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OF THE  
THIRTY-SEVENTH STATE CONFERENCE  
National Society  
Daughters of the  
American Revolution  
GEORGIA



ATHENS, GEORGIA  
MARCH 20-21-22, 1935

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BY INVITATION OF THE  
ELIJAH CLARKE CHAPTER

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"A people which takes no pride in the noble achievements of remote ancestors will never achieve anything worthy to be remembered by remote descendants."—*Macaulay*

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*Non sibi sed aliis*—OGLETHORPE'S MOTTO



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MRS. JOHN W. DANIEL	- - - -	State Regent
MRS. HARRISON HIGHTOWER	-	State Recording Secretary
MRS. MELL KNOX	- -	State Chairman Press Committee



Book Plate for Georgia books in library at Constitution Hall, a contribution of the Georgia Society D. A. R. to the Georgia Bicentennial program.

### HISTORY

The work of providing a book plate for the Georgia books in the library at Constitution Hall was begun by Mrs. John S. Adams during her first term of office as State Librarian, Georgia D. A. R. 1931-1932. At the time Mrs. Adams planned a design which, with the addition of the motto and Bicentennial dates, is the sketch used.

The Book Plates were presented to the Georgia Society D. A. R. on March 16, 1933, by Mrs. E. B. Freeman in her report to the Georgia State Conference, as chairman of the Book Plate Committee, and accepted for the Georgia Society by Mrs. Julian McCurry, State Regent of Georgia.

### Significance

Many phases of Georgia history are embodied in the design of the State D. A. R. Book Plate. In the upper center appears an inset of a photogravure of General James Edward Oglethorpe, the founder of the state; the shield of Oglethorpe is placed on the upper left and is balanced on the right by the great seal of the state of Georgia. On the left of the center inscription "Ex Libris D. A. R. Georgia," is an Indian figure representing the original inhabitants of this domain; on the right is a replica of the Statue of Liberty. The motto, "Amor patriae patrumque," carries the thought of love of country and of ancestry. Intertwining these and blending them into an interesting whole is a delicate tracery of the Cherokee rose, Georgia's state flower. A few full blown cotton bolls, Georgia's staple crop, also appear in the embellishment of the sketch. The Bicentennial idea is expressed in the dates, 1733-1933.

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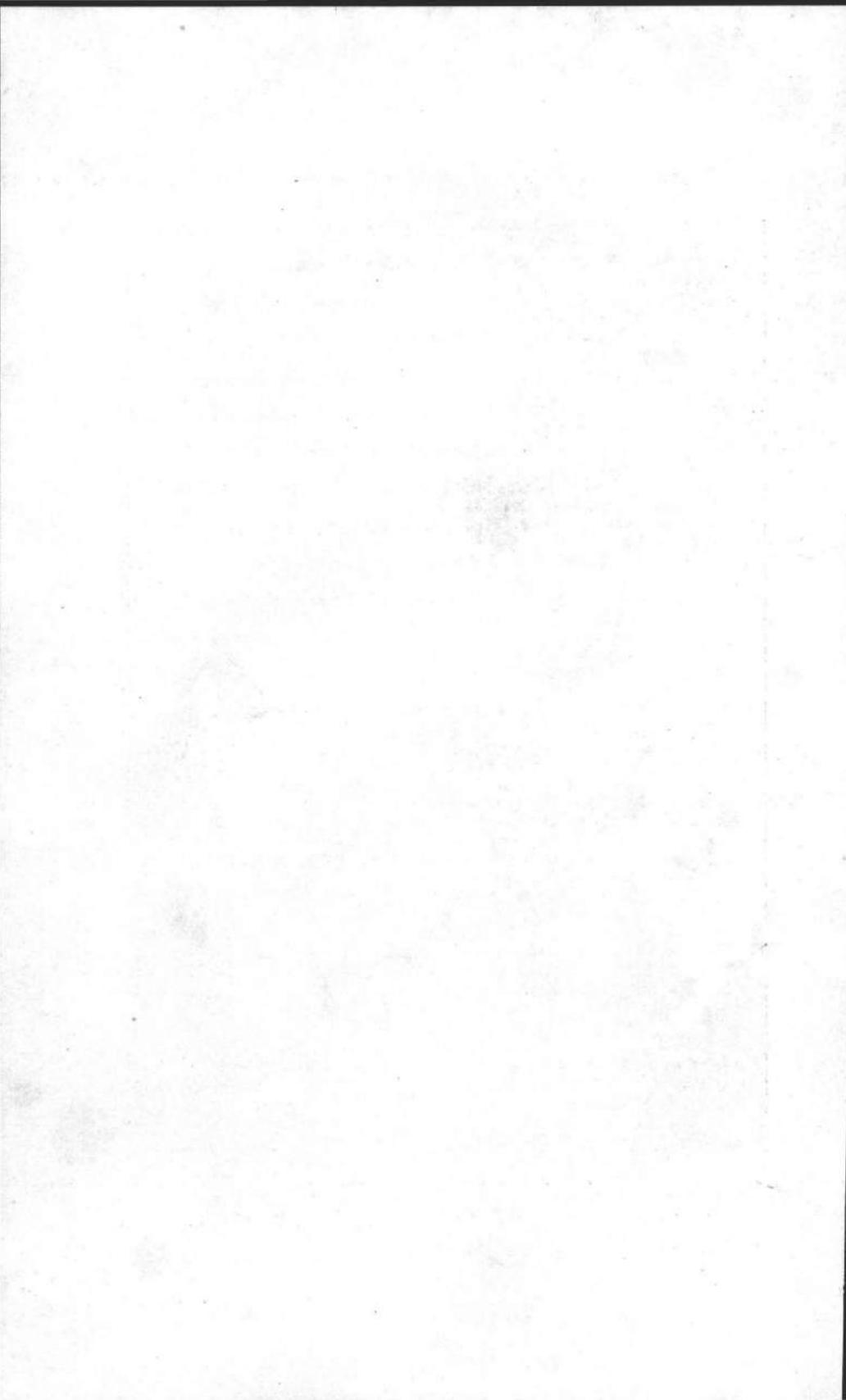
MRS. JOHN W. DANIEL  
State Regent, 1934-35-36



MRS. JULIAN McCURRY  
Vice-President General  
National Society Daughters of the American Revolution  
1934-1937



MRS. JULIUS Y. TALMADGE  
Recording Secretary General  
National Society Daughters of the American Revolution  
1935-1938



**STATE REGENTS OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN  
REVOLUTION IN GEORGIA SINCE THE FORMATION  
OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY**

- \*First State Regent—Mrs. Augustus Ramon Salas, Waynesboro, Ga., for the year 1891.
- \*Second State Regent—Mrs. Harry Jackson, Atlanta, Ga., for the year 1892.
- \*Third State Regent—Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, Savannah, Ga., for the years 1893, 1894, 1896, and 1897.
- \*Fourth State Regent—Mrs. Porter King, Atlanta, Ga., for the year 1898.
- \*Fifth State Regent—Mrs. Robert Emory Park, Macon, Ga., for the years 1899, 1900, 1901, and 1902.
- \*Sixth State Regent—Mrs. Ira Yale, Sage, Atlanta, Ga., for the years 1903 and 1904.
- Seventh State Regent—Mrs. James A. Rounsaville, Rome, Ga., for the years 1905 and 1906.
- \*Eighth State Regent—Miss Anna Caroline Benning, Columbus, Ga., for the years 1907 and 1908.
- Ninth State Regent—Mrs. P. W. Godfrey, Covington, Ga., for the year 1909.
- \*Tenth State Regent—Mrs. John M. Graham, Marietta, Ga., for the years 1910, 1911, and 1912.
- Eleventh State Regent—Mrs. Sheppard W. Foster, Atlanta, Ga., for the years 1912, 1913, and 1914.
- \*Twelfth State Regent—Mrs. Thaddeus C. Parker, Macon, Ga., for the years 1914, 1915, and 1916.
- Thirteenth State Regent—Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Atlanta, Ga., for the years 1916, 1917, and 1918.
- Fourteenth State Regent—Mrs. James S. Wood, Savannah, Ga., for the years 1918, 1919, and 1920.
- Fifteenth State Regent—Mrs. Max E. Land, Cordele, Ga., for the years 1920, 1921, and 1922.
- Sixteenth State Regent—Mrs. Charles Akerman, Macon, Ga., for the years 1922, 1923, and 1924.
- Seventeenth State Regent—Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Athens, Ga., for the years 1924, 1925, and 1926.
- Eighteenth State Regent—Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin, Tennille, Ga., for the years 1926, 1927, 1928.
- Nineteenth State Regent—Mrs. Herbert Fay Gaffney, Columbus, Ga., for the years 1928, 1929, and 1930.
- Twentieth State Regent—Mrs. Bun Wylie, Atlanta, Ga., for the years 1930, 1931, and 1932.
- Twenty-first State Regent—Mrs. Julian McCurry, Athens, Ga., for the years 1932, 1933, and 1934.
- Twenty-second State Regent—Mrs. John W. Daniel, Savannah, Ga., for the years 1934, 1935, and 1936.

**Honorary State Regents**

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|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
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| *Miss Julia McKinley         | *Mrs. T. C. Parker          |
| *Mrs. Mary A. Washington     | Mrs. Max E. Land            |
| *Mrs. Harriet Gold Jefferies | Mrs. James S. Wood          |
| *Mrs. William Lawson Peel    | Mrs. Charles Akerman        |
| *Mrs. J. H. Redding          | Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge     |
| *Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan        | Mrs. Herbert Franklin       |
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| Mrs. Howard H. McCall        | Mrs. Bun Wylie              |
| Mrs. Julian McCurry          |                             |

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- \*Madam Proschaska, Atlanta, Ga. (Formerly Mrs. Dickson).
- \*Miss Anna Caroline Benning, Columbus, Ga.
- \*Mrs. Hoke Smith, Atlanta, Ga.
- \*Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, Savannah, Ga.
- \*Mrs. I. Y. Sage, Atlanta, Ga.
- \*Mrs. Robert E. Park, Macon, Ga.
- Miss Anna Caroline Benning, Columbus, Ga.
- \*Mrs. William Lawson Peel, Atlanta, Ga.
- Mrs. Sheppard W. Foster, Atlanta, Ga.
- Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Atlanta, Ga.
- Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Athens, Ga.
- Mrs. Herbert Fay Gaffney, Columbus, Ga.
- Mrs. Julian McCurry, Athens, Ga.

## THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

(Organization—October 11, 1890)

MEMORIAL CONTINENTAL HALL

Seventeenth and D Streets, N. W., Washington, D. C.

NATIONAL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

1935-1936

### President General

Mrs. William A. Becker,

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**Librarian General**

Mrs. Luther Eugene Tamm, Memorial Continental Hall.

**Curator General**

Mrs. Robert J. Reed, Memorial Continental Hall.

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# In Memoriam

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## Deceased Members, 1934-35

### ASHBURN: KNOX-CONWAY CHAPTER

Mrs. Clyde S. McKenzie (G. C.), June 30, 1934

### ATHENS: ELIJAH CLARKE CHAPTER

Mrs. George T. Hodgson (India Florence Coker),  
May 26, 1934

### ATLANTA: ATLANTA CHAPTER

Mrs. Loula W. Lupo, April 20, 1934

Mrs. Charles L. Gately (Fannie Lamar Rankin),  
October 7, 1934

Mrs. Lewis D. Lowe (Fanny Smith), Dec. 21, 1934

Mrs. Louis Gholstin (Mary Butt), Dec. 22, 1934

Mrs. Henry P. Scales (Mary Berry), February, 1935  
Miss Cora Brown, March 17, 1935

### ATLANTA: JOSEPH HABERSHAM CHAPTER

Mrs. John A. Perdue (Marion Grahman) July 1, 1934

Mrs. Frederick J. Paxon (Hazeltine Petty), July 30,  
1934

Mrs. Daniel MacIntyre (Marie R. Whitehead), 1934

Mrs. Eugene H. Cox (Mary Wartman), 1934

Miss Carrie Lucile Stanton, 1934

Mrs. Paul O. Herbert, 1931

### AUGUSTA: AUGUSTA CHAPTER

Mrs. Adeline L. Cohen, May 9, 1934

Mrs. Sanford Gardner, March 4, 1935

### BARNESVILLE: LAMAR LaFAYETTE CHAPTER

Mrs. E. L. Coleman, November 15, 1934

### CLARKESVILLE: TOMICHICHI CHAPTER

Miss Addie Greene Bass, September 5, 1934

### COLUMBUS: OGLETHORPE CHAPTER

Miss Anna Caroline Benning, February 8, 1935

### DALTON: GOV. JOHN MILLEDGE CHAPTER

Mrs. Bertha Kellogg Tyler

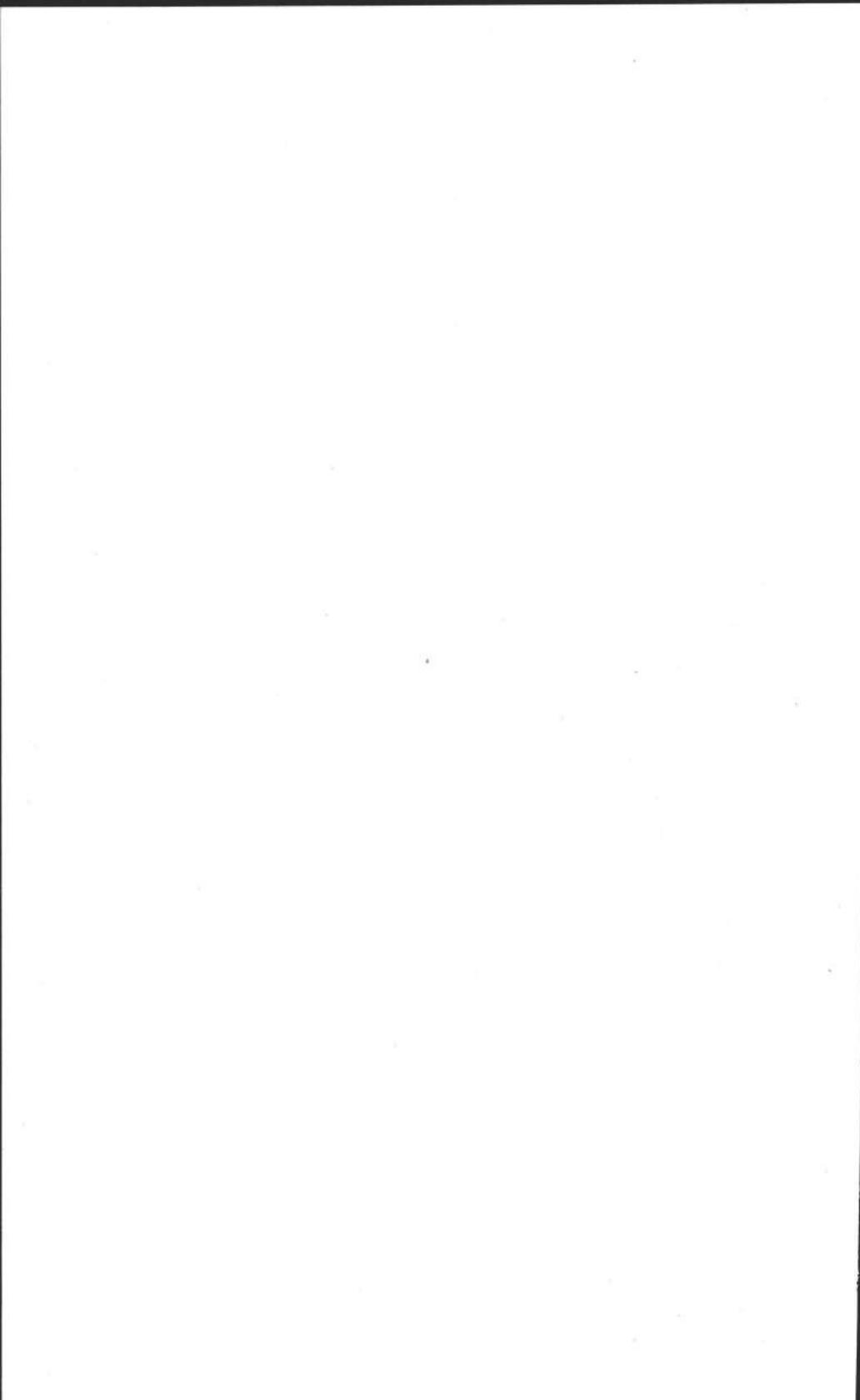
Mrs. Mary Kelly Bitting

### ELBERTON: STEPHEN HEARD CHAPTER

Mrs. Nancy Head Davis

Mrs. Mary C. B. Fortson, April 7, 1934

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- GRIFFIN: PULASKI CHAPTER  
Mrs. Julia McWilliams Drewry, Dec. 29, 1934
- HARTWELL: JOHN BENSON CHAPTER  
Mrs. Faith Dorsey Yow  
Mrs. Susan Higgenbotham
- HAWKINSVILLE: HAWKINSVILLE CHAPTER  
Mrs. Amanda Caldwell, April 14, 1934
- JESUP: ALTAMAHA CHAPTER  
Mrs. Joseph Henry Thomas, March, 1933.
- LaGRANGE: LaGRANGE CHAPTER  
Mrs. Lena McGhee Terrell, September 17, 1934
- MACON: MARY HAMMOND WASHINGTON CHAPTER  
Martha Huguenin Johnston (Mrs. J. Marshall)  
Annie Mix Bowdre (Mrs. Ross)
- MADISON: HENRY WALTON CHAPTER  
Amelia Mott Parker Baldwin (Mrs. Thomas), November 1, 1933
- MONTEZUMA: ARCHIBALD BULLOCK CHAPTER  
Mrs. Mattie E. L. Cheeves, June 3, 1934
- MONTICELLO: ELIZABETH MARLOW CHAPTER  
Mrs. Agnes Webb Powell
- MOULTRIE: JOHN BENNING CHAPTER  
Mrs. W. C. Vereen
- NEWNAN: SARAH DICKINSON CHAPTER  
Mrs. Maggie J. Stone, May 31, 1934
- PERRY: GEN. DANIEL STEWART CHAPTER  
Mrs. Corinne Mann Gilbert
- QUITMAN: HANNAH CLARKE CHAPTER  
Mrs. Julia L. Bradon, May 29, 1934
- WARRENTON: BURKHALTER CHAPTER  
Mrs. Augusta H. Brinkley, May 19, 1934  
Mrs. D. S. Ricketson
- WASHINGTON: KETTLE CREEK CHAPTER  
Mrs. Roselle M. Montgomery
- WAYCROSS: JONATHAN BRYAN CHAPTER  
Rosalie Toomer (Mrs. William)
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# PROGRAM

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**Thirty-seventh Annual Conference**  
**GEORGIA DAUGHTERS,**  
**NATIONAL SOCIETY, DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN**  
**REVOLUTION**  
**in Georgia**

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**ATHENS, GEORGIA, MARCH 20, 21, 22, 1935**

The University of Georgia Chapel

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**Wednesday Afternoon, March 20th**

Meeting of Credential Committee, 2:00 to 5:30  
Georgian Hotel

Executive Board Meeting, 3:00 P. M.  
Legion Hall, Georgian Hotel

**Wednesday Evening at 6:00 O'Clock**

Banquet honoring members of Georgia State Conference  
Dawson Hall

Guests of Dr. Steadman Vincent Sanford, President of The University of Georgia

**Wednesday Evening at 8:00 O'Clock**

The University of Georgia Chapel  
Opening Session

Organ Prelude: Miss Nolee May Dunaway.

Bugle Call: Mr. R. T. Dottery.

Processional: Entrance of Standard Bearers, Pages, Distinguished Guests, Ex-State Regents, Ex-National Officers, State Officers, National Officers, Hostess Regent, State Regent.

Thirty-seventh Georgia State Conference called to order by State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel.

Invocation: Rev. Eugene L. Hill.

Pledge to the Flag: Led by Mrs. John M. Slaton.

American's Creed: Led by Mrs. Bun Wylie, Honorary State Regent.  
"Star-Spangled Banner:" In unison.

Addresses of Welcome:

Miss Annie S. Crawford, Regent, Elijah Clarke Chapter, D. A. R.

Dr. Steadman Vincent Sanford, President, The University of Georgia.

Hon. A. G. Dudley, Mayor of Athens, Georgia.

Mrs. Thomas W. Reed, representing Women's Organizations of Athens.

Response: Mrs. Howard McCall, Ex-Vice-President-General.

Presentation of State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel, by Miss Annie S. Crawford, Regent, Elijah Clarke Chapter.

Address: Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent.  
 Solo: Mr. Roosevelt Walker.  
 Presentation of General Robert J. Travis by Mrs. H. F. Gaffney,  
 Ex-Vice-President-General.  
 Address: "International Relations:" General Robert J. Travis.  
 Presentation of National Officers by Mrs. Bun Wylie, Honorary  
 State Regent.  
 Response: Mrs. Julian McCurry, Vice-President-General.  
 Introduction of Distinguished Guests by Mrs. Julius Talmadge, Ex-  
 Vice-President-General.  
 Response: Mrs. Max E. Land, Honorary State Regent.  
 Announcements: Mrs. M. R. Redwine.  
 Benediction: Rev. Cyprian Wilcox.

**Thursday Morning, March 21st, at 7:30 O'Clock**

State Officers' Club Breakfast  
 Legion Hall, Georgian Hotel

**Thursday Morning at 9:00 O'Clock**

The University of Georgia Chapel

Bugle Call.

Entrance of Standard Bearers, Pages, State Officers, Hostess Regent,  
 State Regent.

Conference called to order by State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel.

Prayer: Mrs. Julia Bacon Osborne, State Chaplain.

"America:" In unison.

Pledge to the Flag: Led by Mrs. John M. Slaton.

Report of Credential Committee: Mrs. Julius T. Dudley, Chairman.

Roll Call.

Presentation of Program: Mrs. M. R. Redwine, Chairman.

Reading of Rules: Mrs. Julius Talmadge, Parliamentarian.

Minutes of Executive Board Meeting: Mrs. Harrison Hightower,  
 Recording Secretary.

Minutes of Evening Session: Mrs. Harrison Hightower.

Report of State Regent: Mrs. John W. Daniel.

Report of Vice-President-General: Mrs. Julian McCurry.

Report of State Officers:

First Vice-Regent.....	Mrs. W. E. Mann
Second Vice-Regent.....	Mrs. John S. Adams
Recording Secretary.....	Mrs. Harrison Hightower
Corresponding Secretary.....	Mrs. J. Thomas Wood
Treasurer.....	Mrs. Thomas Mell
Auditor.....	Mrs. James D. Cromer
Consulting Organizing Secretary.....	Mrs. T. O. Tabor
Librarian.....	Mrs. Sidney O. Smith
Historian.....	Mrs. J. L. Beeson
Consulting Registrar.....	Mrs. John M. Simmons
Reporter to Smithsonian Institution.....	Mrs. Alfred N. Murray
Curator.....	Mrs. J. Harold Nicholson
Genealogist.....	Mrs. Stewart Colley
Editor.....	Mrs. John T. Dorsey
Assistant Editor.....	Mrs. Hazel Pope Henderson
Chaplin.....	Mrs. Julia Bacon Osborne

Music.

Address: Mrs. Swann Sinclair, National President, Children of the  
 American Revolution.

Presentation of Pages: Mrs. Henry West.

Reports of State Chairmen (Historical Division):

Collection and Preservation of Family Bible Records.....	
.....	Mrs. Eli Thomas
County Histories.....	Mrs. C. E. Pittman
Presentation of Helen McCall Bashinski Trophy.....	
.....	Mrs. Izzie Bashinski
Filing and Lending of Historic Papers.....	Mrs. Ober D. Worthen
Historic Post Cards.....	Mrs. Clyde F. Hunt
Historic Spots and National Old Trails.....	
.....	Mrs. Robert J. Travis
Kenmore Gardens.....	Mrs. Chas. Akerman
Lucy Cook Peel Memorial.....	Mrs. W. F. Dykes
Marking Old Trails.....	Mrs. Mark Smith
Marking Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves.....	Mrs. T. Z. Copeland
Meadow Garden.....	Mrs. Sanford Gardner
Thomas Jefferson Memorial.....	Mrs. Thomas J. Sappington
Armistice Day.....	Mrs. I. H. Sutton
Constitution and Magna Charta Day.....	Mrs. Lucius McConnell
Flag Day.....	Mrs. Jena C. Collier
George Washington's Birthday.....	Mrs. Retta Coney
Georgia Day.....	Mrs. Henry L. Purse
Independence Day.....	Mrs. Carl Tillman
LaFayette Day.....	Mrs. Wade Stallings
Memorial Service: Mrs. Julia Bacon Osborne, Chaplain.	
Announcements.	
Adjournment.	

**Thursday Afternoon at 1:00 O'Clock**

Luncheon, Guests of Athens Chamber of Commerce.  
Georgian Hotel

**Thursday Afternoon at 2:00 O'Clock**

Conference called to order by State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel.  
Mrs. W. E. Mann, First Vice-Regent, presiding:

Prayer: Mrs. Julia Bacon Osborne, Chaplain.

Minutes of Morning Session.

Address: Mrs. H. H. Smith, Secretary, Kenmore Association.

Reports of State Chairmen:

American Merchant Marine Library.....	Mrs. J. L. Mims
Book Plate for Georgia Books in Constitution Hall Library	
.....	Mrs. Branch LaFar
Conservation and Thrift, including Forestry.....	
.....	Mrs. Ed Wohlwonder
Constitution Hall Finance.....	Mrs. Turner Brice
Constitution Hall Memory Book.....	Mrs. A. T. Coleman
Cooperative Relations Between D. A. R. and C. A. R.....	
.....	Mrs. J. N. Brawner
Cooperative Relations Between D. A. R. and S. A. R.....	
.....	Mrs. T. G. Polhill
Custodian of Flag and Conference Properties.....	Mrs. J. H. Rucker
Custodian of Trophies.....	Mrs. M. R. Redwine
D. A. R. Forest Park.....	Miss Edna Rogers
D. A. R. Magazine.....	Mrs. Edgar Oliver
Presentation of Mrs. John A. Perdue Loving Cup.....	
.....	Mrs. Edgar Oliver
Ellis Island.....	Mrs. C. H. Leavy
Executive Board Arrangements.....	Mrs. R. T. Ragan

Flag Processional.....	Mrs. J. W. Oglesby
Georgia Banquet at Continental Congress.....	
.....	Mrs. W. H. Flanders
Georgia Box in Constitution Hall.....	Mrs. E. B. Freeman
Georgia Room in Administration Building.....	Mrs. John D. Pope
Girl Home Makers.....	Mrs. Miller S. Bell
Presentation of Jean La Farge Felton Trophy.....	Mrs. Bell
Indian Welfare and Citizenship.....	Mrs. J. M. Murrah
Legislation.....	Miss Virginia Harden
Magna Tree.....	Mrs. Warren H. White
Pageant.....	Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin
Press.....	Mrs. Mell Knox
Publicity.....	Mrs. Wheeler Talbot
Real Daughters.....	Mrs. W. J. Vereen
Roosevelt Plates.....	Mrs. C. O. Shelnett
Scrap Book.....	Mrs. James B. Turner
Transportation.....	Mrs. J. N. Carter
Traveling Genealogical Library.....	Mrs. J. D. Wadsworth
Welfare of Women and Children.....	Mrs. J. W. Hooks

**Thursday Afternoon at 4:30 O'Clock**

Regents' Round Table.

**Thursday Evening at 6:00 O'Clock**

At the home of Mrs. J. Y. Carithers, Milledge Avenue.

Buffet Supper. Guests of Count d'Estaing Society, Children of the American Revolution, honoring: Mrs. Swann Sinclair, National President, C. A. R.; Mrs. Mark Smith, State Director, C. A. R.; Mrs. Julian McCurry, Vice-President-General, D. A. R., and Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent, D. A. R.

**Thursday Evening at 8:00 O'Clock**

Lucy Cobb Chapel

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NEW GLORY ENHANCES OLD GLORY

By Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin, Tennille, Georgia,

Honorary State Regent, D. A. R.

Time—1777-1935.

Cast of Characters

Columbia—Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent, D. A. R.

Betsy Ross—Mrs. Julian McCurry, Vice-President General, N. S., D. A. R.

Attendants of Betsy Ross:

Mrs. Julius Talmadge, Honorary State Regent, Ex-Vice-President General.

Mrs. Howard McCall, Honorary State Regent, Ex-Vice-President General.

Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, Honorary State Regent, Ex-Vice-President General.

Mrs. Max E. Land, Honorary State Regent.

Mrs. Charles Akerman, Honorary State Regent.

Mrs. Bun Wylie, Honorary State Regent.

Mrs. James S. Wood, Honorary State Regent.

Reader: Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin, Honorary State Regent.

Stars and Stripes: Chapter Regents, in various D. A. R. work to enhance Old Glory.

Opening Processional of Characters:

- Mrs. G. M. Boyd, Sr., Regent, Oothcaloga Chapter, Adairsville.  
Miss Cena Whitehead, Regent, Thronateeska Chapter, Albany.  
Mrs. J. M. Barnett, Regent, Commodore Richard Dale Chapter, Albany.  
Mrs. W. H. Emmet, Regent, Council of Safety Chapter, Americus.  
Miss Annie Lou Thrasher, Regent, Knox-Conway Chapter, Ashburn.  
Miss Annie S. Crawford, Regent, Elijah Clarke Chapter, Athens.  
Mrs. Frances Brown Chase, Regent, Atlanta Chapter, Atlanta.  
Mrs. C. J. Sheehan, Regent, Joseph Habersham Chapter, Atlanta.  
Mrs. Frederick E. Smith, Regent, Augusta Chapter, Augusta.  
Mrs. E. G. Wilson, Regent, Elizabeth Washington Chapter, Augusta.  
Mrs. Peter Cummings, Regent, Bainbridge Chapter, Bainbridge.  
Mrs. M. W. Smith, Regent, Lamar-LaFayette Chapter, Barnesville.  
Mrs. R. G. Singletary, Regent, Gov. Peter Early Chapter, Blakely.  
Mrs. C. H. Leavy, Regent, Brunswick Chapter, Brunswick.  
Mrs. J. S. Burgin, Regent, Lanahassee Chapter, Buena Vista.  
Mrs. Wayne Walker, Regent, Cairo Chapter, Cairo.  
Mrs. S. H. Floyd, Regent, Camilla Chapter, Camilla.  
Mrs. Abb. B. Harrison, Regent, Etowah Chapter, Cartersville.  
Mrs. Phil Ogletree, Regent, Tomichichi Chapter, Clarkesville.  
Mrs. J. M. Murrah, Regent, Button Gwinnett Chapter, Columbus.  
Mrs. John H. Walton, Regent, George Walton Chapter, Columbus.  
Mrs. George Burrus, Jr., Regent, Oglethorpe Chapter, Columbus.  
Mrs. C. E. Pittman, Regent, James Pittman Chapter, Commerce.  
Mrs. C. B. Fitzgerald, Regent, Col. John McIntosh Chapter, Conyers.  
Mrs. D. H. Standard, Regent, Fort Early Chapter, Cordele.  
Miss Anna Belle Robinson, Regent, Sergeant Newton Chapter, Covington.  
Mrs. J. R. Randall, Regent, Benjamin Hawkins Chapter, Cuthbert.  
Mrs. C. L. Bradley, Regent, Gov. John Milledge Chapter, Dalton.  
Mrs. Jonathan Williams, Regent, Stone Castle Chapter, Dawson.  
Mrs. H. A. Wilkinson, Regent, Dorothy Walton Chapter, Dawson.  
Mrs. J. Walter Estes, Regent, Baron DeKalb Chapter, Decatur.  
Miss Katherine Chappell, Regent, John Laurens Chapter, Dublin.  
Mrs. Thos. J. Sappington, Regent, Col. Wm. Few Chapter, Eastman.  
Mrs. Jessie A. Champion, Regent, Samuel Reid Chapter, Eatonton.  
Mrs. W. H. Irvin, Regent, Stephen Heard Chapter, Elberton.  
Mrs. Walter Stancil, Regent, Nathaniel Abney Chapter, Fitzgerald.  
Mrs. E. W. Banks, Regent, James Monroe Chapter, Forsyth.  
Miss Wilmer Orr, Regent, Gov. Treutlen Chapter, Fort Valley.

Mrs. Cornelius Hall, Regent, Fort Valley Chapter, Fort Valley.  
 Mrs. Price Charters, Regent, Col. Wm. Candler Chapter, Gainesville.  
 Mrs. V. C. Williams, Regent, Arthur Fort Chapter, Grantville.  
 Mrs. Homer Harris, Regent, Oliver Morton Chapter, Gray.  
 Mrs. J. B. Turner, Regent, Pulaski Chapter, Griffin.  
 Mrs. H. I. Alford, Regent, John Benson Chapter, Hartwell.  
 Mrs. N. A. Jelks, Regent, Hawkinsville Chapter, Hawkinsville.  
 Mrs. A. C. Todd, Regent, John Ball Chapter, Irwinton.  
 Mrs. John Edward Lane, Regent, William McIntosh Chapter, Jackson.  
 Mrs. Horace King Slover, Regent, Altamaha Chapter, Jesup.  
 Mrs. Tom W. Lee, Regent, William Marsh Chapter, LaFayette.  
 Mrs. John D. Faver, Regent, LaGrange Chapter, LaGrange.  
 Mrs. W. A. Fitzgerald, Regent, Roanoke Chapter, Lumpkin.  
 Mrs. Julian S. Lewis, Regent, Mary Hammond Washington Chapter, Macon.  
 Mrs. J. E. Wright, Regent, Nathaniel Macon Chapter, Macon.  
 Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Regent, Henry Walton Chapter, Madison.  
 Mrs. W. H. Perkinson, Regent, Fielding Lewis Chapter, Marietta.  
 Mrs. Willie E. Rice, Regent, Stephen Hopkins Chapter, Marshallville.  
 Miss Floride Allen, Regent, Nancy Hart Chapter, Milledgeville.  
 Mrs. Lena Felker Lewis, Regent, Matthew Talbot Chapter, Monroe.  
 Mrs. F. M. Mullino, Regent, Archibald Bullock Chapter, Montezuma.  
 Mrs. H. C. Tucker, Regent, Sergeant Jasper Chapter, Monticello.  
 Mrs. S. M. Withers, Regent, John Benning Chapter, Moultrie.  
 Mrs. Wm. Hopkins Pitt, Regent, Oconee Chapter, McRae.  
 Mrs. Wade Stallings, Regent, Sarah Dickinson Chapter, Newnan.  
 Mrs. W. C. Twitty, Sr., Regent, Hawthorne Trail Chapter, Pelham.  
 Mrs. H. P. Dobbins, Regent, Gen. Daniel Stewart Chapter, Perry.  
 Mrs. Ezelle S. Goolsby, Regent, Elizabeth Marlowe Chapter, Monticello.  
 Mrs. O. J. Taylor, Regent, Hannah Clarke Chapter, Quitman.  
 Mrs. James P. Rounsaville, Regent, Xavier Chapter, Rome.  
 Mrs. S. G. Lang, Sr., Regent, Gov. Jared Irwin Chapter, Sandersville.  
 Mrs. George U. Beach, Regent, Bonaventure Chapter, Savannah.  
 Mrs. Henry Purse, Regent, Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, Savannah.  
 Mrs. J. N. Carter, Regent, Savannah Chapter, Savannah.  
 Mrs. T. M. Martin, Regent, Noble Wimberly Jones Chapter, Shellman.  
 Mrs. C. T. Wiley, Regent, John Clarke Chapter, Social Circle.  
 Mrs. Geo. Dickens, Regent, Hancock Chapter, Sparta.  
 Mrs. Ira T. McLemore, Regent, Adam Brinson Chapter, Graymont-Summit.  
 Mrs. Arthur Thompson, Regent, Gov. David Emanuel Chapter, Swainsboro.  
 Mrs. W. P. Perkins, Regent, Briar Creek Chapter, Sylvania.  
 Mrs. I. H. Mann, Regent, Barnard Trail Chapter, Sylvester.

Mrs. Wm. Brantley, Regent, Maj. Gen. Samuel Elbert Chapter, Tennille.  
 Mrs. Carolyn Walker Nottingham, Regent, John Houston Chapter, Thomaston.  
 Mrs. J. A. Horn, Regent, Thomasville Chapter, Thomasville.  
 Mrs. H. I. Mobley, Regent, Thomson Chapter, Thomson.  
 Mrs. Winston Owen, Regent, Toccoa Chapter, Toccoa.  
 Mrs. Frank S. Harrell, Regent, Gen. James Jackson Chapter, Valdosta.  
 Mrs. Frank E. Howard, Regent, Vidalia Chapter, Vidalia.  
 Mrs. Darwin Ricketson, Regent, Burkhalter Chapter, Warrenton.  
 Mrs. W. I. Jackson, Regent, Kettle Creek Chapter, Washington.  
 Miss Claudia Little, Regent, Jonathan Bryan Chapter, Waycross.  
 Mrs. Dan Lott, Regent, Lyman Hall Chapter, Waycross.  
 Mrs. Francis Marion Cates, Regent, Edmund Burke Chapter, Waynesboro.  
 Mrs. J. H. Pledger, Regent, Sunbury Chapter, Winder.  
 Mrs. W. J. Flanders, Organizing Regent, Wrightsville.

Finale.

Dances presented by Lucy Lampkin Dance Group:

Ballet—Tschaikowsky.

Galliard—Old Air.

Minuet—Mozart.

Patriotic Suite—Schubert.

Dancers: Martha Steadman, Ann Creekmore, Catherine Davis, Jane Weatherly, Dorothy Link, Jean Creekmore, Josephine Huddleston, Janelle Kenny, Sarah Joe Smith, Mary Cobb.

Soloist: Mrs. Frances White Yow.

Pianist: Elizabeth Birchmore.

Heralds: Catherine Davis, Josephine Huddleston.

Chairman of Stage Arrangements: Miss Marian Talmadge.

#### Friday Morning at 9:00 O'Clock

Conference called to order by State Regent.

Mrs. John S. Adams, Second Vice-Regent, presiding.

Prayer: Mrs. Julia Bacon Osborne, Chaplain.

Minutes of Afternoon Session.

Reports of State Chairmen (Educational Division):

Georgia D. A. R. Student Loan Fund.....Mrs. Howard McCall

Fannie Trammell Memorial.....Mrs. Charles Kreisler

May Erwin Talmadge Loan Fund.....Mrs. E. B. Freeman

Sarah Berrien Casey Morgan Fund.....Mrs. Y. H. Yarbrough

Valdosta Loan Fund.....Mrs. Di Ingram

World War Memorial.....Mrs. J. T. Dudley

American's Creed.....Mrs. Bun Wylie

Americanism.....Mrs. W. E. Mann

Approved Schools.....Miss Sue Reid Vason

Presentation of Mrs. T. J. Mauldin, State Regent of South Carolina by Miss Sue Reid Vason.

Address: Mrs. Mauldin.

Presentation of Students from Tamassee by Mrs. Mauldin.

