2	500	2	5	9	26	2	2
Virginia	125	14,711	6	47	14	438	3	959
Washington	3	101			16	58		261
West Virginia	19	4,934		45			26	12
Wisconsin	1	35				12	3	
Wyoming								

Activities in NSDAR programs and objectives reported by State regents—Cont.

State	Lineage Research			Motion Picture	National Defense		
	Potential members assisted	Programs	"Kits" purchased	Programs	Programs	Medals presented	"Defender" subscribers
Alabama	195	38		40	59	58	
Alaska						10	
Arizona	8	1	5		3	29	
Arkansas	71	10	26	4	26	31	14
California	15				129	293	38
Colorado	90	14	12	2	17		27
Connecticut	167			20	26	139	
Delaware					9		
District of Columbia	24	27	10	55	46	89	137
Florida	150	11	17	10	59	317	173
Georgia	195	46	3	25	75	324	83
Hawaii	11				1		
Idaho							
Illinois	669	50	50	50	119	161	
Indiana	587	25			79	258	
Iowa	106	68		5	76	55	85
Kansas					64		64
Kentucky	142	10		3	30		
Louisiana							
Maine							
Maryland	249				38		
Massachusetts	13	2			27	21	200
Michigan	155	3		31	35	13	
Minnesota	8				24	8	
Mississippi	10		4		43	85	118
Missouri	174	34	19				
Montana							
Nebraska	75		18		18	1	
Nevada	11	6		5	42		18
New Hampshire							
New Jersey	30				56	150	
New Mexico	3		4	4	13	31	
New York							
North Carolina	82	4	14	10	69	115	93
North Dakota	10	3	1	8	8		4
Ohio	287		200	2	78	99	
Oklahoma			45		23	11	18
Oregon						5	
Pennsylvania	335			26	102	217	
Rhode Island	38	1	5		13	5	
South Carolina	164			3	39	68	
South Dakota	18	1		2	8		6
Tennessee							
Texas	20	26	26	8	70	316	224
Utah	16		20		3	13	
Vermont	10	3	24	5	27	30	1
Virginia	279	10		15	98	158	3
Washington	140	10	3		28	21	
West Virginia	72	7		12	44	110	
Wisconsin							(?)
Wyoming	9	4			8		1

Activities in NSDAR programs and objectives reported by State regents—Cont.

State	Program		Public Relations	
	Papers and slides used	Programs submitted	Press (column inches)	Radio and Television (hours)
Alabama	18	8	9,639	78
Alaska				
Arizona			700	1/2
Arkansas	7	8	5,703	54
California	31	6	39,968	341 1/2
Colorado	8	2	4,751	26 1/4
Connecticut		6	17,184	6 1/2
Delaware			1,279	5
District of Columbia	38		1,743	1 1/2
Florida	6		18,432	131
Georgia	17	15	14,241	56 1/2
Hawaii				
Idaho				
Illinois	100	115	45,689	85
Indiana	57	8	55,839	
Iowa	5	4	3,778	24 1/2
Kansas		4		10 1/2
Kentucky			5,302	35
Louisiana				
Maine				
Maryland			11,592	52 1/2
Massachusetts		1	10,792	7
Michigan	28		14,500	45 1/4
Minnesota			2,444	3 3/4
Mississippi		8	14,817	41
Missouri			17,329	25 3/4
Montana				
Nebraska			6,284	12 1/2
Nevada		1	1,800	4 1/4
New Hampshire				
New Jersey			21,624	45 1/2
New Mexico		1	9,351	16
New York				
North Carolina	43	2	22,660	167 1/2
North Dakota	2		989	2 1/4
Ohio	59	5	26,848	46 1/4
Oklahoma		3	7,771	9
Oregon			4,556	12 1/2
Pennsylvania	11		18,559	33 3/4
Rhode Island	3	1	3,762	6 1/4
South Carolina	21	2	9,619	30
South Dakota	46	1	1,072	2 3/4
Tennessee			43,473	28 1/2
Texas	3	2	58,235	132 3/4
Utah				1
Vermont	5		5,620	1
Virginia	17	2	34,176	70
Washington	37	4	6,188	19
West Virginia	37	1	8,032	9 1/2
Wisconsin				
Wyoming			2,561	8 1/4

Activities in NSDAR programs and objectives reported by State regents—Cont.

State	Student Loan and Scholarship						
	Loans		Scholarships		Value of misc. gifts	NSDAR American History Scholarship	
	No.	Value	No.	Value		Contributions	No. applicants
Alabama	10	\$2,500				\$107	4
Alaska	1		1				1
Arizona	1	300			\$18		7
Arkansas						68	5
California	3	1,400	2	\$200		355	26
Colorado	1	300	1	100		87	8
Connecticut			7	2,100			1
Delaware	1	200				37	
District of Columbia		2,500		600		72	2
Florida	2	300	20	3,400	75	221	8
Georgia	6	2,300	9	675		158	4
Hawaii							4
Idaho	1						
Illinois	3	625	3	1,125	5,000	150	20
Indiana			3	900	100	159	17
Iowa	2	500	2	900	350	144	30
Kansas	1	200					6
Kentucky						220	5
Louisiana							
Maine			2	200			
Maryland			2	150	50	49	12
Massachusetts	49	15,447	2	200		211	35
Michigan	53	3,000	72	4,511		427	35
Minnesota	8	2,400	1	70		114	3
Mississippi	6	2,884	2	724		87	6
Missouri						200	6
Montana							
Nebraska	3	437	2	6	155	73	18
Nevada						40	11
New Hampshire							
New Jersey	5	2,500					
New Mexico						39	11
New York							
North Carolina					100	52	9
North Dakota	36	2,130				14	1
Ohio			1	200		206	19
Oklahoma			1	200		82	6
Oregon						34	29
Pennsylvania	4	2,040	7	1,300	266	176	7
Rhode Island	2	400	3		175	28	3
South Carolina			5	500	300	13	4
South Dakota			2	210			4
Tennessee							
Texas	215	17,300	69	10,481		188	19
Utah					25	70	
Vermont	2	800				8	
Virginia	5	1,947	105	5,163	384	265	7
Washington			8	972		38	2
West Virginia			9	1,250	500	66	17
Wisconsin	47	53					
Wyoming	1	2.00				10	3

Activities in NSDAR programs and objectives reported by State regents—Cont.

State	The Flag of the United States of America			Transportation	
	Flags presented	Flag Codes distributed	No. chapters displaying flag on national holidays	Pilgrimages	Traffic safety programs
Alabama.....	673	896	65	15	10
Alaska.....					
Arizona.....	98	82	8	2	2
Arkansas.....	10	25	34	3	3
California.....	716	4,426		92	30
Colorado.....	778	1,085	28	16	2
Connecticut.....	586	1,853	56		
Delaware.....	3	350	9	2	1
District of Columbia.....	95	1,000	58	26	5
Florida.....	382	1,553	54	2	19
Georgia.....	13,518	11,674	36	19	16
Hawaii.....	1,500		1		
Idaho.....	1				
Illinois.....	1,121	1,978	119	29	9
Indiana.....	674	2,033	3,217	27	12
Iowa.....	102	314	524	12	30
Kansas.....	275	660	64	1	
Kentucky.....	373	550	74	8	12
Louisiana.....					
Maine.....					
Maryland.....	1,523	890	48	3	3
Massachusetts.....	18	1,425	49	35	2
Michigan.....	259	629	48		11
Minnesota.....	71	104	35	1	
Mississippi.....	171	250	44	4	2
Missouri.....		1,391		32	6
Montana.....					
Nebraska.....	133	236	20	3	3
Nevada.....	74	86	7		
New Hampshire.....					
New Jersey.....	3,302	2,200		23	
New Mexico.....	230	100	13	1	
New York.....					
North Carolina.....	553	1,114		22	
North Dakota.....		84	8		
Ohio.....	2,431	1,717	606		
Oklahoma.....	261	260	42	10	7
Oregon.....	86	377			
Pennsylvania.....	1,514	2,129		69	2
Rhode Island.....	6	200	22	6	
South Carolina.....	103	861	500	3	
South Dakota.....	2	20	14	4	2
Tennessee.....					
Texas.....	2,155	4,525	58	11	25
Utah.....	1	170	4	3	
Vermont.....	1	175	29	1	2
Virginia.....	3,513	3,872	115	113	14
Washington.....	335	675	40		2
West Virginia.....	220	672	45	1	4
Wisconsin.....					
Wyoming.....	9	40	8		2

REPORTS OF THE NATIONAL COMMITTEES

AMERICAN HERITAGE

Last year 3,712 programs on American heritage were reported, an increase of 1,689 over the previous year. This increased interest in "aiding and encouraging the preservation of our rich American heritage" resulted in thousands of valuable historical items being donated to the DAR Museum, State museums, restorations, historical societies, and other repositories. These items included a 19th-century piano, English pottery and porcelain, early American silver and copper lustres, an antique clock, six 2-tined forks with bone handles, paintings, a deed given in 1660, a 110-year-old bedspread, seven original Revolutionary War pension lists, a gravy pot belonging to Molly Stark, and rare books.

One division reported that 374 members attended art classes, 350 members belonged to art groups, and 972 persons visited museums. At one program, slides and films on art were shown; another program featured the display of a collection of rare bookplates, including ones of George Washington, William Penn, Thomas Carlyle, Oliver Wendell Holmes, and Martin Van Buren; and at one program an original paper was presented on "Art and Literature in Postage Stamps." There were 56 programs on art and artists. Many chapters sponsored art exhibits. The article "Painting in Early America" that appeared in DAR Magazine of August-September 1965 was used by many chapters.

Programs on crafts were very popular, creating much interest and causing larger attendance at meetings. A two-part program submitted to the national program office consisted of "Glass, America's First Industry," with 50 slides and 30 pages of descriptive material and "architecture" (divided into several programs) also with 50 slides and descriptive material. Talks and displays featured such subjects as Yankee clockmaking, colonial cookery, early American glass, colonial wallpaper, historical housekeeping, old toys, antique milk glass, samplers, miniatures, and snuffboxes. Many other topics and items provided interesting chapter programs for public displays.

Among the many interesting dramatic skits presented on chapter programs were "The Colonial Medicine Chest," an "Armchair Pilgrimage," and "Betsy Ross," in which an original 13-star flag was displayed.

Early literature was researched for original papers, the titles of some being "Old Covered Bridges," "Colonial Furniture," and "Early Transportation." Old wills, deeds, letters, diaries, and memoirs provided rich material for papers on local families. One DAR member wrote in blank verse, and published a book titled "The Great Riding," a story of De Soto and the American region he explored. A three-year project was undertaken by one chapter—the writing of docu-

mented papers on the lives of local persons who contributed notably to our American heritage.

American music had a place in nearly all programs on American heritage. One State Society reported 253 programs (in full or in part) on American music. Antique music boxes, old violins, ballads, old hymns, and folk music were subjects of but a few of the papers and displays given. Nearly all chapters used American music in Christmas programs and as a background for pageants, antique shows, and teas.

Newspaper features and coverage on radio and television provided excellent publicity and helped to increase public interest in our rich heritage.

ROBERT C. CARR
(Mrs. John A. Carr),
Chairman

AMERICAN INDIANS

Reports from 46 State Societies showed an increase in donations for our "First Americans," with a total of \$57,000.

Bacone College, an accredited 2-year junior college in Bacone, Oklahoma, received \$1,000 for its scholarship fund, \$1,576 for its dormitories, and \$412 for its library.

St. Mary's School for Indian Girls in Springfield, South Dakota, which has facilities for girls from the fifth through twelfth grades, was the recipient of \$8,370 for its scholarship fund and \$27,000 for furnishings in the DAR wing. This one-story brick structure, dedicated on September 12, 1966, contains two 2-bed rooms, eight 4-bed rooms, a shower room, lavatories, a faculty room, a laundry room with four washers and a dryer, a house mother's room, and a home economics center.

The general Indian Scholarship Fund, which is used to aid high school graduates of varying degrees of Indian blood from anywhere in the United States, received \$3,745.

Fourteen State Societies that have their own scholarship funds for Indians collected \$6,800. They are: California, Florida, Idaho, Illinois, Maine, Massachusetts, Mississippi, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Oregon, Texas, Washington, and Wisconsin.

Outstanding work was accomplished by State Societies with Indian tribes in their own States. Alabama sent \$171 to its own Poache School and St. Ann's Mission; California sent \$1,458 to Indian Relief, the Oakland Intertribal Center, and the North and South Indian Centers; Florida contributed \$1,280 to its Seminole Public School Scholarship Fund, \$360 to the Seminole College Fund, and 2,300 pounds of clothing to the Miccosukee and Seminole Indians; Illinois sent 1,045 pounds of clothing, \$174 worth of food, games, and Christmas candy, and \$600 worth of furniture to the American Indian Center in Chicago; Nebraska sent 94 pounds of clothing to the Alliance Indian Mission and Christmas gifts to the students of Kearney High School, a training center for boys; Nevada donated \$195 for Christmas gifts for students of Stewart, St. Labre, and Dresserville Schools; New York sent \$500 to the various tribes within its borders and \$45 to the Good Shepherd Mission in Fort Defiance, Arizona; Nevada sent \$300 and

several hundred pounds of clothing to the Celile and Chemewa Indians and donated \$50 to the rebuilding of the Celile Long House; and Texas sent \$382 and 2,400 pounds of clothing to the Alabama-Coushatti Indians.

RUTH MARTORELLI
(Mrs. Benjamin Martorelli),
Chairman

AMERICANISM AND DAR MANUAL FOR CITIZENSHIP

The reports for the past year showed an increase in the amount of work by all chapters and State Societies in Americanism and DAR Manual for Citizenship Committee. Over 47,000 manuals for citizenship were distributed to immigration courts, schools, libraries, Scout troops, and Americanization schools.

We received many inquiries from such sources as military personnel serving abroad who have married foreign wives, as well as from government agencies which deal with migrant workers from Mexico and Puerto Rico. We have encouraged the chapters to make the contact with such persons and to present copies of the manual as needed. Members of chapters who are too far away to attend naturalization courts have begun to see the value of contact with their local public and private schools, using "Citizen—USA," the tape which this committee distributes at a very nominal cost. The tape, which is based on the *DAR Manual for Citizenship*, reaches many more people at less cost than individual copies of the manuals. Also, these same chapters, and others, call on known aliens in their communities to help them to become American citizens, invite some of them to DAR chapter meetings, and help them to register to vote and also to vote on election days.

A member in Kansas who is interested in genealogy has completed a most interesting project. She writes: "Believing that most family searchers wish to go back to their immigrant ancestors, I conceived the idea of compiling, indexing, and binding into a book, over 7,000 naturalizations in the 100-year period of these settlements from 1876. These predate those in the Washington archives from 1906 and will be an invaluable record for the many thousands of their descendants."

Many outstanding naturalized American citizens were recognized by being awarded the DAR Americanism Medal. Sixty-seven medals were presented in 24 States. Such medals are given only to persons who have been an American citizen for five years or more and have demonstrated qualities of leadership and initiative in promoting the American way of life, trustworthiness, service in giving active assistance and encouragement to other aliens to become American citizens, and patriotism with appreciation and love for the United States of America. Before this medal can be awarded by a chapter the approval of the State chairman of the Americanism and DAR Manual for Citizenship Committee, the State regent, and the national chairman of this committee must be obtained. This program has been in existence since 1958, and over 400 of these medals have been awarded.

IRENE I. CAMPBELL
(Mrs. G. Murray Campbell),
Chairman

THE CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

The DAR has always recognized the Children of the American Revolution as a source of potential membership in the National Society. Last year, 387 C.A.R. members transferred to the DAR. These members realize that the great need of the C.A.R. is senior leadership. The addition of the honor roll point given for C.A.R. leadership has been a step in the right direction. From all over the country have come inquiries as to how this point for leadership may be obtained.

During the past year the DAR benefited the C.A.R. by serving as senior officers on society, State, regional, and national levels; assisting with sending of dues and meeting notices; taking registrations and reservations at state and regional meetings; furnishing music for processions and programs; producing programs for society meetings; contacting local historical societies for tours and talks; helping to obtain mayors' and governors' proclamations; helping to carry out local and state projects in conservation and patriotic education; assisting in marking historic sites and in patriotic holiday exercises; presenting flags; assisting with press, television, and radio presentations and with window displays; giving the C.A.R. an opportunity to present programs at DAR chapter meetings and calling on C.A.R. chairmen to make regular reports of C.A.R. work at DAR meetings; inviting members to special events as guests; preparing application papers for membership; helping with exhibits; assisting in duplicating, addressing, and mailing of literature; offering homes for meetings and for entertainment; and furnishing transportation to society meetings and conventions. Special appreciation is extended to the DAR members who were in attendance at functions of the 45 State conferences, ten regional meetings, and the national convention of the C.A.R.

The DAR helped the C.A.R. financially by per capita contributions from the State Societies; contributions to the Endowment Fund; state, national, and life promoter fees; state and national patron fees; state conference funds; travel funds for members; the buying of materials that societies resold for profit; helping on joint fund-raising projects; making available places for society fund-raising events; and donating the printing of tickets, programs, and invitations. Last year there were 43 national life promoters and 356 national promoters.

Senior leaders have felt a definite need for reemphasizing patriotic education in C.A.R. programs that provide thorough knowledge and comprehension of the Constitution, Bill of Rights, the function of the courts, and so forth. The *DAR Manual for Citizenship* has been found to be the most effective text for use as a basis for study by our C.A.R. societies. Such study prepares the C.A.R. so that they can clarify for others what they themselves believe.

In their work the senior leaders are reaffirming the words of the founder of the C.A.R., Mrs. Daniel Lothrop: "Good citizens cannot be made suddenly. They must absorb the proper elements in their youth." Our job as DAR senior leaders for C.A.R. is to present the proper elements to the youth of America by channeling their efforts through the

DAR Committee for C.A.R. To encourage efforts in behalf of the work of that committee the national chairman offered three prizes of \$15,000.

(1) To the State Society with the greatest number of DAR chapters sponsoring new C.A.R. societies that were organized between February 1, 1966, and February 1, 1967. Due to a 4-way tie, Arkansas, Massachusetts, Mississippi, and Tennessee (each with three new societies) received \$5 each.

