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SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION,
Washington, June 26, 1906.

GENTLEMEN: In accordance with the act of incorporation of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, approved February 20, 1896, I have the honor to communicate to Congress herewith the report of that society for the year ended October 11, 1905.

Very respectfully, yours,

RICHARD RATHBUN,
Acting Secretary.

Hon. CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS,
Vice-President of the United States.

Hon. J. G. CANNON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL.

NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE DAUGHTERS
OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION,
Washington, D. C., June 8, 1906.

SIR: In compliance with the act of incorporation of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, approved February 20, 1896, and by direction of the national board of management, I have the honor to present for your consideration the eighth annual report of its work from October 11, 1904, to October 11, 1905.

Very respectfully,

MARY S. LOCKWOOD, *Editor.*

Mr. RICHARD RATHBUN,
Acting Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution.

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ACT OF INCORPORATION.

[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 second day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.]

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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, District of Columbia; 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, District of Columbia; Mary Desha, of Kentucky; Sue Virginia Field (Mrs. Stephen J. Field), of California; Sallie Kennedy Alexander (Mrs. Thomas Alexander), of Washington, District of Columbia; Rosa Wright Smith, of Washington, District of Columbia; 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; Eugenie Washington, of Virginia; Alice M. Clarke (Mrs. A. Howard Clarke), of Massachusetts; Clara Barton, of Washington, District of Columbia; Mary S. Lockwood, of Washington, District of Columbia; Frances B. Hamlin (Mrs. Teunis S. Hamlin), of Washington, District of Columbia; Martha C. B. Clarke (Mrs. Arthur E. Clarke), of New Hampshire; Lucia E. Blount (Mrs. Henry

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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 five hundred thousand dollars, and may adopt a constitution and make by-laws 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.

THOMAS B. REED,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
A. E. STEVENSON,
Vice-President of the United States and President of the Senate.

Approved February 20, 1896.

GROVER CLEVELAND.

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 of May, A. D. 1896, and of the Independence of the United States of America the 120th.

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PART I.

WORK OF THE CONTINENTAL CONGRESS AND THE NATIONAL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT, OCTOBER 11, 1904, TO OCTOBER 11, 1905.

WORK OF THE CONTINENTAL CONGRESS AND NATIONAL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT.

The National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution was organized October 11, 1890, and has since been spending money, time, and energy in rescuing from oblivion historical records that should belong to the nation. Out of dusty and moldy archives these priceless treasures have been carefully collected, transmitted, and preserved in forms for printing by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The society organized with a membership of 18. Its membership to-day has passed 50,000. In the beginning but few pages were necessary in which to tell the story of the work accomplished and to transmit it to the Smithsonian Institution, as is required that we do annually by our national charter.

The chapters throughout the states, which are the living springs of the society's life and vitality, each has its story to tell of work done, and it is in these annual reports that records have been sent to the Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution.

In one of these reports is recorded in detail the work of the organization during the war with Spain in 1898 when the United States Government called for the services of the Daughters of the American Revolution, because it was known that they were a thoroughly organized patriotic society, ready for any emergency when the country needed them.

In response to this call 1,000 trained nurses were sent by the Daughters into the hospitals; 50,000 garments were made by their hands and forwarded to the sick and suffering, and $300,000 in money was raised to help the families of soldiers and sailors and to supply delicacies for the sick. A steam launch was presented to the hospital ship *Missouri*, at a cost of $2,500, to transfer the wounded and sick soldiers and sailors to and from the ship.

Another class of commendable work has been noted in these reports, that of the restoration of old cemeteries, many of them found in the most abject condition. Graves whose stones bore the names of Revolutionary soldiers long since forgotten by the living were defaced and obliterated, and only by consulting the early town records have these names been identified. This work is going on all over the country. The Daughters are doing for the soldiers of the Revolution what the Government has done and is doing for its soldiery of the civil war and the war with Spain. Hundreds of these names have been resurrected, and this society has published two volumes annually, at its own expense, for over twelve years, of records of Revolutionary ancestry that have been in oblivion for a hundred years.

Any traveler or tourist over the great highways of America who loves his country will surely delight in reading by the wayside its story written in monuments, tablets, and historic arches, erected by this society, each telling its own story of time, place, action, and actor, when and by whom history was made.

These reports bear the records of work accomplished in patriotic education, in teaching among the foreign population of our cities, a work established and carried on by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

One great project that has been recorded through the Smithsonian Institution, in these reports, is the building of the Memorial Continental Hall.

It has long been recorded that a favorite project of General Washington's was that thirteen memorial colonial buildings, representing the thirteen original states, where historic records should be placed, should be erected in the city of Washington. As the years passed the subject would come up in congress occasionally, and be postponed until the time came when the object did not receive honorable mention. After one hundred years had come and gone the patriotic Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution arose into being, and one of its first acts was to pass a resolution for a fire-proof building, to be used as a museum for Revolutionary relics, with the possessions and records of the society, and in short a memorial building to carry out the wish of George Washington. This is the first memorial building in the world to

be erected by women to honor their ancestors; the first in memory of George Washington and the patriots of his day; to the men and officers of high or low degree; the patriots in the ranks, whose names are daily being verified and recorded by this society; and the glorious array of patriotic women, whose services helped to make a free republic possible.

Following the early resolution for a memorial building was another, "that all charter fees and life-membership fees should be set apart for the nucleus of a building fund." At the time of the first continental congress, 1892, $650 had been accumulated for the permanent building fund.

Each succeeding congress has regarded this as a very important object of endeavor, and each year the generous contributions have been pouring in. A superb location was secured on Seventeenth street, facing the public park known as the "White Lot," and a site purchased, and after twelve years of generous and united effort, on October 11, 1902, the twelfth anniversary of the founding of the society, the ceremony of breaking the ground for Memorial Hall was appropriately celebrated.

In February, 1903, a silk flag, presented by the Sons of the American Revolution, was raised over the site in the presence of the delegates of the continental congress, a large assemblage of the Daughters. The daily floating of this flag over this ground has since attested the legal right of this society to the property as authorized by the District Commissioners.

The next most important step was the announcement of a competition, open to all American architects, for plans for a building. A plan was chosen out of seventy, that of Edward P. Casey. The following April found the work so far advanced on the beautiful structure that is to commemorate the men and women of the Revolution that the corner stone was laid with imposing ceremonies April 19, 1904, the anniversary of the battle of Lexington.

The grand finale of Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks's administration as president-general came at the fourteenth continental congress which opened with imposing ceremonies of dedication of Memorial Continental Hall. Although the building was not yet complete, the white marble and steel construction had progressed so far that the continental congress, on April 17, 1905, was for the first time held under the roof of Memorial

Continental Hall and was dedicated with blare of trumpet and military ceremonies, flags and pennants flying. Eminent divines, United States Senators, army officers, and all official society, united to swell the immense audience gathered in the hall, which, beautifully arranged for the occasion under the skillful management of Mr. Frederick Denison Owen, might well have been described as a temple of patriotism. The whole interior was hidden beneath garrison flags, evergreen wreaths, palms and flowers; two garrison flags draped the back of the stage, over which hung the society's great insignia, and near by were two white medallions, lettered in blue, one bearing the legend "Home and Country" and the other inscribed "Washington—Organized October 11, 1890," and below were five bars encircled in laurel wreaths, each inscribed with a president-general's name—Harrison, Stevenson, Foster, Manning, Fairbanks. Aloft on the three remaining walls were medallions, on the south being "Desha—Flag raised February 23, 1903;" on the east, "Lockwood—First turning of sod October 11, 1902;" on the north, "Walworth—Cornerstone laid April 19, 1904." The balconies were hung with white, bearing medallions inscribed with the names of the thirteen original states, and on the floor of the house were posted flags of all the states and territories designating the delegations in congress.

During the assembling of this vast audience the United States Marine Band played "The Voice of Our Nation." Presently the band struck up "Hail to the Chief," and the president-general, Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks, escorted by Colonel Bromwell, U. S. Army, Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds, and Mrs. John W. Foster, honorary president-general, escorted by Commander Winslow, U. S. Navy, and the invited guests, followed by a guard of honor of the Minute Men, commanded by Colonel Winter, entered and proceeded to the stage.

Funeral march (Chopin), by the Marine Band.

The assemblage was called to order at 10 o'clock a. m., by the president-general, Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks.

Bishop Satterlee offered the following invocation:

Let us pray. Our Father who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those

who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory for ever and ever.

We beseech Thy blessing in general, though especially for the President and his Cabinet, for the Senate and Representatives in Congress, and for the Supreme Court of our country; that Thou wouldst direct and prosper all their consultations, for the advancement of Thy glory, and for the safety, honor, and welfare of Thy people; that all things may be so ordered and settled by their endeavors upon the best and surest foundations, that peace and happiness, truth and justice, religion and piety, may be established among us in all generations. These things and all others necessary we humbly beg in the name of Jesus Christ, our most blessed Savior.

Prayer by the Rev. H. Pereira Mendes:

Our Father who art in Heaven, aggrandized and hallowed be Thy name in this world which Thou hast created according to Thy will, may Thy kingdom on earth be established and man's redemption blossom forth.

Blessed be Thou, O our Father, from everlasting to everlasting. Thine is the greatness; Thine is the power; Thine is the glory; Thine is the victory, and Thine is the majesty. For all that is in heaven and earth is Thine. Thine is the kingdom and Thine is the exaltation above all.

Prosperity and honor come from Thee. Thou ruleth all. In Thy hand are power and might, and in Thy hand is it to make great and strong.

And now, O our God, we do thank Thee. We do praise Thy name and glory and we do bless the name of Thy honor, O Thou who art exalted above every blessing and praise.

Look down from heaven, we beseech Thee, and bless this great nation, its authorities, and all those who have worked and who do work for its true greatness and its real glory.

Give us the victories of peace, the majesty of righteousness, the power to reach out for the right, the might to attain it, for the sake of Thy praise, Thy name, and Thy glory.

Thus only can we rank high among great nations.

Of old a Miriam taught the women of Israel and sang the chorus of Thy praise; a Deborah led the nation; a Huldah gave Thy message. To-day, these Thy daughters, the daughters of this Republic, dedicate this hall, and so teach the mothers, wives, and daughters of this land reverence for Thee, righteousness to all, responsibility for themselves.

Where the women are true to high ideals, there shall we find fathers, husbands, and sons true also.

Where these inspire, the nation so inspired lives, grows and prospers.

Oh, may reverence for Thee, righteousness to all, responsibility for ourselves ever inspire us who constitute this nation. By these a nation stands eternal. Without them a nation falls.

May the women of this land teach them to all of us, and to sing the chorus of Thy praise. May they lead this nation in the pursuit of them. May we ever hear from their lips Thy message to be to these ideals loyal, cost what it may. Thou art the Father of all. Israel is Thy first born, but all nations are Thy children. Oh, may brotherly love prevail. Speed

Thou the day when universal brotherhood shall mean universal peace and bring about universal happiness.

With the true men and loyal women this nation shall work onward, forward, upward, but ever Godward; to the end that Thy kingdom be established on earth. Thus hatred shall be unknown, prejudice shall end, bigotry shall cease to be, and Thine will be the glory.

I stand here, a son of the remnant of Israel, a child of the oldest of nations to give Thy message to this youngest of great nations.

For two hundred and fifty years we have been in this land, we have helped to build this country's greatness, we joined in the fight for liberty and independence.

Oh, keep us of Israel true for ever to the task of helping this nation onward, forward, upward, and Godward—the daughters of the land to inspire to high ideals, the sons to be to those ideals true.

And Thine be the glory. Amen.

"Hail Columbia" was here sung by the National Male Quartet, consisting of Messrs. Charles E. Myers, Thomas L. Jones, Roland Roderick, and Dana C. Holland.

The president-general arose and was greeted with spontaneous, loud, and continuous applause from the congress.

ADDRESS OF PRESIDENT-GENERAL.

Honored Guests and Daughters of the American Revolution: As a part of the ceremonies of this day there comes to me one of the most grateful duties, one of the supremest pleasures I have known, for on behalf of the honored organizers of this society, on behalf of the fourteenth continental congress, I welcome our distinguished visitors, these reverend gentlemen who lead us in prayer and praise, and these statesmen who join us in encomiums upon the heroes, who, in the dark and troublous times of the American Revolution served the holy cause of liberty. We thrice welcome you to the dedication of Memorial Continental Hall, our society's greatest enterprise, the symbol of its work and spirit, whose "Doorstead" we have faith to believe has

> "The lintel low enough
> To keep out pomp and pride;
> The threshold high enough to turn deceit aside,
> The door-band strong enough from robbers to defend,
> This door will open at a touch to welcome every friend."

This dedication marks the realization of a resolution passed at the first meeting of our society, October, 1890, to erect a fire-proof museum for Revolutionary relics, possessions, and records of the society.

Through varying fortunes and passing years that plan has grown stronger, and with its growth become broader and more glorious in its ideals, so that to the "fire-proof museum" have been added the archives, the offices, the auditorium, and finally, last and most beautiful, this memorial feature. The fact that a society of women erects the structure makes it unique. Its memorial feature renders it sacred and great.

It is a tribute of gratitude to the wise promoters of the war for independence, to the heroic men who on land and sea achieved its triumphs, to those generous-hearted allies from foreign lands whose services may not be forgotten; to those loyal, earnest women, the mothers of the Revolution, that grand reserve corps of its army which materially aided its cause. For they sowed the fields, wove the cloth, and fashioned the garments which their soldiers wore, held the fortress of the home, as a haven, to which might return those who fought the battles, which made of struggling colonies a vast Republic.

This Memorial Continental Hall which we dedicate to-day, is an acknowledgment which America owes to those who planned the mighty Revolution, those who managed its campaigns, conquered its foes, founded the greatest nation on earth and formulated beneficent laws for its government. Their sufferings, their devotion, not for their time alone, but for the long future, deserve and now have received, the hearty, unreserved recognition of those who are glad to name themselves "Daughters of the American Revolution."

This memorial building, only partially completed, is, also, designed for the headquarters for the society, its walls to be adorned by its members with artistic delineations of the thrilling deeds of an eventful period, a repository for the interesting and sacred relics of a sacred time; an ample auditorium where will be held the congresses of our society, a hearthstone around which shall gather daughters from the north, the south, the east, and the west, even from the islands of the sea, where each shall find a greeting, a welcome home.

The Greeks thought it a duty to build monuments of remembrance to the victors of Salamis and Thermopylæ. The Daughters of the American Revolution consider it not only their duty, but have joy in the thought that in the erection of this modern Parthenon, they render tribute to warriors, who fought, not for dominion but for the holy causes of home and country.

These dedication ceremonies mark a point upon the calendar toward which this society, animated by a love of liberty, of justice and native land, has been like some mighty force of nature, quietly but resistlessly moving onward. Prayer, faith, and work have brought it hither. This is a place from which duty's clarion note summons us to renewed effort, consecrated thought, a more constant determination, more persistent labor, that we shall not permit this stately temple to remain long unfinished. But that with union of purpose and glowing enthusiasm we complete this tribute of gratitude to the builders and defenders of our great Republic.

It is truly a memorial to patriots; it is also an incentive to all who behold it to keep ever living and active the principles of justice and liberty upon which it was founded. It is the mute, yet eloquent, protest against forgetfulness of American ideas, of American justice and American humanity. It is also the physical expression of the beliefs of the society, whose possession and pride it is, for it brings to mind the lessons of patriotism, the perpetuation of liberty which that society was founded to promulgate, whose existence arose from devotion to country and from the fear that the additions to our country's population of subjects of despotic monarchies

so imbued with hatred for government, it was feared they might in time substitute license for liberty, anarchy for law and order, and would thus compass the fall of the mightiest Republic the world has known.

From these fears sprang the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, which, with kindred patriotic organizations, is reawakening the love for liberty and is teaching its principles. It believes that its aims are to be attained best by the diffusion of knowledge concerning the men and women of the Revolutionary period, their beliefs, and their patriotic work. These are taught by Daughters of the American Revolution in the great cities of our country to the children of foreign parentage as well as to those who are to the "manner born." Study of Revolutionary history is everywhere encouraged. It is believed that tablets and monuments erected to immortalize the lovers of freedom serve as reminders, as admonition to all who behold them.

This society, having erected all over the land tablets and monuments, has at last reared this token of its veneration and gratitude to those whose valor made this country free and great. Reared it not only to the statesmen and leaders, but to the men who carried the muskets in the ranks, to the women at the spinning wheel.

The Daughters of the American Revolution have reached a time of which they long have dreamed—a place for which they long have sought, earnestly worked for, and grandly achieved. The time is this day, April 17, 1905, a date significant ever more in its annals, for now the representatives of 50,000 members of this society assemble a continental congress for the first time in their own auditorium, with their own roof above them, their own walls surrounding them, their own ground beneath their feet. The dream has "come true." Its reality is surpassingly fair; in good sooth, the place is almost holy ground to the true daughter.

"I dreamed that stone by stone was reared a sacred fane, a temple neither pagoda, mosque, nor church, but loftier, ampler, always open-doored to every breath from heaven, and truth and peace and love and justice came and dwelt therein."

"Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," was rendered by the male quartet.

PRESIDENT-GENERAL. The Daughters of the American Revolution have before them a rare treat, that of listening to one of the silver-tongued orators of the United States Senate, upon a subject dear to all. I present to you the Hon. Jonathan P. Dolliver, United States Senator.

ADDRESS OF SENATOR JONATHAN P. DOLLIVER.

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, LADIES, AND GENTLEMEN: There are a good many gentlemen scattered in a timid way through the audience. If there were not, it would require more than Revolutionary valor to bring me here, although I must say that I appreciated more than I can tell you the honor of being invited to come here—notwithstanding the fact that I suspected another fellow had been invited before I was. I think I

can understand how you appreciate the interest and beauty of this occasion. Of course it requires a little imagination, which I am glad to see your honored president-general seems to have, to catch the perfection of these surroundings, but it does not take nearly as much imagination to see the finished beauty of this building now as it did when the society first began the thought of laying its foundation. And I think we do well, upon such an occasion, to pay tribute to the real artists of this occasion, the devoted women who first saw the need and purpose and everlasting ministry of good that belongs to such an institution as we are dedicating here to-day. After them I think we ought to think of the architect who drew the plans of this building, and who saw every stone, each laid upon another, as its walls were to rise. I have seen the drawings, the specifications, and there can be no question that when the work is finished you will be able to pronounce "Well done" not only upon the dream of the committee, but upon the work of the artists and the architects that have been engaged upon this building. And that was especially important because the building is to stand in a beautiful city, a city which I hope to see literally dedicated to the best there is in architecture, and in all these arts that go to make the beauty and comfort of the world.

I think also that you are especially fortunate in your surroundings. When I first came to Washington, the place where we are now sitting was a swamp, practically, and nobody expected to venture below the State Department if they desired to avoid malaria and most of the other troubles in life. It was a deserted area of the capital. We have to-day on one side of you the Corcoran Art Gallery, a monument of the generosity and philanthropy of one man. On the other side you have the foundations of the George Washington University, which can be made as great as the Republic is great, if the American people are so inclined to do. But right between them you have a thing which is more significant to me than both of them put together, a monument dedicated, not by the philanthropy of one man, not under the auspices of a century-old institution of learning, but created out of the dust of the earth, practically, by 50,000 patriotic women of the United States. I congratulate you on that.

Now, a great many people misunderstand the spirit of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and I confess that I did until my wife explained it to me. I thought at one time that it was a scheme to keep alive the fame and glory—much of it departed—of patriotic and conspicuous families of our early national history; and I understood that, having been brought up in Virginia. But somehow or other, while there are many attractive features about that, it never seemed to me to fit in with our scheme of government, and it always seemed to be in a quarrel with some of the dogmas of our primitive national life. But when I found what you are doing, how you are gathering up the fragments of honor, and glory, and valor, and sacrifice of that far-off period, and preserving with sacred vigilance the least name among those who were interested in laying the foundations of our national life, I saw that you had caught the most splendid and beautiful idea that ever entered into the history of this world.

I have sometimes wondered why we can not have somebody in the United States that can write a history of it that will be of some account. Curiously

enough, that is the weak point in our poor human family. We seem to have an enormous capacity to do things, but a very limited capacity to write down what has been done and who did it. We have had only two historians in the English language who seemed to understand their business, Lord Macaulay, who writes so beautifully that you can not believe him, and old Thomas Carlyle, who writes so profoundly that you can not understand him. I have sometimes wished that some historian, some divinely gifted man or woman, might be able to do for our own country what great creative intellects have done for other lands; what Macaulay, for instance, did for England, or old Thomas Carlyle, for Scotland; might take us back to the very beginning of our affairs; might show us the people themselves, their dress, their dishes, their clothing, their habit as they lived; might show us the beginnings of the nation. For there, with them, no doubt, about their firesides, and about the boards spread with the frugal comforts of life, and made sublime through simple faith in God, was begun the mighty work whose outcome is this great nation, the present government of this vast continent. And I tell you what you want to do; I want the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution in some way or other to write that history of the United States.

[Cries of "Oh, we will, we will."]

Now, do not all speak at once. Why, we know nothing about anybody now except Washington. Fifteen years ago they knew the names of two or three others—two or three of his generals—but the tendency of history is to take the individual, to smooth him out, and finally put him under until he disappears altogether. My honored friend, the president-general, spoke of the part of the women in the American Revolution. Did you ever hear of any historian writing that up?

[Cries of "Never, never."]

No, you never did.

[Miss Hetzel. "A woman has done it; Mrs. Ellett."]

Yes, that may be true. That is true. And yet you never heard of anybody reading that. From all that Mrs. Fairbanks says, and from all the other testimony that I have read, the best half of the people that were engaged in the Revolution have no place in the great historic pageantry that belongs to our system of popular education. Why is it not about time for some great American woman to write the history of the United States? Whether you do that or not, you can not get out of the obligation of teaching the history of the United States to your children; and, thereby, whether you wish it or not, you become the inspiration and the guide of whatever patriotism there is to be in the United States. The best book for family use—one alone excepted—is a well-illustrated history of the American people. Everybody who has children, or everybody that is responsible for the education of children, ought to see to it that they have in their hands a reliable history of the United States. Beginning at the very cradle the children of the United States ought to be taught what American statesmen in their wisdom have thought, what American soldiers in their heroism have done, what American women in their exalted patience have suffered, that this great divine thing men call their country might take its place among the nations of the world.

I feel particularly happy to-day because I believe that you have created here a university of American patriotism. You are not only going to teach the lessons that belong to our national life, but I understand that you are even going to illustrate with sacred reverence the primitive appearance and the simple living of our fathers and mothers. You hear a good deal of talk now about the various kinds of life, the simple life, the strenuous life, the double life, the equitable life; but you are the only people that I have heard of who are treasuring sacredly the evidence that our fathers and mothers lived rational, helpful, hopeful, optimistic, buoyant lives in their day and generation.

I would to God, among the ostentations and vulgarities and displays and conventions of our modern society, we might have the grace at least to appreciate the methods of our fathers and our mothers. You are charged with the preservation of that. Here is to be your library, and I want to see this grow into one of the great historical collections, one of the great American libraries which deals with the history of this world, and especially our part of it, which I think is the best part. And I say that with all good will toward my honored friend, the ambassador of France. I am glad that he is here, because it gives him an opportunity, at least, to see how the women of this generation appreciate the good will of the France of the last century. We were in pretty close quarters when Lafayette got here. And I have always been so patriotic that when I got to that portion of the record which indicates that if the French had not arrived when they did we might have been whipped, I skip a few pages, not because I doubt the truth of it, but because it makes me feel better not to read it. The fact was, that that struggle of our ancestors was a pretty desperate undertaking when it began, and hardly less desperate when it finished. We never succeeded really in whipping them; we just wore them out. And we had a man in charge of our military forces who knew not only how to fight, but how to retreat, and understood that the art of war is not only the art of victory, but the art of putting the other fellow at the greatest disadvantage in other directions. And so we appreciated then the help that the Republic of France gave us. And I will say to my honored friend, the ambassador of France, that in all those years, from the Revolution down to our own time, the people of America have never failed in their love and affection and gratitude and good will to that great community yonder, which for so many generations has led and guided the civilization and the progress of Europe.

And so we come to-day in a happier frame of mind. Why, we have even forgiven the English. Why, that is the very least you can do for a man, after you have whipped him. It is the most convenient way to get along with him, anyhow. There is a profound wisdom in the Scriptures when they enjoin us to love our enemies, although very few of us understand it—nobody but intensely pious people and practical politicians. So here we are, after more than a century, in love with all the world—including ourselves—with good will to every nation in the world, and especially to those nations that sympathized with us and helped us in the hour of our weakness and our desperation. And here you are, representing 50,000 of your fellow-members all over the United States, and unnumbered millions of your countrymen who are looking up the records now to

see if they can get in. Why, this society has cost the Government of the United States $25,000 or $30,000 through the necessary increasing of the clerical force in the department of records in the War Department of the United States. Everybody wants to get in if she can.

And now you are dedicating this building, which is to be not only your home but I hope a hospitable place for your friends. You do not want to come in and lock the door. Let everybody know that here is the center of the patriotic enthusiasm of the American people. Fill your library; fill these museums which you propose to create with the precious relics of other generations; and above all, let this society become, as it ought to be, the inspiration and the guide of the patriotism of the American people. That belongs to the women of America. They have had a pretty hard time of it to get to that position where everybody admits that they are the guide, and all that sort of thing, but the eminence of American civilization has been reached, and you have helped to do it, and I have no doubt, now that you have dedicated this place, that in unnumbered generations to come women from all portions of the United States, and of all portions of the world, will stand in this sacred place and recall the fact on account of what the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution have done, the womanhood of America is no longer in any sense an alien in the American commonwealth.

And now I desire to thank the committee for inviting me to come here, and to protest against the limit of a few minutes which they deliberately put upon my time, notwithstanding my official relations, and to thank you for the pleasure of speaking to you and for the friendly interest with which you have listened.

"Marsellaise," by the Marine Band.

PRESIDENT-GENERAL. I have the very great honor and pleasure of introducing that eminent representative of our great sister Republic which has been our friend ever since the Revolutionary times, which Memorial Continental Hall celebrates. I have the great pleasure of introducing his excellency the French ambassador.

ADDRESS OF AMBASSADOR J. J. JUSSERAND.

MADAM, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: The keeping of family traditions belongs preeminently to the mother, to the wife, to the daughter. The first teaching, the one that remains paramount in life, is given to the mother; the first seed is the one that lasts longer. It is only natural and fit, it is proper, that the daughters of this great nation should have understood that it was their part and duty, as well as their honor, to keep the family traditions of this eminent and glorious family, the American nation. You have done so in very few years, and in truly magnificent fashion. This Continental Memorial Hall is a sign of what you can do, and what you know how to do. I confess that when, nearly two years ago, I heard of the project, I felt a somewhat, may I say, a heathen belief as to its future. I have seen often in my life beautiful projects of magnificent

buildings, which would remain magnificent for ages on paper, never to see daylight so long as we live. You began only last year, and now the building is here, complete, or nearly so, through your united efforts, your sisterly help to one another, which was so beautifully begun.

There is a French proverb which says "telles mères, telles filles," like mothers, like daughters. What the mothers were we know. We have contemporary testimony; and I may be permitted to quote a French testimony. The first letter written by Lafayette to his dear wife in France, the one whom he constantly addresses as "Dear Heart," contains a mention of what has struck him most in this new land, which he had reached in June, 1777, six years before peace; and among the things he notes he has especial mention of those grandmothers of whom you are the worthy daughters. He says of them—and I hope you will pardon him if he mentions such an external and superficial quality—he mentions first that they are very pretty; and then he adds that the simplicity of their lives, the dignity of their manners, make them peerless, and he has indeed only compliments for them, and he concludes, saying to his "Dear Heart," his wife, "Now, for the sake of me try and make for yourself an American heart."

Of such mothers you are the worthy daughters, and you continue their traditions. There is room in this magnificent city for many halls and many palaces.

In another memorial hall, of some fame too, called the Capitol, I had the honor some time ago, on the birthday of Washington, to present a bust of the mighty founder of this Republic by David d'Angers. David d'Angers was the type of a typical French artist in that he loved dearly art, and that he loved dearly liberty, and that he loved dearly America. America was ever present in his mind, and it is extraordinary the number of works which he has consecrated to American heroes. One is a bust of Washington, and another is a bust of Lafayette, and another is a full length statue of Jefferson. But the most interesting thing which he did for America, and which may be quoted in this Memorial Hall, is what he did when he was ordered by the French State to raise a statue to Gutenberg. Gutenberg had no direct connection, of course, with America, but David d'Angers, in his love for this country, chose to reserve one of the four sides of the pedestal for America, and he carved there a bas-relief, unknown to most people, even Americans, and on which he represented all the heroes of that war of independence, all the men of whom you are the descendants, all the men whom you particularly worship in this hall. The subject which he gave to himself is the benefits of printing to America. In the center is seated Franklin, and he holds a large piece of paper, which is the act of independence. Around him are Washington, with his hand on the shoulder of his friend Lafayette, and then in a fanciful and dreamlike arrangement are Jefferson, Hancock, and most of your great men up to the time of the artist himself.

This artist, who so much loved liberty, had suffered for liberty. There was a time when on account of his personal feelings he was for a few years in exile. He wandered across Europe, and in his solitude he had one

companion. That companion was his daughter, whom in his private notes, which still exist, he called his Antigone. This Antigone still exists. She is now Madame Leferme. She has inherited the love which her father had for America; and knowing of your work, knowing what you intend to do here, she wrote to me the other day, though I do not know her personally, a letter stating that, being a daughter of France, she keenly felt for and with the daughters of America. And she writes that as this hall is intended, as Senator Dolliver has so eloquently shown us this morning, to contain memorials of your glorious past, she intends, with your permission, to have this bas-relief cast again in bronze and to present the replica to you to be kept here, if it is your pleasure.

[The officers and members of the society at this point unanimously rose to their feet.]

She waited only for your acceptance; and acting upon what you have just shown, I may feel myself entitled to say that you will kindly accept her gift. Acceptance being thus ratified, I will simply conclude by saying that I am happy to think that this bronze replica will be an emblem of the unbroken, of the, I may say, unbreakable, friendship of France for America.

PRESIDENT-GENERAL. We will now be led in praise and prayer by the Reverend Bishop Earl Cranston, of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

PRAYER BY BISHOP CRANSTON, D. D.

O Lord our Lord, how excellent is Thy name in all the earth. Before the mountains were brought forth, or even Thou hadst born the earth or the world, even from everlasting to everlasting, Thou art God. The heavens declare Thy glory and the firmament showeth Thy handiwork, and in stately order and obedience the sun, moon, and stars above us march to Thy command. We dare not vaunt ourselves in the presence of such a Being; we dare not boast of the insignificant work of our hands, and yet when we remember that Thou didst create the heavens and the earth, and that Thou didst make us also in Thine own likeness and image, may we not believe that Thou didst also make us builders? And while we may not bring our work in comparison with Thine, may we not believe that Thou art pleased when we seek to reflect Thine and to do the best that we may? It is not the divinity in our doings; it is the divine within us that moves us to do and to achieve to the glory of our Father. Therefore we ask Thy blessing upon this assembly and upon the purpose of this patriotic organization. Were not our fathers thy servants? The ideals and affections that led them to brave the perils of the sea, the hardships of the wilderness, the cruelties of contests with the savages—were they not Thy gift? Did they not move under Thy leadership when they challenged the tyrant king and achieved their independence? Were they not acting under the leadership of the Most High God then? Thou didst work most wonderfully in their behalf and Thou didst raise up friends for them, and the very elements were in favor of the cause of liberty. We here to-day give praise unto Thy great name and exalt the majesty of Him who has

been the leader of our people, and we thank Thee for Thy wonderful providences in the bearing of our national burden and for that leadership which has brought us forward, by a career so wonderful, to our present prosperity and the position that we now hold among the nations of the world. And now that the daughters of the men who did achieve by Thee these great results for humanity, and by whose hands Thou didst send this beneficence to the nations of the earth, have, in memory of those heroic fathers, builded a temple to liberty, may we not look to the approval of their God—the God to whom they so often made appeal—and for the approval of our own God? Surround, O Lord God, this great enterprise with Thy blessing. May there go from this altar of freedom only lessons of pure patriotism. May never the touch or even the approach of avarice or greed profane this great altar to liberty. Keep the heart of American motherhood pure in its patriotic thrill and feeling and touch, so that our boys and girls may learn through them the virtue of self-sacrifice and the heroic and valorous spirit through which we came to our situation as a nation, we ask through Him who is the leader—our ever gracious and glorious Redeemer. Amen.

PRESIDENT-GENERAL. It is ever the pleasure of the appreciative to record their gratitude, even if it be in a most simple manner. It therefore seems to me that this morning is the proper and the just time for so many Daughters of the American Revolution, and our friends who are with us, to be presented to that splendid committee without which Continental Hall could not have been founded. I desire on this occasion to call to the stage, in order that you may give them recognition, the gentlemen who have labored in season and out of season for this splendid tribute to patriotism. As a grand, patriotic society, I know you desire to welcome them. I call, therefore, the supervising committee on the building of Memorial Continental Hall, Mr. Bernard R. Green, chairman, Gen. George M. Sternberg, Gen. John M. Wilson, Col. Robert I. Fleming, and Mr. James Knox Taylor. Will you, gentlemen, please come to the front of the stage?

[The gentlemen named here came to the front of the stage.]

I would also call forward Mrs. Lindsay, chairman of the architectural committee. Will she please take her place in this line? And will Mr. Edward Pearce Casey, the architect whose beautiful dream has been realized, also come forward?

[Mrs. Lindsay and Mr. Casey here both came forward.]

Ladies, I wish to introduce to you Mr. Edward Pearce Casey, Mr. Bernard R. Green, our splendid chairman of the supervision work over this construction; Gen. John M. Sternberg, who has given us much of his time; Col. Robert I.

Fleming, who has done so much to make this a success; also Gen. John M. Wilson, whose splendid patriotism is a never dying example.

I desire to present to you our ever beloved Mrs. Lindsay, whom we are so glad to see with us once more. We, gentlemen and ladies, thank you for your presence upon the stage. [Applause.]

The quartet at this point rendered the "Recessional" of Rudyard Kipling.

The benediction was pronounced by the Rev. Wallace Radcliffe.

The fourteenth continental congress was called to order by the president-general, Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks, at 2 o'clock p. m., after the prayer by the chaplain-general, Mrs. Teunis Hamlin.

The president-general gave the address of welcome and responses were made by Mrs. William Liggett, state regent of Minnesota; Mrs. Henry W. Richardson, state regent of South Carolina; Mrs. Alfred A. Kendall, state regent of Maine, and Mrs. Abraham Allee, state regent of Nebraska.

At 8 o'clock p. m. jubilee exercises were held under the auspices of the Memorial Continental Hall committee. Mrs. Fairbanks gave the financial report of Continental Hall fund as it stood at the beginning of the congress, and following this the treasurer's statement of Continental Hall fund contributions during the same congress in cash, $21,830.40; in pledges, $15,906.93; transferred from the current fund, $15,000; contributions received from April 1 to April 22, $754.29; amount left over from Continental Hall fund available, $2,769.88; making a total at the close of the fourteenth continental congress for Continental Hall fund of $56,261.86.

Out of this fund $10,000 were paid when the first contract of the builders was completed, which was not until September, 1904.

The reports of committees and affairs of the national board, which shows to the congress the work of the respective officers during the year, followed in succession and were approved by that body and recommendations for future work adopted, which consumed a large part of the congressional sessions. These were followed by reports of the chapters throughout

the states, and all find a place in the various publications issued by the society and in detail in its official organ, the American Monthly Magazine.

The interesting session of the fourteenth congress closed with the election of Mrs. Donald McLean as president-general.

PATRIOTS' DAY, JULY 4, 1905.

A grand tribute was paid to the heroes of 1776 by the Daughters of the American Revolution in their own Memorial Continental Hall on July 4, 1905.

The hall itself was a glowing tribute to patriotism, for the walls and stage were draped with a profusion of flags and bunting upon a background of green. The Stars and Stripes were everywhere, and a large oil painting of George Washington, loaned by the War Department, was suspended behind the chair of the president-general, framed with palms from Alabama and Porto Rico.

A large and distinguished audience was present. Mrs. Donald McLean, the honored president-general of the national society presided, and the exercises were so replete with patriotic references that they must have aroused a love of country within a heart of stone.

The president-general presented the society with a certified copy of the Declaration of Independence in words which bore testimony to her ability as an orator and her graciousness and tact as the president-general of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

In presenting a copy of the Declaration of Independence, Mrs. McLean said that she wished the first words she spoke to-day on this 4th of July, 1905, to be words not referring to the Daughters of the American Revolution, "as dearly as we love one another, not referring even to our illustrious confrères, the Sons of the American Revolution, as much as we value their presence here, nor even referring to our distinguished guests and illustrious audience, whose patriotism is well proven under the canopy of this July heaven, in being present with us, though we profoundly and warmly welcome you; but I wish the first words to refer to this marvelous document, the Declaration of Independence, in the labor of whose

writing a new nation was born unto the world, and the signatures to which made the mortal names of men immortal. I bring this Declaration here to-day in the name of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and I, as president-general of that body, present it to this Memorial Continental Hall, not fearing that though these walls are made of brick and stone they will be either deaf or insensate to the call of patriotism. I say to these walls, 'Receive this Declaration to have and to hold forevermore all through your life, which will be coincident with that of the nation.' And further, by a tender coincidence there is a name inscribed on this Declaration which is not that of one of the original signers, but which may yet go down into our nation's history with them, as it is woman's privilege ever to enshrine and wreathe and remember the heroes of our country. I am glad that on this Declaration, attesting its being a true copy, is the name of John Hay. I doubt not if the silent lips of John Hay could now speak he would say the fact that his name is inscribed with those immortal signers, and placed, as this Declaration is, in thousands of public schools throughout this country, teaching all coming generations the greatness of true American manhood—if John Hay could speak to-day he would say, 'This is my chosen tribute from my countrymen—that they have allied me with these, the makers of our nation.' So together to-day we remember and immortalize them. They are no longer troubled whether to defy or appease and soothe the crowned heads. They have no earthly crowns upon their heads but everlasting joy."

The Declaration of Independence was read by Col. Edwin B. Hay, who was interrupted time and again by the applause of his hearers.

The singing of "America" by the entire audience was followed by the address of Mr. William E. Andrews, who spoke eloquently and interestingly. His references to the deeds of John Paul Jones, "a citizen of the United States of America," were enthusiastically applauded.

Of John Paul Jones he said:

When, in all the history of the world, was the sword ever wielded more justly and brilliantly than by Washington on the land and John Paul Jones on the sea? Lieut. John Paul Jones was the first to hoist a flag over an American war fleet; he was the first to unfurl the Stars and Stripes over an American war ship and carry our national colors in salute before

the navy of a foreign power. Note his dauntless courage yonder on the little *Ranger* in his triumph over the *Drake*, and also on the *Bon Homme Richard* in his victory over the *Serapis*. His daring exploits frightened England and excited the wonder of the world.

How fitting it is, therefore, that his remains should return, as they soon will, and find their permanent resting place among the people of his adopted country, which he helped to emancipate. Would that they could rest where the pilgrims from all the states could visit his tomb, and thus quicken their own lives with refreshed memories of his patriotism, valor, and loyalty as an American citizen. It would be impossible to measure the blessings conferred upon American citizenship by visits made to the tomb of Washington at Mount Vernon. To the noble women of the country we owe a debt of gratitude for this priceless privilege, and I am glad to make public acknowledgment of my share of that debt to-day.

The meeting also was made the occasion for the presentation to the Daughters of the American Revolution by Mrs. Emily E. Briggs, well known in the literary world through her writings under the nom de plume "Olivia," of a magnificent bas-relief of George Washington, made from a death mask taken at Mount Vernon by Jean Antoine Houdon, a celebrated French sculptor. The bas-relief was presented to Mr. Briggs by a French artist, and Mrs. Briggs has watched over it carefully for twenty-five years. Mrs. Briggs was introduced to the members by Mrs. McLean, and the speech of presentation was made by Mrs. Elizabeth Johnston, who, in the presence of the audience, took the plaster cast from the box in which it had been for more than a quarter of a century, and carefully removing its wrappings, said:

MADAM PRESIDENT-GENERAL: I am instructed by Mrs. Emily Edson Briggs to present through you to the Daughters of the American Revolution this precious relic, a mask made in the matrix molded on the living features of George Washington at Mount Vernon by that eminent sculptor, Jean Antoine Houdon, who, in 1785, was brought from Paris for that purpose by the state of Virginia.

This mask was owned by the celebrated artist, Emmanuel Leutze, who painted "Westward Ho" at the Capitol. He prized this plaster many years as his most valuable possession, and when dying, in 1868, gave it to his close friend, Mr. Briggs, enjoining him to cherish it as the work of Houdon. Since the death of her husband, thirty years ago, his widow has been its faithful custodian.

Mrs. Briggs, madam president-general, now desires, through you and through the officers who may succeed you, to present this valuable plaster, to be forever a possession of the Daughters of the American Revolution, to be placed in this building, our memorial building, and sacredly guarded by them for the people of the United States that they may study the true portrait of George Washington.

Mrs. McLean received it in behalf of the Daughters of the American Revolution, saying that the value of this gift could not be expressed in words, and that the daughters would ever cherish it as a precious trust.

Marching down the main aisle to the stage to the tune of "Yankee Doodle," played by drum and fife, the Children of the American Revolution gave the salute to the flag. Mr. Ogle Singleton was standard bearer, and Master Walter Lockwood recited "Our Flag of Liberty." Both are members of the Children of the American Revolution. The exercises of the children were under the direction of their state director for the District, Miss Yeatman.

Mrs. McLean extended to them, and to all who had participated in the programme, the thanks of the society. She said it seemed particularly fitting that the first observance by the Daughters of the American Revolution of the Fourth of July since the partial completion of Continental Hall should be held in that auditorium.

REPORTS OF NATIONAL OFFICERS.

The following reports of the national officers of the various departments briefly state what has been accomplished during the year, without going into the work in detail.

This phase of official work was minutely explained in the seventh annual report. It requires interest and appreciation to cope understandingly with the routine work of these offices. It is perhaps enough to call attention to the labor and expense incident to carrying on the several publications which are of great importance to the history of this country, the research of historical records, the verifying of application papers, which when bound make 20 volumes of 200 pages per year. Then there is the search after and procuring of valuable historical and genealogical books and pamphlets for the library which have already become invaluable, and the publication of the official organ, the American Monthly Magazine.

The work in the treasurer's department is extensive, for not only does the treasurer keep the money accounts of the national administration but also the records and accounts of every chapter, and a separate financial record of

each and every one of the 50,000 members. The cost of publishing two volumes of the lineage books each year, the expense covering clerical services, the rent of the rooms at headquarters, the expenses attendant upon the annual congress, are all met out of the percentage of the individual dollar paid to the national society for annual dues by members throughout the country.

The first report is that of the treasurer-general and dates from October 11, 1904, to October 11, 1905. This does not include the individual membership account, but does give a succinct report to show whence the money comes and through what channels it is distributed, and there is always left a handsome sum of $10,000 or $15,000 to be transferred annually to the building fund.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN-GENERAL.

The number of volumes recorded in the accession book of the library of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution now amounts to 3,650. As there is only a nominal sum placed at the disposal of the librarian for the purchase of books, a large proportion of them is acquired by personal solicitation. As the library is intended primarily for the verification of the papers of the applicants for membership in the national society and for the compilation of the lineage book, it is almost entirely limited to the fields of history, biography, and genealogy.

In these departments the society is gradually acquiring a valuable collection, and it is hoped eventually that it will be one of the best of its kind in the country. Among the important acquisitions to the library this year have been the "Chalkley Records," consisting mainly of the court and county records of Augusta County, Va., and the original manuscript of "The pay roll of Capt. Amos Turner's company, in Col. John Jacob's esq. regiment of new levies from the county of Plymouth, commonwealth of Massachusetts, 1780," "Abstract of muster rolls, General Huntington's brigade, New Milford, November 4, December 19, 1778," "Return of the Sixth Massachusetts Regiment of Foote, commanded by Col. Thomas Nixon, Camp Totoway, October 26, 1780," "Abstracts of muster rolls, General Patterson and late Larned's Brigades, West Point, May 3, 1779," "Dismissal of

George McBride, Fourth Massachusetts Regiment, signed by Major-General Knox, December 31, 1783," " Certificate of enlistments made by Nathaniel Barber, muster-master, Boston, September 22, 1777," and " Letters from Col. B. Walker, aide to Baron Steuben, July 6, 1793, regarding land in Virginia granted to Baron Steuben." The last named is the gift of Mrs. David H. Brown, member of the Hannah Winthrop Chapter, Cambridge, Mass., and the others from the Hannah Winthrop Chapter, National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

A part of the time of the present librarian-general has been devoted to plans for the housing of the books in the new Memorial Continental Hall. The Mary Washington Chapter of the District has pledged itself to finish the building of the library and to equip it with modern library fittings. To this end Mrs. Jacob H. Schiff, of New York City, has generously contributed $1,000 on condition "that the remainder of the required sum be subscribed within a reasonable time." Mr. William Salomon, of New York, a great-grandson of Hyam Salomon, one of the great financiers of the Revolution, has contributed $100 to the same fund.