**Friday Morning at 11:00 O'Clock**

**Resolutions**

Reports of State Chairmen (Educational Division)—Continued:

Better Films.....	Mrs. L. K. Jordan
Presentation of Annie Turner Hightower Award.....	
.....	Mrs. Julian McCurry
Correct Use of the Flag.....	Mrs. John M. Slaton
D. A. R. Manual for Citizenship.....	Mrs. R. M. McMaster
Eradication of Illiteracy.....	Mrs. Julian Lewis
Educational Funds for Local Schools.....	Mrs. H. F. Gaffney
Medals and Prizes.....	Mrs. W. C. Fripp
National Defense Through Patriotic Education.....	
.....	Mrs. John S. Adams
Patriotic Lectures.....	Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill
Patriotic Songs.....	Miss Frances Talmadge
Radio.....	Mrs. Frances Brown Chase
Sons and Daughters of the U. S. A.....	Mrs. J. I. Garrard
Text Books.....	Mrs. John Lane
Report of Committee, Time and Place.....	Mrs. Chas. Rice

Announcements.  
Adjournment.

**Friday Afternoon at 2:00 O'Clock**

**Georgian Hotel**

Luncheon. Guests of the Women's Organizations of Athens: Athens Womens Club; Athens Committee, Colonial Dames of America; Laura Rutherford Chapter, U. D. C.; The Ladies Garden Club of Athens; Spanish-American War Veterans' Auxiliary; American Legion Auxiliary; Elijah Clarke Chapter, D. A. R.

Presentation of Prizes and Trophies:

Blanche McFarland Gaffney Trophy.....	Mrs. T. D. Power
State Editor's Award.....	Mrs. W. S. Coleman
State Treasurer's Award.....	Mrs. Thomas Mell
State Regent's Award.....	Mrs. R. H. Roux
Helen Rogers Franklin Trophy.....	Mrs. John Satterfield

Resolution of Thanks: Mrs. H. M. Franklin.  
Farewell to Visitors: Mrs. S. V. Sanford.  
Announcements.  
"Auld Lang Syne."  
Benediction: Rev. Lester Rumble.  
Adjournment.

# MINUTES

## EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

Athens, Georgia, March 20, 1935

The Executive Board of the Georgia D. A. R. met in the Legion Hall of the Georgian Hotel, Athens, Georgia, at 3:00 P. M., March 20, 1935. The State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel, called the meeting to order, and the Lord's Prayer was led by the State Chaplain, Mrs. Osborne.

The minutes of the Executive Board meeting in Valdosta were read and approved, as were those of the special meeting of the Executive Committee held in Athens on November 26th.

Miss Annie Crawford, Hostess Regent, again extended a welcome after a year's preparation for the Conference, which was accepted with a rising vote of thanks.

The State Regent requested that only those reports that must necessarily be considered before Conference be given at this time.

Mrs. Mell, State Treasurer, reported that the McGregor Company had been paid in full, and moved that \$33.35, the balance left in several closed funds, be transferred to the General Fund. Seconded by Mrs. McCall and carried. Mrs. Yarbrough moved that the \$1.00 balance in the Loan Scholarship Fund be transferred to the S. B. C. Morgan Fund. Seconded by Mrs. Beeson and carried.

The Treasurer stated that the balance in the General Fund at this time was only \$310.12.

The State Regent brought out the fact that Georgia has the lowest State dues of any state in the Union, which accounts for the small balance in the General Fund, and that the proposed \$1.00 Registration Fee will help a great deal.

Mrs. McCurry, Vice-President General, brought greetings from the National Society.

Mrs. Redwine, Program Chairman, announced the Banquet at Dawson Hall, and the opening session of Conference on Wednesday evening. Mrs. Redwine's report was accepted with a rising vote of thanks to the Program Committee.

Mrs. Talmadge called attention to the fact that the attractive Conference note books were presented by The McGregor Company.

Miss Hardin told of Mrs. Erwin, Mrs. Talmadge's mother, making the two hundred bags which were presented to the delegates; Mrs. Erwin was also given a rising vote of thanks, and the Corresponding Secretary was instructed to write a note of appreciation to Mrs. Erwin.

Miss Edna Rogers, Chairman D. A. R. Forest Park, reported that twenty additional acres could be purchased at \$15.00 per acre if desired. Mrs. Wylie moved that the State Society retain the Park and purchase no more land. Seconded by Miss Hardin and carried.

Mrs. McCall, Chairman Loan Scholarships, stated that four of the five loan funds had been named already, and made a motion that the Valdosta Fund be named in honor of Mrs. Claude Davis Ingram, in recognition of splendid work and loyal service. Seconded by Mrs. Dykes and carried.

The State Historian, Mrs. Beeson, expressed her hope that the material now on hand should some day be published by the Georgia D. A. R.

Mrs. Travis asked that a committee be appointed to meet with her to consider Chapter claims for marking historic spots.

Mrs. Dykes asked that the motion passed by Conference last year, that each Chapter purchase one Lucy Cook Peel volume, be reaffirmed by the Board. Seconded by Mrs. McCall. Miss Hardin offered as an amendment that the price be reduced. The motion as amended, carried.

The Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Wood, read the following communications:

1. Concerning the marking of Fort Morris. Mrs. Travis made a motion that the marking of Fort Morris be endorsed and recommended to our Congressmen. Carried.

2. The resignation of the Assistant State Editor, Mrs. Hazel Pope Henderson. Mrs. Talmadge moved that Mrs. Henderson's resignation be accepted with regret and appreciation of her services, and that a letter be written to her to that effect. Carried.

3. Asking that the D. A. R. contribution made in 1915 or 1916 for the housing of alley dwellers in Washington, amounting, with accrued interest, to about \$50 at this time, be put in the hands of the Alley Dwellers Housing Trustees. Mrs. McCall moved that the matter be left to the discretion of the State Regent. Carried.

Mrs. Talmadge spoke of the candidacy for Honorary Vice-Presidents General, of Mrs. Hodgkins, Mrs. Lane and Mrs. Joy.

The State Regent announced that Mrs. Adams would have Georgia Banquet tickets on sale during Conference, at \$3.00.

Mrs. Slaton asked that final reservations be made for the State Officers' Club breakfast Thursday morning.

The State Regent announced that all Regents would carry their D. A. R. banners in the opening Processional on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Franklin told something of the Pageant for Regents' Night.

The Corresponding Secretary read as information the Act Governing the Display of the Flag, and the State Regent asked that we endorse this bill.

Miss Hardin moved that the Board recommend the adoption of the Act Governing the Display of the Flag as it now stands. Seconded by Mrs. Brawner and carried.

Mrs. White moved that a letter of sympathy be written to Mrs. Frances Brown Chase on the death of her sister. Unanimously seconded and carried.

The reading of the telegrams was deferred until Thursday, and the meeting was adjourned.

MRS. JOHN W. DANIEL,  
State Regent.  
MRS. W. H. HIGHTOWER,  
State Recording Secretary.

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### WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 20, 1935

After being delightfully entertained by Dr. S. V. Sanford, President of The University of Georgia, at a banquet in Dawson Hall, the Daughters of the American Revolution of Georgia opened their 37th Annual Conference in the historic 103-year-old University Chapel, at Athens, at 8:00 o'clock, Wednesday evening, March

20, 1935, with Music—Organ Prelude by Miss Nolee May Dunaway.

After the Bugle Call, Assembly, by Mr. R. T. Dottery, the Pages and Standard Bearers entered, escorting to the stage a brilliant Processional: The Chapter Regents, each bearing a D. A. R. banner; the distinguished guests; Ex-State Regents; Ex-National Officers; State Officers; Vice-President General; Hostess Regent and State Regent.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Eugene L. Hill, Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, after which Mrs. John M. Slaton led the Pledge to the Flag, and Mrs. Bun Wylie, Honorary State Regent, led the recitation of the American's Creed. "Star-Spangled Banner" was sung by the assemblage, and Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent, declared the 37th Annual Conference, Georgia D. A. R. in session.

Cordial addresses of welcome were made by Miss Annie S. Crawford, Regent, Elijah Clarke Chapter; Dr. S. V. Sanford, President of The University of Georgia; Mr. Tate Wright, President of the Athens Chamber of Commerce; and Mrs. T. W. Reed, representing the Women's Organizations of Athens.

Mrs. Howard McCall, Ex-Vice-President General, made the response to these expressions of welcome on behalf of the visitors.

Miss Annie S. Crawford then presented the State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel, who, in a brief and forceful address, spoke of the Founders of the D. A. R., and the work to which they have inspired us: Patriotic Education, the first line of National Defense; Americanism, the soul of America; and the loyal, patriotic citizenship expressed in the American's Creed.

Music: Solo—Mr. Roosevelt Walker.

The State Regent introduced Brigadier General Robert J. Travis, Ex-President National Guard of the U. S. A., who made a splendid address on International Relations, speaking of the rejection of Woodrow Wilson's idealistic plan for World Peace; the financial ruin following our over-optimistic loans to foreign nations; the inconsistency of our altruistic attitude—and appealed to us as citizens, to save America for the Americans!

Mrs. Bun Wylie, Honorary State Regent, next introduced Mrs. Julian McCurry, who brought greetings to the Conference from the National Society.

The State Regent presented her official family: State First Vice-Regent, Mrs. W. E. Mann; State Second Vice-Regent, Mrs. John S. Adams; State Recording Secretary, Mrs. W. H. Hightower; State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. Thomas Wood; State Treasurer, Mrs. T. C. Mell; State Auditor, Mrs. J. D. Cromer; State Consulting Organizing Secretary, Mrs. T. O. Tabor; State Historian, Mrs. J. L. Beeson; State Consulting Registrar, Mrs. John M. Simmons; State Reporter to Smithsonian Institution, Mrs. A. N. Murray; State Curator, Mrs. J. Harold Nicholson; State Genealogist, Mrs. Stewart Colley; State Editor, Mrs. John T. Dorsey, and State Chaplain, Mrs. Julia Bacon Osborne.

Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Ex-Vice-President General, then introduced the distinguished guests of the Conference: Mrs. John M. Slaton, State President Colonial Dames of the 17th Century; Mrs. T. C. Mell, State President Daughters of the American Colonists; Mrs. John Womble, State President Founders and Patriots of America; Mrs. Howard McCall, Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin, Mrs. Bun Wylie, Mrs. Julian McCurry, Honorary State Regents D. A. R.; Mrs. Mark Smith, State Director C. A. R.; Mrs. Lucius McConnell, State President and National Vice-President Daughters of 1812;

The National President C. A. R., Mrs. Swann Sinclair; National Historian C. A. R., Mrs. Kerr; National Registrar C. A. R., Mrs. Wagner; Ex-State Regent of Tennessee, Mrs. Willard Steele; Mrs. Sam Erwin, Regent Chickamauga Chapter, Chattanooga; Mrs. T. W. Reed, State President Georgia U. D. C.; Mrs. S. V. Sanford, Ex-State President Georgia Federation Woman's Clubs; Mrs. McHutton, State President Garden Clubs of Georgia; Mrs. Henry Reed, Senior President Count d'Estaing Chapter C. A. R., and Miss Bagley, State President American Legion Auxiliary.

Mrs. H. M. Franklin responded to these introductions for the distinguished guests, and after announcements were made by Mrs. Redwine, the evening session was adjourned.

MRS. JOHN W. DANIEL,  
State Regent.

MRS. W. H. HIGHTOWER,  
State Recording Secretary.

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#### THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 21, 1935

The Thursday morning session was opened with another beautiful Organ Prelude by Miss Dunaway, and was called to order by Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent, with a gavel made from a mulberry tree at the old Crawford W. Long home.

Mrs. Osborne, State Chaplain, led the devotional, using the new Ritual, and the audience repeated the Pledge to the Flag.

Mrs. Dudley read the report of the Credentials Committee as of 1:00 A. M. Thursday. Registration showed 18 State Officers, 13 distinguished guests, 26 delegates and alternates, 20 State Chairmen, 49 Chapter Regents, and 35 members Elijah Clarke Clarke Chapter present.

Mrs. Redwine presented the Conference Program, which was received with a rising vote of thanks, after which one verse of "America" was sung.

Mrs. Talmadge, Parliamentarian, read the Rules governing the Conference, and moved that the privileges of the floor be accorded State Chairmen. Carried.

The Secretary called the Roll, and 15 State Officers, the Vice-President General, 33 State Chairmen, and 45 Regents or Alternates responded.

The Recording Secretary read the minutes of the Executive Board meeting on Wednesday afternoon, which were approved.

Mrs. Talmadge moved that the recommendations of the Board be sent to the Resolutions Committee; seconded by Mrs. McCurry and carried.

The minutes of the Wednesday evening session were read and approved.

Telegrams were read by the Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Wood, from the following: Mrs. Edith Scott Magna, President General; Mrs. Sidney Perry Cooper, Ex-State Regent of North Carolina; Mrs. Alice Pope, Mrs. Hazel Pope Henderson, Mrs. Sidney O. Smith, Mrs. T. J. Mauldin, State Regent of South Carolina; Mrs. James B. Turner, Mrs. W. B. Burney, Ex-Vice-President General, South Carolina; Mrs. H. H. Smith, Secretary Kenmore Association, and Mrs. Val Taylor, State Regent, Alabama.

Mrs. Hightower asked that the Corresponding Secretary write a message of sympathy to Mrs. T. G. Polhill, on the death of her brother.

Mrs. Breitenbucher asked that the Corresponding Secretary write a letter of sympathy to Mrs. Chase from the Conference, and also that she express the thanks of the Conference to Mrs. Erwin for the beautiful bags presented to the delegates. This was supplemented by a rising vote of thanks to Mrs. Erwin by the Conference.

With Mrs. Mann, First Vice-Regent, in the chair, the State Regent made a report of her year's activities, including visits to Chapters, and many delightful social functions, also her attendance on the National Board meetings, and was accorded a rising vote of thanks for her splendid report.

Additional report of the Credentials Committee: 102 voters registered up to 9:20 A. M. Thursday.

The Vice-President General, Mrs. McCurry, in making her report, said that she had "loved the D. A. R. another year." She spoke especially of her visit to Ellis Island, and the splendid work of the Daughters there.

Reports of the State Officers followed, and were given by Mrs. Mann, First Vice-Regent; Mrs. Adams, Second Vice-Regent; Mrs. Hightower, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Wood, Corresponding Secretary, and Mrs. Mell, Treasurer. Thirty-eight Chapters met the Honor Roll requirements, and the State Regent's Award for being the first Chapter to do so, was presented to John Houston Chapter, Mrs. E. T. Nottingham, Regent; Mrs. Mark Smith received the Award in the Regent's absence.

Mrs. McCall spoke briefly of the necessity for sending in the State dues early, in order that necessary expenses be met promptly, and the State Regent announced that \$100.00 additional will be needed this year if a Georgia girl is sent to Washington on the Good Citizenship Tour.

Mrs. Talmadge explained that the price of the 1934 Proceedings was so high on account of the Printers' Code.

The report of the State Auditor, Mrs. Cromer, was heard, and the reports of Treasurer and Auditor were accepted with thanks by the Conference.

State Consulting Organizing Secretary, Mrs. Tabor, reported one new Chapter organized during the year—Elijah Walker Chapter, Wrightsville, Mrs. W. J. Flanders, Organizing Regent.

State Librarian, Mrs. Sidney Smith, was absent, but the State Regent reported for her, the gift of the Savannah Chapter to the D. A. R. Library in Washington, of a rare book, now out of print—C. C. Jones' "History of Savannah."

State Historian, Mrs. J. L. Beeson, made her report, and Mrs. Rice expressed especial appreciation of Mrs. Beeson's research concerning the 1812 period.

Mrs. Lane moved that Mrs. Beeson's fine report be accepted with a rising vote of thanks, which was immediately made unanimous.

Mrs. Travis moved that hereafter the marking of the graves of soldiers of the War of 1812 be turned over to the Georgia Society Daughters of 1812, which Miss Hardin amended to read, "unless such soldiers also served in the Revolutionary War." Seconded by Mrs. McConnell and carried as amended.

Mrs. McCall suggested that the D. A. R. invite the Daughters of 1812 to attend the marking of Red Clay Council House, and Mrs. Beeson immediately extended this invitation. Mrs. McConnell as State President of 1812 expressed appreciation for this courtesy.

Reports were heard from the State Consulting Registrar, Mrs. Simmons; the State Curator, Mrs. Nicholson, and the State Genealogist, Mrs. Colley.

In making her report as State Editor, Mrs. Dorsey recommended that Chapters condense their reports, combining several meetings in one article, and giving more space to subjects of historical interest—the State Editor's Award still to be given to Chapter sending in the best publicity. Recommendation carried.

The State Editor's Award for 1935 was presented to Elijah Clarke Chapter, Miss Annie Crawford, Regent. Miss Rice, Stephen Hopkins Chapter, Marshallville, moved that a letter of thanks be sent to Mrs. Stafford of the Constitution. Carried.

State Chaplain, Mrs. Osborne, made her report.

While soft organ music was being played, the pages assembled to escort Mrs. Swann Sinclair, National President C. A. R., to the stage, where she was graciously presented by the State Regent. Mrs. Sinclair gave a short address, expressing her appreciation of the prominence given the C. A. R. Society by the Georgia D. A. R. There are C. A. R. Societies in all except two States in the Union. Mrs. Sinclair stressed the importance of transferring the C. A. R. members, when they become of age, to the D. A. R. and S. A. R., and said, "Let us pledge a life's devotion to the National C. A. R."

Mrs. Mark Smith, State Director C. A. R., now introduced Mrs. Wagner, National Registrar C. A. R., and Mrs. Kerr, National Historian C. A. R.

Mrs. Henry West, Chairman of Pages, presented the attractive young pages, all members of the Count d'Estaing Chapter, C. A. R.

Mrs. Osborne, State Chaplain, assisted by Mrs. Redwine, conducted the Memorial Service, using the candle-lighted cross, and the beautiful new Ritual. Mr. Stanton Forbes played a violin solo, accompanied by Miss Dunaway. As the names of the 40 members who had crossed over during the year were called, a candle was lighted for each, and the Chapter members present stood in silent tribute. After a vocal solo by Mrs. Frances White Yow, the benediction was pronounced.

As there remained a few minutes of the time allotted for the morning session, the order of business was resumed.

Mrs. Eli Thomas, Chairman of Collection and Preservation of Family Records, made her report, and presented to the Georgia Society for the D. A. R. Library in Washington, a copy of her book on "Georgia Historic Spots."

There followed reports from Mrs. Ober D. Warthen, Filing and Lending Historic Papers; Mrs. Robert J. Travis, Historic Spots and National Old Trails; Mrs. Clyde Hunt, Historic Post Cards, and Mrs. Dykes, Lucy Cook Peel Memorial. Mrs. Dykes' motion that the price of the Lucy Cook Peel volume be reduced from \$5.00 to \$2.60, was seconded by Mrs. McCall, who offered as an amendment that all libraries be notified. An addition to this amendment was made by Mrs. McCurry and accepted by Mrs. McCall, that an advertisement be inserted in the D. A. R. Magazine. Motion as amended carried.

After announcements by Mrs. Rucker, the Conference adjourned to be the luncheon guests of the Athens Chamber of Commerce.

MRS. JOHN W. DANIEL,

State Regent.

MRS. W. H. HIGHTOWER,

State Recording Secretary.

## THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The luncheon at the Hotel Georgian, at which the Conference was entertained by the Athens Chamber of Commerce, was greatly enjoyed. The music furnished by Mr. David Powell added much to the occasion.

During the luncheon hour, Mrs. Eli Thomas presented to John Houston Chapter, Mrs. E. T. Nottingham, Regent, the Helen McCall Bashinski Trophy for sending in the largest number of Bible Records during the year, which had been won by John Houston Chapter in 1934 also. The cup was received by Mrs. Mark Smith, Regent's Alternate.

The State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel, called the afternoon session to order at 3:00 P. M., and prayer was offered by Mrs. Osborne.

The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

Mrs. Talmadge moved that a telegram be sent to Mrs. Magna, acknowledging her message and pledging anew the support of the Georgia D. A. R. Carried.

The Corresponding Secretary read telegrams from Mrs. Retta Coney and Mrs. Max E. Land. She also read items of information from the State Regent of interest to the Georgia delegation at Congress.

With Mrs. W. E. Mann, State First Vice-Regent, presiding, the Committee reports continued as follows: Marking Old Trails, Mrs. Mark Smith; Constitution and Magna Charta Day, Mrs. Lucius McConnell; Flag Day, Mrs. Jena Collier; Constitution Hall Finance, Mrs. Turner Brice. Mrs. Brice urged Better Films Benefits for Constitution Hall before Congress to help in Mrs. Magna's "last round up" to pay the debt. Mrs. Sheehan announced that Mrs. F. E. Brownell, of Joseph Habersham Chapter, had sent \$50.00 in answer to Mrs. Magna's last appeal, to be applied on Constitution Hall debt.

Reports were heard on Thomas Jefferson Memorial, Mrs. T. J. Sappington; Constitution Hall Memory Book, Mrs. A. T. Coleman; Co-operative Relations between D. A. R. and C. A. R., Mrs. J. N. Brawner; Custodian of Flag and Conference Properties, Mrs. J. H. Rucker; D. A. R. Forest Park, Miss Edna Rogers; D. A. R. Magazine, Mrs. Edgar Oliver. The Mrs. John A. Perdue Cup for the greatest number of new D. A. R. Magazine subscriptions, was presented to John Houston Chapter, Mrs. E. T. Nottingham, Regent, and was received by Mrs. Mark Smith, Regent's Alternate.

Mrs. C. H. Leavy made her report on Ellis Island.

Mrs. R. T. Ragan, Chairman Executive Board Meeting Arrangements, presented the invitation of the Col. Wm. Few Chapter, Eastman, for the fall meeting of the Executive Board. This invitation was accepted with thanks.

Mrs. E. B. Freeman gave her report on Georgia Box in Constitution Hall, and stated that it was the wish of the State Regent and the Committee, that at some time during Congress, each Georgia delegate be seated in the box.

Mrs. Miller S. Bell, Chairman Girl Homemakers, made her report, and presented the Jean LaFrage Felton Trophy to Hawkinsville Chapter, Mrs. N. A. Jelks, Regent.

Reports were heard from Mrs. J. N. Murrah, Chairman Indian Welfare and Citizenship; Miss Virginia Hardin, Chairman Legislation; and Mrs. Warren H. White, Chairman of Special Committee on Magna Tree. A beautiful dogwood tree was sent to Mrs. Magna,

for her "Hay Fever Camp," and Mrs. White presented the tree, expenses of shipping paid, to the Georgia Society. Mrs. Magna's letter of thanks for the tree was read.

Mrs. Vereen's report on Real Daughters was filed, but Mrs. Yarbrough told something about Georgia's two Real Daughters, Miss Sarah Poole and Mrs. Mary Poole Newsome.

Reports continued as follows: Roosevelt Plates, Mrs. C. D. Shellnutt; Transportation, Mrs. J. N. Carter; Correct Use of the Flag, Mrs. John M. Slaton.

In Mrs. Oglesby's absence, her report on the Flag Processional was read by Mrs. O. J. Taylor. Mrs. Slaton's motion that 25 cents packing charges due on each flag, be paid to Mrs. Taylor before the close of Conference was carried.

Mrs. J. D. Wadsworth reported on the Traveling Genealogical Library. Mrs. Breitenbucher announced that the McCall-Tidwell Family History will be added to the Library by the Atlanta Chapter. Mrs. Oliver moved that Georgia Book Plates be furnished Mrs. Wadsworth for the Traveling Genealogical Library. Seconded and carried.

Mrs. Simmons asked for Book Plates for the books in charge of the State Consulting Registrar. Approved.

Mrs. Hooks gave a splendid report on the Welfare of Women and Children.

After announcements were made by Mrs. Rucker, the session was adjourned.

MRS. JOHN W. DANIEL,  
State Regent.

MRS. W. H. HIGHTOWER,  
State Recording Secretary.

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#### THURSDAY EVENING

On Thursday evening, March 21st, at the home of Mrs. J. Y. Jarithers on Milledge Avenue, at 6:00 o'clock, the Conference was entertained at a buffet supper, guests of Count d'Estaing Society, Children of the American Revolution, honoring Mrs. Swann Sinclair, National President C. A. R.; Mrs. Mark Smith, State Director C. A. R.; Mrs. Julian McCurry, Vice-President General D. A. R., and Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent Georgia D. A. R. The members of the Count d'Estaing Society were all dressed in Colonial costume, to receive and entertain their guests. Beautiful handmade nosegays, containing real forget-me-not seed were given each visitor, and a delicious supper was enjoyed.

At 8:00 o'clock, there was given in the old Lucy Cobb Chapel, the brilliant pageant, written by Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin, Honorary State Regent, "New Glory Enhances Old Glory," and presented by the State Regent, the Vice-President General, the Ex-Vice-Presidents General, the Honorary State Regents, and the Chapter Regents. The Chapter Regents represented the various forms of D. A. R. work, by which the Daughters of the American Revolution seek to add new glory to Old Glory.

After the pageant, Mrs. Reed, Senior President Count d'Estaing Society C. A. R., presented by name, to the audience, the members of the Society in their attractive Colonial costumes.

Miss Lucy Lampkin then presented her pupils in a most unusual

group of dance numbers: the minuet, a ballet, and a patriotic suite of beautiful interpretive dances.

MRS. JOHN W. DANIEL,  
State Regent.

MRS. W. H. HIGHTOWER,  
State Recording Secretary.

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### FRIDAY MORNING

Conference was called to order by the State Regent at 9:30 A. M. and Mrs. Osborne, State Chaplain, led the opening prayer.

Minutes of the Thursday afternoon session were read and approved.

A brief account of Thursday evening's entertainment accepted as read.

The State Regent of South Carolina, Mrs. Mauldin, accompanied by three of the Tamassee girls, and Mrs. Belk, State Regent of North Carolina, were escorted to the platform by the pages.

With Mrs. John S. Adams, State Second Vice-Regent, presiding, the following reports were given: Sons and Daughters of the U. S. A., Mrs. James I. Garrard; Text Books, Mrs. John Lane; Time and Place, Mrs. Chas. Rice. The invitation of Savannah for the 1936 State Conference was accepted with thanks and enthusiasm.

Miss Sue Reid Vason, Chairman of Approved Schools, in a charming manner introduced Mrs. Mauldin, State Regent of South Carolina, who gave an interesting address on Tamassee and the work there. Mrs. Mauldin introduced the three lovely girl students from Tamassee, who presented the Legend of Tamassee, "The Place of the Sunlight of God," a musical reading, and sang one of the mountain ballads.

Mrs. Fripp gave her report on Medals and Prizes.

Mrs. Redwine then introduced three members of the Allen R. Fleming, Jr., Post of the American Legion: Mr. Harold Hodgson, Commander; Mr. Weaver Bridges, and Mr. Millard Tutwiler. Mr. Hodgson said that the Post was placing in every school room in Clarke County a small American flag, and a framed picture of George Washington, and asked the cooperation of the D. A. R. in having this done in every school room in Georgia, as an anti-Communist movement.

Mrs. Power presented the Blanche McFarlane Gaffney Trophy, given for the most outstanding essay on a Georgia historical subject, to Mrs. George F. Dickens, Regent, Hancock Chapter, Sparta, and gave the winning paper to Mrs. Wadsworth for the Traveling Genealogical Library.

Mrs. Pittman made her report on County Histories. The History of Dodge County was presented to the Georgia D. A. R. by the author, Mrs. W. P. Dodd.

By request, Mrs. Pittman told something of the history of the gavel, loaned for use during this Conference, and made of wood from the white mulberry tree, under which Dr. Crawford W. Long performed the first operation ever done under anaesthesia.

Miss Frances Talmadge reported on Patriotic Songs.

Mrs. Roux presented the State Regent's Award for the Chapter giving the largest amount per capita, for education, to the Samuel Reid Chapter, Eatonton, Mrs. Jessie A. Champion, Regent. This Chapter gave \$10.00 per member during the last year for educa-

tion. In the absence of a Chapter representative, the award was received by Mrs. J. I. Garrard, a charter member of the Chapter.

The State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel, then graciously introduced Mrs. Belk, State Regent of North Carolina, who brought greetings from the North Carolina Daughters, and presented to the Georgia Society the Roster of the North Carolina Revolutionary Soldiers, which was received with a rising vote of thanks.

Mrs. McCall gave her general report of the Georgia D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, which was received by applause. She also read Mrs. Di Ingram's report on the Valdosta Loan Fund. Reports were made on the Fannie Trammell Memorial Loan Fund by Mrs. Kreisler, the May Erwin Talmadge Loan Fund by Mrs. Freeman, the S. B. C. Morgan Loan Fund by Mrs. Yarbrough, and the World War Memorial Loan Fund by Mrs. Dudley.

Mrs. Bun Wylie reported on American's Creed Day, and Miss Sue Reid Vason on Approved Schools.

Mrs. Howard McCall, Chairman pro tem of the Resolutions Committee, presented the following resolutions:

### RESOLUTIONS

1. Proposed by Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent:

Resolved: "That the State Regent of Georgia, Mrs. John W. Daniel, on behalf of her organization, express to the Elijah Clarke Chapter of Athens, her appreciation for their gracious hospitality and splendid entertainment."

Adopted.

2. Proposed by Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent:

Resolved: That the Georgia D. A. R. follow the policy of the National Society in asking a registration fee of \$1.00 for all officers, chairmen, and delegates who attend the State Conference, to take effect in 1936.

Adopted.

3. Proposed by Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent:

Resolved: That the Georgia Society D. A. R. urge the Federal Government to purchase the site of Old Fort Morris, which was erected on the Liberty County, Georgia, coast to protect Sunbury and Southeast Georgia, (This Fort once withstood British attack and was the last Fort in Georgia to surrender to the British in the Revolution); and that a letter be sent to the Georgia Representatives in Congress in regard to the purchase of the Fort.

Adopted.

4. Proposed by Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent:

Resolved: That the Georgia Society heartily endorse the principles of the Bill now known as the American Flag Law.

Adopted.

5. Proposed by Mrs. Herbert Fay Gaffney, Ex-Vice-President General, and Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent:

Whereas, The Georgia Society D. A. R. was organized for the purpose of advancing and sustaining the Spirit of Patriotism and to instill and foster a reverence for the principles of our Government; and,

Whereas, A certain radical element in the body politic of the United States of America seek to overthrow our Government;

Whereas: Hon. Robert Ramspeck, Congressman from Georgia, has introduced in the House of Representatives a Bill, known as H. R. 2997, which makes it a crime to advocate or promote the overthrow of the Government of the United States of America by force or violence; therefore be it

Resolved: That we endorse the principles of this Bill and that letters be sent, containing a copy of this resolution, to Hon. Robert Ramspect; Hon. Henry F. Ashurst, Senator from Arizona, and Hon. H. W. Summers of Texas.

Adopted.

6. Proposed by Miss Sue Reid Vason, State Chairman of Approved Schools:

Whereas, Education is becoming more essential year by year, and the fostering of education is one of the most worthwhile and commendable works of the D. A. R., and,

Whereas: The D. A. R. are making it one of their aims to wipe out the ignorance of our mountaineers and under-privileged classes, and raise the standards of citizenship in our State; be it

Resolved: That we adopt as one of the requirements of the State Honor Roll, that each Chapter give a pro rata share of five cents towards the two schools owned by D. A. R. Society, Kate Duncan Smith and Tamasse, the proceeds to be used as scholarships.

Adopted.

7. Proposed by Mrs. J. L. Beeson, State Historian:

Whereas: The Cherokee Indians met at their Council House at Red Clay, just within the Georgia boundary, for seven great National Councils from 1832 to 1837, be it

Resolved: That the Georgia D. A. R. erect on the site thereof, a Marker in memory of a people transplanted in the West, and that fifty dollars be given to the State Historian for that purpose.

Adopted.

8. Proposed by Mrs. Robert J. Travis, Chairman of Historic Spots; Mrs. John M. Simmons, Mrs. J. Harold Nicholson, Mrs. J. L. Beeson, Historian, members of the committee:

Resolved, That the following Historic Spots be marked by Georgia D. A. R., viz. the **Old Council House** at Red Clay; this spot recommended by Mrs. Beeson.

**Beaulieu**, where Count d'Estaing landed with troops from France, and was joined by Count Pulaski near Savannah, Georgia.

Adopted.

9. Proposed by Mrs. C. H. Leavy, Regent, Mrs. G. V. Cate, Historian, and the members of the Brunswick Chapter:

Whereas, Fort Frederica and the forces stationed there who fought the Battle of Bloody Marsh were an important factor in the life of the Nation by preserving English supremacy on the North American Continent, and,

Whereas, There is a movement to create a National Shrine at the site of Fort Frederica and the old town of Frederica on St. Simon's Island.

Whereas, a bill has been introduced in the U. S. House of Representatives by Hon. Braswell Deen, of the Eighth Congressional District (known as H. R. No. 4875), be it

Resolved: That the Georgia D. A. R. do endorse this Bill and urge the passage, and

That a copy of this resolution be sent to each member of the Georgia delegation in the Congress of the United States.

Further Resolved: That this resolution be presented at the next Continental Congress of the N. S., D. A. R., asking their support for this National project.

Adopted.

No. 10. Proposed by Mrs. Howard McCall, State Chairman Student Loan Funds:

Whereas: We wish as a Society to honor those to whom honor is due, and as our beloved member of the Gen. James Jackson Chapter of Valdosta has served the Georgia Society, D. A. R., faithfully and loyally for many years as Regent of this Chapter, and as State Chairman for twelve years of the Student Loan Fund, known now as the Valdosta Loan Fund. Therefore be it

Resolved: That we designate the \$5,000 Valdosta Loan Fund (which, under her wise guidance, has now reached the sum of \$5,752.73, and has given financial aid to 32 students) to the Claude Davis Ingram Scholarship Fund, placed at the Woman's State College at Valdosta.

Adopted.

No. 11. Proposed by Mrs. Mark Smith, Chairman of Marking Old Trails:

Resolved: That the Chairman of Marking Old Trails be authorized to place four Markers on the Oglethorpe Trail in Georgia this year. The Markers to be of bronze, and to cost \$50.00 each. One of the places to be marked will be selected by the D. A. R. Chapters of Columbus—viz., Coweta—town of the Indians where the trail ends; one to be selected by the Hannah Clarke Chapter of Quitman, which has traced the trail through Brooks County. The other two places to be selected by the State Chairman together with the Chairman of Historic Spots.

Adopted.

No. 12. Proposed by Mrs. W. F. Dykes, State Chairman Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Committee:

Resolved: That we re-affirm the action adopted at the Conference of 1934 that the purchase of Volumes I, II, III, and IV of the Georgia D. A. R. Historical Collections be placed on the list of Honor Roll Requirements for the coming year, 1935-36. (These books will be sold for \$2.60. One of the four volumes to be purchased through the Chapter).

Adopted.

No. 13. Proposed by Mrs. Frances Brown Chase, Regent, and members of the Atlanta Chapter:

Whereas: There is a definite need for a genealogical reference collection in the Department of Archives and History, and a room has been set aside in the Rhodes Memorial Hall, to be known as the Genealogical Reference Room. And, Whereas, this Society has for many years sponsored this Department and desires the privilege of contributing to this valuable public service, be it

Resolved: That we, the D. A. R. in Conference assembled, cooperate with the other Patriotic Societies in making this room a success. That we pledge our greatest efforts and herewith adopt this work as one of our activities for the coming year.

Adopted.

No. 14. Proposed by Mrs. Frances Brown Chase, State Chairman of Radio, and Mrs. Lucius McConnell, Co-Chairman:

Whereas, the broadcasting of radio programs is of untold value to the Georgia Society and Radio Stations NGPC, Albany; WGPC, Albany; WSB, Atlanta; WTFI, Athens; WRBL, Columbus, and WTOG, Savannah, have generously broadcast Chapter programs:

Be it Resolved: That the Georgia Society D. A. R. expresses sincere appreciation for the courtesy and generosity of the broadcasting of the programs;

Further Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Director of each Radio Station above named.

Adopted.

No. 15. Proposed by the Resolutions Committee:

Resolved: That the D. A. R. endorse the principles of the Copeland Bill, known as Senate Bill No. 5 Committee reprint No. 3.

Further Resolved: That a copy of this endorsement be sent to Senator W. F. George and Senator Richard B. Russell, Jr., of Georgia, for transmission to the Senate Committee on Commerce, before which this Bill is now pending.

Adopted.

No. 16. Proposed by Mrs. Ober D. Warthen, State Chairman:

Whereas: Members of the Georgia D. A. R. have done much research and prepared many fine papers for the State Committee on Filing and Lending Historical Papers;

And Whereas: The State Conference of 1935 has voted to use more Historical papers in the official D. A. R. columns of the Atlanta Constitution; be it

Resolved: That the material in the hands of the chairman of this committee be made available for the State Editor, and through publication in the official paper, be given to every member of the State Society.

Adopted.

No. 17. Proposed by Miss Floride Allen and members of the Nancy Hart Chapter:

Whereas: Governor George R. Gilmer served the State of Georgia as Governor in the early years of her history for two terms, and was the author of the famous "Gilmer's Georgians;"

And Whereas: His grave in the Lexington Cemetery is in a sad state of dilapidation and neglect; be it

Resolved: That the Georgia Society D. A. R. repair the grave, restore the monument, and plant shrubbery on the square.

Adopted.

No. 18. Proposed by Mrs. J. L. Beeson, State Historian, and Miss Virginia Hardin, State Chairman of Legislation:

Resolved: That the Georgia D. A. R. follow the D. A. R. of the State of Tennessee in urging Mr. James Farley, Postmaster General, to issue a Brainerd stamp, commemorating the great work done among the Cherokee Indians.

Adopted.

No. 19. Proposed by the Resolutions Committee:

Resolved: That the Daughters of the American Revolution in Georgia, in Conference assembled, pledge loyal and whole-hearted support to the President of the United States of America, Franklin Delano Roosevelt, and we tender, through him, to the Government, our continued service and patriotic cooperation.

Further Resolved: That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the President.

Adopted.

The resolution offered to the Executive Board at the meeting in Valdosta by Mrs. John M. Simmons, State Consulting Registrar, was referred by the Resolutions Committee to Mrs. Talmadge, Chairman of the Revision of By-Laws Committee, as it was an amendment to the By-Laws.

MRS. W. F. DYKES  
MRS. JOHN M. SLATON  
MISS VIRGINIA HARDIN  
MRS. JULIAN McCURRY  
MRS. BUN WYLIE

MRS. J. THOMAS WOOD  
MRS. JULIUS TALMADGE  
MRS. H. M. FRANKLIN  
MRS. HOWARD McCALL,  
Acting Chairman.

After the reading of the Resolutions, Mrs. Talmadge told of the Ellen A. Crawford Memorial Fund, an annual contribution of \$5.00 to each of the D. A. R. owned Approved Schools, Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee, to be made by Miss Annie Crawford, as long as she lives, in memory of her mother.

Mrs. McCall expressed the hope of the Georgia D. A. R. that some day the Marian Sibley Wylie Loan Scholarship Fund, started by the Gov. David Emanuel Chapter, be made a \$5,000 State Fund.

Mrs. Simmons spoke to her proposed amendment concerning the change in term of office of the State Consulting Registrar; action deferred until a later date.

Mrs. John S. Adams gave her report on National Defense, and Mrs. W. E. Mann on Americanism.

Mrs. Wood, Corresponding Secretary, read a telegram from Mrs. J. L. Mims, and a note from Mrs. Emmet, Regent, Council of Safety Chapter. The Corresponding Secretary was instructed to send a telegram of sympathy to Mrs. Emmet on the death of her mother.

In the absence of Mrs. Jordan, the Better Films report was read by Mrs. Julian McCurry, Georgia's first State Chairman of Better Films, and the Better Films Award was presented to Hawkinsville Chapter, Mrs. N. A. Jelks, Regent; Mrs. J. L. Mims, Chapter Chairman.