(2) To the State Society with the greatest percentage of DAR chapters sponsoring new C.A.R. societies organized in the same period, with the percentage based on the number of chapters in the State. The winner was Arkansas with three new societies and 36 DAR chapters.

(3) To the State Society with the largest cash contribution reported to the DAR State chairman by chapter chairmen for the following C.A.R. work: local society projects; State work, including State promoters; and national work, including national promoters and the Endowment Fund. The winner was Illinois, with \$6,021.68 contributed.

HOPE J. TIEMEYER

(Mrs. Edwin H. Tiemeyer),

Chairman

CONSERVATION

The Conservation Committee has enthusiastically watched the work of Daughters throughout the United States as they have busied themselves in keeping America beautiful and its soil productive.

We have concerned ourselves with the redwoods. The sum of \$4,611.31 has been forwarded to the Save the Redwood League as the DAR contribution for the past two years. The California DAR dedicated its own Lambert Grove this year, which is not included in the above monies.

Many letters voicing our objection to the proposed Grand Canyon Dam have been written to Senators and Congressmen.

Much study has been directed to the hazard of air pollution. The pollution of Lake Erie, most of our rivers, and other bodies of water has distressed the Daughters and are urging that something be done immediately to counteract this condition.

In conjunction with the "Johnson Beautification Program" chapters throughout the United States created parks and replanted areas devastated by flash floods and other forces of nature. The youth of America took part in these programs, where they were taught to cultivate and not destroy. Young people in many States, particularly in Ohio, were sent to conservation camps for the summer. Scholarships were awarded teachers throughout the country to further the study of conservation.

The United States Forest Service, Southwestern Region, gave its outstanding achievement award in conservation to Mrs. Robert Lacy Jackson, New Mexico State regent.

Four large bronze plaques were placed to mark historic spots for conservation.

Keeping America green also was stressed, with contributions made for the planting of pine trees and shrubs.

MARGARET S. LIPSCOMB
(Mrs. Richard E. Lipscomb),
Chairman

DAR GOOD CITIZENS

The work of this committee was approved by the National Association of Secondary School Principals for the 19th time.

The committee endeavors to impress and encourage our youth with the merits and need of being a good citizen—to protect and uphold our heritage of freedom and liberty by service, leadership, patriotism, and dependability in their schools, communities, and homes.

During the second year of the present administration the local and State chairmen have displayed sincere interest, activity, and great enthusiasm in contacting high schools to get them to participate in this program.

Last year 21 additional chapters undertook the work of this committee, with consolidation of schools still taking place. Seventy-one percent of all the high schools in our country cooperated with the local DAR chairmen and sponsored DAR Good Citizens. In States of large population that have many chapters and high schools it is difficult to obtain 100 percent participation; however, 22 State Societies did attain this rank, with seven having 99 percent, with a total of 9,249 DAR Good Citizens, an increase of 771. The chairmen cannot be commended too highly for the splendid work they have done.

Besides the awards of the \$100 U.S. savings bond given by NSDAR to each State DAR Good Citizen, the chapters, districts, and State Societies have given a total of \$4,925 in savings bonds, DAR Good Citizen pins, 2,310 copies of *In Washington—The DAR Story*, 18 flag pins, 8 silver bowls, many State DAR Good Citizen pins, 5 DAR anniversary plates, corsages, 6 silver spoons, and 11 DAR bracelet charms. Also, they paid the expenses at State conferences for the State winner. The chapter winners were entertained at teas, luncheons, and dinners to which the parents and often the high school representatives were invited. Ten States provided historical pilgrimages for their chapter winners. Splendid publicity, including pictures and good write-ups on the work of this committee helped promote good public relations for the DAR. Each high school DAR Good Citizen was presented with a certificate from the National Society. This was done at special assemblies, chapels, or graduation exercises.

The same competitive method is recommended as a basis in selecting the winner, with three judges, other than DAR members, at local, state and national levels. On the national level each division vice chairman chose the judges for her division. The final judging last year was by a committee of two school officials and a clergyman.

The National Good Citizen, Miss Emmalee Shanks of Mobile, Alabama, won a \$1000 scholarship to the college of her choice and a five-inch sterling silver Paul Revere bowl engraved, "National DAR Good Citizen, 1967." First and second honorable mentions went to Miss Barbara Anne Lee of Lafayette, New Jersey, and Miss Emily Ann

Schultz of Boise, Idaho, respectively. Other State winners are listed below, by State:

Alaska : Patricia Ann McDowell, Anchorage	New Hampshire : Carolyn Hackler, Derry
Arizona : Carolyn Ann Krepela, Chandler	New Mexico : Janet Marie Littrell, Albuquerque
Arkansas : Elsa Andrea Clinger, North Little Rock	New York : Linda J. Hotaling, Castleton on Hudson
California : Marie Mesisca, El Monte	North Carolina : Janet Alston Nash, Statesville
Colorado : Taresa Dalla Bette, Westminster	North Dakota : Shirley Olson, Fargo
Connecticut : Sally Silverstein, North Haven	Ohio : Kathleen Jay Emrick, Warren
Delaware : Joan Monica Bryan, Newark	Oklahoma : Jacquelyn Roach, Guymon
Florida : Sandra Parkson, Okeechobee	Oregon : Marcia Jane Davis, Albany
Georgia : Donna Sue Hatcher, Albany	Pennsylvania : Mary Alice Hoffman, New Brighton
Hawaii : Arlene Tateishi, Kauai	Rhode Island : Roberta Jascione, Providence
Illinois : Gayle Rothenberger, Chatham	South Carolina : Agnew Hopkins, Simpsonville
Indiana : Nancy Zimmerman, Muncie	South Dakota : Kathleen Gitzman, Vermillion
Iowa : Sharyl Ash, Ottumwa	Tennessee : Patricia Ann Davis, Rickman
Kansas : Ann Elaine Callow, Fort Scott	Texas : Mary Jane Hargrove, Austin
Kentucky : Leslie Rentz, Lexington	Utah : Julie Freeman, Midvale
Louisiana : Molly Ann Clark, Mer Rouge	Vermont : Jane Rose Currier, Newport
Maine : Deborah L. Bridges, Gorham	Virginia : Linda Burcher, Hampton
Maryland : Charlotte White Chaken, Rockville	Washington : Rita Havneer, Selah
Michigan : Deborah Sue Gunter, Berkley	West Virginia : Cathleen Cale Hoskins, Wheeling
Minnesota : Sylvia Flo, Bricelyn	Wisconsin : Bonnie Aide, Hazel Green
Mississippi : Emily Smith, Jackson	Wyoming : Alison Northcutt, Cheyenne
Missouri : Helen Ann Copper, Salisbury	
Montana : Karen Hauf, Bozeman	
Nebraska : Patricia Ann Jacobson, Murray	
Nevada : Diana Lee Titlow, Tonopah	

MARY S. RITCHIE
(Mrs. George G. Ritchie),
Chairman

DAR MAGAZINE

Last year an IBM system was instituted for the mailing of the DAR Magazine in order to meet the new postal requirements for use of Zip Codes. More than 75,000 cards had to be punched before the conversion began on October 10, 1966. The issue of April 1967 was the first to be mailed entirely under the IBM system. That issue consisted of 55,000 copies. The National Publishing Company reported no problem in the mailing, and it complimented our staff on the accuracy of the work. An operation formerly requiring three days is now accomplished in seven hours.

As to the financial health of DAR Magazine—it's good. The treasurer general's report, which carries a detailed statement, shows a 40 percent increase in DAR Magazine's cash balance.

Advertising is of prime importance since the amount of copy printed is in proportion to the amount of advertising. Articles by members have preference in publication, but those by nationally known writers and authorities are welcomed and printed. During the past year much favorable comment was received in regard to the variety of the pictorial covers.

Hawaii won the grand prize of \$100 in the new subscriptions contest held in October. Chapter winners in the seven divisions were: Grande Ronde, Oregon, 130.4 percent, Western Division; Reuben Massey, Arkansas, 110.5 percent, South-Central Division; Montpelier, Virginia, 82.1 percent, Eastern Division; Old Bute, North Carolina, 40.6 percent, Southeastern Division; Jemima Boone, Kentucky, 27.3 percent, East-Central Division; John Kerr, South Dakota, 25 percent, North-Central Division; Sylvia de Grasse, New York, 19.2 percent, Northeastern Division.

Awards to States according to greatest percentage increases in the three membership categories went to Hawaii, first, and Alaska, second, (for States with less than 1,000 members); Arkansas, first, Maryland, second (for States with from 1,000 to 3,000 members); Missouri, first, Iowa, second (for States with from 3,000 to 5,500 members); and Ohio, first, Florida, second (for States with more than 5,500 members).

During the first four months of the period covered by this report, the work was projected and executed by Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease, immediate past national chairman.

DOROTHY V. SMITH,
Chairman

DAR MAGAZINE ADVERTISING

To keep DAR Magazine financially independent of the National Society, we depend wholly upon advertising, which is secured only through our membership in the 50 States and the District of Columbia.

Last year's advertising totaled \$86,828.23 a gain of \$3,577.30 over the previous year. Of the Society's 2,872 chapters, 2,151 participated in advertising. Commissions in the amount of \$7,268.27 were returned to the participating chapters for their personal use in the work of the historical, educational, and patriotic work of the Society. In addition to the commissions, prizes were awarded to chapters securing the most revenue.

KYLE R. GILL
(Mrs. Vaughn Gill),
Chairman

DAR MUSEUM

(See Report of Curator General)

DAR SCHOOL

From March 1, 1966, through February 28, 1967, the office of the treasurer general received \$241,176.27 for all schools. This amount included \$170,655.79 in contributions transmitted by the State Societies, an appropriation from the National Society of \$5,000 each for Kate Duncan Smith and Tamasee DAR Schools, \$7,048.79 as income from invested funds, and \$53,471.69 in contributions for the Adèle Erb Sullivan Building at Tamasee.

SUMMARY

DAR SCHOOLS:

Kate Duncan Smith (contributions)-----	\$73,656.88	
Tamassee (contributions)-----	130,704.79	\$204,361.67
Income from invested funds for both schools-----		7,048.79

DAR APPROVED SCHOOLS:

Berry College—Berry Academy-----	1,804.40	
Blue Ridge School-----	969.11	
Crossnore School-----	13,767.60	
Hillside School-----	6,324.33	
Hindman Settlement School-----	3,236.56	
Lincoln Memorial University-----	1,678.06	
Northland College-----	890.25	28,670.31

SCHOOLS WITHDRAWN:

Berea College-----	251.00	
Maryville College-----	500.00	
Pine Mountain Settlement School-----	344.50	1,095.50

Total-----		\$241,176.27
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The total sent to all schools amounted to \$241,176.27, a gain of \$33,545.70 for the fiscal year.

Reports were received from 2,496 chapters in the 50 states, District of Columbia, Canal Zone, Mexico, and France. The chapters presented 2,184 programs on the schools. The Helen Pouch Scholarship Fund of the Junior Membership Committee contributed \$14,515 to the DAR Schools, this is the largest amount ever contributed by that committee.

Reports of the State chairmen listed contributions as follows: scholarships, \$65,702; endowment, \$3,028; general fund and maintenance, \$27,776; library and equipment, \$1,583.

There was an increase in used clothing packages sent to the schools, the value of which was \$117,316. These much-needed articles were sold at reduced rates or were given, when necessary, to the students and the people of the community. The revenue from the sales was used for general expenses. An increase in sales was reported at both schools, possibly due to the establishment of free freight.

Tamassee DAR School had a profitable year. Many of the older buildings were modernized and the school's equipment was improved. The construction of the Adèle Erb Sullivan Building, the national project, became practically a reality. Dedication is planned on Founders Day, October 1967, at which time the building should be ready for occupancy.

Kate Duncan Smith DAR School has renovated many of its older buildings and is gradually eliminating its accreditation debt, which was \$70,000 in April 1965 and which had been reduced to \$10,565.25 on March 1, 1967. It is hoped the debt will be cancelled and the completion of further requirements to assure continuation of the accreditation will be possible during the last year of this administration. Forty-six students will graduate from Kate Duncan Smith High School in May. This is the largest class in the history of the school. Approximately 50 percent of the students plan to attend college.

The best reports from the standpoint of contributions on a per capita basis came from Michigan, Connecticut, South Carolina, District of

Columbia, Ohio, New York, Maryland, Georgia, Rhode Island, Delaware, Pennsylvania, and Tennessee.

LUCY V. AEBLY
(Mrs. Fred Aebly),
Chairman

GENEALOGICAL RECORDS

The records for the year 1966-1967 show an increase in activity among the chapters in the collection of source records, which is the principal purpose of the Genealogical Records Committee. More than 33,000 pages of typed material were collected and bound for the use of a steadily increasing number of persons who come to the DAR Library for family research.

Records were collected from courthouses, tombstone inscriptions, Bibles, and church records. Their value lies in the fact that they usually predate the time when individual states passed laws to require the recording of vital statistics. The work that has been done by the Genealogical Records Committee of the NSDAR furnishes an important supplement to material already published by state governments and individuals.

Some of the annual reports received from the State chairmen show that they have sent copies of their collections to their State libraries as well as to outstanding genealogical and historical societies. This year approximately 80 genealogical libraries received duplicate copies of our work, which totaled 43,670 additional pages.

During the past year the Genealogical Records Committee sent to the Western Reserve Historical Society in Cleveland, Ohio, approximately 32,000 cards containing the names of men who aided in the cause of the American Revolution and data on their service, marriage, and birth and death dates.

In a section that appears each month in DAR Magazine the Genealogical Records Committee publishes records which it believes will be of aid to those who are trying to trace their family lineage. In addition, the committee publishes a query section which is of help to non-members as well as members. It also offers a search service from the records office for those seeking to establish a line of descent from a Revolutionary War ancestor. In the past year numerous inquiries were received by mail, and 900 visitors used the records in our office.

HELEN W. BROWN
(Mrs. Irvin C. Brown),
Chairman

HONOR ROLL

The DAR national honor roll program is a guide to chapters for achievement of the objectives of the National Society. It encourages a uniformity among the chapters while allowing for divergent needs.

About 2,500 chapters participated, with 43 percent receiving awards. States with more than 70 percent of the chapters attaining honor roll recognition were Alaska, New Mexico and Virginia. In the 60 percent range were Alabama, Illinois, Maryland, Missouri, and Arkansas.

The efforts to fulfill the requirements set forth in the honor roll questionnaire resulted in increased membership for many chapters, continued support for the DAR schools, expansion of DAR youth work, and increased participation in community activities that promote historical, educational, and patriotic objectives.

EDITH B. COGSWELL
(Mrs. William G. Cogswell),
Chairman

JUNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS

The program of the Junior American Citizens Committee is planned "to teach children some knowledge of the underlying principles of our Government, of American sentiment, and of all that will go toward making them good citizens." DAR chapters, working in cooperation with public, parochial, and private schools and with youth groups, both organized and unorganized, sponsor Junior American Citizens clubs. All children, from kindergarten through high school age, regardless of race, color, or creed, are encouraged to become members. An adult, not necessarily a DAR member, guides the activities of the children. A handbook, motto leaflet, and JAC membership pins are supplied, free of charge, by the National Society. No child incurs any expense as a club member. If materials are needed, they are supplied by the sponsoring chapter.

The belief of educators that "learning by doing is most effective" has prompted the committee to encourage programs that involve club members' participation. Forty States and the District of Columbia reported activity in JAC work. Projects were conducted not only at the club level but also, in some instances, by State Societies. For four consecutive summers the West Virginia State DAR Society has sponsored and conducted "Our American Heritage Week," a camp for 160 sophomore high school girls. These students are recommended by their deans or principals and are sponsored by DAR chapters. The purpose of "Our American Heritage Week" is to "preserve the ideals and spiritual foundation of our country by deepening their appreciation in the hearts and minds of those girls who will be the community leaders of tomorrow." On February 22, 1967, Freedoms Foundation awarded the West Virginia Daughters its George Washington Honor Medal for this project.

The reports showed varied club activities. A school in Miami, Florida, that boasts a JAC Club in every room, chose a small group of members to attend a session of a naturalization court and then report to their clubs. To dramatize the procedure they had witnessed, they reenacted the ceremony for the entire student body at an assembly.

One club chose as its project for the year the beautification of the school grounds, where little had been done in the way of landscaping. The children planted grass and flower seeds, cared for them, and finally were rewarded with a beautiful setting for their new school. Members of a 6th-grade club joined a "pen pal club" and corresponded with young people of their own age in other countries. They shared their letters with other club members and in this way the entire group learned about the customs and peoples of other lands.

Projects varied from visiting indigents in county homes and hospitals to the publication of a weekly school paper. But all activities involved working with and for others. The origins of our national holidays and significant dates in our history were studied and observed.

To promote creativity and competition, each year, the Junior American Citizens Committee sponsors contests on a predetermined theme. This past year entries were submitted on the theme "Patriots, Doers With a Vision." There are seven classifications: essays, poems, songs, plays, programs, posters, and club projects. The competitions, at comparable age levels, are screened by the State DAR committee chairmen and then are processed by a committee selected by the national vice chairman of contests. A total of 850 entries from 30 States, representing the work of over 2,000 children, were submitted to the national committee last year. National winners will be announced in April, and the prizes will be awarded then.

(Mrs.) MARIAN HAUSE HOBBS,
Chairman.

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP

The Junior Membership Committee, encompassing all members of the National Society who are between the ages of 18 and 35, reports a good "Be Wise—Junior Wise" year. The objectives for the past year were to obtain a greater number of new Juniors; increase the activities of Juniors; increase the amount of contributions to the Helen Pouch Memorial Scholarship Fund, and to obtain full participation in the Outstanding Junior Member Contest.

New Juniors admitted to the National Society totalled 2,477, an increase of 411 over the previous year's total. Thirty percent of all new members were Juniors. Illinois led with 155 new Juniors, followed by Pennsylvania with 150, New York with 144, and Texas with 135.