REPORT OF HISTORIAN-GENERAL.

LINEAGE BOOK.

Since the last report of the historian-general four volumes of the lineage book have been published, concluding with national number 20,000, making twenty volumes. In these four volumes the records of 5,000 ancestors have been revised, corrected, and edited.

The compiler is aided in her researches by the town histories and genealogies which every year are added to the library, and the courtesy of the Pension Office frequently solves many problems in contention.

An article has been written by the compiler, Sarah Hall Johnston, and published in the American Monthly, February, 1905, entitled " Minute Men." The data were procured for the benefit of chapters that were constantly writing for the definition of army organization in the Revolution.

The lineage book has become a valuable reference, as we publish the records from all the states, with the genealogy and local color, while the colonial states publish only those who served from their locality.

REPORT OF REGISTRAR-GENERAL.

The registrar-general reports an increase of 4,784 members since October, 1904, and that records of 1,429 Revolutionary soldiers never before verified by the society have been placed upon the roll of honor during the year.

REPORT OF VICE-PRESIDENT-GENERAL IN CHARGE OF ORGANIZATION.

List of forty-two new chapters organized between October 11, 1904, and October 11, 1905.

Name of chapter.	Location.	Date of organization.
ALABAMA.		
Stephens	New Decatur	Nov. 10, 1904
CONNECTICUT.		
Phoebe Humphrey	Collinsville	Jan. 30, 1905
Sarah Whitman Trumbull	Watertown	Oct. 24, 1904
GEORGIA.		
Nathaniel-Macon	Vineville-Macon	Jan. 14, 1905
ILLINOIS.		
Barbara Standish	Hoopeston	Sept. 8, 1905
INDIANA.		
Bloomington	Bloomington	Oct. 14, 1904
General James Cox	Kokomo	Apr. 15, 1905
Nathaniel Prentice	Ligonier	Apr. 8, 1905
IOWA.		
Mary Brewster	Humboldt	Dec. 6, 1904
Mason City	Mason City	Apr. 7, 1905
KANSAS.		
Esther Lowrey	Independence	June 14, 1905
Hannah Jameson	Parsons	Nov. 10, 1904
Sterling	Sterling	May 26, 1905
KENTUCKY.		
Colonel John Green	Hopkinsville	Oct. 28, 1904
MARYLAND.		
Frostburg	Frostburg	Apr. 5, 1905
MASSACHUSETTS.		
Captain John Pulling	Whitman	Mar. 20, 1905
Chief Justice Cushing	Scituate	Feb. 18, 1905
Colonel Thomas Gardner	Allston Station, Boston	June 17, 1905
Wayside Inn	Wayland and Sudbury	Dec. 29, 1904
MICHIGAN.		
Menominee	Menominee	Apr. 12, 1905
MINNESOTA.		
Josiah Edson	Northfield	July 15, 1905
MISSISSIPPI.		
Horse Shoe Robertson	West Point	Apr. 8, 1905

List of forty-two new chapters organized between October 11, 1904, and October 11, 1905—Continued.

Name of chapter.	Location.	Date of organization.
MISSOURI.		
Joplin	Joplin	Dec. 16, 1904
NEBRASKA.		
Margaret Holmes	Seward	Oct. 4, 1905
NEW HAMPSHIRE.		
Granite	Newfields	Dec. 8, 1904
NEW MEXICO.		
Lew Wallace	Albuquerque	Feb. 22, 190
NEW YORK.		
Fort Oswego	Oswego	Oct. 12, 1904
Lowville	Lowville	June 14, 1905
Silas Towne	Mexico	May 18, 1905
White Plains	White Plains	Apr. 7, 1905
OHIO.		
Mount Sterling	Mount Sterling	June 12, 1905
OKLAHOMA.		
Oklahoma City	Oklahoma City	Dec. 14, 1904
PENNSYLVANIA.		
Fort McClure	Bloomsburg	Apr. 10, 1905
Gettysburg	Gettysburg	Nov. 3, 1904
SOUTH CAROLINA.		
Lewis Malone Ayer	Barnwell	Mar. 7, 1905
Musgrove Mills	Clinton	June 29, 1905
Swamp Fox	Marion	Apr. 10, 1905
SOUTH DAKOTA.		
Paha Wakan	Vermilion	May 1, 1905
VIRGINIA.		
Patrick Henry	Martinsville	June 15, 1905
Sycamore Shoals	Bristol	Dec 7, 1904
MEXICO.		
Benjamin Franklin	Mexico City	July 3, 1905

Chapters disbanded between October 11, 1904, and October 11, 1905.

Name of chapter.	Location.	Date of organization.	Date disbanded.
GEORGIA.			
Thronateeska	Albany	Jan. 4, 1895	Mar. 7, 1905
KENTUCKY.			
Madison County	Richmond	June 8, 1896	Oct. 3, 1905
Valentine Peers	Maysville	Nov. 21, 1896	Do.
TENNESSEE.			
Jane Knox	Columbia	Feb. 9, 1897	Apr. 7, 1905

REPORT OF TREASURER-GENERAL.

CURRENT FUND, OCTOBER 1, 1904, TO OCTOBER 1, 1905.

Balance in bank at last report, September 30, 1904		$11,325.86
RECEIPTS.		
Annual dues ($43,556 less $755 refunded)	$42,801.00	
Initiation fees ($4,174 less $96 refunded)	4,078.00	
Certificates:		
Members	19.00	
Life members	5.00	
Current interest	235.06	
Daughters of American Revolution report to Smithsonian Institution	30.01	
Directory	57.50	
Exchange	.52	
Lineage	91.00	
Magazine	3,731.80	
Refunded by credential committee, fourteenth continental congress	2.09	
Ribbon	17.96	
Rosettes	19.25	
Statute books	1.55	
Telephone (extra messages)	1.25	
		51,090.99
Total		62,416.85
EXPENDITURES.		
Office of president-general	$549.45	
Vice-president-general in charge of organization of chapters	1,505.86	
Recording secretary-general	1,504.57	
Corresponding secretary-general	975.78	
Registrar-general	3,351.58	
Treasurer-general	3,237.43	
Librarian-general	934.47	
General office	1,909.80	
Historian-general (lineage books)	2,563.38	
Assistant historian-general (Daughters of American Revolution), report to Smithsonian Institution	483.13	
Certificates	955.21	
Committee on filing papers for Continental Hall committee	2.90	
Committee on Louisiana Purchase Exposition	78.96	
Committee on ways and means	108.42	
Directory	2,973.22	
Magazine	7,554.63	
Postage	1,598.82	

Rent of offices	$2,755.80	
Rent of telephone	132.75	
Ribbon	54.00	
Rosettes	24.00	
Spoons for real daughters	40.80	
Stationery	487.32	
Thirteenth continental congress	46.30	
Fourteenth continental congress	8,670.46	
Fifteenth continental congress (preliminary expenses)	50.00	
Total		$42,549.04
Amount transferred to permanent fund by order of fourteenth continental congress	15,000.00	
Rosette account transferred to permanent fund	20.65	
		15,020.65
		57,569.69
Balance September 30, 1905:		
In National Metropolitan-Citizens' Bank	405.95	
In Washington Loan and Trust Bank	4,441.21	
		4,847.16
Total		62,416.85

FORT CRAILO FUND.

Balance in bank at last report	$51.51	
Interest	1.04	
		$52.55

PERMANENT FUND.

Balance in bank at last report, September 30, 1904		$57,716.89

RECEIPTS.

Charter fees	$178.00	
Life-membership fees	1,887.50	
Interest on deposit and bonds	1,622.98	
Commissions:		
On china	3.00	
On jeweled insignia	182.05	
On recognition pins	99.50	
On record shields	6.50	
On spoons	29.57	
Proceeds from sale of benches used at ceremony of laying corner stone	85.00	
Proceeds from sale of Continental Hall committee badges	74.00	
Proceeds from sale of United States bonds, held as permanent investment	57,670.53	
Rosettes, amount transferred from current fund	20.65	
Amount transferred from current fund by order of fourteenth continental congress	15,000.00	
		76,859.28
Total		134,576.17

Continental Hall contributions:		
Alabama—		
Andrew Jackson Chapter, "to be held in trust for memorial"	$10.00	
Francis Marion Chapter, "to be held in trust for memorial"	10.00	
Frederick William Gray Chapter, "to be held in trust for memorial"	10.00	
General Sumter Chapter, "to be held in trust for memorial"	35.00	
John Wade Keyes Chapter, "to be held in trust for memorial"	25.00	
Lewis Chapter, "to be held in trust for memorial"	15.00	
Light Horse Harry Lee Chapter	15.00	
Martha Wayles Jefferson Chapter, "to be held in trust for memorial"	5.00	
Mobile Chapter, "to be held in trust for memorial"	50.00	
Peter Forney Chapter, "to be held in trust for memorial"	25.00	
Mrs. John M. Wyley, of Peter Forney Chapter, commission on subscriptions to American Monthly Magazine, "to be held in trust for memorial"	6.00	
Stephens Chapter, "to be held in trust for memorial"	5.00	
Tuscaloosa Chapter, "to be held in trust for memorial"	10.00	
		$221.00
Arizona—		
Mrs. Clarendon Smith, of Maricopa Chapter		15.00
Arkansas—		
Little Rock Chapter		25.00
California—		
California Chapter	50.00	
El Toyon Chapter	20.00	
Eschscholtzia Chapter	25.00	
Oakland Chapter	25.00	
Santa Ysabel Chapter	15.00	
Miss Inez Florence Deming, of California	5.00	
Mrs. Sarah Worcester Deming, of California	5.00	
		145.00
Colorado—		
Colorado Chapter, "one pair central doors"	100.00	
Denver Chapter	50.00	
Pueblo Chapter	33.00	
Zebulon Pike Chapter	25.00	
		208.00

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.		
Connecticut—		
Anne Wood Elderkin Chapter	$16.50	
Dorothy Ripley Chapter	25.00	
Elizabeth Porter Putnam Chapter	25.00	
Mrs. Mary Hepburn Smith, of Freelove Baldwin Stowe Chapter	100.00	
Green Woods Chapter	30.00	
Hannah Woodruff Chapter	10.00	
Mary Floyd Tallmadge Chapter, "one pair mahogany doors"	100.00	
Putnam Hill Chapter	25.00	
Sabra Trumbull Chapter, "one pair of central mahogany doors"	100.00	
Mrs. Charles H. Pinney, of Sarah Riggs Humphreys Chapter	50.00	
Sibbil Dwight Kent Chapter	25.00	
Torrington Chapter	25.00	
Wadsworth Chapter	25.00	
Mrs. E. C. B. Buel, commission on sales of "The Tale of the Spinning Wheel"	.80	
		$557.30
Delaware—		
Five chapters of Delaware, toward the Delaware column	1,000.00	
Five chapters of Delaware, toward the general fund	747.00	
Miss Rebecca Chapman, of Cæsar Rodney Chapter, "in memory of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth D. Chapman"	5.00	
		1,752.00
District of Columbia—		
American Chapter	10.00	
Army and Navy Chapter	212.68	
Columbia Chapter, "one pair central mahogany doors"	100.00	
Constitution Chapter	75.00	
Continental Chapter	85.00	
Continental Dames Chapter, "to be held in trust for memorial"	100.00	
Dolly Madison Chapter, "toward District of Columbia room"	100.00	
Elizabeth Jackson Chapter, "one pair of central mahogany doors"	100.00	
Elizabeth Jackson Chapter	100.00	
Lucy Holcombe Chapter, "one pair of mahogany doors"	100.00	
Mary Washington Chapter	75.00	
Mrs. T. H. Alexander, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00	

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.

District of Columbia—Continued.

Mrs. Gertrude L. Babcock, of Mary Washington Chapter	$2.50
Mrs. W. D. Baldwin, of Mary Washington Chapter	2.00
Miss Mary Randolph Ball, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Clara G. Barker, of Mary Washington Chapter	2.00
Mrs. M. J. Baxter, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. M. M. Benjamin, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Miss Mary Perry Brown, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Roberdeau Buchanan, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Virginia Chalmers, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Miss Mary Child, of Mary Washington Chapter	3.00
Miss Emma Cilley, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. B. J. Cromwell, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Lizzie M. G. Davis, of Mary Washington Chapter	2.00
Miss Ella Loraine Dorsey, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. L. B. R. Fisher, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Mary Parke Foster, of Mary Washington Chapter	25.00
Mrs. Jennie D. Garrison, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Kate Kearny Henry, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Virginia C. Huidekoper, of Mary Washington Chapter	20.00
Mrs. M. J. Hunt, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Mary T. N. Jackson, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Violet Blair Janin, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Miss Elizabeth Bryant Johnston, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Frances A. Johnston, of Mary Washington Chapter	2.50
Miss Frances B. Johnston, of Mary Washington Chapter	2.50

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.

District of Columbia—Continued.

Miss Virginia B. Jones, of Mary Washington Chapter	$5.00
Miss Harriet Keen, of Mary Washington Chapter	1.00
Miss Alice M. Kennedy, of Mary Washington Chapter	10.00
Mrs. Elizabeth Blair Lee, of Mary Washington Chapter	25.00
Mrs. Sarah Leonard, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Miss Lilian Lockwood, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Miss Julia Ten Eyck McBlair, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Julia T. McGowan, of Mary Washington Chapter	2.00
Miss Lizzie McLain, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Emma J. McLean, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Sarah V. Magruder, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Miss Virginia Miller, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.50
Mrs. John L. Mitchell, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Jacquelin Moncure, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Lucinda Moses, of Mary Washington Chapter	2.00
Mrs. M. C. H. Newcomb, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Jane J. Nicholson, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Mary Norton, of Mary Washington Chapter	10.00
Mrs. Columbia Payne, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Miss Virginia T. Peacock, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Miss Mary W. Pearre, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Katherine L. Power, of Mary Washington Chapter	1.00
Mrs. Lena A. Rathbun, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.
District of Columbia—Continued.

Miss Janet H. Richards, of Mary Washington Chapter	$2.00
Mrs. Charles Richardson, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. S. O. Richey, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. A. J. Robertson, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Miss Dorinda Rogers, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. McBlair Smith, of Mary Washington Chapter	1.25
Mrs. Nellie Y. Smith, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Miss Aline E. Solomons, of Mary Washington Chapter	56.00
Miss Charlotte B. Stevens, of Mary Washington Chapter	10.00
Mrs. O. H. Tittman, of Mary Washington Chapter	1.00
Mrs. Miranda B. Tulloch, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Robert J. Walker, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Miss Eliza Titus Ward, of Mary Washington Chapter	20.00
Miss J. Hunt Weber, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Miss Sophie R. Webster, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Lawrence Weldon, of Mary Washington Chapter	10.00
Miss Annie W. Wilson, of Mary Washington Chapter	1.00
Mrs. J. Ormond Wilson, of Mary Washington Chapter	1.00
Mrs. T. H. Vail, of Mary Washington Chapter	1.00
Mrs. F. P. Vale, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Mary Yeatman, of Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Alex, through the Mary Washington Chapter	5.00
Cash, through the Mary Washington Chapter	3.75
Miriam Danforth Chapter, toward the District of Columbia room	90.00
Miss Anne Hitchcock, through Mrs. Amos G. Draper, Miriam Danforth Chapter	1.00
Potomac Chapter	61.00
Subcommittee of ways and means committee	377.00

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.		
District of Columbia—Continued.		
Miss Wilmuth Gary, commission on sale of "Rodney's Ride"	$13.90	
Mrs. Helen Pooke Kane	3.00	
Mrs. Louise H. Patterson	25.00	
The Misses Poe	5.00	
The Misses Polkinhorn	25.00	
Miss Nellie B. Stone	5.00	
A daughter	2.00	
Proceeds from lunch given by the District of Columbia chapters	50.00	
		$2,165.56
Florida—		
Jacksonville Chapter		10.00
Georgia—		
Atlanta Chapter, toward Georgia column	65.00	
Mrs. Robert E. Parke, of Atlanta Chapter	10.00	
Augusta Chapter, toward Georgia column	10.00	
Brunswick Chapter	5.00	
Elijah Clarke Chapter, toward Georgia column	10.00	
Fielding Lewis Chapter, toward Georgia column	10.00	
George Walter Chapter, toward Georgia column	10.00	
Jonathan Bryan Chapter, toward Georgia column	15.00	
Joseph Habersham Chapter, toward Georgia column	100.00	
Lachlan McIntosh Chapter	10.00	
Mary Hammond Washington Chapter	20.00	
Nancy Hart Chapter	15.00	
Nathaniel Macon Chapter, toward Georgia column	10.00	
Oglethorpe Chapter	10.00	
Piedmont Continental Chapter, toward Georgia column	5.00	
Piedmont Continental Chapter	10.00	
Savannah Chapter, to Georgia column	25.00	
Thomas Jefferson Chapter, to Georgia column	25.00	
Xavier Chapter, to Georgia column	10.00	
Mrs. Rosa Hannan, of Xavier Chapter, to Georgia column	2.00	
		377.00
Illinois—		
Alliance Chapter	5.00	
Ann Crooker St. Clair Chapter	7.00	
Chicago Chapter	200.00	
Mrs. A. C. Bartlett, of Chicago Chapter	10.00	
Mrs. Frank O. Lowden, of Chicago Chapter, to Illinois state room	50.00	
Mrs. Henry C. Lytton, of Chicago Chapter	100.00	

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.

Illinois—Continued.

Mrs. Delilah Fuller Cuddington, real daughter, of Dixon Chapter	$1.00
Dorothy Quincy Chapter	15.00
Elder William Brewster Chapter	5.00
Elgin Chapter	25.00
Mrs. A. H. McCandless, of Fort Armstrong Chapter	26.00
Geneseo Chapter	15.00
George Rogers Clark Chapter	75.00
Illini Chapter	50.00
Letitia Green Stevenson Chapter	60.00
Letitia Green Stevenson Chapter, two pairs outside mahogany doors	200.00
Lincoln Chapter	55.00
Lucretia Leffingwell Chapter (mite boxes)	3.96
Mrs. John C. Allen, of Mildred Warner Washington Chapter	1.00
Mrs. Martha S. Brooks, of Mildred Warner Washington Chapter	1.00
Mrs. Sarah D. Gibson, of Mildred Warner Washington Chapter	1.00
Mrs. Lucy A. Harding, of Mildred Warner Washington Chapter	1.00
Miss Aileen Nye, of Mildred Warner Washingington Chapter	1.00
Mr. Walter Scott, through Mildred Warner Washington Chapter, in memory of his mother, Mrs. Anne J. Hopkins Scott	2.00
Mildred Warner Washington Chapter	5.50
Moline Chapter	100.00
Mrs. Charles H. Deere, of Moline Chapter	100.00
Mrs. William Butterworth, of Moline Chapter	20.00
Morrison Chapter	5.00
North Shore Chapter	5.00
North Shore Chapter, memorial to Nathan Hale	25.00
North Shore Chapter, commission on sale of "Buckeye Cook Book"	15.75
Peoria Chapter	15.00
Princeton Chapter	10.00
Puritan and Cavalier Chapter	10.00
Rebecca Parke Chapter	10.00
Rev. James Caldwell Chapter	25.00
Rochelle Chapter	50.00
Rockford Chapter	18.80
Springfield Chapter, toward Illinois state room	25.00
Miss Amaryllis Gillett, of Springfield Chapter, toward Illinois state room	100.00

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.		
Illinois—Continued.		
Illinois state conference, toward Illinois state room	$75.00	
A member of Illinois	2.00	
		$1,527.01
Indiana—		
Ann Rogers Clark Chapter	5.00	
Caroline Scott Harrison Chapter, toward president-general's room	101.00	
Mrs. Chas. W. Fairbanks, of Caroline Scott Harrison Chapter	250.00	
Dorothy Q. Chapter	50.00	
General Arthur St. Clair Chapter, toward president-general's room	25.00	
General de La Fayette Chapter	37.00	
Huntington Chapter	15.00	
John Paul Chapter	10.00	
Mary Penrose Wayne Chapter	10.00	
Oliver Ellsworth Chapter	30.00	
Paul Revere Chapter	25.15	
Piankeshaw Chapter	8.50	
Vanderburgh Chapter	25.00	
Mrs. Alice L. Cilley Weist	.25	
		591.90
Indian Territory—		
Mrs. R. Adams, state regent, Indian Territory		10.00
Iowa—		
Abigail Adams Chapter	82.50	
Ashley Chapter	10.00	
Cedar Falls Chapter	10.00	
Council Bluffs Chapter	10.00	
Denison Chapter	5.00	
Dubuque Chapter	15.00	
Elizabeth Ross Chapter	5.00	
Fort Dodge Chapter	40.00	
Francis Shaw Chapter	30.00	
Hannah Caldwell Chapter	26.00	
Jean Espey Chapter	15.00	
Keokuk Chapter	10.00	
Marshalltown Chapter	22.50	
Martha Washington Chapter	50.00	
Nehemiah Letts Chapter	16.00	
Okamanpado Chapter	10.00	
Old Thirteen Chapter	15.00	
Penelope Van Prince Chapter	10.00	
Pilgrim Chapter	5.00	
Priscilla Alden Chapter	5.00	
Spinning Wheel Chapter	25.00	
Mrs. Annie B. Howe, of Spinning Wheel Chapter	2.50	

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.		
Iowa—Continued.		
Stars and Stripes Chapter	$12.50	
Waterloo Chapter	10.00	
		$442.00
Kansas—		
Betty Washington Chapter	10.00	
Eunice Sterling Chapter	11.00	
Gen. Edward Hand Chapter	10.00	
Hannah Jameson Chapter	5.00	
Newton Chapter	2.75	
Topeka Chapter	12.25	
		51.00
Kentucky—		
Bryan Station Chapter	20.00	
Elizabeth Kenton Chapter	25.00	
Mrs. Thomas W. W. Worcester, of Elizabeth Kenton Chapter	50.00	
Fincastle Chapter	220.00	
Gen. Evan Shelby Chapter	50.00	
Jemima Johnson Chapter	15.00	
Judge Samuel McDowell Chapter	10.00	
Paducah Chapter	10.00	
Samuel Davies Chapter	10.00	
		410.00
Maine—		
Col. Dummer Sewall Chapter	25.00	
Elizabeth Wadsworth Chapter	50.00	
Mrs. H. L. O'Donoghue, of Elizabeth Chapter	5.00	
Frances Dighton Williams Chapter	25.00	
General Knox Chapter	20.00	
Mary Dillingham Chapter	35.00	
Ruth Heald Cragin Chapter	10.00	
Silence Howard Hayden Chapter	25.30	
		195.30
Massachusetts—		
Bazaar fund	3,925.54	
Colonel Thomas Lothrop Chapter	15.00	
Deborah Sampson Chapter	50.00	
Faneuil Hall Chapter	50.00	
Mrs. Frank H. Brown, of Faneuil Hall Chapter	5.00	
Hannah Winthrop Chapter	70.00	
Mary Draper Chapter	50.00	
Mercy Warren Chapter	7.00	
Old Colony Chapter	10.00	
Old Newbury Chapter	10.00	
Mrs. Catharine Fairservice Sargent, of Sarah Bradlee Fulton Chapter	5.00	
Sea Coast Defence Chapter	10.00	
Mrs. Louise H. Randall, commission on sale of "The Fate of the Schooner"	.70	
		4,208.24

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.

Michigan—		
Alexander Macomb Chapter	$15.00	
Algonquin Chapter	10.00	
Anne Frisby Fitzhugh Chapter	10.00	
Big Rapids Chapter	5.00	
General Richard Montgomery Chapter	19.00	
Genesee Chapter	5.00	
Lansing Chapter	25.00	
Mrs. James P. Brayton, of Lansing Chapter	50.00	
Louisa St. Clair Chapter	30.00	
Mrs. Wm. L. Chittenden, of Louisa St. Clair Chapter	25.00	
Mrs. Leartus Connor, of Louisa St. Clair Chapter	5.00	
Lucinda Hinsdale Stone Chapter	32.00	
Marquette Chapter	5.00	
Mary Marshall Chapter	5.00	
Menominee Chapter	5.00	
Muskegon Chapter	8.00	
Ot-si-ke-ta Chapter	5.00	
Saginaw Chapter	20.00	
Sarah Caswell Angell Chapter, one pair central mahogany doors	100.00	
Sophie de Marsac Campau Chapter, in memory of Mrs. Harvey J. Hollister (to be held in trust)	175.00	
Ypsilanti Chapter	10.00	
Mrs. Emma Jane Burke Hall	.50	
		$564.50
Minnesota—		
Anthony Wayne Chapter	10.00	
Charter Oak Chapter	20.00	
Colonial Chapter	150.00	
Daughters of Liberty Chapter	50.00	
Distaff Chapter	15.00	
Elizabeth Dyar Chapter	10.00	
Fergus Falls Chapter	10.00	
Greysolon du Lhut Chapter	50.00	
Josiah Edson Chapter	40.00	
Minneapolis Chapter	100.00	
Monument Chapter	45.00	
Nathan Hale Chapter, memorial to Nathan Hale	10.00	
Rochester Chapter	5.00	
St. Paul Chapter	81.00	
St. Paul Chapter, in memory of their real daughter, Mrs. Jerusha Brown	15.00	
Mrs. Florence M. Gheen, of St. Paul Chapter, in memory of Mrs. D. A. Monfort	25.00	

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.		
Minnesota—Continued.		
Capt. J. J. McCurdy, through St. Paul Chapter, in memory of Mrs. J. J. McCurdy	$20.00	
Winonah Chapter, to be held in trust for a memorial	100.00	
		$756.00
Missouri—		
Columbian Chapter	25.00	
Elizabeth Benton Chapter, toward Missouri state room	300.00	
Mrs. E. H. Allen, of Elizabeth Benton Chapter	5.00	
Mrs. W. C. Allen, of Elizabeth Benton Chapter	5.00	
Mrs. Daniel Boone, of Elizabeth Benton Chapter, in memory of her father, Mr. Wm. H. Lusk	25.00	
Mrs. E. Case, of Elizabeth Benton Chapter	5.00	
Mrs. E. M. A. Childs, of Elizabeth Benton Chapter	5.00	
Mrs. W. B. Clark, of Elizabeth Benton Chapter	5.00	
Mrs. Hugh McElroy, of Elizabeth Benton Chapter	5.00	
Jefferson Chapter	35.10	
Laclede Chapter	12.25	
Nancy Hunter Chapter	5.00	
St. Louis Chapter	150.00	
Mrs. Wallace Delafield, of St. Louis Chapter	5.00	
St. Louis Chapter, Children of American Revolution	10.00	
		597.35
Montana—		
Ravalli Chapter	25.00	
Mrs. Walter S. Tallant, of Silver Bow Chapter	25.00	
Silver Bow Chapter	25.00	
Yellowstone Park Chapter	14.00	
Mrs. E. Broox Martin, of Montana	5.00	
		94.00
Nebraska—		
Coronado Chapter	10.00	
Deborah Avery Chapter	50.00	
Lewis-Clark Chapter	25.00	
Omaha Chapter	100.00	
Quivera Chapter	10.00	
Mrs. S. C. Langworthy, of Seward Chapter	10.00	
		205.00
New Hampshire—		
Ashuelot Chapter, for portrait bust	100.00	
Buntin Chapter	10.00	
Elizabeth Folsom Hilton Chapter, toward portrait bust	5.00	
Elsa Cilley Chapter, toward portrait bust	5.00	
Margery Sullivan Chapter, toward portrait bust	25.00	

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.		
New Hampshire—Continued.		
Milford Chapter	$75.00	
Mrs. Benj. Chase, of Molly Reed Chapter, toward portrait bust	5.00	
Molly Stark Chapter, toward portrait bust	200.00	
		$425.00
New Jersey—		
Boudinot Chapter	50.00	
Mrs. E. Gaylord Putnam, Boudinot Chapter	100.00	
Camp Middlebrook Chapter	23.00	
Chinchewunske Chapter	30.00	
Colonel Lowrey Chapter	10.00	
Essex Chapter	25.00	
General Lafayette Chapter	35.00	
Miss Sarah N. Doughty, of General Lafayette Chapter	12.50	
Mrs. Joseph Thompson, of General Lafayette Chapter	12.50	
Greenwich Tea Burning Chapter	15.00	
Haddonfield Chapter	15.00	
Jersey Blue Chapter	45.00	
Kate Aylesford Chapter	6.00	
Nassau Chapter	15.00	
Nova Caesarea Chapter	35.00	
Oak Tree Chapter	6.00	
Paulus Hook Chapter	50.00	
Mrs. John Winner, jr., Paulus Hook Chapter	1.00	
Trent Chapter	10.00	
		496.00
New Mexico—		
Jacob Bennett Chapter	5.00	
Sunshine Chapter	5.00	
		10.00
New York—		
Amsterdam Chapter	5.00	
Astenrogen Chapter, toward New York state room	25.00	
Baron Steuben Chapter	25.00	
Benjamin Prescott Chapter, toward New York state room	101.00	
Blooming Grove Chapter	20.00	
Mrs. John Miller Horton, of Buffalo Chapter	100.00	
Camden Chapter, toward New York state room	50.00	
Catherine Schuyler Chapter	14.00	
Chemung Chapter	15.00	
Cherry Valley Chapter, toward New York state room	10.00	
Deborah Champion Chapter, toward New York state room	25.00	

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.

New York—Continued.

Deo-on-go-wa Chapter	$20.00
Fort Greene Chapter, toward New York state room	400.00
Mrs. S. M. Bowne, of Fort Greene Chapter, toward New York state room	1.00
Mrs. F. W. Hopkins, of Fort Greene Chapter, to New York state room	10.00
Mrs. Charles A. Hoyt, of Fort Greene Chapter, toward New York state room	50.00
Mrs. Clavin Edwards Hull, of Fort Greene Chapter, toward New York state room	100.00
Mrs. Ambrose Kitchell, of Fort Greene Chapter, toward New York state room	2.00
Mrs. Frank M. Lupton, of Fort Greene Chapter, toward New York state room	10.00
Mrs. James F. Russell, of Fort Greene Chapter, toward New York state room	5.00
Miss Lucella C. Smith, of Fort Greene Chapter, toward New York state room	5.00
Mrs. Alden S. Swan, of Fort Greene Chapter, toward New York state room	5.00
Mrs. William C. Todd, of Fort Greene Chapter, toward New York state room	100.00
Miss Susie M. Van Anden, of Fort Greene Chapter, toward New York state room	5.00
Mrs. S. V. White, of Fort Greene Chapter, toward New York state room	10.00
Fort Oswego Chapter	25.00
Gansevoort Chapter	400.00
Mrs. P. K. Dederick, of Gansevoort Chapter	100.00
General Richard Montgomery Chapter, toward New York state room	25.00
General William Floyd Chapter	20.00
General William Floyd Chapter, toward New York state room	25.00
Hendrick Hudson Chapter, toward New York state room	25.00
Hendrick Hudson Chapter	25.00
Irondequoit Chapter	100.00
Irondequoit Chapter, toward New York state room	50.00
Israel Harris Chapter	10.00
Jamestown Chapter	200.00
Jane McCrea Chapter, toward New York state room	100.00
Kanisteo Valley Chapter	64.00
Kayendatsyona Chapter	10.00

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.

New York—Continued.

Keskeskick Chapter, toward New York state room	$75.00
Knickerbocker Chapter	50.00
Le Ray de Chamont Chapter, toward New York state room	30.00
Mahwenawasigh Chapter, toward New York state room	10.00
Mahwenawasigh Chapter	50.00
Manhattan Chapter, toward New York state room	100.00
Mary Washington Colonial Chapter, toward New York state room	360.00
Miss Lillian T. Montgomery, of Mary Washington Colonial Chapter, toward New York state room	25.00
Mrs. George Sage, of Mary Washington Colonial Chapter	5.00
Mary Weed Marvin Chapter	25.00
Melzingah Chapter, toward New York state room	20.00
Minisink Chapter	40.00
Mohawk Chapter, toward New York state room	100.00
Mohawk Chapter	100.00
Mohegan Chapter, toward New York state room	25.00
Monroe Chapter	25.00
Nathaniel Woodhull Chapter	25.00
New York City Chapter, toward New York state room	100.00
Mrs. James H. Aldrich, of New York City Chapter	1,000.00
Mrs. Sarah C. Meredith, of New York City Chapter	5.00
Mrs. James T. Randell, of New York City Chapter	100.00
Mrs. A. J. Robinson, of New York City Chapter	100.00
Olean Chapter, toward New York state room	50.00
Ondawa-Cambridge Chapter	25.00
Miss Kate M. McKie, of Ondawa-Cambridge Chapter, in honor of Mrs. A. D. Geer	75.00
Oneida Chapter	100.00
Oneida Chapter, toward New York state room	100.00
Onondaga Chapter, toward New York state room	50.00
Onondaga Chapter	100.00
Ontario Chapter	15.00
Onwentsia Chapter	25.00
Owahgena Chapter	30.00
Patterson Chapter	60.00
Philip Schuyler Chapter, toward New York state room	50.00

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.		
New York—Continued.		
Quassaick Chapter	$25.00	
Sa-go-ye-wat-ha Chapter, toward New York state room	35.00	
Saranac Chapter	25.00	
Saratoga Chapter	50.00	
Mrs. James Mingay, of Saratoga Chapter	25.00	
Saugerties Chapter	30.00	
Seneca Chapter	20.00	
Skenandoah Chapter	51.00	
Sleepy Hollow Chapter	30.00	
Swekatsi Chapter, toward New York state room	66.00	
Tioughnioga Chapter	24.00	
Tuscarora Chapter, one pair mahogany doors	100.00	
Wiltwyck Chapter, toward New York state room	100.00	
Women of '76 Chapter	50.00	
Ensign Robert Wilson Society, Children of American Revolution	10.00	
Nathan Beman Society, Children of American Revolution	27.36	
		$6,011.36
North Carolina—		
Arden Chapter		10.00
North Dakota—		
Mrs. Sarah M. Loundsberry, state regent		5.00
Ohio—		
Cincinnati Chapter	100.00	
Mrs. Joseph B. Foraker, of Cincinnati Chapter	100.00	
Col. Jonathan Bayard Smith Chapter	24.50	
Columbus Chapter	25.00	
Mrs. Edward Orton, jr., of Columbus Chapter	25.00	
Elizabeth Sherman Reese Chapter	10.00	
Fort Findlay Chapter	10.00	
Fort McArthur Chapter	6.00	
George Clinton Chapter	10.00	
Jonathan Dayton Chapter	17.00	
Lagonda Chapter	35.00	
Martha Pitkin Chapter	10.00	
Mary Washington Chapter	10.00	
Miami Chapter	5.00	
Nathaniel Massie Chapter	15.00	
New Connecticut Chapter	15.00	
Old North West Chapter	5.00	
Ursula Wolcott Chapter, toward New York state room	100.00	
Washington Court-House Chapter	10.00	
Western Reserve Chapter	100.00	
		632.50

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.		
Oklahoma—		
Oklahoma City Chapter		$10.00
Pennsylvania—		
Brookville Chapter	$25.00	
Candahata Chapter	30.00	
Chester County Chapter	20.00	
Col. Crawford Chapter	30.00	
Colonel William Montgomery Chapter	30.00	
Delaware County Chapter	25.50	
Du Bois Chapter	25.00	
Mrs. John E. Du Bois, of Du Bois Chapter	100.00	
Harrisburg Chapter	70.00	
Independence Hall Chapter	200.00	
Lawrence Chapter	25.00	
Lycoming Chapter	50.00	
Philadelphia Chapter	660.00	
Philadelphia Chapter, for three keystones	500.00	
Philadelphia Chapter, proceeds from sale of Star Spangled Banner cards	12.65	
James R. Mellon, through Mrs. James R. Mellon, of Pittsburg Chapter	250.00	
A. W. Mellon, through Mrs. James R. Mellon, of Pittsburg Chapter	250.00	
R. B. Mellon, through Mrs. James R. Mellon, of Pittsburg Chapter	250.00	
W. L. Mellon, through Mrs. James R. Mellon, of Pittsburg Chapter	250.00	
Mrs. Catherine A. Bruce, of Quaker City Chapter	100.00	
Susquehanna Chapter	25.00	
Tioga Chapter	25.00	
Valley Forge Chapter	60.00	
Venango Chapter	10.00	
Witness Tree Chapter	50.00	
Mrs. Sheldon Reynolds, of Wyoming Chapter	100.00	
Mrs. Elwood M. Corson	5.00	
Mrs. Austin C. Stull	5.00	
Proceeds from sale of Pennsylvania state pin	47.00	
		3,230.15
Rhode Island—		
Bristol Chapter, toward Rhode Island column	172.00	
Mrs. Joshua Wilbour, honorary vice-president-general and member of Bristol Chapter, toward Rhode Island column	200.00	
Gaspee Chapter, toward Rhode Island column	479.00	
Narragansett Chapter, toward Rhode Island column	66.00	
Phebe Greene Ward Chapter, toward Rhode Island column	100.00	

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.		
Rhode Island—Continued.		
William Ellery Chapter, toward Rhode Island column	$170.00	
		$1,187.00
South Carolina—		
Andrew Pickens Chapter, toward South Carolina column	5.00	
Cateechee Chapter toward South Carolina column	35.00	
Columbia Chapter, toward South Carolina column	35.00	
Cowpens Chapter, toward South Carolina column	25.00	
Kate Barry Chapter, toward South Carolina column	5.00	
King's Mountain Chapter, toward South Carolina column	5.00	
Nathanael Greene Chapter, toward South Carolina column	15.00	
Rebecca Motte Chapter, toward South Carolina column	25.00	
Rebecca Motte Chapter, toward South Carolina column	30.00	
Mrs. A. I. Robertson, commission on "paper weights"	5.00	
Mrs. A. I. Robertson, commission on "coat of arms"	5.00	
		160.00
Tennessee—		
Bonny Kate Chapter	50.00	
Campbell Chapter	40.00	
Chickamauga Chapter	30.00	
Commodore Perry Chapter	50.00	
Cumberland Chapter	50.00	
Hermitage Chapter	50.00	
Jackson-Madison Chapter	10.00	
Watauga Chapter	25.00	
		305.00
Texas—		
Betty Martin Chapter	20.00	
George Washington Chapter	15.00	
Jane Douglas Chapter	10.00	
Lady Washington Chapter	36.00	
Mary Isham Keith Chapter	25.00	
Rebecca Crockett Chapter	10.00	
San Antonio de Bexar Chapter	10.00	
		126.00
Vermont—		
Ann Story Chapter, toward expense of placing the inscription above the entrance to Memorial Continental Hall	75.00	

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.		
Vermont—Continued.		
Mrs. Horace H. Dyer, of Ann Story Chapter	$25.00	
Bellevue Chapter	20.25	
Bennington Chapter	100.00	
Brattleboro Chapter	75.00	
Green Mountain Chapter	25.00	
Hands Cove Chapter	21.00	
Lake Dunmore Chapter	10.00	
Ottauqeechee Chapter	5.00	
		$356.25
Virginia—		
Mrs. F. Berger Moran, of Albemarle Chapter, proceeds from sale of "Miss Washington of Virginia"	138.00	
Beverly Manor Chapter	20.00	
Great Bridge Chapter	10.00	
Hampton Chapter	21.00	
Mrs. Lucy Bailey Henneberger, of Massanutton Chapter	5.00	
Mount Vernon Chapter	55.00	
		249.00
Washington—		
Ranier Chapter		25.00
West Virginia—		
Colonel Charles Lewis Chapter	16.00	
Elizabeth Ludington Hagans Chapter	35.00	
James Wood Chapter	350.00	
James Wood Chapter, proceeds from sale of book	2.50	
Mrs. B. D. Spilman, of James Wood Chapter, in memory of her great great grandfather, Capt. Cornelius Steenrod	50.00	
		453.50
Wisconsin—		
Fay Robinson Chapter	10.00	
Fond du Lac Chapter	10.00	
Fort Atkinson Chapter	15.00	
Janesville Chapter	25.00	
John Bell Chapter	25.00	
Milwaukee Chapter	100.00	
Munedoo Chapter	25.00	
Nequi-Antigo-Siebah Chapter	10.00	
Oshkosh Chapter	50.00	
Racine Chapter	15.00	
Tyranena Chapter	25.00	
Wau Bun Chapter	10.00	

Continental Hall contributions—Continued.		
Wisconsin—Continued.		
Waukesha Continental Chapter	$50.00	
Waupun Chapter	10.00	
		$380.00
"A thank offering"		6.00
Cash		2.00
Total receipts		163,784.11

EXPENDITURES.

Balance of foundation	$21,421.47
Balance on auditorium	96,864.56
Architect on completion of work done	3,254.72
Inspecting material used in the construction of auditorium	149.46
Installing underground conduit to Memorial Continental Hall	17.40
150 woven badges for Memorial Continental Hall committee	120.00
Inspector of works	1,016.00
Filing committee	126.30
1 binder for committee on laying corner stone	.85
Life-membership fees returned:	
Mrs. D. H. Brooks, of Joseph Habersham Chapter, Georgia	12.50
Mrs. Sophronia T. Edwards, of Texas	25.00
Total expenditures	123,008.26
Balance in bank (American Security and Trust Company) September 30, 1905	40,775.85
	163,784.11

PART II.

WORK OF THE CHAPTERS FROM OCTOBER 11, 1904, TO OCTOBER 11, 1905.

WORK OF THE CHAPTERS.

The constitution of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution places this organization upon a broad national basis—that is, it is not an organization of states. An applicant for membership must first become a member of the national society at large. Following this she can connect herself with any chapter, wherever located, by paying her annual dues to the national society through this chapter, provided such member is acceptable to said chapter. It therefore follows that the individual chapters are the life-giving support to the mother society and are duly recognized by legal delegates at all congresses consisting of the chapter regents and chapter delegates.

A state regent is elected by the chapters or appointed by the board to represent them in congress and also on the national board of management.

When the national society asks for a report of work accomplished through the year, such reports must come from the chapters of this society, since they are the only legalized bodies representing the organization. Consequently the following reports from the various chapters throughout the states will give a fair idea of the work done over the country at large and which could not be given by states which are not recognized in the constitution.

The chapters are erecting monuments and tablets, thus adding to our national history by forcing the musty archives to reveal their hidden secrets, establishing the rosters of the Revolutionary soldiers by town records and the gravestones of the forgotten dead, teaching patriotism to the foreigners who flock to our shores, and in an hundred ways working along the lines of patriotism—a work that can be done only by the members of the chapters each in their own locality, and each chapter is an artery of life to the organization, to which it must give an account of its stewardship.

CALIFORNIA.

[Mrs. Harry Gray, *State Regent.*]

California reports the appointment of four regents for new chapters, one of which has perfected organization, the Buff and the Blue, of Riverside; the others are in process of formation. Just now a special effort is being made to send a worthy offering for Continental Hall, to interest all members in our national organ, The American Monthly Magazine, and to eliminate, if possible, the national anthem from all medleys; the latter to be accomplished through the musicians' union.

The combined chapters have voted to present a handsome flag, suitably inscribed, to the cruiser *California.*

With pleasure I can testify to earnest, thoughtful work in all the chapters, some reporting donations to Continental Hall, to the restoration of Paul Revere's home, and to the monument dedicated to the nurses of the Spanish war. Patriotic anniversaries have been generally observed in most of the chapters, while one chapter reports the placing of the Declaration of Independence in every school in its city.

COLORADO.

[Mrs. Harriet P. Campbell, *State Regent.*]

In Colorado the oldest chapter in the state, the **Zebulon Pike,** devoted the year mainly to study of the settlement of the far West—"Old Oregon;" the work was relieved by two receptions (one for the state regent), and an illustrated talk on "The Flags of all Nations," by Mrs. Goodale, who had lived under many of them as wife of an army officer. The income of the chapter was divided nearly equally between Memorial Continental Hall and prizes for patriotic essays written by pupils of three local schools.

The usual prizes were given for essays. Aside from its contributions to Memorial Continental Hall, it has aided in the purchase of the Betsy Ross House and in erecting a monument in the Arlington National Cemetery to the Spanish war nurses.

Arkansas Valley Chapter, Pueblo, devoted its first energies to Continental Hall, giving a little more than 75 cents for each member. Its study related to Colonial and Revolutionary times.

Pueblo Chapter, in its first full year, gave to Continental Hall in the same ratio as its sister chapter, placed the National Magazine in the public library, and studied United States history.

Colorado Chapter, Denver, in its first full year, was a model of energy. Nine meetings were held at which fine programmes were presented to members and visitors. Five boxes of books and magazines were sent to the Manila Hospital Aid Society, the national flag was presented to the Newsboys' Home, a photograph of George Washington, a lithograph of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, and a facsimile of the Declaration.

One hundred dollars was sent to the Memorial Continental Hall. Aid was given to a member of the Washington family who lives in Colorado.