Mrs. Dudley gave the final report of the Credentials Committee as of 12:00 M. Friday. Distinguished guests, 24; State Officers, 18; State Chairmen, 44; Regents and Alternates, 55; Delegates and Alternates, 23; Visiting members, Elijah Clarke Chapter, 33; Visitors, 6 (incomplete registration); Pages, 22; making a total registration of 224.

Mrs. McCurry made a motion that the beautiful Calla Lilies on the platform be placed on the grave of Mrs. Crawford, founder of Elijah Clarke Chapter, and mother of Miss Annie Crawford, Hostess Regent; motion unanimously seconded and carried.

Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent, stressed the following instructions to Chapter Regents: that Chapter elections be held in May, and State Recording Secretary notified immediately, in order that the Chapter Directory may be correct in the Proceedings; that State per capita on Honor Roll must be paid for every member on roll—not only those who have paid dues to date; that prompt attention must be paid to all communications of the State Regent. The State Regent introduced Mrs. Talmadge, Georgia's candidate for the office of Recording Secretary General, and asked that Georgia send her full voting strength to Congress.

Nominations for the unexpired term of State Assistant Editor being in order, Miss Hardin nominated Mrs. Redwine; nomination seconded by Mrs. Dykes, and Mrs. Redwine was unanimously elected.

Mrs. Redwine introduced Mrs. Arthur Gannon, who handled the unusually fine publicity for the Conference.

Mrs. Talmadge made a motion that the State Proceedings again be published by The McGregor Company. Seconded by Mrs. Dykes and carried.

Mrs. Clyde Hunt offered a \$5.00 Award for the best collection of Historic Post Cards.

In the absence of the Chairman, Mrs. Satterfield, the Helen Rogers Franklin Trophy for general excellence, was presented by Mrs. W. E. Mann to the Hawkinsville Chapter, Mrs. N. A. Jelks, Regent.

Mrs. Redwine announced that the Conference would be luncheon guests of the Women's Organizations of Athens at the Hotel Georgian.

After extending to the State Regent a rising vote of thanks for the efficient and gracious manner in which she had presided over the Conference, the final business session was declared adjourned.

MRS. JOHN W. DANIEL,  
State Regent.

MRS. W. H. HIGHTOWER,  
State Recording Secretary.

(Approved by the Press Committee).

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### FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The Conference was entertained at luncheon Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, at the Georgian Hotel, by the Women's Organizations of Athens: The Athens Woman's Club; Athens Committee Colonial Dames of America; Laura Rutherford Chapter U. D. C.; The Ladies' Garden Club of Athens; Spanish-American Legion Auxiliary, and Elijah Clarke Chapter D. A. R.

Mrs. H. B. Ritchie, State President, Georgia Federation of Women's Clubs, presided over the luncheon in a charming and gracious manner. She introduced the distinguished guests present, including the heads of the various organizations, who each spoke words of welcome. Mrs. H. M. Franklin expressed the appreciation of the visitors for the many courtesies shown them, comparing the delightful culture and hospitality of the ancient and modern Athens.

Mrs. S. V. Sanford voiced a farewell to the visiting D. A. R.

After singing "Auld Lang Syne," Rev. Lester Rumble, pastor of the First Methodist Church, pronounced the benediction, and the Thirty-seventh Annual Conference was officially declared adjourned.

MRS. JOHN W. DANIEL,  
State Regent.

MRS. W. H. HIGHTOWER,  
State Recording Secretary.

(Approved by the Press Committee).

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### MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, GEORGIA D. A. R. VALDOSTA, GEORGIA, NOVEMBER 1, 1934.

The meeting of the Executive Board of the Georgia D. A. R. held at the Daniel Ashley Hotel, Valdosta, Georgia, November 1st, 1934, was called to order at 10:00 o'clock, the State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel, presiding.

Mrs. J. B. Stephens of the Gen. James Jackson Chapter, led the devotional, and after the prayer the members of the Board remained standing in tribute to the memory of three members deceased since its last meeting: Mrs. W. C. Vereen, Mrs. John A. Perdue, and Mrs. B. A. Tyler. The State Regent spoke briefly of the great loss to the Society and the precious heritage of their lives and work.

The Pledge to the Flag was led by Mrs. Slaton.

Roll Call was omitted; Secretary reported eight State Officers; the Vice-President General, and 27 State Chairmen present.

Minutes of the meeting of the Georgia Delegation in Washington were read and approved.

The State Regent gave a brief report of her activities, including

her attendance on the October meeting of the National Board, and asked careful consideration by the Board of a resolution she would present requiring a registration fee of \$1.00 at State Conference.

She then introduced Mrs. Julian McCurry, Vice-President General, who gave some high lights from the National Board Meeting. The main project for the rest of the year will be payment on Constitution Hall debt and the birthday parties will be held again in November. Each state is urged to adopt the Ruth Bryan Owen plan of sending a boy and girl to Washington on a Good Citizenship Tour—expense to be borne by the State. A new medal is offered, called the Magna Good Citizenship Medal. Mrs. Kimball, the Chaplain General, has prepared a new D. A. R. Ritual with ceremonies suitable for every occasion, which will soon be available to the Chapters at \$.25 each. It has been suggested that Approved Schools be a National Per Capita Assessment, but this has not yet been voted on. Mrs. McCurry hopes that Georgia will lead in this work by placing this on the State Honor Roll. Mrs. McCurry graciously expressed her thanks for the loyal support of the Georgia delegation in the recent election of Vice-Presidents General, and for the many lovely flowers sent her at that time.

Reports were made by Mrs. Adams, Second Vice-Regent; Mrs. W. H. Hightower, State Recording Secretary, and Mrs. Mell, State Treasurer. On motion, State Treasurer's report was accepted as read.

A motion was made and carried that a telegram be sent to Mrs. Wood, State Corresponding Secretary, expressing regret for her absence on account of illness.

A motion by Mrs. McCurry that a telegram be sent to Mrs. Dick, Librarian General, on account of her illness, was carried.

Mrs. Beeson, State Historian, in her report, urged that members of the Society make use of the valuable material at Rhodes Memorial. Markers have been unveiled at Clarkesville, Allentown, and Milledgeville. Mrs. Beeson's resolution about marking Red Clay Council House was referred to the Resolutions Committee. She expressed appreciation for the many splendid year books, especially that of the Savannah Chapter, dedicated to Mrs. Daniel.

Mrs. Wylie asked whether D. A. R. Markers should not be confined to places of Revolutionary interest. Mrs. Talmadge, Parliamentarian, answered that they were not to encroach on those naturally under the supervision of other patriotic organizations.

Mrs. Simmons, State Consulting Registrar, reported one Lineage Book missing; advocated the card index system as soon as the State can bear the expense, and offered a Resolution concerning the Consulting Registrar's term of office, which was referred to the Resolutions Committee.

Mrs. McCurry urged that each Chapter write the Registrar General, giving permission to open the files of the Chapter Members' papers, thus facilitating D. A. R. research.

Reports were given by Mrs. Murray, State Reporter to Smithsonian Institution and Mrs. Nicholson, State Curator.

Mrs. Talmadge called attention to the fact that Mrs. Nicholson had personally paid \$25.00 for the extra pages of her report as State Historian in the Proceedings, and the Board gave Mrs. Nicholson a rising vote of thanks for her generosity.

Mrs. Adams stressed the importance of making all reports for the Proceedings as short as possible, on account of the expense, and also the necessity of making three copies of every report, one to be read, one to be sent the State Regent before Conference, and

one to be given the Recording Secretary for publication in the Proceedings.

The State Regent then introduced Mrs. Frank S. Harrell, the Hostess Regent, who gave the Board a cordial welcome and announced the luncheon at the Womans' Club.

Mrs. Slaton told of her peculiar interest in the Hostess Chapter, because it was named for her own great grandfather, Gen. James Jackson.

Mrs. Talmadge asked that members of the Resolutions Committee be allowed to give their reports first, and also that Miss Crawford, the Conference Hostess Regent, give her report before the retirement of the Resolutions Committee.

Mrs. Gaffney, Chairman of Educational Funds for Local Schools, suggested plans for systematic work along this line in every Chapter.

Mrs. Wylie, Chairman of American's Creed Day, reported that all Regents had been notified of the date, April 3rd, and plans suggested for celebration.

Miss Annie Crawford, Regent of the Elijah Clarke Chapter, told something of the plans for the State Conference in Athens—it is hoped that the historic old University Chapel can be used for the meetings, and one of the interesting events will be a luncheon given by the Count d'Estaing Chapter C. A. R. All Committees are at work with interest and enthusiasm.

Miss Crawford was given a rising vote of thanks for her cordial invitation and interesting preparations for the Conference.

Mrs. Slaton asked that date of Conference should not include March 17th, on account of conflict with the meeting of the Colonial Dames of the 17th Century.

Mrs. Gaffney, President of the State Officers Club, announced that Mrs. Slaton would be Chairman of the Officers Club Breakfast, to be held on the Wednesday of Conference.

The State Regent announced that she would have some children from Tamasee on the program if possible.

The Recording Secretary read the tentative outline of Mrs. Franklin's pageant for Regent's Night, which met with the approval of the Board and the Hostess Regent, Miss Crawford.

Miss Sue Reid Vason gave her report on Approved Schools, and her Resolution was sent to the Resolutions Committee.

Mrs. Turner Brice, Chairman of Constitution Hall Finance, was absent on account of the death of her grandfather, and the Secretary was instructed to send her a telegram of sympathy.

Reports were made as follows: Constitution Hall Memory Book, Mrs. A. T. Coleman; Correct Use of Flag, Mrs. John M. Slaton; Filing and Lending Historic Papers, Mrs. Ober D. Warthen; Flag Day, Mrs. J. C. Collier.

Mrs. J. W. Oglesby, Chairman of the Flag Processional, explained that all checks must be sent immediately, as 90 flags must be ordered to get the reduced price. Miss Crawford suggested that these flags be given by Chapter members in memory of a dear one, or in honor of a living member—The flag was given Elijah Clarke Chapter in memory of a former Chaplain, by her daughter.

There were heard reports from Mrs. Miller S. Bell, Chairman, Girl Home Makers; Mrs. John D. Pope, Georgia Room in Administration Building; Mrs. J. L. Beeson, Historical Programs; Mrs. Clyde Hunt, Historical Post Cards; Miss Virginia Hardin, Legislation—Miss Hardin reported that a new highway will be named,

by Act of the Legislature, for Wm. Harris Crawford, Miss Annie Crawford's grandfather.

Mrs. Mark Smith, Chairman of Marking Old Trails, reported attending unveiling of the Marker at Allentown, by the John Ball Chapter, and plans for various other Markers under way. Mrs. Smith was introduced by the State Regent, as the new State Director of the C. A. R., and was received with enthusiasm.

Mrs. Freeman gave her report on the May Erwin Talmadge Loan Fund.

Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Chairman Protem of the Resolutions Committee, read the following Resolutions, which were adopted by the Board:

#### RESOLUTION NO. 1

Resolved: That the State Regent of Georgia, Mrs. John W. Daniel, on behalf of her organization, expresses to the Gen. James Jackson Chapter of Valdosta, her appreciation for their gracious hospitality and splendid entertainment.

Adopted by a unanimous rising vote.

#### RESOLUTION NO. 2

(Proposed by Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent).

Resolved: That the Georgia D. A. R. follow the policy of the National Society by asking a registration fee of \$1.00 of all Officers, Chairmen and delegates who attend the State Conference.

Adopted.

#### RESOLUTION NO. 3

(Proposed by Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Honorary State Regent of Georgia; Mrs. J. L. Beeson, State Historian; Mrs. J. Harold Nicholson, Past State Historian).

Resolved: Whereas the Georgia D. A. R. promoted the creation by legislative act of the Georgia Department of Archives and History and has continuously and consistently worked for the up-building of said Department; and,

Whereas, this Department, which has been of untold value and benefit to the State of Georgia and the D. A. R., and which requires specialized and technical work to continue to function successfully;

Therefore, Be It Resolved: That the State Executive Board of the D. A. R. go on record as reaffirming their interest in and support of this Department and hereby instruct the legislative chairman to support the Department during the 1935 legislative session and to promote legislation to place the Department under a board of control.

And Be It Further Resolved: That the State Regent forward a copy of this resolution to his Excellency, Governor Talmadge.

Adopted.

#### RESOLUTION NO. 4

(Presented by Miss Sue Reid Vason, Chairman of Approved Schools).

Resolved: That whereby education is becoming more essential year by year, and that the fostering of education is one of the most worthwhile and commendable works of the D. A. R., and,

Inasmuch as the Daughters of the American Revolution are

making it one of their aims to wipe out the ignorance of our mountaineers and underprivileged classes and raise the standards of citizenship in our state,

That, we adopt as one of the requirements of the State Honor Roll, that each Chapter give a pro rata share of 5 cents toward approved schools—the proceeds of which will be used as scholarships to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamasee, which are maintained entirely by D. A. R. funds.

Adopted.

#### RESOLUTION NO. 5

(Proposed by Mrs. John M. Simmons, State Consulting Registrar).

Whereas, the office of State Consulting Registrar is now limited to a term of two years, and,

Whereas, the office requires much time and study in order to become familiar with this line of work, and,

Whereas, there are many lineage books and papers whose transportation is expensive and fraught with danger of loss, therefore  
Be it Resolved: That the term of this office be extended to four years.

Approved. (The necessary change in State By-Laws to be advertised in the D. A. R. column at the proper time).

#### RESOLUTION NO. 6

(Proposed by Mrs. J. L. Beeson, State Historian).

Whereas, the Cherokee Indians met at their Council house at Red Clay, just within the Georgia boundary, for seven great national councils, from the year 1832, through the year 1837;

Be It Resolved, That: the Daughters of the American Revolution of the State of Georgia erect on the site thereof, a marker in memory of a people transplanted in the West, and that \$50.00 be given to the State Historian, D. A. R., for that purpose.

Approved.

The motion of Mrs. McCurry that further business be completed at the luncheon session, carried.

The session then adjourned for luncheon, which was served by the Gen. James Jackson Chapter at the beautiful Wymodausis Club, owned by the Women's organizations of Valdosta. During the luncheon hour Mr. James Dasher and two of his pupils presented a charming musical program. Greetings were given by Mrs. Harrell, Hostess Regent, and the heads of other organizations, to which Mrs. Wylie, Honorary State Regent, replied in a most gracious manner.

After enjoying the delightful luncheon, the Board again convened in business session.

Telegrams were read from Mrs. Becker, Mrs. Land, Mrs. Mann, Mrs. Colley, Mrs. Jordan, Mrs. Mims, Mrs. Tabor, Mrs. Chase, and Mrs. Sidney Smith.

Mrs. Wadsworth, Chairman of Traveling Genealogical Library, stated that a small collection of books is now ready for lending, and Mrs. Sappington's motion that the Library be started on its way immediately was carried. The State Regent suggested that it go to the smaller Chapters first, as they do not have access to other reference books.

Reports were given by Mrs. Fripp, Chairman, Medals and Prizes,

and Mrs. Adams, Chairman of National Defense. Mrs. Adams urged that a few minutes be given to this subject at each monthly meeting by the Chapter Chairman. Mrs. Adams also gave the report of the Press Committee.

Mrs. Garrard, Chairman, Sons and Daughters of the U. S. A., asked that each Chapter Chairman obtain permission from their School Superintendents to organize clubs in the schools. These clubs are no expense either to schools or children and mean much, especially to country children.

Mrs. Mell, Chairman, State Treasurer's Award, reported Honor Roll requirements coming in slowly.

Mrs. Yarbrough, Chairman, Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan Loan Fund, asked how large the fund should become before loans were made. In answering this question, the State Regent asked Mrs. Di. Ingram, Chairman, Valdosta Loan Fund, to explain how that Fund is handled. Mrs. Ingram said the money was loaned as it came in, sometimes as little as \$25.00. Mrs. Ingram also stated that handling the Fund entailed no small expense which was borne entirely by the Gen. James Jackson Chapter.

Mrs. Gaffney moved that a rising vote of thanks be given the Chapter for this great help to the State Society. This was immediately made unanimous.

Mrs. Yarbrough then made a motion that the Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan Loan Fund be loaned as it becomes available—Seconded by Mrs. McCurry, and carried.

There followed reports of Mrs. Lane, Chairman, Text books; Mrs. Sappington, Thomas Jefferson Memorial, and Mrs. Hooks, Welfare of Women and Children.

An excerpt from Mrs. Magna's letter about gift trees for her "Hay Fever Camp" was read. Mrs. McCurry moved that Mrs. White, Chairman of this special Committee, write to the State College of Agriculture for advice about a suitable tree, to be shipped as soon as possible; seconded and carried.

Mrs. Becker's announcement as candidate for President General was read, also the names of all candidates for National Offices on her ticket, including Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge for Recording Secretary General.

Mrs. Adams moved that the Executive Board endorse Mrs. Becker's ticket as a whole; unanimously seconded and carried.

Mrs. Wylie moved that a telegram be sent to Mrs. Becker telling her of this endorsement; seconded by Mrs. Adams and carried.

An announcement was read of the candidacy of Mrs. Lane, of Texas, for the office of Honorary Vice-President General.

An excerpt was read from Mrs. Magna's letter concerning a change in the term of State Offices from two to three years, to coincide with the term of National Offices.

Motion by Mrs. Wylie that consideration of this matter be deferred to next Board meeting; seconded by Miss Hardin and carried.

On account of the lateness of the hour, other communications were filed, and the meeting was adjourned.

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## SPECIAL MEETING OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

On November 26, 1934, a special meeting of the State Executive Committee was held at the home of Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, in Athens, Georgia, for the purpose of considering the allocation of a sum of money from the D. A. R. Forest Park Fund for a payment on the debt owing The McGregor Company for the Proceedings.

Mrs. Mell, State Treasurer, explained that there was a very small amount in the General Fund, and that so far The McGregor Company had been paid only \$125.00 of the \$607.14 due for the 1934 Proceedings, and that there was more than \$275.00 in the Forest Park Fund, which was not being used. Mrs. Mell, therefore, made a motion that \$100.00 of this amount be transferred to the General Fund, and paid to The McGregor Company. Seconded by Mrs. Colley. Miss Hardin offered as an amendment, that \$200.00, instead of \$100.00, be transferred and paid. The motion as amended carried, and the meeting was adjourned.

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## MEETING OF THE GEORGIA DELEGATION

Washington, D. C., April 16, 1935

The meeting of the Georgia delegation to the Forty-fourth Continental Congress was held in the National Officers Club Room, Memorial Continental Hall, on Tuesday afternoon, April 16, 1935, at three o'clock, with Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent, presiding.

The Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison, and the Pledge to the Flag given.

On motion of Mrs. McCurry, Roll Call was dispensed with; Secretary recorded 48 present.

The State Regent then presented to Stephen Heard Chapter, Elberton, the \$5.00 prize, offered by Mrs. Z. W. Copeland to the Chapter marking the largest number of Revolutionary Soldiers' graves during the past year. In the absence of the Regent, Miss Edna Rogers received this prize for the Chapter.

The State Regent then read an invitation to Mrs. Becker's reception to be held at the Mayflower Hotel on Tuesday afternoon.

The Secretary read an invitation to a tea to be given by Mrs. Walter F. George and the wives of the Georgia Congressmen at the Woman's Democratic Club on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Talmadge asked that notes of thanks be written to these ladies for their gracious hospitality, and to the Georgia Society in Washington for the reception given in honor of the Georgia D. A. R. at the Shoreham Hotel on Monday evening.

An invitation was read from the Pen Women of America to the visiting D. A. R. Pen Women for tea on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Adams asked that final reservations be made for the Georgia Banquet to be held at the Mayflower on Tuesday evening, and the State Regent announced that reservations for the President General's Banquet on Saturday evening might be made with Mrs. W. E. Mann.

Mrs. Talmadge recommended that the Georgia delegation have a State Luncheon combined with the State Meeting next year, instead of a banquet. This suggestion was enthusiastically endorsed by those present.

The State Regent again expressed a desire that each delegate sit in the Georgia Box at some time during Congress, tickets to be obtained from Mrs. E. B. Freeman and Mrs. Mark Smith in charge of the Box. She then presented a Georgia badge to each one present, and seat tickets to the Georgia delegation.

The State Regent stressed the importance of proper credentials and registration and correct voting, and offered her personal assistance to any member of the delegation who might desire her advice or assistance during Congress.

Mrs. Gaffney extended a cordial invitation to the tea given by the Tennessee delegation in honor of Mrs. Gillentine on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Slaton suggested that a rising vote of thanks be given the State Regent for her thoughtful consideration of the delegation. This was immediately made unanimous and the meeting was adjourned.

Those present were: Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent; Mrs. Julian McCurry, Vice-President General; Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, Mrs. Julius Talmadge, Mrs. W. E. Mann, Mrs. John S. Adams, Mrs. W. H. Hightower, Mrs. T. C. Mell, Mrs. J. L. Beeson, Mrs. Y. Harris Yarbrough, Miss Virginia Sapp, Mrs. Robert H. Perkins, Mrs. W. M. Roberts, Mrs. Hugh Peterson, Mrs. J. E. Wright, Mrs. W. B. McNeal, Mrs. C. W. Buchanon, Mrs. J. M. Murrah, Miss Martha Lou Houston, Mrs. E. B. Freeman, Mrs. Hortense Daniel, Mrs. Julian B. Lewis, Mrs. W. P. Smith, Mrs. DeLos Hill, Mrs. P. S. Cummings, Miss Edna Rogers, Mrs. Frank M. Cates, Mrs. T. J. Sappington, Mrs. J. H. Nicholson, Mrs. W. F. Dykes, Mrs. James N. Carter, Mrs. Theodore Tiller, Mrs. Hugh M. Blount, Mrs. P. L. Hay, Mrs. J. N. Neel, Mrs. John Edward Lane, Mrs. C. E. Pittman, Mrs. T. D. Power, Mrs. Mark Smith, Mrs. Slaughter Linthicum, Miss Virginia Hardin, Mrs. Hugh H. Hardin, Mrs. John M. Slaton, Mrs. Ober D. Warthen, Mrs. D. N. Thompson, Mrs. S. P. Vanderslice, Mrs. J. M. Barnett, Mrs. R. T. Ragan.

Georgia's voting strength at Congress, 42.

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## ADDRESS

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### ADDRESS OF THE STATE REGENT, MRS. JOHN W. DANIEL, AT THE THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE, DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Madam Vice-President General, Distinguished Guests, State Officers, Members and Friends:

Standing on the grounds of Constitution Hall in Washington is a monument of marble, placed there by the D. A. R. to the memory of the three women who were the founders of the National Society.

This monument is a constant reminder of the vision, the courage and the faith of these women, who through their patriotic zeal, realized that the time had arrived when some effort should be made to preserve the ideals for which their forefathers had fought.

On the ninth day of August, 1890, in response to the call of Mr. W. O. McDowell, great-grandson of Hannah Arnette of Revolutionary fame, these women, Miss Mary Desha, Mrs. Ellen Walsworth, and Miss Eugenia Washington, met in the home of Mrs. Walsworth and founded the National Society. The first president of this Society was Mrs. Benjamin Scott Harrison, whose husband was then President of the United States. She served as President General until her death. The beautiful portrait of Mrs. Harrison hanging on the wall of the White House today is a gift from our National Society to the Nation.

Looking down the vista of years and recalling the splendid work accomplished since that memorable day, forty-four years ago, one can appreciate the patriotic fervor and earnestness which these women must have possessed.

The work that the Daughters do is a true monument to the loyalty and patriotism of these founders. Of the work that is being done, there is none, perhaps, more valuable than that of patriotic education which, in the words of our President General, "is the first-line of National Defense." There is no phase of patriotic education more important than that of bringing to the youth of today the place that the United States has taken and must always take in relation to the other powers of the world. We fought our war of the American Revolution to secure our political independence, and the War of 1812, perhaps more accurately called the Second War of Independence, to maintain our economic independence. But between those wars we fought another—the war with Tripoli. When the pirates on the Mediterranean Sea expected the United States to follow the tame example of Europe and pay tribute upon demand, we fought a war to maintain our national honor.

Even before the war with Tripoli, when a Nation that had been our ally in the war of the Revolution made demands upon our Country, a happy phrase-maker expressed the attitude of America when he said, "millions for defense, but not one cent for tribute."

In the early days of our history though we were so poorly prepared to take a stand, when a question of our national honor was involved, we had the courage to fight when necessary. Thus we won the respect and admiration of the older countries. Today, we

must have not only courage, but adequate defense to maintain our national integrity.

It is the obligation of the Daughters of the American Revolution that has for one of its avowed purposes, the promotion of patriotic education, to teach the youths of our country the ideals upon which this Nation was founded, and to encourage them to uphold those ideals so that they may be true American citizens and thus will they become America's first line of National Defense against the enemy that is threatening to undermine our great republic.

It is in and through our schools that we must reach our young people. Just here should be emphasized the need for teachers who themselves are true Americans who not only know, love and reverence our Constitution, but who are imbued with a determination to impart to their pupils the principles and ideals of our Nation.

The National Association for Constitutional Government gives the following advice to American citizens:

"Our Constitution is the very heart and life of the Nation we love. Other nations the world over have copied it. Evidently our fathers expected the people of the United States to be familiar with the Constitution in all of its essential provisions. Yet there have been thousands of office holders under the Federal Government and the forty-eight State Governments of the Union who have sworn to support the Constitution that have never once read it through."

In an average audience of a thousand Americans, how many will you find who have a copy of the Constitution within reach? How many who have never read it? Every good American ought to have a copy of it for his own use, easily accessible for reference.

Mr. J. Ray Murphy in the American Legion says, "If we are to safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy, if we are to uphold and defend the Constitution, we must make Americanism more than a word, we must think and breathe it, we must make it living and vital. For Americanism is the soul of America and if the soul be lost, all else worth while is gone."

"In Athens, Sparta, Florence, 'twas the soul  
That was the city's bright immortal part."

Mr. Murphy feels that we should devote our attention with utmost vigor and determination to the education of our youth; to the dissemination of knowledge that will combat propaganda put out in the name of peace.

In Henry Arthur Jones' address to the President of the British Board of Education, he says in effect, that there are very few men living who are destitute of the instinct of patriotism and that our Pacifists are super-abundantly endowed with it, but it is a wholly perverted form of the instinct of patriotism. He also says that at an immeasurable cost of lives and treasure and at terrible hazard of national disaster and ruin, the British neglected, in the last generation, to train their boys in their first duty of being ready to defend their country. He grants it is not likely that a similar danger will threaten them in the future and it is scarcely likely that the same danger will threaten us. But having regard to the unsettled condition of the world's affairs, who can tell what dangers and emergencies may arise during the next ten or twenty or forty years? He brings out the point that we insure our houses against fire, though in that minor matter we run not a

hundredth part of the risk that we run in leaving ourselves uninsured or half insured against any conflagration that may start amongst the inflamed peoples.

In America there is no compulsory military training, though there are private military schools; and military training in our Land-Grant Colleges which is required by those attending, in return for the contribution made by the government to State education. While the question of compulsory military training in our schools is an open one, yet the Daughters of the American Revolution do believe that the schools of America are the means of training our young people in the responsibility of citizenship, for ordinary citizenship is a thing of peace rather than war. It is a matter of every day obligation of honor and of uprightness rather than that of diplomacy and military strategy.

Citizenship has come to be taken so much for granted that we sometimes fail to realize that it has a two-fold nature, rights and obligations. However, our rights as citizens are more frequently considered than our duties. It was St. Paul, who in the time of stress, laid claim on his right as a Roman citizen for protection. An American citizen demands his right of protection of life, liberty and property. Yet citizenship carries with it obligations in a corresponding degree. Perhaps the most fundamental duty of an American citizen is to know his obligation. "America demands of her citizens full and patriotic allegiance and intelligent loyal service."

It has been said that life's loyalties grade in this order, first to God—second to home—third to Country.

The high value placed upon citizenship in the days of the Greek city states is beautifully expressed in the Athenian oath which reads:

"We will never bring disgrace to this our city, by any act of dishonesty or cowardice.

"We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the city, both alone and with many.

"We will revere and obey the city's laws and do our best to invite a like respect and reverence in those about us, who are prone to annul or set them at naught.

"We will strive unceasingly to quicken the public sense of civic duty, thus in all these ways we will transmit this city not only not less, but greater, better and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us."

Today an American citizen says:

"I, therefore, believe it is my duty to my country, to love it; to support its Constitution; to obey its laws; to respect its flag; and to defend it against all enemies."

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## RESPONSE TO THE ADDRESSES OF WELCOME

MRS. HOWARD H. McCALL, SR.

Many years ago at a great political gathering David B. Hill, one of the leaders, was at a loss for a proper beginning. But, suddenly, inspired by his enthusiastic audience, he walked to the front of the stage and said, "I am a Democrat."

Tonight, requested by your State Regent to respond to the addresses of welcome, thrilled over this wonderful audience, I am not at a loss for a proper beginning.

"I am a Democrat" like Senator Hill; but I am proud to say also that "I am a Georgia Daughter of the American Revolution."

As a representative of those Daughters from without the border of this charming city, it is my privilege and pleasure to thank you for the gracious welcome you have given us, but your speaker is fearful lest she express not fittingly the thoughts of the members of our beloved Society.

We feel that the very atmosphere is charged with all the sentiment that can accompany the word "Welcome." We realize how good it is to be here in this historic old Chapel. Memory makes of every one's mind a picture gallery, and treasured in that gallery of many here tonight are the thoughts of our first commencement in Athens, our first dances, and of our first fraternity friends; of the many happy days spent in this, the most wonderful town in Georgia.

And then many of us remember our "War Conference," held as the guests of the Elijah Clarke Chapter, when as loyal, patriotic women, we pledged our loyalty to our President Woodrow Wilson, and gave our loving service to our Country and our Flag.

We thank you that we have the privilege of meeting here again at this historic University from which so many have gone forth to give their loyal, patriotic service to their Country.

And now in 1935, we as patriotic Daughters again pledge our loyal service to another great leader in this crisis, our President Franklin Delano Roosevelt.

We are not strangers tonight, we are only coming home, to mingle in patriotic fellowship with you in Athens. May we, the Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution join with you in saying, "Glory, Glory to Old Georgia." We are glad to be here, we appreciate the opportunity to be your guest. Nowhere have we met with a warmer welcome than here, in a city which combines the charm of the Old South with what is best in the new, and a welcome so kindly given by Mr. Wright.

We are living in an age when woman's work and woman's influence are recognized as powerful factors in every phase of life, but I like best to think of the cooperation between men and women instead of each trying to carry out projects alone—so to you, Dr. Sanford, President of The University of Georgia, and to you, Mrs. Reed, the representative of the Women's Organizations in Athens, our most sincere appreciation is given for your cordial and gracious welcome.

And now, it is said, that the cream of a woman's letter is at the bottom, so can we add this post-script?

To you, Miss Crawford, and to each and every member of the Elijah Clarke Chapter, we give our heartfelt thanks for this kind invitation to hold our Thirty-seventh Annual State Conference as your guests, and for the very gracious welcome extended to us—we come to you with the assurance of our cooperation in those aims which have been those of women throughout the ages—all the splendid work of the D. A. R. for God, and Home, and Country.

We cannot by ourselves work out a civilization, but we are a significant part of a brave leadership. There is a new deal in our Country today. With that brave leader of these United States, let the watchword of the Daughters of the American Revolution be, "We are going forward."

## COURTESY EXPRESSION

MRS. HERBERT M. FRANKLIN

Lovely flowers—gleaming sunshine, perfumed air, and velvet sod,  
Calm, sweet peace, and plenty reign where nature's temples rise  
to God.

Homes of culture o'er all Athens, sounds of laughter, sounds of  
mirth,

Fill the air with sweetest music in this garden spot of earth.

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Our hearts are thrilled with the very joy of living amidst such bouquets of cordiality and hospitality as have been showered upon us. A beautiful Grecian custom of ancient Athens was to crown each guest with a wreath of flowers, and Athens of today has crowned each D. A. R. with crimson roses, with white lilies, with blue violets, tied with silver cords of friendship, and links of happiness from golden hearts.

Words fail to express our gratitude to the Elijah Clarke Chapter D. A. R. for we realize how faithfully and strenuously all members have worked for the success of the Conference. That all the plans of our Hostess Chapter have been carried out so beautifully is due in a great measure to the personal charm and sweet magnetism of the Regent, Miss Annie Crawford, who guides her members with the goldenrod of love. Her committees have indeed been a power behind her throne, and we commend her rare good judgment in their appointment.

With the spirit of union in our hearts we wish to express our grateful appreciation for the use of the buildings, University Chapel, Dawson Hall, Lucy Cobb Chapel.

We extend our thanks to Miss Frances Talmadge and her associates who have decorated so beautifully, and made the place of our temporary abode a delight to the artistic eye, a joy forever to memory.

We are indeed indebted to those who have given us such a cordial welcome, Miss Annie S. Crawford, Hostess Regent; Dr. S. V. Sanford, President of The University of Georgia; Mr. Tate Wright, President, Chamber of Commerce; Mrs. Thomas W. Reed, State President, U. D. C., representing women's organizations of Athens.

We are greatly indebted to the ministers who were with us, for no Conference is complete without spiritual aid and inspiration.

We wish to express our heartiest appreciation to Gen. Robert J. Travis for his splendid patriotic address on Wednesday evening.

We are indeed indebted to Mrs. Swann Sinclair, National President of the C. A. R.; to Mrs. W. H. Wagner, National Registrar, C. A. R., and to Mrs. John Morrison Kerr, National Historian, C. A. R. They see "real duty in the task supreme of building well upon foundations ready laid for children yet to be."

We appreciate the presence and inspiration of Mrs. W. H. Belk, State Regent of North Carolina; Mrs. T. J. Mauldin, State Regent of South Carolina, and her Tamassee girls.

There is among us an officer of the National Organization who is always an inspiration to Georgia D. A. R., one who is so human and sisterly, so full of wit and wisdom that she is dearly loved by all, Mrs. Julian McCurry, Vice-President General, N. S., D. A. R. We thank her for her ever ready cooperation.

We thank our beloved State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel, for

her splendid address delivered in her sweet lovable manner of a true Southern gentlewoman, expressive of her high ideals and lofty sentiments.

Always the power behind the throne of the State Regent are the Past Vice-Presidents General, Mrs. Howard McCall and Mrs. Julius Talmadge. They hold aloft the torch of light and inspiration, guiding us with their lives of patriotism.

There are others to whom we are indebted on this occasion for their presence and encouragement, the Honorary State Regents. Mrs. Bun Wylie is here to lend her influence in all patriotic endeavor, and to keep up the morale of the D. A. R. with anti-depression smiles. Mrs. Herbert Franklin is here, as usual, to do her bit in any work for the organization.

We are most grateful to all the musicians who have transported us to realms of happiness which tongue is powerless to express. The exhilarating notes have thrilled our hearts, as you have given us the strains of—

"Music, whatever it be, whose subtle power  
Steals to the soul as dew into the flower."

In addition to all this "feast of reason and flow of soul," we have been delightfully wined and dined. We are greatly indebted to Dr. and Mrs. S. V. Sanford for the splendid banquet on Wednesday evening; to the Chamber of Commerce for the most enjoyable luncheon on Thursday; to the Count d'Estaing Chapter C. A. R. for the delicious buffet supper at the home of Mrs. J. Y. Carithers on Thursday evening. It is said a custom of ancient Athens was this. Upon the departure of a guest, if he asked for anything, it was cheerfully given him. If this custom prevailed today, each of us would wish to take home these lovely children who have brightened and inspired us.

Words are powerless to express our appreciation to the Athens Woman's Club, the Ladies' Garden Club; the Laura Rutherford Chapter, U. D. C.; the Athens Committee Colonial Dames of America; Spanish-American War Veterans Auxiliary; American Legion Auxiliary, and again to the Elijah Clarke Chapter, D. A. R. for the sumptuous luncheon on Friday.

Athens must again have followed the custom of ancient Athens, where the chief cook, when directed to prepare a feast, not only inquired the number of guests expected, but also who and what they were that he might adapt the dishes to their various tastes, for each of us has found just the dishes we most prefer.

Our thanks are due the Pages who have served us so charmingly, and lend brightness and rich color to all our meetings. With their D. A. R. blue, they look like bluebirds of happiness, and seem to have "the happy heart which will ever be a crown of richest blessing."

We appreciate the beautiful dances, under the direction of Miss Lucy Lampkin, following the Pageant on Thursday evening. We are deeply indebted to Mrs. M. R. Redwine for her valuable assistance in staging the Pageant.

We wish to express heartiest appreciation to the newspapers, which have given us such delightful publicity in advance, and will have most enjoyable accounts of our meetings. We appreciate sincerely the kindness of the Atlanta Constitution in giving us our own columns where we may broadcast to the world our wonderful achievements.

We wish to express our grateful thanks to the Elijah Clarke

Chapter for our beautiful bags, and especially are we indebted to Mrs. Harry Erwin, who made all these bags. They will be lasting reminders of this lovely woman, and the Chapter. We appreciate sincerely the contents of the bag which will be so useful to us for a long time.

We wish to express our thanks to the children for the forget-me-not seed, which will keep their memory green.

We appreciate deeply the kindness of every man, woman, and child who has contributed to our pleasure, and to the success of the Conference. We have renewed our strength from your flowing fountain of patriotism. Here—

Old Glory speaks in tones of love: O Georgia D. A. R.

Go add new glory to my folds, new luster to your Star!

Shine on, shine on, O Georgia Star, lead upward as of yore,

O'er North and South, o'er East and West, shine on forevermore!

## OFFICERS' REPORTS

### REPORT OF THE STATE REGENT,

MRS. JOHN W. DANIEL

MARCH 21, 1935

Madam Vice-Regent, Madam Vice-President General, Distinguished Guests, and Members in Conference Assembled:

I appreciate the honor you have conferred upon me in electing me to the high office of State Regent of the Georgia Society, D. A. R. That honor has brought with it an obligation and a responsibility of which I am fully aware. The responsibility I have assumed and shall serve you to the best of my ability.

It makes me happy to see so many present on this occasion, and I wish to welcome all of you to your State Conference. The ceremony attending the confirmation of the State Regents is a most impressive one and I can assure you that if I had not realized before the great responsibility this office carried with it, I did so when I stood on the platform of Constitution Hall and heard the words of our President General as she read the oath of office, which we pledged our sacred honor to uphold.

My first official duty was to represent the Georgia Society at the meeting of the National Board which was held in Constitution Hall on the day following the confirmation of the State Regents, the business transacted being confined to a few reports of National officers. Mrs. Magna, in her gracious manner, welcomed the new members in a most inspiring talk, urging them to stand by the faith of their forefathers; to stand by the members in the organization; to realize the privilege they have in being a component part of the womanhood of this country, and to beware of present-day activities. It was a pleasure to meet the women throughout the country who are serving their states in the same capacity that I am serving you.

After my return from Washington, on May 8, the Savannah Chapter entertained with a lovely reception in honor of Mrs. J. T. Wood, State Corresponding Secretary, and your State Regent.

On the 18th of May, I met with the members of the Press Committee in Social Circle at the home of Mrs. Mell Knox, Chairman. The work of this committee is most arduous, necessitating corrections and more corrections, and the work is delayed by Chapter Regents failing to send in the names of newly-elected officers and Chapter reports. (Just here let me say that ten Chapters failed to send in reports last year. This failure should not occur, for the Regents should hand them to the Recording Secretary at the time of the State Conference.)