Increased activity among Juniors is shown in the following statistics; State officers, 5; State chairmen, 58; chapter regents, 47; chapter officers, 433; chapter chairmen, 923.

The Committee's programs, ranked according to Junior participation, were National Defense, DAR Schools, DAR Good Citizens, Public Relations, American Indians, American Heritage, Children of the American Revolution, and Junior American Citizens. Five Juniors hold appointments as vice chairmen of this Committee; and a Junior holds its chairmanship. One Junior is a DAR State regent—Mrs. James Duke Cameron of Arizona.

The only fund-raising project of the Committee is the Helen Pouch Memorial Scholarship Fund. In the past year, a new record of \$15,353.64 was contributed through the sale of flag pins and stationery and the sponsorship of bazaars and benefits throughout the states. Illinois led with contributions of \$1,755.59; Florida was second with \$1,040.20; Texas third with \$1,001.15; and New York and Virginia were, respectively, fourth and fifth. The Junior bazaar of 1966 netted \$1,500, the greatest amount ever earned from a bazaar at a Continental Congress. A contribution of \$250 was made to the Constitution Hall air conditioning fund in honor of the president general, and \$1,000 was donated to the Helen Pouch Fund.

The money collected for the Helen Pouch Fund is equally divided between the two DAR Schools. The amount received by Kate Duncan Smith DAR School is used to pay the salary of the school nurse and to help pay for medical expenses.

In its fifth year, the Outstanding Junior Member Contest honors the Junior for her contributions to the DAR and for her community activities. Seven divisional winners are selected from the state candidates, and these seven are introduced at the Junior Dinner and the Pages Ball. The national winner is introduced at Continental Congress on opening night. The three national judges for the contest were Mr. Kenneth G. Smith, president general, Sons of the American Revolution; the Honorable Strom Thurmond, Senator of the United States from South Carolina; and Dr. Kenneth Wells, president of Freedoms Foundation, Valley Forge, Pennsylvania.

(Miss) ELIZABETH PRINCE BENNETT,
Chairman

LINEAGE RESEARCH

The National Lineage Research Committee assisted many potential members with their papers, and 2,446 new members were acquired through its efforts. Many of the ancestral lines traced were new ones never before accepted by the Daughters of the American Revolution, and they resulted in the locating of a number of graves of Revolutionary soldiers.

During the year, 62 lineage research workshops and seminars were organized in 31 States. Instructions were given at lectures where questions were answered by professional genealogists, and the lectures resulted in greater interest being shown in genealogical and historical research.

HELEN C. JOHNSON
(Mrs. Ivan T. Johnson),
Chairman

MEMBERSHIP

The reports of our membership growth plan were encouraging, and its progress aroused enthusiasm and interest in many forms. Hard work, vision, and skill in promoting the State membership growth plan, workshops, and seminars have paid dividends.

Following are the statistics for the year: Net gain in national membership, 1,335; new members, 8,203 (the best record for years); resignations, 2,852 (less than in the previous year, but still too many); members dropped, 728; deaths, 3,992. Our present membership is 184,412, including 3,185 members at large and 781 reinstatements. There are 2,883 chapters in the United States and three overseas. Of our new members, 32.2 percent were of junior age, an increase that shows a healthy sign of growth. The C.A.R. transferred 340 members to our Society for further patriotic service. Thirty States showed a gain; 21 showed a loss; and 18 reported the formation of a membership commission.

The president general's award of \$100 to the DAR State Society having the greatest net percent gain went to Maryland (with 9.9

percent), where 15 new chapters were formed and two chapters were reactivated.

Following are the winners of the national chairman's awards of \$10 to chapters having the greatest net percent gain in each division: Col. Gilbert Potter Chapter (regent, Mrs. W. Homer Ball), New York, 27 percent, Northeastern Division; Montpelier Chapter (treasurer, Miss Sue Higgins), Virginia, 117 percent, Eastern Division; Capt. James Ormond Chapter (regent, Mrs. Arthur V. Schbager), Florida, 166 percent, Southeastern Division; Poland Canfield Chapter (regent, Mrs. Katherine Simmons), Ohio, 40 percent, East-Central Division; Otoe Chapter (regent, Mrs. Grace Holmes), Nebraska, 65 percent, North-Central Division; Kilihoti Chapter (vice regent, Miss Margaret Adams), Oklahoma, 66 percent, South-Central Division; De Anza Chapter (regent, Mrs. Robert Lee Sperry), California, 51 percent, Western Division.

During the year the national chairman sent June and December letters and 50 State Conference awards to each State chairman; wrote for the November issue of DAR Magazine an article titled "Membership Growth Plan, DAR Style" that listed 24 ways to increase membership; spoke at two DAR State conferences, at three seminars, and to 19 groups of prospective members; attended the national chairmen's forum; and made numerous trips to Washington on matters pertaining to membership projects.

This chairman is most grateful to the committee's national vice chairmen and State chairmen for their help and support in committee work, to Mrs. Jackson, chief clerk in the membership office, and to Mrs. Ash for advice and assistance in promoting the membership program.

CLAUDIA P. SHRAMEK,
(Mrs. Frank Shramek),
Chairman

MOTION PICTURE

This committee was reinstated as a national committee of the DAR by a resolution of the Seventy-Fifth Continental Congress. For a short interval it had been part of the American Heritage Committee.

The work of the Motion Picture Committee can be divided into two sections: (1) its membership on the Film Board of National Organizations, and (2) the endeavors of all DAR chapters throughout the country in dealing with motion pictures and visual aids of all sorts in their own communities.

The Film Board of National Organizations consists of ten national societies (including the DAR) that compose the "Green Sheet," a monthly survey of current films published by the Motion Picture Association of America. The DAR opinion presented at the "Green Sheet" meeting, which takes place every week throughout the year, is the result of the dedicated and conscientious work of the previewers. About 25 of these DAR previewers give four or five hours a week to the viewing of films. The editorial vice chairman makes a composite of the previewers' weekly reports and presents it to the "Green Sheet"

board, a meeting that is attended also by the national chairman. At this meeting your representatives do their best to further DAR ideals and standards. The "Green Sheet" carries a brief description of the movies as well as a suggested audience classification. It is not a censorship board but a medium for alerting parents and others working with children as to the content of motion pictures. This publication is available to schools, libraries, community centers, and the like. It is sent free of charge.

During the past year the chapters intensified their efforts to encourage good films by establishing friendly relations with theater managers, commending them for showing worthwhile pictures and for using such pictures on their holiday and weekend programs for children. Also, members associated themselves with schools, helping them to get visual aids. Our objective for the past year was to compile a list of organizations (public and private) that distribute historic, educational, or patriotic films, either free or for rent, which would be suitable for chapter programs or for showing in schools or community centers. In this we have been quite successful and expect to have a master list ready for distribution at the Continental Congress.

LUCILLE McLOUGHLIN
(Mrs. Maurice E. McLoughlin),
Chairman

NATIONAL DEFENSE

During the year the chapters purchased 4,635 DAR Good Citizenship medals for distribution in local schools.

Copies of *The National Defender* and selected articles were sent gratis each month to all State and chapter chairmen of the National Defense Committee, national officers, and State and chapter regents. The mailing list is comprised of approximately 7,400 addresses.

Annual reports were received from 2,450 chapters in the 50 States and the District of Columbia.

Over 300 debate kits were distributed to high school debating teams. The national subject was "Foreign Aid."

In February the national board of management voted to standardize the ROTC medal, making the awarding of the medal a national project and placing it under the direction of the national chairman of the National Defense Committee. This project was established as a means of recognizing and rewarding student cadets of outstanding ability and achievement in secondary school, junior college, and college or university ROTC programs—Army, Navy and Air Force. The chairman is now working on appropriate designs and criteria for presentation.

The national chairman was the featured speaker at a number of DAR State conferences and chapter and district meetings.

An article pertaining to national defense topics was included in each issue of DAR Magazine.

ENID HALL GRISWOLD
(Mrs. Frederick Griswold, Jr.),
Chairman

PROGRAM

All reports received by the Program Committee indicated a marked improvement in the compilation of chapter yearbooks. These books, which followed closely the requirements of the committee, showed excellent program content and provided much useful information.

The theme of the year, "Be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only" (James 1:22), was widely used as a subject by speakers. It proved to be an effective means of strengthening the historical, educational, and patriotic objectives of our Society.

The Program Committee office reported that 517 slide programs and 4,374 manuscripts were reserved in the period from February 1, 1966, to February 1, 1967. Practically all chapters followed to some extent the outline of suggested programs arranged to help the work of the committees. DAR officers and chairmen were frequent speakers at chapter meetings. Numerous outstanding programs were given by nonmembers on such topics as national defense, the Constitution, conservation, American Indians, American music, American arts and crafts, and American art. Much interest and enthusiasm were shown in program planning. The Program Reviewing Committee added many worthwhile manuscripts to the files in the Program Committee office. Several national chairmen sent slides and manuscripts.

"We, Too, Have Seen American History" was judged the best historical slide program, embracing the entire United States. Another excellent program was "San Diego, California—Plymouth Rock of the West," which also added a modern touch, as did "Kansas—Midway U.S.A." Another program of genealogical value was "The Germanna Colonies of Virginia." The files of slide programs on American heritage were enriched by the addition of "American Architecture," "American Glass," "Vieux Carre (Old Square), New Orleans," "Pilgrimage Time at Rosalie," "Four Historic Homes of Harris County, Texas," and "Old Churches of New Hampshire." Conservation slide programs included "Indiana State Parks," and "Grand Canyon, Sequoia and King's Canyon." Other slide programs were titled "An Eighteenth Century Art Exhibition," "A Pictorial History of the City of Rock Island, Illinois," and "Rock Island Arsenal, Darke County, Ohio."

(Miss) LAURA DICKERSON,
Chairman

PUBLIC RELATIONS

The past year was a very productive one in DAR public relations, with many important national projects under way. The remodeling and air conditioning of Constitution Hall, the laying of the cornerstone for the new administration building at Tamassee DAR School, and the inspiring messages from our president general on her 48,000-mile State conference tours all received favorable attention from the press. With the help and cooperation of the State and national vice chairman and chapter chairmen, the DAR story was publicized far and wide, telling of the educational, patriotic, and historical accomplishments of the past year as built on the heritage of 76 years.

The city council of Baltimore, Maryland, passed a resolution extending congratulations and support to the National Society, DAR, and to the Maryland DAR for their distinguished contributions to the educational, historical, and patriotic culture of the United States.

Many reports on outstanding activities of chapters were reprinted in the Congressional Record.

Chapters cooperated with the Heart Association.

There were many window displays using the Public Relations Committee's posters, "The Spirit of '76" and "Washington Crossing the Delaware." Many such posters were used by hotels and department stores. These posters, which are excellent for chapters to use on special occasions, can be obtained from the public relations office at National Headquarters for \$6 a set.

Color slides of our president general were prepared for use by television stations in connection with news of her visits in the various States.

Chapters sent gifts to boys in Vietnam and gave embossed American flags to schools for the blind.

Memorial trees were planted in city parks and along median strips.

Chapters cooperated in the bell-ringing program for the Fourth of July.

TWA airlines and many restaurants cooperated with the DAR by promoting American History Month on their printed menus, and the Country Charm Dairy of Monticello, Illinois, printed messages relating to American History Month on its milk cartons.

Patriotic literature and flags were passed out at the Alabama State Fair.

In Nebraska, excellent use was made of a DAR museum and library in a community civic center.

Approximately 27,000 persons visited the Sibley House, which was restored and is maintained by Minnesota DAR.

A New York chapter united with other patriotic groups in a full-page newspaper ad on "A Tribute to Our Flag and Country."

The DAR planned and directed lineage research seminars for the public.

Many chapters entered floats in patriotic parades sponsored by local communities.

Chapters operated or otherwise assisted at USO hospitality centers.

One chapter contributed to a fund to buy silver for the submarine *General Vallejo*.

More than 400 news bulletins were issued by the DAR in over 40 States; and information on the DAR was carried in many high school and college papers.

The public heard of DAR activities through the cooperation of 1,530 radio stations. In hours of radio time, North Carolina led with 156, followed by Illinois with 150 and Texas with 101. The leading chapters were Elizabeth Maxwell Steele Chapter, North Carolina, with 65 hours; Schuyler Colfax Chapter, Indiana, 24 hours; and Atlanta Chapter, Georgia, 15 hours.

The public saw DAR in action over 559 television stations carrying 323 hours of viewing time. Florida led with 36 hours; Texas was sec-

ond with 31; and Louisiana was third with 26. The leading chapters were Captain James Ormond Chapter, Florida, 30 hours; Yosemite Chapter, California, 3 hours and 25 minutes; and Arkansas Valley Chapter, Colorado, 3 hours and 15 minutes.

The public read about DAR activities in 2,867 daily and 1,706 weekly newspapers. Texas, with 58,235 column inches, was followed by Indiana with 55,838 and New York with 42,417. Chief John Ross Chapter, Tennessee, led the chapters with 4,800 column inches; it was followed by Peggy Warne Chapter, New Jersey, with 4,736, and Alhambra-San Gabriel Chapter, California, with 2,418. The total of 725,182 column inches of publicity for the year represented an increase of 1,997 column inches over the previous year. It represents 11½ miles of DAR news, which almost reaches the "mile a month" goal of the committee. In addition, 16,954 photographs, representing 118,699 column inches, illustrated the DAR story. Illinois, with 1,343 column inches, led the States in the amount of pictorial publicity.

An incentive for publicizing the historic, educational, and patriotic objectives of the DAR was offered through a national feature story contest. First award went to Eulalona Chapter, Oregon. Tied for the second award were Shuk-ho-ta Tom-a-ha Chapter, Mississippi, and Mary Anthony McGary Chapter, Indiana. Honorable mention was given the other four district winners: Lucretia Council Cochran Chapter, Texas; Rebecca Wells Heald Chapter, Illinois; Dr. Benjamin Rush Chapter, Pennsylvania; and Stamford Chapter, Connecticut.

Twenty-four DAR State Societies entered the state press book contest. The books, which show outstanding effort by the members, are composed of clippings and photos from newspapers throughout the United States. Recognition of chapter activities by the press are divided into sections covering the historic, educational, and patriotic fields of endeavor, with a fourth section for miscellaneous or routine items such as announcements of meetings and of the election of officers.

The books were judged by professionals in the fields of public relations, journalism, and education. Winners were as follows: Class A (states with more than 30,000 column inches of publicity): Virginia, first; Texas, second. Class B (from 15,000 to 30,000 column inches): Pennsylvania, first; Florida, second. Class C (under 15,000 column inches): West Virginia, first; Georgia, second.

My thanks and appreciation go to Mrs. B. Harrison Lingo, national vice chairman in charge of press books, and to her efficient committee; also, to the personnel in the office of the Public Relations Committee for their efficiency and dedication in their work.

MARY ELLEN MINTON
(Mrs. Harvey Allen Minton),
Chairman

STUDENT LOAN AND SCHOLARSHIP

Highlighting the work of this committee during the year was the planning of a program for awarding the NSDAR American History Scholarship. This is an annual four-year college scholarship of \$8,000 (to be given at \$2,000 a year) for the study of American history

that will be awarded to a qualifying student in the graduating class of an accredited high school.

The program plans as compiled by the committee were approved by the Executive Committee in June 1966. In each state, applications were judged and the state winner selected for competition in the national award. All but four states entered a state winner. The winners were students outstanding in scholarship, character, ability, personality, and leadership, and several ranked from first to fifth place in graduating classes of over 600 students.

The program has inspired keen interest and splendid cooperation. We especially thank the three judges: Mr. Raymond Fogler of New York and Maine, Mr. Robert Morris of Texas, and Dr. Richard S. Brownlee of Missouri.

In furthering educational aid to our American youth, the reports from the State Societies show a growing interest in the giving of scholarships and in making loans available to students. Texas led with 215 loans amounting to \$17,300.34 and 69 scholarships totaling \$10,481.59. The Wenonah Chapter, Minnesota, gave \$7,675.00 for scholarships in schools and colleges.

A total of \$131,207.90 in scholarships and loans was reported by 42 State chairmen, as follows: 275 scholarships, \$44,290.52; 350 loans, \$47,721.75; contributions to American History Fund, \$5,951.39; miscellaneous scholarships and gifts, \$16,059.50; American Indian scholarships, \$9,067.62; to DAR Schools from invested funds; \$5,917.12; and national medical scholarships, \$2,200.00.

ELIZABETH C. ANGLE
(Mrs. Robert Orr Angle),
Chairman

THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

In its endeavor to encourage a strong patriotic feeling and respect for the Flag of the United States of America, during the past year this committee gave 39,098 flags to schools, youth groups, naturalized citizens, libraries, hospitals, and Indian reservations; distributed 47,384 copies of the Flag Code and made 835 corrections for incorrect display or misuse of the flag. One of the items corrected was a "Stars 'n Stripe Time" watch that had blue stars instead of the usual numerals, red-and-white-striped hands, and a wrist band of small flags; another was a tablecloth made entirely of 50-star flags. We succeeded in having the watch withdrawn from the market but were not so fortunate in the matter of the tablecloth.

DAR chapters sponsored 2,785 radio and 205 television programs on the flag.

Our slogan is "An American Flag in Every Home in the U.S.A." Members sold flags to their townspeople as well as to fellow members of the DAR. It is our aim to have the Flag of the United States of America displayed in front of business establishments and homes in every town and city.

MALA MANNERS CRITTENDEN
(Mrs. W. Carl Crittenden),
Chairman

TRANSPORTATION

This committee is concerned with transportation and traffic safety. Because of their very nature these subjects are closely allied, and in promoting its work the committee must emphasize both.

Transportation includes getting members to chapter meetings, and this, in turn, insures better attendance and increased interest. This committee is interested not only in those members of an older age who may not be able to drive but also younger members who might not have a car available for their use on meeting days.

Increased interest in the pilgrimages and the tours by chartered buses or in individual cars is evident in the reports. Over 500 different pilgrimages were reported by the State Societies. These included tours to historic monuments, to national shrines and parks, and to places of local and historic interest. Seventeen different bus tours were reported, and several State Societies had bus tours to Continental Congress and to DAR schools. These tours were educational as well as enjoyable.