Centennial State Chapter, Greeley, doubled its membership during its first year, sent several books by Greeley authors to the national society library, and held regular interesting meetings.

Canon City ladies have held two meetings and hope for a formal organization soon. The former town has as its regent the wife of a descendant of Peregrine White.

The heirs of the founders and makers of the nation are busy still, in the remotest corners, aiding growth and inspiration.

CONNECTICUT.

[Mrs. Sara T. Kinney, *State Regent.*]

"Ellsworth Homestead" (see plate, p. 117, sixth report to the Smithsonian), the Connecticut D. A. R. chapter house at Windsor, continues to be a center of interest for local and visiting daughters, over 1,000 visitors having registered during the six months in 1904–5 that the house was open to guests. Gifts of antique furniture and other choice articles continue to be received for the beautifying of the homestead, the choicest gift during the season being a rare old English "press cupboard" of English oak, elaborately carved, and bearing the initials "R. M." and the date 1698.

One of the most interesting recent events in Daughters of the American Revolution circles was the presentation to Miss

Mary P. Root, A. B., of a solid silver tea service and salver as a mark of appreciation from every chapter in the state for Miss Root's seven years of activity in their behalf as editor-in-chief of their books, "Patron Saints" and "Patriots' Daughters." These books are upon the shelves of practically every public library in Connecticut, and some twenty or more of the leading libraries in various states from Maine to Ohio have either purchased or asked for the gift of "Patron Saints" and "Patriots' Daughters."

The Congressional Library in Washington and the New York state library at Albany have requested that they be furnished with a copy of everything that has been or may at any time be published by the Connecticut Daughters of the American Revolution, including copies of all the state regent's reports. From these facts it may be inferred that the Connecticut daughters have accomplished what they set out to do—some really valuable work along the historical lines for which the society was organized.

The commemorative work of the Connecticut Daughters of the American Revolution is practically completed. A few more historic sites still remain to be suitably marked—although in the last ten years between 50 and 60 monuments, wayside stones, tablets, memorial gateways, and fountains have been erected—many Revolutionary burial places have been restored, and hundreds of graves of Revolutionary soldiers have been re-marked with new stones or with those that have been repaired. At least $125,000 have been expended upon the commemorative work of the Connecticut Daughters of the American Revolution.

The attention of Connecticut chapters is now turning largely to the patriotic educational movement, and an unusually interesting report may be expected next year in connection with Connecticut's work for foreign citizens, and for the mountain whites in Tennessee, whose claims upon the daughters are the claims of descendants of Revolutionary ancestors.

Chapter reports are as follows:

Abigail Phelps Chapter during the year has confined its efforts to the duty and privilege of placing markers upon the graves of 28 Revolutionary soldiers.

Abigail Wolcott Ellsworth Chapter has offered a prize for the best essay submitted by any pupil in the Windsor High

School on a subject connected with the early history of Connecticut.

Anna Warner Bailey Chapter was hostess for the state gathering of daughters on October 11, 1905, the organization date of the national society and the anniversary of the birth of the chapter's patron saint, Anna Warner Bailey. The building of a $3,000 annex to the monument house is the special interest of the chapter at this time.

Anne Brewster Fanning Chapter is the smallest chapter in Connecticut, but it does good work, and counts among its members one "real daughter." It is specially interested in giving financial aid to such of its members as are in need, and is working to suitably equip its chapter room. It is also engaged in the pleasant task of restoring the old milestones in Jewett City and neighboring towns. Through this section of the country ran the stage coach of "other days," the distance between towns being marked by these quaint milestones.

Anne Wood Elderkin Chapter in February sent a contribution to Washington for Continental Hall. In March the annual contribution was made toward the support of Willimantic City missionary. Contributions have been made to other patriotic objects. The chapter has at the present time but one "real daughter" on its membership roll.

Dorothy Ripley Chapter from October, 1904, to October, 1905, was engaged entirely in educational and patriotic work. In May $25 was sent to the Continental Hall fund. In June an interesting talk on "Birds" was given by a friend of birds. It was largely attended by the school children and the proceeds were devoted to the education fund. On Bunker Hill Day the annual school prizes of $5 each were awarded to the boy and girl writing the best essay on "The Boston tea party" and "The Spanish war." A scholarship for the education of a descendant (in the mountains of Tennessee) of Revolutionary ancestors has been raised by this chapter.

Elizabeth Clarke Hull Chapter during the year gave three prizes to the pupils in the grammar grade of the high school for good historical work, each prize consisting of $5 in gold. It has also contributed liberally to the Continental Hall fund. The chapter bore one-fifth of the cost of placing a boundary stone marking the original division line between Waterbury and Derby.

Elizabeth Porter Putnam Chapter held an entertainment each month for the benefit of the chapter, and it has thus been able to continue its maintenance of the free reading room in the town of Putnam and furnish literature for the same. Two prizes have been given in the public schools for the best paper upon "Gen. Israel Putnam." One day in each year is set apart as a memorial day, the daughters making pilgrimages and decorating the graves of Revolutionary soldiers in and about Putnam. Headstones have been erected over the graves of two soldiers of the American Revolution. The sum of $25 was given to the Continental Hall fund and a "Plymouth rug" given to be used in the Ellsworth homestead. Each year the chapter makes a pilgrimage to some historic spot to arouse interest in the work of the society and refresh the memories of its members with events long past.

Emma Hart Willard Chapter devoted its energies to the locating of Revolutionary soldiers' graves and placing upon them the official marker. It has forty-five such graves on its list. Sixteen have been suitably marked, and it is expected that the remaining twenty-nine will soon be placed upon the completed record.

Eunice Dennie Burr Chapter continues its care of the Colonial and Revolutionary burial ground in Fairfield. It has also placed suitable bronze markers at the graves of thirty-nine soldiers of the Revolutionary war. It has repaired the stone wall around the old burying ground at an expense of $70. It gives a first and second prize (of $5 and $2.50 in gold) to children in the public schools whose standing for the year is highest and "second best" in American history. The chapter conducts patriotic exercises on Fairfield Green July 4, consisting of reading of the Declaration of Independence, an address, singing patriotic songs, and the distribution of prizes to school children. Eighteen dollars have been contributed toward Memorial Continental Hall fund. The chapter subscribes for the American Monthly Magazine for Fairfield Memorial Library.

Freelove Baldwin Stow Chapter has up to the present year contributed largely to Continental Hall fund, but now its energies are turned toward the erection of a memorial to the Revolutionary soldiers and sailors of Milford and to the

women who so loyally aided them in their heroic struggle for liberty. Through the generosity of the chapter regent a plot of ground in the center of the village has been secured upon which to erect this memorial, and the chapter has pledged itself to raise $5,000 for this purpose. More than half of this amount has already been contributed.

Green Woods Chapter has compiled the names and records of the Revolutionary soldiers who served from the towns of Colebrook, Norfolk, and Winchester. The foundation of the work was found in the various town histories, but as it progressed much correspondence and personal investigation became necessary; this resulted in the rescue from oblivion of many hitherto unregistered names. Where undoubted family history could be had a short sketch of the soldier's life and ancestry was prepared, the whole forming a valuable addition to local history. In early autumn a commemorative service (arranged by the chapter) was held on Wallen's Hill, at the site of the first meeting house of Winsted, built in 1793. The exercises were carried out in a highly gratifying way, and the chapter was congratulated on the interesting memories it had evoked. The proceeds of the annual public entertainment, amounting to nearly $75, were added to the memorial fund which the chapter is accumulating for a bowlder and tablet to the memory of Revolutionary soldiers. The chapter's one "real daughter," Mrs. Mary Steele Cleveland, now in her eighty-eighth year, is able to attend the chapter meetings in pleasant weather.

Hannah Benedict Carter Chapter contributed $35 to Continental Hall fund, for the Connecticut column. A medal presented by the chapter to the scholar in the advanced grade of the public school for the best essay on a Revolutionary topic, patriotic exercises attending the presentation of the medal. The chapter has come into possession of a certain plot of ground in Lakeview Cemetery, wherein is erected a monument to the memory of a Revolutionary hero, Capt. Stephen Betts. The sum of $150 has been set aside as a permanent appropriation, the interest of which shall give perpetual care to this soldier's grave. Four large silk flags, in standards, have been given by the chapter, or by individual members, to four New Canaan schools for use in the schoolroom during the ceremony of the salute to the flag. In consequence of this

presentation, and at the solicitation of the chapter regent, the salute to the flag was adopted in the two assembly halls of Center school, representing nine grades, and in two district schools. The Grand Army of the Republic post first recommended the salute, but were unable to provide suitable flags for the purpose. The principal of Center school reports that the flags are left by favor in those rooms showing for the week the best attendance, and that the enthusiasm of the pupils to be the "color room," and of the individual pupil to be the standard bearer during the salute, has increased marvelously the attendance at school. A donation of $1 was given to the monument in memory of the Daughters of the American Revolution nurses who died during the Spanish war.

Hannah Woodruff Chapter gave $10 for Continental Hall fund in April, 1905, and a set of Connecticut magazines was presented to the public library. The chapter has also purchased and placed in the public library a bookcase in which its own books and "relics" are to be placed and displayed for the benefit of the public. The chapter reports one "real daughter" on its roster.

Judea Chapter engaged in educational work, and during the year it has been the means of starting a high school in Washington, which numbers 40 pupils at the present time. It awards prizes of $2.50 and $1 for best and second best compositions from pupils in the district schools. It also contributes $40 annually toward the support of a historical room in the town.

Katherine Gaylord Chapter is much interested in patriotic educational work, and is supporting at Berea College, in Tennessee, two mountain girls. Free illustrated stereopticon lectures for the Italian citizens of Bristol have been given in their own language on "Important events in the settlement of the United States." A lecture on Nathan Hale was given for the benefit of the pupils of the grammar school. The chapter presents prizes for best essays on historical subjects, and also for declamation and singing by the pupils of the grammar schools. The usual memorial exercises were held this year in the ancient burying ground, where the chapter has graded, turfed, and kept the grass mown over the graves of Revolutionary soldiers. An effort is now being made to

restore the old South Cemetery, by grading the approaches, fixing walks, rebuilding the walls, placing water pipes, etc.

Lucretia Shaw Chapter, between October 11, 1904, and October 11, 1905, continued the work of caring for the "Town's Antientest Burying Ground" and the Nathan Hale schoolhouse. The burying ground is kept in excellent condition; the schoolhouse is open to the public two days each week for about three months in the year. Under the direction of the chapter, the monument over the grave of Capt. Charles Bulkeley in Cedar Grove Cemetery has been cleaned. Captain Bulkeley served as lieutenant under John Paul Jones on the *Alfred*, and from that vessel witnessed the first unfurling of the American flag on the Delaware River. One hundred and twenty dollars was given to the fund for the statue of John Winthrop, which was unvailed in New London, May 6, 1905.

Martha Pitkin Wolcott Chapter is concentrating its energies on an effort to raise funds to mark the birthplace of Jonathan Edwards, and it hopes to report in the near future that that effort has been a successful one. Copies of "Patriots' Daughters" have been presented to the public libraries in East Hartford and South Windsor, and money has been expended in the care of the "meeting house green."

Mary Clap Wooster Chapter reports a year of literary activities, many fine papers on historical subjects having been submitted for the pleasure and profit of its members. Money has been contributed for various patriotic purposes. The chapter's membership includes one "real daughter," Mrs. Phoebe Kimberly Castle.

Mary Floyd Tallmadge Chapter continues its regular work of (1) helping to support the free library, (2) forwarding the interests of scientific forestry, (3) collecting and preserving the names and records of the Revolutionary soldiers of Litchfield County, (4) contributing to Continental Hall, (5) giving prizes to the school children, and (6) contributing to many varied objects. Besides this, two new lines of work to be mentioned hereafter have been taken up.

1. The annual entertainment of the chapter to carry on its work was given as usual in August, and consisted of an open-air bazaar on the grounds of the former home of Mary Floyd Tallmadge. There were tables for the sale of oriental

goods, books, candy, Indian goods made by the Indians of Oklahoma; a large and valuable loan collection of Indian relics; a booth for the taking of silhouettes by a new photographic process, the invention of a member; and the refreshment tables. The feature of the afternoon was the presentation of an American flag to the local branch of the George Junior Republic, with attendant exercises. The net proceeds were $250, of which $100 was voted to the library. The sum total given to the library since the chapter's organization, in 1899, is now $4,134.24. Of this amount $1,044.39 has been voted out of the proceeds of chapter entertainments, the rest coming from donations in response to our published appeals.

2. Trees have been planted by the forestry committee in the school yard and the village park, at a cost of $15.50; and as a new line of work a subcommittee has been created, having for its object the collection and preservation of the aboriginal legends and relics of Litchfield County. This committee is in touch with Prof. George Grant McCurdy, of the Yale department of archæology, under whose direction the work was begun, and who visited Litchfield in November, 1904, at the committee's invitation, to inspect the sites of Indian graves and the relics taken therefrom some years ago. To him also the committee reported the removal of the graves of the Schagticoke Indians, recently, in the town of Kent. The location of all relics found will be noted on the Government topographical maps of Litchfield County owned by the chapter for this purpose. The Indian booth and exhibition at the bazaar were conducted by this committee.

3. The committee on Revolutionary soldiers reports the addition of many names to its long list of Litchfield County men, not yet complete, The card catalogue of Litchfield town enlistments and of men associated with the town now contains 424 names, an increase from 350; 6 names have been added to the Harwinton list, and the other county chapters aiding us in our work have sent in lists as follows: Men from Winchester, 133; Norfolk, 157; Colebrook, 22; Watertown, 81; New Milford, 209; Cornwall, 105; Thomaston, 7. Graves of Revolutionary soldiers in Plymouth 41 and in Washington 34. In addition to these we have ascertained that 100 Indians went from Kent, and an effort is being made to discover the names of those aboriginal patriots. As a crowning effort in

honor of these Revolutionary soldiers of Litchfield County, the chapter now proposes to present a stained glass memorial window to the Litchfield Historical Society, to be placed in the historical room of the new building, a gift to the society, now being erected. In connection with the window there will be a "memorial book," in which will be recorded the names of the soldiers for whom memorial donations are given by their descendants, and also the names of the donors, and of general contributors to the fund, which is to be not less than $1,000. Beside the book of memorial donations, the complete list of county men will also be deposited in the society's museum for reference purposes. This memorial is the second work newly undertaken in the past year, but was not begun until late in September, so the appointment of a committee with full power to select a window and raise funds is all that can be included in this report.

4. As a memorial to the Revolutionary soldiers of the town of Litchfield the chapter on March 25 gave $100 to Continental Hall, for one pair of mahogany doors designed to lead into the auditorium. The inscription will read: "In grateful remembrance of the 400 sons of Litchfield Town who served with honor in the Revolution."

5. Prizes were again awarded the public school children at a cost of $10.75, and presented at the commencement exercises; and $10 (besides the flag) was given to the Litchfield branch of the George Junior Republic.

6. The chapter has since last October contributed $32.75 to the "utility fund" for the collective work of the Connecticut Daughters of the American Revolution; $5 to the portrait of Mrs. Fairbanks, presented to her at the fourteenth continental congress; $5 to the monument of the Spanish-American War Nurses Association; and has spent $1.75 for the Youth's Companion for the Oneida Indians; $24 for binding full sets of the lineage books and Smithsonian reports, for the purpose of loaning them to the public library; $3.31 for books for chapter library; $1.50 for 3 copies of the second volume of "Chapter Sketches" and "Patriots' Daughters" given to the public school, the Litchfield Historical Society, and the library, and $20 for a speaker for a chapter meeting. The sum total spent by the chapter on its work during the past year, exclusive of its own current expenses, was $332.81. In

January the chapter secured Dr. William Elliot Griffis to lecture on Japan, charging admission for expenses only, and netting about $6 from the venture.

Meetings are held every month throughout the year, at which historical papers are read by members, or addresses made by speakers engaged for the occasion, and the members' interest in the chapter life and work is loyal and unflagging.

Mary Silliman Chapter has lost by death the two remaining real daughters on its roster. Miss Abby Holt passed away in January, 1905, and Mrs. Caroline P. Hubbell died in the following October. During the last eight or ten months of her life the chapter contributed $17 per month toward the care of Miss Holt, and the gold spoon presented by the national society, Daughters of the American Revolution, has been purchased of her heirs and will be placed in the state chapter house at Windsor. The chapter cares for and on the anniversary of her birth decorates the grave of its patron saint, Mary Silliman. The chapter has contributed "Patriots' Daughters" to the Bridgeport and the Stratford public libraries. It has also given toward the fund for a memorial to the nurses dying in the Spanish-American war, and contributed $133.83 toward the restoration of the Stratfield (Colonial and Revolutionary) Cemetery.

Melicent Porter Chapter on February 22 and 23 gave a colonial tea and loan exhibit, which was of unusual interest and value, not alone as a social function but as an instructive picture of colonial times, as shown in the extensive exhibit of ancient documents, books, portraits, paintings, antique laces, china and furniture, blankets and household utensils, also a spinning kitchen where the hetcheling and spinning of flax and wool were shown by spinners in old-time costume. The affair netted $103 to the chapter funds. Melicent Porter Chapter joined with the chapters of Derby, Ansonia, Seymour, and the town of Naugatuck, in the erection of the Andrews Mountain bowlder, to mark the ancient boundary line between the towns of Derby (Paugasset) and Waterbury (Mattatuck), which point is now situated in the town of Naugatuck. The expense of erecting this memorial was about $100. The dedication of the bowlder occurred on Flag Day, June 14, when a gathering of 200 ladies and gentlemen from all the towns represented in the memorial were present,

and fitting exercises were conducted to the pleasure and profit of all concerned. The chapter has established the custom of giving a medal to a pupil of the high school for the best essay on Revolutionary topics. A contribution for Continental Hall was made during the year.

Nathan Hale Memorial Chapter during the past year has appropriated $10 for cutting the grass and keeping in order the park in East Haddam, containing the memorial to Nathan Hale, and the park in Moodus, containing the soldiers' monument. The annual prize of $5 for the best essay on "Hero ines of the Revolution," written by pupils in the town of East Haddam, was awarded December 15, 1904. The sum of $76.50, collected by the chapter for improvements at the Cove burying ground, was transferred to the Cove Burying Ground Association, an organization formed for this purpose. A new granite pedestal and bronze tablet for the bust of Nathan Hale, in the park at East Haddam, to replace the old one of wood, was erected by the chapter and unveiled with appropriated public exercises September 22, 1905. The tablet bears the following inscription:

On this site
stood the
school-house in which
Nathan Hale
first taught
during the winter 1773–4.
Erected by
the
Nathan Hale Memorial Chapter,
Daughters of the
American Revolution,
East Haddam, Conn.
1904.

The cost of the pedestal was $200 and of the tablet $51.

Norwalk Chapter undertook no memorial work during 1904–5, but the educational objects of the chapter were developed. The maintenance of a poor white girl was continued at Maryville College, Tennessee. The patriotic education of foreigners was continued by means of free lectures and books. A reading room was opened in November, 1904, in the foreign quarter of South Norwalk. A small library of Hungarian

and Italian books were placed in it, together with some English juvenile books. A traveling library was borrowed from the public library committee of Connecticut. The books in foreign languages contained the following inscription on a neatly printed bookplate:

> Foreign Citizens' Library.
> Presented by the
> Connecticut Daughters of the American Revolution.
> "We pledge allegiance to our country's flag,
> and the republic for which it stands; one
> nation and indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

These foreign books were bought with money contributed from the chapters of the state, as well as by local subscriptions, and the collection was sent to the public library committee in June, 1905, to become a traveling library through the state. In October, 1905, the Norwalk chapter purchased 25 books in Hungarian for its own use. American, Italian, and Hungarian periodicals were also contributed and the reading room was open each evening from November 16, 1904, to May, 1905, and from October, 1905, for the coming season, from 7 to 9 each evening. An attendant is in charge to look after the room and books. Occasional talks on birds, books, history, and travel were given by friendly visitors. The statistics of the Foreign Citizens' Library for November 16, 1904, to May, 1905, were as follows: Attendance, 1,685; books lent, 665, of which 331 were English, 280 Hungarian, and 54 Italian; two free lectures in foreign languages were well attended, and the leaders among the foreign population were favorable to our educational work. All this was done for about $100, which was raised by various entertainments and subscriptions.

Phoebe Humphrey Chapter, in less than a year after its organization (January 30, 1905), contributed toward the Connecticut column for Continental Hall, to the national fund for the nurses' monument, and to the Ellsworth Memorial Association. An unmarked grave of a Revolutionary soldier has been discovered and will be properly marked by the chapter.

Putnam Hill Chapter has during the year contributed $46 to the Continental Hall fund, including the Connecticut

column. Prizes of $5, $3, and $2 have been offered for compositions by public school pupils on designated topics. Five graves of Revolutionary soldiers have been verified and cared for. These Revolutionary heroes bore the names of Silas Mead, Silas Mead, jr., Calvin Mead, Gabriel Mead, and Floi Mead. The chapter has organized a history club, which meets every other month for the study of American history.

Roger Sherman Chapter, through the careful efforts of its registrar, Mrs. H. S. Mygatt, has come into possession of a complete list of New Milford's Revolutionary soldiers. The number is 209, not including the Rev. Nathaniel Taylor, pastor of the Congregational Church, New Milford. Doctor Taylor was chaplain of Col. Nathan Whitney's regiment, and served at Ticonderoga and Crown Point. He was a zealous advocate of the American Revolution. One of the ways in which he evinced his interest was by remitting an entire year's salary during the contest. In addition to the names given, it is known that a company of 100 Schaghticoke (or Scatacook) Indians from the reservation, which lies in Kent and New Milford, took up arms in defense of American liberty in the Revolution. Roger Sherman Chapter is planning some time in the future to erect a memorial to these brave men, who made common cause with the colonists in their struggle with the mother country. Of those whose names are given on the list, Col. Josiah Starr, Lieut. James Bennett, and Lieut. David Beach were members of the famous order of Cincinnati, Orange Ferriss died at the battle of Crown Point, Sergt. Liffe Sanford served seven years in the war. Among the roll of musicians were Fifer John Couch, Drummer Job Hawkins, Fifer William Clain, Drummer Eleazer Hendricks, Fifer David Ruggles.

The list is as follows:

Benjamin Adams.
Nathaniel Averill.
Isaac Baldwin.
Jonah Baldwin, quartermaster.
Reuben Bronson.
David Beach, lieutenant.
James Bennett, lieutenant.
David Büel, corporal.
Josiah Buck, ensign.
Edward Booth.
Stephen Burritt.
Matthew Bronson, sergeant.
Salmon Bostwick.
John Baldwin.
John Beach.
John Baldwin.
David Bosworth.
Caleb Barnes.
Matthias Beeman.
Stiles Bardsley.

Theophilus Baldwin.
Israel Baldwin, second lieutenant.
Isaac Baldwin, surgeon.
Samuel Bennett, ensign.
Joel Bostwick.
James Bradshaw.
Elijah Boardman, corporal.
Amos Bostwick, ensign.
Benjamin Bostwick.
Ebenezer Bostwick.
Elisha Bostwick.
Elizur Bostwick.
Israel Bostwick.
Isaac Bostwick, captain.
Jonathan Bostwick.
Nathan Bostwick, ensign.
Oliver Bostwick, lieutenant.
Reuben Bostwick, captain.
David Bostwick.
Ebenezer Couch, captain.
Stephen Crane, commissary.
John Camp, corporal.
Christopher Coffin.
John Case.
Ebenezer Couch, jr.
David Copley.
Levi Chatfield.
Nathaniel Cole, corporal.
John Couch.
Prince Crosley.
John Canfield.
Damon Converse.
Jesse Camp.
Daniel Copley.
Jonathan Critendon.
Jesse Cole.
Elijah Cary.
David Cole.
Israel Camp.
Ezeriah Canfield.
Samuel Copley.
William Cain.
Samuel Canfield, colonel.
John Cavenan.
Skeen Douglass.
Squire Davenport.
Henry Drinkwater.
William Drinkwater.
Thomas Drinkwater.
Ezra Dunning.
Jedidiah Durkee.
Caswell Dean.
John Davenport, corporal.
Stephen Evitts.
John G. Eggleston.
Orange Ferriss.
John Fish.
Asa Farrand.
William Foot.
Phineas Gorham.
Jonathan Gray.
Epenetus Gunn.
Elnathan Gregory.
Benjamin Gaylord.
Jonathan Giddings.
Ebenezer Gaylord.
Elizah Hoyt.
Geo. Hurd, surgeon.
Reuben Hurlbut.
Job Hawkins.
Eleazer Hendricks.
Hiram Howard.
Noble Hine, ensign.
Liverius Hawley.
Asahel Hotchkiss.
Benjamin Hamlin.
Stephen Hine.
Lemuel Harrison, lieutenant.
Lewis Hunt.
Shadrach Hubbell, lieutenant.
William Handlin, jr.
Joseph C. Hawley.
Samuel Hull.
Jared Hotchkiss.
Briggs Ingersol.
Daniel Johnson.
Uri Jackson, corporal.
Richard Johnson.
Thadeus Jacklin.
John Keeler.
David Keeler.
Nathan Keeler.
William Kane.
David Lockwood.
Jonathan Lum.
Isaac Lockwood.
Joseph Lines.
Andrew Merwin.
Benjamin Mead.
David Merwin.

John Merwin, captain.
Charles McDonald, sergeant.
Peter Middleton.
Joseph Mygatt.
Gideon Morgan, corporal.
Ephraim Minor.
Isaac Mott.
Lyman Mott.
John McCoy.
Caleb Maxwell.
Timothy Munson, sergeant.
John Murray.
Amos Northrop.
Henry Nearing.
Samuel Oviatt.
Lyman Noble.
William Nichols, corporal.
Morgan Noble, second lieutenant.
Hanford Newell.
Samuel Nichols.
Ely Nichols.
William Peet.
Reuben Philips.
Amos Prime.
Samuel Prince.
David Porter.
William Phelps, lieutenant.
Thomas Palmer.
Samuel Philips.
Asa Read.
Timothy Randall.
David Ruggles.
Isaac Ruggles.
John Rood.
Aziah Robards.
Charles Randall.
Lazarus Ruggles, lieutenant.
Bostwick Ruggles.
Joseph Ruggles.
Benjamin Ruggles.
Henry Straight.
Matthew Steward.
Ebenezer Stillson.
Liffie Sanford, sergeant.
Job Sheldon, sergeant.
Asa Starkoweather.
Nehemiah Sanford.
Benjamin Stone.
Josiah Starr, colonel.
Levi Smith.
Benjamin Seelve, lieutenant.
Elijah Starr, ensign.
Stephen Stillwell.
John Terrill.
Simeon Taylor.
Jabez Tomlinson.
Augustine Taylor, lieutenant.
Jonah Todd.
Lemuel Thayer, corporal.
John Turrill.
Ebenezer Trowbridge.
Stephen Terrell.
Asabel Turril.
John Turner.
Samuel Turner.
William Trowbridge.
Mingo Treat.
Isaac Utter.
Stephen Wheeler, sergeant.
Michael Welch.
Ichabod Wilkinson.
Joseph Wheaton.
Elizur Warner, lieutenant.
David Whittlesey, sergeant.
Benjamin Weller, sergeant.
Joseph Worden.
James Wilson.
Elizur Warner, lieutenant.
Benjamin Wheaton.
Java Wilson.
John Wagner.
Nathaniel Wilson.
Abel Wilkinson.
Cooley Weller.
Nathan Wildman.
William Whiteley.
Ebenezer Williams.
Solomon Wheaton.
Jonathan Wilkinson.
Solomon Warner.

Ruth Hart Chapter reports the completion, in June, 1904, of its work in restoring the ancient burying place on Meeting House Hill. The total expenditure for this work was $498.06.

Sabra Trumbull Chapter, in March, 1905, contributed $100

for a pair of mahogany doors for Continental Memorial Hall. A contribution was also made toward the fund for a monument to be erected at Arlington in honor of the nurses who lost their lives while in service during the Spanish-American war. Still another gift was made to assist the Paul Revere Memorial Association to purchase the house in which Paul Revere lived at the time of the Revolutionary war. The chapter offers a prize of $5 in gold to the pupil in the Rockville High School who writes the best essay on a patriotic or historical subject. Much careful work has been done by the chapter's research committee in locating the graves of Revolutionary soldiers in Tolland County. This work is now completed, and a list of 211 such graves has been filed for future reference. These graves are to be suitably marked. One real daughter remains on the chapter's membership roll.

Sarah Ludlow Chapter assumed one-fifth of the cost of the bowlder placed on Andrews Mountain to show the old-time boundary line between Waterbury and Derby. Five chapters were interested in this enterprise, the stone being dedicated with public ceremonies in June, 1905. The chapter has presented the public library in its town with a set of the Century Dictionary. Contributions of money have been made to other patriotic objects.

Sarah Riggs Humphrey Chapter has expended $105.75 during the year upon its patriotic and commemorative work. The special objects included memorial hall, the care of the local colonial cemetery, a cabinet in which to place the Revolutionary relics belonging to the chapter, and its share of the expense incurred by five chapters in placing a bowlder on Andrews Mountain. This stone marks the boundary between ancient Paugasset, now Derby, and ancient Mattatuck, now Waterbury. This boundary line was established in 1680. The dedicatory exercises were held on Andrews Mountain on June 14 and were largely attended by members of the Derby, Ansonia, Seymour, and Waterbury chapters. Historical papers were read by Mrs. C. H. Pinney, of Derby, and Doctor Anderson, of Waterbury.

Sarah Whitman Trumbull Chapter has placed a tablet on a large oak tree standing near the center of the town, inscribed as follows:

> The Stars and Stripes were unfurled from this tree when Peace was declared after the war of 1812.

An ornamental water tank is in course of construction, which, suitably inscribed, is to mark the site of the ancient Trumbull homestead. The chapter each year gives prizes of $5 in gold to pupils in the Watertown High School for best composition on some historical subject.

Sarah Williams Danielson Chapter, in February, 1905, held its first open meeting, at which the winners of the first and second prizes for papers on the "Louisiana purchase" read their essays and received the prizes from the hands of the state regent. The chapter has presented to the memorial library in Danielson 35 volumes of history and biography.

Sibbil Dwight Kent Chapter has had several volumes of Smithsonian reports bound and presented to the Suffield Library, and it has also subscribed for the American Monthly Magazine for the same library; $25 was given in April to the Continental Hall fund, and 13 copies of the Declaration of Independence have been purchased, handsomely framed, and presented to 13 schools in Suffield and a neighboring town. A contribution was sent toward the nurses' monument. The burial-place committee have continued the work of restoring and grading the ancient burying ground in Suffield, and a permanent fund is being raised for that work and to insure perpetual care for the place.

Stamford Chapter has worked on patriotic educational lines. It started with a series of illustrated lectures to the foreign element—Italians, Hungarians, Poles, and Russian Jews—and now a settlement work has been established, not the so-called college settlement work, but an effort to combine the best of that with patriotic education at the front. The settlement is in one of the slums of Stamford, and includes a reading room, with books in foreign languages as well as English; a mothers' club, a boys' club, and a girls' club, where patriotic songs and games are interspersed with practical housekeeping and kindergarten work. The rooms are open day and evening. The chapter has given three prizes to the public schools—two for best essays on historical subjects (list given by chapter) and one for the scholar getting highest mark in history on entrance examination to high school. The chapter has one real daughter on its membership roll, Mrs. Nancy Warren.

Torrington Chapter, in April, 1904, contributed $25 to the Continental Hall fund. Also, for framed pictures for one of

Torrington's public schools, $3.50. Contributions were also sent for other patriotic objects. The chapter was responsible for a public lecture on Japan by the Rev. Dr. William Elliot Griffis, for many years a missionary in that country. The chapter has also given to the public library in Torrington the following books:

Sketches of People and Places in New Hartford
History of Plymouth, Conn. (Atwater.)
History of Salisbury, Conn. (Rudd.)
Epitaphs of Salisbury, Conn. (Rudd.)
Records of Sharon, Conn. (Van Alstyn.)
Gnadensee, The Lake of Grace. (Dyer.)
History of Slavery in Connecticut. (Steiner.)
Two Centuries of Costume in America. (Earle.)

Wadsworth Chapter reports an expenditure of $114 for various patriotic objects, including Continental Hall, Middlesex County Historical Society, nurses' monument, etc.

DELAWARE.

[Mrs. Elizabeth Clarke Churchman, *State Regent.*]

The legislature of Delaware appropriated $1,000 and the members of the society made up the remaining $1,000 for the Delaware column in Memorial Continental Hall. The members have contributed $5 per capita toward the building fund of the hall.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

[Mrs. Ellen Spencer Mussey, *Regent.*]

District of Columbia Daughters of the American Revolution have had a year of harmonious activity. According to their usual custom, they offered two gold medals for the best essays on American history by students of the Columbian College in the George Washington University.

The membership by chapters in the District numbers 761. There are also 176 daughters at large, and over 150 daughters belonging to chapters outside the District who reside here, making a total of resident daughters of 1,087.

Army and Navy Chapter, during the absence of its regent in the Philippines, has had her place ably filled by Mrs. Nancie Otis Winston.

The relief fund, $141.06, untouched this year, remains in the treasury. The then registrar, Miss Webster, presented our chapter last May with a handsomely bound book containing the application papers of all of our members, and Mrs. Stacy Potts made us a gift of some wood from the U. S. S. *Kearsarge*, to be used in making chapter pins. Our contribution to Continental Hall, as the result of the free giving of our chapter members, was $113, which we increased by adding $100 from our chapter treasury, making a total of $213. Our treasurer, Mrs. Du Bois, has collected $393.70 from the sale of Continental Hall pictures. We contributed to the building of a monument to the daughter of Patrick Henry, Dorothea Spottswood Winston. A committee composed of Mrs. Baird, Mrs. Eaton Edwards, and Mrs. Stacy Potts selected and sent a doll to the bazaar held for this purpose.

Mrs. George M. Sternberg is now chapter regent.

Columbia Chapter, of which Mrs. Mabel G. Swormstedt is regent, has held four open meetings, four regular business meetings, and three special ones. During the year, six new members have joined, making a total of 75.

In November a printed calendar of the year's meetings was published, including a list of members with addresses.

From the proceeds of various entertainments $100 was paid the treasurer-general for a pair of doors in Continental Hall.

A contribution of $10 was made toward paying for the portrait of Mrs. Fairbanks.

Constitution Chapter has 30 resident and 3 nonresident members. The chapter has held its regular monthly meetings from October to May, inclusive, taking up the serious study of the Federal Constitution, with Miss Mary Wood, LL.M., as the leader. The special subtopic for discussion at each meeting has been carefully prepared and sent in advance to the members who are expected to lead in the discussion, the rule being that there shall be no papers read.

January, 1905.

1. The Articles of Confederation and causes which led to adoption of Constitution.

2. General talk upon the Constitution of the United States; object of preamble; the Constitution copied after what; how divided.

3. Article I. Legislative department, sections 1, 2. House of Representatives; how chosen; qualifications; apportionment; vacancies filled how; sole power.

4. Section 3. Senate; how chosen; terms of Senators; qualifications; officers; sole power.

5. What is impeachment; brief history of famous impeachments; the latest case before Congress.

6. Sections 4, 5, 6. When does Congress assemble; when adjourn; under qualification, state Roberts case; why are Senators and Representatives privileged.

7. Section 7. Where do bills originate; trace a bill from the time it is introduced until passed.

February, 1905.

POWERS OF CONGRESS.

1. Taxes, loans, and debts. Define taxes; purpose; difference between duties, imposts, excises; direct and indirect taxes—how collected.

2. To borrow money, etc. What is interest-bearing debt of United States; for what incurred; how is money raised; bonds.

3. Regulation of commerce. What does the word commerce comprehend; what is an embargo act; what power has the state in regulation of commerce.

4. Naturalization. What is it; difference of privilege between aliens and citizens; bankruptcy.

5. The currency. When was money first coined in the United States; relative value of silver and gold; establishment of first national bank; counterfeiting—how punished.

6. Post-office and post-roads. Compare present with past methods.

7. What are the laws of copyrights and patents; what are the tribunals inferior to the Supreme Court.

8. Piracies and felonies on the high seas. Define same; what are "high seas."

March, 1905.

1. To declare war, etc. What is war; define letters of marque and reprisal; what are general rules concerning captures on land and water; freedom of slaves as a war measure; disposition of prizes in the Spanish war; what is martial law; when enforced.

2. Who is commander in chief of the Army and Navy, and how is the United States Army supported; how raised; what is enlistment, conscription, bounty; what is the limit of army appropriation; why; give salaries of officers and rank.

3. The Navy. How maintained; rank and salaries of officers of Navy; naval and military academies; amount of appropriation made by present Congress; public sentiment about increasing Navy; what is military law. (156, 157.)

4. The militia. How raised, officered, and trained; sketch of training days in olden times; difference between state troops and militia; authority of state executive to call out troops; late Colorado case, Governor Peabody, during miner strikes.

5. Authority of Congress over ceded territory, districts, forts, arsenals,

etc. District of Columbia; its area; brief history of its government down to date.

6. General powers of Congress. To make laws necessary to execute foregoing powers; give examples; mention alien and sedition laws. (Student is recommended to see Cooley's Constitutional Law, pp. 105 to 110.)

April, 1905.

1. To what class of persons does the clause refer which forbids Congress to prohibit their migration or importation; mention briefly immigration laws, exclusion of Chinese, etc.

2. What is a writ of habeas corpus; when did Congress suspend the privilege; define bill of attainder, and give some historical information as to their use in England; were such bills ever in force in America.

3. What is an ex post facto law, and, as mentioned in the Constitution, to what class of laws does it relate; give restrictions regarding taxes, duties, etc. (Clauses 4, 5, and 6.)

4. How is money drawn from the Treasury; give general information regarding management of Treasury; its officers, etc.

5. Give restriction regarding titles of nobility; presents; reasons for same; was there ever in our history a tendency toward monarchy.

6. Give all section 10; restrictions on the states.

The chapter has voted to continue the study for the coming year. The chapter has contributed $75 toward Continental Memorial Hall, and assisted other chapters in their efforts to raise money.

Continental Chapter, Mrs. Mary C. Beach, regent, is in a flourishing condition. October 1, 1904, it numbered 80 members.

Balance in treasury October 1, 1904, $81.89; 1905, $81.15.

It contributed to the Continental Hall fund $85, and is doing a patriotic work at Neighborhood House, a social settlement in southwest Washington. It has contributed $32 in money to this cause, and has a committee that is doing splendid work there in the kindergarten branch, and has also formed a boys' club on the lines of the Junior Republic.

Continental Dames Chapter, Mrs. Harry Guss, regent, has increased its membership in its second year to 18, not including two honorary members.

At the last continental congress the chapter contributed the sum of $100 for the purchase of a chair for the platform of the Continental Memorial Hall, to be known as the president-general's chair. The chapter has held regular business meetings during the year; early local history has been the general topic for research.

Dolly Madison Chapter, Mrs. Job Barnard, regent, has now 58 members. The historian, Miss Eliza C. Tulloch, has given very interesting and instructive papers upon the following subjects: December, 1904, the Louisiana purchase; January, 1905, The siege of the Alamo; February, the meeting falling upon the 14th, a paper on St. Valentine; March, a paper on John Paul Jones; at the April meeting, the burning of the brig *Peggy Stewart.*

The May meeting was a celebration of Dolly Madison's birthday. Mrs. Kate Kearny Henry, district vice-regent, gave some personal recollections of Dolly Madison and her times. Several of the members brought Revolutionary family relics for the entertainment of the guests.

In March the chapter gave a very successful musicale, from which we realized the sum of $100, which was given to the Continental Hall fund. We also voted a donation of $10 to the Junior Republic.

During the year we have received from all sources $226.28 and have disbursed $212.06.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Elizabeth Chenoweth Sloane an exact copy of the original will of Dolly Madison, as it appears on the records in the register of wills' office, was presented to the chapter.

I, Dolly P. Madison, widow of the late James Madison, of Virginia, being of sound and disposing mind and memory but feeble in body, having in view the uncertainty of life and the rapid approach of death, do make, publish, and declare the following to be my last will and testament:

That is to say, I hereby give and bequeath to my dear son, John Payne Todd, the sum of ten thousand dollars, being the one-half of the sum appropriated by the Congress of the United States for the purchase of my husband's papers, which sum stands invested in the names of James Buchanan, John Y. Mason, and Richard Smith, as trustees.

Secondly, I give and bequeath to my adopted daughter, Annie Payne, ten thousand dollars, the remaining half of the said sum of twenty thousand dollars appropriated as aforesaid by Congress and standing in the name of said trustees, for her lifetime, hereby directing the said sum of ten thousand dollars to remain in the name of the said trustees for the use of my said adopted daughter for her life, and that they, the said trustees, pay the interest, as it becomes due on the same to her, during her life.

And I further will and devise that should my said son, John Payne Todd, survive my said daughter that upon her death the sum so devised to her shall be paid over to him and his executors; but in the event of my said adopted daughter, Annie Payne, surviving the said John Payne Todd, that the sum above devised to her for life shall be held for her by the said

trustees for her and her executors forever free from all conditions, leaving all the rest and residue of my property to be administered and distributed according to law.

D. P. MADISON.

Signed, published, and declared by me, the said Dolly P. Madison, as my last will and testament, this ninth day of July, in the year 1849, in the presence of—

SALLY B. L. THOMAS.
ELIZABETH LEE.
J. MADISON CUTTS.

Elizabeth Jackson Chapter, Mrs. Mary C. Wysong, regent, began active preparations for the winter campaign October 29, 1904, and in various ways—by sale of books, a seven-cent tea, contributions from members, etc.—realized $200. When the list of desired subscriptions was issued by the chairman of the Memorial Hall committee, "Elizabeth Jackson" sent $100 for a pair of mahogany doors—the first chapter in the District and the second in the society to pay for a pair of doors. When the Daughters of the American Revolution congress met in April and the call was made for funds, "Elizabeth" contributed another $100 to the general building fund. Miss Mary Wilcox presented to the Daughters of the American Revolution library a copy of "The War in Mexico," written by Gen. Cadmus Wilcox. Mrs. G. W. Donnan collected $5, which she presented to the "fresh-air fund" in the name of the chapter. Mrs. Mary Emily Donelson Wilcox, an honorary member, who was born in the White House, died in August, and in her will left a bronze statuette of Gen. Andrew Jackson to the chapter, which they will present to Memorial Hall. On October 28, 1905, the chapter resumed its meetings and with loving zeal began actively to prepare their presentation for the coming congress, and their enthusiasm would indicate a substantial gift.

Katherine Montgomery Chapter, Mrs. Fanny I. Matthews, regent, reports that the chapter is in a flourishing state and has had recently an addition of 5 members.

Lucy Holcombe Chapter, Mrs. John Paul Earnest, regent, has added 5 new members to the chapter during the year ending October 11, 1905.

The money raised by entertainments has been sent to the treasurer-general, with the request that it be used to pay for one pair of mahogany doors to be placed at the sides of the auditorium of Memorial Continental Hall.

Dr. W. T. Harris, the Commissioner of Education, gave, at a meeting at the residence of Mrs. A. G. Wilkins, a most instructive address on genealogy.

Manor House Chapter, Mrs. Minnie F. Ballinger, regent, has during the past year, as in former years, made its principal interest the study of American history. It serves to refresh the memory upon events of importance, brings to mind the deeds of our patriotic forefathers, and to keep alive the spark of patriotism in the breasts of their descendants.

The chapter contributed $60 to Continental Hall fund and has responded to calls from other chapters engaged in raising funds for the hall.

Martha Washington Chapter, Mrs. Katherine T. Gerald, regent, is steadily growing, new members being added at almost every board meeting.

The main object of the chapter has been, and is, that of raising funds for Continental Hall, and since last spring $100 has been raised by personal contributions.

Mary Washington Chapter has held regular and social meetings as usual from October, 1904, to May, 1905.

The October, 1904, meeting occurred on the 11th of the month. The following telegram was sent to Mrs. Fairbanks, at St. Louis:

> Greetings through the president-general to the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution from the Mary Washington Chapter, in session on the fourteenth anniversary of our organization.

The prize-medal committee announced that the award last year was made to Miss Ethel Louise Mason, of the Central High School, for her essay entitled "The peace negotiations between England and America."

A contribution was sent by the chapter to the Commodore Perry Chapter, Memphis, Tenn., to aid in placing a monument to the memory of Dorothea Spottswood Winston, daughter of Patrick Henry.

The efforts of the chapter were principally directed toward the collecting of funds for Memorial Continental Hall. The committee appointed to solicit funds for the Continental Memorial Hall reported having collected $507.25.

Miriam Danforth Chapter, during the year ending October 11, 1905, was engaged solely in the purpose of raising funds for the Memorial Continental Hall, and $90 was reported in April

as having been forwarded to the treasurer-general for that purpose.