The summer months were busy ones, spent in arranging the State Committees, answering letters, and attending to the many necessary details of the office.

Let me, right here, thank the Chapters for sending to me copies of their year books which represented much work and study. I was pleased to see that so many of the Chapters had used as the

subject for the Historical Program, the one outlined by the State Historian, Mrs. Beeson.

On October 18th, it was my pleasure to attend a lovely luncheon given by the Brunswick Chapter, at the Oglethorpe Hotel, with Mrs. C. H. Leavy, Regent, presiding. Mr. Davidson, who has given much study to the historic lore of the Indians gave a most interesting talk on Satig expedition through Georgia. While in Brunswick I was the house guest of Miss Virginia Sapp, who was a most gracious hostess.

On October 23rd I joined our Vice-President General, Mrs. McCurry, in Washington where we attended the meeting of the National Board. Mrs. McCurry and I were among those invited to attend the delightful luncheon at the Mayflower Hotel, given by Mrs. Wm. Pouch, of Yew York, in honor of Mrs. Wm. Becker and the ladies who are candidates on her ticket. Mrs. Pouch invited the members of the Board to view some moving pictures of the schools that the D. A. R. is sponsoring; we also had the pleasure of seeing a moving picture of Ellis Island.

Mrs. R. G. Kimbell, Chaplain General, presented the proposed ritual which was unanimously adopted, and a vote of thanks given Mrs. Kimbell for her splendid work. The Ritual may be secured for the sum of twenty-five cents.

The Patriotic Pilgrimage came up for discussion. Mrs. Magna expressed regret that the National Society could not carry out the plans this year but hoped to do so, perhaps next year. Several states announced the fact that they were planning to have this Pilgrimage. I sincerely trust that Georgia will be able to make this one of her projects for the coming year.

It is the hope of our President General that the debt on Constitution Hall will be cancelled by the meeting of Congress in April, and plans were made to this end.

It was indeed most gratifying to have such a large attendance at the meeting of the State Executive Board, which was held in Valdosta on November 1st, with the General James Jackson Chapter hostess. Mrs. Frank Harrell, Regent, extended a welcome to the members in her own gracious manner. The morning session was held at the Daniel Ashley Hotel, and the business was concluded at the Woman's Club House, where a delightful luncheon was served, preceding the business session. I wish to thank, again, the members of the General James Jackson Chapter for their cordial hospitality and to express my appreciation to them for entertaining the Board.

From Valdosta, in response to an invitation from Mrs. Simmons, your Regent went to Bainbridge to attend the ceremony of the unveiling of a Marker on the Jackson Trail, in honor of Andrew Jackson, who, though only a boy during the Revolutionary War, had the courage, while a prisoner, to refuse to black the boots of a British officer.

Included in the numerous attentions shown your Regent while in Bainbridge were a luncheon with Mrs. Peter Cummings, a dinner given by Mrs. Conger in her lovely home, in honor of Mrs. Ritchie, Mrs. Gholston, and Mrs. Simmon's guests who were: Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Freeman, and Mrs. Coleman; and a dinner with Mrs. Ramsey. It was also my pleasure to attend a meeting of the Bainbridge Chapter and I was delighted to learn of the splendid work being done by this Chapter.

From there I went to Thomasville, where, as the guest of Mrs. P. I. Dixon, I attended a lovely reception given in my honor, which

followed a meeting of the Thomasville Chapter, with Mrs. J. A. Horn, Regent, presiding. There were members from five different Chapters present at this meeting.

From Thomasville, I had the pleasure of visiting the two Chapters in Albany where I was the guest of Mrs. W. C. Fripp. A luncheon at the charming old home of Miss Cena Whitehead; a large reception held at the residence of Mrs. Barnett, with the two Chapters as hostesses; and a delightful breakfast at the New Albany Hotel with Mrs. Fripp as hostess, filled every moment of my time and made me loathe to leave.

On November 18th, in response to a cordial invitation from our State Historian, Mrs. Beeson, I went to Milledgeville to be present at the unveiling of a Marker on the historic site of the first log court house in Baldwin County. As a result of Mrs. Beeson's careful planning, the program was beautifully arranged; the weather was ideal and crowds gathered to witness the ceremony.

The following day was long to be remembered. As the guest of Mrs. Yarbrough, a party of us, after having had dinner in Sparta, where we met a number of the members of the Sparta Chapter, motored to the home of our two Real Daughters in Gibson. I wish it were in my power to convey to you the impression these two women made on me. To have seen these women and to have come in personal contact with them made me realize how much happiness was in the power of our Society to bestow. They look forward eagerly to the coming of visitors, and especially do they love to have the members of the D. A. R. come, for they realize and appreciate the interest our members have in them.

These two Real Daughters receive from our National Society \$50.00 per month—\$25.00 each. You would naturally suppose that they would spend this income without any thought of the future, but they do not. They hold it as a sacred trust, using only what they actually need, placing the rest of it in the bank to be returned to the D. A. R. at their death.

Our visit to Milledgeville, which was of several days duration, proved to be most delightful. We were guests in the homes of Mrs. Beeson, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Yarbrough, Miss Floride Allen, and Mrs. Garrard. Dr. Wells, President of the College, invited your Regent to address the girls, and it was my happy privilege to tell them of what the D. A. R. was doing in an educational way and also to tell them of the scholarship fund the D. A. R. had placed in their school.

With your Chairman of the Sons and Daughters of the U. S. A., we visited the School for Boys, which is located a few miles out from Milledgeville. I was intensely interested in the fine work the State is doing for these underprivileged boys. The Superintendent seemed to appreciate our interest and gladly showed us all over the place, and he agreed to let Mrs. Garrard organize a club for the boys.

During our visit in Milledgeville, we had the privilege of attending a meeting of the Nancy Hart Chapter, which was held in the home of Mrs. Miller Bell, and followed by a delightful reception.

One of the interesting experiences while there was a visit to the campus of the Georgia Military College, where the members of the Nancy Hart Chapter had planted a tree on Armistice Day, 1921, which they call the Liberty Tree, the roots of which are nourished by the soil taken from historic spots from every state in the Union; the Chapter placed on it, with an appropriate ceremony, a

bronze marker on February, 1932. Though the two women who played an active part in this work, Mrs. Joe Hutchinson and Mrs. J. D. Howard, have passed on, the tree still stands—a living memorial to their memory.

On November 26th, I left for Athens to be the guest of Mrs. Talmadge in her lovely home. That afternoon a meeting of the Elijah Clarke Chapter was held with Mrs. Talmadge and Mrs. McCurry, hostesses; Miss Annie Crawford, Regent, presided. Mrs. Johnston, of Iowa, who is Treasurer for thirteen organizations, was a distinguished guest. It was a most auspicious occasion, with eight of the State Officers and a number of State Chairmen, besides a number of out-of-town guests being present. A delightful luncheon followed the meeting.

We had to hurry on, leaving the next morning for Atlanta to be a guest of Mrs. Mell. Numerous lovely affairs which had been arranged in honor of Mrs. Johnston, were given by the Founders and Patriots, Daughters of 1812; and the Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R., to which your Regent shared honors with Mrs. Johnston. It was my pleasure to attend a buffet luncheon given by Mrs. Charles Rice and a dinner in the home of Ex-Governor and Mrs. John M. Slaton. It was a disappointment to me that I could not remain over for the tea, given by the Atlanta Chapter, in honor of Mrs. Johnston, but I was compelled to return home.

On December 28th, I had the pleasure of being a guest at a meeting of the Vidalia Chapter, which was held in the home of the Regent, Mrs. Howald.

It is a source of much regret that I was not able to accept all of the invitations that were received, but illness in the family necessitated my remaining at home. I do want to assure the Chapters that I have not forgotten my promise, and will visit as many of them as possible later.

I want to thank the Officers, State Chairmen, and members for their splendid cooperation; it is only through cooperation that we can make a success of this work.

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## REPORT OF VICE-PRESIDENT GENERAL OF GEORGIA

MRS. JULIAN McCURRY

With a feeling of gratitude and pride, I conclude another year's service to the Daughters of the American Revolution. Service, however, is a trite word, and one that has been bandied about until half of its beauty is gone. What I mean is that I have loved the D. A. R. another year, that I have, insofar as it lies within my power, done my utmost to perform the duties that have fallen to me with carefulness and consideration.

It was during the past year that I learned a little more of the magnitude of the National D. A. R. work. It was my pleasure to visit Ellis Island. Before I went there, Ellis Island was a Committee—a recipient for our donations—a tiny speck in the New York harbor—a place where people who were moving to America stopped to straighten things out with immigration officials. Now, it is something alive, and our contributions have played no small part in giving it a cheerful vitality.

Let me picture for you briefly the immigrants at Ellis Island. Men and women and children, not yet sure of a new home on American soil, and far away from their old homes. Days of

waiting, and unhappy brooding, and official with endless questions. The strangers, waiting at the gate of America, who make up the transient population of Ellis Island, sit sullen. These are the people who have worked all of their lives—who know little leisure—who cannot be happy in idleness.

Then it is that the D. A. R. Ellis Island contributions come to the rescue. We provide handcraft materials, books, the manual of citizenship. Soon the prospective Americans are busy. Sweaters are knitted, wood carved and shaped by artisan hands, dresses made of American cloth, by American patterns. There is less tension—and smiles replace the scowls of idle waiting.

The Government officials have often expressed their thanks for this work. We also employ two social workers for this division of our charity. However, the Ellis Island work is more than charity. It is creative in its Americanization of our new citizens. Through this work we are able to reach a class of people who have not the ideals of Americanism inborn, as we have, but to whom it is our privilege to give the precepts of patriotism for the America of today as we ourselves have learned them from the founders of this same America, whose ideals were the same.

The State Board meetings I attended, and it is always an inspiration to be with a group of women who have a single driving force, and who are so closely bound together in a gallant cause as is the Georgia Board. It was also my pleasure to represent my State at three National Board meetings in Washington.

This is my first opportunity to thank all of you for the beautiful red roses you sent to me during Congress. I know that it was only through your efforts that I was honored by being made Vice-President General for Georgia, and I want you all to feel that you share this honor with me, for I know in my own heart that it is really yours.

In conclusion, I want only to say that it is my earnest hope that we will be able to make the coming year the most important year of the Georgia D. A. R., and that the Conference will be an inspiration to all of the delegates, and through them, to every Georgia Daughter of the American Revolution.

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### FIRST VICE-REGENT

MRS. W. E. MANN

My first official duty as Vice-Regent was to represent the State D. A. R. as an honor guest at the Spring Seventh District meeting of the American Legion. Attended a delightful luncheon at Chattanooga, Tenn., given by the Volunteer Chapter, Daughters of 1812. At the Georgia State Meeting of the Service Star Legion at Atlanta, I was a guest at the dinner given in honor of the National President and at the State Regent's request, represented Georgia D. A. R. Met with the Press Committee at Social Circle as a member of that Committee. Attended the unveiling of two markers; one was the grave of Captain Thomas Gordon, a Revolutionary Soldier, in Gwinnett County, where I made a short address. Regret that I was prevented by illness in my family from attending the State Board meeting in Valdosta. Attended with other State Officers the lovely meeting and reception given by Mrs. McCurry, Mrs. Erwin, and Mrs. Talmadge to the Elijah Clarke Chapter at Athens, in honor of Mrs. Johnston of Iowa. It is my

pleasure to serve you in any capacity and I deeply appreciate all the courtesies shown me as your Vice-Regent.

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**STATE SECOND VICE-REGENT**

**MRS. JOHN S. ADAMS**

Today, as we close the old accounts and enter upon another year, I am more impressed with the high privilege and honor in representing this Society. Many invitations have been received and in those cases when it was possible to accept we have delightful memories of receptions and luncheons, visiting with old friends and making new ones. It has been my privilege to be a D. A. R. representative at many gatherings of our Sister Patriotic Societies. State Executive Board meetings, also National Congress have been attended.

My service this past year as State Second Vice-Regent seems to have been over-shadowed by that as State Chairman, National Defense, for we are going through tragic times. We have cause to be alert. It was my great pleasure to be one of the guests at a house party given in honor of our Regent following the State Executive Board meeting in Valdosta. Many charming courtesies were extended us.

As we go forth from this meeting, let us remember, it is our duty as patriotic citizens to interest ourselves in the welfare of America. My deep appreciation goes to our State Regent for her guiding hand, and to others for faithful cooperation.

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**STATE CHAPLAIN**

**MRS. J. B. OSBORNE**

My first official duty was to hold services in Albany at the unveiling of three D. A. R. Markers placed on ex-Regents' graves. They were: Mrs. Louisa Bacon Strother, Organizing Regent of Thronateeska Chapter; Mrs. Nelson Tift and Mrs. Cena Jackson Whitehead.

I attended at Sylvester the unveiling of a Marker on the grave of Mrs. Alford. I was the guest of the Barnard Trail Chapter.

In February, I had the pleasure of returning to Sylvester for a most delightful Washington Day program and tea given by the same Chapter.

Also I was on a radio program given by the Thronateeska Chapter during Christmas week.

I also assisted in entertaining our charming State Regent, Mrs. Daniel, at a tea given by the Thronateeska and Commodore Richard Dale Chapters at the lovely home of Mrs. J. M. Barnett, Regent of Commodore Richard Dale Chapter.

I took part on the Georgia Day program given by Commodore Richard Dale Chapter at the High School auditorium.

I have written to each Chapter in the State urging the Regent to have her Chapter purchase a copy of the excellent Ritual compiled by Mrs. Raymond G. Kimbell, who is our National Chaplain. I also requested that it be used at each meeting.



## STATE RECORDING SECRETARY

MRS. HARRISON HIGHTOWER

It has been my privilege to record the minutes of the State Executive Board meeting held in Valdosta on November 1st, of the meeting of the Executive Committee in Athens on November 26th, and of the meeting of the Board yesterday.

The minutes of the sessions of Conference seem quite a large undertaking to a novice, but I hope I may serve you acceptably.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank all those who were so thoughtful as to notify me of the changes of their Chapter Officers last summer, and all those who have so kindly sent me copies of their reports all ready for the Proceedings, before Conference. Every communication has been gratefully acknowledged.

With the assistance of the Press Committee in editing, the publication of the 1935 Proceedings will complete my report.

## STATE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

MRS. J. THOMAS WOOD

In presenting to the Conference this report of the Corresponding Secretary, I want to say it is a privilege as well as an honor to serve the Georgia D. A. R. Some years ago one of our officers said this office was "The Service Department." I agree with her that the office of Corresponding Secretary is just that, but my services have been given gladly and I have answered every call of the State Regent, given information to inquirers promptly, and sent out all notices on time. May I express my appreciation for the many invitations that have been given me and for the lovely year books.

The following is a detailed report of work done during the year. Mailed as follows:

		Postage
Letters written for Regent.....	99	\$2.97
Cards written for Mrs. W. A. Becker.....	100	1.00
Questionnaires to Regents .....	96	1.44
State Regent's Fall Message .....	250	3.75
Postal Cards giving information.....	40	.....
Notices for Fall Board Meeting.....	100	1.50
Mailing two copies of Proceedings and Loan Fund Blanks .....		.24
Two telephone calls to Valdosta.....		2.40
Credential Blanks to Regents.....	276	1.38
Duplicate Credential Blanks .....	24	.12
State Regent's Spring Message.....	177	2.65.5
Credential Cards to State Chairmen.....	97	.....
Notices for Board Meeting in Athens.....	97	1.45.5
Special invitations to Conference .....	95	2.85
Total Communications .....	1,454	\$21.76
Received from State Treasurer .....		20.76
		\$1.00
Received from State Regent.....		1.00

## STATE TREASURER

Mrs. Thomas C. Mell

### Report On Audit by Harry L. Dix, C. P. A.

In accordance with arrangements, I have audited the books and records relating to the office of State Treasurer of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Georgia for the period from March 11, 1934, to March 9, 1935, inclusive, and submit my report comprising the following Exhibits and comments:

Exhibit "A"—Condensed Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements of Mrs. John W. Daniel, former State Treasurer, and Mrs. Thomas C. Mell, State Treasurer, for the period March 11, 1934, to March 9, 1935.

Exhibit "B"—Statement of Cash Balances, Receipts, and Disbursements, by Funds, of Mrs. John W. Daniel, former State Treasurer, for the period March 11 to April 30, 1934.

Exhibit "C"—Statement of Cash Balances, Receipts, and Disbursements, by Funds, of Mrs. Thomas C. Mell, State Treasurer, for the period May 1, 1934, to March 9, 1935.

The Exhibits are prepared to conform with comparable exhibits incorporated in the Proceedings of the Society for prior years.

### Comments

The former Treasurer of the Society, Mrs. John W. Daniel, continued to receive and disburse funds of the Society during the period from March 11 to April 30, 1934. Bank statements and records, other than the cash book, pertaining to this period were not available and therefore were not examined by me. Exhibit "B" was prepared from the entries made in the cash book by Mrs. Daniel, during the period, without reference to any other records.

The details of the cash receipts, as listed in Exhibit "C," for the period from May 1, 1934, to March 9, 1935, were compared with the book of receipts used, Honor Roll records, and other available data pertaining to the individual chapters. The amounts of the recorded receipts were compared with the amounts of the deposits shown on the bank statements. All recorded disbursements were made by checks. The cancelled checks were inspected for proper signature, endorsement, etc., and those issued in payment of items of expense were found to be supported by approved and receipted invoices.

Following is a reconciliation of the amount on deposit with The Trust Company of Georgia, Atlanta, Georgia, at March 9, 1935, with the amount of the cash balance shown by the records of the State Treasurer and in Exhibit "C" as of that date:

Amount on deposit, per statement rendered .....	\$3,808.48
Add checks received too late for deposit .....	9.16
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$3,817.64</b>
Deduct checks issued but not yet presented to bank:	
No. 78—Mrs. R. P. Sweeney .....	\$ 4.00
No. 82—Mrs. Herschel Allen .....	32.62
No. 83—Mrs. Fred Benton .....	9.07
No. 91—Mrs. W. D. Hasty .....	10.00
No. 92—Mrs. J. H. Horne .....	5.00
No. 93—Mrs. J. W. Daniel .....	13.79
No. 94—Miss Nettleton, Treasurer-General, N. S. D. A. R. ....	1,437.68
No. 96—Anti-Tuberculosis Association .....	4.00
<b>Balance, March 9, 1935, shown by the records of the State Treasurer and in Exhibit "C" .....</b>	<b>\$2,284.48</b>
During the period the following transfers between funds were made:	
Credited to State Dues from D. A. R. Forest Park.....	\$ 200.00
Charged to State Dues from Tax on Checks .....	8.66
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 208.66</b>

In addition to the cash balance of \$295.46 in the May Erwin Talmadge Scholarship Fund, the State Treasurer stated that she has in her possession a \$1,000.00 bond of the Atlanta Laudries, which is part of that fund.

Following is a list of the thirty-eight (38) chapters which met the Honor Roll Requirements during the period:

Commodore Richard Dale, Council of Safety, Elijah Clarke, Bainbridge, Lamar-LaFayette, Button Gwinnett, George Walton, Oglethorpe, James Pittman, Fort Early, Sergeant Newton, Benjamin Hawkins, Gov. John Milledge, Baron DeKalb, John Laurens, Samuel Reid, James Monroe, Gov. Treutlen, Fort Valley, Col. William Candler, Arthur Fort, Hawkinsville, John Ball, William McIntosh, William Marsh, LaGrange, Mary Hammond Washington, Fielding Lewis, Nancy Hart, John Benning, John Clarke, Briar Creek, Barnard Trull, Maj. General Samuel Elbert, John Houston, Thomasville, Thomson, Sunbury.

HARRY L. DIX, C. P. A.

EXHIBIT "A"

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF MRS. JOHN W. DANIEL, FORMER STATE TREASURER, AND MRS. THOMAS C. MELL, STATE TREASURER, FOR THE PERIOD MARCH 11, 1934, TO MARCH 9, 1935.

BALANCE:

March 10, 1934—Mrs. Daniel, per Exhibit "B".....\$1,292.51

RECEIPTS:

Mrs. Daniel—March 11 to April 30, 1934,

per Exhibit "B":

Cash receipts .....\$ 352.43

Transfers ..... .38 \$ 352.81

Mrs. Mell—May 1, 1934, to March 9, 1935,

per Exhibit "C":

Cash receipts .....\$5,451.37

Transfers ..... 208.28 \$5,659.65

Total balance, receipts, and transfers to be accounted for.....\$7,304.97

DISBURSEMENTS:

Mrs. Daniel—March 11 to April 30, 1934,

per Exhibit "B":

Cash disbursements .....\$ 398.74

Transfers ..... .38 \$ 399.12

Mrs. Mell—May 1, 1934, to March 9, 1935,

per Exhibit "C":

Cash disbursements .....\$4,413.09

Transfers ..... 208.28 \$4,621.37

Total disbursements and transfers .....\$5,020.49

Balance on deposit in The Trust Company of Georgia,

Atlanta, Georgia, March 9, 1935 .....\$2,284.48

Total accounted for .....\$7,304.97

EXHIBIT "B"

STATEMENT OF CASH BALANCES, RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS,  
BY FUNDS, OF MRS. JOHN W. DANIEL, FORMER STATE TREAS-  
URER, FOR THE PERIOD MARCH 11 TO APRIL 30, 1934.

ACCOUNT	BALANCE MARCH 10, 1934	RECEIPTS	DISBURSE- MENTS	BALANCE APRIL 30, 1934
State Dues.....	\$ 490.37	\$ 38.20	\$ 163.86*	\$ 364.33
Immigrant's Manual.....	.....	5.80	.38*	5.80
National Defense.....	.....	11.10	.....	11.10
Ellis Island.....	.....	2.46	.....	2.46
Publications and Bulletins.....	.....	.90	.....	.90
Forest Park.....	222.70	7.40	.....	230.10
Georgia Book Plates.....	.85	.....	.....	.85
Kenmore Gardens.....	179.80	4.50	.....	184.30
Lucy Cook Peel Memorial.....	4.27	11.07	.....	6.80
S. B. C. Morgan Loan Fund.....	129.62	11.20	.....	140.82
Marking George Washington Highway.....	.80	.....	.....	.80
Marking Historic Spots.....	119.34	10.50	.....	129.84
Chapter Histories.....	1.10	1.10	.....	2.20
D. A. R. Magazine.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Real Daughters.....	13.50	.....	.....	13.50
Chapter Work.....	.....	221.50	221.50	.....
Constitution Hall.....	.....	1.45	.....	1.45
Bible Records.....	5.00	.....	.....	5.00
Medals.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Regent's Table.....	-6.30	1.00	.....	-5.30
Tamassee School.....	.....	6.00	.....	6.00
Kate Duncan Smith School.....	.....	1.00	.....	1.00
Memorial Flowers.....	15.25	.....	.....	15.25
Meadow Garden.....	13.00	.....	13.00	.....
Scholarship Fund.....	1.00	.....	.....	1.00
Merchant and Marine Library.....	1.00	.....	.....	1.00
Monte Verde.....	2.00	.....	.....	2.00
Anti-Tuberculosis Fund.....	2.00	2.00	.....	4.00
Welfare Women and Children.....	1.00	2.00	.....	3.00
Bicentennial Markers.....	3.50	.....	.....	3.50
Marking Oglethorpe Highway.....	101.25	1.75	.....	103.00
Gaffney Plates.....	.....	3.00	.....	3.00
Roosevelt Plates.....	.....	8.50	.....	8.50
Tax on Checks.....	.....	.38*	.38	.....
Total Cash Transactions.....	\$1,292.51	\$ 352.43	\$ 398.74	\$1,246.20
Total Transfers.....	.....	.38*	.38	.....
Total Cash Transactions and Transfers.....	\$1,292.51	\$ 352.81	\$ 399.12	\$1,246.20

NOTE: Items marked (\*) are transfers between funds.

**EXHIBIT "C"**

**STATEMENT OF CASH BALANCES, RECEIPTS, AND DISBURSEMENTS,  
BY FUNDS, OF MRS. THOMAS C. MELL, STATE TREASURER, FOR  
THE PERIOD MAY 1, 1934, TO MARCH 9, 1935.**

ACCOUNT	BALANCE MAY 1, 1934	RECEIPTS	DISBURSE- MENTS	BALANCE MARCH 9, 1935
State Dues.....	\$ 364.33	\$ 200.00*	\$ 8.28*	\$ 696.41
Immigrant's Manual.....	5.80	781.80*	641.44*	.....
National Defense.....	11.10	226.16	231.96	.....
Ellis Island.....	2.46	322.51	333.61	.....
Publications and Bulletins.....	.90	89.02	91.48	.....
Forest Park.....	230.10	46.22	47.12	.....
Georgia Book Plates.....	.85	115.91	50.00	96.01
Kenmore Gardens.....	.85	1.00	200.00*	1.85
Lucey Cook Peel Memorial.....	184.30	199.04	383.34	.....
S. B. C. Morgan Student Loan Fund.....	6.80	123.68	12.68	117.80
Marking George Washington Highway.....	140.82	233.50	.....	374.32
Marking Historic Spots.....	.80	.....	.....	.80
Chapter Histories.....	129.84	222.50	125.00	227.34
D. A. R. Magazine.....	2.20	.....	.....	2.20
Real Daughters.....	13.50	15.00	15.00	.....
Chapter Work.....	.....	219.82	219.82	.....
Constitution Hall.....	1.45	412.86	414.31	.....
Bible Records.....	5.00	.....	.....	5.00
Medals.....	.....	17.00	17.00	.....
Regents' Table.....	-5.30	.....	.....	-5.30
Tamassee School.....	6.00	18.00	24.00	.....
Kate Duncan Smith School.....	1.00	14.50	15.50	.....
Memorial Flowers.....	15.25	.....	.....	15.25
Meadow Garden.....	.....	17.00	17.00	.....
Scholarship Fund.....	1.00	.....	.....	1.00
Merchant and Marine Library.....	1.00	1.00	2.00	.....
Monte Verde.....	2.00	.....	2.00	.....
Anti-Tuberculosis Fund.....	4.00	.....	4.00	.....
Welfare Women and Children.....	3.00	.....	3.00	.....
Bicentennial Markers.....	3.50	.....	.....	3.50
Marking Oglethorpe Highway.....	103.00	100.68	.....	203.68
Gaffney Plates.....	3.00	5.00	8.00	.....
Roosevelt Plates.....	8.50	58.50	42.00	25.00
Traveling Genealogical Library	.....	209.66	.....	209.66
Better Films.....	.....	.35	.35	.....
May Erwin Talmadge Scholarship Fund.....	.....	1,285.46	990.00	295.46
Flags.....	.....	218.75	218.75	.....
D. A. R. Proceedings.....	.....	1.00	.....	1.00
Magna Book of Verse.....	.....	1.25	1.25	.....
Magna Tree.....	.....	.75	.75	.....
Educational Work for Local Schools.....	.....	493.45	493.45	.....
Tax on Checks.....	.....	8.28*	8.28	.....
<b>Total Cash Transactions.....</b>	<b>\$1,246.20</b>	<b>\$5,451.37</b>	<b>\$4,413.09</b>	<b>\$2,284.48</b>
<b>Total Transfers.....</b>	<b>.....</b>	<b>208.28</b>	<b>208.28</b>	<b>.....</b>
<b>Total Cash Transactions and Transfers.....</b>	<b>\$1,246.20</b>	<b>\$5,659.65</b>	<b>\$4,621.37</b>	<b>\$2,284.48</b>

NOTE: Items marked (\*) are transfers between funds.

**STATE AUDITOR**

**Mrs. James D. Cromer**

I have examined the State Treasurer's books, and am pleased to report that I concur in the written statement of Mr. Harry Dix Certified Public Accountant, who audited the books, and who certifies that he found them in perfect order and correctly balanced.

## STATE CURATOR

Mrs. James Harold Nicholson

Early in the organization of the Daughters of the American Revolution the importance of preserving Revolutionary documents and relics was appreciated. On April 2nd, 1890, Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood, the first Historian General, N. S. D. A. R., offered the following resolution: "That the Society should secure rooms, and later, a fireproof building, in which to deposit Revolutionary relics and historical papers." This was the beginning of the D. A. R. National Museum which now contains priceless treasures.

Today, more than ever, we look with respect and reverence at the treasures of our forefathers. We feel personal interest in heirlooms of our families, and patriotic pride in relics once possessed by men and women who bore an active part in building our great nation.

It is comforting to know that national, state and civic buildings have been dedicated to the safe keeping of valuable historic gifts and loans. We have the D. A. R. National Museum in Washington; Rhodes Memorial Hall in Atlanta; and "Meadow Garden," home of George Walton, the "Signer," in Augusta. These buildings maintain a staff of trained workers who catalog and arrange all gifts, loans, historical and genealogical material.

Miss Ruth Blair, State Historian of Georgia and Director of the Department of Archives, reports: "The greatest value of the Department to the State thus far has been the collecting of historical and genealogical records and pictorial and museum items." In a recent letter to your Historian she writes: "All the things which you have listed are of great historical interest, and will be very valuable additions to our collections. We will be so glad to have them, and any other things along the same order. The cooperation of the Daughters of the American Revolution has meant so much to me in my work here."

I. Recently it was my pleasure to present to the Curator General a gift for the NATIONAL MUSEUM—a piece of Continental money—\$15.00, made in North Carolina, April 2nd, 1776; donated by Mrs. Harriet Hall Wadsworth, Oglethorpe Chapter, Columbus, Ga. Gifts accepted by the Curator General for the National Museum are of two periods: the Revolution, which includes articles in America during the Revolution and up to 1800; the Early Republic, embracing articles made in America as late as 1830, including glass, silver, pewter, china, pottery, samplers, coverlets and other needlework, showing American handicraft of early days.

II. Gifts and Indefinite Loans from Georgia D. A. R. to the Georgia Department of Archives and History, RHODES MEMORIAL HALL, 1934-1935, include:

### (a) Museum Material:

Two pieces of Continental money—one fifteen dollar bill and one six dollar bill made in North Carolina, April 2nd, 1776. Given by Mrs. Harriett Hall Wadsworth, Oglethorpe Chapter.

Two pieces of Confederate money—one twenty dollar bill and one five hundred dollar bill, 1868. Given by Mrs. E. W. Banks, Regent, James Monroe Chapter.

Invitation (facsimile) to funeral of Dorothy Walton in 1832, "Relict of George Walton," Georgia's Signer. Given by Mrs. T. E. Blackshear, Pensacola Chapter, Jacksonville, Fla.

Medal presented to Mrs. James I. Garrard for outstanding work as Georgia Chairman of Sons and Daughters of the U. S. A., by Mrs. Robert Bagnell, National Chairman. Loaned by Mrs. Garrard.

Gavel of David Edward Bulloch Butler, first President of Board of Trustees, Brenau College Gainesville Ga. (Founded 1879). Loaned by his granddaughter, Virginia Butler Nicholson (Mrs. J. H.), Henry Walton Chapter.

### (b) Pictorial Material:

- Miniature—Benjamin Hawkins. Given by John Houston Chapter, Mrs. E. T. Nottingham, Regent.
- Miniature—Captain Whiteford Smith Ramsey, Confederate Officer. Given by his granddaughter, Mrs. John W. Simmons, Bainbridge Chapter.
- Picture—Wingfield Castle, Suffolk, England, and Wingfield coat-of-arms. Given by Mrs. J. Harold Nicholson, Henry Walton Chapter.
- Photographs—Marker erected by Georgia D. A. R., February 27, 1934, on Stephen Heard plantation in Wilkes County, marking spot where Stephen Heard lived and location of State Capitol, 1870.
- Photograph—Descendants of Stephen Heard, Acting Governor of Georgia.
- Photograph—Georgia D. A. R. members at unveiling of Heard Marker. Given by Mrs. J. Harold Nicholson, Henry Walton Chapter.
- Daguerreotypes—Hon. Joshua Hill (United States Congressman and Senator), and Mrs. Hill and three youngest children, Madison, Ga. Loaned by his granddaughter, Mrs. J. Harold Nicholson, Henry Walton Chapter.

### (c) Historical Material:

- Original Will of Moses Powell, August 23, 1821, Revolutionary Soldier of Wilkes County. Loaned by descendant, Mrs. Jena C. Collier, Lamar-LaFayette Chapter.
- Roster of Revolutionary Soldiers who died in Jackson County. Given by Mrs. C. E. Pittman, James Pittman Chapter.
- Photostatic copy of letter from U. S. Senator Joshua Hill, Madison, Ga., to President Andrew Johnson, May 10, 1865. (Gives insight into conditions in Georgia at that period). Given by his granddaughter, Mrs. J. Harold Nicholson, Henry Walton Chapter.
- Original Land Grant to Richard B. Coleman, March 24, 1832, signed by President Martin Van Buren, granting land once owned by Creek Indians (the first grant of these lands made to an individual). Given by Mrs. E. W. Banks, Regent, James Monroe Chapter.
- Copy of Will of John Thomas, Hancock County, January, 1808. Given by Mrs. L. O. Hooper, Bainbridge Chapter.
- Roster of Revolutionary Soldiers, Morgan County; and Roster of Grantees, Land Lottery, 1805. Given by Mrs. Kirby-Smith Anderson, Henry Walton Chapter.
- Original Letter of Edward Butler, Hanover County, Virginia, February 13, 1781. Given by Mrs. T. E. Ryals, Nathaniel Macon Chapter.
- Original Manuscript of "Petals of the Cherokee." Presented by the author, McClesky Garlych, in honor of Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge.
- "Historic Spots in Georgia"—printed volume by Mrs. Eli A. Thomas. Given by the compiler.
- Additional Historical Material presented by Mrs. Mark Cooper Pope, Chairman of Genealogy, Atlanta Chapter.
- Photostatic copy of "Return of Col. Holman Freeman's Battalion of Militia, Wilkes County, May 8, 1792." Given by Mrs. Bernard Wolff.
- Photostatic copy of letter to "The Young Men of Augusta, Ga.," signed by President John Adams, July 20, 1798. Given by Mrs. Bernard Wolff, Atlanta Chapter.
- Land Grant (copy), granted by George III to: Murdock McCloud, February 3, 1767, "Parish of Saint Andrews, Province of Georgia." Given by Mrs. DeLos Hill, Atlanta Chapter.

### (d) Genealogical Material

- Data on Brown, Davenport, Denmark, Fitzgerald, Grady, Hollingsworth, Martin, McClendon, Osborn, Price, Vann, Rudisill, Whitefield and Wilmer families. Given by Mrs. L. O. Hooper, Bainbridge Chapter.
- Record of Walton family of which George Walton, Georgia's Signer, was member—dating from 1780; and extracts from George Walton's Biography. Given by Mrs. J. H. Nicholson, Henry Walton Chapter.
- Additional Genealogical Material Presented by Mrs. Mark Cooper Pope, Chairman of Genealogy, Atlanta Chapter:
- Chart from Bible of Dr. and Mrs. J. McFadden Gaston—Gaston, Brown, McFadden, Brumby, Bernard data, from 1790. Copied and given by Mrs. Elaine Gaston Gay (Mrs. T. B.).
- Stith, Brett, Isham, Randolph data. Given by Mrs. W. B. Smith.
- Original Letter from James M. Bowler to L. R. Ray: "Life and Acts of General James Long;" Long and Jameson lines—1691-1795. Given by Mrs. Eli Thomas.
- Extracts from "Our Family Tree," dating from 1643. Given by Mrs. Thomas C. Whitner.
- Epitaphs from Aberdeen Cemetery (Monroe Co., Miss.). Given by Mrs. James O. Wynn.
- Eight Wills (abstracts) from Morgan County, Georgia: John Burney, 1823;

Robert Pou, 1852; Frederick Wolf, 1802; William W. Wynn, 1827; Phillip Goodes, 1776; David Bowers; Faulkner Heard, 1830; James Ware, 1817. Given by Mrs. James O. Wynn.

Certified statement from Miss Sally Eugenia Brown's family records dating from 1777.

Copy of Court Register, Lincoln County, North Carolina: Deed of Thomas Salter to John Cox, 1782; Deed of Isaac Davis to William Berry, 1833; Deed, William Berry and Wife Elizabeth, and John Berry, 1776; Estate return of John Berry; Tombstone inscriptions from Bethel Cemetery, South Carolina, of Berry family. Given by Mrs. John E. Dance.

In the last three months Miss Ruth Blair, State Historian of Georgia, has catalogued one hundred and five family records showing one hundred and fifty-seven family compilations. This work was done at the suggestion of the Georgia D. A. R. for the Genealogical Room which the patriotic societies are sponsoring at Rhodes Memorial Hall.

III. Gifts to "MEADOW GARDEN," home of George Walton Augusta, Ga.:

Two pieces of Continental money—one fifteen dollar bill and one six dollar bill, made in North Carolina, April 2, 1776. Given by Mrs. Harriet Hall Wadsworth, Oglethorpe Chapter.

Not all of our valuable relics are in museums. In our court houses and homes are to be found historical material of priceless value—documents, silver, furniture, portraits.

In a room in the court house in the historic city of Washington, Ga., may be found many Colonial, Revolutionary and later period relics. This municipal collection is open to the public.

"Meadow Garden," home of George Walton in Augusta, is filled with treasures of historic value—a patriotic shrine owned and maintained by the D. A. R.

More than ever, families are preserving and cherishing their heirlooms. Mrs. W. H. Irvin, Regent, Stephen Heard Chapter, Elberton, owns an old colonial bed formerly the property of General Andrew Pickens of South Carolina; an old oak arm-chair made by John Verne, Jr., a Revolutionary soldier.

Among the prized possessions in your Curator's family are a blue and white china pitcher and bowl which commemorate General LaFayette's visit to Georgia, August 10, 1824; and the secretary of Jesse Mercer, founder of Mercer University.

It is a privilege to have the honor of presenting our treasures to the three noted buildings where they are cherished and may be enjoyed by all, where the atmosphere is hallowed and where inspiration is gathered.

Your Curator has written letters to every Chapter Regent and State Chairman in the Georgia D. A. R., stressing the value of this important work.

## STATE ORGANIZING SECRETARY

Mrs. T. O. Tabor, Jr.

It has been a pleasure to serve the Georgia Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution in the capacity of Organizing Secretary the past year.

I have written many letters in the interest of organizing new chapters all over Georgia and I am delighted to report one new D. A. R. chapter organized this year; this chapter being Elijah Walker Chapter of Wrightsville, Ga., with Mrs. W. J. Flanders the Organizing Regent.

Two other chapters are being organized and several towns are contemplating organizing chapters soon.

I feel that greater interest is being shown in the work of the

D. A. R. in Georgia than we have had for several years and hope the coming year will bring many new chapters into our organization.