In the field of traffic safety more than 1,000 programs were reported. Working with school safety patrolmen, sponsoring safe driving programs for high school students, viewing safety films, and listening to and giving lectures on highway safety ranked high in the reports received. DAR chapters reported a close working arrangement with their city police, with their highway safety patrolmen, and with other law-enforcement officials. Many chapters reported that members visited traffic courts.

LUCILLE DAVIDSON WATSON
(Mrs. Sherman B. Watson),
Chairman

REPORTS OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEES

AUDITING

The Auditing Committee met on April 13 and 14, 1967, in the office of the treasurer general to compare and study the reports of the treasurer general, Mrs. Henry Stewart Jones, and of Lybrand, Ross Bros. and Montgomery, independent public accountants.

After careful examination, the reports were found to be in accord.

FLORENCE C. HARRIS
(Mrs. Frank L. Harris),
Chairman

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

To properly maintain our buildings, surveys are made continually to prevent deterioration and eliminate heavy and expensive repairs.

Some of the routine work of the past year is described in this report. New blower belts were installed in the air conditioners in the Library and Archives Room.

Remedial janitorial work was done and general repairs were made.

Twenty-one aisle lights in Constitution Hall were replaced; also globes in lamps in stair halls of the Administration Building were replaced, thus eliminating the need to purchase new fixtures.

Seventy-six filters and a burned-out bearing were replaced in the supply fan in Constitution Hall.

During the winter a number of leaks were repaired in the steam and water system throughout the buildings.

The motor and compressor on the ventilating system were repaired.

Filters were replaced in the air conditioning unit in the president general's suite.

Painting included the basement floors of Constitution Hall, the accounting office of the treasurer general, business office, and registrar general's office, and the ceilings of the historian general's office and the DAR Magazine office. For the latter painting work, a new firm was engaged at a savings of close to 50 percent of the cost charged by former contractor.

Two new flagpoles on 17th Street were given by Mrs. George U. Baylies—one in memory of her mother, the other honoring Mrs. William A. Becker, honorary president general. Flagstones were laid and landscaping was completed around the poles, and lights were installed.

Ten drip and 45 steam traps that had been faulty for some time were replaced at a cost of \$1,700. The price seemed high, but the results justified this work. Our heating bills for January 1966 amounted to \$2,054, while those for January 1967 amounted to only \$767; and our heating bills for February 1966 amounted to \$1,460 and those for February 1967 only \$587; thus, the savings in 1967 for these two months came to \$2,160. This saving not only took care of the original cost of replacement; it shows that we will benefit continually in the future.

In 1966 the interiors of our buildings were cleaned for our Continental Congress by outside janitorial service. Last year we hired the owner of the service, and by the hiring of three men for night duty we effected a saving over last year that amounted to approximately \$1.33 per hour over regular maintenance cost.

Our president general and this chairman made a survey of the many closets in Memorial Continental Hall and in Constitution Hall. Some items of great value were found, and these were sent to the various departments for use or safekeeping. Much material of no value was hauled away. The closets were cleaned and painted by our own maintenance men, and they are now in excellent condition, affording us much needed storage space. One of the important finds in the closet survey was a "Service Record Banner" of World War II, from the administration of Mrs. Pouch. This banner was framed and hung in the Assembly Room with an interesting printed history. The printing of its history was a gift of the Graphic Arts Press.

The employees dining room was completed and curtains were hung.

For greater interior security, a Pinkerton survey was made, and two extra guards were engaged for Continental Congress week.

Beautification of the D Street entrance was completed, with outside planters and new stone benches placed.

Colonel Byrne and Mr. Johnson made a survey of the Archives Room and suggested changes of the cases that will make available approximately 25 running feet of additional space for display and storage.

DAR cooperation was extended to the Children of the American Revolution in the renovation of their museum.

Plans for landscaping our grounds have been under way for some time. Feeding, spraying, and preserving were done, and new shrubbery replaced some that were killed by weather.

BETTY NEWKIRK SEIMES
(Mrs. Erwin F. Seimes),
Chairman

CONSTITUTION HALL

After the renovation and air conditioning of Constitution Hall had been approved by Continental Congress last year, and after estimates and materials had been secured, actual work was started on July 11. At times, when materials were delayed, it seemed hardly possible that the Hall could be completed for the scheduled gala opening in October, but, happily, this was achieved. The highest praise resulted from the beauty and improved acoustics of our resplendent Constitution Hall.

Of the beautiful chairs of the boxes and for use on the stage, 52 have been marked in honor of members, but there are still 184 to be marked. A marker cost \$45.

Your chairman felt that many members back home would want to see the colors and materials used in the Hall, so, during the October board meeting, sample kits were prepared and sold for \$1. Nearly \$100 was raised in this way, and credited to the renovation fund.

The organ in Constitution Hall was renovated. It was in urgent need of repair, tuning, and cleaning. The worn-out burlap grille cloth in the organ loft was replaced with custom-designed proper grille cloth that was mounted in the loft in such a way that it can be easily removed and cleaned in the future. This renovating of the organ will increase the rental value of the Hall, as the organ can now be used for professional performances.

Designs for new Constitution Hall billboards were completed for the 18th Street entrance of the building. These billboards will more properly identify Constitution Hall as belonging to the DAR.

A generous donor paid for the complete renovation of the Virginia box, and it is hoped that other States will consider the renovation of their boxes. Interested donors are asked to contact the office of the Buildings and Grounds Committee for details.

Newly designed and engraved plaques for State boxes are available for memorials at a cost of \$25.

It is encouraging to report that 34 events were held in Constitution Hall during February and 37 events were held in March. Both were an increase over the same months of 1966. There were 187 events booked last season, and the number of events booked for this season now stands at 247.

BETTY NEWKIRK SEIMES
(Mrs. Erwin F. Seimes),
Chairman

FINANCE

During the past year the chairman of the Finance Committee approved vouchers totaling \$1,284,418.22. The larger amounts allocated to specific funds were as follows:

Postage -----	\$30,048.69
Supplies -----	31,871.49
Printing -----	216,002.19
Maintenance and repairs -----	33,083.50
Awards, gifts, and gratuities -----	7,518.28
Items for resale -----	33,655.52
Constitution Hall, air conditioning and refurbishing -----	367,402.61
Gas, electricity, heat, and water -----	25,578.80
DAR schools -----	180,655.79
American Indians -----	50,008.56
Adèle Erb Sullivan Building -----	38,543.96
Scholarships -----	25,016.42

A more detailed statement is given in the report of the treasurer general.

RUTH W. D. ZIESMER
(Mrs. F. A. Paul Ziesmer),
Chairman

INSIGNIA

Since this is an administrative committee, many State Societies do not have chairmen of insignia and thus make no report. This is a brief general summary of the committee's work.

An article on the insignia and seal of the National Society was compiled and published in the March 1967 issue of DAR Magazine. It is hoped that this article will be of interest and help for reference and for program use. Reprints are available.

The redesigned bar for DAR State chairmen of national committees, made available about a year ago by the J. E. Caldwell Co., has been in demand and orders are being filled quite promptly. There is now available a new bar for DAR State chairmen of State committees. The official insignia ribbon used for mounting the various bars and pins and the official insignia is again obtainable. It is being used by the Caldwell Company for mounting the insignia, as has been customary.

For some time past, the Caldwell Company has been unable to manufacture and deliver promptly many of the articles of insignia ordered by our members. The skilled artisans needed for the time-consuming and delicate processes necessary for the production of hand-made insignia are no longer obtainable. A number of changes must be made in the manufacture of several articles of the DAR Insignia, and the company has offered new designs for the approval of the national board of management. These include designs for a bar for national chairmen of DAR national committees, a bar for State regents, and one for State officers. If accepted by the board, they will soon be available.

The commissions paid to the National Society by the J. E. Caldwell Co. during the past year totaled well over \$4,000.

Of the State DAR reports received, those from Illinois and Michigan were outstanding. The report from Illinois was impressive because of the remarkable interest and effort that were shown and because of the fine results achieved by the State chairman.

JANE E. BARROW
(Mrs. Edward R. Barrow),
Chairman

PERSONNEL

Because other duties brought your chairman to headquarters more than usual, many small personnel problems were brought to her attention prior to Executive Committee meetings. At each such meeting a report was made and necessary changes suggested.

Your chairman can repeat the oft-told story of the fine, loyal staff in our offices. The goal for additional members naturally increased the work load. We do have a turnover of staff, and this is very costly to our organization.

Our president general secured a qualified business manager to deal with daily personnel problems. This should eliminate some of the many problems brought to the attention of your personnel chairman and should lighten the burden of securing adequate and qualified clerical help.

BETTY NEWKIRK SEIMES
(Mrs. ERWIN F. SEIMES),
Chairman

PRINTING

The most important yearly assignment of the Printing Committee involves the editing, processing, and distribution of the annual letters of the Executive Committee and the national chairmen. These letters present in detail the program for the coming year and should give each chapter regent the instructions she needs for planning her year's work.

The copy for these letters was due in Washington by June 1, 1966, making it possible to send them to the printer, proofread them, and then to distribute them much sooner than in the previous year.

It is a pleasure to acknowledge the excellent work of Charles Hughes, head of our printing office.

Once the letters are processed, it is an arduous job to assemble them in packets for mailing to chapter regents and others entitled to receive them. The time gained last summer should have helped chapters to plan their year's activities earlier than usual, so that they would be prepared to begin work promptly in the early fall.

Each year the National Society adds a few items to the catalog of working tools that may be obtained from the office of the corresponding secretary general, usually for nominal sums. We advise every regent to check this list and see what material will be of use to her. Of course, she should procure a copy of the *DAR Handbook*, which is indispensable for guidance and information. The handbook is revised in each administration by the first vice president general. The new edition is now available.

During the past year, outside printers, as usual, handled the *Proceedings of the Continental Congress* and the *Directory of Committees*.

(Miss) MABEL E. WINSLOW,
Chairman

RESOLUTIONS

A total of 296 suggested resolutions were submitted to the Resolutions Committee by the State Societies. Twelve State Societies did not submit any resolutions.

The committee, which consists of 50 members representing nearly every State Society, met for the first time on April 11, with 31 members present. The committee reviewed the list of titles of the resolutions and then took a vote to determine 20 subjects to be considered. The next step was to write a rough draft on each of the 20 topics. This was done by assigning a topic to three or four members. The material sent in by the State Societies on that particular topic was given to them to aid in formulating the resolution. The rough draft was presented for consideration; then a ballot was taken to decide on 14 subjects for submission to the Continental Congress.

MARJORIE REESE MANLOVE
(Mrs. Stanley T. Manlove),
Chairman

RESOLUTIONS

Adopted by the Seventy-Sixth Continental Congress

National Society
Daughters of the American Revolution

April 17-21, 1967

REDEDICATION

"Be Ye Doers of the Word, not Hearers Only"

Whereas the study of American History promotes the interest of both past and present eras; and

Whereas this strengthens our determination to safeguard our priceless heritage for this and future generations; and

Whereas our forefathers fought for independence with wisdom, fortitude and devotion in adversity, which imparts a far greater awareness of the value of America;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution commend the Congress of the United States of America for the enactment of a law designating February 1967 as American History Month and express the hope that February may be designated permanently as American History Month;

Resolved, That the members of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution rededicate ourselves to the spiritual values exemplified in the lives of those Founders of the Republic who were "doers of the word, not hearers only."

A FLAG LAW

Whereas the United States Flag Code is frequently violated for lack of appreciation of the symbolic meaning of our Flag; and

Whereas certain persons have violated the Code and shown disrespect for the Flag by flagrant abuses on the ground that it is "their sacred right to create

and display the flag as an expression of protest" and this is sometimes done by desecration or by caricature; and
 Whereas open outrageous acts of desecration of the Flag of the United States of America occur almost daily without fear of punishment;
Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution advocate legislation which would provide a penalty for the violators of the Flag Code and those who desecrate the Flag of the United States of America.

VIETNAM

Whereas American armed forces are valiantly engaged in Vietnam in the continued struggles to aid free nations from oppressors which have marked this century; and
 Whereas the difficulties in Vietnam and the length of conflict are increased by American military subordination to United Nations limitations with only "limited war" objectives, as in Korea, not victory objectives, and by increased United Nations disarmament controls hampering American developments of maximum weaponry; and
 Whereas further political impediments to military success include: failure to blockade enemy ports, sanctuaries for the enemy, limited bombing of significant targets and supply lines, interruptive cease-fire decrees which strengthen the enemy, disregard of trade bans as a vital weapon; and
 Whereas all military sacrifices could be wasted by secret internationally controlled peace negotiations;
Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution call for wholehearted, unqualified support for our armed forces through new policies directed by and for the sovereign interests of the United States of America.

EAST-WEST TRADE

Whereas the Congress of the United States has been requested to authorize increased trade and large long-term credits to the Soviet Union and its East European allies who now supply to North Vietnam 80% of strategic war materials used against American armed forces; and
 Whereas the communist nations' current plans to intensify North Vietnam aid and to foster new aggressions would thereby immeasurably aided;
 Whereas there have been counter-representations in Congress that a complete trade and credit embargo against nations supplying United States enemies could profoundly influence a successful conclusion of the Vietnam war;
Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution advocate an end to ill-timed East-West trade considerations and that Congress institute blockades against enemy ports and economic sanctions against nations supplying North Vietnam in complete support of our American forces who are risking death, wounding, or captive humiliation and torture.

TOTAL CONSCRIPTION OF YOUTH

Whereas compulsory service, other than a military draft for the defense of the Nation, is a totalitarian concept abhorrent to a free people; and
 Whereas in the vast majority of American homes, the higher education or special training and work of their young people is the object of concern, counseling and financial support of the family, and the personal choice of the youth; and
 Whereas there are proposed and well-developed plans for the compulsory registration of youth of both sexes upon graduation from high school or at a certain age, for social or military service and described as "youth's obligation to the Nation and the world," the authoritarian approach to which is an unwarranted and unprecedented infringement upon the constitutional rights of the individual youth and his or her parents or guardian; and
 Whereas no interpretation of the Constitution of the United States of America can give either Federal, State or local Government the right to regiment law-abiding youth for other than military purposes or to put upon the taxpayer the burden of paying for two years of training, education and salaries for every boy and girl in this or any other country;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, except for a military draft to maintain national defense, oppose total conscription of youth.

DISARMAMENT

Whereas the people of the United States of America, under terms of the Test Ban Treaty and the Arms Control and Disarmament Act, have allowed their representatives to commit the Nation to a program of general and complete disarmament; and

Whereas the Arms Control and Disarmament Act provides that the United States will follow a definite step-by-step schedule of reductions in arms and armaments; and

Whereas certain disarmament steps are known to have been accomplished although full information is not readily available to public scrutiny; and

Whereas it is advocated that, at a time when the United States is confronted with an enemy which has openly declared its intention to rule the world, the armed forces and armaments of the United States be replaced by a so-called United Nations peace force which is in fact a world army; and

Whereas a Joint Resolution was introduced on February 8, 1967 in the Congress of the United States which would, if adopted, reaffirm "its support for United Nations peacekeeping and peacemaking" and urged that the United States "encourage and support the creation, at such time as conditions warrant, of a permanent, individually recruited force under United Nations command for impartial peacekeeping duties"; and

Whereas the United States of America is signing away her hard-won freedom and independence, and in the immediate future may become a vassal state under an all-powerful United Nations world army;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution call for repeal of the Arms Control and Disarmament Act, repeal of the Test Ban Treaty, and abrogation of any other treaties and agreements which will disarm the United States and subjugate the United States under a United Nations world army.

DEFENSE OF OUR COUNTRY

Whereas the Soviet Union has been building and deploying missile and anti-missile weapons while the United States, with a system of such defense in the development stage, has delayed positive decision on production and deployment for more than five years due to political pressures, thereby allowing the Soviet Union to develop a threat with their advancing weapons systems; and

Whereas the Soviet Union, in spite of a 1958 United States-Soviet moratorium on nuclear testing, continued clandestine testing and ended the agreement in 1961 with open tests of great sophistication and military significance;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution express a firm conviction that the Congress of the United States should reassert its constitutional authority to develop defense projects to a level necessary for the safety of American lives and property; should seek professional judgments for our military experts while guaranteeing them freedom from reprisal; and should abolish the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency which is endangering our national security.

COMMUNICATIONS SURVIVABILITY

Whereas our Government communications embrace over 30 million channel miles of circuitry and 200 major switching centers serving terminals in about 95 countries; and

Whereas nearly all of these communication facilities must be continuously operating to meet the requirements of our national and international security; and

Whereas no developed section of the world or major element of our military forces can accept communication isolation whether by natural causes, by sabotage or by overt enemy action;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution support and encourage the continuous industrial and military efforts

to provide a controlled and responsive national communications system with sufficient redundancy including switching centers and alternate routes by-passing probable target areas, and an over-all priority system for emergency use and for restoral to ensure adequate, reliable communications for command and control of the military forces of the United States of America and its allies.

CRIME CONTROL

Whereas the alarming increase in crime, especially among the youth, requires a well-trained, adequate police force inculcated in modern techniques of detection and apprehension and awareness of the rights of a suspect to counsel, a just and speedy trial; and such control requires the combined efforts of law enforcement officials and the community toward rehabilitation of the criminal; and

Whereas the primary purpose of law enforcement has long been the protection of society against the criminal, not the criminal against society; and recent trends in the admission of confessions and interrogations have almost reversed this process;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution look to the Congress of the United States of America to use its constitutional power to give the presiding judge the right to admit as evidence a confession he determines to be voluntary;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution urge the public to inform itself concerning organized subversive forces seeking to weaken our Nation through the moral and physical destruction of our youth, and that the Society recommend more effective control of drug traffic and continued search for the cure of addicts who now account for a large percentage of crimes;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution be opposed to firearms controls which would deprive the citizen of his constitutional right to protect himself and his home against the violence now rampant;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution believe that the best deterrent to crime is adequate punishment.