Several new members were added during the year, and one was transferred to a chapter in Minnesota. The members, though few in number, are enthusiastic in their loyalty to the society, and desire to aid in all possible ways the continuance of the hall, which is to be a national monument for all time. Mrs. Amos G. Draper is regent.

Thirteen Colonies Chapter, Mrs. Lilian Pike Roome, regent, reports 1 new member received in February, 1905, making the membership 24. There was 1 death.

At the fourteenth continental congress the regent handed in the pledge of the chapter to contribute $25 to the Memorial Continental Hall fund. In June last the chapter gave an attractive entertainment for the benefit of that fund, by which a fair amount was realized.

FLORIDA.

[Mrs. Lulu P. U. Fletcher, *State Regent.*]

Jacksonville Chapter, during the year ending October 11, 1905, has held its usual monthly meetings, which were well attended. No new work was taken up, but the drinking fountain, for which members had been working three years, was completed and presented to the city. Besides the regular meetings several historical anniversaries were observed by social affairs given by members.

The usual yearly donation was sent to the Continental Hall fund.

A report of the Maria Jefferson Chapter for the year October, 1904–5, shows the work accomplished has been that, through the efforts of the members, at the expense of the chapter, the inscription of the Constitution on the old Spanish monument in the plaza was retouched, it having become almost illegible from age. This was done in the most conscientious manner possible, the work being verified from an old copy and supervised by a competent Spanish scholar.

The usual donation of $5 was made to the public library, and a small amount sent to Continental Hall fund, raised by the sale of pictures of that building.

De Soto Chapter, of Tampa, has endeavored to keep up the interest in chapter meetings. There is keen interest displayed in Continental Hall.

In May, on the lawn of the Duval High School, of Jacksonville, the state regent presented the historic osage orange tree, sent to Florida. An invocation by Rev. Dr. Lyman Hood; song, "America," by all present; speech by Doctor Knibloe, principal of the high school; an address by Mrs. Fletcher, state regent, presenting the tree; an oration by Miss Aird, in acceptance of the tree; the christening of the tree "Martha Washington," by Miss Corbett; and the placing of a stone at the base of the tree, inscribed: "Martha Washington, D. A. R., D. H. S.," by Mr. Ellis, president of the graduating class, all linked together to form an impressive ceremony, after which the state regent presented silk American flags, in Daughters of the American Revolution standards, to Miss Aird and Miss Corbett.

ILLINOIS.

[Mrs. Benjamin A. Fessenden, *State Regent.*]

During the past year the interests of the Illinois chapters Daughters of the American Revolution have been centered upon the legislative preservation of Fort Massac and the finishing of Continental Hall. Through the untiring efforts of Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, of Bloomington, the individual chapters of the state became interested, and by united cooperation were able to secure the passing of the bill that has resulted in preserving this historic landmark for all time; for Fort Massac was the doorway, as it were, into the Northwest Territory, a door that opened to the turning of the strategic key by Gen. Rogers Clark and his regiment of pioneer patriots.

A number of Revolutionary soldiers' graves have been discovered and marked by various chapters in the state, Springfield, Jacksonville, and Carthage being prominent in this valuable work. Dixon has placed a memorial tablet upon the site of the log cabin of "Father Dixon." Rock Island, twin sister to Moline, claims the location of old Fort Armstrong, and on the site the chapter has erected a stone monument with an inserted bronze tablet holding a commemorative inscription.

Mrs. Lydia M. Bradley (a daughter of a soldier who witnessed the surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown), having answered to her name and passed on, has, with a spirit of exalted patriotism, bequeathed to her city and her state gifts that assure to many the opportunity for higher education,

which is synonymous with good citizenship. Besides having bequeathed to the city of Peoria an extensive and beautiful park, she has built, equipped, and then endowed with her entire fortune the Bradley Polytechnic School, which is considered one of the best institutions of the sort in the United States.

The Moline Chapter, by its efforts, has through and by legislative enactment preserved to Illinois the battle ground upon Campbells Island (6 miles from Moline), where, in 1814, on the 19th of July, a fierce contest was waged between Black Hawk, with a band of 1,200 Indians, and our Major Campbell, who, with 100 white men, met this chief so gallantly. The legislature of Illinois at its last session appropriated $5,000 to erect a monument on Campbells Island "in memoriam" of this battle of long ago.

The Illinois chapters are rich in authentic Revolutionary relics, and doubtless, now that Illinois has the honor of possessing one of the rooms in Continental Hall as her own, many of these treasured and sacred mementos of the cradle days of our own great Republic will find a final resting place in our National Daughters of the American Revolution home; for now all our work must center round Continental Hall until its completion, and Illinois is waking to a sense of her responsibility in this matter as never before. But being, as a composite whole, a true, strong, and practical "daughter," she will not fail to do her duty at her own fireside. She will not fail to incite to highest citizenship. This is always her purpose, hope, and prayer. The motto of her state, "I will," is graven on her heart; is the purpose of her soul.

Individual mention of sums given seems unwise. Large chapters and rich chapters will give generously. The little sister chapters, offering their mite, do all that they can be asked to do, and each gift, however tiny, goes toward the final completion of that which will give us the desire of our hearts.

INDIANA.

[Mrs. James M. Fowler, *State Regent.*]

Caroline Scott Harrison Chapter, of Indianapolis, has 238 members; has sent this year $100 to the building fund for Continental Hall and $205 toward furnishing the president-general's room.

General de Lafayette Chapter, of Lafayette, has contributed $38 for Continental Hall; gave a large flag to be hung in the history room of the high school; discovered the grave of a Revolutionary soldier in a country graveyard, with this inscription upon a well-preserved stone:

Jacob Kesler
Died August 12th. 1843,
Aged 86 years, 7 months, 3 days.
A Soldier of the Revolution.

Paul Revere Chapter, of Muncie, contributed $25.15 to Continental Hall; prizes of Ellson's United States History given to pupils in the eighth grade of public schools for highest per cent in American history. Also contributed flowers to the Grand Army on Memorial Day.

Piankeshaw Chapter, of New Albany, observed "Indiana Day" and "Flag Day" with appropriate exercises.

Some valuable additions have been made to the relics of the chapter—a guitar 125 years old and a violin manufactured in the year 1619, two hundred and eighty-six years ago.

The committee on Revolutionary graves has been active as ever and has located the following:

1, 2. **Abraham** and **Joseph Harman**, Harrison County, two brothers, both Federal soldiers, are buried side by side in Thompson's burial lot. Abraham was born in Shenandoah County, Va. Much of his service was spent in fighting Indians. He died March 31, 1837, at the supposed age of 70. All that can be gathered of Joseph, the elder, is that he served a longer period than Abraham.

3. **Gabriel Poindexter**, Floyd County, near Floyd Knobs, was born in Louisa County, Va., May 8, 1758; died in Clark County, Ind., August 28, 1801. He served in the Virginia Infantry Volunteers, and received the sum of £36 12s. as pay up to date, 1781. He is reported in the Virginia line of men and officers who had not received their bounty land.

4. **Joseph Bell**, Floyd County, Fairview Cemetery, a dragoon or light infantryman, spent seven years of his early manhood in the Continental army, at various times, fighting the Indians. Born in Pennsylvania, he removed to Olden County, Ky., in 1778, and thence to New Albany, 1818, where he died in 1848, at the age of 90 years.

5. **Arthur Parr**, Washington County, near Salem.

6. **Jeremiah Wright**, Crawford County, who was born in Hampshire County, Va., March 29, 1762. He enlisted as a private, when only 14, in his uncle's company, Captain Sullivan, under Colonel Gibson, Thirteenth Regiment Virginia Volunteer Infantry. He served four months as a private, nine months as a lieutenant under different captains, three months as an Indian spy under Capt. James Marshall; was with Colonel

McIntosh's company in Georgia, where there was much fighting. In peace and quiet his life closed May 18, 1833, and his grave is found in the public cemetery at Fredonia, Crawford County.

7. **David Benton,** Brownstown, Riverview Cemetery, a soldier of the Revolution, who died March 7, 1845, aged 82 years. He was born in Salisbury, Litchfield County, Conn., in 1763; removed with his parents to the town of Sheffield, Berkshire County, Mass., in 1777; thence to Ontario County, N. Y., in 1789, and thence to Jackson County, Ind., in May, 1819. Pensioned in 1832 as a soldier of the Revolutionary war, 1780–1782, Colonel Brown's regiment Massachusetts line.

Ann Rogers Clark Chapter has found an old stone which formerly marked the burial place of the soldiers of Fort Finney (afterward Fort Steuben). This stone was lost for years, and when found it was being used as a door step to an old house. The chapter now possesses this stone and will replace it over the grave.

Oliver Ellsworth Chapter, of Lafayette, sent $30 to Continental Hall, the proceeds of a colonial ball.

Hunting Chapter, of Huntington, during the past year has given $20 toward Continental Hall, and has $100 on interest to be used in helping to furnish two relic rooms in our new court-house, now in the course of construction.

A marker of the society has been placed at the foot of the grave of Elijah Mitchell, the only Revolutionary soldier, so far as known, buried in Huntington County.

The chapter presented to our first and oldest daughter a silk flag and standard, and our regent, Mrs. Tuttle, presented a silk flag and standard to the chapter.

Gen. Van Renssalaer Chapter, of Renssalaer, has given $5 to Continental Hall, and the proceeds of a garden party for the benefit of their public library.

Bloomington Chapter has contributed to two funds for properly marking historic spots.

We have located the graves of 5 Revolutionary soldiers in Monroe County, and 1 in Orange County, Ind., and expect to mark these in an appropriate way. At present we are furnishing a ward in our city hospital, and this we expect to maintain. We earned $25 for Memorial Continental Hall by serving at a reception this past spring. Our year's work will be the celebrating of the anniversaries of important historical events.

John Paul Chapter, of Madison, made a small contribution to Continental Hall. The principal work of this chapter is

the maintaining and beautifying a city park, made from an old graveyard, and upon which they have spent the past year $250.

IOWA.

[Mrs. John L. Stevens, *State Regent.*]

The Daughters of the American Revolution in Iowa number about 1,100. There are 31 organized chapters.

Three real daughters of Iowa passed to the life beyond during the year. Mrs. Shrader, of Pilgrim Chapter, died in March. Clinton Chapter mourns the death of two—Mrs. Lamb and Mrs. Buckley. Five real daughters are still living in Iowa, members of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The past year chapters and individuals in Iowa contributed $433.50 for Memorial Continental Hall.

The study of American history is still the main work of chapters; state history is also receiving attention. Schools and libraries are fields for educational work and hospitals for philanthropic work.

Council Bluffs Chapter entertained the state conference in November, 1904.

Stars and Stripes Chapter, of Burlington, had the great honor of marking the grave of a Revolutionary hero this year. State historian, Mrs. Cate Gilbert Wells, gives the following account of the notable event:

> The most impressive event in our chapter's history was our visit on Memorial Day to our patriotic shrine, the grave of our Revolutionary soldier, John Morgan. Impressive exercises were held over the grave. His descendant was present and made a convincing address. Doctor Salter brought a basket of red and white flowers, tied with blue ribbon (the gift of our real daughter, Mrs. Smith), which he placed on the grave, followed by every daughter present paying tribute by placing her flowers on the grave. Doctor Salter and Miss MacFlynn made addresses, and the regent gave the dedicatory address, placing a silken ribbon flag on the bronze marker, and at a signal Company H of the Iowa Guard offered a military salute—a twentieth century tribute to a soldier of the American Revolution.

KANSAS.

[Mrs. W. E. Stanley, *State Regent.*]

The chapters in Kansas joined in raising money to give a stand of colors to the battle ship *Kansas* when she goes into commission. They also asked the state legislature to pass a

law preventing the desecration of the flag, which was done. A bill was passed by the legislature appropriating $1,000 for the purpose of buying markers for the Santa Fe trail. The expenditure of the money is in the hands of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the State Historical Society.

Topeka Chapter this year selected the subject "The Kansas and Osage Indians and their Missionaries," as the title of the essays to be written by the school children for prizes. Much interest is taken by the children in these essays and the chapter is pleased with the work done. The chapter held an exhibit of the state traveling art gallery.

Betty Washington Chapter, Lawrence, has fitted up its new quarters in the court-house. The chapter mourns the death of its real daughter, Mrs. Estabrook. Ten dollars was contributed to Continental Hall.

Eunice Sterling Chapter, Wichita, has purchased a sundial to be set up in the city park as a memorial to its former regent, Mrs. Emma Hough Reed. It has contributed $10 to the Continental Hall fund.

General Edward Hand Chapter, Ottawa, has contributed $10 to Continental Hall.

Newton Chapter asked for and obtained permission for the school children to observe Washington's birthday as a holiday. Contribution was made to Continental Hall.

Hannah Jameson Chapter, Parsons, is remarkable for its gain in membership. Organizing with 15 members it celebrated its first anniversary with 46. It has contributed to Continental Hall fund.

Sterling Chapter is at work upon a plan for placing special marker at the Cow Creek Crossing of the Santa Fe trail to mark the place where some travelers were cruelly murdered by Indians while Kansas was still a territory.

Esther Lowrey Chapter, Independence, youngest of the chapters, has 16 members and has voted $25 toward the stand of colors for the *Kansas*.

KENTUCKY.

[Mrs. Rosa Burwell Todd, *State Regent.*]

Kentucky has 18 chapters entitled to representation in the continental congress of 1906 and a membership of 566.

Col. John Green Chapter, Hopkinsville, was not reported last year and has 24 members.

Boonesborough Chapter, Richmond, has a fund of several hundred dollars with which to mark the spot where the fort of Boonesborough once stood.

Lexington Chapter, Lexington, is collecting funds for the restoration of the statue of Henry Clay in Lexington Cemetery and a room in the new library for historical exhibits.

Rebecca Bryan Boone Chapter, Newport, has $540 at interest for restoring the Boone monument in the Frankfort Cemetery.

It was voted in 1905 to place in Continental Hall a bust of Isaac Shelby, the first governor of Kentucky.

MAINE.

[Miss CHARLOTTE AUGUSTA BALDWIN, *State Regent.*]

The Maine chapters presented a banner to the U. S. S. *Maine.* This banner is embroidered by hand on heavy, white corded silk, and bears the arms of the state in colors. A graceful scroll beneath the insignia of the society, which is done in colors under the central design, bears the words, "Presented by the D. A. R. of Maine."

June 24 the chapter celebrated the eightieth anniversary of the Marquis de Lafayette's visit to the town. At the time of his visit, although a Catholic, out of courtesy to his entertainers, he attended the Protestant church. This church, remodeled and moved to another spot, is still used as a church, and the exercises were held in that church. At noon a dinner was given, and in the afternoon a programme of patriotic songs and addresses was given, followed in the evening by an illustrated historical lecture by Rev. H. F. Moulton.

Samuel Grant Chapter, of Gardiner, has held nine regular and four special meetings. Three new members have been added. Framed copies of the Declaration of Independence have been given to the two grammar schools. A flag was given on Flag Day to a school not having one. Original papers have been read.

Eunice Farnsworth Chapter sent a Christmas gift, as is the custom every year, to their real daughter, Mrs. Mary P. Elliott, of Athens, Me., aged 86 years. The regent and one delegate attended the national congress at Washington.

Flags were placed by them in the markers of Revolutionary soldiers' graves on Memorial Day. Six members attended the state meeting on June 8 at New Meadows Inn.

General Knox Chapter, Thomaston, provided for the painting of The Old Church on the Hill, one of the oldest churches in the state, for the preservation of which the chapter has raised over $700. Each year they also take care of General Knox's grave, and this year also they repaired the chain around the grave of his son, Henry Knox.

Twenty dollars was contributed for Continental Hall. A copy of Eaton's History of Thomaston, Rockland, and South Thomaston, which is out of print and valuable, was presented to Continental Hall library, and a doll to the Memphis fair. A prize of $5 was offered to the pupil in the high school writing the best essay on an historical subject, the event being celebrated by a reception to the contestants and classmates of the winner.

General Knox's birthday was celebrated at the summer cottage of Mrs. Seavey, one of the members. With all its other work the chapter has furnished clubrooms, which they took possession of in May. Among the new members of the year one is a real daughter. The chapter has been honored in having the state vice-regent appointed from its members.

Frances Dighton Williams Chapter, of Bangor, has held its meetings regularly the first Friday of each month, from October to June, inclusive. Original papers on some historic subject and a review of the magazine being read at every meeting not a social. Washington's birthday was observed as usual by a social gathering.

Their special work has been the past years to place markers at the Revolutionary soldiers' graves in Bangor and towns near by, as soon as they have found and verified the graves. This year they placed ten markers, one being a little out of the radius of their usual work, at Southwest Harbor, Maine; this was Jonathan Brown, a sailor of John Paul Jones.

In April the chapter gave $25 to the Continental Hall fund. Miss Baldwin, the state regent, presented a silk flag with the insignia of the society for the standard to the chapter.

Colonel Dummer Sewall Chapter, Bath, consists of 36 members, one a real daughter. Thirteen members have been received during the year. Eight meetings have been held;

and one or two papers connected with the Revolutionary period were read. Twenty-five dollars was sent to the Continental Hall fund.

Lady Knox Chapter, of Rockland, has held eight regular and two special meetings during the year. Fifty-five dollars was voted for the benefit of the schools and city. The chapter has 38 members.

Mary Dillingham Chapter, Lewiston, has 52 members. They have had patriotic exercises at all their meetings. Thirty dollars was contributed for the Continental Hall fund at the congress in April.

Silence Howard Hayden Chapter, Waterville, has 28 members. The chapter is in a flourishing condition in every way. Twenty-six dollars and thirty cents was sent to the Continental Hall fund last April.

Koussinoc Chapter, of Augusta, has presented framed copies of the Declaration of Independence to three of the public schools of Augusta, with appropriate exercises. Five dollars was sent to the Memphis, Tenn., chapter to aid in erecting a monument in memory of a daughter of Patrick Henry.

The literary programme of the year consisted of the story of the American Revolution divided into five representative periods, with biographical sketches of Patrick Henry, James Otis, Samuel Adams, Lafayette, and other Revolutionary heroes.

Ruth Heald Cragin Chapter, North Anson, is pursuing literary work on the Revolutionary period. They sent a doll to Memphis, Tenn., for the fair to raise money for the monument to Patrick Henry's daughter. February 22 was celebrated by an entertainment and supper. Ten dollars was sent to the Continental Hall fund. By invitation of Mrs. Linn McKenney the chapter visited her at Lakewood September 29.

Hannah Weston Chapter, Machias, celebrated September 6, the one hundredth birthday of their real daughter, Sabrina Hall.

MARYLAND.

[Mrs. J. Pembroke Thom, *State Regent.*]

All the chapters in Maryland are using their best efforts to raise money for the completion of Memorial Continental Hall.

Baltimore Chapter will place a tablet in the state-house to the memory of Col. Tench Tilghman, who made the famous

ride from Yorktown to Philadelphia after the surrender of Cornwallis.

Maryland Line Chapter has almost completed their plans for placing a mural decoration in the court-house, in memory of the heroic Maryland line.

MASSACHUSETTS.

[Mrs. Charles H. Masury, *State Regent.*]

There is no general report from the state regent of Massachusetts, but three chapter regents have sent the following reports:

Hannah Winthrop Chapter has 102 members. Fort Washington has been restored by the city of Cambridge through the influence of this chapter, and an American flag to float over it has been presented to the city. The flag raising was accompanied by appropriate exercises at the Morse School and at the fort, the school children marching to the fort bearing flags, the gift of the chapter. Photographs of this ceremony have been given the school and $8 in four prizes to pupils of the same school for essays on "The Siege of Boston, and Cambridge during the Siege."

The chapter has contributed $25 to Continental Hall; $5 has been voted to Colonial Dames for the Quincy Mansion, or a piece of furniture instead of money. Two dollars has been given the Attleboro Chapter for the Peck House fund; an engraving of George Washington has been sent to the Mount Vernon Ladies' Association.

Gifts to the chapter include a copy of the Declaration of Independence, framed in wood from the Hannah Winthrop House; a map of Old Cambridge back of Harvard Square (drawn by a member); a plan of Fort Washington; a copy of the fifth edition of the Smithsonian Institution reports, and other books of Revolutionary interest. Books already received have been bound and placed in the Cambridge Public Library.

The Fort Washington committee has collected and bound in red leather, tied with Daughters of the American Revolution colors, and presented to the Hannah Winthrop Chapter the material relating to the restoration of the old fort. The pilgrimage committee has issued a leaflet, Historic Spots in Cambridge, and the chapter is compiling an index to Paige's

History of Cambridge. There is also research work being done by the regent with reference to the part played by Harvard students in the Revolution, and the tableting of historic sites in Cambridge.

A petition to restrict the use and sale of fire explosives on July 4 has been drawn up, circulated in the state, and presented to the legislature of Massachusetts. Although the bill was adversely reported, the influence of the work of the chapter has been for good, carrying out its purpose of benefiting the whole community, and setting a lofty ideal of patriotism before the public.

A pilgrimage to the historic spots of Cambridge, under guidance of the pilgrimage committee, has been in the year's programme.

The sixteenth and seventeenth editions of the lineage books have been bound and are in the library.

Old South Chapter devoted the October and May meetings to business only, though literary meetings have followed the business meetings on the six remaining afternoons. The custom of combining the monthly business and literary meetings in one afternoon instead of, as formerly, holding them on different days has been of great advantage in bringing out a larger attendance.

There have been four outings. The first one, in June, was at Dedham, by invitation of Mrs. Laura Wentworth Fowler, our honorary regent, to meet at her home, "Daisy Farm," in that historic town. Thirty members were present, among them one of our real daughters, Miss Sophronia Fletcher, M. D., who walked from the station to the house, signed her name in the visitors' book, and joined in the pleasures of a very happy day.

Another outing was greatly enjoyed at Buelah Villa, Annisquam, Mass., through the kindness of Mrs. O. W. Sargent, one of our members.

The next outing was at Andover, Mass., by invitation of the Old South Historical Society. Many points of historic interest were visited and all joined in singing "America" in front of the house where our national hymn was written.

The state outing at Salem and Danvers was full of interest, and made the fourth of a very enjoyable series of summer field days.

The historical papers given before the chapter have been of a high order, exceedingly instructive and interesting:

November 14, 1904, a paper on "Sidelights upon colonial taxation in England and America," by Mr. Charles G. Chick, of Hyde Park, Mass. December 12, 1904, a paper on "Old Marblehead," by Mrs. E. F. Wilder, regent of Mary Draper Chapter, West Roxbury, Mass. January 19, 1905, a paper on "Social and religious customs in the colonies," by Mr. John H. Crandon. February 13, 1905, a paper on "The first inauguration of John Hancock," by Francis Hurtubis, jr. March 13, 1905, a paper on "An almost forgotten war," by Mr. Edward Little Rogers. The last one, April 10, 1905, "Some ballads of the American Revolution," by the Rev. Henry C. Graves.

The Old South and Paul Jones chapters entertained August 20, 1904, at the state headquarters, Copley square, which was open during the Grand Army of the Republic encampment.

The Old South Chapter took active part in the bazaar in aid of Memorial Continental Hall held December 13, 14, and 15 in Copley Hall, Clarendon street, Boston, Mass., the regent, Mrs. Charles G. Chick, being chairman of the committee, ably assisted by the vice-regent, Mrs. E. M. Stillings, and the other members of her committee. Almost $200 were realized, which sum was completed by a member of the chapter, Mrs. A. M. Gove, so that the Old South contributed $200 to the fund of $4,000 which it was the proud privilege of Massachusetts to contribute toward the building of Memorial Continental Hall at Washington.

Deborah Sampson Chapter entered on its eighth year with a membership of 373, but 71, thinking their own town should profit by their patriotic zeal and efforts, withdrew to form the Capt. John Pulling Chapter, of Whitman, but still left the mother chapter the largest in the commonwealth.

Ten regular meetings have been held in halls and churches during the year, two of which were open to the public, other patriotic organizations being invited guests. In the programme have been given valuable papers on local history during the struggle for independence, and at each meeting the service and history of revolutionary ancestry have been recounted. A history drill prepared by the historian, Mrs.

O. W. Charles, has formed part of the exercises, the following subjects being selected: "Events leading to the American Revolution;" "Battle of Lexington;" "Other battles—Officers and soldiers;" "Homes and social conditions;" "Important events during the war;" "Close of the war and conditions following."

Flag Day was celebrated with an entertainment, "History of Our Flag," which proved both beautiful and educational.

A gift of $50 was made to Continental Hall and the chapter had a table at a bazaar in Boston at which $120 more were netted for the same cause. To the sufferers from the burning of a local shoe factory, which presented phases of unusual pathos, $50 were given.

No death has occurred in the chapter during the past year, an unusual record among so many members. On Decoration Day, as heretofore, the grave of Deborah Sampson, in Sharon, was remembered with a wreath and flag, and also the last resting places of the following Revolutionary soldiers, which have been located and verified mainly by the labors of daughters of the chapter, were marked with the same emblems of honor and glory:

Names of soldiers of the American Revolution who lived and died in the Old North precinct of Bridgewater (now Brockton) and who are buried in the following grounds.

ASHLAND STREET CEMETERY.

Caleb Howard.
Daniel Howard.
Bela Howard.
Col. Simeon Cary.
Ichabod Howard.
Robert Howard.
Oliver Howard.
Timothy Ames.
Daniel Alden.
Adam Howard.
Tobes Field.
Capt. Josiah Packard.
Jonas Packard.
Job Ames.
Shepherd Packard.
William French.
Benjamin Packard.
Thomas Packard.
Joseph Sylvester.
Jonathan Cary.
Andrew Freeman
Barzilla Field.
Howard Cary.
Mark Ford.
Charles Snell.
Samuel Brett.
William Packard.

AMES BURYING PLACE OFF AMES STREET—PRIVATE GROUNDS.

Daniel Ames.

MELROSE CEMETERY.

Isaac Hartwell.
Zachariah Gurney.
Eleazer Snow.
Zachariah Gurney, 2d.
Enos Thayer.
Ephraim Cole.
Jonas Reynolds.
Adin Packard.
Lemuel Packard.
Manassah Dickerman.
Jeremiah Beals.

THOMPSON'S CEMETERY.

Seth Edson.
Lieut. Henry Kingman.
Isaiah Packard.
Josiah Perkins.
Josiah Perkins, jr.

SOUTH MAIN STREET CEMETERY.

Simeon Brett.
Leavett Thayer.
Seth Kingman.
Ebenezer Edson.
Benjamin Keith.
Jeremiah Thayer.
Capt. Joseph Howard.
Abijah Thayer.
Constant Southworth.
Simeon Keith.
Jesse Perkins.
Jonathan Perkins.
Levi Keith.
Joseph Snell.
Nehemiah Lincoln.
Asa Keith.
Luke Perkins.

COWESETT CEMETERY.

John Tilden.
Nathan Packard.
Mark Perkins.
Daniel Manley, 1st.
Daniel Manley, 2d.
John Dailey.
Nathaniel Manley.

BURIAL PLACE NEAR FAIR GROUNDS.

Ebenezar Dunbar.
Ephraim Jackson.
Jonathan Perkins.

BUMPUS CORNER CEMETERY.

David Edson.
Nathan Leach.
Ephraim Noyes.
Ebenezer Warren.
Josiah Edson.
Joseph Pettingill.
William Shaw.

MICHIGAN.

[Mrs. Wm. J. Chittenden, *State Regent.*]

Genesee Chapter, of Flint, has 31 members; is an active and progressive society. It has contributed to Memorial Continental Hall.

Ypsilanti Chapter numbers 29. Efforts have been made to have the original name restored through its whole length to the highway laid out by the United States nearly one hundred years ago across Michigan, reaching from Detroit to Chicago. The original name is preserved as Michigan avenue, except in a few places, one of which is Ypsilanti. The subject was presented to the city authorities by the regent representing both the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Michigan Society of Colonial Dames and received favorable consideration. The grave of the Revolutionary soldier, Dea S. Hatfield, at the Stony Creek Church Cemetery, has been visited. The marble slab is much time worn. The name and date can be hardly deciphered.

Lucinda Hinsdale Stone Chapter, of Kalamazoo, has increased in numbers, in strength, and in good works for the cause of patriotism and good citizenship. In October, 1904, the chapter induced the school board to introduce the study of patriotic Americans in the grade and grammar classes, each character to be studied twice a week for two weeks. These notable Americans began with Washington and ended with Roosevelt and included several authors and prominent women. The chapter was represented at St. Louis Daughters of the American Revolution day, October 11, by Mrs. J. C. Burrows.

On Memorial Day the chapter requested the display of the national colors by householders and business men, which was very generally complied with. The May Day committee waited upon the superintendent of schools and requested that the story of the flag be told the children in every class in the city. To this he agreed cheerfully. They also said that the flag should be displayed in every schoolroom and that every child should file by and salute the national emblem. The chapter has contributed generously to Memorial Continental Hall and has pledged $150 for the coming year.

Marquette Chapter has held monthly meetings devoted to the study of New England history. Prizes were offered to the boys and girls of the eighth grade for the best essays on historical subjects. Most of the daughters of the chapter repaired to the Ely Building to hear these papers and witness the awarding of the gold pieces and listen to the interesting address of our regent.

Otsiketa Chapter, St. Clair, reports a successful year, with a membership of 45. It offered $5 to eighth-grade students for the best essay on John Paul Jones, in order to stir up patriotism in the schools. It contributed $5 to Memorial Continental Hall and $1 for Mrs. Fairbanks's picture to be placed in this noble building.

Lansing Chapter reports a membership of 92. Flag Day was celebrated by a lawn fête, an address by Judge Cahill, and flag drill by the children. The literary programme usually consists of papers on colonial subjects. It has contributed to help place manual training in the public schools, toward the furnishing of a room in the Carnegie Library, to Memorial Continental Hall, and the local Grand Army of the Republic post. The custom in the chapter of sending flowers to sick members has cheered many hearts.

Anne Frisby Fitzhugh Chapter, of Bay City, has had a successful year. The chapter contributed $10 to Memorial Continental Hall, to the purchase of Mrs. Fairbanks's picture, and to the gift which Michigan chapters made to Mrs. Chittenden to show their appreciation of her long service as state regent. This chapter sends books and magazines to the soldiers in the Philippines. Its topic for study has been Michigan's history. Its interest has been greatly increased by the effort made to save the old light-house at the mouth of the Saginaw River, this being one of the oldest Government structures in this section of the country. It was found, however, that the stringers of the structure were not of stone but wood, and so badly decayed that it was impossible to save it.

Sarah Caswell Angell Chapter, of Ann Arbor, has an active membership of 86. It has held eight meetings with an average attendance of 40. In October, Doctor Angell, president of the university, addressed the chapter on "The European concert and the Monroe doctrine." At the same meeting the state regent gave an informal talk. Prizes have been awarded in the public schools on historical subjects and much interest has been aroused thereby. A copy of the Declaration of Independence has been presented to each public school in the city; $101.50 has been raised for Memorial Continental Hall to be used for a memorial door as a memorial to Mrs. Angell, the chapter's beloved founder.

Muskegon Chapter, with a membership of 20, reports a contribution of $8 to Memorial Continental Hall; $2 to the Washington Memorial Chapter at Valley Forge, and $5 to a poor widow. It has offered $5 in gold to the writer of the best essay on the "Immediate causes of the American Revolution," competition open to all members of the seventh grades in the city, the prize being won by a boy of 13.

Alexander Macomb Chapter, of Mount Clemens, numbers 32. Its contributions have been $15 to the Memorial Continental Hall, books and magazines to the Manila Aid Society. It has furnished an alcove in the public library especially for the use of the school children for historical reference. Its principal work has been the arranging for a bowlder to mark the Moravian settlement. In spite of all arrangements being completed, full accomplishment has been delayed by the unpatriotic owners of the small property, who have refused to give the necessary deed for the location of this monument of this historic spot, but a speedy settlement is anticipated.

Louisa St. Clair Chapter celebrated its twelfth anniversary May 18, 1905. It has a membership of 307. The anniversary was marked by the presentation of a large and beautiful silk flag, donated by the members of this chapter.

The number of objects of interest to which we contribute yearly has increased, and for the purpose of meeting our obligations Mrs. Connor, regent, invited Dr. Yamei Kin to lecture before the patriotic societies of Detroit. The net receipts were $129. This chapter contributed to the Army Relief Society $28, and to the Manila Aid $11.15. We gave to Continental Hall, with personal gifts, $60.

This chapter continues to contribute $60 a year toward the education of a great-granddaughter of General St. Clair, one of General Washington's aids.

The settlement work begun three years ago has increased in interest, numbers, and importance under the guidance of Mrs. B. C. Whitney, who has so Americanized a foreign element in this city that it is now almost self-supporting. This winter they have asked for a series of lectures on American history. Only $10 was contributed to this work by the society last year.

Through the efforts of Mrs. Connor, our regent, all the lineage books and Smithsonian reports have been secured and

placed in that part of Detroit's public library appropriated to the St. Clair Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mrs. William J. Chittenden, state regent, called a meeting to assemble at our Island Park, June 14, to celebrate "the planting of the historic osage orange tree dedicated to the Daughters of the American Revolution." Every member was presented with a miniature flag as she took her seat on the balcony of the casino. The state regent spoke most interestingly of the day, and then called on our new regent, Mrs. Arthur M. Parker, who responded in a most poetical and finished address.

The president of the Daughters of 1812, Mrs. B. C. Whitney, spoke for the flag, and related its history in a brilliant and witty speech.

Hon. George Codd, mayor of the city, paid a glowing tribute to the patriotic societies and the great work of preserving the early history of the nation.

The state regent closed with an eloquent patriotic speech, calling forth "loyalty, love, and appreciation of our beloved country and Old Glory."

Mrs. Charles D. Standish, president of the Children's Paul Jones Chapter, led the salute to the flag and the children joined in singing "America," which closed one of the most brilliant and interesting ceremonies dedicated to our glorious old flag.

Algonquin Chapter, of St. Joseph and Benton Harbor, has held monthly meetings with one of our zealous members, Mrs. Parker, at which programmes, consisting of patriotic quotations, readings, and papers on historical subjects, have been carried out.

A poem read by the author, Mrs. Geo. Thresher, on the "Oak tree story," was of especial interest. The tree, now standing near South Bend, Ind., marks a point where La Salle, in 1679, lost and found a guide in getting from St. Joseph River to the Mississippi.

There has been a constant increase in the membership and a growing interest in the work of the society, especially in the schools, stimulating pupils to greater interest along historical and patriotic lines. Forty-three members are now enrolled and many are working on papers for admission.

Gifts toward various funds have been voted, to wit, Continental Hall, Nurses' Association, flags each to the Carnegie libraries of Benton Harbor and St. Joseph, and other small donations.

Sophie de Marsac Campau Chapter decided at the December meeting that the chapter should secure a copy of the journal of Hon. John Ball, which pertains to the early history of western Michigan. Mr. Ball was a member of the second territorial legislature during Governor Mason's term of service. This valuable document is now the property of the chapter.

At the January meeting it was voted that $25 be given for the Continental Memorial Hall fund. This donation was afterwards raised to $175 by voluntary subscriptions on condition that the money subscribed be used to furnish a memorial for the first regent of Sophie de Marsac Campau Chapter, Mrs. Harvey J. Hollister, now deceased.

Menominee Chapter contributed to the following funds: Memorial Hall, $5; portrait of Mrs. Fairbanks, $1; testimonial to state regent, Mrs. Chittenden, $5, and Paul Revere Memorial Association, $1.

At the last meeting a paper on Memorial Hall, prepared by Mrs. James T. Brayton for the state conference, was read and discussed with interest.

MINNESOTA.

[Mrs. John Edson Bell, *State Regent.*]

Charter Oak Chapter, of Faribault, celebrated, on October 31, 1904, the two hundred and seventeenth anniversary of the hiding of the charter of Connecticut Colony in the oak at Hartford by Captain Wadsworth. In the afternoon they presented a framed copy of the Declaration of Independence to the eighth grade of the city schools as a prize for an essay on a colonial subject.

On December 17 a doll sale was held, the proceeds being devoted to the Continental Hall fund.

At the regular meetings of the chapter excellent papers were presented on the topics: "Old silver and pewter," "Old china," "Old lights." These proved so interesting that in May

a colonial reception was given at which condensed accounts of the papers were presented.

Colonial Chapter, of Minneapolis, has spent a year full of beneficent activity. Their usual work of promoting patriotism in the public schools has been omitted this year, and for it has been substituted a similar work in the social settlements of the city. Three meetings were held in February—one at Hope Chapel, one at Riverside Chapel, and one at Bethel Settlement—and the chapter feels that the lessons learned by the foreign mothers at these meetings must promote patriotism and love for their adopted country.

An entertainment styled "Specialties by specialists" netted goodly sums for the Continental Hall fund, so that the regent was able to take $150 to Washington as Colonial Chapter's contribution to that beautiful building.

Daughters of Liberty Chapter, of Duluth, was called in February, 1905, to mourn the death of their real daughter, Mrs. Anna Hammond, who had she lived until March 23, 1905, would have been 105 years old.

The year's studies began with a New England pilgrimage and continued with the early administrations of our newly formed government, including the influence of John C. Calhoun, Henry Clay, and Daniel Webster upon our early history.

This chapter maintains a room in St. Luke's Hospital at Duluth to which a contribution of $25 was made during the past year. They also added the generous sum of $50 as their gift to the Memorial Continental Hall fund.

Distaff Chapter, of St. Paul, devoted the winter programmes to a study of civil government. During the summer they contributed a small sum toward a noteworthy and successful attempt made by the patriotic citizens of St. Paul to celebrate the Fourth of July. The chapter also contributed a small sum toward the Continental Hall fund.

Greysolon du Lhut Chapter, on the 19th day of October, 1905, celebrated not only the usual anniversary but the first decade of its existence. Its contribution, this year, to Continental Hall fund was $50, but the crowning labor of the year was the completion of a plan made in 1903 to present to the public library a stained glass window. On November 9, 1904, the Greysolon du Lhut memorial window was formally pre-

sented to the city and the library board with appropriate ceremonies. This beautiful piece of work, which was designed by Mrs. Weston and executed by Tiffany, serves to keep alive in the memories of the people of Duluth and of our state that resolute and adventurous spirit who did so much for us in the way of exploration and discovery. Over $700 was raised to pay for this beautiful window.

Elizabeth Dyar Chapter, of Winona, has done an excellent work in attempting to gather from early settlers of our state, who still survive, their recollections of its early history and government. In pursuance of this plan they were addressed in November, 1904, by the late Hon. Thomas Simpson, who made the Government survey of Minnesota in the early fifties.

This chapter has contributed $10 to Memorial Continental Hall during the past year.

Josiah Edson Chapter, of Northfield, is the latest addition to the roster of Minnesota chapters. On the 15th of July, 1905, a meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Grant Bronson, the regent, to complete the organization of the chapter. The day was a historic one, being the anniversary of the capture of Stony Point by Anthony Wayne.

This youngest of our chapters deserves, I think, especial honorable mention, in that before its organization had been completed, and while it was still unrecognized by the national society, it sent $40 as its contribution to Memorial Continental Hall.

The studies of this chapter for the year will be a research into the records of the ancestors of the members composing the chapter.

Fergus Falls Chapter, of Fergus Falls, has made its usual contribution toward the Continental Hall fund. Its special work this year, however, has been a contribution of $50 toward the maintenance of a cot in the newly erected hospital of their little city. Not only have they given this money, but while listening to instructive papers on American history, fair fingers have been busy hemming linen for the hospital that its good mission of mercy and helpfulness might be begun as soon as possible.

Nathan Hale Chapter, of St. Paul, devoted its energies to the erection of a monument to that noble young martyr whose

cruel destiny is yet powerful to stir the loftiest sentiments of devotion and self-sacrifice in the breasts of all who know his fate. A place in the grounds of Minnesota's beautiful new capitol has been set apart for this statue when it shall be erected, and the fund for it is growing steadily. In addition to this the chapter has also contributed to the larger work of the national society by its usual gift to Memorial Continental Hall.

Minneapolis Chapter carries on four lines of helpful work, first and foremost among them being devotion to the completion of Memorial Continental Hall, to the fund of which they have this year contributed $100. They also maintain a room in the Jones-Harrison Home for Old Ladies, a local institution, which has been substantially remembered this year.

On October 14, 1905, the chapter created in one of the parks of our city a spot of historic interest by planting therein a beautiful hard maple, taken from our native forests, the earth which nourishes it having been sent from historic places in the thirteen original colonies.

The fourth line of activity carried on by Minneapolis Chapter is the support of two traveling libraries. The library on the American Revolution was loaned to the Philolectian Club of Anoka during the year 1904–5 and to the Ladies' Literary Club of Marietta for the year 1905–6.

The Library on Colonial History has been loaned as follows: 1904–5, Biwabik Clio Club; 1905–6, Wells Current Events Club.

Monument Chapter, of Minneapolis, during the year 1904–5 has been raising funds for the Memorial Continental Hall. An entertainment netted the chapter the sum of $29.80. To this sum was added $14.20 from the chapter treasury and a gift of $1, making the sum total of $45 for the Continental Hall fund.

At a luncheon given to the chapter by Mrs. E. W. Backus each member of the chapter was presented by the hostess with a certificate of membership in the Betsy Ross Memorial Association, thus stimulating their interest in one of the landmarks of old Philadelphia.

This chapter has also contributed $1 to the memorial for the nurses who perished during the Spanish-American war.

Rochester Chapter, of Rochester, completed the first year of its existence on December 1, 1904, and celebrated the event by presenting the library of the town with a framed copy of the Declaration of Independence.

On Washington's Birthday they awarded a sixth-grade pupil in the public schools a prize of a beautiful book for the best paper on George Washington.

St. Paul Chapter, of St. Paul, held two meetings during the past year with "silver offering" for Continental Hall. One was given in honor of Mrs. Jerusha Brown, their real daughter. The total offering of this chapter to Memorial Continental Hall was $141.

Anthony Wayne Chapter, of Mankato, mourns the loss of their real daughter, Mrs. Margaret Benson. This chapter sends the American Monthly Magazine to the public library of the town each month, and has contributed $10 to the Continental Hall fund.

Wenonah Chapter, of Winona, has given much time during the past year to a revision of its by-laws, especial care having been given to the definition of the "duties of officers."

On Decoration Day the grave of Stephen Taylor, a Revolutionary soldier, was decorated by a committee appointed from the chapter. A gift of $100 was sent to Memorial Continental Hall.

Topics relating to the early intellectual development of the colonies have been successfully pursued by this chapter.

MISSOURI.

[Mrs. Wallace Delafield, *State Regent.*]

There are 12 organized chapters in the state, with a membership of 993 and 60 members at large, making a total of 1,053.

Missouri had a larger representation at the national congress in April than ever before, as there were 15 delegates and 7 alternates present and all the chapters in the state were represented except 4. Our vice-president-general, Mrs. J. R. Walker, was present at the state conference and gave us a most enthusiastic talk on "Continental Hall" and suggested that we have a Missouri room. The suggestion was received with much interest, and it was unanimously decided to work for it. The state regent appointed Mrs. Walker to see what

room we could have, and also to write to every chapter regent in the state soliciting the aid of all Missouri daughters.

Elizabeth Benton Chapter, of Kansas City, with Mrs. Thomas B. Tomb, regent, has a membership of 165. The chapter had 27 new members during Mrs. Tomb's regency.

Ten dollars was contributed toward the portrait of Mrs. Fairbanks to be placed in Continental Hall. The mahogany table which was in the daughters' room at the World's Fair was also given, to be placed in the Missouri room.

Columbian Chapter, Mrs. A. O. Macfarlane, regent, has a membership of 44. The chapter sent $25 to the Memorial Continental Hall at Washington.

Regular meetings have been held during the year on the second Saturday of each month. At these meetings papers were presented on some subject bearing on the Revolution, and an hour was given up to social pleasure.

Hannibal Chapter, of which Mrs. Harry Logan is regent, expects to raise the $50 promised toward the Missouri room at Continental Hall. We are learning from our sister chapters that the more that is done the greater time and inclination are felt for helpfulness to others. Our membership now numbers 33.

Last fall our ex-regent, Miss Harrison, had a most interesting paper on "How to promote patriotism in Hannibal," and, following her good advice, a gold medal was offered for the best essay on the Continental Congresses. There was much competition, our only regret being that there were not eight or nine prizes ready for the youngsters instead of the one. Later in the year word came from Hannibal Hospital that a comfortable seat was needed for the convalescing patients. After consulting our treasurer we found it possible not only to buy the bench, but an easy rocker, and so these two pieces of furniture were contributed. There is now $26.46 in the treasury, and no debts. Past experience has been a good teacher. We are stronger to-day, more in earnest, and with kind feeling toward one another and those about us we hope to succeed in living up to the lives of those whose blood we so proudly claim.