#### STATE LIBRARIAN

Mrs. Sidney O. Smith

Through the gracious cooperation of the donors I, as State Librarian of the Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution, have the pleasure to report that the Memorial Continental Library in Washington is richer by some twelve volumes relating to Georgia history and records. In addition, the Proceedings of last year's Conference was sent in. The volumes mentioned are two volumes of Annals of Georgia, by Caroline Price Wilson, the gift of the Lachlan McIntosh Chapter; History of Walker County, from William Marsh Chapter; History of Hart County, from John Benson Chapter; History of Ware County, Lyman Hall Chapter; History of Marion County, Lannahassee Chapter; Camp Family Bulletins, by Mrs. V. L. Moore, from Baron DeKalb Chapter; Coulter's Short History of Georgia, Mrs. B. F. Bullard of Savannah Chapter; Gwinnett County Churches, from the author, J. C. Flanigan; History of Lumpkin County, from the author, A. J. Cain; History of Worth County, from the author, Mrs. Lillie Martin Grubbs of Barnard Trail Chapter; and History of Savannah, by Jones, which is to be presented at State Conference by the Savannah Chapter. Through the efforts of Miss Sue Reid Vason, State Chairman of Approved Schools, one hundred books have been sent to three of these schools. The books sent to American Merchant Marine Library will be reported by Mrs. J. L. Mims, State Chairman of this Committee. Mrs. E. B. Freeman kindly furnished Georgia Book Plates, so that each volume sent through your State Librarian was marked with the donor's name on the book plate before being forwarded. My year's work has been a pleasure. Thank you.

#### STATE HISTORIAN

Mrs. J. L. Beeson

Your Historian will have to take a text:

"We hold the years in our hearts,  
And all that was, is yet."

All the special work which was begun during her first term of service four years ago, has had its fruition in this second term.

You will remember the military records and marking with Government headstones the graves of distinguished Cherokee Indians. This year, that harvest is golden.

The graves of Revolutionary Soldiers marked this year are those of Rev. John Springer, Capt. John Bull, and Carey Cox; and the grave of John R. Brown was discovered near Barnesville, Ga. Verification slips have been received from the service of Revolutionary Soldiers Ezekiel Evans Parke, Rev. Abraham Marshall, and Joseph Marshall, and their graves will be marked soon.

The graves of soldiers of 1812, marked with Government headstones this year, are those of three distinguished Cherokee Indians: Major Ridge, Corporal Sleeping Rabbit, and Five Killer. Other soldiers of the War of 1812 whose graves were marked were John Moran, William Dunn, and Martin Hall.

In marking a grave even, one discovers both the romance and

tragedy of life. In marking with a Government headstone the grave of that most distinguished Presbyterian minister, John Springer, was found pure romance. He was the first Presbyterian minister to be ordained south of the Savannah river. He was ordained by the South Carolina Presbytery at Washington, Ga., under the shade of a large poplar tree, in 1790.

Rev. Abraham Marshall has the eldest son of eight, all of whom, together with their father, Rev. Daniel Marshall, were Revolutionary soldiers. The father was from 1772 to 1784, the pastor of Kiokee Church, the first Baptist church in Georgia, and after his death the son, Rev. Abraham Marshall, carried on his work.

Both romance and tragedy figure in the life history of Major Ridge, that most distinguished Cherokee Indian, member of the Council, gifted orator and statesman. He was brevetted on the field of battle by Andrew Jackson himself. He, together with his son, John Ridge, and his nephew, Elias Boudinot, were assassinated in what was then Indian Territory, but now, the State of Oklahoma.

Your Historian had the honor of ordering the Government headstone for this great Georgian. Miss Eula May Fullerton, Dean of Women at Northeastern Teachers College, Tahlequah, had the program in charge, and Dr. Hammond, President of the College, made the address. Your Historian wrote for the occasion, "The Life of Major Ridge."

Stark tragedy abounded in the death of Corporal Sleeping Rabbit, who, rather than leave his beloved country, committed suicide the day before he was to go.

Five Killer was an Indian scout and was true to his name. Gen. Joseph E. Martin wrote to Lyon C. Draper that "there was a battle in which a few whites were killed." Five Killer was the son of Nancy Ward, the Cherokee Pocahontas, and is buried by her side. Your Historian is indebted to Dr. W. A. Simpson, of Washington, Ga., for receiving and setting up at his own expense, the headstone at John Springer's grave; to Mr. John S. Shamblin, of Benton, Tenn., for performing the same service at Five Killer's grave; to Mr. P. O. Parker, of Cohutta, Ga., for the same service at Corporal Sleeping Rabbit's grave; and to Miss Eula May Fullerton, Dean of Women, at Northeastern Teachers College, at Tahlequah, Okla., for the same service at Major Ridge's grave.

Continuing the Indian history, your Historian owns the original lists, both of the celebrated Georgia Guard and of the citizens who were permitted residence in the Cherokee Nation in 1831.

Neither list, so far as your Historian has been able to find, has ever been published.

It was about the Georgia Guard that our State had to make apologies to the State of Tennessee when they rushed across the line to arrest and imprison Principal Chief John Ross and John Howard Payne, author of "Home, Sweet Home."

Your Historian has the autographs of 38 members of the Guard out of the proposed 60.

They are in the official letter book of the Commander-in-Chief, Col. John W. A. Sanford, a Milledgeville man. In Georgia histories the names of only a few of these men have ever been given. The letter book is well bound, 8x12 inches and in good condition.

At the top of a page in the back of the book is:

"Headquarters of the Guard  
Agency at Scudder's, Cherokee Frontier.

"Whereas, by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, passed the 22d December, 1830, his Excellency the Governor, is authorized and empowered to raise and organize a guard

for the protection of the gold mines in the Cherokee Nation, and for divers other purposes, and Whereas, his Excellency the Governor has appointed Col. J. W. A. Sanford, Commander, and Col. Charles H. Nelson, Sub-Commander of said guard, Now Know All Men that we whose names are hereunto subscribed have enrolled ourselves members of said guard under the above mentioned officers, and hereby obligate ourselves to perform all the duties of good, faithful and trusty soldiers for 12 months from the date announced to our respective named, unless sooner discharged by the Commander-in-Chief."

It is a pity that a corner of the first page is torn away, so that only a part of a few names remain. The names are:

Jacob R. Brooks, 1st Sarg't.—8 Jan. 1831.....	DeKalb
Caleb Sappington, 2nd Sarg't.—3 Jan. 1831.....	Wilkes
Elias Henderson, Sarg't.—8 Jan. 1831.....	Jackson
Thomas J. Rogers—6 Jan. 1831.....	Jackson
William C. Perry—8 Jan. 1831.....	DeKalb
*nt T. Henderson—13 Jan. 1831.....	Hall
*vid Booker—6 Jan. 1831.....	Jackson
*Sample—10 Jan. 1831.....	Hall
*R. Brown—12 Jan.....	Hall
*Barnes—15 Jan. 1831.....	Gwinnett
*Pettijohn—7 Jan. 1831.....	Jackson
*Whelchel—11 Jan. 1831.....	Hall
*Miller—5 Jan. 1831.....	Jackson
*M. Cantrell—10 Jan. 1831.....	Hall
*Yancy—12 Jan. 1831.....	Hall
*Haines his (x) mark—14 Jan. 1831.....	Hall

Here many leaves are cut out of the ledger, evidently it was done beforehand, for autographs continue on next page with this caption:

"We whose names are hereunto subscribed consent to the foregoing obligation:"

James M. Reed—13 Jan. 1831.....	Hall
John T. Cox—13 Jan. 1831.....	Hall
John C. Pope—3 Jan. 1831.....	Wilkes
Jacob Tubman—12 Jan. 1831.....	Hall
John W. Hay—2 Jan. 1831.....	Wilkes
William Wood—7 Jan. 1831.....	DeKalb
Green W. Durham—1 Jan. 1831.....	Baldwin
David Rounsaville—8 Jan. 1831.....	Clarke
Nathaniel G. Henderson (his (x) mark—8 Jan. 1831.....	Jackson
Charles Haynes—14 Jan. 1831.....	Hall
Burl Bradley his (x) mark—14 Jan. 1831.....	Hall
R. T. Fowler—14 Jan. 1831.....	Clarke
John Daniel—14 Jan. 1831.....	Hall
Martin B. Harben—14 Jan. 1831.....	Hall
Redding Pinson—4 Jan. 1831.....	Hall
Jesse Townsend—6 Jan. 1831.....	DeKalb
John Ballard—3 Jan. 1831.....	Wilkes
John M. Jack—8 Jan. 1831.....	Clarke
Joseph W. Shevy—6 Jan. 1831.....	Jackson
William Tippen—14 Jan. 1831.....	Hall
Thomas F. Booker—3 Jan. 1831.....	Wilkes
Samuel Hall—1 Jan. 1831.....	Baldwin

From the same official letter book is copied a list of 208 names which are of interest to students of Georgia history. "License

\* Torn off.

for residence in the Cherokee Nation upon their having filed proper affidavits, has been issued to the following persons, viz.:"

Samuel M. Scudder—wife 1 child; merchant.	Thomas Hendrix—wife, 5 children; farmer.
Ambrose Harnage—wife, 5 children; farmer.	Francis Fields—wife; farmer.
Elijah Wellborn; d. or S., 10 children; farmer.	William Fields—wife, 2 children; schoolmaster.
Furman Overby—widower, 1 child; farmer.	Cornelius Cooper—wife, 5 children; blacksmith.
John Conner—batchelor; blacksmith.	Benjamin Cooper—wife, 4 children; farmer.
Benjamin Jones—wife, 3 children; farmer.	James Hayes—wife, 5 children; blacksmith.
John Doss—single; farmer.	John Thompson—wife, 3 children; mechanic.
John McClure, 'Sen.—widower, 4 children; farmer.	William Matthews—wife, 6 children; millwright.
Robert McClure—single; farmer.	John Ferrels—wife, 10 children; farmer.
John McClure, Senr.—single; farmer.	Archibald Lindsay—wife, 8 children; farmer.
John Blalock—wife, 3 children; miller.	Ruben Eason—wife, 8 children; farmer.
William McClure—wife, 3 children; miller.	Ranson Bennett; millwright.
Charles Farrell; schoolmaster.	Reuben Daniel—wife, 6 children; farmer.
Joob Ashworth—widower, 8 children; mechanic.	John H. Horn—wife, 3 children; farmer.
Noah Langley—wife, 6 children; miller.	William Henson—wife, 6 children; farmer.
John Langley—wife, 8 children; farmer.	John Holcombe—wife, 4 children; blacksmith.
Robert Guthrie—wife, 8 children; schoolmaster.	Larkin Turner.
William A. Coleman—wife, 3 children; farmer.	Daniel Nichols—wife, 5 children; farmer.
John Tidwell—wife, 2 children; millwright.	Uriah Hubbard—wife, 12 children; farmer.
Asa Keith—wife, 8 children; farmer.	Thomas McCulleen — batchelor; farmer.
William Edgerton—wife, 6 children; farmer.	J. Johnson—wife; farmer.
Isaac N. Green—wife; farmer.	Lewis Ralston—wife, 3 children; farmer.
Joshua H. Newberry—wife, 9 children; miller.	Benj. Heath.
Andrew Wood—wife, 4 children; farmer.	John Hagins.
Thomas Goss—wife, 3 children; farmer.	John Doss—wife, 7 children; farmer.
Robert Ralston; batchelor.	Clinton Webb—wife, 7 children; farmer.
Ralf Smith—wife, 8 children; farmer.	Hancock Coleman — wife, 4 children; farmer.
Fielding Snow; batchelor.	Robert B. Hamett.
William Reid, Senr.—wife, 3 children; farmer.	Robert Watson — 3 children; farmer.
James Hendrix—wife, 2 children; farmer.	John Sims—wife, 3 children; farmer.
Willis Hendrix—single; farmer.	Sam'l Hamby—5 children; farmer.
William Hendrix—wife, 8 children; farmer.	Buckner Walker—4 children.
	James Miller.

Wm. Conner—wife, 3 children; farmer.  
 Uriah Holding — 8 children; farmer.  
 James Defur.  
 Lewis Arthur.  
 Joseph Keaton—3 children.  
 Barnaby Arthur—4 children.  
 George Boman—1 child.  
 Sam'l. C. Jones—4 children.  
 John Sutherland—wife, 7 children; farmer.  
 Charles Arthur—wife, 3 children; farmer.  
 Daniel Davis—wife, 10 children; farmer.  
 John Pinder—2 children; shoemaker.  
 Philoh Smith.  
 William Pinder—wife, 3 children.  
 William Parley.  
 David Alison—wife, 9 children.  
 G. W. Simms.  
 Fellee Arthur—4 children; farmer.  
 James Young.  
 Richard Bearden—wife, 6 children; shoemaker.  
 Wm. Wood—3 children.  
 West Walker—5 children; shoemaker.  
 Warner Clayton.  
 James Gaylor.  
 Samuel Robertson—1 child.  
 Alfred Webb—4 children; shoemaker.  
 Henry Gentry—7 children.  
 David Gentry—6 children.  
 Charles Grant.  
 Thomas Cline—3 children.  
 John Wright—4 children.  
 Benjamin Brackett.  
 Jesse Smith—2 children.  
 William Ratley.  
 Joel M. Bryan—2 children.  
 Jesse Howell—3 children.  
 Samuel Bennett.  
 William Denis—4 children.  
 Abraham Teaboth—3 children.  
 Michael C. Wood.  
 Mya (min)? Brackett.  
 James Wood.  
 Philip Whitter.  
 John Rogers—6 children.  
 Wm. C. Tarvin—1 child; merchant.  
 Asa May.  
 Joseph Chiffin—wife, 3 children.

Ariel Sheffield—wife, 1 child.  
 Abraham F. Wood—wife, 1 child.  
 Thomas Clark.  
 William Mathews—wife, 6 children.  
 Gabriel Joel—wife, 9 children.  
 Wm. Southerland—2 children.  
 John Bunyan—7 children.  
 D. Caldwell—wife, 5 children.  
 John Miller.  
 Leonard Clayton.  
 Alexander W. Green—wife.  
 John Langley—6 children.  
 Noah Langley—8 children.  
 Robert Gunther—8 children.  
 John Headrick—wife, 4 children.  
 John Saxon—7 children.  
 John Wallis.  
 Daniel Love—wife, 1 child.  
 Henry Smith—wife, 1 child.  
 Redding W. Hamby.  
 Balaam Dowdy—wife, 8 children.  
 Wm. Hitson—wife, 3 children.  
 James Landonm—wife, 10 children.  
 Silas Palmer—wife, 2 children.  
 Archibald Nelms—2 children.  
 Daniel Ledbetter—1 child.  
 Hiram Proctor—5 children.  
 William May.  
 Leonard Thomas.  
 William Willis—4 children.  
 Washington Willis.  
 Michael Dowdy.  
 Robert Berry—5 children.  
 Duncan O'Bryant.  
 John Williams.  
 Locke Langley.  
 Wm. T. McKenzie.  
 Thomas Carding—wife, 3 children.  
 Stephen Whitmin—wife, 2 children.  
 James Hill.  
 John Hill.  
 Alex. Hill.  
 Stephen Casel.  
 William Caisel.  
 Andrew H. Caldwell—wife, 4 children.  
 Andrew Wood—wife, 5 children; blacksmith.  
 John S. Holcombe—wife, 7 children; farmer.  
 Henry Quinton; farmer.  
 Alfred H. Hudson—wife, 3 children; farmer.

Ransom B. Harris—wife, 1 child; farmer.	David Blackwell—wife, 4 children.
Chas. Harris—wife, 2 children; farmer.	Joseph Watt—wife, 4 children.
Hiram Bright—wife, 2 children; farmer.	Parker Collins—10 children.
Martin Greer—wife, 2 children; farmer.	Wm. Walraven—10 children.
John C. Jones—wife, 3 children; farmer.	Joseph McEver.
Nathan Wofford; widower.	George James.
Wm. Grant—wife, 7 children; farmer.	George W. Freeman—wife, 2 children; carpenter.
Elisha Dooly—wife, 2 children; farmer.	Robert Kendrick—wife, 7 children.
Jabey J. Holcombe; blacksmith.	John W. Thompson.
Leroy White.	Wm. B. Box.
Eli Dodger—wife, 7 children; wheelwright.	John Anderson—2 children.
James Cockrane.	Martin Jones.
Sherling Goodwin.	James Humphries—wife; 3 children; farmer.
Reuben Thornton—wife, 4 children; wheelwright.	Richard Coleman—3 children.
Henry Bagby.	Phebit Coleman—single.
Benj. Johnson—wife, 4 children; wheelwright.	Thomas Marshall—wife, 6 children; farmer.
Sherod Bowman—wife, 7 children; blacksmith.	Lewis Blackburn—7 children.
Vincent Bowman.	John D. Williams.
John E. Bowman.	John Eliot—wife, 5 children.
Jesse Wisdom—5 children.	Jesse Smith—wife, 2 children
	Robert O. Bass.
	Rawson Cain.
	George Lowran; farmer.
	James Lindsay—wife, 5 children; schoolmaster.
	John Biddy—wife, 5 children; farmer.
	John Thompson—wife, 1 child.

Your Historian asked for and received a loan which promises to be a gift, from a Baldwin County citizen to the Historical Museum of the Georgia State College for Women at Milledgeville.

Among the articles are a buckskin coat of a Creek Indian chief, which was given in friendship to Robert Beverly Washington, formerly of Milledgeville, Ga., and a gourd which John Snead of the Jamestown Colony, used as a powder horn in Colonial days, and a horn spoon carved by Daniel Boone when he and his cousin, Nathaniel Hart, were with Col. Henderson, surveying lands in the wilderness of Kentucky, and a record of Methodist churches or chapels, in and near Baldwin County, with the names of both white and slave members.

The latter record was made by Rev. Tillman Snead, a soldier in the War of 1812, who was born in Wilkes County, Georgia, May 11, 1786.

Your Historian has received two important genealogies; that of the Berrien family and that of the Butts family.

She will present both to the Historical Department of the Georgia State College for Women; the former because of the Sarah Berrien Casey Morgan Loan Scholarship, which was given to this College, and the latter because it pertains especially to Baldwin County and Milledgeville.

The Butts Genealogy has the unique distinction of having its members serve in the Revolutionary War, the War of 1812, and the War between the States. It pictures Indian and pioneer days and gives what has never been published before—the code that was

used in the case there was need, when General Sherman's army occupied Milledgeville, the Capital of Georgia.

We have always known that part of the Archives of the State were sent for safekeeping to Mr. Arthur I. Butts, owner of a saw-mill and large plantation, by the State Treasurer, Mr. Jack Jones.

We knew that "Rough" Williams and Jim Sherlock were the men who conveyed these treasures in trunks and who delivered to Mr. Butts, "Capt. Jones'" letter. "If I write to you ordering a bill of lumber, remove the trunks to some other place," is what we did not know.

Through your Historian, from a former Regent of the Nancy Hart Chapter, Mrs. H. D. Allen, Sr., has come a most interesting gift to the Historical Museum of the Georgia State College for Women.

It is a large sheet of paper 21½x 24 inches, containing the report, for the month of July, 1802, of Major Jacob Kingsbury, 2nd U. S. Reg. Infantry, Commander at Fort Wilkinson.

There were three companies commanded by Capt. Edward Butler, Capt. Boates and Capt. Hugh McCall. Attention was called to the fact that Lieut. Howell Cobb of Artillery had joined and was doing duty in Capt. McCall's company.

Hugh McCall was Georgia's first Historian and Capt. Cobb was an uncle of Gov. Howell Cobb of Georgia.

The Blanche McFarland Gaffney trophy was generously presented by Georgia's Past Vice-President General, Mrs. Herbert Gaffney, to the Historical Department of the Georgia D. A. R. Your Historian and Mrs. J. M. Murrah, of Columbus, Ga., had the privilege of naming the conditions of its bestowal. They decided that the Chairman of Filing and Lending Historical Papers should be the one best fitted to judge of the excellence of papers submitted to her, and she was asked to serve as chairman of this award.

For her own special work, your Historian chose to mark a historic spot—the site of the first Court House in Baldwin County which was also the site of the first Court House in Putnam County. There were two log Court Houses among the seven Court Houses of both counties.

On the afternoon of November 16, 1934, the marker was unveiled in the presence of three hundred people, when Mrs. John W. Daniel, our State Regent, honored us with her presence, and was the principal speaker. Judge Edward R. Hines spoke of Baldwin County's history and Mr. P. C. Rossee, Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Putnam County, gave Putnam County's history. Misses Martha Duke and Frances Jenkins, of Eatonton, Ga., unveiled the marker which consists of a bronze tablet mounted on an old mill-wheel, taken from Crooked Creek, near by.

The inscription on the bronze tablet reads:

Site of  
First Log Court House  
of Baldwin County  
1806-1808  
and also of  
Putnam County  
1808-1809

Erected by:

The Commissioners of Baldwin County  
The Commissioners of Putnam County  
The Samuel Reid Chapter, D. A. R.  
The Nancy Hart Chapter, D. A. R.

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Special historical articles written by your Historian are: "The Building of the Old Executive Mansion in Milledgeville," and "Old Fort Fidius on the Oconee." In the latter article, for information contained in the Letter Book of Governor George Matthews, 1793-94, and from original letters on file in the Department of Archives, she is indebted to Georgia's able State Historian and Archivist, Miss Ruth Blair, who invites all to come "and drink deep of the Pierian Spring" in her keeping.

Your Historian had the great honor of being asked by her Chapter to write the inscription for the bronze tablet to be erected on that most historic site, Rock Landing on the Oconee River. She was invited to make an address before the Mary Hammond Washington Chapter and by the President of the Y. W. C. A. at the Georgia State College for Women, was asked to talk at Vespers on "The Personality of George Washington as Revealed by His Writings."

She was honored by the Regent of the Augusta Chapter, with a Tea at historic Meadow Garden.

Unlike a learned group of women whose executive declared, "We attempt no work that other groups are able to do," your Historian is happy over every jot or tittle of Georgia history that comes her way, knowing that many are able to accomplish the few things that she reports, but that they have not done so.

### Historical Report of the Georgia Chapters

"By their fruits, ye shall know them."

The request of the Historian General for the celebration of Yorktown Day reached Georgia after the year's programs and the Year Books were published; but the celebration was almost 100 per cent perfect.

The Year Books has been fascinating in their varied presentation of Indian history and in other programs.

Prizes have been given in grammar and high schools for excellence in history and one Chapter offered historical prizes to negro schools also Barnard Trail Chapter.

Patriotic lectures and pageants have been presented in schools. Lantern slides of Indian Mounds and Colonial Georgia have been shown in schools.

Georgia Day was celebrated in conjunction with schools.

Many citizenship medals have been offered.

Some county histories are completed, while others are still in the writing.

Terrell County has its history of 600 pages, typed.

Historical articles written by Jasper County's oldest citizen have been collected and placed in Scrap Book.

The history of Pulaski County has been finished.

The official history of Laurens County is continued.

Money is in the treasury for the history of Monroe county.

The history of Worth County is being written.

Dr. John R. Swanton of the American Bureau of Ethnology of the Smithsonian Institution has lectured on Indian research. (Barnard Trail Chapter).

Dr. Arthur Kelley, archeologist, has lectured on Indian research. (John Ball Chapter).

Dr. W. B. Childs, of Macon, has lectured on Indian research. (Nancy Hart Chapter).

Dr. Harrold, of Macon, has lectured on Indian research. (Mary Hammond Washington Chapter and six other chapters).

Mr. Victor Davidson, State Historian, S. A. R., has lectured on Indian research. (John Bull and Brunswick Chapters).

Gen. Walter B. Harris, of Macon, has lectured on Indian research.

Judge Warren Grice, of Macon, Ga., spoke on "The Heritage of Georgia Ancestry, the Most American State in the Union." (Gov. Treutlen Chapter).

A lecture was made on the Bartow Indian Mounds.

The Jackson Trail was marked with ceremony by the Bainbridge Chapter.

Bonaventure Chapter has marked with ceremony The Salzburger Trail.

"Chopped Oak," the spot for records and receipt of messages, where two Indian trails converge, was marked with ceremony by the Tomichichi Chapter.

Historic site on Indian Trail was marked with ceremony by the John Ball Chapter.

Marked with ceremony was a historic spot, the first Court House site, by Samuel Reid Chapter, Nancy Hart Chapter, and Commissioners of Baldwin and Putnam Counties.

Site of Rock Landing and Fort Sidius and three Indian Trails, the Ocmulgee, Old Towns Trail, the Cussetah Path, and the old Trading Path have been found by Nancy Hart Chapter.

Site of Fort Hughes, Fort Scott and Camp Recovery have been studied by the Bainbridge Chapter.

The spot where Osceola, the Seminole Chief, made treaty with United States, has been discovered by the Bainbridge Chapter.

Indian graves have been located, one being in State of Oklahoma.

The grave of Jane Heard, tragic Creek heroine, has been discovered by the Henry Walton Chapter.

The spot where Gen. Oglethorpe crossed the Chattahoochee on visit to Creek Indians has been discovered by the Oglethorpe Chapter.

Discovery of the McIntosh Trail and site of Creek Indian village was made by the John Laurens Chapter.

Old Fort Hope was located by Mary Hammond Washington Chapter.

"Burnt Village," the meeting place for generations of the Cherokee tribes, has been discovered by the LaGrange Chapter.

A history of "Illustrious Sons of the Creek Nation" has been written by the Henry Walton Chapter.

Four Indian Trails, the Jackson Trail, Three Notch Trail, the Federal Trail, and the DeSoto Trail, have been found by the Bainbridge Chapter.

Money is on hand for the marking of an Indian Trail by the Sara Dickinson Chapter.

Indian Mounds in Macon have been visited and the Cherokee Reservation in North Carolina. (Button Gwinnett Chapter).

Indian Scrap Books have been made.

All historic days have been celebrated.

A copy of the Seal of the Trustees of Georgia was procured from England and reproduced in their Year Book by Oglethorpe Chapter.

The monthly report, July, 1802, of Maj. Jacob Kingsbury, 2nd U. S. Reg. Infantry, Commander at old Fort Wilkinson on the Oconee. In it is named Capt. Hugh McCall, who became Georgia's first Historian, and Lieut. Howell Cobb, who was an uncle of Georgia's Governor of the same name.

Morgan County and Madison Day was inaugurated by the Henry Walton Chapter.

Historic Post Cards are reported.

Contributions to Travelling Genealogical Library were made by the Oglethorpe Chapter, the Arthur Fort Chapter, and the Baron DeKalb Chapter.

Support of the Historical and Genealogical Department of the Washington Memorial Library is made by the Mary Hammond Washington Chapter.

Money for the services of FERA workers, directed by a member of the Southern Historical Research Association, for compiling old records of Chatham County, has been contributed by the Lachlan McIntosh Chapter—twenty-five dollars.

Photostatic records of Old St. John's Church, of Charleston, S. C., have been made by the Savannah Chapter. These records are now in process of translation from old German in which they are written.

The historical records of Jackson County are being copied through the William McIntosh Chapter.

A D. A. R. shelf is maintained at the Carnegie Library in Dublin, Ga., by the John Laurens Chapter.

Old wills and deeds and historical clippings from newspapers have been collected.

Gifts have been made to Kenmore Gardens and to Constitution Hall.

Prizes for patriotic songs were given by the James Pitman Chapter.

Records of Tuckaseeking and Mount Pleasant Churches in Effingham County, have been made.

A record has been made of Salem Baptist Church in Chatham County.

A record of Methodist Churches and Chapels in and near Baldwin County, with both white and slave members, have been received.

Joseph Habersham Chapter reports the collection of the following relics.

Day book of sales made in Old Petersburg, in Elbert County, Ga., one of the dead towns of Georgia.

Picture of home of Gov. George Matthews before it was burned last year, and mantelpiece and hardware received.

Names of Revolutionary soldiers not on the Georgia roster have been found, and two, not on any roster have been verified by the National Government.

A granddaughter of a Revolutionary soldier has been found, and graves located of Daughters of the Revolution.

Tombstone records of Beaufort, S. C., are recorded.

Discovery of one Revolutionary soldier's grave in Virginia was made.

There were displays of Colonial and Revolutionary relics, old silver and porcelain.

Classifying minutes of the court records of Butts County was done by William McIntosh Chapter.

From a trash can in basement of Madison Court House, the Henry Walton Chapter rescued the following: name of

Maj. Hogg's Battallon of 835 Morgan County pioneers: the history of 5th, 15th, 19th, 20th land draws of Morgan County; list of negroes brought to Morgan County, their antecedents, their names and their religious customs, and the names of the Captains of the Paterole.

Three old tavern sites were discovered in Morgan County.

Many letters were written to members of the Georgia Legislature urging an appropriation for the Rhodes Memorial Building, Georgia's Historical Shrine.

## STATE CONSULTING REGISTRAR

Mrs. John M. Simmons

It is with pleasure that I bring to this Convention greetings and report the work accomplished during the past year.

There has been manifested a fine spirit of cooperation and deep interest in this Department, and the contact with many of our members has been enjoyed, not only by those in our own State but many other states.

The office of State Consulting Registrar automatically places one on the National Membership Committee. Our National Consulting Registrar says that since this committee has been created, our membership has increased greatly.

The National Society suggested no change from the one which is at present in our By-Laws, that of sending papers to the Treasurer General through the Chapter Treasurer or the State Regent, if the application is made at large. A few papers were sent to this Department. These were examined and sent to the Treasurer General.

Assistance has been given, letters have been answered, and information has been secured when possible from our library. The lineage books are incomplete and this makes it difficult to secure information for those desiring to establish lines. I hope that the State will soon be able to complete this set of books.

I want to thank those chapters that have sent rosters and calendars. All of these have been placed on file. A roster has been made from the information sent to this Department from the National Consulting Registrar.

Your Registrar presented a resolution to the Resolution Committee asking that the term of office of State Consulting Registrar be made for a longer period of time and that the same officer could be re-elected. This to go into effect at the next election.

The transportation of books is not only expensive, but the books will soon be destroyed if they are constantly being transported.

I would like to recommend that a complete roster be typed and put in loose leaf form where names may be added as needed.

We have on hand 68 volumes of lineage books; 2 index volumes; 1 copy of Georgia Historical Collections; 1 copy of reprint of Land Lottery of 1827; 1 copy of Notable Southerners Families, Volume 3, by Zella Armstrong; 7 leaflets of the Camp Family; 1 volume of Rosters of Georgia Chapters; some unassorted papers of family records; supplemental blanks for lineage of descendents of members; several volumes of State Proceedings and quite a number of Chapter Year Books.

## STATE REPORTER TO SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

Mrs. A. N. Murray

Though the office of Reporter to Smithsonian Institute has carried no specific duties, my ardent love for every detail of the work of our beloved society has been a sufficient incentive for me to make myself useful whenever and wherever possible.

Whether we travel alone or in company, may not our cheery words, honest smiles, little courtesies and friendly lifts be examples if not evidence of actual achievement—may these be seeds planted in the hearts and minds of fellow travelers that will flourish and bear fruit again.

## STATE GENEALOGIST

Mrs. Stewart Colley

Urgent requests have been sent to every Chapter asking that they send data of importance for genealogical research. Some valuable material has been received and will be forwarded to Washington. Unusually interesting and valuable material has been received from the George Walton Chapter of Columbus.

Numbers of requests have been received by your State Genealogist for information regarding the ancestors of people who used to live in Georgia. All of these requests have been answered and in some instances we were able to locate the person or persons who could give the desired information.

There is an urgent need for reference books in the Genealogical Department of our State D. A. R. Days are fast turning into years and unless we, as Daughters of the American Revolution, can preserve these precious facts, our descendants may rise up and ask us WHY.

## STATE EDITOR

Mrs. John Dorsey

The State Editor reports a busy year of very pleasant work.

The reports from sixty-five Chapters have been received along with twenty-eight communications from state officers and state chairmen which have been published. Several historical articles have been contributed and these were greatly appreciated.

In addition to the messages of the State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel, articles were contributed by Mesdames Julian McCurry, Julius Talmadge, Herbert M. Franklin, Mrs. George J. Burrus, John S. Adams, and J. L. Beeson.

Fourteen Year Books have been received for which I wish to thank the Regents and Secretaries of the Chapters who sent them.

The dependableness of Mrs. Hazel Pope Henderson, my co-worker, has been a pleasure and a comfort.

The Atlanta Constitution, our official organ, cannot give us enough space to bring before the public the workings of our Society in our State and elsewhere. The lack of space means cuts and omissions which are disappointing to Chapter Reporters and to the Editor. May I suggest that all reports be condensed, giving only the highlights of the meeting. Each report to be sent in duplicate, typewritten and double spaced, on white paper.

My grateful appreciation is extended to Mrs. Rix Stafford, of The Constitution, for her unflinching courtesy and assistance on this work.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

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### AMERICANISM

Mrs. W. E. Mann

Last September I sent to every Chapter Regent in Georgia a letter asking them to appoint a Chairman of Americanism and giving suggestions and outlines of the work. Then in February a questionnaire prepared by the National Chairman was sent for a report. Most of the Chapters filled it out and I am bringing you their report. I find the Chapters active and alert. Quite a number appointed Chairmen of Americanism and had meetings with suitable programs.

Illiterates have been taught English. There are very few foreign born in Georgia and while the colored people are far from being newcomers to our shores the majority of them are just awaking to the obligations and advantages of citizenship. Flags and Manuals have been given them and encouragement and aid in their schools. One Chapter in Thomaston has equipped a room for home economics in the colored school with stoves, cooking utensils and dishes furnished. Members of two Chapters attended Naturalization Courts and gave Immigrants' Manuals to those admitted. Many have helped them in their handicraft by furnishing materials and exhibiting their work. Children who otherwise could not attend, have been helped in school by gifts of clothing, books and tuition. All Chapters have observed Patriotic Days suggested by D. A. R. by lectures, programs, pageants and radio. Much interest is taken in the schools, teaching Correct Use of the Flag and learning the American's Creed and giving the Pledge to the Flag. Many Citizenship and History medals are given. Money and boxes contributed to Ellis Island.

At one Chapter meeting in Moultrie, a program was given for the public expressing Americanism in folk dances, songs and spoken word, lightened by the brilliant costumes of all nations, showing the children and the public the friendly relationship that should exist among nations. The organization of Boy Scouts has been encouraged and aided by several Chapters. Copies of Immigrants' Manual and flags presented to them.

Patriotism is the peace-time need of the day. Individual patriotism in seeing that our principles and government are carried forward. It is only through education that we can accomplish Americanism of the foreign born. The immigrant child of today is the voting citizen of tomorrow and the patriotic statesman of the future. Every possible means and efforts are being used to offset the work of radical propagandists who are seeking to gain a foothold. Therefore it is the duty of every loyal D. A. R. to aid in every way all efforts to uphold the principles of true democracy and love of country.

### AMERICAN'S CREED

Mrs. Bun Wylie

The American's Creed is the fundamental belief of our nation. As a patriotic organization, it is our duty to uphold it and teach its principles to the youth of our country, thus making loyal American citizens.

The National Society has designated April 3rd as special day of observance, at which time there should be programs in the Chapters and schools.

Every Chapter in the State uses the American's Creed at regular meetings, following the Pledge to the Flag. The Chapters that have been outstanding in the use and teaching in schools of the American's Creed during the past year, are: Bonaventure, Col. Wm. Few, James Pittman, Roanoke, Sunbury, Atlanta, Savannah, Oglethorpe, Jos. Habersham, Gov. John Milledge, Wm. McIntosh, Baron DeKalb, Pulaski, John Ball, Jonathan Bryan, Elijah Clarke, Gov. David Emanuel, John Laurens, Matthew Talbot.

## AMERICAN MERCHANT MARINE LIBRARY

Mrs. James L. Mims

Immediately after my appointment as State Chairman of American Merchant Marine Library, I wrote to Mr. Hutton, Dispatch Agent of the Association at the New Orleans office where our Georgia contributions are sent, inquiring as to the needs there. I had a most appreciative letter from him, and he forwarded my letter on to Mrs. Henry Howard, President of the Association in New York, who has asked me to bring to the Georgia Chapters a personal message from her, begging their support in this far-reaching work for thousands of Merchant Seamen traveling the seven seas, and also Light House and Light Ship keepers, who stand their vigils for all humanity.

Both Mr. Hutton and Mrs. Howard stated that the greatest need is for money, for, without it, it is impossible to keep the books in circulation. The second greatest need is for books, and at the present time the New Orleans office is very much in need of books of good, clean fiction, as their stock of usable fiction is low. Many of their technical books are supplied from New York and they are able to collect magazines from friends in New Orleans and thus save freight charges.

I have sent two appeals to the Chapters, through the official column in The Atlanta Constitution, and I have written every Chapter Regent, personally, stating the needs and asking for their support of this worthy cause. The response has been most gratifying to the chairman. Many Chapters have reported that they have sent books and two Chapters sent money. An outstanding report has come from the Oglethorpe Chapter of Columbus which sent a box of 101 books of usable fiction, all labeled with Chapter Book Plate. In all, several hundred books have been reported and \$2.00 in money has been sent.

There is no more important phase of our work than the collecting of good books to be distributed as circulating libraries aboard ships under our flag.

One of the most important uses of leisure time is the reading of good literature. Recognition of this fact has resulted in the establishment of public libraries in practically every community in the country. The thousands of men who operate our great Merchant ships, by the very nature of their occupation are deprived of these libraries on shore, and they have more leisure time than perhaps any other group under circumstances particularly conducive to reading.

The American Merchant Marine Library Association is the "Public Library of the High Seas" and, as such, is attempting to meet the needs existing among these men.

Surely many Chapter members have books to spare. Do not let

them stand idle on the shelves when they would mean so much to sailors. The Association pays transportation charges, but as books are heavy, they ask that we send them by freight and not by express. All money should be sent through the State Treasurer, and books are sent direct to Mr. J. H. Hutton, Dispatch Agent, A. M. M. L. Association, Dock Board Tool House, Paydras Street and River, New Orleans. Then notify your State Chairman of your donations.

#### **ARMISTICE DAY**

**Mrs. I. H. Sutton**

In the early fall your Chairman mailed letters to all Chapter Regents asking that plans be made for the proper observance of Armistice Day. Suggestions were given whereby each Chapter could have a part in the celebration of this memorial day in history.

Extremely interesting reports have been received from almost every Chapter in the State, describing the way in which the Daughters of the American Revolution cooperated with other organizations in the observance of Armistice Day.

Let us, the Daughters of the American Revolution, continue to keep alive and cherish the memory and valor of those who took part in the great conflict which ended on November 11, 1918.

#### **APPROVED SCHOOLS**

**Miss Sue Reid Vason**

This year we have procured through the Student Loan Fund a \$50.00 scholarship to Martha Berry School, Rome, Ga. Letters and charts of approved schools have been mailed to each Chapter stressing the importance of education and wiping out the dense ignorance of our mountaineer and under-privileged classes, thereby raising the standards of our state's citizenship and holding to the ideals for which our forefathers fought.

Chapters have donated books and clothing to the different schools, but especially has attention been directed to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamasee schools maintained entirely by D. A. R. funds. Attention has been directed also to picture slides and radio talks and various ways to encourage interest in our schools.

We have had interesting response by letter from various Chapters showing a growing interest in educational work. Ninety Chapters use the chart of information; \$41.50 was contributed to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamasee; \$673.00 was contributed to other schools. The total cash contribution for the year was \$765.40.

One Chapter, the Oglethorpe Chapter of Columbus has dedicated their entire Year Book to Approved Schools.

I am submitting a resolution to the effect that one of the requirements of the State Honor Roll be that each Chapter give a pro rata share of 5 cents to Approved Schools, the proceeds of which will be used as scholarships.

I feel very much encouraged and very enthusiastic over the growing interest in, and response to, the fostering of education, which is a world-wide development. Never before has the world been so eager to advance education, and never has education been so absolutely necessary. It is a world requirement for any honor roll. Let's make it a requirement in our State Honor Roll.