PURPOSE OF TAXES

Whereas a contemporary school of economics advances the theory that taxes should be raised or lowered, removed or reinstated, for the purpose of controlling inflation or deflation, instead of reducing unnecessary government expenditures, thus placing business, industry and the individual in a state of uncertainty harmful to the economy; and

Whereas some Federal officials are advising a system of reverse taxation as a method of dispensing welfare, whereby the Federal Treasury would pay to persons with low incomes the amount necessary to bring their incomes up to a designated figure—the literal Marxist slogan from each according to his ability, to each according to his need; and

Whereas requests for the United States Congress to relinquish partial control of tax increases to the Executive have been made;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution affirm the belief that the sole power to tax should be exercised by the United States Congress under its constitutional authority.

FEDERAL DATA CENTER

Whereas a proposal for a Federal Data Center is being developed to establish a single machine-age information reservoir on every American citizen, such information to be obtained through school and military records, tax returns, census data, personnel forms, investigative agencies' reports, credit bureau files, social security, medicare and bank records; and

Whereas such data is to be filed on one master card in a data bank for programming computers, making available in a matter of minutes extensive information on any individual; and

Whereas this information assembled into a complete dossier can become a formidable invasion of personal privacy or even a potential source of blackmail; and

Whereas test programs are currently operating in some areas by Local Government Information Control (LOGIC);

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution expose the fallacies and evident dangers to our free society in such a central pooling of information on the citizen's private life and call for the fullest open discussion of the wisdom or necessity for such a Federal data bank.

THE OMBUDSMAN—ALIEN CONCEPT

Whereas the concept of the "ombudsman"—so-called guardian against encroachment upon the rights of the individual—is now being advanced in the United States of America although the office is unnecessary here because we have the protection of the Bill of Rights written into the Constitution of the United States of America; and

Whereas the "ombudsman," as such, would interfere with and tend to break down our present system of jurisprudence by creating the authority of an "overlord" above that of judges, juries, police and other law enforcement officials;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution warn of the dangers inherent in the alien concept of ombudsman; call attention to the Bill of Rights under which we enjoy freedom unknown in any other part of the world; point out the vast number of existing public and private organizations already active in the field of defending the rights of citizens of the United States; and urge our Nation to preserve our historic principle of Rule by Law rather than Rule by Man.

TREATIES

Whereas the Constitution of the United States of America, Article VI, Paragraph 2, states in part: "All treaties made, or which shall be made, under the authority of the United States, shall be the supreme law of the land"; and therefore the treaty-making power is an extraordinary power which is liable to abuse and may create domestic law, as well as international law, by overriding the Constitution of the United States; and

Whereas covenants and treaties covering political, economic and social rights are a real cause for concern to American citizens because a treaty is self-executing and automatically becomes the "supreme law of the land" from the moment of ratification; and

Whereas national sovereignty can be nullified or destroyed without the knowledge or consent of the American people;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution warn its members of the dangers inherent in the United States Senate's ratification of the United Nations Covenants on Human Rights and certain other treaties presently before the United States Senate Foreign Relations Committee, which would transform the United States Government from a Republic into a completely socialistic state under the United Nations Charter and pave the road to a system of world government.

PANAMA CANAL

Whereas the Canal Zone is a territorial possession of the United States of America, constitutionally acquired by treaty with Panama and purchased from individual property owners, and the Panama Canal was built at the sole cost of the United States of America and has been efficiently maintained and operated to the great benefit of Panama and the world; and

Whereas in a joint statement, the Presidents of the United States and of Panama announced that the two countries are negotiating new treaties with respect to the existing Panama Canal and a new "sea-level" canal which might be constructed across Panama; and

Whereas the proposed renegotiation of treaties with Panama would be tantamount to an abject surrender of our sovereignty and authority over the Panama Canal, thus losing an essential means of defense of our Nation, causing a serious loss of our world prestige and power, and granting a major triumph to our enemies;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution assert that continuing control of the Panama Canal is essential to the

security of the United States and that national security is not negotiable; and urge that no concession be made to the Republic of Panama which would cancel any of the rights of the United States of America.

RHODESIA AND THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

Whereas the United Nations, in imposing mandatory economic sanctions against Rhodesia, has acted in contradiction to the United Nations Charter by interfering in the domestic affairs of sovereign nations; and

Whereas the United Nations has assaulted the Constitution and sovereignty of Rhodesia and declared it an outlaw nation subject to economic blockades and sanctions by members of the United Nations; and

Whereas, if continued, the United Nations sanctions against Rhodesia could lead to military action and could be extended against the Republic of South Africa through acts by the United Nations General Assembly in special session; and

Whereas, in accordance with the United Nations sanctions against Rhodesia, the United States of America by Executive Order of January 5, 1967 prohibits trade with Rhodesia;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution commend Congressman James B. Utt, of California, for introducing a Joint Resolution which would authorize and direct the President of the United States of America to notify the United Nations and all interested parties that the United States of America will no longer honor the United Nations sanctions against Rhodesia;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution oppose any United States of America participation in a military action against the historically friendly nations of Rhodesia and South Africa.

GOLD RESERVES AND INTERNATIONAL POLICY

Whereas world financial stability and international trade and finance have been sustained by confidence in the United States dollar backed by adequate gold reserves; and

Whereas it is currently reported that the Administration will request unprecedented Congressional authority to eliminate the gold reserves behind the American dollar by making the entire United States gold reserve available for sale abroad at \$35 an ounce; and

Whereas the drift of policy is to substitute for sound national currencies untried and theoretically based international monetary units, so-called "paper gold"; and

Whereas the drift of monetary policy of the United States of America has led to widespread concern abroad and increasing distrust in the soundness of the dollar;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution advocate an immediate review of gold reserve policies by the Congress of the United States;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution express alarm and unalterable opposition to the policies that have led to the wasting of United States gold reserves particularly unrestrained spending abroad on foreign aid, internationally controlled monetary arrangements, and other international arrangements that tend to weaken our freedom of action as a sovereign Nation.

APPRECIATION TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Resolved, That grateful appreciation is hereby expressed by the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution to the President of the United States of America for his message to the Seventy-Sixth Continental Congress.

APPRECIATION TO THE PRESIDENT GENERAL

Resolved, That the Seventy-Sixth Continental Congress of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution express sincere appreciation to the President General, Mrs. William H. Sullivan, Jr., for her dynamic

leadership and for the gracious and efficient manner in which she has conducted this Congress, exemplifying the watchword, "Be ye doers of the word, not hearers only."

COURTESY RESOLUTION

Whereas the Seventy-Sixth Continental Congress of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution has been inspiring, educational and beneficial; and

Whereas this has been possible through the concerted efforts of those who planned the program, as well as those who took part;

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution express deep appreciation to the Officers, the Chairmen, the Pages, to all who had a part on the program, and especially to:

The entire personnel of the staff for their loyal service throughout the year and during this Congress,

The United States Service Bands for the concerts,

The artists who shared generously of their talents,

The speakers for enlightening and inspiring messages,

The police and firemen for their courteous attention and protection,

The press, radio and television for coverage of these meetings, and

The large number of individual members who contributed to the success of the Seventy-Sixth Continental Congress.

APPRECIATION TO THE

CHAIRMAN OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Resolved, That the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution express to Mrs. Stanley T. Manlove its sincere appreciation for her gracious and capable direction as the Chairman of the Resolutions Committee.

REPORTS OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEES

AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH

On November 5, 1966, the President signed Public Law 89-768, which reads as follows: "Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of American in Congress assembled, that February, 1967 is hereby designated as American History Month, and the President of the United States is requested and authorized to issue a proclamation inviting the people of the United States to observe such month in schools and other suitable places with appropriate ceremonies and activities." Subsequently, the President issued a beautiful American History Month proclamation. We are very proud that the President and the Congress have seen fit to cooperate in the DAR sponsorship of February as American History Month, and we sincerely hope that this will become an annual event.

The chief project of the American History Month Committee was again the sponsorship of the annual American History Essay Contest for the fifth, sixth, seventh, and eighth grades. The subject was "American Naval Battles," a topic which proved to be immensely popular with students and teachers alike. The number of contestants rose to an all-time high of 68,234 students in 4,108 schools. Each national winner received a \$25 U.S. savings bond, and each of the 28 division winners was awarded a copy of The Golden Book of America. It is estimated that there were nearly 9,000 American History Essay Contest prizes awarded on the chapter, district, and State levels. These prizes in-

cluded historical books, DAR American history medals, DAR American history certificates, flags, pins, pens, and cash.

The American History Month Committee sponsors many thousands of awards for excellence in American history in schools all over the United States. During this past year, we gave 5,876 American history medals and 8,952 American history certificates, in addition to other awards such as historical books, cash, plaques, and scholarships. Other school participation increased significantly during the past year. There were 806 school assemblies on American history, 334 articles in school newspapers, 1,170 class discussions and many historical tours and classroom debates.

The spot announcements on American History published by this committee were a spectacular success. These were one-minute vignettes on American history prepared for use on each of the 28 days during February. They were used on 6,413 radio stations and also were promoted for use in the schools, both in classrooms and over loud-speaker systems. More than 1,700 schools used these spot announcements—a great increase over the previous year.

At the request of the DAR, an American History Month proclamation was issued by the governors of 44 States, 973 mayors or city managers and 75 other authorities. These proclamations stimulate interest in and appreciation of American History. The educational and public relations advantages were far more important than their legal effect.

The American History Month Committee, in cooperation with the DAR Public Relations Committee, requested many organizations and businesses to join with us in the promotion of American History Month by using the American History Month emblem on their advertising, menus, and programs during the month of February. This program met with fair success. For example, Trans World Airlines used the DAR American History Month emblem on its elaborate menus for the "Royal Ambassador" flights. For the first time, we supplied red, white, and blue DAR American History Month bumper strips, and these proved quite popular. Other promotional material included two television slides: "Washington Crossing the Delaware" and "The Spirit of '76." DAR members spent \$9,183.40 on American History Month activities. There were 2,393 American History Month displays arranged by the DAR in such places as libraries, schools, stores, banks, museums, churches, and post offices.

PHYLLIS SCHLAFLY
(Mrs. John Fred Schlafly),
Chairman

AMERICANA COLLECTION AND NSDAR ARCHIVES

The index of American Collection documents is virtually complete. Barring unexpected delays, it could be completed in two or three weeks. Since this index includes all names mentioned on the documents, it is expected that it will be the largest ever compiled. At present, it consists of over 7,000 names. Some documents, such as the Quaker wedding certificates, include the signatures of all those who attended the ceremonies and sometimes list over 70 persons; and numerous deeds name all owners of property bordering a certain plot

of land. These, of course, help to make the index of names extremely bulky. It is believed, however, that this name index will be a source of information that will have great genealogical value.

The remaining indexes will be typed on cards of different colors and will cover places, donors, and subjects. Some cross-indexing will, of course, be necessary, but it should not be as extensive as that necessitated by the variations in spelling covered by the index of names. These indexes should be completed in four or five months.

Some of the most noteworthy documents, such as the Thomas Jefferson-Gideon Granger, Esq., letter and the George Mason-Elbridge Gerry correspondence, are displayed in glass-fronted cases.

The picture of Archives Room activity may be altered to some extent when activities of the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission, created by the Congress on July 4, 1966, begin in earnest. This organization is directed and authorized to undertake a wide variety of activities associated with the period from 1766 to 1783, and it is expected that the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, will be called upon to provide some material for research from its collection of documents.

(Miss) MABEL E. WINSLOW,
Cataloger

CLEARING HOUSE

The Clearing House Committee met on April 18, 1966. A representative from the office of the National Defense Committee, the national chairman of the DAR Good Citizens Committee, and the national chairman of the Genealogical Records Committee were present.

The confusion that exists because of the DAR Good Citizen and the Good Citizenship Medal, which is issued from the office of the National Defense Committee, has never been cleared since the committee name was changed from "Girl Good Citizen Pilgrim" to "DAR Good Citizen." After some discussion, a change in name was recommended, but the national board decided that the name would be left as it is for the present.

The problem of having the two committees "Genealogical Records" and "Lineage Research" instead of one committee was discussed, but since the Lineage Research Committee was not represented no action could be taken.

Our discussion brought out the fact that so many committees are confusing to small chapters.

Present at the meeting were Mrs. George A. Kernodle, Mrs. James Skinner, Mrs. Norman D. Rinsland, and Mrs. Jack F Maddox, chairman.

MABEL S. MADDOX,
(Mrs. Jack F Maddox),
Chairman

CONSTITUTION WEEK

The reports from the seven national vice chairmen show that Constitution Week proclamations were issued by the governors of 42 States, the Board of Commissioners of Washington, D.C., and the

mayors of 1,420 cities and towns throughout the country. There were 1,881 chapters participating in the observance.

Newspaper publicity amounted to 33,137 column inches, with 2,701 articles and 732 pictures. Radio time was 343½ hours, with 7,326 spot announcements and over 900 special programs. Television time came to 162 hours, with 1,504 spot announcements and 357 special programs. Displays in banks, stores, libraries, schools, and on billboards, place mats, and milk cartons numbered 14,370.

Programs on the Constitution given by DAR chapters, schools, Scouts, and service clubs numbered 3,415. There was an increase in the interest of ministers and church groups to recognize Constitution Week by ads in church bulletins and in special portions of sermons. The reports showed cooperation by 1,474 ministers.

The seven national vice chairmen made scrapbooks on material sent to them by the State Societies in their districts. The two States with the highest points received awards.

(Miss) RUTH MARIE FIELD,
Chairman

DAR HANDBOOK

(See Report of First Vice President General)

DAR MEMBERSHIP COMMISSION

When the DAR Membership Commission was organized at the beginning of this administration, it was an experiment in coordinating the work of all those concerned with the membership effort. Now, after two years of trial, we can attest to the success of the experiment.

This commission, consisting of the chairmen of the Genealogical Records, Lineage Research, and Membership Committees, and of the two national officers whose work is included in this field—the organizing secretary general and the registrar general—met at the times of national board meetings and found mutual discussion extremely valuable.

The national commission, successful in itself, has urged the formation of similar commissions by the State DAR organizations and by the chapters. Its members have agreed that efforts to increase membership can be effective anywhere if intelligent planning and hard work go into the enterprise.

Following are some of the ideas offered to chapters:

(1) Establish a membership commission composed of those members in the chapter whose work has a bearing on membership. If the chapter regent is not to be the chairman of the commission, then she should appoint the person of the commission that she feels is best qualified for the responsibility.

(2) The commission should make definite plans before the beginning of the year. Will there be a special "guest day" with tea or lunch and a speaker from the Society who can create real interest in its work? Will members be asked to submit names of friends whom they would like to see members of the DAR. These women to have special invitations to a luncheon or tea where enthusiasm for DAR and the offer of lineage help is given? Will a chapter benefit be planned which will give publicity to the work of DAR and through which prospective members can be interested through participation? Will a seminar or workshop help to train chapter members and bring out other women who are interested in their forebears? What publicity can be arranged that will give the public the DAR story? Is a calling committee suggested?

(3) Because of the overlapping of duties, each member of the commission should understand and accept her particular responsibilities. This may be accomplished best by a discussion between the women themselves, but the regent may again need to delegate authority.

(4) Meetings of the commission should take place with some frequency in order to check results and make further plans. Its members should feel the challenge of the project and take pride in personal success and in the success of the "team."

(5) All members of a chapter should understand that the membership barometer fluctuates with losses as well as gains. Too often efforts are confined to the admission of new members while little concern is given to the prevention of resignation.

(6) It should be recognized that a new-member campaign has two definite parts: one of interesting potential members in the Society; the other of helping with papers.

It is generally the duty of the membership chairman to effect the first objective. She should know the DAR story and be equipped with the book *In Washington—The DAR Story* as well as other material such as the article on the DAR in the *National Geographic*, the fine article in the *Christian Science Monitor*, etc. She should have enthusiasm and persuasive ability. In some chapters, the registrar draws up the papers after the lineage research chairman has helped to establish the lineage of an applicant (few applicants can do this without assistance), but this division of duties is dependent upon the talents and availability of the women involved.

Let due honor be given those faithful members who, year after year, give of themselves to help new members. Many a chapter owes its life and growth to these dedicated women. When a chapter has only one such member and suddenly loses her, there is justifiable consternation. Indispensable stars should have understudies.

When there is no one in a chapter able and willing to help applicants with lineage and papers, someone must be persuaded to undertake training for the job; otherwise, the chapter is headed for membership loss and possible disbandment. A trainee should start by obtaining the valuable kit provided at a cost of two dollars by our national chairman of the Lineage Research Committee, Mrs. Ivan Johnson. There are many books on the means of tracing ancestry. Seminars and workshops are a great help. And there is no better teacher than experience.

The State Society membership commission can here be of great value to the chapters by urging the establishment of workshops and seminars, by planning conference days at the libraries, by providing speakers and materials. Some of our State Society commissions have, by organizing the membership work, changed the whole picture of DAR extension in their States.

We believe that the idea of teamwork in membership endeavor, both in the organization of chapters and the drive for members at national, State and chapter levels, has paid dividends. The national DAR Membership Commission believes that the splendid net gain in membership reported by the chairman of the Membership Committee may be largely attributed to the work of active membership commissions in the Society.

EVELYN C. PETERS
(Mrs. Albert Grover Peters),
Chairman

DAR PATRIOT INDEX

On January 29, 1966, the Executive Committee authorized the president general to establish a special committee to be known as the DAR Patriot Index Committee. On March 19, 1966, the president general appointed a chairman and five vice chairmen, who were carefully selected because of their excellent background in genealogy and lineage research.

The purpose of the committee was to publish an alphabetical index of the ancestor cards filed in the office of the registrar general. The index would comprise a complete list of all Revolutionary War soldiers whose services have been verified and accepted by the National Society.

The approximately 105,000 names listed date from the organizing of the National Society DAR in 1890 through June 1966.

Early in April 1966, before the opening of Continental Congress, estimates were received from several printing firms. The prepublication price of the index was set at \$5 per copy, and July 1, 1966, was established as the deadline for the numbered copies. As of that date, orders for over 2,500 numbered copies were received and filed. Early in June 1966, the work of copying the necessary information from the ancestor cards in the file of the registrar general's office was started. The typists were employed at \$10 a day. The copying of the cards continued through the summer months and was completed in September 1966.