Jane Randolph Jefferson Chapter, of Jefferson City, has a membership of 55. Monthly meetings were held at the homes

of the members, with the following programmes: October 15—Hostesses: Mrs. W. J. Stone, Miss Mabel Stone. Miscellaneous business, election of officers. Reminiscences of trips to the World's Fair. November 12—Hostesses: Miss Ella McCarty, Mrs. John R. Cutten. Subjects: "Colonial women," "Why we celebrate Thanksgiving Day." December 17—Hostesses: Mrs. James B. Gantt, Miss Mary Gantt. Subject: "How Christmas is observed in different countries." "Christmas quotations." "Captured Santa Claus," by Thomas Nelson Page. "Is there a Santa Claus?" by Jacob Riis. January 28, 1905—Hostess: Mrs. Thomas Oliver Towles. Annual banquet, celebration of chapter day and Washington's wedding day. Toasts: "Jane Randolph Jefferson Chapter," Mrs. John Edwards. "Colonial women," Mrs. R. P. Bland. "Patriotism," Miss Marianne Davison. "Orators of the Revolution," Mrs. A. S. Ferguson. "When Lafayette entered Philadelphia," Mrs. Ashley Ewing. "Elizabeth Vale," Mrs. James B. Gantt. "Old-fashioned wedding," Mrs. Cecil Thomas. "Colonial lovers," Mrs. Frank Sosey.

The Daughters of the American Revolution organized the civic league of the city and gave $150 in prizes for the most beautiful yards, flowers, and vines, and the work has improved the city. We are going to observe the fifteenth anniversary or crystal wedding of the national society on the 11th of October. All daughters are expected to bring their offerings for Memorial Continental Hall.

The children have an enthusiastic organization, "The Monticello," named for the home of Thomas Jefferson. They took up the study of the Presidents of the United States at their monthly meetings, presided over by children, and mothers all assisting in making the society a success. The society numbers about 25.

Jefferson Chapter, of St. Louis, has 92 members. Jefferson Chapter enjoyed the privilege of numbering three real daughters on her roll.

It is owing to the zeal of one devoted, patriotic daughter of Jefferson Chapter (Miss Dalton) that a white marble tablet was erected to commemorate the site from which the Spanish expedition set out against the English at Fort St. Joseph, near the present town of Niles, Mich.

The site of the Government House on First street, between Market and Walnut, was the starting point of the expedition; this was block 34 of the city as then laid out by Laclede. It was his residence and the first stone house built in St. Louis.

The tablet bears this inscription:

From this point, the Spaniards set out
Jan. 2, 1781
on their victorious Revolutionary Expedition against Ft. St.
Joseph, the nearest point then flying the British flag.
Erected by Jefferson Chapter, D. A. R.
1905.

A copy of this tablet in copper is also placed in the Missouri Historical Society, the work of Miss Taylor.

In this same house civil government was first inaugurated in St. Louis in 1776, by St. Ange. It may be of interest to note that the Wednesday Club of St. Louis has placed a tablet memorializing this fact. This house was also the home for many years, 1789 to 1829, of August Chouteau, who was one of the founders of St. Louis.

Regular monthly meetings have been held and a programme of addresses, historical papers, and music presented. We are thoroughly in sympathy with the Civic Improvement League, and to that end have appointed a committee and given funds for the vacation playgrounds. But our work must not end here. There is a crying need in many parts of our big city among the most ignorant of our foreign population for patriotic education. In this teaching of the children lies the safety of our state and nation. "To educate the foreigners and their children into a conception of the rights and privileges of citizenship, to enable them to grasp the idea of a pledged fealty to their new country," is a work worth any amount of arduous effort. We, Daughters of the American Revolution, are banded together "to perpetuate the spirit of the men and women who achieved American independence," "to foster true patriotism, and to aid in securing for mankind the blessings of liberty."

Joplin Chapter has been organized about one year, with a full quota of officers and 15 members.

Laclede Chapter, of St. Louis, Mrs. J. H. Hewit, regent, has a membership of 26. Our study has been along the lines

of American history through the medium of a game of questions called "The Makers of American History." We have contributed to Continental Hall and to the vacation playgrounds.

Nancy Hunter Chapter, of Cape Girardeau, held its fourth annual meeting May 18, in Marion, Ky.

The treasurer's report shows all members in good standing, the state dues paid, also the annual contribution of $5 to the Continental Hall fund. In addition the chapter contributed to the Winston monument at Memphis, Tenn., and to the Sunbury Chapter in Pennsylvania, which is raising a fund to purchase and preserve the ruins of Fort Augusta on the Susquehanna. This is the site of the old Fort Hunter of colonial times, built by Col. Samuel Hunter, and the work of preserving it appeals particularly to this chapter. The chapter also voted to contribute liberally to the fund for the Missouri room in Continental Hall.

Osage Chapter, of Sedalia, Mrs. Thompson P. McCluney, regent, has a membership of 51. They are furnishing a room in the new Carnegie Library of Sedalia, for colonial relics, which will be called Daughters of American Revolution room. They will also contribute to the Missouri room in Continental Hall.

St. Louis Chapter reports 417 members. We have had seven chapter meetings, not including Flag Day, and nine board meetings.

Martha and George Washington's "Wedding Day" was celebrated on January 17, at the home of the regent, Mrs. Booth. The members of the board had made 400 bags, of red, white, and blue ribbon, 2 inches square; the bags were attached to a printed card setting forth that every daughter was asked to place in the bag the name of her ancestor and a donation to his or her memory and to bring or send it to the colonial tea. One hundred and sixty bags were brought back, containing all the way from 5 cents to $5. One visiting daughter so appreciated the courtesy shown to her by all the daughters that she sent $5 in hers. The sum of $135 was realized in this manner and, with $15 more, making $150, was given to Continental Hall fund in April. The bags will in the future be devoted to this purpose, until this grand hall is paid for or until the room taken by Missouri is finished. Might not this be a good way for all the chapters in the state to collect their

tax for this room? In this way one could get a complete list of the Missouri ancestors.

The chapter sent $10 to assist in purchasing the portrait of Mrs. Fairbanks, which now adorns Continental Hall. Our usual donation of $20 was sent to the vacation schools, in which so many of our daughters are interested. Twenty-five dollars was sent to the Missouri state regent, Mrs. Graham, for Mount Vernon, but as they did not need so much as usual, it was asked of them to pass it along to Pohick Church, which Mrs. Graham did. We sent $150 to Continental Hall, and have promised $10 toward Valley Forge. On Flag Day, in June, about 150 daughters visited Jefferson Barracks. There the commanding officers, Colonel Godwin and staff, met us with carriages and quickly conveyed us to the national cemetery, where the superintendent had made all ready for our comfort. There we found the graves of the reinterred soldiers who had died for their country while on duty in Old Bellefontaine. The bowlder erected to their memory by this chapter was already in position and covered with the post flag. Mr. Wallace Delafield was the chairman of the day, and nobly performed his pleasant duties. Judge Douglass read a paper on the Old Fort, giving a short sketch of the officers who were buried there. Then the flag was lifted by the ex-regent, Mrs. Booth, and the chairman of the flag committee, Mrs. Denison. The "Star Spangled Banner" was sung. Mr. Bascome was publicly thanked for getting the quartermaster to move in the matter of reinterring the bodies.

One pleasant episode was that when the garrison was removed to the present barracks, Lieut. Stephen W. Kearny was in command, the father of our present state vice-regent, Mrs. Bascome, who was born at Jefferson Barracks. After taps were sounded we wended our way back through the quarters, keeping the Mississippi always in view, to Mrs. Godwin's, where the officers' wives were waiting to give us the friendly hand, as they were also daughters. And so one hundred years after the old fort was laid out, on the upper bend of the river, we had the satisfaction of feeling that their last resting place would at least not be disturbed for another hundred years.

St. Joseph Chapter, Mrs. E. H. Hundley, regent, has a membership of 62. The chapter has had the society lineage books bound and placed in the public library.

One dollar a month has been contributed toward the maintenance of the Rescue Home in the city. Mrs. William Bartlett donated a statue to the Daughters of the American Revolution art collection, and the chapter bought a pedestal for it. Little Miss Bloss received the medal offered by the chapter for the best essay on "Washington Crossing the Delaware." Ten public school pupils in the eighth grade contested. Mrs. S. M. Nave represented the chapter at the congress in Washington. Washington's Birthday was observed.

Ten dollars was contributed by this chapter to the fund raised for the purpose of purchasing a portrait of Mrs. Fairbanks, which is hung in Memorial Hall. A facsimile of the Declaration of Independence neatly framed was presented to the St. Joseph High School. The chapter voted to raise $100 for Memorial Continental Hall, and for that purpose an entertainment was given at the home of the regent, and the $100 now rests in the treasury awaiting its journey to the Memorial Hall fund.

The St. Joseph Chapter contributed $25 to the Memorial Hall in 1900, $50 in 1903, and now has $100 for 1905, but it is the chapter's hope to make $25 in the remaining months and thus make the total $200.

MONTANA.

[Mrs. William Wallace McCrackin, *State Regent.*]

Oro Fino Chapter, Helena, met last year each month, except during the summer. A course of study was outlined, taking the biographies of women in historical novels dealing with Revolutionary times. Twenty dollars was sent to Memorial Hall. One magazine was sent for a year to the Manila library.

Ravalli Chapter, of Hamilton, gave $25 toward Continental Hall fund. Pictures of Colonial Hall were presented to the county superintendent for distribution among the schools of the county. The number of members is 13.

Silver Bow Chapter has donated one traveling library and put it in circulation in the state. A donation of $25 was made to Continental Hall fund. There was expended $10.50 for a book-case to be placed in the public library for the purpose of holding our books, relics, etc.

Our course of study for the year has included Indians and prehistoric races of America. The number of members is 32.

NEBRASKA.

[Mrs. S. C. Langworthy, *State Regent.*]

Omaha Chapter, Mrs. Gertrude M. P. Webster, regent. Membership, 158. The chapter contributed to Continental Hall fund $100; to stand of colors for battle ship *Nebraska*, $60; to lineage books, $7.50; to state per capita tax, $15, and a medal and picture to high school.

Deborah Avery Chapter, Lincoln, Mrs. Grove H. Barber, regent. Membership, 113. The chapter contributed to Continental Hall fund $10; to stand of colors, $50; to doll for Memphis bazaar, $1; to state per capita tax, $11.30; to Daughters of the American Revolution medal for patriotic essay, high school, $10.

Elizabeth Montague Chapter, Beatrice, Mrs. R. J. Kilpatrick, regent. Membership, 22. This chapter contributed to stand of colors, also to Lewis and Clark monument. Its charter is framed in public library, where the lineage books are deposited. It has carried on studies in American history.

Margaret Holmes Chapter, Seward, Mrs. W. A. Atwater, regent. Membership, 17. This chapter contributed to Continental Hall fund, $10; to stand of colors for battle ship *Nebraska*, $5; to prize for patriotic essay, high school, $5; to charter framed and in public library, $6.25; to lineage books, $9; to doll for Jacob Bennett Chapter, $1.50. The yearbook provides for monthly meetings and studies in American history.

Lewis-Clark Chapter, Fremont, Mrs. Minnie R. McDonald, regent. Membership, 30. This chapter contributed to Continental Hall fund, $25; to prizes for patriotic essays, high school, $7.50; to two Daughters of the American Revolution spoons, and collecting colonial relics. Will entertain fifth annual conference.

Coronado Chapter, Ord, Mrs. F. D. Haldeman, regent. Organized in 1904, and now has 16 members. It has received $56.40, and expended $21.52.

Quivera Chapter, Fairbury, Mrs. J. C. Kesterson, regent. Membership, 36. This chapter contributed to Continental

Hall fund, $10; to prize for patriotic essay, high school, $5; to state per capita tax, $3.10; to doll for Memphis bazaar, $1, and to entertainment of fourth annual Daughters of the American Revolution conference.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

[Mrs. Ellen L. McLane, *State Regent.*]

We are very proud of New Hampshire this year, as her legislature was the first of the thirteen original states to pass a bill appropriating $2,000 for one of the thirteen columns in Memorial Continental Hall. This bill was signed by the governor March 10, 1905.

Our chapters are all interested and are doing much patriotic work. Our numbers are gradually increasing, and added enthusiasm in the work is also very noticeable.

Molly Stark Chapter, Manchester, has held nine meetings from October, 1904, to October, 1905. Two parties were given to raise money for the Continental Hall in Washington, and $200 was the sum realized, including the money given by individual subscriptions.

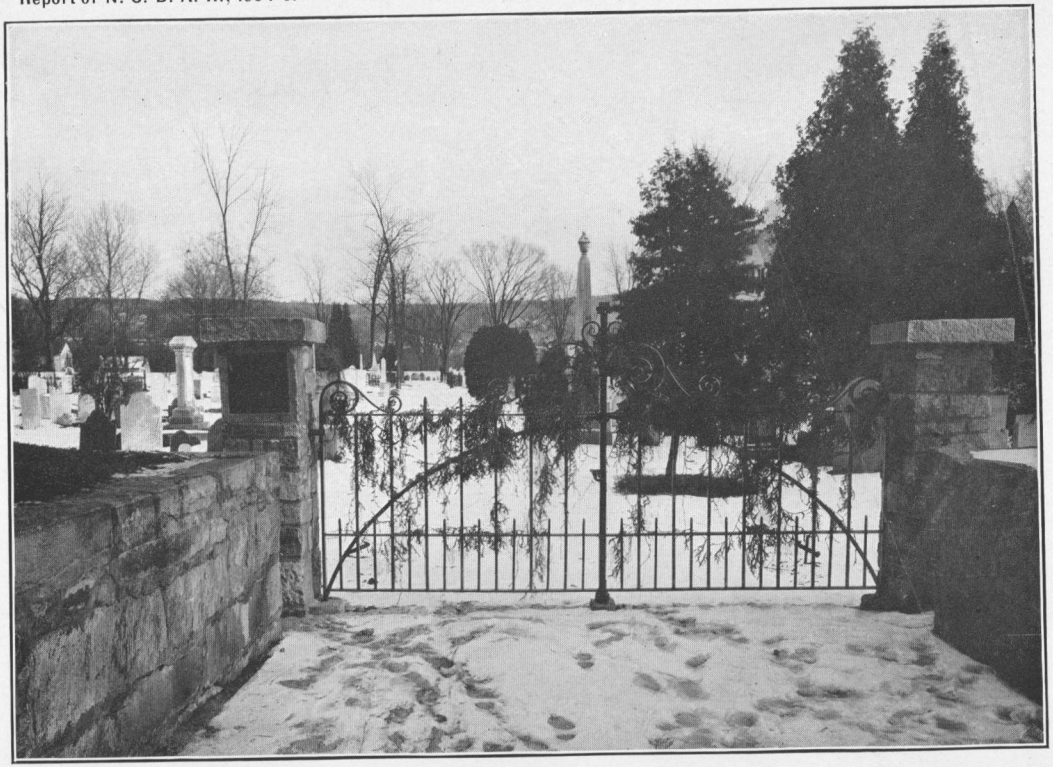
Molly Reid Chapter, Derry, had the largest number added to its membership last year of any year since its organization. Nine joined the chapter, and its present number is 49.

A colonial ball was given October 24, 1904, and we realized $42.30. This money has been placed with other money raised to go toward getting the chapter a permanent place for meeting and for holding many ancient articles donated to the chapter.

The tenth anniversary was observed in October, 1904. The history of the chapter was ably given by Mrs. Annie B. Shepard, its organizer. Our last real daughter died October 23, 1904, she being the last of three sisters who had belonged to the chapter. Her Daughters of the American Revolution spoon, which she greatly prized, she left to her granddaughter.

In March we had a lecture on "The Far Eastern Question." Next year we hope to report the marking of the old home of Matthew Thornton, a signer of the Declaration of Independence.

Milford Chapter has 47 members, a gain of 8 during the year. In response to a request from the Commodore Perry



MEMORIAL GATE AT WASHINGTON STREET CEMETERY, KEENE, N. H., ERECTED BY ASHUELOT CHAPTER, D. A. R.

MEMORIAL LOT AND BOWLDER IN WASHINGTON STREET CEMETERY, KEENE, N. H., PLACED BY ASHUELOT CHAPTER, D. A. R.

Chapter, of Memphis, a doll was dressed and sent to them for a dolls' bazaar, which was given in December to raise money for patriotic purposes.

In February the chapter gave a colonial party. From the party was realized $75, which was sent to the general fund for Continental Hall.

Every Memorial Day the graves of the Revolutionary soldiers are decorated by members of the chapter with flags and wreaths. These graves, of which there are thirty-three, have been previously marked with bronze markers.

The memorial work done by **Ashuelot** Chapter, of Keene, during 1904 was placing a new iron gate at the entrance to the old Washington street burying ground; also repairing and resetting twelve old headstones. The exercises of presentation and cuts of the gate and bowlder (see Plates 2 and 3) I enclose, having taken them from the city report for 1904, as follows:

PRESENTATION OF MEMORIAL GATES AND BOWLDER.

In line with other gifts to the city by Ashuelot Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, memorial gates and a memorial bowlder were presented to the city by the chapter on Wednesday, November 9, 1904. Exercises were held at the old cemetery on Washington street, where the gates and bowlder had been erected, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The gates, which are of iron, are at the entrance to the cemetery. The bowlder is in memory of the early settlers of the town, and is placed on a lot in the rear of the cemetery, together with several headstones from the first church yard on Main street.

The exercises took place in the presence of some thirty members of the chapter and other ladies and a goodly number of gentlemen, a number of whom were members of the Sons of the American Revolution. The gates and bowlder had been simply and appropriately decorated with native ferns, staghorn evergreen, and the beautiful red alder berries, which were then in full color. The vines were twined upon the gates and studded with the red berries, ferns and berries being placed around the supporting columns and at the bottom of the gates. On the left-hand post is a bronze tablet bearing this inscription:

This gate
was placed by
Ashuelot
Chapter
D. A. R.
A. D. 1904.

The emblem of the daughters is cast in the center of the lower line of the inscription. A flag was placed on the granite gatepost overhanging the tablet. Ferns, alder berries, and evergreen were placed around the base of the bowlder, which was covered with an American flag. At the

proper time this flag was removed by Phyllis Blake Barrett, the little daughter of the chapter regent. The bowlder, which is about 3 feet in height, bears the following inscription cut in the stone:

In grateful memory to
brave settlers of this
town these stones are
placed here from
first church yard
on Main street.
Ashuelot Chapter,
D. A. R.
1904.

Following are the inscriptions copied from the eleven gravestones:

In memory of Abner, son of Mr. Nathan Blake, who died July 7th, 1766, in the 6th year of his age.

Here lies the body of Elizabeth, the eldest daughter of the Revd. Clement and Mrs. Elizabeth Sumner, who departed this life Feb. 26st, A. D. 1767, aged 7 years and 4 days.

"In the midst of life we are in death.
O happy child, how soon thy race was run!
Now free from anxious care and sorrow,
While with thy Saviour and forever blest."

In memory of ye Widow Betty Fairbanks, ye wife of Capt. Nathan Fairbanks; she decd Feb. ye 26th, 1772, in ye 69th year of her age.

Here lies the Body of William, the eldest son of the Revd. Clement & Mrs. Elizabeth Sumner, who Died December 13th, 1765, the day of his birth.

"Time how short, Eternity how long!"

In memory of Mrs. Zipporah, wife of Mr. Ezra Harvey, who decd. Octr. ye 30th, 1778, in ye 27th year of her age.

In memory of Zipporah, Daughr of Mr. Ezra Harvey & Mrs. Zipporah his wife; she died Jany 21st, 1778, aged 2 years 7 mo. 21 dayes.

In memory of David Baker, son of Thomas Baker, Esq., and Mrs. Sarah, his wife, who died January ye 27th, 1789, in ye 20th year of his age.

"Time was I stood where thou dost now,
And viewed the dead as thou dost me;
Ere long thou'lt lie as low as I,
And others stand and look on thee."

Capt. Ephraim Dorman, died 7 May 1795, aged 85. Capt. Dorman was one of the first. settlers & an original proprietor of the town of Keene.

Mrs. Hepzibah Dorman.

In memory of Mrs. Abigail, wife of Genl. James Reed, who departed this life August 27th, 1791, in the 68th year of her age.

"There's nothing here but who as nothing weighs.
The more our joy the more we know it's vain;
Lose then from earth the grasp of fond desire,
Weigh anchor and some happier clime explore."

Mrs. Abigail Reed.

Memento Mori. This stone is erected to perpetuate the memory of Madam Ruth Whitney, who departed this life in the 72d year of her age. She was successively married to the Revd. David Stearns, of Luninburg, and the Revd. Aaron Whitney of Petersham, both of whom she survived. For diligence, patience, piety and knowledge, she was eminently distinguished. As this stone cannot tell all her virtues, suffice to say that as a wife, she was prudent and faithful; as a mother, discreet and tender; as a neighbor, friendly and charitable; as a Christian, intelligent and exemplary. A life thus spent terminated with composure on the first of November, 1788.

"The righteous shall be had in everlasting remembrance."

The committee on memorial work had the full charge of obtaining, placing, and marking the gates and bowlder, and also of procuring funds therefor in addition to those set apart by the chapter for the purpose, and their work was done in a manner most satisfactory to the chapter members and all concerned. The gates placed at the cemetery entrance are double iron gates of a simple and appropriate design. They are hinged to posts of block granite, suitably capped, and are strong and durable.

In April, at a special meeting called for the purpose, $100 was voted to be given to the Continental Hall fund.

The number of members October 11, 1904, was 75. The number of members October 11, 1905, was 105.

The chapter has held seven regular meetings with an average attendance of 37. One special meeting was held in April, the reception to the Sons of the American Revolution on February 6, and the presentation of the gate to the city, November 7, 1904, with the most delightful reception (given by two daughters) to the guests and members of the chapter.

Margery Sullivan Chapter, of Dover, has added 18 new members and 2 have resigned, making a membership of 58. Twenty-five dollars has been given for the completion of Continental Hall. Ten dollars to Dover Public Library to purchase historical books, and bookplates were purchased for same. American Monthly Magazine bound and the current copies placed in the public library; also the complete set of lineage books.

At a military whist given January 5, 1905, $63.68 was made. We have about $118 in the treasury. The site of the First Church is cared for. Research committee for Revolutionary soldiers' graves has done much in the way of investigation and historical value.

February 22 was observed by a colonial tea, at the home of Mrs. Fish. The members were in colonial costume.

At the annual meeting Mrs. Burlingame, of Exeter, gave a paper on the "Needlework of our grandmothers' time." There was an exhibit of ancient needlework and heirlooms Flag Day a pilgrimage was made to Exeter and historical places. Rooms and houses were visited.

Buntin Chapter, of Pembroke, at its March meeting voted $10 to the Memorial Continental Hall fund. We voted $25 for a foundation for a soldiers' monument on Pembroke street.

In June we placed five markers on Revolutionary soldiers' graves in Pembroke Cemetery.

The membership is 23.

Matthew Thornton Chapter, of Nashua, has a membership of 97. February 1 they placed a bronze tablet (see Plate 4) in the new city library with appropriate exercises. This tablet was in honor of the Revolutionary soldiers from Nashua, formerly Dunstable. The tablet was made by Paul Cabaret, of New York, at a cost of $275.

During the year this chapter purchased a flax wheel which had belonged to the family of Matthew Thornton, a signer of the Declaration of Independence, for whom the chapter was named.

This chapter has given $1 to the monument for the Spanish-American war nurses at Arlington; also $10 toward the purchase of Paul Revere's house in Boston.

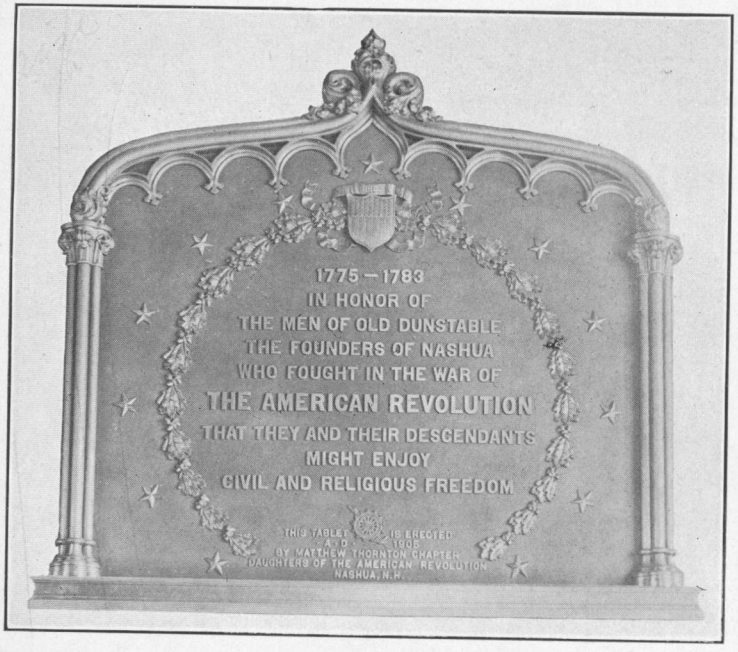
Samuel Ashley Chapter, of Claremont, at its September meeting held a colonial exhibit in which many family treasures were brought to view. A very antique spread, or coverlet, was exhibited with elaborate patriotic designs around the border, and a coat of arms and the "Ship of State" in each corner. The colors were red and white.

Our programmes have given much attention to history and the lives of patriotic heroes. At each meeting three historical queries have been given out to be answered at the next meeting. The interest is constantly increasing and new members are being added. We now have a membership of 63.

Exeter Chapter has a membership of 48. This chapter is very fortunate in having secured through the kindness and generosity of one of its members, Miss Jennie R. Harvey, a room in her house for a chapter home. This house is the oldest and most historic in Exeter, and is called the old Garrison House, being built about 1650. The wing which contains the chapter room was built in 1772 for the entertainment of Governor John Wentworth.

Through the efforts of their regent they have their charter framed in woods secured from Boston's old elm, Faneuil Hall, the *Constitution*, the *Olympia*, and many other historic objects.

This old house has suffered very little in attempts at modernizing and all needed repairs have been made in the way of restoration and in perfect harmony with the original structure which still stands intact. Councilor John Gilman was the



TABLET IN CITY LIBRARY, NASHUA, N. H., ERECTED BY MATTHEW THORNTON CHAPTER, D. A. R.

first occupant, and it remained in the same family until 1788. During his school days Daniel Webster occupied a room in this house. The house has been marked by Exeter Chapter with a tablet. The chapter has expended $85 in repairs and necessary furnishings in their room and it will grow in interest and value each year. Last year the chapter voted to mark the graves of Revolutionary soldiers in the old cemetery.

Eunice Baldwin Chapter, of Hillsboro Bridge, in October, 1904, placed two marble tablets in two Congregational churches, commemorating the memory of the first pastor in each church, one at the center and the other at the bridge, at a cost of $30.

The American Monthly Magazine is taken by the chapter, and Mrs. Story's photograph was published. One new member was received, Mrs. E. G. Frost, of Brookline, Mass. A box was sent to Concord Memorial Hospital with supplies suitable for hospital use for an easter gift. We decorated the Revolutionary soldiers' graves, using a few Betsy Ross flags.

Five dollars was received from an unknown friend. Two historic tablets have been purchased for markers—one for site of Old Meeting House (1789) and one for President Pierce's house—cost, $8.

In August Mrs. Grimes entertained the chapter in honor of its out-of-town members in old home week. Miss Wilkins, of Malden, and Mrs. Humphrey, of Brookline, gave interesting talks on Daughters of the American Revolution work. The chapter has 24 members.

Elsa Cilley Chapter, of Nottingham, has 21 members. It has raised $44, and gave $5 for the Continental Hall fund. It placed a marker where Gen. Henry Dearborn lived at the breaking out of the Revolutionary war, on Nottingham Square, and from where he with 20 minutemen marched to Boston and fought in the battle of Bunker Hill. The stone was dedicated on a beautiful day in August with appropriate exercises of music and addresses, followed by a collation.

Liberty Chapter, of Tilton, 26 members, continues its special work along patriotic lines among the children. Several members have given talks upon historical subjects in the schools. A framed facsimile of the Declaration of Independence is loaned to those schools whose teachers will use it for the benefit of their pupils.

The chapter has cared for the graves of eight soldiers of the American Revolution and placed bronze markers upon six of these graves.

Contributions have been made to the Memorial Hospital in Concord, N. H., in which the chapter has a special interest.

The meetings of the chapter are well sustained, and there is a growing interest in the work of the society.

Revolutionary soldiers' graves marked by Liberty Chapter, Tilton, N. H.

Abraham Brown, ensign. Born 1753; died March 8, 1824; buried in Northfield Town House Cemetery. He was in Capt. Daniel Moore's company, Col. John Stark's regiment, in 1775; in Capt. Daniel Gordon's company, David Gilman's regiment, to reenforce Army in New York December, 1776; in Colonel Gilman's militia regiment, raised in the State of New Hampshire to reenforce the Northern Continental Army in September, 1777; in Capt. Ezekiel Worthen's company, Col. Stephen Peabody's regiment, raised in New Hampshire for continental service in Rhode Island in 1778–79. He was ensign in Capt. Daniel Gordon's company, in Col. Thomas Bartlett's regiment of militia, raised by the State of New Hampshire for the defense of the United States in 1780 at West Point. April 16, 1782, he enlisted to serve in the Continental Army for the term of three years, or during the war.

Samuel Densmore. Born in New Hampshire; died in Northfield, N. H., and was buried in the Williams Cemetery. His name appears on the roll of Capt. Joseph Dearborn's company in the Continental service against Canada; also on the roll of Capt. John Nesmith's company for Canada service from Colonel Thornton's and Colonel Bartlett's regiments, mustered by John Bell July 11, and marched July 22, 1776; also on the roll of soldiers raised by the state of New Hampshire to fill up the Continental Army in 1781; also on the roll of the six months men raised by the state of New Hampshire to serve in the Continental Army in the year 1781 at West Point.

John Durgin. Born at Epping, N. H., August 13, 1756; died October 16, 1848, in Sanbornton, N. H.; buried in the Tin Corner Cemetery. He enlisted April 20, 1777, for three years, and was discharged April 13, 1780. He was in Col. Alexander Scammell's company, in the Third New Hampshire Continental Regiment, and was at Burgoyne's surrender.

Samuel Jewett. Born in Hollis, N. H., January 1, 1756; died in Gilford, N. H., December 17, 1839; buried in Union Cemetery, at Laconia, N. H. He was in Capt. Reuben Dow's company of minute men, who marched from Hollis, N. H., April 19, 1775, and took part in the battle of Bunker Hill; he was also a member of Capt. Daniel Emerson's company of New Hampshire Militia, who marched from Hollis for Ticonderoga in June, 1777.

Simeon (or **Simon**) **Page.** Born in Hampton, N. H., April 11, 1756; died in Sanbornton, N. H., December 20, 1813; buried in Park Cemetery, Tilton, N. H. His name appears on the pay roll of Col. Enoch Poor's regiment in July and August, 1775; also again in August, 1775, as a signer of the receipt for money and provisions at Charlestown, N. H.; also on receipt

for regimental coats for Captain Elkin's company, Col. Enoch Poor's regiment, October, 1775; also with others authorizing Capt. Moses Leavitt to draw "billiting money," January 5, 1776.

Henry Tebbetts. Born January 7, 1756; died in Northfield, N. H., May 19, 1808; buried in the Northfield Town House Cemetery. He was in Capt. Benjamin Sias's company, Col. David Gilman's regiment, from the state of New Hampshire, from December 5, 1776, to March 15, 1777; in Capt. Benjamin Sias's company, Col. Thomas Stickney's regiment, Gen. John Stark's brigade, which marched from Loudon and towns adjacent in the State of New Hampshire and joined the Northern Continental Army July 20, 1777, and was at Bennington and Stillwater. He was in Benjamin Whitcomb's independent company of rangers, in the service of the United States, from October 31, 1779, to November 1, 1780; also in the same company from the 1st day of November, 1780, to the 1st day of February, 1781.

Elizabeth Folsom Hilton Chapter, of Epping, has gained 8 members.

Five dollars was given to the Continental Hall fund. Twenty dollars was also given toward defraying the expenses of their alternate to the national congress.

July 5 was observed as field day with one of their members at her home among the Deerfield Mountains, when a fine patriotic programme was given.

Ellen I. Sanger Chapter from October 11, 1904, to October 11, 1905, added 13 members to its roll. On June 17 there was dedicated a bowlder erected in memory of the Revolutionary soldiers of Littleton, at a cost of $130. This represents the year's work, except the social side, which has been very pleasant.

Granite Chapter has just passed its first anniversary, and is small in numbers, only 14. Local history has been its general topic at the regular meetings. Papers on the following subjects have been read: "Settlement of town," "Indian history," "First families," "Early industries," "Church history," "Old buildings," "Peculiar characters;" also one on "Newcastle and Eliot." Two social meetings, February 22 and June 17, were held.

NEW MEXICO.

[Mrs. L. Bradford Prince, *State Regent.*]

Stephen Watts Kearny Chapter, at Santa Fe, has kept steadily but quietly at work during the past year.

There are many places of historical interest in our vicinity, and since my last report we have obtained possession, for the

use of the Daughters of the American Revolution in New Mexico, of the large reception room in the ancient governor's palace. It has been decorated in a manner befitting its use. Some of its old-fashioned furniture carries one back to the days of the earliest settlers in Virginia. A facsimile of the Declaration of Independence adorns its wall, while it is flanked on either side by an original letter from Thomas Jefferson and an old steel engraving of the famous author of this document.

The letter is written to a Mr. William Short, of Kentucky, and asks his assistance in regaining possession of some surveying instruments which he (Jefferson) had loaned. It ends in the following quaintly affectionate manner: "My health is vacillating, but my affection for you is ever the same."

The room and its furnishings are, without doubt, the most unique and truly historical of any Daughters of the American Revolution room in the society.

The chapter has one real granddaughter, who has been made an honorary member of the society.

The grave of James Pursley, the only Revolutionary soldier known to be buried in New Mexico, is at Santa Fe.

At Silver City the **Jacob Bennett** Chapter, with a membership of 20, has accomplished a most remarkable work.

It has acquired two of the oldest buildings in the city as a nucleus for a chapter house. In order to purchase real estate, it has incorporated under the territorial laws. It owns an entire block and four desirable lots in excellent locations. The block is to be converted into a fine park surrounding the chapter house.

It meets bimonthly and has a fine historical programme at each meeting. At one of them the public is welcomed, thus creating an interest in the Daughters of the American Revolution work throughout the community.

It owns the twenty lineage books and a number of histories of towns and families. A chapter flag, rituals, and many recognition pins are worn by chapter members, six of whom are subscribers to the American Monthly Magazine. A year's subscription of this publication is given to the public library at Silver City.

The community already recognizes the fact that the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution is a permanent organization for the promotion of patriotic work.

A prize of $5 is annually given to a student of the normal school for the best essay on the "Causes which led to the American Revolution."

This chapter has three real granddaughters, who are honorary members, and it is now raising money to be used for the preservation of several ancient and historical landmarks.

Lew. Wallace Chapter, at Albuquerque, was organized on February 22, with 14 members. Six additional names were added within a short time, making a total of 20 members within a month of its organization. It has grown rapidly during the year, and its influence is already apparent in this city, the metropolis of New Mexico.

The magazine of the society is subscribed for by a number of its members.

All patriotic anniversaries are observed by the daughters throughout the territory.

The Daughters of the American Revolution in New Mexico contributed $20 during this year toward the Continental Hall fund.

NEW YORK.

[Mrs. Charles A. Terry, *State Regent.*]

Adirondack Chapter reports having devoted the past year to the times and heroes of the civil war. The chapter made the following contributions:

Continental Hall fund	$25
Paul Revere Memorial Home	5
Markers for Franklin County Revolutionary soldiers' graves	20
Bed to the Sunshine Society	20

Amsterdam Chapter presented a flag to the Children's Home of Amsterdam, costing $12.50. Historical books were presented to the Free Library of Amsterdam, costing $40. A bookplate for marking the books given to the library, costing $36. To the Memorial Continental Hall fund contributed $5 and to the state utility fund $5. The chapter has monthly meetings of an interesting character.

Astenrogen Chapter has celebrated anniversaries of historical events; contributed to Memorial Continental Hall fund, $25; marked the graves of four Revolutionary soldiers, $14; furnished annually books for reading table in public library, $25.

Baron Steuben Chapter has contributed to Continental Hall $25. Prizes have been given for the best historical essays to pupils of Haveling High School, $10.

Benjamin Prescott Chapter has given to Memorial Continental Hall fund $101; to furnish bed in Brooks Memorial Hospital, at Dunkirk, N. Y., $25; placed markers on graves of Revolutionary soldiers and all remaining unmarked graves in the vicinity.

Blooming Grove Chapter, 27 members, has given two American history prizes to pupils in the graded schools in Monroe and Washingtonville in gold ($5 each), $10; to the Spanish-American War Nurses' Association for their memorial, $2; to American Monthly Magazine Public Library, $1. Meetings have been held each month, at which papers of an interesting historical character have been presented. Has contributed to Memorial Continental Hall $20.

Bronx Chapter reports encouraging progress. Nine meetings have been held where miscellaneous programmes were presented. Established an alcove in the children's room of the local library; presented a large flag to the public school; gave three prizes on historical subjects in eighth-year grade of public schools—instead of money giving watches; gave also to the Society for the Protection of Italian Immigrants $5, and contributed to the state utility fund. Edited a handsome calendar printed in colors and filled with quotations largely patriotic. Patriotic exercises held on Memorial Day at the soldiers' monument, and on July 4 participated in exercises held in the old East Chester Church.

Buffalo Chapter, membership 510, has continued its work of placing bronze markers at the graves of Revolutionary soldiers, 18 having been thus marked during the year in Niagara County since last report, at a cost of $117.

Following is a list of the 18 graves on which markers were placed since October, 1904:

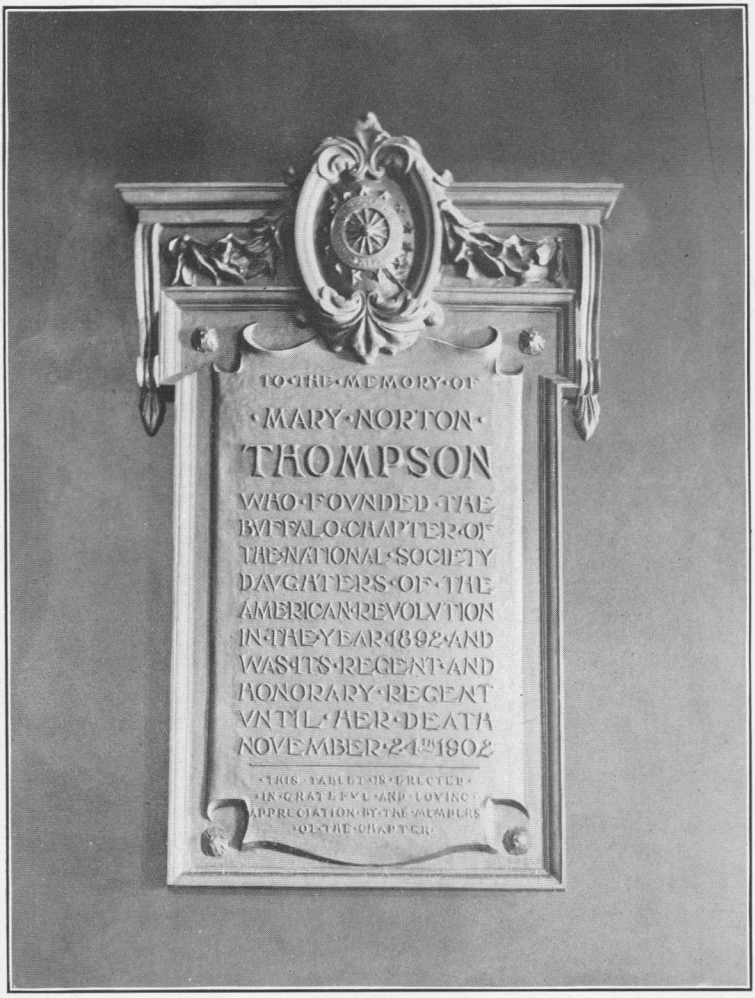
Thomas Treat, Griffin Mills, accepted by Mrs. Calkins, November 17, 1904.

Elias Bissell, Lancaster, accepted by Lancaster Daughters of the American Revolution, November 28, 1905.

George Thrasher, Somerset, accepted by J. T. Aldrich, August 10, 1905.

Noah Striland and William Thompson, Beach Ridge, August 24, 1905.

Theoplus Baker, William Hill, Solomon W. Bradley, Eden Center, August 31, 1905.



TABLET TO THE MEMORY OF MARY NORTON THOMPSON, ERECTED BY BUFFALO CHAPTER.

John Hamlin, Wilson, September 6, 1905.
Nathaniel Fairchild, Haris Hill, September 6, 1905.
Enoch Kellogg and John Cole, Wales, September 12, 1905.
Joel Adams and Alvin Burt, East Aurora, September 12, 1905.
Ormo Warner, Strykersville, accepted by Doctor Wooster, September 16, 1905.
Reuben Clark and Jonathan Rumery, Lockport, September 1, 1905.

The free lectures given on the history of our country, illustrated by stereopticon views, to the foreign population of our city—Poles, Italians, and Germans—have been continued, the large audiences being proof of the good accomplished and the interest aroused on the subject of the history of the country of their adoption. Five entirely new lectures have been written by members of our chapter during the past year, and several hundred new views purchased for illustrating them when presented. In literature and music we have been prominent this year and papers have been given by the chapter members at each meeting.

In presenting this report, the regent desires to mention especially the earnest interest shown by the members in every work undertaken by the chapter; to commend the beautiful spirit of harmony that prevails in every department, and to acknowledge with thanks the loyal support and encouragement given its regent by the noble women, members of the Buffalo Chapter.

The chapter has contributed the following to patriotic purposes:

Pledge for Continental Hall	$200
Regent's gift Continental Hall	100
For Revolutionary soldiers' markers	117
Lectures in settlements	231
Old folks' festival	388
Utility fund	25
Necessary chapter expenses	516
Patriotic and social interests	625
Regent's gift for Fairbanks portrait	25
Chapter's gift for Fairbanks portrait	25
Total	2,252

Camden Chapter, 74 members, reports having held nine meetings of a social, literary, and patriotic character. Contributed a copy of the Soldiers and Sailors of Massachusetts to be placed in the Daughters of the American Revolution

alcove of the public library, costing $4.50; also subscribed to the American Monthly Magazine to be placed in the alcove, $1; contributed to the Memorial Continental Hall fund $50 and to the Spanish-American war nurses fund $1; to other patriotic purposes, $2.50.

Catherine Schuyler Chapter contributed as usual to Continental Hall, $25; to utility fund, $7.50; eight gold medals to eight high schools in Allegany County for historical essays on American history, $80.

Cayuga Chapter, 65 members, has contributed to the Memorial Continental Hall fund and state utility fund.

Chemung Chapter, membership 104, has held seven regular meetings and two social functions.

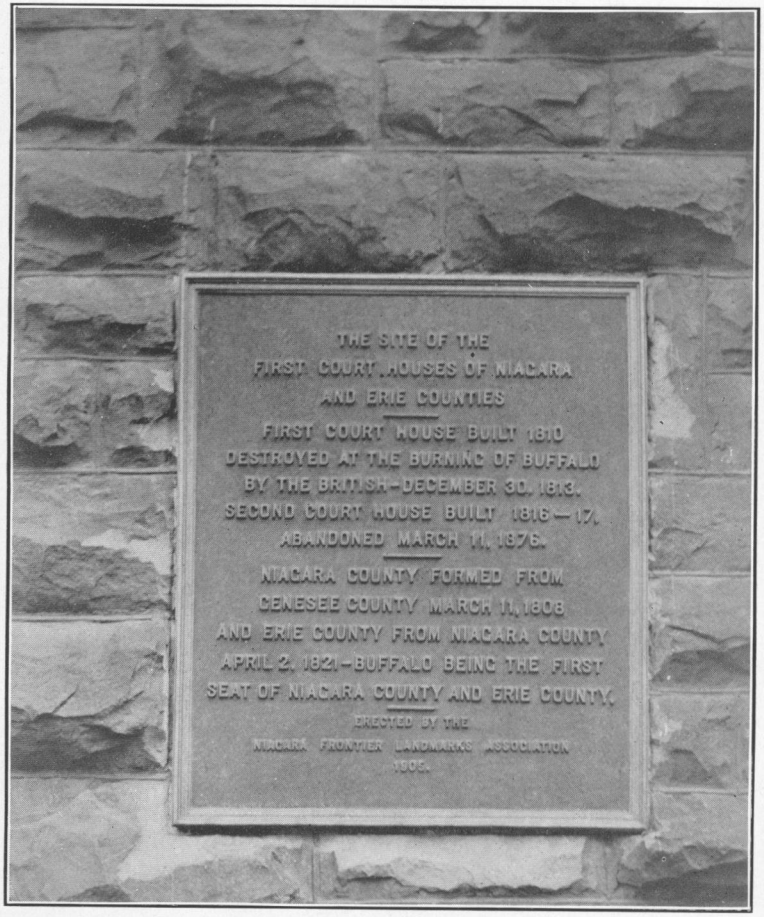
Prizes were awarded students of the high school for the best essays on American history, one of $10 and one of $5—$15. The chapter was represented at the fourteenth continental congress, and contributed to Memorial Continental Hall $15. The officers and members feel that the year has been one of encouragement and prosperity.