## BETTER FILMS

Mrs. L. K. Jordan

Georgia may well be proud of the fact that four of the eight screen souvenirs offered by Mrs. Russel, the National Chairman of Better Films, as prizes to those first sending in ten new subscribers to the D. A. R. Motion Picture Guide were won by Miss Julia Traylor of Columbus, Mrs. H. W. Wheelless of Thomaston, Mrs. W. H. Hightower of Thomaston, and Mrs. J. L. Mims of Hawkinsville.

Chapter Chairmen have responded splendidly to every suggestion of the State and National Chairmen for Better Films work, and we feel that really worthwhile results have been accomplished in many localities. In recognition of the work done in Georgia for the past few years, Mrs. W. H. Hightower, of Thomaston, former State Chairman, has been made a Vice-Chairman of the National Committee.

Three form letters have gone out from the State Chairman's desk to each of the Chairmen of the 93 Chapters in Georgia, besides numerous personal letters. Sixty-five Chapters have reported to the State Chairman. There have been during the year 177 subscriptions to the D. A. R. Guide to Motion Pictures in 81 towns, the greatest number received in any state. Many of these have expired but we hope they may all be renewed. These Guides have been published in many local papers and have been useful in the selection of better films.

Two Chapters have sponsored "benefits" for Constitution Hall, realizing \$23.60 for this purpose. There have been "benefits" sponsored by nine Chapters for other causes.

Four towns have City Better Films Committees and in each instance the D. A. R. Chairman is a member. Eight Chapters have reported a Telephone Committee which notifies a selected list of people whenever Class I and II pictures are shown. This is especially valuable for information of school children.

Theatre managers seem to be pleased with the work of our committee and in several instances voluntarily offer annual passes to Chapter Chairmen.

"The Motion Picture and the Family" is a free weekly issued by the M. P. P. D. A., 28 West 44th St., New York, recommended by our National Chairman in the Guide of January 7th.

There is a ten dollar award offered this year to the Chapter doing the most outstanding work for better films, which was won by the Hawkinsville Chapter, Mrs. J. L. Mims, Chairman. Honorable mention goes to the three Chapters in Columbus, the John Houston Chapter in Thomaston, the Baron DeKalb Chapter in Decatur, and the Mary Hammond Washington Chapter in Macon.

An almost incredible reformation is evidenced by the screen in the theatres of the nation. All the new pictures for the past few months, with hardly an exception, have been morally clean and acceptable entertainment for adults. The last year has seen a great increase in the audiences that are going to high class pictures—pictures with meat in them, with themes of some importance and with greater artistry. The D. A. R. feel that they have wielded no small influence in this upward trend, and that there is no finer work for any organization to undertake than to have a part in raising the moral tone of the people in the community through the work for better films.

## BLANCHE McFARLIN GAFFNEY TROPHY

Mrs. T. D. Power

Out of a broad vision, born of an analytical turn of mind, Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney foresaw how the papers written for this contest might serve a threefold purpose. The main objective is the collection and preservation of the history of the State of Georgia. In these most valuable papers from the various sections of the state has come much of local history, some of which is but little known beyond its own locality. You can see at once with so much interesting history before the committee the difficulty in adjudging the papers. The judges, whose names are never revealed, selecting the winning paper written by Mrs. George F. Dickens, Regent of the Hancock Chapter, Sparta, said of the article, "The story is well told, holds the reader's interest and the amount of detail balances nicely with the narrative. The mechanical 'get-up' and treatment of subject are excellent."

These valuable papers which are written in duplicate are now divided between the Chairmen of the Traveling Library and the Filing and Lending of Historic Papers and thus every paper written finds its place of value and worth to the State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

It brings a thrill of joy to your Chairman to be a guest in the Classic City of Athens, the home town of the Alma Mater of my husband and brother. And as I stand here today this hall of fame from whence they were graduated seems a sacred shrine, a hallowed spot of their fraternal associations.

With my hearty congratulations I deliver into your keeping this beautiful trophy with the love of her who offered it. And to each participant in this contest I extend my sincere and cordial appreciation.

### BOOK PLATES

Mrs. Branch LaFar

During the year 1934-35, Georgia Chapters have contributed twelve volumes of history. Six of these were relayed through our State Librarian, Mrs. Sidney O. Smith, the Book Plates being placed in these books by her. The other six were sent to Washington. Mrs. Dick, Librarian General, stated that it was customary to place the Book Plates in the books when they were accessioned there in the library for the shelf.

### COLLECTION AND PRESERVATION OF BIBLE RECORDS

Mrs. Eli A. Thomas

The interest in collecting family Bible records for preservation continues and the importance of saving these before any old Bible is destroyed by some thoughtless person is becoming more generally realized. The Georgia State collection in the eight years we have been engaged in this work has now reached 2,289 Bible records sent in by the various Chapters. There is work yet to do, for the field has not been covered.

The Bashinski Silver Vase for the largest number of Bible records sent in this year goes to the John Houston Chapter of Thomaston (the winner last year) with 126 Bibles. The Sergeant Newton Chapter of Covington comes second with 52 Bibles and receives honorable mention.

The total number of records received this year is 230 Bible records, 286 tombstone records from 14 cemeteries, two wills, and three family records.

The John Houston Chapter records are as follows:

From Bible	Earliest Date	From Bible	Earliest Date
F. L. Adams.....	1879	James H. Howell.....	1868
Allen-Daniel.....	1728	John Huguley.....	1793
Charles I. Banks.....	1870	John S. Jackson.....	1813
Alphaus Beall.....	1796	Handy W. Johnson.....	1816
Richard Blount.....	1790	John F. Johnston.....	1849
Henry Bourquin.....	1819	Josiah Jones.....	1665
Edward Brooks.....	1818	James Lide.....	1770
John T. Burnette.....	1823	William D. Lumpkin.....	1810
Charles O. Cannafax.....	1813	John McDonald.....	1766
Walton T. Carter.....	1811	Elijah Levin McGee.....	1836
Christopher Clark, Sr.....	1796	Willis A. Mangham.....	1785
Walter Clarke.....	1640	Charles C. H. Matthews.....	1825
John F. W. Courvoisie.....	1778	Thomas Finley Matthews.....	1855
James J. Crawford.....	1825	Francis Mauldin.....	1836
James H. Dennington.....	1823	William A. Milner.....	1836
Samuel H. Ellison.....	1831	Coalson T. Moreland.....	1832
J. G. Fowler.....	1852	Johann Neischler.....	1732
Jefferson F. Fuller.....	1838	Thomas P. Nelson.....	1887
George Gardiner.....	1645	Richard Nottingham.....	1645
James Gibson.....	1778	Romulus Caesar Persons.....	1814
John Girardeau.....	1756	Thomas Persons.....	1791
Hartford Green.....	1811	Joseph G. Pound.....	1843
D. J. Hardage.....	1821	Josiah Pyron.....	1806
Charles B. Harris.....	1803	Frederick H. Reeves.....	1793
Zachary Taylor Harris.....	1846	William S. Riley.....	1868
Joseph O. Holmes.....	1808	Roberts-Trice.....	1764
W. D. Howell.....	1872	John Rodman.....	1640
John Jackson Ingram.....	1826	Samuel Rutherford.....	1813
R. T. Jackson.....	1845	Charles Lee Smith, Sr.....	1828
W. W. Johnson.....	1830	J. H. Stewart.....	1850
Lawson M. Johnson.....	1850	J. M. Thomasson.....	1854
Thomas M. Killen.....	1837	William L. Thompson.....	1871
John Henry Lee.....	1851	Trice-Gibson.....	1778
Jonathan McCants.....	1765	J. B. Wardlaw.....	1816
Thomas J. McFarlin.....	1810	Eliab W. Wells.....	1788
Jacob McLendon.....	1792	John F. Williams.....	1829
Alice Little Matthews.....	1830	Willis Woods.....	1762
James N. Matthews.....	1827	John A. Wright.....	1853
George Adams.....	1813	Richard Willis Milner.....	1833
Col. John H. Baker.....	1824	George H. Mitchell.....	1889
John L. Banks.....	1844	John Murchison.....	1789
Thomas F. Bethel.....	1785	John Neisler.....	1842
Lt-Col. L. Bostick, Sr.....	1751	Ellen Nesbit.....	1789
Edward Brantly.....	1776	James Thomas Ogletree.....	1842
John Brunt.....	1827	William K. Persons.....	1843
Osburn Cannafax.....	1813	Quince K. Pierce.....	1839
M. H. Carnes.....	1868	John James Pound.....	1836
William Childs.....	1797	Benjamin Reece.....	1732
Birdsong Clarke.....	1789	Isaac James Ricks.....	1827
Jacob Cleveland.....	1729	Roberts-Howel-Warren.....	1844
Alexander Crawford.....	1810	James Thomas Roberts.....	1849
Daniel Denham.....	1804	Theodore Rumble, Sr.....	1847
Henry S. DuBose.....	1852	Richard Seamore.....	1789
Allen G. Fambro.....	1800	Alvis Stafford.....	1804
Charles James Fox.....	1821	Abner Sullivan.....	1865
Henry Clay Fullerton.....	1855	Jesse D. H. Thompson.....	1867
Clem W. Gholston.....	1849	James Thweat, Sr.....	1777
Hugh McC. Gilleland.....	1839	William Walton.....	1732
John P. Glover.....	1824	George H. Washington.....	1796
Thomas Hamlin.....	1794	Henry C. White.....	1869
Henry Dixon Harp.....	1851	Wiley W. Williams.....	1810
James H. Harris.....	1844	Gen. Ezekiel Wimberly.....	1783
Dr. J. M. Head.....	1849	Nathan Zorn.....	1805

The Sergeant Newton Chapter of Covington sent 52 Bible records as follows:

From Bible	Earliest Date	From Bible	Earliest Date
William Sampson Adams.....	1791	William Everett.....	1812
William Thomas Austin.....	1822	William H. Gaither, Sr.....	1801
John Blasingame.....	1799	Jackson Harwell.....	1773
Dr. Henry Branham.....	1789	Jacob Holtzlaw, II.....	1738
Spenser Burdette.....	1773	Isham Harris.....	1774
Nancy Ann S. Cannon.....	1767	Joseph Jones.....	1820
James A. Carson.....	1843	Joseph Livingston.....	1824
John Cook.....	1769	John C. McDonald.....	1812
Wilson Conner.....	1792	Hendrick Mitcham.....	1808

From Bible	Earliest Date	From Bible	Earliest Date
Asbury C. Mixon (son)	1753	William B. Foreman, Sr.	1787
Malachi Reeves	1769	David Gray	1720
Levi Richardson, Sr.	1787	Fritz H. Heard	1810
John Smith	1790	John Howard	1757
John Jones Stanton	1796	William Hudson, Sr.	1796
Rene C. & Geo. W. W. Stone	1780	Peter Kendal	1776
Phillip H. Thomas	1821	Henry B. Meadors	1806
Willis William Woods	1762	James M'Cracken	1806
Lewis Zachry & Daughter	1828	Elijah Mixon	1753
William Ashburn	1731	Robert Pullin	1756
Azariah Bostwick	1778	Joseph H. Reeves (son)	1802
William Bush	1777	Samuel Shi (Shy)	1765
John Callaway	1806	Palasiah Stallings	1787
Thomas Cannon	1835	John Sims Stanton	1814
Blake J. Cooper	1803	Mary McD. Stephenson	1807
David Chestnut	1785	J. T. B. Turner	1817
Calvin Dickerson	1842	Apple White Wright	1821

Also the following full family lines:

Gray-Burge and allied families. Laurent Flournoy family. Lytle family.

Also the following Tombstone records:

From Hopewell Church cemetery (western Newton County).....4 Tombs listed

The Bainbridge Chapter sent 15 Bible Records as follows:

From Bible	Earliest Date	From Bible	Earliest Date
George W. Burton	1803	Thomas W. Noblett	1808
Willis L. Guess	1800	Owen Register	1808
George W. Crawford	1829	Josiah Cotton	1777
John J. Cummings	1896	George Durant	1714
Laban Shaw Redding	1863	Osborn Rowe	1900
Julia Ann Wather	1820	Joseph N. Guess	1800
Derrell Bradwell	1800	Henry Guess	1772
Jesse Ellerbe	1802		

Also 42 Tombstone Records as follows:

From Oak City cemetery, Bainbridge, Ga.....42 Tombs listed

Also the will of William Shannon, dated 1804; and the will of William Wise, dated 1816.

The William McIntosh Chapter, of Jackson, sent 8 Bible Records; as follows:

From Bible	Earliest Date	From Bible	Earliest Date
James Findley	1802	Charles & Elizabeth Humber	1761
Kimbell family	1810	Clement Moore	1802
Redman family	1773	Robert Smith	1760
John Waller	1749	Hubbard Williams	1803

The George Walton Chapter, of Columbus, sent 7 Bible Records as follows:

From Bible	Earliest Date	From Bible	Earliest Date
Maurice D. Roche	1809	Dean family	1809
W. R. Wilkinson	1875	James T. Curry	1836
David McChapman	1840	Charles P. Dean	1805
John B. McCrary	1840		

Also 230 Tombstone Records as follows:

	Tombstones Listed
From Harmony Church, near Columbus	39
From Double Church graveyard, near Columbus, Ga	69
From Pierce Chapel M. E. Church, near Columbus	48
From Methodist Church, ¼ mile of Double Church	29
From Biggers cemetery, near Columbus	15
From Antioch Church cemetery (Harris County)	14
From Charles Dean cemetery	10
From Getzen Memorial Church (Muscogee County)	5
From old Will Schley Place, near Columbus	1

The Matthew Talbot Chapter, of Monroe, sent 7 Bible Records as follows:

From Bible	Earliest Date	From Bible	Earliest Date
Robert Wilson	1775	Robt. & Nancy S. Cannon	1767
William Hudson, Sr.	1786	Thomas Cannon	1767
Stephen Felker	1779	T. C. Woods	1784
Joseph Ray Camp	1831		

Also 4 Tombstone Records as follows:

Tombstones Listed

From Nunnally family graveyard, near Good Hope, Walton County, Ga..... 2  
 From cemetery near Bishop, Oconee County, Ga..... 2

The James Pittman Chapter, of Commerce, sent 5 Bible Records as follows:

From Bible	Earliest Date	From Bible	Earliest Date
David Clower.....	1762	William Thomas.....	1740
Hawkins-Milder .....	1807	Littleberry Matthews.....	1786
Matthew Bolton.....	1763		

The Baron DeKalb Chapter, of Decatur, sent 3 Bible Records as follows:

From Bible	Earliest Date	From Bible	Earliest Date
Pitts-Delk .....	1836	Michael family.....	1797
Camp family.....	1810		

Also 6 Tombstone Records from Cool Springs cemetery, DeKalb County.

The Button Gwinnett Chapter, Columbus, sent 3 Bible Records as follows:

From Bible	Earliest Date	From Bible	Earliest Date
James Monroe Calhoun.....	1847	James Clinton Blackmon.....	1867
Thomas H. Moultrie.....	1853		

The Oglethorpe Chapter, of Columbus, sent 2 Bible Records as follows:

From Bible	Earliest Date	From Bible	Earliest Date
John Ruben Gilbert.....	1812	John W. Gilbert.....	1840

The William Candler Chapter, of Gainesville, sent 1 Bible Record as follows:

From Ephraim Male Johnston Bible..... Earliest date 1767  
 Privately sent:  
 Records from Bible of Devereux-Steel families..... Earliest date 1766

### CONFERENCE PAGEANT

Mrs. H. M. Franklin

The pageant, "New Glory Enhances Old Glory," was written at the request of the State Regent to take the place of Chapter Reports on Chapter Regents' Evening.

Parts were mailed out in advance to all Chapter representatives whose names were sent me, in reply to my card mailed each Chapter. Much correspondence was necessary, but Chapters showed great interest.

Synopsis of pageant follows:

Pageant: "New Glory Enhances Old Glory."  
 By Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin, Tennille, Georgia,  
 Honorary State Regent.  
 Time—1777-1935

### CAST OF CHARACTERS

Columbia.....Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent  
 Betsy Ross.....Mrs. Julian McCurry, Vice-President General  
 Attendants of Betsy Ross:

Mrs. Julius Talmadge, Honorary State Regent, Ex-Vice-President General.

Mrs. Howard McCall, Honorary State Regent, Ex-Vice-President General.

Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, Honorary State Regent, Ex-Vice-President General.

Mrs. Max Land, Honorary State Regent.

Mrs. Charles Akerman, Honorary State Regent.

Mrs. Bun Wylie, Honorary State Regent.

Mrs. James S. Wood, Honorary State Regent.

Reader.....Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin, Honorary State Regent  
 Stars and Stripes, Chapter Regents, in various D. A. R. work to enhance Old Glory.

Opening Processional of Characters  
Synopsis of Pageant: "New Glory Enhances Old Glory."  
Time 1777

Columbia has been escorted to the throne by heralds. She extolls the beauty of our country, her mountains which rise in strength and power, her fertile valleys, her rivers, woods, and plains, all teeming with fruits and flowers, and smiling fields of grain.

Then she laments the fact that her great nation has no flag, that no banner proudly waves o'er all this spacious land. She calls upon her subjects to make for her "a Flag which will inspire and cause the flame of Liberty to glow with living fire." She calls for a Flag so bright and glorious that children will adore, and hearts of old age thrill with pride, now and evermore. The Reader responds and tells of the far-famed skill of Betsy Ross, who enters with her Attendants, and after an introduction to Columbia, all eagerly begin work upon the Flag. Betsy cleverly cuts the stars, and the stripes, brought by her attendants are properly placed. Then with pride, they display the Betsy Ross Flag with 13 stars in a circle, and 13 stripes, signifying the 13 Original Colonies.

Columbia receives the Flag with great rejoicing in these words:

"O Flag of glory—Flag of Light, millions look to thee,

Thine the power to lift the world to love and liberty."

She calls on her subjects to add new glory to this Flag. Betsy Ross and her group continue to work, while the Chapter Regents enter one by one and each tells of her efforts to enhance Old Glory.

Thirty-five bear stars which are typical of their work to complete the number on the Flag. Others bear crimson and white flowers for the stripes, while each tells of preservation of history, of education, citizenship, welfare of women and children, and of the various enterprises of the D. A. R. which make Old Glory resplendent with new glory.

At last the completed Flag is displayed, Columbia leads in the Pledge to the Flag, and all sing "Star-Spangled Banner."

## CONSERVATION AND THRIFT, INCLUDING FORESTRY

Mrs. Edward Wohlwender

Thirty Chapters had active Chairmen of Conservation and Thrift Including Forestry during the year and all Chapters have achieved fine results in their work for conservation of human life and of plant life.

Forestry was included, for the first time, in the work of this chairmanship for the past year. The outstanding work along this line has been the planting of 10,389 trees, the work for the D. A. R. Forest Park, named Nancy Hart Forest Park, and the planting of miles of trees along the highways.

Nine Chapters report efforts to protect wild flowers and have discouraged the purchase of dogwood and holly, and have worked for prevention of forest fires. Dr. Herty's plea to save the forests has been read and placed on bulletin boards. Meadow Garden has been well preserved as this is a permanent memorial of the Georgia D. A. R.

Lectures have been given on Conservation, drives have been made for the elimination of obnoxious weeds and fire hazards, surveys of native trees made. Chapters have planted 7,091 bulbs, 66 vines, 7,553 shrubs, 6,634 roses, pansies, iris and other flowers, 300 pounds of seed, 9 palms, and acres of winter grass. Ten

memorial trees have been planted and most of these have been marked and the spots beautified.

The purpose of most of this planting has been for beautification of highways, parks, school grounds, court house yards, memorial spots, historic homes, cemeteries and private grounds. In many sections, the D. A. R. Chapters have had a large part in the planting miles of trees along the highways.

Even more effective has been the work in human conservation. Forty-six Chapters report Welfare Work of all kinds and gifts of \$1,609.63 to these causes. Twenty-two report aid to Red Cross, with cash donations of \$86.00, totaling \$1,695.63 to benevolent causes.

Aid to Opportunity Schools, gifts of Health Books to school children, clothes, books, food and milk provided for needy children, glasses and operation expenses for ill children, aid to the Salvation Army, Community Chests, King's Daughters, Silver Cross, charity wards, and detention home have been among the projects. Scholarships have kept many needy students in school, magazines have been sent to rural residents and given to libraries and CCC camps. One Chapter renovated their D. A. R. room in a local hospital. Reports are made of innumerable attentions to the sick, and gifts of food, furniture and blankets to the poor.

A beautiful dogwood tree was donated by the State, and forwarded by Mrs. Warren White, of Atlanta, with the love of the Georgia Daughters, to Mrs. Russell William Magna, President General, to be planted in her "Grove of Happy Memories."

## CONSTITUTION HALL FINANCE

**Mrs. H. T. Brice**

An urgent letter was sent out to the 93 Chapters in Georgia, stressing "The Last Round-up" to clear the debt on Constitution Hall by March 30th. First to continue the Penny-a-Day plan. Second, to observe the President General's Birthday in some way to make money. Also a request to buy a volume of Mrs. Magna's "Collected Verse," as the profit from this book was to be applied on the debt.

I am delighted that 64 Chapters reported \$459.31. Also many Chapters reported Honor Roll Requirement on Constitution Hall.

At the beginning the debt was \$300,000.00, reduced from the original \$1,670,000.00.

Our President General who has been National Chairman of this Committee for nine years, is making a last drive by sending out to each D. A. R. a letter asking for a \$2.00 contribution. I beg that Georgia have a creditable part in this.

Each Chapter was asked to sponsor a picture show, the proceeds to go to Constitution Hall.

The debt now stands at \$250,000.00, the amount of interest, \$7,550.00.

The Program Committee has arranged a definite time on Saturday morning of the National Congress for us to celebrate the complete payment of this debt.

May I thank each Committee, each Chapter and each D. A. R. for their work and contribution, and beg your continued interest so we may make "The Last Round-up" a complete success.

## CONSTITUTION HALL MEMORY BOOK

Mrs. A. T. Coleman

One of the rarest and loveliest gifts ever presented to our Constitution Hall has been the old gold presented by the different Chapters of our States.

True sentiment is thus portrayed by loved treasures being given to perpetuate the memory of loyal Daughters that have labored with love for this Memory Book. These donors will go down in D. A. R. history, not only as givers of gold, but as golden characters.

Through the efforts of my capable predecessor, only a small amount of gold was available this year, but I wish to take this opportunity to thank each Chapter that so generously responded to my request.

The Chapters contributing were: Council of Safety, Elijah Clarke, Col. William Candler, Oglethorpe, Lanahassee, Com. Richard Dale, John Laurens, Hawkinsville, Joseph Habersham. The estimated amount contributed was \$33.00.

## COOPERATIVE RELATIONS BETWEEN D. A. R. AND C. A. R.

Mrs. Jas. N. Brawner

It is my privilege to bring you, the parent organization, a report of the activities of the Children of the American Revolution. Your Chairman has visited two organizations and has been in cor-  
respondence with all of the other groups and has had encouraging responses from all but one.

In summing up the reports received, we find that the activities measure up to the highest in patriotic interest and in historical value, and reflect great credit upon the leaders in the different sections of the State. To name a few of the most outstanding activities may offer helpful suggestions to those of you who have found it difficult to provide interesting programs. Among these are:

The study of Heroes and Heroines of the Revolution.

The study of History of Georgia, Counties of Georgia, and Historical Background of Cities and Towns of Georgia.

The Constitution of the United States.

The Flags of the Nation and Their Uses.

Music of Indians and Meaning of Indian Names.

Contributions to Scholarship Funds, to Tamasee, to Memorial Hall, and Other Funds.

Securing and Placing Markers.

Books to Marine and Local Libraries.

Producing Living Pictures of Revolutionary Heroes, Historical Pageants, Plays, etc.

Writing Historical Essays.

How can we say that the children have nothing to do? The need for patriotic education has never been more urgent. For this reason each Regent should feel it her personal responsibility to form a C. A. R. group in her community. Working together earnestly and intelligently, there is much that we may accomplish in this line. With the creed of the C. A. R. I beg your cooperation and support:

"I believe in the Children of the American Revolution as an organization for the training of boys and girls in true patriotism and love of country, in order that they may become better fitted for American citizens.

"As a descendant of the founders of my country, I believe that my birthright brings a responsibility carried on by work, and that the boys and girls of 1776 took an active part in the War of Independence, so the boys and girls of today have a definite work to do for their country.

"As a child of the American Revolution I believe it is my duty to give my influence to create a greater love of country, a larger respect for its Constitution, and a reverence for its Flag, among the children with whom I come in contact."

## COOPERATIVE RELATIONS BETWEEN D. A. R. AND S. A. R.

**Mrs. Thomas G. Polhill**

Early in the year your Chairman, at the suggestion of the State Regent, wrote to Mr. Frank B. Steele, Secretary of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, Washington, D. C., and to Hon. W. M. Francis, President, Georgia Society S. A. R., Atlanta, Ga., asking that they present some ideas as to how we might be of assistance to them in the work of their organizations. Both gentlemen called attention to the great disparity in the number of members of the D. A. R. and S. A. R. in our State, and welcomed any assistance we might render in increasing their enrollment. We have nearly 5,000 members while the total Georgia S. A. R. is only about one hundred.

Mr. Steele also suggested that we continue the awarding of S. A. R. Citizenship Medals in our schools. I obtained from him folders on "A Plan For Constructive Character Building," which I enclosed in my letters to the Regents of the 93 D. A. R. Chapters in Georgia. This pamphlet not only contained inspirational material, but also information as to how to award the medals and where they might be obtained, etc.

Since the adoption of our own D. A. R. Citizenship Medal, several Chapters stated that they now preferred awarding these. Some Chapters merely stated that they were offering Citizenship Medals, but did not specify whether they were D. A. R. or S. A. R. Still others, LaGrange Chapter included among the number, give prizes of money instead of medals for excellence in Citizenship.

Chapters reporting awarding medals were: Elijah Clarke, Henry Walton, Hawkinsville, two medals; Sunbury, two; Fort Early, John Clarke, Col. Wm. Few, Gov. John Milledge.

William McIntosh Chapter reported assisting with the establishing of two S. A. R. lines for the Vice-President of the Tennessee S. A. R.

Atlanta Chapter reported having had Hon. W. M. Francis, President, Georgia S. A. R., as guest speaker at one of their meetings.

It would be difficult for any Chapter which seeks to do really constructive patriotic work in our schools to devise any plan which is more productive of lasting results and at a smaller outlay of expense than the awarding of medals for Good Citizenship to our future American citizens.

## CORRECT USE OF FLAG

**Mrs. John M. Slaton**

It is with pride that I report increasing interest in Correct Use of the Flag by our organization.

The majority of Chapters give the Pledge to the Flag at each meeting, and sponsor the display of the Flag on patriotic days

from business houses, schools and public buildings. A majority of the Chapters observe all patriotic days, and many Chapters have a Flag Chairman. The Oglethorpe Chapter has presented a handsome American Flag to the Good Will Center at Columbus, with a list of days to be observed, and copies of the Flag Code. The George Walton Chapter presented four framed Codes; one to new Post Office, one to Public Library, and two to schools. Mrs. J. I. Garrard, of Milledgeville, presented three framed colored Flag Codes to Sons and Daughters of the U. S. A., placed in Baldwin County schools. Editorials have appeared in the local press in several cities on Correct Use of Flag, and radio broadcasts have been given by several Flag Chapter Chairmen.

Framed colored Flag Codes have been presented to Post Office buildings, Public Libraries, and to schools. May your Chairman urge that more Chapters undertake the presentation of colored Flag Codes to schools in their communities, in the hope of promoting, through untiring vigilance, a constantly increasing loyal patriotic citizenship?

Order Codes from your State Chairman. No material has been mailed to Chapters this year; no new lessons have been received by your Chairman, but it is hoped that lessons previously distributed are still being used.

"The Star-Spangled Banner, written by Francis Scott Key, Sept. 14th, 1814, became the National Anthem of the United States of America by Congressional action, and over the signature of President Hoover, March 3rd, 1931." Let us look to it that every resident of our nation shall become a citizen of the United States of America, and that not one shall fail to honor, reverence and protect our Nation's' Flag.

## COUNTY HISTORIES

Mrs. C. E. Pittman

Up to date, 24 histories completed. Three printed in 1934: Worth, Ware and Fulton. Five reported manuscript filed with Miss Ruth Blair at Rhodes Memorial Hall, Atlanta, to be printed later. Three ready for printer: Butts, Barrow and Franklin.

Ten reported more than half finished. Twenty D. A. R. Chapters have assisted in having histories printed. Collecting material fourteen: Walton, Jones, Turner, Glynn, Screven, Rockdale, Sumter, Hall, Banks, Clarke, Gwinnett, Randolph, Morgan, Greene and Muscogee.

Mrs. W. P. Cobb, Historian of Dodge County, presented a history of Dodge County to the State D. A. R. Library at Rhodes Memorial Hall, Atlanta, and one to Mrs. C. E. Pittman to be given D. A. R. Traveling Genealogical Library.

The Barnard Trail Chapter, through their Historian, Mrs. Lillie Martin Grubb, presented a copy of Worth County History to the Traveling Genealogical Library of the State D. A. R. A copy has been placed in the State Library in Atlanta. We wish to express our most sincere thanks to each of these donors, and hope many others will do likewise.

## D. A. R. FOREST PARK

Miss Edna Rogers

Your Chairman has communicated with each member of the Forest Park Committee, and with each Chapter Regent, corresponded with the State Forestry and Park Department and with the Federal Park and Forestry Division regarding taking over the park.

The logs of the Nancy Hart Cabin have been peeled and treated for borers, and the cabin is being daubed to protect the boarding. The road and driveway are in good condition.

Fifty-eight Chapters have contributed to the Forest Park Fund.  
 Amount in treasury, March 1, 1934.....\$ 222.70  
 Collected up to March 20, 1935..... 123.67

Making a total of.....\$ 346.37  
 Transferred to State Dues, Nov. 1934.....\$200.00  
 Received from State Treasurer, Dec. 1934..... 50.00 \$ 250.00

Total in State Treasury .....\$ 96.37  
 Paid out to date at Cabin .....\$ 15.00  
 Balance in Committee's hands ..... 35.00

### D. A. R. MAGAZINE

Mrs. Edgar J. Oliver

Forty-seven of the ninety-three Chapters in Georgia have reported the number of renewals and new subscriptions to the official magazine. It is the sincere hope of your State Chairman that next year the Chapters will subscribe 100 per cent, with a substantial increase in each. The D. A. R. Magazine is a splendid publication and presents the outstanding work of the organization in every section of America, as well as in foreign lands where Chapters exist. To read it each month, is to keep thoroughly informed as to all activities in which D. A. R. participate.

A few outstanding features of the past year are: Covers showing a picture each month of one of the State Capitols, accompanied by a descriptive article; Georgia's capitol adorned the November issue. The series of D. A. R. Tours for Tourists, written by Daughters from every section, calling attention to the historic spots and highways of their communities, many of which bear markers showing the D. A. R. insignia; the November Magazine carried a tour of Savannah, written by the Chairman for the Preservation of Historic Spots of the Savannah Chapter. Others will follow and this series will be of lasting value to those who travel in America.

The September issue carried an article, "Great Events on United States Postage Stamps," which was interesting from the artistic standpoint, as well as the historical.

Capital comments by Frederick William Wile appear monthly and are most enlightening on national affairs.

The article about our mountain schools in the March issue is of lasting importance, since it describes the educational work of the D. A. R. for boys and girls in the remote highland regions.

John Houston Chapter, Thomaston, Mrs. B. H. Butts, Jr., Magazine Chairman, wins the Mrs. John A. Perdue Cup for sending in the largest number of new subscriptions during the year. They reported 12 new subscriptions and six renewals.

### D. A. R. MANUAL FOR CITIZENSHIP

Mrs. H. B. McMaster

Again our Chapters have been quite active in the use, study, and programs taken from the Manual for their monthly meetings, and special meeting of Citizenship.

Since our new name the interest has been greatly increased. It will be the aim of each Chapter in Georgia to have a meeting in their schools on Better Citizenship and request a study of the Manual and an address.

I wish to thank the Chapters for their splendid cooperation in sending in their per capita tax for this year.

## EDUCATIONAL LOANS FOR LOCAL SCHOOLS

Mrs. Herbert Fay Gaffney

As State Chairman for the work of Educational Loans for Local Schools, I have the privilege to submit the following report:

The Lamar-LaFayette Chapter, Barnesville, through one of its members, furnishes a military uniform for a student attending Gordon College.

The John Houston Chapter, Thomaston, spent \$96.95 for local school tuition and for necessary books for the students deriving benefit therefrom.

The Barnard Trail Chapter, Sylvester, has an educational fund of \$35.00, and \$8.50 is being used by one of the local girl students.

Sunbury Chapter, Winder, realized \$41.70 from Hallowe'en Carnival, and donated same to local school fund.

The Sergeant Newton Chapter, Covington, is giving four scholarships to public school students this year. No stated amount was reported to State Chairman.

The Elijah Clarke Chapters, Athens, reports scholarship funds in University of Georgia, but no definite amount was reported to State Chairman.

Madam Regent, in closing my report I express disappointment that so few Chapters deemed it imperative to make reports, for I have reason to believe that following the publication of my State letter to the Georgia Society, read by request at Valdosta Executive Board, and appearing thereafter in D. A. R. Constitution page, many Chapter Chairmen did constructive work.

Further, Madam Regent, it has been a very great pleasure to have served under your capable management, and I wish for you and the Georgia Society a year of merited success.

## ELLIS ISLAND

Mrs. C. H. Leavy

Out of the 98 Chapters in Georgia, 55 reported on Ellis Island work, 45 having paid their per capita quota of three cents, making a total of \$62.70; three Chapters paid in excess of their quota.

Nine Chapters reported boxes sent to Ellis Island, with an estimated value of \$50.15.

No doubt many other Chapters paid their quota to the Ellis Island fund, and also shipped boxes of material, but I can only include those responding to my request for a report.

Four Chapters report having special programs on Ellis Island, with addresses, and one plans to show the specially prepared film next year, which is free, with exception of carrying charges.

Occasionally, interesting radio broadcasts are given over a coast-to-coast network from Ellis Island, which the D. A. R. are invited and urged to hear.

The National Chairman stresses the importance of payment of the Ellis Island per capita tax, and urges that each Chapter forward a box of materials, by Parcels Post, during the year, to the National Chairman of Ellis Island Committee, D. A. R. Social Service Department, Ellis Island, New York Harbor.

Material sent by Chapters helps to keep the lonely immigrants busy and happy, while awaiting adjustment of their cases, and

the money sent also helps toward the expense of giving occupational therapy to the patients in the U. S. Marine Hospital on Ellis Island.

I am very grateful to all Chapter Regents who sent me reports, and hope that next year each one will be included in the Proceedings.

### ERADICATION OF ILLITERACY

**Mrs. Julian Lewis**

Chapter Regents were requested in the fall to appoint Chairmen for Eradication of Illiteracy. Reports show that serious work has been done in this important field by a few Chapters.

The Chapters have cooperated with other organizations doing this work, have supplied teachers, served on committees, given books, magazines, money, clothing and other necessities.

The Hawkinsville Chapter was instrumental in securing a home for classes, supplied teachers, and gave prizes. Outstanding reports come from the following Chapters, which have accomplished excellent work: John Laurens, Fielding Lewis, Hawthorne Trail, Henry Walton, Matthew Talbot, Lanahassee, Tomichichi. Many Chapters reported having done this work through their Chairman of Americanism.

### FILING AND LENDING HISTORICAL PAPERS

**Mrs. Ober D. Warthen**

The duty of this committee is to constantly seek new material for our National Bureau of Filing and Lending Historical Papers, to promote historical research and careful preparation of data. All this we have zealously tried to do.

Thirty-one exceptionally fine papers were received this year. Sixteen have been sent to Washington, many came too late to be included but will be sent next year.

All papers were judged for the Blanche McFarland Gaffney Trophy and the name of the winner given to the Chairman of the award.

The Savannah Chapter sent the greatest number of papers with the Bainbridge, Barnard Trail and Stephen Heard Chapters tying for second place. A list of all papers received is attached.

I am deeply grateful to our National Chairman, State Regent, State Editor and all members of the State Committee for their help and to each Chapter Regent and member who prepared papers. May we have twice as many next year.

COMMODORE RICHARD DALE CHAPTER: The Constitution of the United States and What It Means to Me, by "Philadelphia." Written by Emma Lou Sutton.

COUNCIL OF SAFETY CHAPTER: The Seven Wonders of Georgia, Mrs. Rufus Lane. Georgia Indians, Mrs. Reese Horton.

ATLANTA CHAPTER: A Real Daughter of the Revolution (Keziah Simmons Westmoreland), Mrs. H. H. McCall.

BAINBRIDGE CHAPTER: Oglethorpe's Thanksgiving Proclamation, After the Battle of Bloody Marsh, Mrs. Zulie B. Subers. Virginia, the Old Dominion, Mrs. Susie McGriff Avirett Trulock. Georgia Frontier, Mrs. Mildred Thomas.

LANAHASSEE CHAPTER: Georgia, Mrs. J. S. Burgin.

BUTTON GWINNETT CHAPTER: Notable Women of Georgia, Mrs. O. R. Harvey.

OGLETHORPE CHAPTER: Recent Archaeological Excavations in Georgia, Mrs. Fearis Caldwell.

JOHN LAURENS CHAPTER: Pioneer Women of Georgia, Mrs. Bertha Shepard Hart.

**STEPHEN HEARD CHAPTER:** War Women, Edna Arnold Copeland. Elbert County, Edna Arnold Copeland. Georgia, a Land of Opportunity, Mrs. G. W. Dickinson.

**JAMES MONROE CHAPTER:** Early Record of White Men in Georgia: DeSoto and the Spaniards, Elsie Ragan.

**HAWKINSVILLE CHAPTER:** The Indians in Pulaski County and Central Georgia, Elsie Ragan.

First Georgians Present at the Court of St. James, Mrs. Eli Goode, Jr.

**WILLIAM McINTOSH CHAPTER:** Rachael Jackson, Mrs. J. E. Lane. General William McIntosh, Mrs. J. E. Lane.

**SAVANNAH CHAPTER:** Hernando DeSoto's Expedition, Louise Falligant. Compact of Georgia and U. S. Government in 1802 Regarding the Extinguishment of Titles to Indian Lands Within Her Bounds, Eva R. Hughes. Georgia's Province of Guale: It's Flourishing Missions to the Indians and Their Destruction, Mrs. Elizabeth Bryan Carson Chalker. History of Our Flag, Mrs. Grace Schley Knight. Indian Mounds Near Macon, Mrs. May K. W. Patterson.

**HANCOCK CHAPTER:** Hancock County's Haunts of the Creek Nation and Its Moccasin-worn Trails, Mrs. Geo. F. Dickins.

**BARNARD TRAIL CHAPTER:** Southern Indian Traders, Miss Lizzie Deariso. Future Dreams for America, Mrs. A. M. Burts. Battle of Yorktown and Peace Terms, Mrs. Marguerite Neely.

**LYMAN HALL CHAPTER:** Indian Ruins and Indian History Within the Bounds of the Lyman Hall Chapter, Mrs. J. L. Walker.

**HANNAH CLARKE CHAPTER:** The Cherokee Nation and Some of Its Illustrious Sons, Mrs. Grace Gillam Davidson.

## FLAG PROCESSIONAL

Mrs. J. W. Oglesby, Jr.