At this point the manuscript had to be corrected and proofread. Many hours were spent by volunteers not only in correcting the manuscript but in doing additional research so that the information would be complete. Two months were needed to complete this work of correcting the manuscript. Two of the vice chairmen residing in the District of Columbia enrolled 15 qualified volunteers from District DAR chapters to assist with this work. We employed a good proofreader to help. When about 120 sheets were completed, they were sent to the printer to be set in type. Miss Eunice Haden, vice chairman, was in charge of contacting the printer and editing the manuscript; she was assisted by Mrs. Adolphus Bennett, also a vice chairman of the committee. By March 31, 1967, more than 4,900 manuscript pages had been completed and sent to the printer. Instead of the index having about 500 pages, as originally estimated, it will have more than 900 pages. Additional lines were added because some of our illustrious ancestors had so many wives. In addition to the ancestor's name, the index listing will provide information such as dates of birth and death, names of spouses, type of service, military rank attained, and the State in which the service was rendered.

The front pages of the index have been completed. The president general wrote the foreword. The key to using the *DAR Patriot Index* was written by the registrar general, Mrs. Albert Grover Peters. The preface, symbols, abbreviations of military rank were written and proofread by Miss Eunice Haden and Mrs. Adolphus Bennett.

The national vice chairmen secured the subscriptions, each working in the geographical divisions as set up in the *DAR Directory of Committees*. About 7,300 orders are in the file, and all funds for these orders have been deposited in the office of the treasurer general. The estimated cost of the index will be about \$50,000 for 10,000 books. This cost includes mailing, handling, typing, proofreading, postage,

telephoning, and miscellaneous items. All subscriptions will be mailed from Washington as soon as the book is released by the printers. The addressing of mailing labels for more than 7,000 orders was completed by March 31. This work was done by volunteers.

There is some doubt that the index will be finished by the April DAR Continental Congress. Mr. Krakosky of Goetz Printers has offered to make up a display board to show the DAR index in progress. We are hoping that all our members will understand the delay. Mr. Krakosky said, "The DAR Patriot Index is the biggest job on any press in Washington today."

This chairman handled all correspondence relating to the index. As many as 200 letters a week were received in the past six months, and all were answered. The work of editing the index was a delightful experience, and a great challenge.

We hope that all members will enjoy the index, and that its use will aid new members with their application papers. The main purpose of the index is to help increase membership in the National Society. The committee hopes to edit a supplement carrying the names of the Revolutionary War soldiers whose services have been verified and accepted from June 1966 to April 1968.

Appreciation is expressed to the president general, Mrs. William Henry Sullivan, Jr., the registrar general, Mrs. Albert Grover Peters, and the treasurer general, Mrs. Henry S. Jones, for their encouragement and faith in our new experience. We are also grateful to the staff in the registrar general's office, who gave advice when needed, and to all the volunteers of the District of Columbia chapters who assisted with the program; last, but not least, to my committee, a dedicated group of members who gave so generously of their time to help make the editing of the index a success—the first of its kind in the history of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.

FLORENCE CLARKE HARRIS
(Mrs. Frank L. Harris),
Chairman

DAR SCHOOL SURVEY

The DAR School Survey Committee initially felt that all schools should be asked to withdraw with the exception of our own two DAR Schools, Kate Duncan Smith and Tamasee. However, after this chairman's report to the national board and after the diamond jubilee DAR School tour last October the flood of letters received gave an entirely different picture. Extenuating circumstances always are acceptable, and suggestions are carefully considered. Our purpose was to ascertain if the schools were holding to the principles of our organization and if they needed and wanted our sponsorship. The results are now a matter of record and the recommendations of this committee are being considered by the executive board.

One of the recommendations was that each State DAR organization in which there is an accepted DAR school carefully investigate the school's views and teachings, try to improve the public opinion of the school, and be certain the school is living up to the views of the National Society. Another recommendation—because of mounting expenses, increased costs, and growing needs—was that the majority of

all contributions should be centered on the Kate Duncan Smith and Tamasee Schools.

For various seasons, all but two schools were recommended to be kept on the present list. This committee felt that Blue Ridge School in Virginia and Lincoln Memorial University in Tennessee were so well established that the service to the students would not be interrupted were the NSDAR to withdraw its sponsorship. Our purpose has been served and the need no longer exists. It is well established that those now contributing will continue to do so and the schools will not suffer financially. The recommendation was that these two schools—Blue Ridge and Lincoln Memorial—be commended on their progress through the years but be asked to withdraw from the present DAR list.

MARION M. BIEL,
(Mrs. John Garlin Biel),
Chairman.

DAR SPEAKERS' STAFF

Since this chairman's report a year ago, the committee has gathered great momentum and now numbers 77 members, with most areas covered. It could well be called "speakers' staff on DAR policies and current events," since the members have been actively engaged in speaking on both phases and in so doing have played an extremely effective role in public relations.

Briefly, the three objectives of this committee are to help promote the goal of 200,000 members in this administration, to act as a liaison between the National Society and the chapters by stimulating a greater interest and understanding at the chapter level of the functions and physical set-up of the DAR, and to speak before civic, non-DAR groups in order to educate the general public on the true DAR picture.

Although positive results may seem intangible and cannot be accurately measured in number of new members in relation to the first objective, the other two objectives have been amply covered, as evidenced in the reports to this chairman. The members have shown increasing activity in speaking to civic organizations in their communities. Among such organizations were Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs, Hadassah, Girl Scouts, professional womens' clubs, school groups, the SAR, and PTA groups.

It seems apparent that the accomplishments of the DAR are just as revealing to our own members as to the general public, which points up the necessity of constantly keeping them informed.

Included among the distinguished members of this committee are a representative in a state legislature, the dean of women of a university, the president of a state PTA, chairman of the board of trustees of both Kate Duncan Smith and Tamasee DAR Schools, and 14 members who currently are serving the National Society as vice presidents general.

Every chapter will receive a complete list of the members of the Speakers' Staff, but this chairman is appealing again to all State regents to recognize the members residing in their respective States who are serving on this committee by listing the names in their State year-books.

Each of these qualified and experienced staff members takes pride in the Society and recognizes its ever increasing potential, and each is

making her own distinctive contribution to the success of this committee. They consider it an honor that the National Society has placed this trust in them. It will be the culmination of all their efforts that will gauge the final effect on the organization.

My deep appreciation goes to all those at headquarters, and particularly to Mrs. Yochim in the corresponding secretary general's office, who, in their respective departments, have been responsible for all the mailings and pertinent information sent to the members of this committee.

JEANNETTE O. BAYLIES
(Mrs. George U. Baylies),
Chairman

FRIENDS OF THE MUSEUM

Two new State chairmen from New York and Wisconsin, were added to the Friends of the Museum Committee during the past year. In the majority of the States, the chairman of the DAR Museum Committee also carries on the work of the Friends of the Museum Committee, and in most instances the chairmen have done an excellent task. In some States, however, little or no work has been done; and this is most discouraging, especially when the information contained in the packet letter is not sent to the chapter chairmen. Such information is absolutely necessary if the latter are to understand and promote the work.

Several of the State chairmen have sent me copies of their letters to the chapter chairman and I have found these most helpful.

In June, my letter of instructions and suggestions to be included in the packet letters to the State chairmen, together with the forms for listing names and addresses of subscribers to the Friends of the Museum, was sent to the president general.

The correspondence of your chairman was heavy this past year but all letters were answered. Also, letters of instruction were sent to all district division national vice chairmen of this committee.

I had the privilege of speaking to two chapters and at one district meeting in Pennsylvania on the work of the committee.

Forty-three State Societies reported the work of the Friends of the Museum Committee. Four State Societies that reported in the preceding year made no report for the past year, but reports were received from four other State Societies. Twenty-five reports gave more information than in the previous year, while eleven reports gave less information.

A total of \$5,100.32 was subscribed for the work of this committee.

ELIZABETH HOPKINS BAKER
(Mrs. Allen Langdon Baker),
Chairman.

PROGRAM REVIEWING

During the past year the Program Reviewing Committee received 55 pieces of material from 52 chapters in 26 States. This shows the wide-spread interest in the work of the committee. State Societies that sent in the most material were Mississippi, Missouri, Kentucky, and Virginia.

The program topics ranged through the entire scope of DAR work, but emphasis was on historical subjects. American music was in general use as a subject, and several good papers on national heroes were received. The greatest number of papers were on the Constitution and what happened to its signers. The Christmas programs were excellent. A number of chapters presented manuscripts with an historical and educational background, and these made a valuable addition to our files in the program office.

The members of the Program Reviewing Committee are gratified to note the high quality of the programs being given in our chapters and the interest displayed in every phase of DAR work.

RUTH MALCOLM FLEMING
(Mr. James Surran Fleming),
Chairman.

REVISION OF BYLAWS

The Committee on Revision of Bylaws received and considered carefully all proposals for amendments to the bylaws. The four principal items were put into technical form and reported to the national board of management at the meeting of February 1, 1967. Three items were approved for submission to the Continental Congress.

The most important proposal concerns membership at large. For some time it has been thought that a member admitted at large is given very little to stimulate her interest in the Society and almost no opportunity for service; thus, the Society is deprived of a vast source of latent ability. It is believed that both the members and the Society would greatly benefit if members are admitted at large only for the purpose of organizing a new chapter. If adopted, this amendment would not affect the status of members at large, nor would it prevent a chapter member from transferring to that status.

The committee is indebted to Mrs. Henry M. Robert, Jr., adviser, and to Mrs. U. Amel Rothermel, national parliamentarian, who has been a consultant to the committee.

ANNE S. MUSGRAVE
(Mrs. George W. S. Musgrave),
Chairman.

SEVENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

The 75th anniversary of the founding of the National Society was celebrated with a number of outstanding events and special activities during the official Diamond Jubilee Year, from October 11, 1965, through October 11, 1966. Many of these took place during the first six months and were described in the report for the previous year.

The second half of our jubilee year culminated with the eagerly anticipated reopening of the newly decorated and air-conditioned Constitution Hall, and the first concert of the season of the National Symphony Orchestra last October 11. It was a truly gala event for members of the DAR as well as thousands of District residents; and it was a brilliant conclusion for the NSDAR Diamond Jubilee Year.

Nearly all of the State Societies inaugurated their anniversary projects early in the fall of 1965, and most of their major undertakings were completed before the opening of the 75th Continental Congress and

were reported last year. The report of the president general cited some of the many and unique achievements on record by this "diamond jubilee" administration. Special mention must go to the State Societies of Illinois, Maryland, Pennsylvania, and New Mexico for excellence in the work and special projects accomplished.

JANE E. BARROW
(Mrs. Edward R. Barrow),
Chairman

TRUSTEES OF THE PENSION TRUST FUND

As trustees of the Pension Trust Fund of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, we herewith submit the accompanying statement of cash receipts and disbursements for the year ended February 28, 1967.

ADELE ERB SULLIVAN
President General, NSDAR
SARA RODDIS JONES
Treasurer General, NSDAR
ERMA O'N. ASH
Clerk to Personnel Committee
Trustees

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS, YEAR ENDED FEBRUARY 28, 1967

Receipts:

Contribution from the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.....	\$16,519.92
Employees contributions.....	1,503.80
Net income from investments.....	242.50
Total receipts.....	18,266.22

Disbursements:

Insurance premiums.....	11,623.46
Employees pension.....	600.00
Portion of Society contribution paid to employees withdrawing from fund.....	6,248.92
Total disbursements.....	18,472.38
Excess of disbursements over receipts.....	(206.16)
Balance, Mar. 1, 1966.....	10,351.77
Total balance, Feb. 28, 1967.....	\$10,145.61

Balance consists of:

Cash—The Riggs National Bank:	
Trustees account.....	\$2,379.95
State Mutual Assurance Company account.....	1,265.66
	\$3,645.61
Investments, at cost which approximates market:	
U.S. Treasury notes, 3.75 percent, due Aug. 15, 1967.....	3,984.00
U.S. Treasury bonds, 3.875 percent, due May 15, 1968.....	1,987.50
U.S. Treasury bonds, 3 percent, due Feb. 15, 1995.....	500.00
Uninvested cash.....	28.50
	6,500.00
	\$10,145.61

National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution
Washington, D.C.

We have examined the financial statements of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution listed below:

Statement of current and special funds (Pages 10 and 11) for the year ended February 28, 1967

Supporting statements of current and special fund cash receipts and disbursements and supporting schedules (Pages 2 to 9 and 12 to 24) for the year ended February 28, 1967

Schedule of investments (Pages 25 and 26) as of February 28, 1967

Statement of cash receipts and disbursements of the Trustees, National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution Pension Trust Fund (Page 27) for the year ended February 28, 1967

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included confirmations from depositaries and custodians of cash and investments held at February 28, 1967, and such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

The statements and supporting schedules have been prepared generally on the cash receipts and disbursements basis and therefore do not purport to present the results of operations as they would appear had generally accepted accrual basis accounting principles been applied. Cash receipts and disbursements do not include dispositions and acquisitions of securities respectively except for gains or losses thereon.

In our opinion the aforementioned statements and supporting schedules present fairly the cash balances and investments at February 28, 1967 and the information set forth therein for the year then ended on the basis indicated which is consistent with that of the preceding year.

LYBRAND, ROSS BROS. & MONTGOMERY.

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 31, 1967.

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS, YEAR ENDED FEBRUARY 28, 1967

Receipts:	
Contribution from the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution	\$10,519.42
Employees contributions	1,508.20
Net income from investments	242.50
Total receipts	12,268.12
Disbursements:	
Insurance premiums	11,628.40
Employees pension fund	600.00
Portion of Society contribution paid to employees withdrawing from fund	6,248.92
Total disbursements	18,477.32
Excess of disbursements over receipts	(308.10)
Balance Mar. 1, 1966	10,321.77
Total balance, Feb. 28, 1967	\$10,013.67

Balance consists of:

Cash—The First National Bank	\$378.95
Trustees accounts	1,250.00
State Mutual Assurance Company account	8,384.72
Total	\$10,013.67

Investments at cost which approximate market:

U.S. Treasury notes, 3.75 percent due Aug. 15, 1967	3,254.00
U.S. Treasury bonds, 3.25 percent due May 15, 1968	1,827.50
U.S. Treasury bonds, 3 percent due Feb. 15, 1968	600.00
Uninvested cash	28.17
Total	\$5,909.67

ANNUAL DAR AWARDS PRESENTATIONS

AWARDS PRESENTED TO STUDENTS AT U.S. SERVICE ACADEMIES

U.S. Naval Academy: Midshipman First Class Stephen Trygve Holl, Minneapolis, Minnesota, for the highest rating in the operations analysis courses.

PART II

U.S. Military Academy: Captain William H. Wick, Rockford, Ohio, for the highest rating in mechanics of flight.

DAR OVERSEAS UNITS

U.S. Air Force Academy: Captain Michael C. Francisco, San Antonio, Texas, for the highest rating in aerodynamics.

UNITS OVERSEAS

Unfortunately, our overseas group has dwindled this year, as the Canal Zone Chapter was forced to disband, due to circumstances beyond its control.

Although its membership was widely scattered, the unit in England continued to carry on its long traditions. As usual, Washington's birthday was celebrated by a luncheon at which a representative of the American Embassy spoke. In July, the vice regent entertained American ladies on tour in London at dinner and at Albert Hall for a performance of "Parsifal." Later, an organ recital was arranged for a visiting member of the SAR. The DAR Good Citizenship Medal was presented at Lakenheath School and a wreath was laid at the American Cemetery at Brookwood.

The members in France, who are increasing in numbers, continued their work at the USO and were particularly interested in the Children of the American Revolution. They were meticulous in observing all patriotic holidays, and they placed wreaths in the American Cemetery. Their cultural programs were extensive and varied. The American Ambassador, His Excellency Charles Bohlen, attended the Fourth of July program.

The Mexico chapter sent food each week to the 65 little girls at the Hogar del Consuelo, and at Christmas the members gave them sweaters, toys, a "Posada," and their Christmas dinner. The DAR in Mexico can do this through their participation in the United Community Fund, through which they also help a polio victim with her operations, shoes and braces, and her education. American history contest awards were presented by the American Ambassador on the Fourth of July, and again Boston baked beans were prepared and sold. On Memorial Day, a wreath was laid at the American Military Cemetery, and on February 22nd, after the ceremony at the George Washington Monument, cherry pies were baked and served, the members wearing colonial costumes. Three hours of radio coverage and 1,400 column inches of publicity in the press were recorded. In addition to all this local activity, the chapter contributed to the national DAR projects.

ADELAIDE LAWRENCE CUFF
(Mrs. Frank B. Cuff),
Chairman

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ANNUAL DAR AWARDS PRESENTATIONS

AWARDS PRESENTED TO STUDENTS AT U.S. SERVICE ACADEMIES

- U.S. Naval Academy: Midshipman First Class Stephen Trygve Holl, Minneapolis, Minnesota, for the highest rating in the operations analysis courses.
- U.S. Military Academy: Cadet Ronald L. Weitz, Rockford, Ohio, for the highest rating in mechanics of fluids.
- U.S. Air Force Academy: Second Lieutenant Michael C. Francisco, San Antonio, Texas, the outstanding cadet in aerodynamics.
- U.S. Coast Guard Academy: Cadet J. A. Fetters for the highest proficiency in seamanship.
- U.S. Merchant Marine Academy: Engineer Cadet Raymond L. Bievenour, York, Pennsylvania, for highest proficiency in naval science and tactics.
- U.S. Marine Corps: Eugene O. Wright, Sheridan, Wyoming, and Gary C. Carpenter, Canandaigua, New York, top winners in the Platoon Leaders Class.
- Officer Candidate School of U.S. Coast Guard: Ensign Erno R. Bonbakker and Ensign James E. Spofford, for highest average in theoretical and practical seamanship or attainment of the highest proficiency in seamanship, damage control, and gunnery.