Cherry Valley Chapter placed a tablet to the memory of the Rev. Samuel Dunlop in the Presbyterian Church at Cherry Valley, August 18, 1904, but did not report it at that time. The tablet is a solid block of stationary marble, with suitable inscription. (See Plate 4.) Mr. Dunlop was one of the founders of Cherry Valley and gave it its name. He was the first pastor of the first church in the settlement, this church being the first English church established by English-speaking people in what was then western New York. He was also the first teacher of the first school in the place, this school being the first classical school organized west of the Hudson River. The chapter has contributed $15 to Memorial Continental Hall fund.

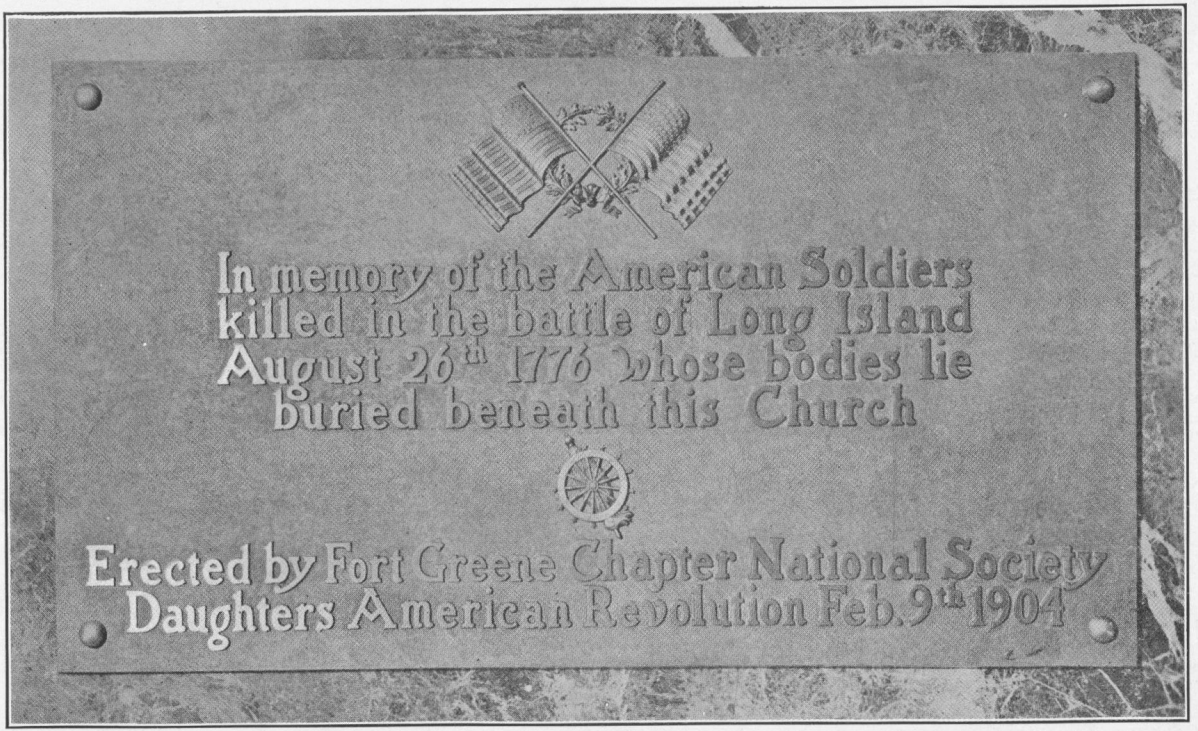
Colonel Marinus Willett Chapter organized with a membership of 21.

Deborah Champion Chapter, 85 members, has held meetings every month, which have been well attended, and the interest is not waning in patriotic work. The members observed Decoration Day with appropriate public services and marked six more Revolutionary graves in cemeteries in the surrounding country, having already marked all in the town. In June the town celebrated the centennial conjointly with the other

TABLET ERECTED TO THE MEMORY OF REV. SAMUEL DUNLOP BY THE CHERRY VALLEY CHAPTER, D. A. R.



TABLET ON THE SITE OF FIRST COURT-HOUSE OF NIAGARA AND ERIE COUNTIES, N. Y.



MEMORIAL TABLET UNVEILED AT THE TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE OLD DUTCH REFORMED CHURCH, FLATBUSH, LONG ISLAND, FEBRUARY, 1904.

Mrs. S. V. White, regent of the chapter, made the presentation speech and Rev. Dr. Cornelius L. Wells accepted for the church.

chapter of the county, which is the Le Ray de Chamont. A large booth containing precious colonial and Revolutionary relics proved a great attraction and was presided over by the members of the chapters for one week. Also loaned their copy of the Declaration of Independence and placed it in the high school. Contributed to the Memorial Continental Hall fund $25.

Deo-on-go-wa Chapter has the care of the old land office, a stone building, the furnishing of which has been reported. Great interest is manifested in this museum of relics, which is kept open to the public at a cost to the chapter of over $50. Contributed to the Memorial Continental Hall fund $20.

Fort Greene Chapter has been most active during the year; has held many business and social meetings of great interest. Has contributed to Memorial Continental Hall fund, $603; to state utility fund, $23.50; regents' expenses to continental congress, $50.50; to the American Flag Association, $13; flag for Italian settlement, $3.35. The work undertaken by this chapter now is that of patriotic education, and its interest is centered in the Italian immigrants.

Fort Oswego Chapter has 36 members. Its meetings have been of a literary character, including the study of Revolutionary history. Through the courtesy of Colonel and Mrs. John L. Mott the chapter gave a colonial tea, which was a delightful social event and added a substantial sum to the treasury. The chapter discovering more than a score of unmarked graves of Revolutionary soldiers, 13 of them in Fort Ontario, Fort Oswego Chapter has given a contract for the erection of a suitable monument to the memory of these dead patriots. Has contributed to the Memorial Hall fund $25 and to the state utility fund.

Fort Plain Chapter, 63 members, raised by a benefit entertainment a sum of money, one-third of which was turned over to the local library association after it was doubled by the state, and it purchased for the association a set of new International Encyclopedia and 21 volumes of the latest publications. Expended $100.

Fort Stanwix Chapter, 78 members, gave in May, 1904, two $10 prizes for the best oration and essay, to be competed for by the pupils of the two upper classes of Rome Free Academy. The subjects chosen were: Oration, "Boston Tea

Party;" essay, "Six Nations;" cost $10. The prize for the oration was awarded to Richard W. Williams, the prize for the essay to Emily Dorsey. In June a bronze tablet was erected, marking the Oneida carrying place, called De-o-Wainsta by the Indians. (See Plate 8.) This carry has formed the link between the waters of the north and the south, and was from early time an important strategic point. Has contributed to the Memorial Continental Hall fund and to the state utility fund.

Gansevoort Chapter, 100 members, has held many meetings of a social and business character, and several historic papers have been presented. The chapter contributed to the Memorial Continental Hall fund $400, and through the generosity of the regent another $100 was added, making in all $500.

General James Clinton Chapter has added materially to their fund for a marker on the "Old Continental Road" of the neighborhood, the same to be dedicated to the memory of Gen. James Clinton. The members have observed all patriotic anniversaries and gave two prizes to the public school for best historical essay, costing $5.

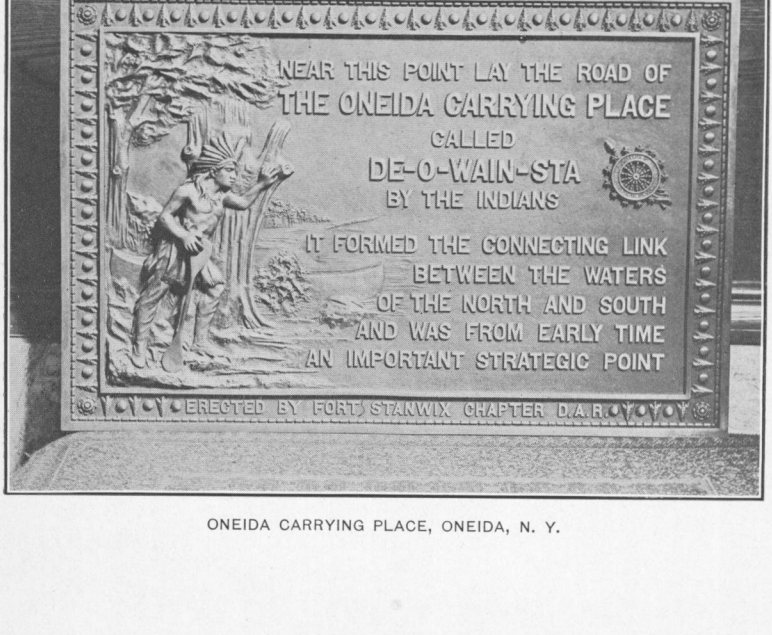
General Nicholas Herkimer Chapter, 58 members, earned during the year with fairs, suppers, thimble parties, etc., $1,196.67. Contributed to free library, $25; repairs on the old historic church at Herkimer, $54; adding to the Herkimer monument fund, $1,000, almost completing the fund of $1,500 required for base of statue of Gen. Nicholas Herkimer, to be presented to the village.

General Richard Montgomery Chapter, 56 members, has held many patriotic and literary meetings. Entertainments have been given from time to time for the double purpose of promoting sociability and increasing the financial strength of the chapter.

A yearly prize was given to the high school pupils for the best work in American history, and the cost of this was $25; also donated to the Memorial Continental Hall fund $25.

General William Floyd Chapter has 99 members. In July the usual midsummer meeting was held at Lake Otter. Contributed to Memorial Continental Hall fund $45; also gave prizes of $5 in gold for best two essays written on Revolutionary subjects by pupils of high school, $10.

Gouverneur Morris Chapter raised at a sale the sum of $43 and gave to a local charity $15, and the remainder was used



ONEIDA CARRYING PLACE, ONEIDA, N. Y.

to put in order the graves of several Revolutionary soldiers, $28; also gave a prize to the pupil of the high school for the best essay upon a given historical subject, $5.

Hendrick Hudson Chapter still reports continued work in all departments. It still maintains its beautiful chapter house, which is growing more and more a center of the life of our city. The museum has had many additions, some of the gifts having great historical value. The library, which is free to the public, has grown to number 5,000 volumes, the circulation last year being 16,500. A well-supplied reading room is a greatly appreciated part of this work. Contributions have been made to Continental Hall and to the state utility fund. The chapter was represented at the continental congress and the state conference. Regular monthly meetings have been held, the large attendance speaking well for their interest. September 16, the tenth chapter day, was celebrated, being honored by the presence of Mrs. Terry, state regent, who made a stirring patriotic address.

Irondequoit Chapter, 324 members, has observed anniversaries of Revolutionary events and held many interesting meetings. Civic work is a special feature of this chapter. Contributed to Memorial Continental Hall, $100.

Israel Harris Chapter has held patriotic meetings and contributed to Memorial Continental Hall $10.

James Madison Chapter, 48 members, on Memorial Day decorated the graves of 17 Revolutionary soldiers. The Carr dishes, plowed up three years ago after having been buried one hundred and eight years, were on exhibition by the chapter. These dishes were buried in Revolutionary times by Percifer Carr. Mr. Carr was agent for Col. Robert Edmeston, to whom King Charles III made a grant of 10,000 acres of land for meritorious service in the French and Indian war from 1754 to 1763. Colonel Edmeston sent Carr to settle on the tract in 1770. The Oneida Indians were friendly with the colonies and at war with the Mohawk Indians. The latter were allies with the British and had received supplies from Carr's plantation, which had been their most favorite hunting ground. They evidently had a double purpose in making a raid upon Carr's estate. They killed the servants and cattle, burned his buildings, and carried himself and wife captive to Canada. At the close of the Revolution they were liberated, and

returned to their farm to find it overgrown with briars and brush and all traces of their treasures, buried before being captured, obliterated. The first find of any importance was these dishes, discovered in March, 1903. It is safe to say that this collection nowhere can be duplicated.

Secured a block of wood from one of the old beams of the old Senate House in Kingston, from which a gavel for the chapter has been made.

The pupil passing the highest examination in United States history in the high school was presented with books costing $5. A large flag on a standard was presented to the kindergarten and primary department; cost, $5.

Jamestown Chapter has contributed to Memorial Continental Hall $200; also a prize for the best essay written by girls in the high school on the subject, "The service rendered by the French during the Revolution;" cost, $10. To the girls in preparatory academic department who should stand highest in United States history, $5.

Jane McCrea Chapter has held many interesting meetings and secured valuable relics—section of the tree under which Burgoyne signed the articles of capitulation; an utensil for domestic use by the Indians from the home where Jane McCrea was visiting at the time of the massacre; a section of the tree under which she stood when tomahawked. The regent gave a prize which was competed for by the pupils of the collegiate institute in Port Edward; cost, $5. The chapter gave to Memorial Continental Hall $100.

Johnstown Chapter, 41 members. This chapter has contributed to Memorial Hall fund and to the state utility fund, and has for its work the care and restoration of an old colonial cemetery. The chapter also presented to the public library of Johnstown our national flag, costing $15.

Kanisteo Valley Chapter has 78 members. As its patriotic work the chapter contributed the entire amount received from chapter dues to Continental Hall, $64.

The chapter has also had printed and distributed to the other chapters throughout the state copies of the state law relating to the care of abandoned and country cemeteries by town boards. This law was enacted by a two-thirds vote of the legislature and signed by the governor April, 1901, but its existence as a statute seems to have been generally unknown

or overlooked. It is confidently expected that this action of the chapter will lead to the betterment of the present condition of pioneer and rural burying grounds generally, as well as being of special assistance to the Daughters of the American Revolution chapters in their efforts to reclaim and restore the forgotten and neglected resting places of our patriotic dead.

Roll of honor of the Kanisteo Valley Chapter which has not been printed, except in the chapter yearbook.

Colonels: Arthur Erwin, James Frye, Hanyost Herkimer, sr., John Taylor.

Lieutenant-colonels: Benjamin Birdsall, Jacob Ford, jr.

Lieutenant-master: Andrew Morris.

Major: Enos Clapsaddle.

Sergeant-major: John Stedman.

Fife-major: Timothy Doty.

Captains: Storm Becker, Peter S. Dygert, Conrad Folts, Henry Godwin, Zachariah Hungerford, John Jamison, Abraham Lewis, jr., Stephen Matthews, William Simonds.

Lieutenants: Johannes Bouck, Samuel Bull, William Clapsaddle, Daniel Denniston, Bethuel Farrand, Jacob Folts, Roswell Franklin, Hanyost Petrie, jr., George Philip, Leonard Proctor, Thomas Steadman, Jedediah Stephens, Gideon Walker.

Sergeants: Elijah Buck, Timothy Culver, Daniel Dennison, Timothy Hall, John Ryder.

Corporal: Joseph Blood.

Physician: David Jones.

Civil officers: Samuel Crafts, John Hurlbut, sr.

Patriot women: Martha Jackson Bennett, Rhoda Smith Farrand.

Privates: Reuben Allen, Jonathan Atwood, David Ayres, Jeremiah Baker, sr., Dayid Bangs, Enoch Bangs, William Barnes, Thomas Bennett, Solomon Bennett, Jonathan Burr, Isaac Chapel, Enoch Chapin, Abiel Cole, Nehemiah Closson, Samuel Crafts, Moses Dennis, Levi Doty, Ezra Downer, Edward Downes, Warner Dygert, Jacob Failing, Philip Failing, Amos Francis, Reubin Gates, Josiah Griswold, Ebenezer Grover, Nathan Hallett, Eleazar Hamlin, Olive Harding, Richard Hathaway, John Hurlbut, sr., Benjamin Jones, Thomas Keeney, Alexander Kirkpatrick, John Lathrop, Robert Manning, Martin Murphy, John Nicholls, sr., Frederick Oyer (Eigher), Ebenezer Patchin, Elnathan Perkins, David Pearce, John Pierce, Daniel Pierce, Joshua Ransom, Lawrence Rinkle (Wrankle), Philip Rounseville, Timothy Ryder, Christopher Robinson, David Scott, Samuel Sedgwick, sr., Daniel Smith, John Smith, Solomon Smith, John Stephens, Uriah Stephens, jr., Moses Stickney, Simon Stickney, John Stoddard, Lot Swift, Daniel Townsend, Barzaleel Washburn, Paul Wetherbee, Daniel Wetherbee, Solomon Wilson, Jonathan Wilson, Samuel Wood, Samuel Woodworth, Michael Widrig, Jacob Widrig.

Kayendatsyona Chapter has given to Memorial Continental Hall, $10; to utility fund, $3; high school students' prizes for highest standing in history, $6; presented to city hospital a clock, $30; placed patriotic paper and American Monthly Magazine in library, $2; located graves of 24 Revolutionary soldiers.

Keskeskick Chapter, 108 members, still continues its educational work along the same lines; two prizes are given for the best essay on some topic from American history, and the prizes are gilt and enamel pins, costing $10. Has contributed $75 to Memorial Continental Hall fund.

Knickerbocker Chapter, 100 members. Educational work includes placing of a framed facsimile of the Declaration of Independence in St. Mary's School, in New York City, and the forwarding of six framed facsimilies of the instrument to the Morgantown Mission, North Carolina, in response to application for same. Has contributed $50 to Memorial Continental Hall fund.

Le Ray de Chamont Chapter, in November, 1904, took possession of its new home, a room specially designed and furnished for its use in the Flower Memorial Library, Watertown, N. Y., by Mrs. Emma Flower Taylor, daughter of the late Governor Flower and member of the chapter.

School prizes for historical essays were given as in previous years. Three bronze markers for graves of Revolutionary soldiers were added to those already placed, costing $20. The chapter also gave to Continental Hall $30.

In June, 1905, the centennial of the founding of Jefferson County was celebrated at Watertown. Le Ray de Chamont Chapter took a prominent part in the exercises of the week.

Mahwenawasigh Chapter, 89 members, has adopted for its general topic in social and literary meetings "New York state in the Revolution," and many able speakers were secured for this purpose.

Two prizes were given for the best essays on the Louisiana purchase; cost, $7.50. Contributed to Continental Hall, $50, and to the care of the Clinton Museum, having to spend in repairs, $200.

Manhattan Chapter, on April 6, 1905, gave a Shakesperian entertainment to raise a fund for Memorial Continental Hall, realizing $100.

Mary Washington Colonial Chapter has contributed most generously to all patriotic work, supporting annually four city history classes, at a cost of $100. Tablet commemorating Whitehall Ferry, $114; contributed to mission, $25; Flag Association, $25; to Memorial Continental Hall, $360.

Mary Weed Marvin Chapter, 40 members, observed Washington's birthday and other patriotic anniversaries with suitable exercises, and has contributed $25 to Memorial Continental Hall.

Melzingah Chapter placed upon the old mill at Brinkerhoff a tablet with the following inscription:

Star Mill
Built by Abram Brinkerhoff,
Burnt about 1777.
Rebuilt by order of George Washington, while the soldiers were encamped at Fishkill.
Placed by Melzingah Chapter.

Appropriate exercises were observed at the unveiling of the tablet by the state regent, Mrs. Charles H. Terry, and many other guests were present at this chapter-day celebration. The chapter contributed to the Continental Hall fund $20.

Minisink Chapter, 64 members, offered prizes to students of the high school for an essay on "Was Washington greater as a statesman or as a soldier," $5, and contributed to Memorial Continental Hall $50.

Mohawk Chapter is working to increase its valuable collection of colonial and Revolutionary relics. On chapter day many such gifts were received, and addresses made by distinguished people, notably one by Mrs. Daniel Manning, a member, and also honorary president-general. Contributed to Continental Hall $200.

Mohawk Valley Chapter paid share in the restoration of Old Fort Herkimer Church, $54; contributed to soldiers' monument fund, $50; contributed to library fund, $25.

Mohegan Chapter has for its principal work village improvement. It has also contributed to Continental Hall fund $25. Three barrels of books have been sent to the life-saving stations.

Monroe Chapter, 49 members, has contributed to Continental Hall fund the sum of $25. The chapter undertook to locate and mark the graves of Revolutionary soldiers in towns of

Sweden, Clarkson, and Hamlin. Five were located, upon the headstones of which the inscription was placed "Revolutionary Soldier," costing $3. This chapter has contributed to the utility fund $5.

Nathaniel Woodhull Chapter presented prizes to pupils of the Morris High School, New York City, for the best essay on a patriotic subject, $5; contributed also to the Continental Hall fund $25.

New York City Chapter has completed and presented to Barnard College the "Mrs. Donald McLean scholarship," founded in perpetuity. This has been previously reported, and the sum of $1,000 recorded. In its completion, money expended, $2,000; total cost, $3,000. Also contributed to Memorial Continental Hall fund $1,200.

Olean Chapter, 119 members, has awarded an annual prize for the best essay presented by pupils of the public schools on historical subjects, costing $20; contributed for Continental Hall, $50; testimonial to president-general, Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks, $50.

Ondawa-Cambridge Chapter, 62 members, marked the graves of 7 Revolutionary soldiers by cutting the words "Revolutionary Soldier" in the headstone; 63 were thus marked last year, but not reported. This now makes 70 marked by the chapter, and Memorial Day these were decorated by the chapter with flags. This chapter has also an alcove in the new library, to which the members have contributed a set of library books (22 volumes); also facsimile of the Declaration of Independence, framed and hanging in the library. It has contributed $25 to Memorial Continental Hall fund.

Oneida Chapter gave the annual prize money for essays upon historical subjects to public school pupils, $50; also spent the sum of $62.50 in placing bronze markers on 11 graves of Revolutionary soldiers. Mrs. Brainerd, a member of the chapter, paid for 5 additional markers, which were placed by the chapter, costing $28.40; to the war nurse association, $1; to Memorial Continental Hall, $200.

Oneonta Chapter, 28 members, has contributed to Continental Hall fund and to the state utility fund.

Onondaga Chapter has 143 members. The most important events of the year were the incorporation of the chapter and the passage of a bill granting to the chapter the site of the

old arsenal just outside the city. The observance of Patriotic Day at the state fair, September 16, when a programme was given in the woman's building by the Daughters of the American Revolution, presided over by the state regent, Mrs. Charles H. Terry, contributed to by the vice-president-general of New York, regent and members of Onondaga Chapter, and other chapter members. The state conference was held, upon invitation of Onondaga Chapter, at Syracuse, September 27 and 28.

The chapter has contributed as follows: To Continental Hall fund, $100; to New York state room, $50; prizes, best essays on historic subjects, students of the Syracuse University, $25; students in grammar school, first prize, gold, $10; students in grammar school, second prize, gold, $5; birthday gift to real daughter (member), $25.

Ontario Chapter is small and young, but most enthusiastic and patriotic; contributed to Continental Hall fund $15.

Onwentsia Chapter has 28 members. The principal work of this chapter has been caring for the cemetery, and the sum expended on it this year was $150; contributed to Continental Hall fund $25.

Otsego Chapter gave a prize to pupil in public school writing best essay on historical subject, $5.

Owahgena Chapter has contributed to what it considers the most important work of our society, building Memorial Continental Hall, $30.

Owasco Chapter, with 37 members, has added the six last lineage books to the collection for the chapter.

Patterson Chapter has 46 members. Work of this chapter has been improving an old cemetery, $12.40. Two prizes have been given to students of the high school on an historic subject, $15; contributed to Memorial Continental Hall, $60, and to Mrs. Damon, the last widow of the war of the Revolution.

Philip Schuyler Chapter, with 63 members, has presented three schools with the familiar historic pictures of Washington crossing the Delaware, all framed in dark oak, having a bronze plate bearing date and name of chapter. Has contributed to Continental Hall fund the sum of $50. Sent copy of history of Troy and vicinity to Daughters of American Revolution library, Washington, D. C.

Quassaic Chapter contributed to Memorial Continental Hall $25.

St. Johnsville Chapter, 33 members, gives a gold prize to the school having the highest rating in American history, $5. The chapter has marked the Klock battlefield, and date of that battle has been selected for chapter day.

Sa-go-ye-wat-ha Chapter, 57 members, has contributed to Memorial Continental Hall fund and to the state utility fund.

Saranac Chapter has contributed to the Continental Hall fund $25.

Saratoga Chapter has contributed to Continental Hall fund $75; to furnishing and decorating state room, $80. Has placed markers on the road to the battle ground.

The legislature was memorialized by this chapter to authorize the purchase of the Saratoga battle ground for a national park. The measure passed both houses, but Governor Higgins refused to sign it.

Saugerties Chapter, 40 members, has contributed to Continental Hall fund $30. Decorated on Memorial Day graves of 70 Revolutionary soldiers.

Seneca Chapter, 28 members, has contributed to the Continental Hall fund $35; contributed to the local public library $150, large American flag, costing $5, and a water-color, $8.50.

Silas Town Chapter has 20 members, and contributed to Memorial Continental Hall fund; also to the state utility fund.

Skenandoah Chapter, 91 members, has marked the graves of 2 Revolutionary soldiers. The chapter gave four historical engravings to the high school and three grammar schools, respectively, of Oneida, and contributed to the Continental Hall fund $51.

Sleepy Hollow Chapter has a membership of 15, and contributed to Continental Hall fund and to the state utility fund.

Swekatsi Chapter, 72 members, reported last year having contributed $400 for a monument to commemorate the heroes of the civil war. The chapter concludes the report this year with the interesting bit of information that a member of the chapter designed the monument. A ball was given by the

chapter, and proceeds, $150, given to the public library for the purpose of establishing a children's room expressly for their use. This has been done, and an annual gift to procure Youth's Companion and kindred publications $10; annual donation to the fourth ward, also a flag to the library, $15; to the reading room, which is some distance from the public library, $10. Amount subscribed to Continental Hall fund $67; making total amount for patriotic purposes of $252.

Tioughnioga Chapter, 58 members and a real daughter, has given two prizes to a boy and girl pupil in the Cortland High School who shall write the best essay upon an assigned historical subject, $5.

This chapter has contributed to Memorial Continental Hall fund $25.

Tuscarora Chapter has contributed to Continental Hall fund, for double doors in auditorium, $100; lineage books bound and placed in the public library at a cost of $25; a facsimile of the Declaration of Independence suitably framed and placed in the children's room of the public library; a large beautiful flag was presented to the Mountain Sanitarium of Binghamton. Two prizes were awarded on Memorial Day for the two best essays written by high school students upon subjects relating to the Revolutionary war, $25.

Washington Heights Chapter has suitably celebrated several historic days, marking historic events, and contributed to Continental Hall fund.

West Point Chapter, 16 members, has for its special object the repairing and keeping in order the Revolutionary and other flags at West Point, the Government having made no provision for this. The chapter contributed to Memorial Continental Hall fund in 1903, which has not been previously reported, $60.

White Plains Chapter has 34 members. On June 14, Flag Day, the chapter gave a colonial tea, on which occasion the president-general, Mrs. Donald McLean, was present and gave an address. The proceeds of this affair, amounting to $135, will be devoted to the erection of a memorial on the site where the Declaration of Independence was ratified.

October 11, 1905, a musicale was given in the county for the purpose of increasing the fund, and the result was $570.

Willard's Mountain Chapter, 34 members. An annual prize was offered to the high school pupil passing the best examination in United States history at the June regents' examination, $5.

Wiltwyck Chapter, 150 members. This chapter's work during the past year is replete with patriotism. It entertained the state conference with the representatives of 58 chapters for two days, entertaining them at the first state capitol in Kingston, also at that house in Husley which was for a few weeks (after the burning of Kingston by the British) occupied as the state capitol and where the archives were conveyed for safety.

A prize was presented to student in public school for best essay on "The importance of the Hudson River in Revolutionary times," $10; contributed to Memorial Continental Hall, $100; to utility fund, $15. Lectures given to students of high school on Flag Day.

Women of '76 Chapter gave an entertainment in April, when Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam, and Hannah the Quakeress, a story of the Revolution, were illustrated with tableaux, and the proceeds, amounting to $50, were contributed to Continental Hall fund.

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[Mrs. J. L. Botsford, *State Regent.*]

Catharine Green Chapter sent a contribution of $6.75 to the state fund, and a prize of $5 in gold was given for the best essay on "The crisis in American history," written by pupils in the township high school.

Cincinnati Chapter has been successful both in regard to the active work undertaken and in the interest displayed at our regular meetings. A spirit of cooperation and cordiality has been manifested. Our boys' clubs, the Children of the Republic, are improving every year. There will be five clubs in active work this season. At a mass meeting of the clubs in April several prominent citizens made addresses and a few boys also took part in the programme. In May these 60 boys spent two days at the "Fresh Air Home" in the country. In the autumn the clubs enjoyed an excursion to a historic landmark, the tomb of Gen. William Henry Harrison, at North Bend, Ohio.

The attention of our chapter was called to the juvenile court in our city, and we donated $25 for a probationary officer in connection with this court. The suggestion originated with our regent, Mrs. Gray, that each member of the state give $1 to the fund of $1,500 to be raised for the completion of the Ohio room in Memorial Continental Hall.

Colonel George Croghan Chapter now has a membership of 64. We have a civic committee whose duty it is to encourage patriotism and love of country in our youth. Through this committee the chapter bestows a prize of $10 in gold for the best essay on civic patriotism written by the pupils of the higher grades in the public schools. Our work for this year has already begun and promises to be of great interest.

Col. Jonathan Bayard Smith Chapter numbers 27 members. In 1904 the chapter offered two cash prizes in gold to the freshman class of the Middletown High School for the best essays on "Franklin the patriot." These prizes were awarded the early part of 1905. At the same time we gave to each of four pupils a copy of Ohio History Sketches for well-prepared essays on the same subjects. In 1904 we contributed $24.50 to the Memorial Continental Hall fund.

Columbus Chapter celebrated its sixth anniversary December 13 with a membership of 106. First in order of importance in our work comes the unveiling by the chapter June 28, 1904, of the peace memorial marking a historic spot of great importance in the history of Ohio, which effort has been crowned by the approval of historians, genealogists, and librarians all over the country. Illustrated accounts of the occasion were published in the Ohio Archæological and Historical Quarterly. In addition it was made the subject of a special article in the Archæological and Historical Quarterly by Col. E. E. Taylor, with reprints for special distribution. The brochure published at the time, containing the proceedings, has been widely distributed among the Daughters of the American Revolution and the libraries of the country.

The chapter committee on patriotism has directed its efforts toward the establishment of a juvenile court in Columbus. Interviews leading to this end were held with Judge Black, of the probate court, Judge Wildermuth, of the police court, and the judges of the court of common pleas. The cooperation of the press was also secured. Arrangements

were made with Judge Benjamin B. Lindsay, of Denver, Colo., who is known as the "Father of Juvenile Courts," for a lecture to the citizens of Columbus. By the courtesy of the board of trade their auditorium was secured and on the 16th of February, 1905, Judge Lindsay addressed a large and appreciative audience. On the 17th of February, 1905, the first juvenile court was convened, Judge Black presiding.

The "flag committee" by authority of the chapter, purchased a large flag, which is displayed at every meeting.

The programme for the year has continued the "Tales of a Grandfather," and through them the members of the chapter have been made still further acquainted with the lineages and Revolutionary services of their ancestors. The chapter sent to the Commodore Perry Chapter of Memphis, Tenn., a doll for the bazaar given by that chapter for the purpose of securing funds for the erection of a monument to the memory of the daughter of Patrick Henry.

Thirteen dollars and ninety-five cents were sent to the state treasurer for conference expenses.

Twenty-five dollars were contributed to Memorial Continental Hall by the chapter, and $25 by the regent, a total of $50 from the chapter.

Cuyahoga Portage Chapter has quietly and steadily been growing in numbers and interest, 60 members being now enrolled. One of our members, Mrs. Franz, is compiling a history of Revolutionary soldiers in Summit County, and through her efforts a number of Revolutionary soldiers' graves have been located. Two lineage books have been placed in the public library. The chapter was invited to arrange a programme for the placing of an Indian monument on the famous Indian portage, at the intersection of West Market street, on the Fourth of July. We called to our assistance the Sons of the Revolution and some of our best orators and arranged a fine patriotic programme. The chapter has been handicapped in its work this year by losing all its funds in a bank that failed, but we sent our state dues, $8.85, to the state treasurer. One dollar was given, as requested, toward the monument for Spanish-American war nurses in Arlington Cemetery, and we have pledged $25 toward the Ohio room in Memorial Continental Hall

Elizabeth Sherman Reese Chapter has a membership of 27. We are still working for our hospital, the last entertainment netting us $60. Our next plan is to give a public euchre party in one of our large halls and divide the proceeds between hospital, Memorial Hall, and the Ohio room. At our June meeting the Misses Mumaugh presented to our chapter a large flag as a memorial for their mother. At the last continental congress we donated $10 to Memorial Hall and $5 for the testimonial fund.

Fort Findlay Chapter has had as the subject of study for the year "A century of progress." On Memorial Day we presented a flag to Company A, Second Regiment Ohio National Guard. Our state dues were promptly paid and we sent $10 to Continental Hall fund, each member contributing 25 cents.

Fort McArthur Chapter numbers 21 members. This year's subject of study is "Battles of the Revolutionary war." Twenty-seven books sent to the chapter from the Ohio State Library have been the source of much inspiration during the year. In June a gold medal was offered by the chapter to the Kenton public schools for eighth-grade excellence in United States history. The award was made after a competitive examination to Master Berkely Henderson. Four dollars has been contributed to Memorial Continental Hall fund, $3.15 to the state fund, $1 to the Nurses' Monument Association, and a handsomely dressed doll to the Commodore Perry Chapter, Memphis, Tenn.

During the year a strong Children of the American Revolution Society, of two divisions, senior and junior, has been organized by Mrs. Woodward, their special work being local civic improvement. Our charter now hangs over our special section of shelves in the Kenton Public Library, and we have placed ten historical and genealogical books beneath it, as the nucleus of our future historical and genealogical collection, besides donating $20 to the general book fund of the library.

George Clinton Chapter has been engaged in the study of colonial history. We are still actively engaged in library work, though the furnishing of the Andrew Carnegie Library, commenced a year ago, has been completed. On Memorial Day the decoration of the several graves of Revolutionary soldiers in the country was attended to, among them being

Captain Perrott, buried within the corporate limits of Wilmington.

The treasurer's report shows $10 for the Continental Hall fund, $1 additional from the sale of pictures of the same, and $1 toward memorial tablet to nurses during Spanish-American war.

Jonathan Dayton Chapter awarded two prizes to the junior class of the high school for competitive essays on the Lewis and Clark Exposition. On Memorial Day we held commemoratory exercises at the grave of Alexander Simpson, and placed flowers on the graves of the Revolutionary soldiers buried in Woodland Cemetery. In June our chapter was invited by the Miami Chapter to be present at the ceremonies marking a historic site. On the 4th of July we had an open meeting at the residence of Mrs. Hawes. The September meeting was held in the historic log cabin which marks the site of the landing of the first settlers. Our membership numbers 41.

Joseph Spencer Chapter has 45 members. Flag Day was observed with appropriate exercises.

Lagonda Chapter numbers 52 members. The chapter's new house in the historical building was personally opened November, 1904. Washington's Birthday was celebrated with a colonial party, to raise a sum for Continental Hall, at the home of the regent. The guests were in colonial costume. Thirty-five dollars were sent to Continental Hall fund and $5 to Ohio alcove in Manila library.

Mahoning Chapter. The seventh annual state conference met in Youngstown in October and was honored by the presence of the president-general of the national society.

Marietta Chapter is a band of 14 enthusiastic descendants of Revolutionary soldiers. As Marietta has the distinction of having more Revolutionary officers buried in her Mound Cemetery than any other cemetery in the United States, it seems fitting that our chapter erect a monument to those patriots who made Ohio. Steps were immediately taken toward that end, and the result of our first effort was $15, which constitutes our memorial nest egg. We have decided to erect a drinking fountain in Mound Cemetery and have outlined plans to increase our fund. Our other work of

importance is the leasing of the Block House, the home of Gen. Rufus Putnam, for our chapter house. A part of this house was built in 1778. It was not completed until after the Indian war, and was General Putnam's home until his death, in 1824. From this home hospitality was extended to every person of note who visited early Marietta. We hope in time to refurnish the rooms in the furniture of its day. This past summer we had frequent rag sewings for our rag-carpet rugs. White hand-made curtains are hung in four rooms, and the present furnishings consist of a mahogany table which belonged to Governor Meigs, presented to the chapter by the present owner of the house, Miss Minerva Tupper Nye, a beautiful old spinning wheel, an early wooden cradle, a pair of very old andirons, a cherry desk, one split-bottom chair, and an iron pot which was brought over the mountains by the early Hildreth family. We hope soon to have our house-warming, when we will have a loan exhibition of antiques, charge admission, and thereby increase our Memorial Hall fund. Our pledge to the latter fund of $10 and $25 to the Ohio room is not large but gladly given.

Mary Washington Chapter has 25 members. The regular meetings of the year have been well attended and an interesting programme given. The study for the present year is the "Early history of Richland County."

Miami Chapter has 18 members. We celebrated Flag Day by the dedication of a memorial stone on the site of the first fort built in Miami County. This is a huge gray granite bowlder, placed on a cement foundation, and imbedded in one side is a panel of Italian marble appropriately lettered. The occasion was honored by a large assembly of people who were entertained with patriotic music and a historic address. Further work of the year has been our continued efforts in locating Revolutionary soldiers' graves, and, with our sister chapter in the county, we have the names of 22. For these we have petitioned for and received the bronze markers from the Navy Department at Washington, and have already a part of them placed. Since sending in the names we have two more to add to the roll of honor.

Muskingum Chapter gave an entertainment last year for the benefit of the Helen Purcell Home for Aged Women, Miss.

Anne Virginia Culbertson donating and presenting her lecture on "Notable Colonial Dames," illustrated by a rare collection of stereopticon views.

Mount Sterling Chapter meets the second Monday in each month. Our yearbook contains work on Revolutionary persons and places. We have arranged to place a bronze tablet upon the grave of every Revolutionary soldier in Madison County.

Nathaniel Massie Chapter now has 24 members. We have contributed $15 to Continental Hall and $1 to monument for nurses in Spanish-American war during the year.

New Connecticut Chapter has a membership of 40, two of whom, Mrs. Susan Murphy Truby and Mrs. Abigail Potter Heaslett, are real daughters. Within the past year the chapter has continued its hospital work. Mrs. Lloyd Wyman, former regent, is at present doing a valued work as chairman of the committee for marking graves of Revolutionary soldiers. Arrangements are being made to obtain the markers free of cost, as provided by the Government. Mrs. Wyman's report, published in book form, is valuable, and is sought by many from distant parts of the United States and from Canada. Last Memorial Day the graves of Revolutionary soldiers were marked by a committee of the Daughters of the American Revolution with wreaths and flags.

In the past year $40 were given to Memorial Continental Hall, $1 to Spanish-American war nurses' memorial, and a special contribution of $5 for library purposes. Mr. Beidler, Representative in Congress from this district, has given two more volumes of the Smithsonian reports. Another valuable patriotic work, "Patriot Daughters of Connecticut," has been received and placed with the lineage books upon the Daughters of the American Revolution shelves in the Morley Free Public Library. Patriotic lectures are being planned, as so many Finns live in Fairport near Painesville. The pastor of the Finnish Church will aid in translating the lectures.

Piqua Chapter has 25 members. Flag Day was celebrated in the spacious home of Mrs. Stanhope Boal, where nine years ago the chapter was organized. A programme was rendered consisting of patriotic music, readings, and addresses.

This chapter inaugurated the first movement toward obtaining the official bronze marker for the graves of Revolutionary

soldiers buried in Ohio. Twenty-one bronze markers have been placed in Miami County.

Our chapter now has in view the placing of a bronze tablet on the Col. John Johnson Indian agency house—a most important historical location near our city, and one well known throughout the state.

Urbana Chapter added 4 new members during the year. In July our city celebrated its one hundredth anniversary and our chapter took quite a prominent part in preparing the programme.

Wah-wil-o-way Chapter numbers 22 members. During the past four years we have been interested in locating the graves of Revolutionary soldiers buried in Highland County, have succeeded in finding thirty-three, and expect in the near future to erect a memorial which will be an honor to their memories.

Wauseon Chapter has just entered its third year, with a membership of 37. We have asked for any information regarding the burial of any Revolutionary soldiers, also have awarded a prize for the best historical essay written by a student in our high school. We have an alcove assigned to us in our new Carnegie Library, which will soon be completed, and it will be our aim to place there such reading material as will arouse more patriotism in our community.

Western Reserve Chapter closes the year with a membership of a round 300. The programme of the year was a study of "Our Territorial Acquisitions," ranging from Alaska to the Philippines. Among the notable features of the year were the addresses of Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee on the Red Cross work in the Japanese army and Dr. Elroy M. Avery on the Philippines, which were delivered in the home of our national vice-president-general, Mrs. O. J. Hodge. The treasurer reports all dues paid and a balance of several hundred dollars in the treasury. The college lectures given under the auspices of this chapter at The Woman's College were delivered by Miss Mary Worstell on "Quebec" and "Nathanael Greene," and were full of interest. The Needlework Guild branch filled its section of more than 200 garments. The work of patriotism in the public schools received a strong impetus under the leadership of Mrs. Mary C. Whittiker. Twenty pictures costing $60 were awarded to twenty grammar schools of the eighth grade for the best average of essays on patriotic

subjects, and the intelligence, enthusiasm, and historical information developed by this method were well worth the eight months' labor of the chairman. The patriotic stereopticon lectures to foreigners were well attended.

Wooster Chapter has done some work this year, having offered a prize for the best essay of a public school pupil on the subject "Gen. David Wooster." We also sold seeds at 1 cent a package, and offered three prizes for the best flowers.

PENNSYLVANIA.

[Mrs. Alexander Ennis Patton, *State Regent.*]

The state conference in Reading, October 11, 1905, was held in the beautiful building of the Rajah Temple. We had a most successful and interesting conference, and were fortunate enough to have with us Miss Mary Desha, one of the founders of the society.

With few exceptions Pennsylvania chapters have given prizes in the colleges and public schools for best historical papers on subjects given them by the different chapters.

The Julia K. Hogg testimonial committee reported the payment of $50 to Miss Annie C. Clauder, of Bryn Mawr, who was the successful competitor for the prize.

The William Penn bas-relief committee reported that on Tuesday afternoon, April 25, 1905, a bronze bas-relief portrait of William Penn, the gift of the Daughters of the American Revolution in this state, was presented to the U. S. cruiser *Pennsylvania* at League Island.

Mrs. Sidler, regent of Sunbury Chapter, made an address, and moved that the purchase of Fort Augusta be considered and a committee be appointed to take action on the purchase, as every daughter in the state is most anxious to preserve this historical spot.

The completion of our Memorial Continental Hall at Washington was discussed and great interest shown by all chapters.

Mrs. Patton, state regent, read a paper suggesting that as Pennsylvania had signified her intention of specially finishing some portion of the building she thought a splendid opportunity was given the daughters in Pennsylvania to finish the front vestibule, which would cost when completed $6,500. This was met with enthusiasm on the part of all present, and

it was decided to assume the finishing of the front vestibule in the hall.

Mrs. Keim, regent of Berks County Chapter, followed with an able address on the subject of the architecture.

Mrs. Robert Iredell, regent of Liberty Bell Chapter, presented a resolution regarding the grounds, which was accepted.

Mrs. F. H. Getchell, vice-regent of the Philadelphia Chapter, presented the bill passed by the legislature appropriating $2,000 for the Pennsylvania column to be placed in Memorial Continental Hall, representing Pennsylvania as one of the thirteen original states.

The Phoebe Bayard Chapter, of Greensburg, presented a motion that a committee be appointed by the state regent to consider a memorial to be placed in Memorial Continental Hall to Arthur St. Clair, major-general of the Revolution.

The Quaker City Chapter "the adoption of some suitable marker for Revolutionary graves."

Miss Mickley, state vice-regent, announced that the state had been given a piece of wood from the Molly Pitcher house at Carlisle and suggested that it be placed in the state gavel, and that the gavel itself be suitably marked.

Mrs. Cox, of Liberty Bell Chapter, read a very interesting account of her ancestor, the Revolutionary colonel, David Morgan, of Morgantown. Her remarks were supplemented by Mrs. H. C. Pennypacker, Chester County, who is also a descendant.

Mrs. Patton spoke of the souvenir teaspoon authorized by the national society in commemoration of the dedication of Continental Hall, and urged the daughters to purchase the same to help increase the Continental Hall fund.

The conference session, which was most delightful in every particular, was most fittingly concluded by the presence of Mrs. Donald McLean, president-general National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, who delivered one of her enthusiastic and inspiring addresses, complimenting the daughters in Pennsylvania upon the splendid work they were doing.