Last October I wrote a letter to each Chapter, describing the D. A. R. Banner and giving the price.

I sent two notices to the D. A. R. column in the Atlanta Constitution, asking that the Chapters purchase banners.

The orders were slow coming in. I succeeded in getting the manufacturer to give me two years to get the full order in. But they would not take smaller orders than 25. As soon as I received that number I sent them in, four more coming in soon enough to be included, making a total of 29 banners.

Two orders, one from Thomasville and one from Winder, came in too late. They are holding them until we get 25.

Kennickell and Company has sent me a bill for \$7.25. That is 25 cents for packing each flag. I would appreciate it if each Chapter would send me 25 cents, so I may pay the bill.

I hope the other Chapters will get a banner. Please make your checks for \$9.10. That will include the packing and 10 cents exchange on checks. The city Chapters may leave off the 10 cents exchange.

## FLAG DAY

Mrs. Jena C. Collier

In my report on this all important committee, the celebration of the birth of our Nation's Flag—let us not forget the Flag is a symbol of all the glory and prestige of our country, the embodiment of the long and painful history by which we gained our independence and set up a government under which every man might do the things he willed so long as it did not interfere with the rights and privileges of his neighbor.

Woven through its tri-colored fabric are the faith, purity and courage for which it stands.

If every Chapter Regent will earnestly and reverently plan her

observance, then celebrate it in the same spirit, we need have no fears of Communism, Fascism, Socialism and other isms.

Your Chairman wrote an article on the Flag which was published in the Atlanta Constitution as were notices to Chapter Regents asking that they observe Flag Day, June 14th. Personal cards were sent to every Regent in Georgia in May and in February. Members on my committee were asked for their cooperation and suggestions.

I have received wonderful reports from 55 Regents.

Eleven Chapters had splendid addresses, two had radio talks, one put on a pageant, one selected that date to place an historic marker, one took part in a Flag Day observance, the Regent presenting a flag to be kept in hall for use of all organizations, one Chapter, small, but with an enthusiastic Regent, with a setting of flags and a spirit of reverence, read at her Chapter meeting an original tribute to our Flag, with a spiritual background; one Chapter held her observance at church.

May I say, plan now for your celebration, be it simple or elaborate. If you do not meet in June, arrange for a special meeting in one of your churches. The preacher can tell something of the religion of Old Glory.

Make report to me as soon as possible.

## GEORGIA D. A. R. STUDENT LOAN FUND

Mrs. Howard H. McCall

Since the year when our Pilgrim fathers for the first time set foot on Plymouth Rock, it has been the expressed conviction of our Nation that universal education is essential to a form of government which stands upon the main foundation of a free and enlightened people. As an outcome of that conviction, education opportunities have grown and multiplied until they are today without parallel in the world.

The problems of giving financial aid to worthy students has for many years occupied the attention of this Society. Now these funds have been provided, and, under the direction of the very capable Chairmen of the five Student Loan Fund Committees, financial aid is being given. The splendid work of the chairmen have made possible the outstanding achievement of this committee report, and their detailed reports will follow.

The past year has been an important one, it has brought fresh strength and new hope. Our loans, of course, have been peculiarly affected by the economic and political crisis.

In 1919, The University of Georgia opened its doors to women. For many years the Georgia D. A. R. and the Georgia Federation of Women's Clubs, under the able leadership of Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan and Mrs. Robert E. Park, and others, had worked for this legislative measure.

From the first D. A. R. Loan Fund (now the Student Loan Fund) the D. A. R. were able to loan to a splendid girl, the daughter of one of the Chapter Regents, \$150.00 to enter the University.

Also in 1919, the State donated from this fund \$150.00 to the World War Memorial Fund, toward the \$5,000 Memorial of this Society for our Khaki-clad boys of the World War. You know that \$2,500 of this fund was raised by the Elijah Clarke Chapter at Athens. We placed this fund at The University of Georgia, and may it ever bring happiness to the sons and grandsons of those brave men of 1917-1918.

These two donations left only \$18.00 in the first D. A. R. Loan

Fund, but in a few years the fund was completed. Every State Regent since 1917 has been vitally interested in this phase of work, and has accomplished much through earnest and devoted efforts.

Your Chairman wishes today, to pay a tender tribute of love to Mrs. W. C. Vereen, who has passed to the Great Beyond. A devoted Daughter who made the first donation in 1917 to this fund—\$25.00 for her own John Benning Chapter, of Moultrie.

Do you wonder that your Chairman is proud to report to you today that your Student Loan Fund is now \$24,776.49 (Chapter Loan Funds not included), and we have assisted in a financial way 141 Georgia girls and boys? Truly, "We bullded better than we knew."

A fine opportunity is now offered to the members during the next year, to complete the Sarah Berrien Casey Morgan Memorial Fund—this to be a memorial for one who gave valuable and devoted service to this Society for forty-two years. It is the earnest hope of your Chairman that this can be accomplished.

It is impossible to estimate the actual good that has already been done in the past years; it is difficult to enumerate the many things which have been accomplished; but this fund will continue to be far reaching and most effective.

With a New Deal, under a brave leadership, a new day has been ushered in, cheering us to new efforts and new accomplishments.

"Through the crowded highways teeming with the problems that confront us at every turn, we, as an organization, find ourselves ready to meet the great problem of education through our Student Loan Funds, and we realize we have found the highway most needed in this reconstruction period."

#### FANNY TRAMMELL MEMORIAL LOAN FUND

Mrs. Charles Kreischer

The Fanny Trammell Memorial Loan Fund has had a very good year, collections have been good and six loans have been paid up entirely. Eight new loans have been made and we now have on file applications for more than the balance we have on hand.

Cash in bank, March 15, 1934.....	\$ 415.62	
Money repaid and interest.....	900.22	
		\$1,315.84
Total .....		\$1,315.84
Loans made to eight students.....		\$ 862.50
Government Tax on checks.....		.20
		\$ 453.14
Balance in bank, March 18, 1935.....		\$ 453.14
Fanny Trammell Memorial Loan Fund, March 15, 1934 .....	\$5,135.79	
Interest less check tax .....	52.02	
		\$5,187.81
Outstanding loans to 38 students.....		\$4,734.67
Balance in bank, March 18, 1935.....		453.14
		\$5,187.81

#### MAY ERWIN TALMADGE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Mrs. E. B. Freeman

Students' notes .....	\$4,409.00
Cash in State Treasury .....	310.84
Atlanta Laundries Bond .....	1,000.00
	\$5,719.84
Total value of Fund .....	\$5,719.84

Collections during the past year have amounted to \$1,300.84. From this amount seven new loans amounting to \$990.00 have been made to six girls and one boy. Three students have repaid their loans in full with interest, and to these certificates of honorary record have been given.

Since its establishment in 1925 thirty-seven students (thirty-two girls and five boys) have received aid from this fund; at present twenty-eight students (twenty-four girls and four boys) are using these loans.

I am finding these girls and boys very appreciative and responsive and, while some of the monthly payments are small, they are being made with commendable regularity.

### VALDOSTA STUDENT LOAN FUND

**Mrs. Di Ingram**

It will be interesting to know out of the 79 loans made to young ladies, 47 have paid up in full with two more only owing a few dollars on interest.

Considering the times this year's payments have been quite good. There are five of these remaining 32 in school now.

Due to taxes we had to pay on checks and the cut from 5 per cent to 2 per cent on bank deposits, has retarded the growth we once had on bank deposits.

#### Financial Report

Total amount of all outstanding loans are.....	\$4,671.96
Balance in bank, March 1935 .....	1,080.77
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$5,752.73</b>
Total on hand March 1, 1934.....	\$5,638.21
The total increase is .....	\$ 114.52

### WORLD WAR MEMORIAL LOAN FUND

**Mrs. Julius T. Dudley**

February 1, 1935, on hand \$7,933.75, which includes bonds, notes, cash and money loaned to students.

The original amount of \$5,000.00, raised by assessments and gifts—\$2,500.00 by Elijah Clarke Chapter, Athens, and \$2,500.00 by the Georgia State D. A. R.—was placed at The University of Georgia in the year 1919. At first only an Endowment Fund, is now a Revolving Fund. Students are recommended by the Regent of Elijah Clarke Chapter, and the State Regent for loan, and pay 4 per cent interest. Many of the loans have been paid in full with interest, and several are to be paid within the next month.

The following young men, many of whom have held positions of authority in the State, have benefitted by the use of this fund: H. L. Garrison, C. A. Marmelstein, F. C. McClure, C. S. Fain, L. J. Kennedy, P. H. Gunnells, J. L. Rutland, J. F. Murdock, D. F. Rader, L. L. Mygatt, Duard Maley, J. W. Martin, J. T. Conger, Jr., W. D. Maley, J. E. Stewart, Jr., R. B. Hagood. Duard Maley (Athens, \$20.00), and Meldrim Thomson (Macon, \$100.00), are using the fund this year—1934-35.

Reported:

Oct. 5, 1932 .....	\$7,557.61
Feb. 12, 1934 .....	7,825.37
Feb. 1, 1935 .....	7,933.75

This report was secured from Miss Duchess Williams (N. P.), Assistant Treasurer, The University of Georgia, Athens, Ga.

## THE SARAH BERRIEN CASEY MORGAN LOAN FUND

Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough

Inasmuch as a Loan Fund of \$5,000.00 has been completed for the use of students needing loans at the school at Valdosta, and a like sum for students at The University of Georgia, a resolution was passed at our State Conference last year, providing that the S. B. C. Morgan Loan Fund be used exclusively for girls needing loans at the Georgia State College for Women at Milledgeville, preferably to students after reaching their junior year.

The objective for this Loan Fund at present is \$2,500.00. It was made one of the Honor Roll Requirements.

Balance on hand, March 10, 1934.....	\$ 140.82
Collected from 54 Chapters to March 6, 1935.....	231.70
Amount loaned to two students.....	350.00

Total amount collected .....	\$ 722.52
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## GEORGIA DAY

Mrs. Henry L. Purse

Many interesting reports have come to me as your State Chairman of Georgia Day.

Outstanding among them was the joint celebration of the three Chapters in Columbus, also the Albany Chapter with the Colonial Dames and schools, with a guest speaker, Honorable Chase S. Osborne, a former governor of Michigan.

A great many Chapters joined with the schools in celebration of the day.

Forty-one Chapters reported special programs, either at their regular meetings or at schools, having the children prepare and read papers on Georgia Day.

## GEORGE WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Retta Fannin Coney

As Chairman of the patriotic day of February 22nd, "The Birthday of George Washington," I bring you assurance that throughout our State-wide membership, there were celebrations commensurate with the day itself, reflecting honor and glory upon the memory of our first President.

Our Regents have been prompt in sending me detailed accounts of the beautiful and fitting programs held on this day, and I thank them for this cooperation with our Board. May this memorable date be ever emblazoned upon the walls of our memory, and—Long live the name of George Washington!

## GEORGIA ROOM IN MEMORIAL CONTINENTAL HALL

Mrs. John D. Pope

The report of your Chairman of Georgia Room is necessarily brief, since so little has been required. The room is entirely furnished up-to-date. Many Georgia D. A. R. have visited the room and were pleased with the furnishings.

## **GIRL HOME MAKERS**

**Mrs. Miller S. Bell**

Reports received during the year show an increasing interest in Girl Home Makers, especially in the Chapters located in the smaller cities.

Often some other organization is doing a similar work and since our mutual goal is to reach some interesting and effective method of teaching our girls the importance of becoming more capable home makers and better citizens, many of the Chapters think it wise to concentrate instruction; so, cooperation has been the keynote of greater success and the field where the yield is largest. Many of the Chapters have given most loyal support to these organizations and splendid results have been possible through their interest and assistance.

Nine prizes have been offered and among the chapters reporting definite work are:

Button Gwinnett, George Walton, Oglethorpe, Matthew Talbot, Henry Walton, Barnard Trail, Stephen Heard, Hawkinsville, John Ball, Sunbury, Nancy Hart.

## **HELEN ROGERS FRANKLIN TROPHY**

**Mrs. John E. Satterfield**

Committee met March 12, 1935. Each report was carefully studied and the following awards decided upon:

Honorable mention for excellent work accomplished by the Chapter under Intelligent Leadership, goes to the Wm. McIntosh Chapter of Jackson.

Honorable mention for the comprehensive scope of the field covered, goes to Oglethorpe Chapter of Columbus.

On the score of the points specified in the conditions of the award, the highest average was made by Hawkinsville Chapter.

It is my pleasure to present the cup to Mrs. N. A. Jelks, Regent of the Hawkinsville Chapter.

## **HISTORIC POST CARDS**

**Mrs. Clyde Forrest Hunt**

The Daughters of the American Revolution have been very zealous in the work of marking Historic Spots. Now we are trying to give proof of results of this wonderful work through the medium of Historic Post Cards, each bearing a message of true history.

Through the splendid cooperation of the Chapter Regents, Chapter Chairmen and individual members, many historic scenes of Georgia and other states have been transplanted to the pages of our Album. Some of these cards are beautiful while all of them are most interesting.

I have written a number of letters, sent out 103 cards and made individual appeals for Historic Post Cards.

I appreciate very much the courteous replies that have come from the Chapter Regents. Many sending cards, others having contributed liberally in the past, had nothing to give this year.

A prize will be given next year, to the Chapter sending the best collection of new Historic Post Cards.

Eighteen Chapters sent in 265 cards during the year. Stephen Heard Chapter, Elberton, sent 147.

## HISTORIC SPOTS; NATIONAL OLD TRAILS

Mrs. Robert J. Travis

Your Chairman sent a letter to every Chapter in the State and asked reports to be in by January 15, the following Chapters reported:

Mrs. J. L. Beeson, State Historian, reported that the Executive Board had indorsed her resolution to mark the old Council House at Red Clay of the Cherokee Indians, and asked that the Conference vote her \$50.00 toward this marker. Mrs. Beeson reported marking of Baldwin and Putnam Counties' First Court House, the marker erected by the Commissioners of the counties, and the Samuel Reid and Nancy Hart Chapters of the D. A. R. Marker cost \$100.00, and unveiled November 18, 1934.

The Roanoke Chapter, at Lumpkin, is trying to mark the site of the Battle of Shepherd's Plantation.

Last year our Conference endorsed the naming of the Oglethorpe Highway in Georgia by the Legislature. Your Chairman attended the dedication exercises held at Hinesville.

The historic spots in Chatham County were listed for the Bicentennial Commission in Georgia.

The Bainbridge Chapter unveiled a Marker on "The Andrew Jackson Trail," with appropriate exercises, November 3, 1934. The Bainbridge Chapter reported historic spots in Decatur County: Camp Recovery, Fort Hughes, Fort Scott, Memorial Bridge, Memorial Park, Federal Trail, Jackson Trail, DeSoto Trail. An old tree under which a treaty was signed by Osceola, Chief of the Seminole Indians, and General Jackson for the United States, has been located by the Chapter in the park known as Fort Hughes. Jackson Marker cost \$122.50.

Cairo Chapter reports Hawthorne Trail in Grady County.

Oglethorpe Chapter reports that a majestic oak tree near the Oglethorpe Boulder, has been designated the Oglethorpe Oak. This tree marks the spot where Oglethorpe, on his visit to Columbus (Coweta Indian Town), made a treaty with the Indians. The tree is over 100 years old, and was planted by the ancestor of four of the members of Oglethorpe Chapter. Coweta Town, now Columbus, is the end of the Oglethorpe Trail, that Oglethorpe traveled in 1739, and that your Chairman asked the State to mark. The Chapter will mark this tree in June. The site of an old tavern of Revolutionary days has been located on Talbotton Road.

James Pittman Chapter reports two trails in Jackson County Hawthorn Trail has been located.

John Ball Chapter reports old Spanish Trail in county has been Marked.

Stephen Heard Chapter reports Chapter has placed a large granite boulder where first white settlement on the Cherokee Indian Trail was located. This Marker and one for the home of Judge Tait, where the first Methodist Conference in Georgia was held in 1788, were given by the American Granite Company, of Elberton. Stephen Heard Chapter assisted in exercises at Judge Tait's.

Stone Castle Chapter located two historic spots this year. The Chapter located Point Peter, site of a small encounter between the Creek Indians and the white people. Historic spots Marked in county, \$500.00. World War Veterans, \$825.00. Total, \$1,325.

Hawkinsville Chapter will mark Fort Mitchell in June.

John Ball Chapter reports that one historic spot and one trail have been Marked in county.

LaGrange Chapter located the Old Stage Coach Road.

Mary Hammond Washington Chapter located Fort Hope in Bibb County. Mr. W. D. Lamar has given the Chapter a granite boulder to mark the spot and it will soon be dedicated.

Savannah Chapter has taken care of Colonial Cemetery, where lie the remains of many distinguished Revolutionary heroes. The grave of Button Gwinnett, one of Georgia's Signers of the Declaration of Independence, is said to be in this cemetery. In the work of compiling old newspapers and court house records and wills going on in Chatham County, Mrs. Branch LaFar, of the Lachlan McIntosh is doing valuable work. Through this committee we hope to locate many graves and historic spots.

The Lachlan McIntosh Chapter reports taking care of the Lachlan McIntosh lot in Colonial Cemetery, as well as the grounds around Jasper Springs.

The Bonaventure Chapter is planning a Marker at Ebenezer.

Vildaia Chapter will mark Fort King George, near the Nancy Hart Highway.

The Elijah Clarke Chapter has located Fort Lamar, in Madison County, fifteen miles from Athens.

The home of your Chairman, Avalon, has been listed among the historic and beautiful gardens near Savannah. It was a part of the grant to William Stephens, first Governor of Georgia after Oglethorpe, and called by him "Beaulieu." It was at Beaulieu that the French under d'Estaing landed to enter the Battle of Savannah, and the avenue of oak trees at Avalon, over two hundred years old, led from Stephens' home to the British Shipyard, located here.

The Stephen Heard Chapter has secured a Marker for one of the first Baptist Churches in Georgia, established in 1785, by Dozier Thornton, R. S., and named Van's Creek Church, for his friend, Chief Van, Cherokee Indian, whom he converted. Mr. Thornton served his church over forty-two years.

The Treasurer will furnish complete list of Chapters donating to this committee's fund. On hand, \$227.34, March 1935, for Preservation of Historic Spots and \$203.68 for Oglethorpe Trail.

## HISTORICAL PROGRAMS

### Mrs. J. L. Beeson

The subject of the year's work was "The Indians of Georgia and Their Neighbors." Your Historian includes here the outline programs for the year, which she mailed to every Regent in the State, together with a bibliography.

#### September

Paper: Georgia's Province of Guale, Its Flourishing Spanish Missions to the Indians, and Their Destruction.

Music.

Paper: The Gift of Mr. Cator Woolford of Georgia, to His State, of the Ruins of the Old Domingo Mission, Built 1600 A. D., and 300 Acres Adjacent to it for a State Park.

#### October

Hernando DeSoto's Expedition, 1540 A. D., Through the Region Now Forming Georgia, and His Romance with Princess Cutifachiqui, (Vol. 1, C. C. Jones, pp. 37-66).

Short Stories of:

DeSoto, 1540, A. D. Mary Ross in Ga. Hist. Quarterly, Dec. 1930.  
Pardo, 1566 A. D. Mary Ross in Ga. Hist. Quarterly, Dec. 1930.  
Boyano, 1566 A. D. Mary Ross in Ga. Hist. Quarterly, Dec. 1930.  
Woodward, 1670 A. D. Mary Ross in Ga. Hist. Quarterly, Dec.  
1930.

#### November

A Voyage to Georgia by Frances Moore, London, 1744.  
Reprint in Collections of Georgia History Society, Vol. 1.  
Music.

General Oglethorpe's Thanksgiving after the Battle of Bloody  
Marsh which changed the History of a Continent.

Stories of the first Georgians whom General Oglethorpe presented  
at the Court of St. James:

Tomichichi (mico);  
Scenawki (Queen);  
Toonahowi (Prince);  
Hillspilli (warrior); and  
Four other Chiefs and their Retinues.

#### December

The Compact of Georgia and the United States Government in  
1802, Regarding the Extinguishment of Titles to Indian Lands  
Within Her Bounds.

Music.  
The Indian Traders.  
The Georgia Frontier.

#### January

Paper: Alexander McGillivray, the Creek Diplomat. (See Miscel  
lanies of Georgia by Absolom Chappell).

Music.  
Indian Ruins or Indian History Within the Bounds of My Chap  
ter.

#### February

The Creek Treaty at Indian Springs.

Memorial of Sixteen Creek Chiefs to the Members of the Georgia  
Legislature in 1825. (See Miller's Bench and Bar of Georgia, pp.  
301-302).

Music.  
Letter of Jane Hawkins, Daughter of William McIntosh, to the  
Commissioners, p. 305 Miller's Bench and Bar of Georgia.

#### March

Sequoya's Inspiration from the Talking Leaf and a Cherokee Lit  
erature as its Result.

Music.  
Leading Men in the Cherokee Nation: Elias Boudinot, Charles  
Hicks, David McNair, Pathkiller, John Ross, John Ridge, John  
Martin, James Vann. (Soldiers of the War of 1812): Col. Path  
killer, Capt. David McNair, Capt. Charles Hicks).

Major Ridge.  
Brig. Gen. Standwatie, soldier in Confederate Army in War  
Between the States.

Chief Pushmataha's Address to Gen. LaFayette. (See History  
of the Indian Tribes of North America, Thos. L. McKenney and  
James).

## April

Imprisonment of Samuel A. Worcester and Elizur Butler, Missionaries to the Cherokee Indians, in the State Penitentiary at Milledgeville, Ga., for their Refusal to take Oath of Allegiance to the State of Georgia.

Music.

Paper: George R. Gilmer.

## May

Paper: Trial in United States Supreme Court of Worcester and Butler, before Chief Justice John Marshall, the State of Georgia Not Appearing.

Music.

Paper: Gov. Wilson H. Lumpkin and His Release of the Missionaries.

## June

Deportation of the Creeks by the United States Government.

Deportation of the Cherokees by the United States Government.

Music.

Paper: A Better Deal for the Indians as Planned by Charles A. Collier, of Atlanta, Ga., Secretary of the Indian Defense Association.

## INDEPENDENCE DAY

Mrs. Carl G. Tillman

As your State Chairman many interesting reports have come to me. Outstanding among them was the Oglethorpe Chapter, and the George Walton Chapter, in Columbus, Ga. Taking part in the dedication of their Post Office, and placed a Daughters of American Revolution Year Book in the corner stone.

The Council of Safety Chapter had Mrs. Magna's poem, "Our Flag," inserted in newspapers on July 4th.

William McIntosh Chapter's Regent reports celebrating the day in Europe, crossing the Alps. On arriving in Lucerne, Switzerland, the city was decorated with American flags in compliment to the many American visitors, which was very impressive in a foreign land.

Several Chapters report addresses given in public places, and over radio, and the displaying of flags. A number of Chapters report having observed the day in their Chapter programs. I would urge all Chapters to include Independence Day in their programs.

The patriotic response from the Chapters have been most gratifying. However, in view of unpatriotic propaganda to break our Constitution, the Daughters of American Revolution should strive to instill into the younger generation a greater patriotism and loyalty to our country.

I extend sincere thanks to each Chapter for their splendid support. I have reports from forty-six Chapters.

## INDIAN WELFARE AND CITIZENSHIP

Mrs. J. M. Murrah

The Georgia Daughters may not have had an acute conscience in regard to "Lo the poor Indian," in former years, but they have been Indian conscious the past year.

Some Chapters have done definite work in aiding research work,

others have had special programs, lectures, and Indian music; the greater majority of those reporting have followed the general program. Of course, the Nathaniel Macon and the Mary Hammond Washington Chapters, of Macon, have held the central interest in Indian research with the wonderful work of mound exploring under construction. Many Chapters have gone to Macon to view this unusual and interesting project. The work done on reconstructing the pottery and other findings in the mounds is simply marvelous.

The Chapters doing special work in program material are: Commodore Richard Dale, Savannah, Colonel Wm. Few, Daniel Stewart, Governor Jared Irwin, Lamar-LaFayette, Hawthorne Trail, Benjamin Hawkins, Joseph Habersham, Bainbridge, James Pittman, Lachlan McIntosh, Elizabeth Marlow, Tomochichi, Atlanta.

Those Chapters doing definite study: Lectures and special study, Thomasville, Valdosta, Dalton, Etowah, Colonel William Candler, John Benning, Stephen Heard, William Marsh, Lyman Hall, Button Gwinnett, Thomasville, General James Jackson, Colonel John McIntosh, Vidalia, Baron DeKalb, Council of Safety, Matthew Talbot, Adam Brinson, Hawkinsville, Oliver Morton, Hancock, LaGrange, James Monroe, John Laurens, Nathaniel Abney, Gov. John Milledge, Elijah Clarke, Hannah Clark, Oglethorpe, Fielding Lewis, Wm. McIntosh. Compiling a Scrap Book of Indian history: Barnard Trail, Sylvester, sends in the following:

"Considerable research has been done on the history of the Indians of our county. Our county history recently published gives some interesting facts about the Spanish background of this section and their allies, the Appalachee Indians."

## LAFAYETTE DAY

Mrs. Wade Stallings

As Chairman of LaFayette Day it has been my privilege to write to every Chapter Regent in Georgia in regard to observance of this day. It was very gratifying to have interesting reports from fifty-eight Chapters of exercises held on LaFayette Day. Special mention should be made of the following Chapters: Joseph Habersham, Hannah Clark, Stephen Heard, Adam Brinson, Elijah Clarke. Oglethorpe Chapter had an interesting article in the Columbus paper and the Atlanta Chapter celebrated by having an outstanding speaker who gave his message in French of LaFayette.

Let us, the Daughters of the American Revolution, express our loyalty by setting aside the September meeting to honor the memory of this noble Frenchman—Marquis de LaFayette.

## LEGISLATION

Miss Virginia Hardin

The committee has assisted in getting the Legislature to pass the bill requiring teachers to take the Oath of Allegiance; also to retain the Department of Archives and History, at Rhodes Memorial Hall. The committee has endeavored to have the Legislature pass other measures endorsed by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

## LUCY COOK PEEL MEMORIAL

Mrs. W. F. Dykes

"The Historical Collections of the Georgia Chapters D. A. R.," in four volumes and "The Historical Collections of the Joseph Habersham Chapter D. A. R.," in three volumes, represent the untiring work of many intelligent women and are the greatest source of Southern genealogy ever printed.

Our records are marvelous in their historical value, containing material to be found in no other library, for they were copied from old family Bibles, old diaries, old letters, old wills, old deeds, which speak the romance of bygone days—all of which were family treasures, never before made public, as well as records from churches, cemeteries and court houses which had never been copied. This collection should be of interest to every Daughter, because in its many pages are the family data of Georgia.

With this valuable library at your disposal, Georgia Daughters, we urge you to take advantage of this opportunity and purchase as many of these books as you may need. The past year has been rather discouraging to the committee, owing to the fact that few of the books have been purchased and we are not progressing in the work as we should.

The committee has no funds on hand for advertising and therefore cannot give the public the opportunity to know their value. The books have to be stored and the insurance is heavy, taxing our treasury.

There are a few copies of Volume I left. Volume II is stored in Athens, Volumes III and IV are stored without cost in North Fulton High School, through the courtesy of Mr. W. F. Dykes.

The Honor Roll Requirement last year, for Lucy Cook Peel Memorial was 5 cents per capita. Many Chapters have manifested much interest in the work, other Chapters have reported their quota to State Treasurer, which she will name in her report. I wish to thank these Chapters for we have an obligation to future generations to secure and preserve records for them. Georgia has done this, in her valuable Historical Collections.

The books belong to the State Society, D. A. R. The Daughters must help, for making records available to those desiring membership in our organization is the great source of our growth. Let our slogan be: "Every Daughter Buy a Book!"

## MAGNA TREE

Mrs. Warren D. White

As Chairman for the planting of a Georgia tree in the Memory Garden of the President General, Mrs. Russell William Magna, at Mt. Holyoke, Mass., am pleased to report that in November I sent a beautiful dogwood. A gracious letter of acknowledgment expressing her appreciation of this "lovely living gift" was received. It is my very great pleasure in honor of our State Regent, Mrs. Daniel, to present to the organization the expenses for the purchase and shipping of the tree.

The letter accompanying the tree stated that we were most happy to have a Georgia dogwood in the Garden of Happy Memories, and that when the snowy blossoms made lovely the springtime and the glowing colors made gorgeous the fall, Georgia Daughters were wishing every success for our President General and appreciation of the splendid work accomplished for the National Society.

## MARKING OLD TRAILS

Mrs. Mark Smith

Splendid work has been done throughout the State in locating and Marking old Trails. Quite a number of trails have been located and the Chapters plan, at an early date, to mark same. The following Chapters will, in a short time, mark old trails: Tomochichi, Oglethorpe, LaGrange, Sarah Dickinson, Henry Walton.

The John Ball Chapter, Irwinton, unveiled a Marker, made from Georgia marble, designating an old Indian Trail. The land on which this Marker stands is beautified by a hedge of crepe myrtle and many shrubs. It was your Chairman's pleasure to be a guest at this unveiling, being accompanied by Mrs. Harrison Hightower. The approximate cost of this Marker is \$300.00.

The Stephen Heard Chapter, Elberton, erected three Markers: Cherokee Indian and First White Settlement in Elbert County; Van Creek Baptist Church, first in Northeast Georgia; and, First Academy in Elberton. Total cost of these Markers, \$130.00.

The second Marker to be placed on the old Alabama Road has been erected near Thomaston, by the John Houston Chapter. The plot surrounding this Marker has been beautified by the planting of many native shrubs. The total cost of this Marker is \$100.00.

## MEADOW GARDEN

Mrs. Sanford Gardner (Deceased, March 4, 1935)

During the past year, a great many repairs have been made at Meadow Garden, under the direction of our beloved, and recently deceased, Chairman.

This was also the year for the insurance premiums to be paid in both the house and the furnishings, which necessitated an even greater increase in expenditure.

The grounds are always well kept and the old-fashioned hedge is much admired by all visitors.

The house is opened each Wednesday afternoon, from three until six, beginning with the first of January and extending through April. Some financial gain is realized from this, by the committee of local members, who are in charge at this time.

Meadow Garden was opened on Armistice Day, and also on Washington's Birthday, which anniversary was commemorated with a tea, on which occasion an opportunity was given for the visitors to pass through all of the rooms and enjoy looking at the interesting collections. This home has been often compared to Mt. Vernon, which it resembles, but on a smaller scale.

We are most grateful to nine of the Georgia Chapters for donations to the amount of \$19.50.

DAISY GRAHAM (Mrs. Lester V.) STONE,  
Treasurer, Augusta Chapter, D. A. R.

## MARKING REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS' GRAVES

Mrs. Zach Wood Copeland

As the collection of Revolutionary War records in the War Department, Washington, D. C., is far from complete, it is suggested as a possibility that information for marking Revolutionary Soldiers' graves may be obtained from the Director of Pensions, or

from the authorities of the state from which the soldier may have entered the service. Or, you may request permission through the Registrar General of the National Society D. A. R. for marking the graves, and she will furnish you with the necessary data which should be mailed to the Quartermaster General, War Department, Washington, D. C.

Any additional inscriptions desired may be cut on Government headstones at personal expense, after delivery to consignee or, if you so desire, the name of the contractor who will supply the stone will be furnished you and the necessary arrangements for the additional inscriptions may be made direct with the contractor.

Date of birth is not inscribed on any of the Government headstones. Inscriptions of headstones of the Revolutionary War type consist of the following: (1) full name; (2) state from which soldier came; (3) rank; (4) regiment and division (if any); (5) date of death, the emblem, either a Latin Cross or a Star of David. The Latin Cross shows the soldier was a Christian and applies to all denominations (Catholics and non-Catholics alike). The Star of David shows that the soldier was of the Hebrew faith. State definitely which emblem you desire, or if none desired, so state.

Marking Revolutionary Soldiers' graves is making history in bronze and stone and is a most important phase of our D. A. R. work, but we must not stop at marking these graves, we must lend our aid in the restoring of old cemeteries and family burial grounds which have lain waste for many years. Trees are encroaching on the tombs and cattle allowed to run riot over old graves. We must preserve these sacred trusts.

The Stephen Heard Chapter won the award for having marked eleven Revolutionary Soldiers' graves.

Honorable mention to the Nancy Hart Chapter for their splendid work.

Elizabeth Marlow Chapter, one Revolutionary Soldiers' grave marked: Joshua Wilson; two graves marked by family: Maj. General David Adams and David Montgomery.

The Stephen Heard Chapter, graves of eleven Revolutionary Soldiers marked: John Rucker, William Rucker, David Hudson, James Riley, Wm. Haley, Andrew Brown, Patrick Butler, Samuel Higginbotham, Robert Pullen, Zachariah Butler, George Snellings. Graves located which have been marked by family: Larkin Clark, Thomas Maxwell, Stephen Heard, Jacob Cleveland, Maj. Beverly Martin, John Beck, in Elbert County; Henry Humphrey Tompkins, in Oglethorpe County.

Hawkinsville Chapter located grave of Daughter of Revolutionary Soldier and one Soldier of 1812 (names not furnished).

Lamar-LaFayette Chapter located grave of John Jenkins (marked by family).

LaGrange Chapter located grave of Revolutionary Soldier: J. R. Gater.

Joseph Habersham Chapter, two graves to be marked at an early date: Major Edward White, in Colonial Cemetery, Savannah; and Col. Wm. Brooks, Oglethorpe County.

Hannah Clarke Chapter located ten graves of Daughters of Revolutionary Soldiers: Therese Hannah Matthieu (wife of Wm. Gillam); Elizabeth Horton (daughter of Prof. Horton, Sr., wife of Adam Williamson); Sarah Tillman (wife of Nathaniel Trout, daughter of Wm. Tillman); Lavinia Jones (wife of James Young, daughter of James Jones); Rachel Inman (married first, Levi Spain; second, Francis Jones; daughter of Daniel Inman); Bethenia Middlebrooks (wife of Jesse Wade, daughter of Isaac Middlebrooks); Serena Ragan Battle (wife of Wm. Stroud, daughter of Wm. Sum-

ner); Elizabeth Rushin (daughter of John Rushin); Louvincia Fain (daughter of Thomas Fain); Penelope Bolling (daughter of Thornberry Bolling).

Baron DeKalb Chapter, one grave of Revolutionary Soldier: Captain Thomas Gordan, marked May 27, 1934. Gwinnett County—Graves marked of three Revolutionary Soldiers not included in list of Revolutionary Soldiers' graves marked since 1926: Daniel Fane, 1929; Wm. Morris, 1927; Hugh Maccauley, 1927.

Roanoke Chapter, one Marker unveiled over grave of Jacob Green.

Etowah Chapter and Oothcaloga Chapter marked the grave of Major John Lewis in Adairsville; located grave of Revolutionary oldier in Bartow County (name not furnished).

John Laurens Chapter applied for Government Markers for the graves of Amos Love, Josiah Warren, and Thomas McCall.

Nancy Hart Chapter marked three graves of Revolutionary Soldiers: Carey Cox, Rev. John Springer, Captain John Bull. Soldiers of 1812 whose graves have been marked: John Moran, William Dunn, Martin Hall, Augustine M. Harris, Nathaniel Bradford, Benjamin L. Lester; three graves of distinguished Cherokee Indian Soldiers in the War of 1812: Major Ridge, in Oklahoma; Corporal Sleeping Rabbit, in North Georgia; Five Killer, in Tennessee. Verification slips have been received for markers for the graves of Revolutionary Soldiers: Rev. Abraham Marshall and Ezekial Evans Parke. The grave of Revolutionary Soldier John R. Brown has been discovered near Barnesville, Ga. Received verification slip from Government for marking the grave of Revolutionary Soldier Joseph Marshall.

Col. Wm. Candler Chapter has placed Government Markers on graves of Revolutionary Soldiers: Beal Baker and William Clarke.

Button Gwinnett Chapter has received Government Marker for grave of Revolutionary Soldier, Shadoack Rowe, Whitesville, Harris County.

Tomochichi Chapter located three Revolutionary Soldiers' graves (names not furnished).

Toccoa Chapter located grave of one Real Daughter (name not furnished); two Revolutionary Soldiers' graves marked: John Stonecypher and Samuel Moseley, in Stephens County; located grave of Richard B. Hooper, in Banks County.

James Pittman Chaptex, two Revolutionary Soldiers' graves marked: Sherrod Thompson, on Linton Isbell's farm, near Jefferson; Samuel Mackey, Franklin County, Hebron Churchyard. Located graves of Henry Parks, three miles south of Commerce, on Hargrove place; James Montgomery, near Jefferson, at "Olney Presbyterian Church;" James Wheeler, between Maysville and Commerce, on Wheeler farm; Ansel Cunningham, near Hurricane Shoals, three miles south of Maysville; John King, Sandy Cross Church, five miles south of Commerce, on Athens Road; Thomas Barrow, near Jefferson; Col. James Little, near Carnesville, family burial ground.

John Ball Chapter located five Revolutionary Soldiers' graves in County (names not furnished). Marker applied for grave of Revolutionary Soltier, Col. John Taliafero, near Irwinton.

Council of Safety Chapter located grave of Revolutionary Soldier, — Hand. Located grave of daughter of Revolutionary Soldier.

William McIntosh Chapter located one grave of Soldier of 1812, James Harkness; and three graves of daughters of Revolutionary Soldier: Ann Harkness Price, Rosannah Harkness Nutt, Mary Harkness Pettigrew, and Peggy Harkness Gilbert.

Brunswick Chapter, two markers received for graves of Revolutionary Soldiers: Cyrus Dart and John Bacholts; also markers for graves of Ann Harris Dart (wife of Cyrus Dart), and Martha Stafford Wiggins, daughter of Revolutionary Soldier.

Oglethorpe Chapter located one grave of Revolutionary Soldier.

## MEDALS AND PRIZES

### Mrs. W. C. Fripp

It is the object of our D. A. R. Chapters in offering medals and prizes to school children, that our younger generation familiarize themselves with the ideals of our Revolutionary fathers, their sacrifices and noble achievements, to know American history and the qualifications for a good citizen.

This year ninety-three cards were sent, one to each Chapter Regent, sixty-five replies were received, ten of this number having no report, and twenty-eight Chapters were not heard from.

I regret that many of the Chapter Chairmen failed to value the medals and prizes, so that the amount could have been totaled and full credit given for this part of our work.

Knox-Conway—One History medal. Oothcaloga—One History medal. Atlanta—Three medals for best essays on Revolutionary subjects. Joseph Habersham—Medal to most efficient student of R. O. T. C. at Georgia Tech. Council of Safety—Three History medals; three Citizenship medals. Commodore Richard Dale—Six Citizenship medals; \$5.00 essay prize to senior girl in English class. Baron DeKalb—One D. A. R. ring; five Citizenship medals. Brunswick—One medal, American History; five cash prizes in Domestic Arts class. Lanahassee—\$10.00 medal; \$5.00 prize for highest average in United States History. Lamar-LaFayette—One History medal, also prizes for best historical drawing. Gov. Peter Early—Two medals for United States History; one Citizenship medal. Cairo—Two prizes.