WINNERS OF HISTORICAL ESSAY CONTEST ON THE SUBJECT
"AMERICAN NAVAL BATTLES"

The national winners, each of whom received a \$25 U.S. savings bond, were: for fifth grade, Dale Alexander, Victoria, Texas; for sixth grade, Michelle Mentzer, Beverly Hills, California; for seventh grade, Ellen Sullivan, Whitneyville, Maine; and for eighth grade, Evans Simmons, Carnegie, Georgia.

NSDAR AMERICAN HISTORY SCHOLARSHIP WINNER

The first winner of the \$8,000 NSDAR American History Scholarship was Joan Ellen Reynolds, Alhambra, California.

DAR "GOOD CITIZEN" AWARD

In addition to the \$1,000 scholarship, the National Society presented a five-inch sterling silver Paul Revere bowl engraved "National DAR Good Citizen, 1967." The award was received by Emmalee Shanks, Mobile, Alabama.

SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS BY THE NATIONAL SOCIETY

The National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, presented a posthumous award to Walt Disney, a man of vision and creative genius and whose faithful dedication to the American ideal will be cherished always by the National Society.

The National Society presented a citation to Hugh O'Brian, television and film personality, in recognition of his versatility and competence as an actor and for his outstanding performance in "Africa—Texas Style."

PART III

GRAVES OF SOLDIERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION LOCATED FROM MARCH 1, 1966, TO MARCH 1, 1967

The gathering of data on unmarked Revolutionary soldiers' graves commands special attention, as this is not a public service but constitutes a continuing task entrusted to the DAR long ago. It is done specifically for the U.S. Government, no federal bureau, department, or other agency having this responsibility. (Wars other than the American Revolution are covered through Government for this service.)

Locating and marking Revolutionary graves by DAR was started in 1897-98. During the first year 32 graves were reported; in the interim the number has run to 8,000 in one year. New ones recorded now usually average more than 200 per year. Location of graves is not confined, as might be supposed, to the east coast and the 13 Original Colony States. A number have been verified west of the Mississippi, even into Canada. The number of States represented yearly now ranges between 20 and 30.

Between March 1, 1966, and March 1, 1967, the DAR located 137 graves of soldiers of the American Revolution in 21 States. Data on those located graves are provided in the following tabulation:

Graves of soldiers of the American Revolution located between March 1, 1966, and March 1, 1967

ALABAMA

Name of soldier	Birth	Death	Buried	Service and additional facts
Clark, Thomas H.....	Feb. 14, 1765.....	Sept. 15, 1859.....	Bonecamp Cemetery, Northport, Tuscaloosa County.	Served 3 years, South Carolina.
Hannah, Robert Cunningham.....	Apr. 1, 1761.....	Mar. 25, 1841.....	Mount Zion Cemetery, Hale County.....	Lieutenant; served under Maj. William Hanna and Col. William Brattons, South Carolina. Pensioner No. 22290.
Inge, Richard.....	1754.....	Aug. 13, 1833.....	Greenwood Cemetery, Tuscaloosa.....	Soldier; member of legislature, 1825.
Morrow, Samuel.....	1743.....	Mar. 8, 1835.....	do.....	Served throughout war; South Carolina.

CONNECTICUT

Barnes (Barns), Thomas.....	1733.....	Mar. 7, 1807.....	Sharon Cemetery, Sharon.....	Private; served in Capt. Jacob Brackett's company, Colonel Wadsworth's brigade, Connecticut.
Cartwright, Samuel.....	1741.....	Jan. 17, 1819.....	Cartwright Cemetery, Sharon.....	Served in General Montgomery's expedition to Canada, and was in Battle of Quebec; Connecticut.
Chapman, Nehemiah.....	1733.....	Nov. 28, 1821.....	do.....	Minuteman and volunteer, 1776.
Coleman (Colman), Josiah.....	1733.....	Feb. 23, 1818.....	do.....	Private; served in Captain Robbins' company, Connecticut.
Edmond, Andrew.....	Oct. 4, 1740.....	June 28, 1814.....	Pachaug Cemetery, Preston.....	Captain, 3d Company of Trainband, 21st Regiment, Connecticut.
Elliott, Samuel.....	1752.....	Apr. 22, 1812.....	Sharon Cemetery, Sharon.....	Private; served in Col. Elisha Sheldon's regiment, and in dragoons, 2d Troops, and in artillery, 1777-83.
Elmore, Samuel, Jr.....	Aug. 7, 1752.....	Apr. 28, 1777.....	Green's Farm Cemetery, Danbury.....	Lieutenant; Captain Woodbridge's company. Killed in Danbury, Conn., raid.
Fisher, Barzillai.....	Jan. 16, 1730.....	Jan. 21, 1813.....	Old Westfield Cemetery, Killingly.....	Private; Connecticut.
Gillett (Gillette), Jonathan.....	1725.....	Dec. 31, 1814.....	Sharon Cemetery, Sharon.....	Lieutenant; served in 6th Company of Capt. Abijah Rowlee, Connecticut.
Goodrich, David.....	Feb. 12, 1720.....	June 17, 1777.....	do.....	Served under Lt. David Strong. Killed in Battle of Brandywine, Connecticut.
Hall, Elisha.....	Sept. 15, 1730.....	Jan. 19, 1800.....	St. Peter's Episcopal Cemetery, Cheshire.....	Captain of 10th Militia Regiment, Connecticut.
Hamlin, Benjamin.....	1759.....	Oct. 6, 1820.....	Boland Cemetery, Sharon.....	Served in Connecticut. Pensioner.
Lovell, Joshua.....	1763.....	Feb. 23, 1838.....	Pine Swamp Cemetery, Sharon.....	Teamster; served under his father, John Lovell, New York.
Moulton, Truman.....	Feb. 10, 1765.....	Nov. 28, 1844.....	Ellsworth Cemetery, Sharon.....	Served in war, as shown by the Deane list of soldiers, Connecticut.
Norton, Silas.....	1740.....	July 11, 1810.....	do.....	Served in war, as shown on a list of Connecticut State Library.
Patchen, Abel.....	1752.....	Apr. 9, 1805.....	Sharon Cemetery, Sharon.....	Captain; 6th Company, 14th Regiment, Connecticut.
Pennyoyr, John.....	1754.....	Jan. 12, 1787.....	do.....	Served in Maj. Fisher Gay's company, Connecticut.
Pettitt (Pettit), Samuel.....	1738.....	July 8, 1826.....	do.....	Private; served under Capt. Nehemiah Beardsley, 9th Company, 5th Regiment, Connecticut.
St. John, Thomas.....	1762.....	Oct. 9, 1820.....	Ellsworth Cemetery, Sharon.....	Private; served in Capt. Ezekiel Olcott's company, Connecticut.
Smith, David.....	1752.....	Apr. 3, 1825.....	Sharon Cemetery, Sharon.....	Private; served in Capt. David Welch's 4th Company. Captain; in Col. Samuel Elmore's regiment, 1776. Also served in Capt. Benjamin Mills' company, Connecticut.
White, Israel.....	1723.....	Feb. 5, 1820.....	do.....	Private; served in Capt. Gamaliel Northrup's company, Connecticut.
White, John.....	1754.....	Apr. 27, 1812.....	Boland Cemetery, Sharon.....	Private; served in Capt. Ed Roger's company, Connecticut.
Williams, William.....	1747.....	Oct. 17, 1796.....	Sharon Cemetery, Sharon.....	Private; served in Capt. David Down's company, Burrell's regiment. Taken prisoner at The Cedars, Canada, May 19, 1776, and exchanged.

GEORGIA

Barksdale, Joseph	1741	1800	Cemetery in Hancock County	Private; served in Virginia Militia.
Gascock, Thomas, Sr.	1756	1810	Cemetery at his country place, "The Mills", 4 miles northwest of Augusta, Richmond County.	Lieutenant, 1st Georgia Regiment; also served in 1st Continental Dragoons.
Holcomb, Jordan	Nov. 19, 1792	July 3, 1846	Alta Vista Cemetery, Gainesville, Hall County	Private; served in Capt. John Lawson's company, Colonel Thomas' South Carolina regiment. Pension No. S31731.

ILLINOIS

Gillham, Isaac	Oct. 17, 1757	Sept. 16, 1845	Wanda Cemetery, South Roxann, Madison County.	Private; served in Col. Thomas Neale's regiment, South Carolina.
Gillham, James	1752	1813	do	Horseman; served in Colonel Brandon's regiment, South Carolina.
Gillham, Thomas, Jr.	May 17, 1749	Nov. 30, 1828	do	Lieutenant; served in Capt. Jacob Barnett's company, Virginia.

INDIANA

Jacob, Jeremiah, Jr.	1745	Dec. 30, 1824	New Chapel Church Cemetery, Watson, Clark County.	Patriot; signed the Oath of Allegiance and Fidelity on the list of the "Most Worshipful" Richard Davis of Washington County, Md.
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KENTUCKY

Mefford, George	1757	1814	Washington Cemetery, Mason, Grant County	Private; served in Capt. James Hopkins' company, 5th Battalion, under Colonel Crooks, Washington County, Pa.
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MAINE

Moore, John	1748	Mar. 9, 1823	Family cemetery near Parsonsfield, York County.	Private; served under Capt. Nathan Watkins, Colonel Phinney, Massachusetts.
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MARYLAND

Drane, James, Jr.	1755	October 1828	Zion Lutheran Cemetery, Accident, Garrett County.	2d lieutenant; Middle Battalion, Prince Georges County, Md., Militia.
Friend, John, Sr.	About 1732	After 1808	Friend Cemetery, Friendsville, Garrett County	Private; served under Capt. Charles Colson, Maryland.
Stansbury, Caleb	1754	1845	Westminster Cemetery, Westminster, Carroll County.	Patriot; took oath of allegiance in Baltimore County, 1778.

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MASSACHUSETTS

Name of soldier	Birth	Death	Buried	Service and additional facts
Bassett, John	Nov. 4, 1753	Oct. 9, 1805	Ancient Cemetery, Yarmouth	Private; served under Capt. Joshua Gray, Massachusetts.
Bray, Edmund	Aug. 21, 1740	July 28, 1821	do	Private; served in Capt. Lot Crowell's company, Col. Nathaniel Freeman's regiment. Patriot; member of committee to bar tea from town, Massachusetts.
Eldridge, Barnabas	May 19, 1738	July 13, 1797	do	Captain; served in 1st Yarmouth Company, Col. Joseph Otis' regiment, Massachusetts.
Gage, Ebenezer	Oct. 17, 1752	Nov. 1, 1830	Woodside Cemetery, Yarmouth	Private; served in Capt. Elisha Hedge's company, Massachusetts.
Gorham, Isaac	Apr. 30, 1752	July 11, 1814	Ancient Cemetery, Yarmouth	Private; served in Capt. Joshua Gray's company of minutemen, Massachusetts.
Hall, Isaac	Jan. 5, 1740	Nov. 27, 1826	do	Private; served under Elisha Hedge, Massachusetts.
Hallet, Barnabas	Dec. 27, 1757	Sept. 20, 1795	do	Private; served in Capt. Joseph Palmer's company, Col. John Cushing's regiment, Massachusetts.
Hallet, Charles	Apr. 4, 1751	Nov. 15, 1821	do	Corporal; served in Capt. Nathan Winslow's company, Col. Josiah Whitney's regiment, Massachusetts.
Hallet, Ebenezer	May 22, 1750	Oct. 29, 1832	do	Private; served in Capt. Lot Crowell's company, Col. Nathaniel Freeman's regiment, Massachusetts.
Hallet, Edward	Apr. 6, 1747	Mar. 8, 1796	do	Served in Capt. Lot Crowell's company, Massachusetts.
Hallet, James	Sept. 11, 1752	Nov. 18, 1824	do	Private; served in Capt. Elisha Hedge's company, Massachusetts.
Hallet, Jonathan	June 13, 1751	Dec. 27, 1837	Ancient Cemetery, Yarmouth	Served in Capt. Lot Crowell's company, Massachusetts; also served as private in Capt. Joshua Gray's company of minutemen.
Hawes, Joseph	Oct. 11, 1758	Mar. 11, 1850	do	Private; served under Capt. Elisha Hedge, Colonel Freeman's regiment, Massachusetts.
Hedge, Elisha	Jan. 9, 1735	Sept. 4, 1807	do	Served in 1st Yarmouth Company of Massachusetts militia.
Hedge, Thomas	Apr. 14, 1754	Nov. 19, 1795	do	Private; served in Capt. Joshua Gray's company of minutemen, Massachusetts.
Mathews, Atkins	May 21, 1762	Apr. 11, 1833	do	At age 18, engaged for town of Yarmouth under command of Captain Clark Massachusetts.
Mathews, Ebenezer	Dec. 6, 1743	June 4, 1819	do	Private; served in Capt. Elisha Hedge's company, Colonel Freeman's regiment, Massachusetts.
Müller, Elisha	Aug. 13, 1746	May 30, 1813	do	Private; served in Continental Army in Col. Nathaniel Freeman's regiment Massachusetts.
Rider, Reuben	Oct. 2, 1762	Aug. 11, 1822	do	Private; served in Capt. Joseph Franklin's company, Col. Nathan Tyler's regiment, Massachusetts.
Sears, Moody	May 6, 1734	Nov. 27, 1795	do	Served in Capt. Lot Crowell's company, Col. Nathaniel Freeman's regiment, Massachusetts.
Taylor, Benjamin	Mar. 17, 1738	May 26, 1814	do	Private; served in Capt. Elisha Hedge's company, Colonel Freeman's regiment, Massachusetts.

MICHIGAN

Lord, Richard E.....	Jan. 14, 1765.....	Sept. 6, 1843.....	Gillet Cemetery, corner Sharon Hollow and Sharon Valley Roads, Sharon township, Washtenaw County.	Served in 2d Regiment, Connecticut Line. Later served under Lt. Col. Isaac Shermans and Col. Zebulon Butler.
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MISSOURI

Farrar, Leonard.....	Apr. 4, 1764.....	Apr. 30, 1836.....	Giersha Cemetery, St. Johns Township, Franklin County.	Private; Served under Captains Frost and Burns (or Barnett) and Colonels Hampton and Tucker, North Carolina and Virginia.
Mahan, James.....	1755.....	Dec. 17, 1839.....	Liggett Cemetery, Livingston County.....	Private, Indian spy; served under Captains Drenin, Aston, Gibson, Scott, McFarland, and Farrell; Colonel Sevier. Virginia and North Carolina. Pensioner.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Tenney (Tenny), David.....	May 15, 1759.....	Mar. 14, 1851.....	Village Cemetery, Grafton County.....	Private; served under Captain Freeman, New Hampshire.
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NEW JERSEY

Bryan, Joseph.....	May 22, 1753.....	Apr. 27, 1829.....	Caldwell Cemetery, Essex County.....	Private; also gave food and shelter to General Washington's troops encamped on his land.
Gardner, Elijah.....	1757.....	1804.....	Weehawken Cemetery, North Bergen, Hudson County.	Private and corporal; served under Capts. Isaac Gillam and Thomas Williams, Essex County, New Jersey Militia.

NEW YORK

Carmer, Abraham.....	Jan. 1, 1760.....	Sept. 11, 1848.....	Clarence Center Cemetery, Clarence, Erie County.	Private; served in Capt. Jonathan Holmes' company, Lt. Col. John W. Cummings' regiment, New Jersey Continental Line.
Decker, Evert.....	Oct. 28, 1753.....	Aug. 11, 1832.....	Brunswick Church Cemetery, Shawangunk, Ulster County.	Private; served in 4th Ulster County Regiment under Col. Johannes Jansen, New York.
Felton, John, Sr.....	Nov. 9, 1741.....	1820.....	Hillcrest Cemetery, Clarence.....	Private and corporal; New Hampshire.
Gallop, Nathaniel.....	Sept. 23, 1760.....	Oct. 19, 1843.....	Beeman, Salt Road Cemetery, Clarence.....	Private; served in Capt. Stephen Sheldon's company, Captain Olney's regiment, Rhode Island Militia. Volunteer; in Captain Briggs' company, Col. Samuel Robinson's regiment of Vermont Militia.
Harris, Asa.....	1762.....	Dec. 15, 1812.....	Harris Hill Cemetery, Clarence.....	Private; served in Col. Bradford Whiting's 17th New York Regiment of King's District, Albany County, N.Y., General Schuyler's division.

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NEW YORK—Continued

Name of soldier	Birth	Death	Buried	Service and additional facts
Herrick, Benjamin	1756	Jan. 30, 1811	Smithfield Cemetery, opposite Presbyterian Church, Dutchess County.	Served in Dutchess County Militia, 6th Regiment, New York. Signed papers of Association in Amelia Precinct, Dutchess County, N.Y.
Holmes, Asa	1755	Dec. 24, 1823	Spencer's Corner Cemetery, Millerton, Dutchess County.	Listed in Hartford Library—New York Revolutionary Soldiers.
Jones, Edward	1735	July 9, 1811	Smithfield Cemetery, opposite Presbyterian Church, Dutchess County.	Served in 1st Line Regiment of Col. Goose Van Schaick, New York.
Kittinger, Casper	Jan. 2, 1753	June 7, 1830	Skinnerville Cemetery, Skinnerville (moved from Eggertsville Cemetery).	Private in Pennsylvania Militia, attached to General Washington's command when he marched to meet Lord Howe.
Mallery (Mallery), Samuel	Jan. 27, 1744	May 5, 1822	Old Corley Mallery Homestead Cemetery, intersection of Mallery and Punsit Roads, 3½ miles south of Spencertown, Austerlitz Township, Columbia County.	Sergeant; served in 9th Regiment, Albany County Militia, under Col. Peter Van Ness, New York.
St. John, Samuel	1752	Oct. 6, 1785	Amenia Cemetery, Amenia	Private; served in Capt. Matthew Mead's 5th Company of Col. David Waterbury's 5th Regiment, Connecticut.
Van Campen, Moses	Jan. 21, 1575	Oct. 15, 1849	Angelica Cemetery, Allegheny County	Lieutenant; served under Capt. Thomas Robinson, Pennsylvania.
Vedder, Arent S.	Aug. 14, 1735	Nov. 11, 1811	Niskayuna Reformed Church Cemetery, Schenectady County.	Served as 2d lieutenant in Capt. Thomas Brower Banker's company, 2d Regiment, Albany County Militia, New York.