Bellefonte Chapter, of Bellefonte, has 43 members. Consensus of opinion of the Bellefonte Chapter is that the meetings of the past year exceeded in interest and profit any of the former ones. Instructive papers have been carefully

read by the daughters at our meetings upon the following subjects: "Our national songs and their writers," "Why did not the British win?" "Colonial embroidery," "How the colonies received their names," "Colonial women," and the question, "There was more bravery in the days of the bow and arrow than in the days of rifle and cannon." The chapter gave four prizes to students of the Bellefonte Academy and the public schools as rewards for historical research on the Revolutionary period. The chapter pledged $50 toward Memorial Continental Hall.

Berks County Chapter, of Reading, has added 12 members to the roll during the year. Has subscribed $138 for Memorial Continental Hall, $5 to the bronze tablet, bas-relief, of William Penn on the cruiser *Pennsylvania*, and $1 to the nurses of the Spanish-American war fund; has also given prizes to the Reading High School. On January 1, 1905, a children's chapter, known as the Conrad Weiser Chapter, was organized, with Mrs. Rachel Owen in charge.

Brookville Chapter, of Brookville, has 40 members; has held meetings regularly during 1905; prizes were offered for the two best essays in the public schools; $25 contributed to the fund for Continental Memorial Hall.

Candahata Chapter, of Titusville, has 27 members, and is doing good work.

Chester County Chapter, of West Chester, has 64 members. Prizes were given to the senior class of the public schools this year, and the high school at Coatsville was selected as the recipient. The subject chosen was "Duties and responsibilities of American citizenship." The chapter has contributed to the building fund for Continental Memorial Hall and the monument for the nurses of the Spanish-American war. A room at Valley Forge is under the care of this chapter.

Colonel Crawford Chapter, of Meadville, has 45 members. Prizes are given annually to the high school.

Colonel Hugh White Chapter, of Lock Haven, has 24 members; prizes being offered and good work done.

Colonel William Montgomery Chapter, of Danville, is doing good work; has contributed $30 to Memorial Continental Hall, $5 to the soldiers' monument in Danville, and $2 to Fort Augusta, at Sunbury.

Conrad Weiser Chapter, of Selinsgrove, has 21 members. In December, 1904, it had the honor of admitting into the chapter a real daughter. At this meeting a spoon was presented to her. This chapter has taken up work at home, leasing an old graveyard which has been abandoned for years and has had it put in order, as quite a number of Revolutionary soldiers are buried there. Has also contributed $21 to Continental Memorial Hall.

Cumberland County Chapter, of Carlisle, has 29 members. Papers have been read on "The Huguenots in America," "The Louisiana purchase," "The struggle for Oregon," and "The inaugurations of Washington and Adams." A contribution of $10 was made for Memorial Continental Hall; $8 for the restoration of the gravestone for Revolutionary soldiers in the old graveyard of Carlisle. This stone was marked as restored by the Cumberland County Chapter.

Delaware County Chapter, of Media, has 67 members; has given $25 to Memorial Continental Hall, and $12 to the Paoli Memorial Association. The chapter contributes to this association annually. The special work being taken up now is the placing of tablets on the old Pennell House in Chester, one of the three private houses in the state which were used as hospitals during the Revolution.

Dial Rock Chapter, of Pittston, has 41 members. It is raising money for the vestibule fund of Memorial Continental Hall.

Declaration of Independence Chapter, of Philadelphia, inaugurated a series of addresses on "The vital issues of the day," December, 1904, when Mrs. Anna McKean White gave an address on "What is Mormonism?" on February 5, 1905, an address, with blackboard illustrations, by Dr. Charles S. Bernheimer, on "Varieties of nationalities in the population of Philadelphia;" and in March Miss Mary R. Field read a paper on "The United States, Cuba, and the Monroe doctrine," and Mrs. John M. Oakley gave one of her inimitable talks on "Present conditions in Cuba."

This chapter has contributed $21 to the bas-relief of William Penn on the U. S. cruiser *Pennsylvania*, and $1 to the nurses of the Spanish-American war monument fund.

In March, 1905, Hon. Roland P. Falkner, commissioner of education in Porto Rico, sent a plea to the Civic Club, of

Philadelphia, for the decoration of the school rooms of Porto Rico, more particularly of the normal school at San Juan. The Civic Club, however, felt that its work lay in, not outside of, Philadelphia, and so our chapter decided to see what it could do, and has the hope of being able to make a Christmas gift to the normal school at San Juan of a number of photographs, which, it is believed, will arouse the interest of the students in the study of American history, and so help to make the future teachers of Porto Rico good Americans.

Much creditable work has been done by this chapter which represents growth, prosperity, and increasing interest in all for which the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution stands.

Donegal Chapter, of Lancaster, has 100 members. A talk on "The rise and growth of constitutional liberty" and a paper on "Early Lancaster," and two afternoons devoted to Revolutionary letters and journals were the events of the monthly meetings. The one prize essay competition in the high school showed an increasing interest. The essays were well written, showing much thought and research.

Du Bois Chapter, of Du Bois, has 43 members; has contributed $145 to Memorial Continental Hall, and has recently sent $50 additional to be applied toward finishing the front vestibule. In October the chapter gave a colonial reception at the home of Mrs. John E. Du Bois for the purpose of raising money for Memorial Continental Hall.

Flag House Chapter, of Philadelphia, has 13 members. Meetings are held regularly. A special meeting was held June 14 at the Flag House, No. 249 Arch street, Philadelphia, as a tribute of respect to the birthplace of our national flag. In addition to the custodians elected, the name of Mrs. William E. Smith, who has a vivid recollection of her grandaunt, Betsy Ross, was added. The particular work of this chapter is to keep alive the history of the making of the American flag; in view of which the members have raised a club each year since the chapter's inauguration to aid in the preservation of the Flag House. A souvenir picture, given for the formation of the club, was this year framed and presented, with appropriate ceremonies, to the Marshall Boys' Grammar School, of Frankfort.

A pilgrimage was made by the chapter to the house in which the first protest against slavery in America was directed to be made, at "Ye monthly meetings of the Friends in 1688 at ye house of Richard Worrell." This historic structure stands on the main street of Frankfort, and is presided over by one of the descendants of Richard Worrell, Miss Sarah C. Leake, who entertained the Flag House Chapter with a display of priceless relics, among them a pewter platter used at the reception given General Lafayette, and the orderly bags and epaulettes of one of her Revolutionary ancestors.

Twenty-five dollars was contributed to Memorial Continental Hall.

Fort McClure Chapter, of Bloomsburg, has 26 members; is doing good local work, with promise of help with the national work and our vestibule fund for Memorial Continental Hall.

Fort McIntosh Chapter, of Beaver, has 12 members; is doing good work, much interest being shown and promise of help for our vestibule fund for Memorial Continental Hall.

George Clymer Chapter, of Towanda, has 55 members. The special study has been "The settlement of Pennsylvania." In February appropriate services were held in honor of Washington and Lincoln, and in June Flag Day had a special programme. The chapter has presented a handsome copy of "The History of Pennsylvania," published by the historical society of the state, to the Towanda Public Library. It has also given the high school a full-length steel engraving of George Washington. Has contributed annually to Memorial Continental Hall, this year $25.

Harrisburg Chapter, of Harrisburg, has 102 members; contributed in all $542.50 for Memorial Continental Hall. The chapter gave $5 to assist in the restoration of the old church at Ecton, Northamptonshire, England, where Franklin's ancestors worshiped for many generations. The prize essay contest was entered into by the girls' graduating class of the high school, and the prizes were awarded on Pennsylvania Day.

Washington's Birthday was celebrated by the reading of appropriate selections; by a fine address on Washington by Professor Downes, principal of the high school, and music by a band of little boys dressed in Continental uniforms.

George Taylor Chapter, of Easton, has 31 members; has realized from two sales nearly $200. They have undertaken the work of purchasing the George Taylor House. In September, a delightful tea was given for the benefit of this fund. A prize of $10 for the best essay written by the seniors of the high school on Revolutionary history was given.

Germantown Chapter, of Germantown, has 17 members. A lecture by Mrs. Anna McLean White and a military euchre have contributed $35 for Memorial Continental Hall.

Gettysburg Chapter, of Gettysburg, has 19 members. Has given prizes to the high school for the best essay on a historical subject of the Revolutionary period; subject, "Some secret influences which led to the war of the Revolution." Has contributed liberally to Memorial Continental Hall. The preservation of Gettysburg's oldest landmark has also become a part of the chapter's work. This ancient stone house was built by Rev. Alexander Doblin, a Presbyterian minister, who after he finished his education in Glasgow, Scotland, was sent as a missionary to the colonies and located at Gettystown, as it was then called, in 1773, and established there the first classical school west of the Susquehanna River. It is the purpose of this chapter to found a historical museum, using the old building as its depository as well as a place to hold its meetings. A "Gettysburg Historical Museum fund" has been opened in one of the banks, and circulars have been issued for its repair, showing the great interest which has been taken by the members of the Gettysburg Chapter.

Independence Hall Chapter, of Philadelphia, has 87 members. The work of this chapter shows great interest in Memorial Continental Hall.

Lawrence Chapter, of New Castle, has 40 members. On March 3 Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee, of Washington, gave a lecture on "Woman's life in the Japanese army." The proceeds, $87.88, were donated to the high school for a historical reference library. Prizes were awarded to the graduating class for the best essay on "Thomas Jefferson." The chapter this year has contributed $25 to Memorial Continental Hall and has also contributed to the monument fund for the nurses of the Spanish-American war.

Lebanon Chapter, of Lebanon, has 17 members; has taken much interest in the work and is holding successful meetings.

Liberty Bell Chapter, of Allentown, has 35 members; manifests great interest in the finishing of the vestibule for Memorial Continental Hall.

Lycoming Chapter, of Williamsport, has 71 members, and much interest is shown by all in the work of our society and the finishing of our vestibule for Memorial Continental Hall.

McKean Chapter, of Smithport, has 24 members. The work of this chapter is along literary lines of Pennsylvania history, and the main work of the chapter has been the preparation of a sketch entitled "Smithport for One Hundred Years" Has contributed $5 for the bas-relief of William Penn on the U. S. cruiser *Pennsylvania.*

Merion Chapter, of Bala, has 30 members; has made a rag carpet, and collected a number of pieces of antique furniture for their room at Washington's Headquarters at Valley Forge. Has given $10 for the bas-relief of William Penn on the U. S. cruiser *Pennsylvania*, and $1 toward the Spanish-American war nurses' fund. During the year has made two pilgrimages to Valley Forge. Very interesting papers have been read on "Trenton Barracks," "Valley Forge Monument," "Itinerary of Washington from Whitemarsh to Valley Forge," "Pioneers of the West," and "Old Egal School."

Philadelphia Chapter, of Philadelphia, has 374 members. The principal work during the last year has been the raising of money for Memorial Continental Hall. In February $500 was sent to the treasurer-general to pay for the keystones over the doors; $660 was given at the conference in April, making a total of $1,160 for the year, and promise of a continuation of the work until the hall is completed. Four prizes have been given to the boys of the grammar school. The annual entertainment was held in May at Fort Mercer, on the Delaware River, opposite Fort Mifflin, where the battle of Red Bank was fought. A flag was presented to the "Site and Relic Society" of Germantown, to be used at the old Concord Schoolhouse, now the museum of that society. This schoolhouse is just south of the Chew House, where the battle of Germantown was fought on October 4, 1777.

Phoebe Bayard Chapter, of Greensburg, has 21 members; has taken great interest in the work of our society and trying to interest the chapter in placing a memorial to Arthur St.

Clair, major-general of the Revolution, in Memorial Continental Hall.

Pittsburg Chapter, of Pittsburg, has 475 members. Has contributed $200 to the bas-relief of William Penn on the U. S. cruiser *Pennsylvania*. One hundred dollars has been given to Memorial Continental Hall; $25 for flags and other equipments used on the summer playgrounds of Pittsburg and Allegheny cities; $10 for Washington Park recreation grounds in Pittsburg, and $5 to the Spanish-American war nurses' fund. This chapter has erected and furnished a house on the blockhouse grounds, containing rooms for the resident custodian and a "board of directors and committee room" at a cost of $4,000. The grounds of the blockhouse were regraded and fences rebuilt; new concrete walks laid and an iron gateway, over which hangs the insignia of the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, placed at the new entrance to Penn avenue.

Presque Isle Chapter, of Erie, has 45 members. Contributed to the vestibule fund of Memorial Continental Hall. On Flag Day the chapter made a second trip to Waterford, marking the graves of two Revolutionary soldiers and locating two others.

The following inscription is found on the marble covering the grave of Michael Hare, previously visited:

Michael Hare
Born in Armagh County, Ireland,
June 10th, 1727.
Was in the French War at Braddock's
defeat, served through the Revolutionary
War, was with St. Clair, and was scalped
at his defeat, by the Indians.
Died March 3, 1843,
aged 115 yrs, 8 months, 22 days.

A personal interview with his great-grandson verified this, and gave other interesting incidents of the old Irishman's life. The grave of William Boyd, who died in 1821, at the age of 90 years, then the grave of Capt. John Lytle, who died in 1806, and last, the grave of Neil McKay, who died in 1836. All the records were authenticated by Waterford residents. The chapter made their headquarters at the Eagle Hotel, which was built in 1826 on the site of Fort La Bœuf. The

spring, which tradition declares was discovered by Washington when he visited the fort, was sought by the daughters, who drank of its pure waters in memory of the brave hero. One of our chapter members, Mrs. Adelaide Stancliff, in July last, visited a cemetery in the neighborhood of McKean, Pa., and copied the inscriptions from the tombstone of Lemuel Stancliff. He is registered in the book of his regiment, on file in the Pension Bureau: "Lemuel Stancliff, Connecticut regiment; honorably discharged after three years' service in United States; discharge given by Hon. Major-General Knox, in the state of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1783." In a family burying ground, 2 miles from McKean, is the grave of Stephen Oliver, a Revolutionary pensioner. On his tombstone is this inscription: "Stephen Oliver, died January 14, 1857, aged 96 years, 11 months. One who in his youth fought for his country."

The sum of $17.12 was used by the chapter for incidental expenses, flowers, flags, etc.

Quaker City Chapter, of Philadelphia, has 119 members; has given 4 prizes to the girls' high school for the best essay on "Historical Pennsylvania;" has contributed to the Memorial Continental Hall, and $200 was given toward the window to be placed in Valley Forge Chapter in memory of Mrs. George W. Kendrick, jr., our first regent. The usual appropriation of $10 was made to the George G. Meade Post of the Grand Army of the Republic. Decorated the statue of George Washington in front of Independence Hall on Washington's Birthday and Memorial Day, and on the same days one of our members has always placed a laurel wreath on the monument "To the unknown dead" of the Revolutionary period in Washington Square. Historical papers are read at the regular monthly meetings of the chapter. The library is increasing, numbering to date about 500 volumes. Our children's chapter, "General Muhlenberg," is one of the largest and most progressive in the state.

Shikelimo Chapter, of Lewisburg, has 46 members. Contributed $25 toward the finishing of the vestibule in Memorial Continental Hall. On October 16 the chapter, with the people of their valley, held a public meeting to commemorate the massacre in 1755, when so many brave men and women died that Buffalo Valley might be opened to civilization. The

chapter holds regular meetings, and the programmes for the past year have been mostly on "The early settlers of Pennsylvania."

Sunbury Chapter, of Sunbury, has 32 members; has awarded prizes to the members of the high school for historical essays; has contributed $25 for Memorial Continental Hall; gave a colonial dance on February 22, making $234, and is especially interested in the securing of Fort Augusta.

Susquehanna Chapter, of Clearfield, has 50 members; has monthly meetings, which are well attended, and shows great interest in all matters pertaining to our society. Five dollars has been given by the Sunbury Chapter toward the purchasing of Fort Augusta, $20 given in prizes to the high schools of Clearfield and Curwensville for the highest standing in United States history, $75 has been given as a contribution to Memorial Continental Hall, and $50 to the vestibule fund for the hall; $230 to be used for the Clearfield Hospital, the special object being to furnish a room as a memorial to Susquehanna Chapter.

Tidioute Chapter, of Tidioute, has 49 members; has sent money for Memorial Continental Hall, and awarded two prizes for the best historical essay of the high school. Miss Pierson, regent of Harrisburg Chapter, and Mrs. J. B. White, of Elizabeth Benton Chapter, of Kansas City, presented to the chapter library each a book—Miss Pierson, History of the Harrisburg Chapter from Its Organization; Mrs. White, Genealogy of the Walker Family and Their Descendants. On Washington's Birthday the Hunter Memorial School was dedicated.

Tioga Chapter, of Athens, has 57 members. The graves of 5 Revolutionary soldiers have been marked with the official marker:

Thomas Park, State Line Cemetery, 1740–1819.

Silas Wolcott, State Line Cemetery, 1755–1834.

John Hyatt, Ellistown Cemetery.

John Hanna, Ellistown Cemetery.

Nathaniel Allen, East Troy Cemetery.

Celebrated Flag Day, June 14, by holding a colonial reception in the Spaulding Museum Library, the proceeds of which will be used for prizes for essays on historical subjects in the high schools of Waverly, N. Y., and Sayne and Athens, Pa.

One of our real daughters has been partially supported by this chapter. Twenty-five dollars has been sent to Memorial Continental Hall and $1 to the nurses of the Spanish-American war fund.

Tunkhannock Chapter, of Tunkhannock, has 72 members, is doing good work in the chapter, and taking an interest in Memorial Continental Hall.

Valley Forge Chapter, of Norristown, has 40 members. Historical papers are read and discussed at monthly meetings. Last April the chapter sent $60 for Memorial Continental Hall. A prize has been awarded for the best essay on "Valley Forge" written by the pupils of the Norristown Grammar School. The annual celebration at the old headquarters at Valley Forge was held June 19, 1905.

Venango Chapter, of Franklin, has 38 members; $5 was contributed for the bas-relief of William Penn on the U. S. cruiser *Pennsylvania;* contributed $107 to Memorial Continental Hall, and two prizes in the high school for the best essay on "John Paul Jones" and "Lydia Darragh."

Witness Tree Chapter, of Columbia, has 33 members. Five dollars was paid toward the bas-relief of William Penn on the U. S. cruiser *Pennsylvania.* Twenty dollars was contributed to Memorial Continental Hall, and it is the earnest desire of the Witness Tree Chapter to use every means during the coming year to raise money for the vestibule fund of Memorial Continental Hall.

Washington County Chapter, of Washington, has 23 members; has given to Memorial Continental Hall and also prizes to students in the grammar school.

Wyoming Valley Chapter, of Wilkes-Barre, has 109 members. Has contributed $40 to the historical society, and $25 is to be laid aside each year to be used for patriotic purposes; has also contributed to the vestibule fund of Memorial Continental Hall.

Yorktown Chapter, of York, has 40 members. Are working very hard to place a fitting tablet to mark the site of the old state house, where Congress met during the most strenuous times of the Revolutionary War. They have contributed $25 to Memorial Continental Hall and given annual prizes to the school children of the state for essays written on patriotic subjects.

Contributions to Continental Hall from Pennsylvania Chapters.

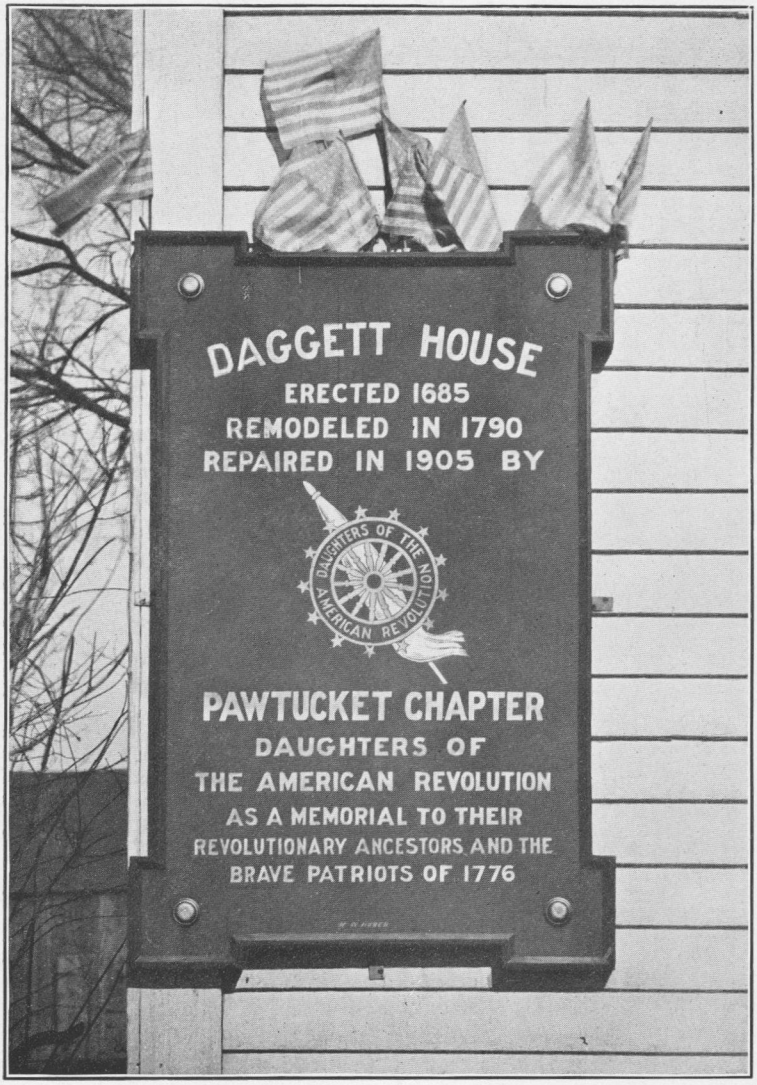
Brookville Chapter	$26.00
Candahata Chapter	30.00
Chester County Chapter	20.00
Colonel Crawford Chapter	30.00
Colonel William Montgomery Chapter	30.00
Delaware County Chapter	25.50
Du Bois Chapter	25.00
Mrs. John E. Du Bois, of Du Bois Chapter	100.00
Harrisburg Chapter	70.00
Independence Hall Chapter	200.00
Lawrence Chapter	25.00
Lycoming Chapter	50.00
Philadelphia Chapter	660.00
Philadelphia Chapter, for three keystones	500.00
Philadelphia Chapter, proceeds from sale of Star Spangled Banner cards	12.65
James R. Mellon, through Mrs. James R. Mellon, of Pittsburg Chapter	250.00
A. W. Mellon, through Mrs. James R. Mellon, of Pittsburg Chapter	250.00
R. B. Mellon, through Mrs. James R. Mellon, of Pittsburg Chapter	250.00
W. L. Mellon, through Mrs. James R. Mellon, of Pittsburg Chapter	250.00
Mrs. Catherine A. Bruce, of Quaker City Chapter	100.00
Susquehanna Chapter	25.00
Tioga Chapter	25.00
Valley Forge Chapter	60.00
Venango Chapter	10.00
Witness Tree Chapter	50.00
Mrs. Sheldon Reynolds, of Wyoming Valley Chapter	100.00
Mrs. Elwood M. Corson, of Pennsylvania	5.00
Mrs. Austin C. Stull, of Pennsylvania	5.00
Proceeds from sale of Pennsylvania state pin	47.00
Total	3,230.15

RHODE ISLAND.

[Miss ELIZABETH H. SWINBURNE, *State Regent.*]

Bristol Chapter, with a present membership of 70, raised $187 for purposes outside the regular chapter work, including its proportional part toward the Rhode Island column for Continental Hall and the flags presented to the battle ship *Rhode Island.*

February 22, 1905, was observed with appropriate exercises in St. Michael's Chapel, when an address was given by Hon.



TABLET PLACED ON "DAGGETT HOUSE" BY THE PAWTUCKET CHAPTER, RHODE ISLAND.

Amasa M. Eaton. The usual Fourth of July exercises in the town hall were attended, the oration being by Rev. S. S. Drury. On Decoration Day a committee from the chapter placed flowers upon 34 identified graves of Revolutionary soldiers, all of which bear the official marker. The chapter has lost by death its two real daughters, Mrs. Clarissa (Peck) Smith and Mrs. Elizabeth Church Wardwell.

Gaspee Chapter raised $585 toward the Rhode Island column for Continental Hall. Twenty-five dollars were sent to Mount Vernon toward the restoration of Pohick Church. This was done as a memorial to Mrs. William Ames, an honorary state regent. Another sum of $25 was sent to the Savannah Chapter, of Georgia, as a memorial to Gen. Nathanael Greene, to be used in the restoration of Mulberry Grove, General Greene's old home. Also $5 were sent to Memphis, Tenn., toward the memorial for the granddaughter of Patrick Henry.

An annual prize of $40 was awarded for the best essay upon American history written by a senior of the Woman's College at Brown University. This $40 was the income from the permanent fund of $1,000 given to the Woman's College, and known as the "Gaspee Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution prize."

Three lectures upon American history were given with stereopticon illustrations, in the Italian and Portuguese languages. These are part of a collection of fifty lectures owned by the chapter and obtained at large expense for the purpose of teaching the foreign population patriotism.

Woonsocket Chapter gave a prize of $5 for the best essay on King Philip's war. This prize was won by a young woman.

Pawtucket Chapter has for three years past been engaged in repairing and otherwise preparing an old colonial house at Slater Memorial Park as a suitable place for their purposes and to contain the interesting collection of Revolutionary relics which have been presented to the chapter from time to time by members of the Daughters of the American Revolution and others interested in their work. After the expenditure of much time, energy, and money the work has been completed, and on September 7, 1905, the house was formally opened and the memorial tablet (see Plate 9) bearing the insignia of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution in the blue and white colors of the society was unveiled. "Daggett

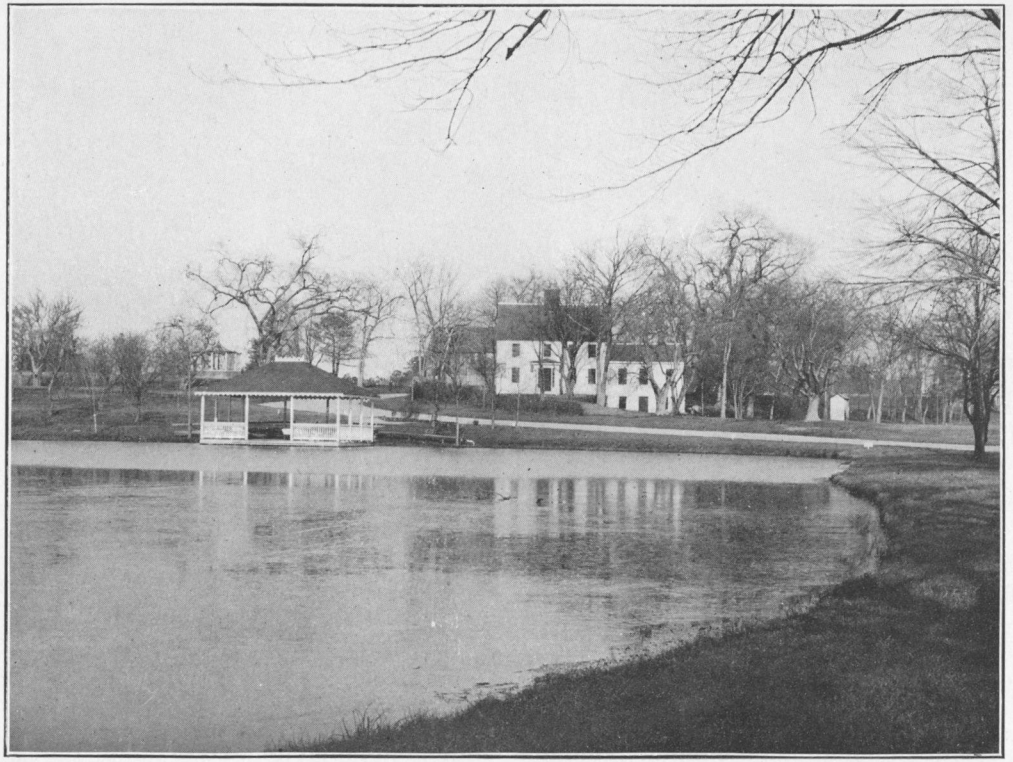
House" (see Plate 10) as it is called, is situated about half a mile from the old Boston and Providence post-road, and was unquestionably the scene of interesting events connected with the Revolutionary war. The names of its owners appear in the printed records of the times. It was built about 1700 and rebuilt in 1790. The land about it (now a park) is a part of the tract assigned to John Daggett in 1646, at a meeting of the townsmen of Rehoboth, held in October of that year, and remained in the Daggett family until its purchase by the city of Pawtucket. The park commission assigned a large portion of this land to the use of the Daughters of the American Revolution, where trees dedicated to Revolutionary soldiers have been planted, and the chapter plan the presentation of a fleet of thirteen rowboats, named for the thirteen original states, for use upon the pretty pond near the house. Of these, nine are already in commission. One, the *Rhode Island*, was paid for by school children.

Narragansett Chapter has held monthly meetings devoted to the study of the literature of the Revolution.

Nathanael Greene Chapter during the year completed the memorial to Gen. Nathanael Greene. This memorial is in the form of a seat placed at "The Forge," the birthplace of General Greene (see Plate 11). It is hewn from a single massive block of Westerly granite; is 6½ feet high, 6½ feet long, and 3 feet deep, and cost nearly $400. It stands in a most picturesque spot, and is inscribed as follows:

> A memorial to Major Gen'l Nathanael Greene, born near this spot July 27 (o. s.), 1742, and died at Mulberry Grove, Ga., June 19, 1786. Erected by the Nathanael Greene Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, of East Greenwich, R. I.

The seat was unveiled on October 19 with appropriate ceremonies, which included a parade of the Kentish Guards and others; addresses by Governor Utter; Prof. Wilfred H. Monroe, of Brown University; Rev. Daniel Goodwin, D. D.; Miss Elizabeth H. Swinburne, state regent, and Mrs. Elbridge G. Carpenter, of East Greenwich, regent of the Nathanael Greene Chapter. The seat was unveiled by a great-great-granddaughter of General Greene, Miss Anna Clarke Carpenter. Among the patriotic organizations represented at the unveiling were the Sons of the American Revolution, Children of the American Revolution, Society of the Cincinnati, Military



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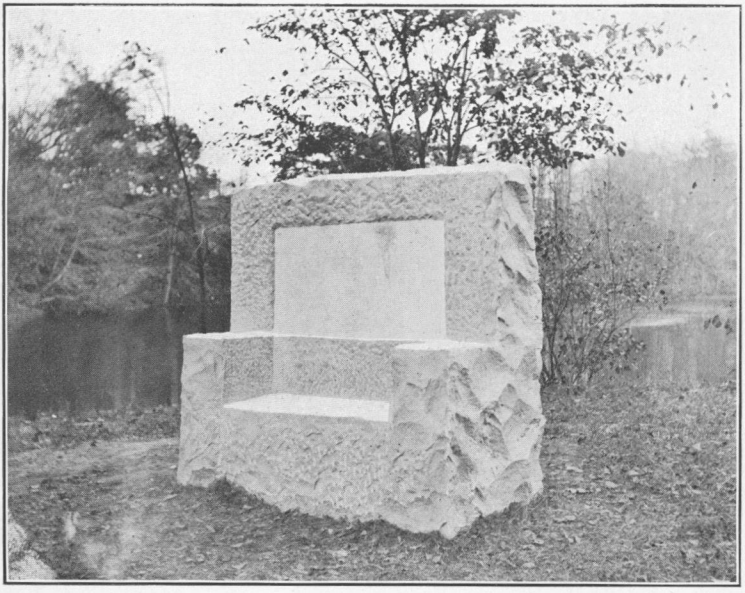

MEMORIAL TO GEN. NATHANAEL GREENE, ERECTED BY THE GENERAL NATHANAEL GREENE CHAPTER, RHODE ISLAND.

Order of the Loyal Legion, Society of Colonial Dames, and the Rhode Island Historical Society.

Nathanael Greene Chapter has for several years given a prize to the graduating class of the grammar school for the best essay upon some patriotic subject. This year it took the form of an illuminated copy of the Declaration of Independence, suitably framed. The chapter now numbers 51 members.

William Ellery Chapter now numbers 75. It has held ten regular meetings, when interesting papers on historic subjects have been read.

Facsimile copies of the Declaration of Independence have been presented to each of the parochial schools. One of these schools, St. Mary's, held special exercises in recognition of the gift, which were attended by Mrs. Burlingham, the regent of the chapter, and a number of its members. The chapter has contributed its proportionate share ($170) toward the Rhode Island column for Continental Hall, and gave a prize of $10 in gold to the member of the senior class at Rogers high school who wrote the best essay upon "Franklin in Paris."

Phebe Greene Ward Chapter reports having given a prize of $10 to a girl pupil of the Westerly high school, who wrote the best essay upon "Colonial children," and has ordered markers for the graves of eleven Revolutionary soldiers.

Flint Lock and Powder Horn Chapter now has 54 members. Meetings have been held regularly, when a variety of entertainments have been offered, literary and musical.

At the annual state conference held February 11, 1905, the chapter was honored by having a member and former regent, Mrs. Stephen S. Fisk, nominated for state vice-regent. This chapter had the honor and pleasure of presenting to the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution the beautiful Bible and lecturn which were used at the dedicatory exercises of Continental Hall, the presentation being made by the then state regent, Mrs. Charles Warren Lippitt.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

[Mrs. Henry Warren Richardson, *State Regent.*]

The work of the Daughters of the American Revolution in South Carolina, although not extensive, is of value and importance on the line of the preservation of history and sacred spots.

Cowpens and **Kate Barry** chapters, of Spartanburg County, erected a monument on the 17th of October over the graves of Col. John Thomas, of the Spartan Regiment, and Jane, his wife. Both rendered valuable service during the war.

This monument is of native granite, from Pacolet quarry, near the city of Spartanburg, and is a large bowlder, upon which a bronze tablet rests bearing their names and dates of birth and death; also an inscription commemorative of services rendered to the colonies by these noble patriots. A handsome iron fence incloses the two graves. Rev. A. A. James, pastor of the church in which Colonel Thomas had been an elder, furnished convincing proof that the graves marked by the Daughters of the American Revolution of Spartanburg are those of Colonel Thomas and his wife.

These chapters have realized a handsome sum of money from a bazaar given by them in December for Continental Hall column. The gold medal which Cowpens has for years offered the pupils of the public schools for the best record made in American history was given this year.

Cateechee Chapter, of Anderson, began work on an old stone church, for its preservation, last August. The pew in which Gen. Andrew Pickens and his family worshiped for so many years was verified, and the tomb in the old cemetery adjoining the church was cleaned and renovated.

Eutaw Chapter, of Orangeburg, one of the youngest in the state, has memorialized Congress, through their Congressman, to assist this chapter in making of the old battlefield Eutaw Springs a park and to suitably mark the spot.

King's Mountain Chapter is working in a similar direction for the battlefield of King's Mountain.

Swamp Fox Chapter, Marion County, a most progressive young chapter, is on the work of removing the remains of Gen. Francis Marion, in whose honor this county is named, from the remote spot on his former plantation, 12 miles from St. Stephens, on the Northeastern Railroad, to the court-house square of Marion County, and erect a monument over this spot.

The state regent and other members of the Columbia Chapter, through continued effort with Mr. J. T. Gantt, secretary of state, have rescued and preserved many valuable documents scattered in the attic of the capitol and now in the pos-

session of the Historical Association of South Carolina, such as unpublished rolls of Sumter, Marion and Pickens's brigades, land grants, and old maps of original lines long since forgotten.

The Daughters of the American Revolution of South Carolina certainly have given impetus to the preservation of history and places, such as the republishing of Gregg's History of the Old Cheraws, and are now working to bring into prominence the houses in historic Georgetown where Generals Washington and Lafayette were entertained.

The annual state conference, held in Greenville by the invitation of Nathanael Greene Chapter, proved the fine condition of the Daughters of the American Revolution of the state. Continental Hall's completion was warmly espoused. The state monument to Marion, Sumter, and Pickens is another work before the Daughters of the American Revolution for completion.

TENNESSEE.

[Mrs. CHARLES B. BRYAN, *State Regent.*]

Tennessee reports that the graves of six Revolutionary soldiers have been located in the past year:

1. Capt. Thomas Bedford, near Jefferson, Rutherford County, Tenn.
2. Col. Jno. Brandon, in Mount Moriah Cemetery, near Pulaski, Giles County, Tenn.
3. William Knox, at Academy Corner, 1 mile from Knoxville, Tenn.
4. Benjamin Morgan, at Spring Hill Cemetery, Williamson County, Tenn.
5. Abram Vaughan, in Warren graveyard, one-half mile from Weir post-office, Wilson County, Tenn.
6. Maj. John Johnson, near Johnson Church (in graveyard), 6 miles from Nashville, Tenn.

Tennessee has taken a great interest in higher education in its public schools. The Commodore Perry Chapter offers yearly a gold medal for the best essay on American history in the eighth grade of the schools. The Margaret Gaston Chapter also presents a gold medal to the Labanon High School for progress in American history. A handsome monument has been erected by the Commodore Perry Chapter over the remains of Dorothy Spottswood Winston, eldest daughter of Patrick Henry, in Elmwood Cemetery, Memphis.

TEXAS.

[Mrs. Seabrook W. Sydnor, *State Regent.*]

The chapters composing the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Texas show on their rosters women of patriotism, birth, and, therefore, those interested in the promotion of historical fact, the seeking after the truth and the fixing in the hearts of others a fervent love for the formulative pioneer life of this great commonwealth—civil, military, and constitutional.

In looking over the excellent yearbooks, which have been sent upon request, it would follow that ours is entirely an historical organization, and excellent work is being done in this very important department.

Memorials are being erected by some of our chapters, and active, substantial work is being done in many lines, but no chapter is neglecting the study of history.

A charming meeting of the George Washington Chapter, of Galveston, was held at the home of Mrs. C. B. Stone.

The programme, as given, portrayed in a vivid and interesting manner the early settlements, characteristics, customs, hardships, Indian treaties, etc., of the early settlers in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Stone contributed a most interesting article on the "Liberty bell."

The yearbook of the Lady Washington Chapter, of Houston, shows the intelligent work of the members, and, aside from their varied historic study, the chapter historian has submitted a very unique "Calendar of Revolutionary dates." Nearly every day of the 365 showed some deed of valor on the part of American manhood.

Two attractive yearbooks were sent by Mrs. Robertson, regent for the Betty Martin Chapter, of Temple, which show progress and growth of historical information, the one of most recent date comprising a broad range of American history.

These books from Temple show familiarity with subjects colonial and a clear insight with the social and political condition of Europe during our days of colonization.

Mrs. Potts, regent for the Belton chapter, sends the yearbook, 1905–6, for the Agnes Woodson Chapter, of Belton,

which shows a patriotic order of programme, carrying out to the letter the appropriate motto, "Love of country conquers."

Beginning with the Quakers and the interesting Brandywine history, the Huguenots and the French alliance, again social life and family traditions during the Revolution, the last lesson, including a paper on our beloved naval hero, John Paul Jones, are among the interesting lessons.

Mrs. Bosson, regent for the Rebecca Crockett Chapter, at Gainesville, writes that her chapter enjoys historic study at each meeting and many members are preparing scrapbooks containing articles on colonial history, which they exchange with each other.

They have discussed Lafayette, the Lewis and Clark expedition, Wakefield, Washington's birthplace, and The Boston tea party.

Mrs. French, vice-regent for the San Antonio de Bexar Chapter, at San Antonio, writes that her members are appointed in alphabetical order to read biographies of ancestors, including genealogy, also descriptions of battles in which said ancestors were engaged. This creates great interest, as many were in the same service, assemblies, and conventions, and thus diversifies the dry relating of facts and dates.

"Put none but Americans on guard to-night" is the appropriate and patriotic motto of the Jane Douglas Chapter, of Dallas, of which Mrs. A. V. Lane is the excellent regent. Though ardently engaged in the loving work of creating a memorial fund to honor our dearly beloved ex-regent, Mrs. Henry, they have not neglected their historical programme, and observe one interesting order of work. The constitutional, social, and military life of the colonies is a part of their work, also questions of comparative history and colonial literature.

Our state historian makes a few recommendations: That biography shall appear in our programme work; that our work be made, to a considerable extent, the study of great personalities, thereby including all associate and collateral history.

That the contemporary history of France and England be studied along with the history of the early settlements of this country, also with the early Revolutionary days.

That in the study of great battles we study the men who won them; in the study of constitutions, the minds who framed them; in great court matters, the judges who rendered the decision; in great colonization, the powers who came first, remembering that the greatest praise is due to him who came first.

That the ancestors from whom we are descended be studied and that we become familiar with their lives and service.

That the American Revolution be considered as one of the causes of the great French Revolution, thereby showing the international effect, and that the liberty-loving, independent American citizen assisted the Frenchman, who was afflicted with a tyrannical, corrupt, and decaying monarchy, finally to be free.

That stress ever be paid to the character of Lafayette.

That the causes, immediate and remote, of this great struggle be carefully studied from the American and English sides.

That the personal character of England's King, George III, and the entire house of Hanover had much to do with the struggle.

That the work of "picture hanging" be continued in the schools and that all anniversary days be observed, thereby encouraging patriotism.

As soon as possible we will procure a list of all monuments, tablets, markers, and memorials of every nature that have been provided by our society and submit it, for great activity exists in this particular line, which is most practical and helpful in history work, for "monuments are object lessons in history."

UTAH.

[Mrs. Mary M. F. Allen, *State Regent.*]

Spirit of Liberty Chapter, of Salt Lake City, reports that during the year from October 11, 1904, to October 11, 1905, 5 new members were added to the chapter. A gold medal was presented for the best patriotic oration delivered by a girl in the senior class of the high school.

In March, 1905, the chapter joined the National League, agreeing to support its efforts to protect the country against treasonable practices and to maintain the Christian ideal of marriage.

A design was accepted and plans completed during the year for the erection of a drinking fountain to be presented to the city by the chapter. The design was drawn by William Montague Allen, and the fountain was made of Vermont granite at a cost of $622, the amount being subscribed by members of the chapter.

VERMONT.

[Mrs. F. Stewart Stranahan, *State Regent.*]

In addition to the following condensed reports, Vermont's Daughters of the American Revolution are raising money to erect a monument on beautiful Isle La Motte, which shall serve the double purpose of marking the site of the home of the state's first white settlers, as well as the spot where Seth Warner and Remember Baker (Vermont's two great heroes) joined General Montgomery.

Bennington Chapter celebrated Washington's birthday with an entertainment, and $100 was realized for Continental Hall.

On Flag Day the chapter was presented with a silk flag by the regent. The chapter voted $1 toward the monument to be erected for the Spanish-American war nurses "who died in the line of duty." The treasurer reports $165.40 in the treasury.

The number of members is 54. They contribute $1 each month to the support of Mrs. Damon, the only living Revolutionary widow.

The chapter is having made, at a cost of $32.50, a handsome oak case with glass front to preserve the beautiful silk flag and pennant presented to the town of Bennington by the old gunboat *Bennington* when she went out of commission a few years ago, the town having made the chapter the custodian of the flags.

We are interested, with the other chapters of the state, in procuring the granite marker to be placed on Isle La Motte to mark the landing place of Vermont's first white settlers, as well as the camping ground of those two heroes, Seth Warner and Remember Baker.

Ann Story Chapter is the largest chapter in the state, numbering 98 members.

In February a colonial kermise added $145 to the treasury, and in August the exhibit of antiques and curios added $65

to this amount, to be used by the chapter toward a fund for the memorial to the "Green Mountain Boys." In contributions $100 was pledged, this being full expense for the inscription, "Memorial Continental Hall," to be placed over entrance of our national building at Washington. Of this sum $75 has already been paid. Also, our regent, Mrs. Horace Hoxey Dyer, contributed $25 to the general fund for Continental Hall.

A doll in Puritan dress was sent to Commodore Perry Chapter, Memphis, Tenn., where they were raising a fund for a memorial to a daughter of Patrick Henry, and the chapter has assisted Mrs. Esther Damon, who is the last surviving widow of a Revolutionary soldier.

Mrs. Wallace Clement, charter regent of the chapter, presented a copy of the Ann Story pamphlet, containing full account of the dedication of the monument at Salisbury.

Mr. John Burdette has presented a picture of his mother, Mrs. Jesse Burdette, Vermont's former state regent.

Marquis de Lafayette Chapter has 88 members, one transferred, and one real daughter. They have raised $184.75; sent $50 to Continental Hall and $12 to Mrs. Damon. The balance was used for state dues and different patriotic purposes, such as the Isle La Motte marker, etc.

Thomas Chittenden Chapter has 16 members. The chapter has raised $120, and is assisting in the support of Mrs. Esther Damon.

Heber Allen Chapter has 32 members. They have found in Poultney the graves of 33 Revolutionary soldiers, which they expect to mark in the early spring.

Ottauquechee Chapter has 18 resident members. On Flag Day the chapter presented the town schools with a beautiful flag, which was unfurled with appropriate exercises by the children on Decoration Day. The chapter has located, marked, and decorated several graves of Revolutionary soldiers, and sent money and a large Thanksgiving box to Mrs. Damon. They also had a colonial ball, at which 300 were present in costume.