NORTH CAROLINA

Bushee, Consider	May 10, 1763	July 8, 1846	Surles Family Cemetery (southwest corner), near Hanna's pond, Dunn, Harnett County.	Private and corporal; Rhode Island.
Gill, Levi	Apr. 7, 1742	Nov. 13, 1784	Christ Episcopal Churchyard, New Bern	Served as prison guard, Jan. 8, 1771; was paid for service, rations, and horse in November 1777.
Ormand, Benjamin	Apr. 22, 1745	Sept. 2, 1829	Old Providence Cemetery, 12 miles south of Charlotte.	Patriot; furnished supplies to soldiers, North Carolina.

PENNSYLVANIA

Alden, Mason Fitch	Nov. 21, 1750	June 14, 1812	Overfield Cemetery, Meshoppen, Wyoming County.	Private in Capt. John Franklin's regiment; sergeant under Capt. Edward Eells, Connecticut.
Alden, Prince	Oct. 28, 1718	May 22, 1804	do.	Private; served in Capt. John Franklin's company, Pennsylvania.
Avery, Solomon	June 17, 1729	Dec. 23, 1798	Tunkhannock Cemetery, Tunkhannock, Wyoming County.	Patriot; Connecticut. Obtained funds to build fort, and ammunition.
Carney, John	1742	July 24, 1826	Carney Flats Cemetery, Tunkhannock, Wyoming County.	Lieutenant; Northampton County, Pennsylvania Militia.

Dessinger, George.....	1747.....	1816.....	Reformed Cemetery, Schafferstown.....	Ensign in a local company of Associates commanded by Capt. Henry Slaffer Pennsylvania.
Dixon, Marshall.....	About 1759.....	June 7, 1834.....	Dixon Cemetery, Tunkhannock.....	Private; served under Capt. Samuel Lawrence, New York Line, and in Col. Thaddeus Crane's New York regiment, Pensioner. Served in Connecticut and New York troops. Pension No. 25,537.
Doolittle, David.....	Jan. 21, 1765.....	May 1, 1851.....	Doolittle Hill Cemetery, Braintrim township, Mehoopany.	
Ely, Gabriel.....	1756.....	Sept. 27, 1842.....	Lemon Cemetery, Tunkhannock.....	Private; served under Capts. Zacharian Hungerford, and Lee Lay, Connecticut. Corporal; Capt. Kirkland's company of volunteers.
Evans, John.....	Aug. 1738.....	Dec. 6, 1817.....	South Eaton Cemetery, Wyoming County.....	Private; served under Col. Israel Shreever, 2d Regiment, New Jersey.
Fassel, Josiah.....	Aug. 10, 1761.....	Aug. 24, 1823.....	Scottsville Cemetery, Wyoming County.....	Member of artillery. Fought at Brooklyn, N.Y. when British came up the Sound. Signed oath of Allegiance, Berks County, Pa., 1777.
Fetterolf (Feterolff), Peter.....	Mar. 20, 1699.....	Aug. 15, 1784.....	Private cemetery on farm of Florence and Jacob Henry, Hereford Township, Berks County.	
Fortner, Benjamin.....	1755.....	July 10, 1835.....	Brown Cemetery, Mifflinville, Columbia County.	Private; served under Capts. William Nyce, George Ribble, and Samuel Kirkendall, Major Spencer; Col. John Smith, Jacob West, and N. F. N. Bott, Sussex County, N.J. Pensioner.
Fry, John Martin, Jr.....	Feb. 12, 1754.....	Dec. 21, (1830-32).....	Bergstrasse Churchyard, Ephrata, Lancaster County.	Private; fought in Battles of Long Island, Fort Washington, Trenton, Princeton, Brandywine, and Germantown.
Gaylord, Ambrose.....	Nov. 21, 1756.....	June 12, 1844.....	Overfield Cemetery, Meshoppen.....	Private; served in Captain Ramson's company, Col. Zebulon Butler's regiment, Connecticut. Pensioner.
Gramley (Gramlich), Francis (Franz).....	1756.....	1833.....	Lutheran Cemetery, Rebersburg, Miles Township, Center County.	Private; served in North Hampton County, Pennsylvania Militia, 3d Battalion, under Lt. Col. Nicholas Kern.
Halstead (Hallstead), Samuel.....	Dec. 7, 1761.....	1861.....	B. E. Steven's Farm Cemetery, Nicholson.....	Entered service at age 15 served to end of war.
Harding, Elisha.....	Aug. 17, 1763.....	Aug. 9, 1839.....	Eaton Cemetery, Tunkhannock.....	Boy patriot, helped to erect Fort Jenkins in Pennsylvania.
Jenks, John Seymour.....	June 1768-70.....	Oct. 19, 1843.....	Rogers' Cemetery, Center Moreland.....	Drummer; served under Captain Benton, Colonel Sherman's 5th Regiment, Connecticut Continental Line. Pensioner.
Keeler, Paul.....	Apr. 9, 1756.....	Nov. 16, 1812.....	Harris Farm Cemetery, Falls, Wyoming County.....	Trumpeter in Sheldon's Light Horse, Col. David Waterbury's regiment.
Kehl, Jacob.....	Sept. 15, 1756.....	Apr. 1, 1835.....	Union Cemetery, Rebersburg, Berks County.....	Private; served under Captains Miller and Leshar, Colonels Spyker, Lower, and Yeager; Pennsylvania.
Kinney (Keeney), Mark.....	May 1, 1740.....	Oct. 7, 1804.....	Lacy Street Cemetery, Lacyville, Braintrim Township, Wyoming County.	Served in Connecticut.
Love, Henry.....	1745.....	December 1808.....	Vaughn's Cemetery, Mehoopany, Wyoming County.	Private; served under Captain Proctor, Pennsylvania.
Morehouse, David.....	Aug. 14, 1740.....	1800.....	Roberts Farm Cemetery, Falls, Wyoming County.	Private; served under Captain Lacey and Colonel Bradley, Connecticut.
Patrick, Abel.....	Apr. 15, 1757.....	May 19, 1844.....	Fairview Cemetery, Wyoming County.....	Private; served under Captains Burrill, Squires, and Smith, Colonels Marvin and St. John; Connecticut.
Robinson, Jared.....	1743.....	Sept. 5, 1810.....	Carney Flats Cemetery, Tunkhannock, Wyoming County.	Lieutenant; served in Captain Barker's company, Colonel Meigs' regiment, Connecticut.
Rogers, Josiah.....	Oct. 7, 1720.....	Dec. 14, 1815.....	Center Moreland Cemetery, Wyoming County.....	Private; served in Captain Franklin's company, Westmoreland County, Pa.
Roil, John.....	1816.....	1816.....	Old Secedar Cemetery, Clarion.....	Private; served in 7th Company, 8th Battalion, Cumberland County, Pa.
Sampson, William, Sr.....	1746.....	1809.....	Round Hill Church Cemetery, Allegheny County.	Ranger of the frontier.
Shaw, Comfort.....	1738.....	Oct. 20, 1819.....	Dixon Cemetery, Tunkhannock.....	1st lieutenant in minutemen, Oct. 17, 1775, Colonel Swarthout's regiment.
Shimp, Andrew.....	1759.....	February 1838.....	Muddy Creek Cemetery, Lancaster.....	Private; served under Capt. Nicholas Lutz, 5th Company, 3d Battalion, Pennsylvania.
Smith, William Hooker.....	Mar. 27, 1725.....	July 17, 1815.....	Jackson Cemetery, Tunkhannock.....	Captain and surgeon; Pennsylvania.
Stark, Nathan.....	Dec. 25, 1763.....	May 23, 1837.....	Dixon Cemetery, Tunkhannock.....	Private; served under Capt. David Hickok, Col. James Vanderbough's regiment, New York Militia.

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PENNSYLVANIA—Continued

Name of soldier	Birth	Death	Buried	Service and additional facts
Stevens (Stephens), Eliphalet	1731	Aug. 31, 1814	Cemetery near Nicholson, Wyoming County	Private; served under Capt. Jacobus Bruyn, Col. James Clinton's 3d New York Regiment. Patriot; signed pledge in Orange County, N.Y.
Taylor, Obadiah	Mar. 11, 1763	Oct. 27, 1830	North Eaton Cemetery, Wyoming County	Private; served under Capt. David Edgar, Colonel Sheldon's Light Dragoons, Connecticut.
Thayer, James		Jan. 11, 1847	Jackson Cemetery, Wyoming County	Served in Pennsylvania Continental Line.
Vose, Lemuel	Apr. 30, 1753	Mar. 2, 1827	South Branch Cemetery, Wyoming County	Private; served under Captain Stone and Colonel Lattimer, Connecticut.
Whitcomb, John	May 8, 1724	Mar. 2, 1802	Scottsville Cemetery, Wyoming County	Served in 1st and 8th Militia, Connecticut.
Whitcomb, John	June 10, 1766	Nov. 8, 1838	do	Served 5 years; went out at 13 as a wagoner in Colonel Hay's regiment, Connecticut.
Wilson, David	1746	1828	Great Valley Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Malvern, Chester County	Captain; Pennsylvania.
Woodfield, Joseph	Sept. 17, 1754	Sept. 20, 1798	Taylor Church Methodist Episcopal Cemetery, Washington County	Private; served in Captain Sweeney's company, 5th Battalion, Washington County Militia, Pennsylvania.

SOUTH CAROLINA

Garrett, Edward	Aug. 31, 1733	Aug. 25, 1794	Warrior Creek Cemetery, Laurens	Patriot; furnished supplies to army, South Carolina.
Gibbs, James		1794	Gibbs private cemetery, Union, Union County	Private; service in Revolution shown by South Carolina archives, Columbia, S.C.
Harris, John	Dec. 6, 1762	Apr. 24, 1845	On island in Hartwell Lake, Oconee County	Private; served under Captains Noble, McCall, Luckie, and Johnston, Colonels Williamson, Pickens, and Clark; South Carolina and Virginia.
Pritchard, Paul	Apr. 9, 1716	Dec. 5, 1791	Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Hobcaw Point, Charleston	Builder and repairer of ships for American navy.
Sellman (Selman), Jeremiah	1748	Sept. 4, 1817	Bethlehem Cemetery, Roebuck County	Militiaman in Roebuck's regiment of South Carolina Militia.
Stafford, William	1750	Before Sept 4, 1819.	Black Swamp Cemetery, St. Peters Parish, Beaufort District	Captain, major, and colonel; South Carolina. Also, member of legislatures.

TENNESSEE

Bandy, Thomas	1748	Oct. 18, 1835	Bandy Cemetery, La Guardo, Wilson County	Private; served under Capts. Jonathan Richardson and William Leftwich, Colonel Lynch; Virginia. Wounded at Battle of Guilford Court House, North Carolina.
Bills (Bill), Daniel	Sept. 28, 1740	Mar. 18, 1829	Houston Graveyard, Marshall County	Patriot; received payment for public service, North Carolina.

VERMONT

Spicer, Jabez	Sept. 11, 1753	January 1823	Village Cemetery, Richmond	Corporal; served under Colonel Chase, New Hampshire.
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VIRGINIA

Head, Benjamin.....	1731.....	Aug. 19, 1803.....	Family farm cemetery on Rapidan River, Orange County. Lutheran Cemetery, ¼ mile west of court house, Washington.	Captain; Virginia Militia. Patriot; purchased wagon and team.
Hottenstine (Hortenstine), Jacob.....	About 1735.....	After June 7, 1803.....	Cool Spring Church Cemetery, Delaplane, Fauquier County.	Served on Continental Line, Pennsylvania.
Shaklett, Edward.....	1758.....	Apr. 23, 1826.....	Virginia Methodist Historical Society Cemetery, McLean, Fairfax County.	Sergeant; served under Capt. Nathaniel Burwell, Colonel Harrison, Virginia.
Watters, William.....	1751.....	1827.....		Patriot and preacher.

WEST VIRGINIA

Polsley, Jacob.....	May 10, 1763.....	May 7, 1823.....	Maple Grove Cemetery, Harrison County.....	Private; Pennsylvania Militia.
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FLORIDA—Continued

Name of soldier	Born	Died	Grave	Service and additional facts
Stevens (Stephen) Elykalel	1791	Aug. 21, 1814	Cemetery near Nicholas, Wyoming County	Private; served under Capt. Jacobus Brown, Col. James Clinton's 3d New York Regiment; Patriot; signed pledges in Orange County, N.Y.
Taylor, Oostank	Mar. 11, 1785	Oct. 27, 1830	North Lake Cemetery, Wyoming County	Private; served under Capt. David Edgar, Colonel Sheldon's Light Dragoons; member of
Thayer, James	Nov. 28, 1757	Jan. 11, 1817	Jackson Cemetery, Wyoming County	Served in the Continental Line
Ward, Lemuel	May 9, 1728	Mar. 7, 1827	South Branch Cemetery, Wyoming County	Private; served under Captain Stone and Colonel Lathrop, Connecticut
Watson, John	June 18, 1756	Nov. 6, 1852	Southville Cemetery, Wilkes County	Served in the 7th Virginia Continental
Wheat, David	1746	1823	Great Valley Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Melrose, Chester County	Served 5 years; died at age 75 as a wagoner in Colonel Ward's regiment, Connecticut
Witchard, Joseph	Sept. 17, 1751	Sept. 25, 1798	Union Church Methodist Episcopal Cemetery, Washington County	Captain; Pennsylvania

SOUTH CAROLINA

Carroll, Edward	Aug. 31, 1728	Aug. 25, 1791	Waverly Creek Cemetery, Laurens	Private; served in the 1st South Carolina Continental
Ellis, James	1728	1791	Ellis private cemetery, Union, Dorset County	Private; served in the 1st South Carolina Continental
Harris, John	Mar. 5, 1727	Apr. 24, 1783	On island in Hartwell Lake, Wilkes County	Private; served in the 1st South Carolina Continental
Waters, Joseph	May 10, 1763	May 1, 1823	Waters Chapel Cemetery, Marion County	Private; Pennsylvania
Stefford, William	1730	before Sept. 4, 1781	Stefford private cemetery, Wilkes County	Private; served in the 1st South Carolina Continental
Waters, William	1761	1781	Waters Chapel Cemetery, Marion County	Patriot and privateer
Waters, Edward	1768	Apr. 23, 1858	Waters Chapel Cemetery, Marion County	Served; served under Capt. Nathaniel Burwell, Colonel Hester's Virginia Light Dragoons; wounded at Battle of Guilford County, North Carolina
Waters, John	1768	Apr. 23, 1858	Waters Chapel Cemetery, Marion County	Served; served in the Continental Line; Pennsylvania
Waters, John	1761	Apr. 18, 1808	Waters Chapel Cemetery, Marion County	Served; Virginia militia; Patriot; purchased wagon and team
Spicer, John	Sept. 11, 1763	January 1817	Waters Cemetery, Richmond	Corporal; served under Colonel Chase, New Hampshire

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Under the leadership of National President David Cherney of Redwood City, California, and Senior National President Mrs. Edwin H. Tiemeyer of Cincinnati, Ohio, the National Society, C.A.R. has had

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At its 71st annual convention, held in the Sheraton Park Hotel in Washington, D.C., in April 1966, the National Society received the George Washington Honor Medal from Freedoms Foundation of Valley Forge for the seventh consecutive year in the field of patriotic education. James Marshall Buck, a C.A.R. member from the District of Columbia, received an individual award for his essay on "The Positive Pursuit of Patriotism," which had won the C.A.R. national historians' essay contest the previous year. The National President's Award was presented to Dr. Max Rafferty of California for his outstanding contribution to American youth as an educator, orator, columnist, and author. The National C.A.R. Band each year plays for all sessions of the convention.

Contributions to the endowment fund totaled \$13,668.64, from 40 States. This sum represents the hard work and initiative of individual members through many local society projects.

The national project last year was the improvement and modernization of the display facilities in the museum at the national C.A.R. headquarters in Washington, D.C. The work is now underway.

Members are kept informed by means of correspondence and the official publication of the N.S.C.A.R., the C.A.R. magazine which is issued quarterly. The magazine provides local society, State, regional, and national news; and it gives members experience in writing articles. Stories of historical interest are encouraged.

The theme for Patriotic Education Week, October 12-19, 1966, was "American History Through Music and Literature." The week was again celebrated throughout the country with procurement of Governors' and mayors' proclamations. It was publicized by press, radio and TV coverage and by displays in schools, stores, and libraries. Members of many local societies went on historical pilgrimages and held wreath-laying ceremonies. The date was set to coincide with Yorktown Day, when national officers of C.A.R. again participated in ceremonies at the Victory Monument and the battlefield at Yorktown, Va.

Members were urged to enter the essay contest, sponsored by the Order of Founders and Patriots, on "American History—A Must for All Students." Patriotic education was stressed throughout the year with many local programs. Special programs were held on Flag Day, Washington's Birthday, and other patriotic observances.

Interesting projects during the year included a C.A.R. booth at the Grange Fair in September in Yorktown, N.Y., for which the White Plains Society won a plaque; the California society's restoration of an 1890 schoolroom in the Railroad Transportation Museum at Dunsuir; and a conservation marker which the New Mexico society placed in the Whitewater Canyon of the Gila National Forest in cooperation with the New Mexico DAR and the U.S. Forest Service.

Among the standing committees that sponsored national contests were those of American Indians, American literature, American music, conservation, correct use of the flag, and mountain schools. Many members entered the national historians' essay contest on "Freedom of Religion and Separation of Church and State." The theme selected for the national oratorical contest was "An American Citizen's

Responsibilities Before the Law—Those Obligations Which Insure His Rights.”

The Air Force Academy award, presented annually by the C.A.R. for excellence in intercollegiate speech competition, was won by Cadet Michael O. Wheeler. It was presented by Mr. Tiemeyer. Mr. John W. Finger presented Cadet Herbert K. Smith, Jr., with the annual N.S.C.A.R. award to a student at the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy.

State conferences were held in the 45 States having organized societies. The State societies and members in other States met in their 10 respective regions under the leadership of their regional vice presidents.

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