Green Mountain Chapter has 52 members. During the winter the chapter studied the early history of Lake Champlain, and will continue it this year.

ANN STORY D. A. R. CHAPTER ROOM, RUTLAND, VT.

HEADSTONE WHICH MARKS THE GRAVE OF ANN STORY IN MIDDLEBURY, VT.

This chapter has united with other chapters in the state in contributing to the support of Mrs. Esther Sumner Damon, the last surviving widow of the war of the Revolution, who resides in Plymouth Union, Vt.

On the 15th of August, 1905, the chapter presented to the Vermont Society, Sons of the American Revolution, two flags for the Ethan Allen memorial tower, recently erected by them on the Ethan Allen farm, in Burlington, and the historian, Miss Theodora Peck, had the honor of raising the colors during the dedicatory ceremonies.

Brattleboro Chapter had, at the beginning of the year, 85 names in the yearbook. Fifteen new members have been received during the year. The chapter has held nine meetings at the homes of members, with an average attendance of 33, on anniversaries of historical dates.

The sum of $75 was contributed toward the fund for Continental Hall and $10 was given toward the portrait of Mrs. Fairbanks to be placed in Continental Hall.

The chapter has also given its share, $1 per month from each chapter in the state, to help support Mrs. Esther Damon.

Bellevue Chapter has 63 members. The state regent presented a silk flag to the chapter, and they gave one to the state daughters to be used at the annual conference. They have raised $97, sending $25 to the Continental Hall fund.

On July 4 the members instituted a "sunrise salute"—a drum corps of young men in Revolutionary costumes began playing Yankee Doodle on the common at 4 o'clock a. m. All the bells on public buildings and churches rang out, and then the men marched through the principal streets playing at each corner until 6 o'clock. This object lesson seemed to make a decided impression on young America.

The chapter is interested with the other state chapters in raising funds to place a granite marker on Isle La Motte, the site of the first white settlement in Vermont.

Ethan Allen Chapter has 35 members. The past year has been very prosperous under the regent, Mrs. Wales. The chapter assisted in the unveiling of the soldiers' monument presented the town by Col. S. A. Ilsley.

The chapter has listened to interesting lectures by Mrs. Cyrus S. Merrill, of Albany, N. Y., who spoke on "Our

grandmother's china," and by Mrs. Cushman, a nonresident member, on the "First pottery and porcelain manufactured in this country." An interesting ware collection was exhibited by the resident daughters in the town.

This chapter is assisting in the support of Mrs. Damon.

Wm. McKinley Chapter has 18 members. Thirty dollars has been raised for the Continental Hall fund and $10 for Isle La Motte monument.

Oxbow Chapter is pledged to mark thirty-five soldiers' graves during the year.

Ascutney Chapter has been much interested in collecting relics, etc., which they hope to send on to Washington in due time.

Palestrello Chapter is especially interested in the care of Mrs. Damon, the only surviving widow of a Revolutionary soldier.

Seth Warren Chapter has paid $20 the past year toward the Continental Hall fund.

VIRGINIA.

[Mrs. Eleanor S. Washington Howard, *State Regent.*]

Albemarle Chapter, of Charlottesville, has 38 members. The chief work was for Virginia's column on the portico of Continental Hall; by holding two musical teas the sum of $67.60 was realized. Have also contributed to state regent's fund, $4; to Manila tablet, $3, and to Mrs. Sayrie for real daughters, $4. In addition to this the chapter has interested itself in local educational work among the colored people, trying to help a former self-supporting school renew a building destroyed by fire.

Beverly Manor Chapter, of Staunton, has a membership of 43. The chapter gave to Continental Hall $10, this sum being pledged yearly until the hall is completed; and a medal for the best essay in the high school on Admiral John Paul Jones.

Blue Ridge Chapter, of Lynchburg, has just finished a year of pleasure and prosperity. Membership, 41. Has met all regular dues, both to the national society and the state conference. Contributed to Virginia column in Continental Hall, $25; also gave, as is our usual custom, a medal to a pupil of the Lynchburg high school for the best essay on a Revolutionary subject.

Commonwealth Chapter, of Richmond, has 50 active members on their roll. The two real daughters of this chapter passed to the great beyond within a few hours of each other, and as they were dear sisters they were spared the grief of parting. The chapter is interested in the Jamestown Exposition and Virginia's column in Continental Hall.

Dorothea Henry Chapter, of Danville, has 99 members. The main work has been for Continental Hall, sending to Virginia's column $200.

Fort Nelson Chapter, of Portsmouth, has a membership of 26; contributed to Virginia state column in Memorial Continental Hall $63.

Francis Bland Randolph Chapter, of Petersburg, has a membership of 46. Contributions have been made to state regent's and state conference funds, also to Virginia's column in Continental Hall, and has presented a volume on Virginia history to Continental Hall library. Has also offered a medal in the high school.

Great Bridge Chapter, of Norfolk, has a membership of 55, two life members, and one real daughter, who is 87 years of age. A gold medal was presented to a pupil of the grammar school for a fine composition on "For what purpose and under what commanders were forces raised by Virginia in 1774."

Hampton Chapter, of Hampton, has a membership of 15. Has contributed to the state regent's, state conference, and real daughters' funds; to Manila tablet, $2, and to Virginia column in Continental Hall, $21.

Margaret Lynn Lewis Chapter, of Roanoke, has a membership of 21. The most important work of this chapter was to assist in collecting a reference library for our high school. A gold medal was presented to the high school for the best essay on some patriotic subject. Has contributed to the state regent's fund, and state conference fund; and to Virginia's column in Memorial Continental Hall $54.25.

Massanutton Chapter, of Harrisonburg, has a membership of 17. In addition to the usual assessments, donations have been made to the real daughters' fund, the nurses' monument fund, the state regent's fund, pictures sold for the Continental Hall fund, the magazine subscribed to. Contributed to Virginia column, $47. The literary work for the coming year will be the study of the original thirteen states, and a delightful programme is being arranged.

Montpelier Chapter, of Orange, has a membership of 23. Three new members have been added to the chapter, whose efficiency and interest have already encouraged and helped us. Has contributed our state conference dues; also to state regent's fund, $5; local work, $14.50; to Virginia column in Continental Hall, $70.

Mount Vernon Chapter, of Alexandria, has a membership of 57, among them one real daughter. Contributed to state regent's fund and state conference, $50; Virginia column, $120, and Pohick Church restoration fund, $75.

These contributions represent work on the part of many members of the chapter and a gracious liberality on the part of otners, only a small percentage being taken from the chapter's treasury.

The work of restoring Pohick Church is not yet completed, though much has been accomplished; a new roof has replaced the old one and a new floor and stone aisles have been laid.

Old Dominion Chapter, of Richmond, has a membership of 21. The chapter is in a most flourishing condition and has important plans mapped out for the coming year. Contributed to the Virginia column of Continental Hall $250, and to Fitzhugh Lee monument $15.

Patrick Henry Chapter, of Martinsville, has a membership of 17. Has paid state dues and sent a small contribution to the regent's fund.

Peaks of Otter Chapter, of Bedford City, has a membership of 18. Contributed to the Daughters of the American Revolution library in Washington, $5; also gave a medal for the best essay in our high school on "Virginia's history in the Revolutionary war, beginning with the battle of Point Pleasant, 1774, to the surrender at Yorktown, 1781," $10; Virginia column in the Continental Hall, $10; state conference dues, $1.80; state regent's fund, $1.

Sycamore Shoals Chapter, of Bristol, has a membership of 30. Donated to Virginia column, $5.

WASHINGTON.

[Mrs. Moses A. Phelps, *State Regent.*]

Rainier Chapter's tenth year of work has been the most noteworthy of her whole history. Although very conservative in all her works and ways, and never soliciting members,

during the past year her membership has almost doubled, and the work that she has done would do credit to a chapter much larger. The October, 1904, meeting was in charge of two members who have grown up with this great "Puget Sound country," and the topic, which was wonderfully well handled, was "Famous men and women of Washington and Oregon."

The November meeting had for its topic, "The story of a Revolutionary Thanksgiving." The December meeting was held in a beautiful colonial home of historic things, and the topic for the afternoon was "Heroines of the Revolution." Young daughters of several of the members wore quaint gowns and carried historic bits of wearing apparel. Later these young misses served the refreshments, which were in keeping with the occasion. Each year, on January 17, Rainier Chapter gives its only real social function of the year—a bal poudré—in honor of Washington's wedding anniversary. The state regent is the guest of honor and leads the grand march. Neither time nor money is spared to make this ball worthy of the anniversary it celebrates. All persons attending are requested to conform to the general custom of wearing colonial costumes and powdered hair, and the stately minuet is the feature of the evening.

The January, 1905, meeting was held at the home of and was in charge of our former regent, and had as its topic "Patriotic anecdotes," which were given by many present. The February meeting was a Washington's Birthday meeting, although not held on the hero's natal day. The couplet given in the yearbook for that day was:

Then with each coming year,
Whenever shall appear
That natal sun,
Will we attest the worth
Of one true man to earth,
And celebrate the birth
Of Washington!

At the March meeting a programme of patriotic music was given and the Declaration of Independence was read.

At the June meeting a most unique and entertaining flag programme was given, a talented vocalist singing Barbara Fritchie and The Flag that Waves Throughout the Years, and a guessing contest filling out the rest of the afternoon.

Twenty cards containing beautifully executed watercolor facsimiles of flags used at different times in the history of the United States were passed to the members, and the one rightly naming the greatest number was given a beautiful silk flag.

The September meeting was held at the home of the regent and had for its topic "John Paul Jones."

During the past year the chapter has earned and put aside $150, her share toward the portrait bust of Washington, to be given by the state of Washington to the Memorial Continental Hall; has given $25 to the general fund for Memorial Continental Hall; $40 to the Sacajawea statue fund at Portland, Oreg.; $10 to state Daughters of the American Revolution; $5 to the Young Women's Christian Association of Seattle, and various other sums to different objects, and has taken decisive steps toward raising the money for a $30,000 statue of Washington which she proposes, with the aid of the Daughters of the American Revolution all over the country, to erect on the campus of the University of Washington.

The membership is at present limited to 150.

Mary Ball Chapter has had a year of healthy growth and development, 57 members being on the rolls in October, 1904.

November meeting was emphasized by a New England Thanksgiving; December, Christmas and Christmas giving; January, Door art. These three subjects consisted of very interesting intellectual feasts. February, a Colonial musicale; March, a lecture by Miss Guppy; April, American flags, in which we had a full history of the evolution of our matchless symbol and saw the many flags that have served the country during the various periods of its development.

We contributed to the Commodore Perry Chapter assistance for the erection of a monument to Patrick Henry's daughter.

Esther Reed Chapter has had an interesting, instructive, and prosperous year. The average attendance of the 54 members has been good and the enthusiastic manner in which each member has responded to the work she has been called upon to do has proved an inspiring influence to others, especially the young, in the appreciation of the deeds of valor and the emulation of the patriotic services of our forefathers.

On November 6 an entertaining paper was read by Mrs. Taft on "The origin of the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution," and in December another fine address,

by Mr. George S. Brooks, on "Our ancestors." A social afternoon was held in January. February, a particularly able and instructive talk on "Growth of nihilism in Russia," by Miss Woy, and the singing of Russian folk songs in the original, afterwards explaining and translating them by Mrs. Malkoff.

In March an interesting lecture was given by Rev. J. W. Hindley on "Teaching patriotism to the children," and in April Professor Trimble spoke entertainingly of "James Wilson," a signer of the Declaration of Independence.

September another social meeting, and October another fine address by Very Rev. Alfred Lockwood. In October, 1904, in honor of Mrs. Fairbanks, president-general of the national society, Esther Reed Chapter attended the speech of Vice-President Fairbanks at the Spokane Theater. Three boxes were reserved and appropriately decorated for the chapter. From a social standpoint the crowning event was the celebration, together with the Sons of the American Revolution, of Washington's Birthday with a banquet, amid charming decorations of a patriotic nature. Aside from an elaborate collation, many toasts were responded to, notably "Twentieth century patriotism," by Reverend Doctor Penrose, of Whitman College.

One of the important things accomplished by the chapter was made possible by the hearty acquiescence of the officers of Fort Wright to the suggestion of Esther Reed Chapter to invite all patriotic societies to join in the celebration of Flag Day at Fort Wright, including bugle salute to the flag, dress parade, patriotic speeches, and salute to the flag by all, thereby establishing a precedent. Also the inauguration of the "Salute to flag" once a month in all public schools on dates commemorating events of the Revolutionary war period, these exercises to be attended by members of the Esther Reed Chapter, the suggestion coming from Mrs. M. A. Phelps, state regent and member of Esther Reed Chapter.

The magnitude of this work may be better realized when one bears in mind that fully 14,000 children of the graded schools salute the flag on the same day and at the same hour. At the high school it is an impressive sight to witness the salute by the 1,000 young men and women assembled in the auditorium for that purpose, the salute being preceded by a

ten minutes' address by a prominent citizen on a patriotic subject, and the exercises closing with hearty singing of national songs.

Lady Stirling Chapter during the past year has done effective work by subscribing to the Memorial Continental Hall fund and joining the other chapters of the state in pledging the sum of $500 for a portrait bust of Washington, to be placed in Continental Hall. The sum of $20 was given as a prize to a pupil of the public school for an historic essay, and a subscription was also given to the monument to Sacajawea at the Lewis and Clark Exposition. Lady Stirling had the honor to offer the first memorial monument to the city of Seattle, in commemoration of the battle of Seattle, when the little frontier village was saved from annihilation by hostile Indians through the timely warning sent by Chief Seattle and the aid of the *Decatur*, then lying in the harbor. This monument, a bowlder of native granite, will be the gift of the chapter, and a liberty tree will be planted by the Kitty Livingston Chapter, Children of the American Revolution.

Lady Stirling has been asked to subscribe to the fund for erecting a statue of Washington in the campus of the State University.

Virginia Dare Chapter, while limited to a small membership, is doing earnest work, with meetings every two weeks for the study of American history. The chapter gives a yearly prize for the best essay on some patriotic subject by a high school pupil, and is always helpful and interested in any work that concerns the advancement of the state or national society.

It readily agreed to furnish its quota for the portrait bust of Washington to be given by the Daughters of American Revolution of the state to Continental Memorial Hall. A Virginia Dare member, Mrs. John A. Parker, ex-state regent, is the chairman of committee having this matter in charge.

Robert Gray Chapter, Hoquiam, is in a prosperous condition and steadily growing, several new members having been admitted during the year. Meetings for the study of United States history are held twice a month, being well attended and arousing much interest.

Sacajawea Chapter, Olympia, has only recently secured the number of members necessary to form a chapter; but now

that that organization is accomplished the chapter will doubtless make an important place for itself, following the example of the Indian woman for whom it is named—she who, with unfaltering devotion, guided Lewis and Clark through the wilderness, across the mountains to this pleasant land.

WEST VIRGINIA.

[Mrs. Baldwin Day Spilman, *State Regent.*]

James Wood Chapter, Parkersburg, has identified three graves of Revolutionary soldiers during the past year and sent $350 to Memorial Continental Hall.

Elizabeth Ludington Hagans Chapter, Morgantown, on February 22, held a reception at the home of the regent.

All the daughters appeared in colonial costumes, and a copy of the Declaration of Independence was presented to the public school. On Memorial Day 10 graves of Revolutionary heroes were decorated with flags, namely, Abraham Guseman, Thomas Reed, John McFarland, Stephen Mapel, Adolph Eberhardt, James Vauer, Benjamin Titus, Thomas Brown, Col. John Evans, and Captain Hanway.

A copy of the history of Monongalia County was sent to the librarian-general at Washington; also check for $35 for Memorial Continental Hall.

Colonel Charles Chapter, Mount Pleasant, has been working during the past year to collect a fund with which to mark the graves of soldiers who fell on October 10, 1774, and mark other historic spots in and near the town.

The chapter has a small sum, to which it is expected an addition will be made by having an art and loan exhibit.

The memorial fund is also a matter of great interest. The state appropriated $5,000 last year for this purpose, and will again petition Congress for an appropriation to this end.

The chapter observed May 30 and celebrated the 10th of October.

WISCONSIN.

[Alice L. Brown, *State Regent.*]

The following detailed report will give the several lines of work in which the chapters in Wisconsin are engaged:

Nequi-Antigo-Siebah Chapter, Antigo, Mrs. E. H. Van Ostrand, regent. Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birth-

day; Manila Bay, Lexington, and Flag Days were appropriately celebrated. A regular course of study in United States history is being carried on by the members of this chapter.

Beloit Chapter, Beloit, Mrs. William C. Weirick, regent. This chapter has contributed $100 toward a monument erected in Beloit City Cemetery to the memory of Rock County soldiers. It has contributed to the pupils of the public schools in Beloit two prizes of $6 and $4 for the best papers covering certain Revolutionary epochs. The chapter has presented to the city library a flag.

Munedoo Chapter, Columbus, Miss Lillian Lee, regent. This chapter is engaged in the study of colonial history. Ten dollars was contributed to the Continental Hall fund.

Fond du Lac Chapter, Fond du Lac, Mrs. Georgia Hunter Neal, regent. The local public library was presented with some genealogical books, and the American Monthly Magazine was placed in the reading room of the library. This chapter reports a contribution of $10 to Continental Hall fund.

Fort Atkinson Chapter, Fort Atkinson, Mrs. O. B. Cornish, regent. Nineteen volumes, treating of the early history of this country, have been presented by the chapter to the public library of Fort Atkinson.

The grave of a real daughter, Mrs. Betsey Robinson Mead, buried at Waldo, Wis., and the grave of a Revolutionary soldier buried at Jefferson, Wis., were decorated by the chapter. One of the few Indian mounds which remains unmutilated, lying near the city of Fort Atkinson, has been cared for by this chapter.

Janesville Chapter, Janesville, Miss Catherine R. Fifield, regent. A contribution of $50 was given to Continental Hall fund. The chapter presented a medal to the pupil in the eighth grade of the public schools who obtained the highest standing in United States history. Through the efforts of a committee from this chapter the grave of a Revolutionary soldier was located at Johnstown, 10 miles from Janesville (name of soldier not given in report). On Memorial Day the graves of seven soldiers in the local cemetery and the grave of the Revolutionary soldier at Johnstown were decorated by the chapter with flags having ribbons attached bearing the words "Daughters of the American Revolution."

Kenosha Chapter, Kenosha, Mrs. Z. C. Simmons, regent. This chapter contributed during the present year a sum sufficient to complete the pledge given three years ago of $125 for Continental Hall fund.

La Crosse Chapter, La Crosse, Miss Gertrude Hogan, regent. This chapter contributed $100 for the aid of needy soldiers of the civil war and their families. Prizes of $5, $3, and $2 were offered to girls in the eighth grade of the city schools for the best essays upon a historical subject.

Tyranena Chapter, Lake Mills, Mrs. Frank B. Fargo, regent. A contribution of $5 was given to Continental Hall fund. Flag Day was appropriately observed by the chapter.

John Bell Chapter, Madison, Miss Mary Louise Atwood, regent. The special work of this chapter has been the presentation of framed facsimile copies of the Declaration of Independence to the eleven school buildings of Madison. "The domestic lives and customs of the colonial period" has been the subject of a series of papers presented to the chapter.

Milwaukee Chapter, Milwaukee, Mrs. Walter Kempster, regent. This chapter offered a prize to the public schools for the best essay upon some topic relating to the American Revolution. A picture, costing $25, was presented to the school attended by the successful pupil. Thirty-nine dollars was contributed to Continental Hall fund. Papers and addresses upon historical or patriotic subjects have been given before the chapter during the year.

Oshkosh Chapter, Oshkosh, Mrs. George F. Gilkey, regent. One important work of this chapter is contributing funds for the relief of the wants and for adding to the pleasures of two real daughters, members of the chapter. Two prizes have been given the pupils of the public schools for the best essays upon some historic subject. The American Monthly Magazine is placed in the public library.

Wau Bun Chapter, Portage, Mrs. J. E. Jones, regent. An essential work of this chapter is that of caring for Old Fort Winnebago Cemetery, where lies buried a Revolutionary soldier. Another important enterprise is devoted to the growth of a department in the local library known as the Daughters of the American Revolution corner, to which the chapter has contributed about 75 volumes upon Revolutionary, colonial, and later-day history, literature, customs, notable men and

women, and other subjects. A collection of historic relics is also being made for this section of the library.

Six framed copies of the Declaration of Independence have been presented to as many different schools of the city. Ten dollars has been contributed to Continental Hall fund, and $5 as a prize to the senior class of the high school for the best essay on local history. A copy of the American Monthly Magazine is furnished the public library.

Six special days were observed during the year, namely: The surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown, The Boston tea party, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Flag Day.

The subject of study taken up by the chapter is "The critical period of American history, 1783–1789."

Racine Chapter, Racine, Mrs. Sands M. Hart, regent. The subject of study taken up by this chapter is the history of Wisconsin.

A contribution has been made to the Continental Hall fund.

Fay Robinson Chapter, Reedsburg, Mrs. R. P. Perry, regent. This chapter has presented a picture to the Reedsburg High School.

The American Monthly Magazine has been placed in the local public library.

Stevens Point Chapter, Stevens Point, Mrs. W. W. Mitchell, regent. The chapter has contributed to the public library subscriptions for the New England Genealogical and Historical Register, the American Monthly Magazine, Spirit of '76, Puritan's Monthly, and expended quite an amount in having back numbers of these periodicals bound.

Waukesha Continental Chapter, Waukesha, Mrs. M. S. Griswold, regent. The chapter has contributed to the local library $25 for the purchase of books pertaining to the American Revolution and other patriotic subjects. Twenty-five dollars has been given to Continental Hall fund. One framed copy each of the Declaration of Independence, a portrait of Edward Everett, and Stuart's portraits of George Washington and Martha Washington have been presented to the public library. Washington's Birthday and Flag Day have been appropriately observed.

Waupun Chapter, Waupun, Mrs. A. C. Scott, regent. This chapter has contributed prizes to the pupils in the public

schools for the best work in United States history. A sum of money has been raised to purchase some fitting memorial for the new library now in process of completion.

The American Monthly Magazine has been placed in the public library. A contribution has been made to Continental Hall fund.

Washington's Birthday, Flag Day, and other national holidays have been observed by the members of the chapter.

WYOMING.

[Mrs. FRANK W. MONDELL, *State Regent.*]

Cheyenne Chapter was never in a more flourishing condition than during this year. There were 39 members enrolled. The chapter held six regular meetings, with a large average attendance. At each meeting an instructive and entertaining programme was rendered. These programmes consisted of reading, music, and papers upon historical subjects. Among the subjects chosen for these papers were, "Persecution of the witches," "Battle of Yorktown," "Lewis and Clark Expedition," and "Early Wyoming history."

The June meeting was one of the most enjoyable of the year. Mrs. Lacey read an interesting description of Memorial Continental Hall and an account of the proceedings of the fourteenth continental Congress, including the dedicatory exercises of the building. At this same meeting Mrs. Patten gave a full report of the entire congress, interspersed with a number of amusing and interesting incidents. The chapter deserves much credit for the amount of patriotic work done during the year. Between $90 and $100 were expended.

Five facsimiles of the Declaration of Independence were framed and hung, one in Carnegie Library and four in different school buildings. A bronze memorial tablet in memory of Mrs. Helen M. Warren, wife of Senator Warren, was purchased and placed in the woman's room in the Carnegie Library. Ten dollars was contributed to the Memorial Continental Hall fund. In June the chapter furnished a delightful evening's entertainment for the Children of the American Revolution.

While our chapter is still comparatively small, it is composed of the most loyal and enthusiastic of members.

Jacques Laramie Chapter during the year held a number of meetings, and a great deal of work was done along the lines of patriotic education. This subject is one in which the chapter takes great interest and is the one to which it devotes the greater part of its time and energy.

The chapter, as is its usual custom, for the purpose of promoting patriotism, offered a prize of $10 for the best essay on the "Overland trail in Wyoming," written by any student of the University of Wyoming. This chapter also presented to the university a handsome framed copy of the Declaration of Independence, where it now hangs in a very prominent place. One of the most interesting meetings of the year was one at which exercises were held around the historic tree presented to them through the state regent.

The chapter has a membership of 23, among whom are numbered some of the first settlers of the state, and, as has been stated heretofore, there are many who could establish their eligibility were they in a position where they might have access to records.

PART III.

REPORT OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

WORK OF LOCAL SOCIETIES.

Tobias Lear Society, of Los Angeles, Cal., has begun the work of organization since the last report, through the efforts of Mrs. Cameron Thom, state vice-regent, Daughters of the American Revolution, its president, with Mrs. Nathan Cole, jr., and it will soon have 14 charter members.

The hero of the society, Tobias Lear, born September 19, 1762, was a New Englander, who was called to Mount Vernon to be the tutor of the Custis children, the grandchildren of Mrs. Washington. He became private secretary to Washington and his familiar friend; was with him in his last illness, and the account he wrote gives us most that we know of the death of the Father of his Country. Tobias Lear died when an accountant of the War Department, October 11, 1816.

Valentine Holt Society, of San Francisco, Cal., contains, after its ten years of work and growth, a number of members who are nearing the age limit for membership. Plans are under consideration for the division of the society into two branches, junior and senior, to accommodate the different interests of the older and younger members.

As proposed on page 368 of the seventh report, the new stone of hammered granite was duly erected, October 26, 1904, at the grave of Valentine Holt. The inscription is as follows:

Valentine Holt,
A soldier of the American Revolution,
1763–1840.
Erected by the
Valentine Holt Society of the
Children of the American Revolution,
of San Francisco, California.

One of the pleasant features connected with the Daughters of the American Revolution and Children of the American Revolution organizations is the opportunity they afford for

the interchange of friendly courtesies between members separated by the width of the continent. This was exemplified in the kindly service rendered by the Eunice Farnsworth Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, of Skowhegan, Me., in arranging the necessary details connected with the erection of this stone and the carrying out of the long-cherished wishes of the children of California. In recognition of this gracious courtesy a San Francisco spoon was sent to Miss Gertrude S. Weston, regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution chapter in Skowhegan.

In April, 1905, the society sent $50 to the national treasurer of our society for our fund to be given to the Memorial Continental Hall and the $20 they were holding at last report was sent to the prison ship martyrs' monument fund.

Judah Roberts Society, of Winsted, Conn., the last society formed in the state, has just completed its organization October 9, 1905, with 30 charter members. Its president is Mrs. Leverett W. Tiffany.

The hero of these children was the second son of Joel Roberts and Rachel Webb, and was born September 13, 1763, in Litchfield County, Conn. He died June 17, 1839, on the sixty-fourth anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill. He was "the man of the house" at 13 years, during his father's absence in the Revolutionary army. When his father was sent home disabled, Judah, then a lad of 15, took his place and remained until honorably discharged at the close of the war.

Through a long line of brave ancestors this young man was descended from William the Conqueror.

Capital Society, of Washington, D. C., is renewing its interest and work under the direction of Miss Anna B. Yeatman. On May 20, 1905, in conjunction with the other societies of the District, a lawn fete was given with much success, and about $40 were thus raised for the benefit of the Memorial Continental Hall fund.

Blue Hen's Chickens Society, of Wilmington, Del., completed their great undertaking, mentioned on page 357 of the sixth report, by unveiling, April 26, 1904, their beautiful drinking fountain in Washington Heights Park. The cost was more than $300. The fountain was unveiled by the two youngest members of the society amidst great enthusiasm, which a pouring rain did not affect. Speeches were made by many

ZEALY MOSS SOCIETY, PEORIA, ILL., DECORATING THE GRAVE OF ZEALY MOSS.

prominent citizens, and the "Star Spangled Banner" was sung by the daughter of the chief justice of Delaware.

The inscription on the fountain is as follows:

> In memory of Lieut. Clarke Churchman, U. S. A.,
> Delaware's only son killed in the Spanish-American war.
> Graduated from West Point April 26, 1898.
> Died at El Caney, Cuba, July 2, 1898.
> Erected by the Blue Hen's Chickens Society,
> Children of the American Revolution."

Almost the entire cost of this beautiful memorial was raised by the children themselves.

During the winter of 1904–5 the children worked entirely for the Memorial Continental Hall fund. Each child made $11 or more by various methods, some giving magic-lantern shows, some running errands, some washing dishes, etc., the result of their efforts being $40 for the fund. A member of the parent society promised them that she would give them for their contribution as much as they would raise in this way. But as her check for $40 was handed in at the last Daughters of the American Revolution Congress with the other gifts of the other Delaware daughters, it would not be credited to the Blue Hen's Chickens Society.

Mrs. Mary Winder Miller is to be appointed as the new president at the next meeting of the national board of management.

In Illinois a new state director, Mrs Frank Barker, of Rochelle, was appointed at the meeting of the national board held April 13, 1905.

Zealy Moss Society is the name chosen by the young patriots of Peoria, Ill., whose proposed organization was mentioned on page 372 of the seventh report.

Zealy Moss, their hero, was born and enlisted in Loudon County, Va. On May 30, 1905, they decorated his grave. (See Plate 14.)

It is interesting to note that the first idea of forming this society came from the plea of a little girl, Isabella Minor Newton, who said: "Grandmamma, I wish you would make me a Daughter of the American Revolution."

The children have performed with such good effect a little cantata written for them by Miss Julia Johnston, and they expect to render it again before the parent chapter at the January meeting in 1906.

Fort Ouiatenon Society is the name finally decided to be the correct one for the little band forming at Lafayette, Ind. An old Jesuit's journal, recently discovered in Paris, fixes the site of the fort at this place as on the west bank of the Wabash River at the mouth of the Bois Roger, 9 miles above Chippery and 70 yards back from the river. On the east bank were five Indian villages of the Wea, about a mile below the fort. The fort is now thought to have been established in 1720, from seven to fifteen years before Vincennes, heretofore thought to be the oldest white settlement in the state of Indiana. The president appointed January 12, 1905, to organize the society here is Mrs. C. Gordon Ball (Annette Winter).

General Nathanael Greene Society, of New Albany, Ind., is now 6 years old. Under the leadership of their president, Miss Fannie M. Hedden, their meetings are held once a month from October to June, both inclusive. At the December meeting, 1904, they learned how a neighbor's son, just returned from the Philippines, had reported that every scrap of paper from home was appreciated and eagerly sought after by the "boys in blue" stationed there. Could they send a box? Books and magazines were collected at the January meeting of 1905 and forwarded to Manila, eliciting most hearty words of appreciation from the recipients.

When the new high school was completed in May, 1905, the long-cherished plan mentioned on page 373 of the seventh report was carried out. After long waiting the society was granted the privilege of dedicating the building by presentation of the flag on the vacant staff above it. The view of this scene, which appears on Plate 15, has also been reproduced on a postal card as a souvenir of the occasion.

Joseph Bulkley Society, of Louisville, Ky., still remains the only living society in the state. Three young ladies of the John Marshall Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will be appointed to assist the president, Mrs. J. H. Tucker (Mattie B.), in her work, and we hope for an increase of membership and activity as a result of their effort.

At the meeting of the national board of management held April 13, 1905, a new state director, Mrs. Alvin R. Bailey, was appointed for Massachusetts to succeed Mrs. Henry G. Weston (Estelle Hatch), who had resigned.

DEDICATING NEW HIGH SCHOOL, NEW ALBANY, IND.

Asa Pollard Society, of Billerica, Mass., has now about 15 members, many names formerly on the list having now passed the age limit for membership. Miss Martha A. Dodge, who was appointed as president on April 13, 1905, still continues her work on the town records, mentioned on page 362 of the sixth report, and expects to gather in a number of new members to replace the "graduates."

Signal Lantern Society, of Boston, has a new president, Mrs. John A. Keefe (Eliza Sweat).

Paul Jones Society, of Detroit, Mich., has recovered from the temporary eclipse, mentioned on page 374 of the seventh report, and now has a new president, Mrs. Claude Dana Standish (Grace Mack), appointed March, 1905, who is taking up her duties with much energy and success. There are about 28 members, and they have been making a flag.

A Washington Birthday entertainment took place February, 1905, the children appearing in colonial costumes and giving an interesting programme. This was so much enjoyed by the audience that they were asked to repeat the programme at the Franklin street settlement house in Detroit. The poor Polish women and children there seemed to appreciate this very highly.

Other entertainments are planned for the winter of 1905–6. It is evident that the elders are becoming interested in the work of the children, for the president has been asked to deliver, November 18, 1905, before the Louisa St. Clair Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, a talk about the origin and work of the Children of the American Revolution. At this time the children will also give an elaborate programme. We hope that much benefit will accrue to our society from this renewal of interest on the part of the parent society. The return of the body of John Paul Jones to this country is naturally of much interest to this society, and they may possibly send some little tribute for his tomb when the final interment takes place at Annapolis, Md.

Justus Blanchard Society is the name given to the society started at Faribault, Minn., some years since. Its hero was a lad of Billerica, Mass., who served during the entire seven years of the Revolution. At 16 he marched on the "Lexington Alarm," took part in the battle of Bunker Hill and the siege of Boston, was with the army on Long Island, New

York, taken prisoner at the surrender of Fort Washington and confined in the Sugar House Prison, New York City, exchanged in the spring of 1777, he reenlisted for three years or during the war in Colonel Nixon's Sixth Regiment of Continental Troops, was with this regiment during the campaigns of 1777, 1778, and 1779, being present for duty on the rolls up to December 31, 1779.

Abigail Coffin Society, of Suncook, N. H., still remains the only society in the state. Its heroine was the daughter of John Coffin and Judith Greenleaf, and was born in Newbury, Mass., November 8, 1718. She was of honorary descent from Sir Richard Coffin, knight, who went with William the Conqueror to England in 1066 and received for his services a large grant of land, which was held in the family for seven hundred years. In this country her relatives were among the foremost men of their time. The old Coffin house in Newbury, built more than two hundred and fifty years ago, still stands.

In February, 1743, she became the wife of Rev. Aaron Whittemore, first minister of Pembroke, N. H. Their house, built on the same site, is now standing. It was a garrison house intended for the protection of the neighborhood from Indian attacks. The ministers of those days had to fight as well as pray, and her husband became one of the Rogers scouts and commanded this post.

During an Indian raid, when the women and children were safely in the garrison and the men were at work in the fields, report says that she donned her husband's clothes, took a sword, and appeared at a window. With a loud voice she gave orders as if to a company of men ready to fight, calling them by name. It is also said that she had cheeses rolled down the stairs to increase the noise. The Indians concluded that a place so ready for defense would not be safe to attack, and departed, and the peril was averted for the time.

On the death of her husband, in 1767, she was left with a large family and a large farm, but successfully managed both. Three sons, Aaron, Peter, and Benjamin, were given to her country's service. She died May 12, 1803, and was buried in the Whittemore lot.

Bemis Heights Society, of Saratoga Springs, N. Y., has 85 members, and others are waiting to be admitted. At the eight meetings held during the year the principal events of

the Revolution were studied. At the close of the winter's work questions were asked about the subjects studied.

Colonel Bruyn Society, of Kingston, N. Y., had the privilege of joining in the state director's invitation to the other societies of the state for a Children of the American Revolution conference held at Kingston in October, 1904, in connection with the state conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The closing evening of the conference was given up to the children and the standard bearer carried the national emblem awarded to the New York societies at the annual convention of 1904.

On two other occasions these children were the guests of Wiltwyck Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, the first being a lecture by William Ellicott Griffins on Sullivan's expedition, the other the birthday celebration of the birthday of the parent chapter. At this time they received a handsome flag in honor of their name.

Ensign Robert Wilson Society, of Brockport, N. Y., has a new president, Miss Anna I. Pope, elected April 13, 1905, and expects to continue its former good work.

Fort Johnson Society is the name which will probably be adopted by the young people organizing at Amsterdam, N. Y., under the guidance of Mrs. Thomas M. Billington (Harriet Johnson). The old fort from which they take their name has been presented to the Montgomery County Historical Society by Mr. De Peyster. The children were invited to attend a meeting by the society at which the story of the place was told, and were cordially received by the president and informed that they as well as the Daughters of the American Revolution should have a room in the building, which they could furnish and where they could hold their meetings.

Hiawatha Society, of Syracuse, N. Y., is the largest in our whole organization, reporting at the annual convention of 1905 a membership of 107, nominally an adjunct of the strong and flourishing Onondaga Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

On September 28, 1905, Miss Mary Isabella Forsyth, state director, and Hiawatha Society jointly issued their invitation to all state regents Daughters of the American Revolution, the Children of the American Revolution, and state directors, all national officers of the sons, the daughters, and the children

societies, held on that date in convention with the annual state conference of the New York Daughters of the American Revolution. The occasion was a memorable one, and the programme, well considered and executed, showed conclusively what children could do under careful leadership. It was an object lesson which will not soon be forgotten by those who were so fortunate as to be able to attend the exercises.

Iroquois Society, of Rochester, N. Y., disorganized since 1899, has been revived since our last report under the guidance of Mrs. Fanny F. Burton.

Little Men and Women of '76 Society, of Brooklyn, N. Y., has never had less than 75 members, and sometimes nearer 100. Its contributions for war relief, for the Memorial Continental Hall fund, for the prison ship martyrs' monument, for the Home of the Friendless Women and Children, and other objects, from May, 1898, to date of this report, amount to $1,250. Of this sum, $1,171.78 has been mentioned in the sixth and seventh reports, which leaves $78.22 as the addition for the past year.

The contributions for Memorial Continental Hall, received within the dates December, 1904, and April 19, 1905, from this society were far more than those received from any other society or individual child; hence at the annual convention in April, 1905, the cup was awarded to Little Men and Women of '76 Society and received by Lloyd S. Cooney.

Stone Ridge Society, of Herkimer, N. Y., makes this year its first public report, though organized since October, 1903. Its President is Mrs. Alvin Martin Evans (Margaret Petrie Newsom). The membership is 22, while 10 other prospective members await the confirmation of their papers. Meetings are held monthly since the winter months.

During the winter of 1905 the children had a booth in the fair given by Gen. Nicholas Herkimer Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, to raise money for a pedestal for the monument to Gen. Nicholas Herkimer to be given by Senator Warner Miller. At this fair the children raised $50.

The name of the society is that of a ridge of stony land given by Gertrude Demuth Petrie to the settlement now called Herkimer. It was part of a royal grant given to a lady who was from Holland and of noble Dutch birth.

White Plains Society, of White Plains, N. Y., held its preliminary meeting March 23, 1905, 13 young people being in attendance; 5 other meetings have been held since. There are now about 20 members and more are expected. Papers on the historic landmarks about White Plains during the Revolution, and on General McDougall, the hero of Chatterton Hill, where the battle was fought, have been read, and the salute to the flag is always given with enthusiasm.

Jonathan Harrington Society, of Kenton, Ohio, is another new society reported for the first time. Its president, Mrs. Mary Lydia Amsden Woodward, was appointed February 9, 1905, and now has gathered about 20 members.

The hero of the society is the youth whose shrill fife resounded at the drum-beating when the patriots fired upon the red coats at Lexington.

The society has two divisions—a junior, composed of children under 15, and a senior, composed of older members. Each division carries its own programme. The seniors are making the history of Ohio their study for the year. The junior division is studying local and county history. Twice each year the two divisions have a joint social session—in June a picnic, in December an evening entertainment, to which their parents and friends are invited. Each division has been allowed to have four associate members. These will probably be able to prove their eligibility for regular membership later.

Aside from their historical studies, the children are interested in civic improvement and tree planting and are doing a real work for the beautifying of the town.

As much as possible, the president leaves the affairs of the society in the hands of the children themselves, being always present, however, to help and guide them. Their work in the society is giving them so good a drill in parliamentary law that they will need little teaching in later years. The presiding officer of the junior division is said to be a veritable Tom Reed in his ruling.

Conrad Weiser Society of Reading, Pa., as now organized, has 14 members. No memorial has as yet been placed by this society, but plans for one are forming.

Their hero, Conrad Weiser, was born in Germany in 1696. He came to Pennsylvania and was intimately connected with

the government under William Penn. He settled in Tulpekocken, Berks County, Pa. His first service in the province was in 1731. He was prominent in the French and Indian war and served as colonel in 1755. He was one of the founders of Berks County in 1738 and of Reading in 1748. He died in 1760 on his farm at Heidelberg, Berks County, leaving a widow and five sons and a large estate. One son served as captain in the Revolutionary army. His name was chosen because he was the most picturesque as well as most important character connected with the early days of the country. He was both an interpreter for and a teacher among the Indians.

The Children of the American Revolution of Rhode Island held their annual meeting in Providence, at the Trocadero, on Saturday morning, December 9, 1905.

They were called together by the state director, Mrs. Charles E. Longley, to hear the annual reports of the seven societies and to award the prize banner to the society bringing the best record for the year. More than 100 were present.

Samuel Ward Society, of Westerly, R. I., Mrs. John P. Randall, president, reports that the members have worked with interest and loyalty during the year. Washington's Birthday, February 22, they celebrated.

The members of the entertainment committee conducted a successful sale of home-made candies at the home of their chairman, at which they cleared $24.

The historical work, treating of colonial and Revolutionary landmarks in and around Westerly, was carried out as planned.

The treasurer reports $58 in the treasury. There have been 7 additions to the membership. It is worthy of mention that the young people work as willingly on committees as in filling offices. Interest has been awakened and ability developed by the appointment of entertainment, programme, and musical committees.

L'Esperance Society, of Bristol, Miss Evelyn Bache, president. After hearing the fine reports of the Children of the American Revolution societies last year, especially that of the Pawtucket Society, the members of L'Esperance Society decided they would not come again to the annual meeting

without they had a goodly number added to their society; so the president and older members did what they could, and in March a meeting was held at which 17 new members joined.

Bristol expects to reopen the club for working boys, and L'Esperance has already offered a flag to the club and will help in other ways, some of the members teaching at the club as they did in former years.

In February the society was invited to meet with the Bristol Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, in their celebration of Washington's Birthday. A most instructive lecture was given by Mr. Amasa Eaton. Other courtesies have also been received from Bristol Chapter, all of which were heartily appreciated by the society.

That this great work for our country will grow and broaden in every society in our state is the sincere wish of L'Esperance Society.

Joseph Bucklin Society, of Providence, Mrs. Thomas W. Aldrich, president. The society was organized ten years ago, with 12 charter members, only one of whom remains, the others having reached the age limit. The present membership is 55. The society has contributed to Continental Hall $50; also $3 for the Rhode Island wreath, which was placed on Washington's tomb last April, at the time of the annual pilgrimage of the Children of the American Revolution to Mount Vernon.

Five meetings have been held during the year, with papers and readings, both historical and patriotic in character, and reports of the Children of the American Revolution meetings in Washington and at Mount Vernon were given.

Mrs. Edward Jackson gave a very interesting paper Washington's Birthday, her subject being "A stagecoach ride of one hundred years ago," which was of equal interest to the younger and older members of the society. A delightful musicale was given March 10 for the benefit of Continental Hall fund, which netted $31.

On April 1 Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, now in her eighty-seventh year, gave her lecture on "Patriotism in literature," for the benefit of the society. Mrs. Howe gave a pleasing sketch of the love of country, breathed through the poems of famous men—Wordsworth, Burns, Byron, and Browning. She

gave honor to two women, Hannah Adams and Mary Warren, also to Francis Scott Key, who wrote "The Star Spangled Banner." She also told how she happened to write "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," and closed by reciting an original poem, "Salute the Flag."

This record for the year was so fine that it was very difficult to decide whether this society or the Commodore Abraham Whipple Society, of Pawtucket, should receive the prize banner, but it was awarded to the latter.

The present and past state directors were so pleased with the work done by the Joseph Bucklin Society that they offered to present a banner also to this society, it being so close a second.

Commodore Silas Talbot Society, of Providence. The members have nearly all reached the age limit. The treasurer, Ira Winsor Knight, reports dues all paid to February 19, 1905, with a balance of $48.88.

Commodore Abraham Whipple Society, of Pawtucket, Miss Lulie Bennett Shaw, president. This is a very wide-awake and enthusiastic society. It has a membership of 91, with 9 applicants, so they will soon reach the 100 mark.

The subject of study for the year was "Famous men and women of Rhode Island." Papers were read on Commodore Abraham Whipple, Gen. Nathanael Greene, Mrs. Nathanael Greene, Commodore Oliver H. Perry, and Commodore Matthew C. Perry.

The society made two pilgrimages to historic spots, and gave a lawn party at the residence of the state director, Mrs. Charles E. Longley, in honor of the parents of members.

On Washington's Birthday a continental bazaar was held to raise money for the proposed gift to the Children of the American Revolution room in Continental Hall, Washington. The amount realized was $49.81, which, added to the sum already voted, makes $55 in hand for our memorial. The society also gave $3 toward the wreath sent from Rhode Island and placed on Washington's tomb last April at the time of the pilgrimage of the Children of the American Revolution to Mount Vernon. There is a balance in the treasury of $80.41.

To this society, with this splendid record for the year, the prize banner was awarded.

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