James Pittman—\$5.00 to student with highest monthly average; \$4.00 in Patriotic Song prizes. Tomochichi—Prize to student in Piedmont College. Fort Early—D. A. R. medal for American History; one Good Citizenship medal. Button Gwinnett—\$2.00 for Good Citizenship poster; \$1.50 for best 4-H girl. Benjamin Hawkins—One gold medal for United States History; two Good Citizenship medals. Etowah—\$5.00 to senior student; two prizes in Grammar Schools, \$2.50 each. John Laurens—\$5.00 American History prize; \$1.00 to a Community award and two Citizenship medals. Gov. John Milledge—Six Citizenship medals; \$14.00 for American History prizes. Dorothy Walton—United States History prize, \$2.50. Stephen Heard—Four Good Citizenship medals; one medal for American History. Samuel Reid—One Good Citizenship medal; \$2.50 highest average in History.

Col. William Few—One Good Citizenship medal; trophy for Boy Scouts, \$5.75. James Monroe—One Citizenship medal; one medal for American History. Adam Brinson—One History medal; Good Citizenship medals. Oliver Morton—Two prizes, \$5.00 each. Col. Wm. Candler—Six medals for Revolutionary History; one for United States History; one medal for Good Citizenship. Arthur Fort—Two medals for American History. Hawkinsville—Two Good Citizenship medals; two prizes for Home Makers' Club. John Ball—Silver Loving Cup for best Historical essay. William Marsh—Two medals for United States History. LaGrange—\$5.00 for Good Citizenship; \$5.00 prize for American History. Nancy Hart—Five Good Citizenship medals.

Mary Hammond Washington—Silver Loving Cup for best Historical essay, Girls' High School. Elizabeth Marlow—Sweeney medal for American History; Good Citizenship medal. Nathaniel Macon—\$5.00 for best essay on American History; \$5.00 for Boys' High School for Good Citizenship medals. Fielding Lewis—Two Good Citizenship medals. John Benning—Two medals given to schools, \$10.00; two S. A. R. Good Citizenship medals. Henry Walton—Two Sweeney History medals; two Good Citizenship medals. Sergeant Jasper—One Sweeney History medal; one Good Citizenship medal. Matthew Talbot—Prize to Girl Home Makers; two Good Citizenship medals; prize to pupil making best record in American History. Sarah Dickinson—\$5.00 for highest average in American History.

Gen. Daniel Stewart—Two History prizes, \$2.50 each; two Good Citizenship medals. Hannah Clarke—Six Good Citizenship medals; two History prizes. John Clark—Three prizes for general excellence in school; one prize in American History; one Good Citizenship medal. Bonaventure—Medals for best essays in Senior High for Girls and Senior High for Boys; medal to C. A. R. for best paper on American Citizenship. The Gov. Jared Irwin—Two History prizes. Barnard Trail—Four Good Citizenship medals, \$4.00 one History medal, \$2.50, and two prizes for learning Patriotic Songs, \$2.00. Savannah—One S. A. R. medal for Good Citizenship. Thomasville—\$5.00 to school for historical work. Gen. James Jackson—Gold medal for highest award in Georgia History.

Sunbury—Two Sweeney History medals; two Good Citizenship medals; two cook books. Edmund Burke—Prize for highest average in American History. Jonathan Bryan—Two prizes, \$2.50 each, to Senior and Junior High for best average in American History.

#### MEMBER ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS BOARD

Miss Claudia Little

The following Chapters reported cooperation in the sale of the Anti-Tuberculosis Christmas Seals: Commodore Richard Dale, John Laurens, Sunbury, Mary Hammond Washington, Jonathan Bryan, Oglethorpe.

A radio talk on the sale of Seals was made by one of Oglethorpe's members, and five members of that Chapter serve on the Board of the Public Health Nurse Association.

I feel sure that much has been done that Chapters failed to report.

#### NATIONAL DEFENSE THROUGH PATRIOTIC EDUCATION

Mrs. John S. Adams

The many worthwhile reports that have come to me show that Georgia D. A. R. have been awakened to the fact that to fail in defense of the land we love is to fail in everything. In the complex issues of the day, we know that this country is far below defense strength allowed by Treaty, and the situation is one of deadly seriousness. Stronger defense is what we want, voicing a plea for a bigger standing Army and Navy. A clarion call has been sent out to patriotic Americans. Defense work is concerned with other things besides arms and armaments. There are many agencies at work for the development of our future citizens and Chapter reports show that education of our youth has first place. Scholarships have been offered in schools and colleges, medals for highest marks in American History; Good Citizenship medals of-

ferred. Americanism and Correct Use of Flag taught, public speakers engaged for Constitution and National Defense Week. Addresses given from platforms in schools, colleges, churches, ministers cooperating. I am grateful to the many Chapters that carried out the suggestions of Mrs. Becker, National Chairman; so far as suited their community best. The Hand Book, also the National Defense News that comes to you each month is valuable information. The results show splendid cooperation, almost every activity of defense has been touched.

It is my hope that every Chapter will sponsor the fine work that is being done by the Chairman of Sons and Daughters of the U. S. A. Approved schools have been generously remembered. Through the Girl Home Makers' Committee an increasing interest in real home making activities among our girls is manifested. Chapters have actively engaged in legislative measures. Particularly gratifying is the sweeping plan for increased Air and Navy facilities. Of the 93 Chapters, 60 have reported a Chairman on National Defense. Many subscriptions to D. A. R. Magazine, Patriotic and Historic days have been observed, boxes sent to Ellis Island, 15 cents per capita for National Defense, 10 cents D. A. R. Manual for Citizenship, 3 cents Ellis Island; total, \$8,350.75.

In closing I want to give Mrs. Becker the praise that is due her thorough, painstaking work. She senses the condition of this country and has the great art of being able to convey to you and me the duties that lie before us in these years of confusion.

#### **PATRIOTIC LECTURE AND LANTERN SLIDES**

**Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill**

Letters have been written to the Regents of 93 Chapters urging the use of Patriotic Lectures and Lantern Slides and requested a report from each Chapter on the work done along that line. Only ten Chapters made any report, and out of the ten Chapters only one, the Savannah Chapter, made use of lecture slides with accompanying patriotic lecture. Several of the Chapters that did report expressed the intention of making use of the slides next year.

#### **CONFERENCE PAGES**

**Mrs. Henry West**

**Mrs. Henry Reid**

It has been with a great deal of interest that your Committee on Pages has served you. We hope you will be as pleased with their services as they are to serve you. It gives us great pleasure to present as pages for the Convention:

Misses Marion Mathis, Sarah Matthews, Marion Talmadge, Lois Lampkin, Clara Reid Robson, Rose Walker Mayne, Isabelle Reid, Agnes White, Louise Chandler, Gloria Hunnicutt, Catherine Davis, Dorothy Daniel, Janelle Crawford, Jane Brightwell, Mary Stanley Freeman, Josephine Huddleston, Allene Hodgson, Ruth Jarrell, Emily Chandler, Mary Ann Braswell.

#### **RADIO**

**Mrs. Frances Brown Chase**

As Chairman of Radio Committee for Georgia, committee consisting of every Regent in the State, it is with pleasure that we are able to report cooperation and benefit derived from broadcasts.

Post cards were sent at the beginning of our time to resume D. A. R. activities in September, to each Chapter Regent, and later a notice in the official columns of the paper to impress the importance of this phase of the work.

Many reported no broadcast station near, but vitally interested in D. A. R. programs.

Among those sending messages via. broadcast are:

Elijah Clarke Chapter, Athens—Regent, Miss Annie Crawford. "Flag Day" address by the Regent. "Flag Code"—Mrs. J. H. Rucker. "Independence Day"—Speaker, Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, former Vice-President General.

Savannah, Bonaventure Chapter—Mrs. George Beach, Regent, gave a broadcast for "President's Ball."

Thronateeska Chapter, Albany—Miss Cena Whitehead, Regent, gave a Christmas program. President General's message read by Rev. H. S. Colby. Subject of program, "The Story of Christmas." Oglethorpe Chapter, Columbus—Mrs. George Burrus, Jr., Regent, gave a broadcast on Constitution Day.

Commodore Richard Dale Chapter, Albany—Mrs. J. M. Barnett, Regent, Thanksgiving Day program. Opened with prayer by Mrs. W. C. Fripp. Solo, by Mrs. Chas. Gregory, of Albany. Thanksgiving message of Mrs. Magna, President General, read by Regent. Some of activities of D. A. R. were stressed, among them: National Defense and schools sponsored by D. A. R.

Atlanta Chapter—Mrs. Thomas C. Mell, Chairman, gave programs amounting to \$450.00 through courtesy of WSB. In December: A message commemorating Woodrow Wilson's birthday anniversary, the Regent, speaker. Music, Miss Louise McCutcheon, solo, also whistling selection. February 11: "Nancy Hart," dramatic sketch. Orchestra selection. February 12: "Georgia Day," Mrs. Howard McCall, speaker. Solo selections, Miss Frances Hurt.

Mrs. Percy Patton, National Vice-Chairman, Southern section, has kept us in touch with D. A. R. programs to be broadcast, in season for your State Chairman to give publicity to this fact; consequently we have had the pleasure of hearing National speakers. Mrs. Becker, Chairman National Defense, gave a broadcast which was received with enthusiasm.

Let Georgia take an interest in promoting our activities through the means of radio that D. A. R. endeavors may be known hither and yon, that we are an arm of the Government.

## REAL DAUGHTERS

### Mrs. William J. Vereen

In response to ninety-three cards sent to Chapter Regents requesting reports on their activities for our Real Daughters and on their success in locating the graves of Daughters, twenty-seven responded.

Most of those responding stated that they had sent Christmas cards. However, some sent piece goods for dresses and some sent handkerchiefs and candy.

The John Houston Chapter, Thomaston, reported locating a Real Daughter's grave. This grave has been marked by her family and the John Houston Chapter will place a bronze marker on her grave next year. The John Ball Chapter, of Irwinton, reported locating the grave of a Real Daughter and also one of the wife of a Revolutionary Soldier.

I am in receipt of a most interesting letter from our beloved State Historian, Mrs. J. L. Beeson, telling of a most delightful visit

she and our distinguished State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel, with Mrs. Yarborough and others had in November to our two Real Daughters at Gibson, Ga. "Aunt Sarah" was in bed, seriously ill, but her mind was as clear as anyone's. "Aunt Mary" was glad to see Mrs. Yarborough and to meet the State Regent. She hesitated when she came to Mrs. Beeson who exclaimed, "Why, Aunt Mary, have you forgotten me—Mrs. Beeson?" "Mrs. Beeson," she said, throwing her arms around her, "Why you look so young and pretty your husband must be dead."

Mrs. Beeson also writes "they have the kindest neighbors and Aunt Sarah had a good nurse to care for her during her illness."

A traveling man said, "Wherever I go in Georgia or South Carolina I tell my customers what great things the D. A. R. are doing for these two old ladies. They have mail every day and it comes from every State in the Union."

I have just received an interesting letter from the Rhode Island State Chairman of Real Daughters asking for a reciprocity letter about our Daughters and enclosing a picture of one of their two Daughters. She describes Mrs. Avery, one of the Daughters, as "tall and thin, rather stern face which lights up beautifully when she smiles—a typical New Englander in looks, ideas and ideals. Her mind is keen, she loves to read, sew, knit, and embroider. She had a fall some months ago which made her quite lame. One of her greatest treasures is a chair which belonged to her father, Solomon Lovering, who enlisted in the Revolutionary Army at the age of fourteen. The chair dates back to 1700." The other New Englander is Mrs. Caroline Randall. "Mrs. Randall was the fourth child and her father was ninety when she was born. Unlike Mrs. Avery, Mrs. Randall is short and plump. She wields a fluent pen. Her grandson, Earl Randall, was decorated for bravery in the World War. Two grandsons are in the U. S. Navy and there are several sea captains in her family."

It is also interesting to know that we have two Grand Daughters living in Georgia, Mrs. M. W. Turner, of Pelham, and Mrs. Kader Powell, of Cairo.

It has been a pleasure to serve on this committee and I wish to thank all of you for the cooperation you have given me.

### ROOSEVELT PLATES

Mrs. C. D. Shelnutt

I regret to report that the Roosevelt plates are not ready for delivery.

The order has been placed, but circumstances have been of such a nature that it has not been possible to secure the plates.

Those in charge of the sales cannot promise any definite date for receiving them.

Your committee will keep in touch with the progress made and report to you promptly upon receipt of satisfactory information.

### STATE EDITOR'S AWARD

Mrs. W. S. Coleman

After due consideration according to rules for award, we find the winner in this contest is the Elijah Clarke Chapter, Athens. Honorable mention, Oglethorpe Chapter, Columbus; and John Laurens Chapter, Dublin.

## STATE REGENT'S AWARD

**Mrs. R. H. Roux**

The State Regent's award was offered to encourage Chapters to give more liberally toward the education of our youth. This award is given to the Chapter giving largest amount to educational work on a percentage basis.

Many of you have done fine work I am sure, but this committee could only judge from the reports sent to me.

Let me beg of you to do your best along educational lines next year and be sure to send me your report.

I take great pleasure in presenting this \$10.00 to Samuel Reid Chapter, Eatonton.

Would like to give honorable mention to John Benning Chapter, Moultrie; Council of Safety Chapter, Americus; Oglethorpe Chapter, Columbus, and Thomasville Chapter.

## SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF THE U. S. A.

**Mrs. James I. Garrard**

Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution sponsor thirteen Sons and Daughters of the U. S. A. Clubs, with a membership of over 300.

Outstanding work is being done by John Ball Chapter in that they sponsor 10 clubs. Nancy Hart Chapter sponsors three clubs, with more in process of organization.

Patriotic programs have been arranged by the clubs and Citizenship training has been stressed. School grounds have been improved through the efforts of club members. Community gatherings are sponsored by the clubs and special programs given at such times. Flag Codes and Flag Lessons were presented to the clubs sponsored by Nancy Hart Chapter by the State Chairman. She has offered two D. A. R. Citizenship medals.

The policy of the State Chairman has been to organize these clubs in schools and communities where no other patriotic club life exists. Teachers are finding the clubs to be of great help in their school work and the children ask for the continuation of the clubs. The State Superintendent of Schools, Dr. M. D. Collins, has given his endorsement of the clubs and says, "We must do all within our power for the youth of Georgia."

Georgia was given honorable mention last year by the National Chairman, Mrs. Robert Bagnell, for outstanding club work. Georgia ranks high in this phase of D. A. R. work, being among the first fifteen states for outstanding work.

Your State Chairman heartily recommends these clubs to the Chapter Regents as a means for establishing a real foundation for National Defense.

## TEXTBOOKS

**Mrs. John Edward Lane**

It is highly important that the youth of our country be taught the real facts of history and not sectionalism; and that honors be bestowed where they rightfully belong.

In narration the impulse may come to deviate from the line of exact detail, if, by so doing, the story becomes more attractive or interesting; but to do so, is not to record history.

Some errors occur through lack of research, and others through

willful prejudice. After such errors have once gotten into print, it is more difficult to correct them.

It is gratifying to know that a close watch is being kept on the textbooks used in our schools to keep the histories free of false statements, and that the Chapters are doing excellent work.

The Lachlan McIntosh Chapter is unearthing, preserving, and correcting Revolutionary history through the Library Committee.

The Lanahasse Chapter is doing all it can to correct the history of its county.

The Elijah Clarke Chapter is cooperating through the local school authorities.

The Sergeant Newton Chapter is cooperating with the teachers of the schools and has found nothing objectionable in the textbooks studied.

The Baron DeKalb Chapter reports that the books on American History in the Decatur Public Schools and Library are free from untruths and erroneous statements. The Research Chairman states: "We are alert at all times and careful what the young people of our community are taught. Our teachers without exception are singularly patriotic."

The Henry Walton Chapter, cooperating with the County Historian, is doing excellent work in correcting errors.

The Regent of the John Laurens Chapter has reviewed the history text of the local high school and finds it satisfactory. Her Chapter is offering \$5.00 to the member of the senior class making the highest average in American History.

Continued efforts along this line will do much to purify statements in the textbooks of our schools; and knowing that misstatements will stir up a flood of opposition, future historians will be more careful to stick to facts rather than yield to a trend of personal prejudices.

May the D. A. R. stand firm in its determined efforts and reap the reward that the Society so richly deserves.

#### **TIME AND PLACE**

**Mrs. Charles F. Rice**

The State Executive Board met in Valdosta November 1st, by invitation of the General James Jackson Chapter, Mrs. Frank S. Harrell, Regent.

The State Conference for 1935 will meet in Athens, March 20, 21 and 22, by invitation of the Elijah Clarke Chapter, Miss Annie Crawford, Regent.

The Col. William Few Chapter, Eastman, Mrs. Thomas J. Sappington, Regent, has extended an invitation to the State Executive Board to meet with them in October, 1935.

The three Savannah Chapters, Mrs. James N. Carter, Regent of the Savannah Chapter; Mrs. Henry L. Purse, Regent of the Lachlan McIntosh Chapter; Mrs. Jessie M. Beach, Regent, of the Bonaventure Chapter, extends a cordial invitation to the Georgia Daughters to be their guest at State Conference in 1936.

#### **THOMAS JEFFERSON MEMORIAL**

**Mrs. Thomas J. Sappington**

We wish to thank the Chapter Regents and members for their loyal cooperation in the observance of this most important day. And especially do we wish to thank each Chapter that remembered to report to State Chairman that you did, and the manner in which

you honored this great man of the early historical period of our country.

Let us not forget that Jefferson gave to us that immortal document which so securely welded the struggling colonies into a union that has withstood the battering rams of many fierce conflicts. Let us ever immortalize his memory in the hearts of American citizenry by observing the day with appropriate exercises in our public schools, editorials published in local papers, and addresses and papers presented in chapter meetings and schools. Every D. A. R. home and down-town street should honor Jefferson by displaying Flags on April 12.

Let us beg that each Chapter representative go back to her Chapter fully resolved to observe this memorial in some way in April, 1935, and report same at once to State Chairman.

### TRAVELING GENEALOGICAL LIBRARY

Mrs. J. D. Wadsworth

Immediately after State Conference, 1934 (when the T. G. L. was established as a State D. A. R. project), an outline of work to be done by each Chapter for the Library and a sample of personal lines to be made out (which I typed) were sent to each Regent by the following members of my committee, each one sending twelve and supplying postage: Mrs. Dykes, Mrs. Tabor, Mrs. Colley, Mrs. Nicholson, Mrs. Faver, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Thomas, and myself.

On Sunday, November 25, 1934, my message concerning the aims of the Library was printed in The Atlanta Constitution.

I attended the Board meeting in Valdosta on November 1; gave a report on the progress of the Library, and at that time it was decided that the books should stay with each Chapter one week.

During the past year I have written about 75 letters and cards concerning the Library; received requests from two Chapters for more information; three Chapters sent printed data, and one family record; and seven Chapters have reported Honor Roll requirements met.

After consulting my committee, plans were made for running the Library as follows:

No. 1. The Library is open to the public. Please have it placed at the Public Library in your town, under the care of the regular librarian, or lacking this, at some other place easily accessible to the public, with some member in charge constantly.

No. 2. The books, etc., are NOT to be taken from this place.

No. 3. Be sure to check books as per list on inside of box cover, when they are received, and when they are packed again.

No. 4. Send a notice of when they are received and when they are sent on to next Chapter, to Mrs. J. D. Wadsworth, 1003 Benning Boulevard, Columbus; also note condition of books.

No. 5. Please get blank book and ask every one who uses the books to sign their names and addresses in it, and let Mrs. J. D. Wadsworth know the number. Each Chapter is to retain this record.

No. 6. Any suggestions as to books to be acquired will be welcomed.

No. 7. Be sure to make several announcements to the public as to when the books will be received and for how long; either through your local paper or by telephoning, etc.

At present the Library consists of the following (all donated):  
Two volumes Early New Haven Town (Conn.) Records and nine-

teen copies of the Magazine of American Genealogy, from Mrs. Willard Cooper, Columbus.

Four volumes Historical Collections of Georgia Chapters, D. A. R. (published by L. C. Peel Memorial Committee), through Mrs. Dykes, Chairman.

Three volumes of Joseph Habersham Historical Collections, from Joseph Habersham Chapter, through Mrs. Dykes.

Volume II of the Abridged Compendium of American Genealogy, from Mrs. Dykes.

Abstracts of Court Records of Bryan County, Georgia, and Hall County Records, 1818-1838, from Mrs. Sidney O. Smith.

Genealogy of the Ephraim M. Johnson Family, 1680-1893, from Miss Alline Johnson.

Number 20 of the Camp (Family) Bulletin, from Mrs. V. A. S. Moore.

Pamphlet on Ivy W. Duggan, from Mrs. R. D. Eadie. (The last five were too late for the first box).

One Loose Leaf Binder of personal lines, from Oglethorpe, Button Gwinnett and George Walton Chapters.

One of Genealogical Department, from 1926-27, D. A. R. Magazines.

As most of these are in the Atlanta Library, we thought that possibly a good many members of the Chapters in the north of the State had already seen them, so we decided to send this lot to the south.

Accordingly, they were placed here first on February 16, then sent to Americus, and are now in Lumpkin. From there they go to Dawson, Shellman, Cuthbert, etc. The route has been planned so that there will be as little distance as possible between Chapters, thereby reducing the cost of transportation to the Chapter receiving the books. This cost is about 50 cents by express. (Weight, 35 pounds).

The box, 9x11x20 inches, is of sheet metal and with the lock was donated by Mrs. Wadsworth.

I am sorry to see so little interest has been shown in getting up the personal lines, but hope when every one sees the loose leaf binder with its content they will realize what a splendid opportunity this is to find missing dates and links. There is in the front of the binder a request that anyone who has additional data to please add it where it belongs. We hope that eventually these will be published by the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Committee.

## WELFARE OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN

### Mrs. J. W. Hooks

In response to a letter I sent last year to each Chapter Regent, reports have been received from 23 Chapters, which shows the spirit of the Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution, to be kind and considerate and helpful, to the needy, friendless and helpless.

Commodore Richard Dale Chapter gave scholarship to a widow, food and clothing to the needy, school books were given to needy children, contributed to the Empty Stocking Fund at Christmas.

Elijah Clarke Chapter aided materially in Welfare of Women and Children.

Council of Safety Chapter furnished hot lunches for twenty undernourished school children, bought school books for needy children.

Brunswick Chapter gave quantity of clothing to needy women and children, and books to children in school.

Governor Peter Early Chapter donated \$15.00 for school books and gave clothing for needy children.

Oglethorpe Chapter made Christmas brighter for the women and children by a generous response to the Empty Stocking movement, to the Salvation Army, and to many needy by giving food, clothing, and money. Foster Girl and Mother Clubs. Contributed to the Milk Fund for undernourished children, assisted in gaining employment for men and women. One hundred dollars to the President's Ball, contributed to Red Cross, Community Chest,

James Pittman Chapter contributed clothing, food and school books to the value of \$10.00.

Benjamin Hawkins Chapter did outstanding work in this department.

Governor John Milledge Chapter contributed \$2.50 to Community Chest, sold tickets and attended the President's Ball, and did work in local hospital.

John Laurens Chapter gave \$5.00 for Empty Stocking Fund. Members have given privately to charity, also books and magazines to teachers of FERA classes in the county and has a member teaching one of the classes. Regent is a member of County Committee on Welfare Work.

Col. William Few Chapter sponsors Boy Scouts and sponsored nine Christmas trees in different homes and gave 150 toys to underprivileged children, also food, clothing, and fruit. One member assisted in organizing a Nursery School and is teaching there; another member assists with a Mothers' Club, both in connection with local cotton mill.

Stephen Heard Chapter has aided in every way during the depression, providing clothing and food to the needy.

James Monroe Chapter serves hot lunches and gives medical supplies to needy school children.

Col. Wm. Candler Chapter contributed scholarships, food and clothing to needy children.

Arthur Fort Chapter reports \$390.00 spent for shoes, clothing, food, books and school supplies.

Hawkinsville Chapter gave food, clothing and toys at Christmas, furnishing a room, offering prizes and helping with a class of underprivileged children.

John Ball Chapter had talk by Welfare Worker at November meeting, that resulted in a county-wide organization which is doing a splendid work.

Henry Walton Chapter contributed clothing, food and furniture for Nursery School and school books to needy children; cooperates with local Welfare Committees in giving work and help to needy.

John Clarke Chapter, food and clothing valued at \$300.00, has been provided for the needy. Many trays have been sent to sick as well as post cards and flowers to cheer.

Hancock Chapter contributed generously in food, clothing, covering, medicine, and contributions have been made to a soup kitchen where underprivileged children were given nourishment.

Lachlan McIntosh Chapter encourages all work along the lines of Welfare of Women and Children.

Jonathan Bryan Chapter assisted needy families by taking them food, clothing, etc., and making Christmas brighter and better for some of the orphans in the Childrens' Home, by buying sweaters, shoes, etc., that were needed. In addition, Chapter donates \$1.00 monthly to the Home.

## CHAPTER REPORTS

### OOTHCALOGA CHAPTER, ADAIRSVILLE

Mrs. G. M. Boyd, Sr., Regent

Oothcaloga Chapter has had a rather active year for so small a Chapter. We have paid all State and National dues and have contributed \$1.40 to the S. B. C. Morgan Loan Fund and \$5.00 to Constitution Hall.

All patriotic days have been observed. The Chapter regularly sponsors the Armistice Day celebration here.

We, this year, gave a scholarship in the local high school, and for years have given a medal to the senior who is best in United States History. For the past two years we have given two Citizenship Medals.

We, jointly with Etowah Chapter (of Cartersville—twenty miles South of Adairsville) unveiled a Marker early in the fall to Major John Lewis, a Revolutionary Officer, buried here.

We have fourteen members and one applicant for membership.

The loyalty of our membership enables us to hold together during these trying years and to face the future with confidence.

### COMMODORE RICHARD DALE CHAPTER, ALBANY

Mrs. J. M. Barnett, Regent

The Commodore Richard Dale Chapter reports a year of active service and accomplishments.

We have a membership of thirty-two resident and five non-resident members—one resignation this winter, two new members added to our roll. Several papers are being prepared. Meetings have been opened with America, Prayer, Pledge to the Flag, and American's Creed. Our historical programs have been carried out with three programs on Indians, as outlined by our State Chairman. The six other programs on other historical subjects.

Honor Roll requirements have been met promptly. All patriotic days observed at regular meetings. On Georgia Day, Hon. Chase S. Osborne spoke to 640 boys and girls of the Albany High School. Patriotic songs were sung by the student body. Also slides and lectures, "Colonial Georgia" and "Indian Mounds near Macon," were given at the Albany High School in celebration of Georgia Day. This was given for the Grammar School and High School children by courtesy of the Colonial Dames, Thronateeska Chapter and Commodore Richard Dale Chapter.

We have cooperated with the public schools, feeling that Americanism and National Defense programs should be stimulated. Talks given to each of the seventh grades in the Grammar School, over a period of a month in preparation for the six Citizenship medals to be given at the close of the school year. Again this year a \$5.00 award will be given for the best paper written by a senior girl of the History class on an historical subject. We wish to create a close fellowship between the schools and the Daughters of the American Revolution in Albany.

We have assisted with Salvation Army Drive, and Red Cross Drive. We contributed \$5.00 to the Empty Stocking Fund at

Christmas; assisted with the American Legion Auxillary Poppy Sale; assisted with the Dougherty County Welfare Board; assisted with the Pre-school Clinic; on committee to assist in selling tickets for the President's Ball. Thirty-three and one-half per cent of members bought T. B. seals at Christmas time.

One scholarship given this year. Entertained at tea with Thronateeska Chapter in November, our State Regent, Mrs. Daniel. Celebrated Mrs. Magna's birthday and sent \$5.00 toward debt on Constitution Hall. Made a small gift of gold for Constitution Hall Memory book. Sent three reports of meetings to State Editor. A box to Ellis Island valued at \$10.00. A box of books to Kate Duncan Smith School in Alabama, valued at \$5.00. A D. A. R. membership to Merchant Marine Library. Christmas cards were sent to our two Real Daughters.

Planted by our members on farms and town property—4,836 trees and shrubs—such as pecans, magnolias, peach, dogwood, oaks, redbud, and many other trees and shrubs.

A radio program of one-half hour, on some of the activities of the Daughters was given as a Thanksgiving program.

Total disbursements for year, \$269.75.

### **THRONATEESKA CHAPTER, ALBANY**

**Miss Cena Jackson Whitehead, Regent**

Thronateeska Chapter has eighty members, with ten non-resident members.

Patriotic days have been fittingly observed. On Georgia Day a program of Georgia slides was given at the High School and at Christmas we sponsored a one-half hour radio program, value \$10.00.

In Conservation and Thrift, we have planted 569 trees, shrubs and rose bushes. Have assisted with Red Cross and Salvation Army drives; also, President's Ball, and other welfare work of the community.

Gave \$10.00 to the Book Fund for under-privileged children; rented two typewriters for the Opportunity School, \$36.00; loaned \$50.00 of our \$75.00 Scholarship Fund; marked three (3) Ex-Regents' graves with bronze markers, \$34.58; two two-year subscriptions to D. A. R. Magazine; gave five (5) Ex-Regents' badges, costing \$36.34; sent 24 books to American Merchant Marine Library, value \$8.00; gave \$5.00 History prize to High School student; \$8.00 to Constitution Hall; \$8.75 for D. A. R. Flag.

Last March the two Albany Chapters had the pleasure of entertaining the State Conference, and in the fall honored our State Regent with a beautiful tea.

Total disbursements for year, \$374.54.

### **COUNCIL OF SAFETY CHAPTER, AMERICUS**

**Mrs. W. H. Emmet, Regent**

Our programs have been lovely. Dr. C. C. Harrold, of Macon, gave a lecture on "Georgia Archaeology" at one meeting. Another fine program was rendered by our neighbor Chapter—Stone Castle. About twenty ladies came, and it was delightful to hear new talent, and to see new faces on our program.

A steel frame Marker, with sheet iron inside, was erected in Leesburg, directing the way to Chee-Haw Monument. The Marker

stands about five and one-half feet above the ground and is about three feet wide by four feet high. Cost \$25.00.

Committee on Historic Spots is rebuilding wall, beautifying and reconditioning an old abandoned cemetery.

Committee went to Councilmen and Aldermen and secured an appropriation for Library books of \$1,250.00—\$500 for Adult new books, \$500 for Children's new books, and \$250 for new text books.

When it was reported at the December meeting (on the 11th) that Chamber of Commerce had failed to secure a leader for Red Cross Roll Call and that nothing at all had been done about it, a committee was appointed to secure a chairman. A new member took the job, and had notice in local newspaper that she and her committee would have charge of Roll Call Saturday, December 15th. This was the most successful one ever held in Americus. One hundred and eighty-five members were reported at January meeting, with other contributions being added.

Members are helping to give hot lunches to twenty (20) undernourished school children.

One member is helping to care for three aged poor women and has donated food to the amount of \$100. This is not reported through church or any other organization.

We are giving two silver medals. One is given to High School—the other to College—for excellency in History. Value, \$5.00.

Three bronze "Good Citizenship" medals are given to the seventh grade Grammar School—\$3.00.

Chapter worked with Chamber of Commerce in clean-up, paint, and beautify back yard contest, and judged one week of contest. Have assisted Garden Club with buying plants and shrubs for Memorial Mile.

Flag Day was observed with a beautiful Pageant—seven people in costume. All Patriotic and Historic days have been observed.

Purchased Flag for Processional—\$8.75.

Purchased four Rituals—\$1.00.

Paid on Constitution Hall debt—\$8.00.

Two members get Better Films Review. One subscriber to Magazine.

Have received twelve new members.

A nice donation of old gold was sent for Memory Book.

All Honor Roll requirements have been met.

## **KNOX-CONWAY CHAPTER, ASHBURN**

### **Mrs. Annelle Thrasher Murphy, Regent**

Special days observed: Flag Day; Memorial Day: the Chapter participated in the activities of the day and assisted in entertaining the Veterans at dinner; Armistice Day: the Chapter also decorated the churches in Ashburn and Sycamore; Georgia Day.

Special activities: The Knox-Conway Chapter has kept a plot in the city block. The Knox-Conway Chapter has offered a medal to the High School student showing the most improvement in History.

Donations: To the Ashburn Community House, \$53.75. To the Ashburn Community House, a Heatrola (given by Miss Emily McKenzie through the Knox-Conway Chapter).

Two new members received in Chapter: Misses Katherine and Emily McKenzie.

## ELIJAH CLARKE CHAPTER, ATHENS

Miss Annie S. Crawford, Regent

The Elijah Clarke Chapter has a membership of 84; twelve new members.

We met our Honor Roll requirements.

Eighty per cent of our resident members attended Chapter meetings, which were held regularly each month. The meetings were opened with devotionals by the Chaplain, using our Ritual. The Pledge to the Flag given; the American's Creed often repeated; also Flag Code articles read and a patriotic song always.

Sixteen patriotic days were fittingly observed.

Our programs were most interesting and instructive with lectures and addresses. We also had "The Indian" in art, song, and story. On one occasion we had displayed an illuminated book of Indian pictures more than 100 years old.

Flag Day and Independence Day were observed with radio programs.

Memorial Day, we joined with the American Legion Auxiliary for special exercises at the cemetery, and placed flowers and flags on the graves of our Revolutionary Soldiers.

Along educational activities we have put forth our best efforts, our greatest achievement being our Educational Loan Fund; the amount being \$1,587.66. This is one of the outstanding loan funds in our National organization. This fund is placed at The University of Georgia. We have made also the following donations: \$2.50 to Tamassee; \$2.50 to Kate Duncan Smith School; a box of clothing to Crossnore; a box of juvenile books to Kate Duncan Smith School, and also a box of books to the Merchant Marine Library.

We have given one historical essay prize of \$5.00 in The University of Georgia, and two citizenship medals in the Junior High School.

Our interest has been greatly manifested in Conservation and Thrift. To Red Cross we gave \$36.00, also assistance in canvassing, etc.; T. B. Seals \$10.00, and assistance in canvassing; trees, 92; 60 dogwood; pansy plants, 2,000; magnolias, 2; grass seed, 200 pounds; beautification of lawns and gardens with Italian grass, \$5.00; lilies, 6 dozen; daffodils and jonquils, one bushel; fig trees, seven; shrubs, 224, and \$15.00; bulbs, 800; flower seed, 35 packets.

In human conservation we have been active in caring for families physically unfit.

We furnished a committee to assist with the Roosevelt Ball.

In historical research, we have located an old Fort (Lamar) in Madison County, about fifteen miles from Athens.

Our Chapter used their influence and cooperation in the naming of the Wm. H. Crawford Highway.

Our Regent gave a talk on National Defense at the dedication of the Club House of the American Legion Auxiliary.

The Count d'Estaing Chapter of the Children of the American Revolution is one year old. They have historical programs, consisting in studying the lives of such men as Elijah Clarke, LaFayette, Count d'Estaing, Oglethorpe and others. In their social hour they make handi-work, which they sell to defray their necessary expenses. They paid .50 per capita for National dues; \$1.00 to Harriett M. Lothrop Memorial Fund, and \$1.00 to Tamassee. Surely this young Society is enterprising and worthwhile in study, interest, patriotism and making money. They have a most efficient Direc-

tor—and in sponsoring them, we feel very proud of “our children.”

Our D. A. R. books and magazines are safely kept—and at the disposal of our members for reference at all times. Our Year Book contains splendid and interesting programs.

The Chairman of Better Films reports that we have had excellent educational and historical pictures this year. The reviews are placed in the school libraries—also self-addressed cards to The University of Georgia Library.

We have mailed 28 attractive cards to the Chairman of Historical Post Cards. To Constitution Hall, we contributed \$17.20 (.05 per capita requirement of our 84 members)—\$13.00 from the Constitution Hall Birthday Party. A contribution of old gold has been sent to the Memory Book. We contributed also to Meadow Garden.

Cards of remembrance were sent to our Real Daughters.

To add to our Chapter's delight, two beautiful flags were presented during the year—the United States Flag, by Mrs. Julian McCurry, and the D. A. R. Flag by Mrs. Harrison Heidler, in memory of her mother, Mrs. George T. Hodgson, our late beloved Chaplain.

We feel that the greatest achievement which has been our privilege and pleasure to attain came at the close of this year. This was the entertaining of the Georgia State Conference. The information and inspiration received from them will be of great value and assistance to our Chapter.

#### **ATLANTA CHAPTER, ATLANTA**

##### **Mrs. Frances Brown Chase, Regent**

Carried out every phase of program requested by State Society.

“Craigie House” was reconditioned; repairs \$417.04.

Regular meetings held, with splendid attendance. Patriotic and Historic days commemorated.

Outstanding event of the year, through gift of Mrs. D. R. Peteet of a very considerable check, the Chapter was able to purchase a Steinway Grand Piano, as a memorial to her mother—and our beloved former Regent, Mrs. Joseph Madison High.

Three radio broadcasts over WSB; commercial value \$450.00.

A box to Ellis Island. Attended ceremony at U. S. District Court, fifteen foreign-born applicants admitted to American Citizenship. Immigrants Manuals distributed.

Located and marked grave of Revolutionary Soldier, Thomas Waldrop, Fayette County (at Bottoms family cemetery).

Members gave over three hundred hours to Red Cross; during Red Cross Roll Call, \$10.00; contributed to ward at Hospital No. 48; Christmas Seals bought; Regent sent Christmas message through press.

Have cooperated with National and State projects. Furnished speakers for Community Chest. Members attended wrecking of first “Slum house,” also address of Secretary Ickes.

Contributed to Poppy Day and Forget-me-not Day.

Armistice Day exercises participated in, also Army and Navy Day at Fort McPherson.

Members sponsored and assisted in passage of “Teachers Oath of Allegiance to America” passed by Legislature.

Attended educational programs—Georgia Agricultural Extension and Vocational Department.

Martha Washington luncheon was a delightful social affair. Mrs. Julian McCurry, Vice-President General; Mrs. Julius Talmadge,

former Vice-President General; Mrs. Harold Nicholson, State Curator, and other Past Officers were present.

Gift scholarships maintained amounts to \$2,975.00. This represents fourteen scholarships. Medals given, value \$30.00.

Genealogical Research Committee collected a wealth of valuable papers, including unpublished wills, Colonial land-grants, tombstone inscriptions, and family charts, all in Department of Archives and History.

Members sent Coats of Arms to Rhodes Memorial Hall exhibition. Book donated to Genealogical Traveling Library. Forty books added to Library at Chapter House, also Constitution of United States.

Committee on International Patriotic Current Events contributed data from Italy, France, China, and Japan for Scrap Book.

Members attended affair in honor of Ruth Bryan Owen, Minister to Denmark. Regent sent corsage for Atlanta Chapter.

A picture of first Continental Congress presented by Mrs. Sallie Johnson Cocke, a representative at said Congress.

LaFayette Day commemorated by a unique program, entirely in French, address, music, and the French Flag was loaned for the occasion by Hon. Charles Lorigans, French Consul.

Flag-stone placed in Washington Crossing Park, Pennsylvania at Memorial Flag-staff at Continental Soldiers' graves, in which thirteen Original States are represented.

Better Films pre-views attended and reports sent. Ten subscriptions to "Guide" to Motion Pictures.

National Defense through Patriotic Education stressed.

Press work carried on.

Cooperated with Patriotic Societies in giving two elaborate receptions to Mrs. Robert J. Johnston, of Iowa; honor guests: Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent, and Mrs. Julian McCurry, Vice-President General; also to Mrs. Joseph S. Calfee, of St. Louis, Mo., President General, Daughters of the American Colonists.

Our own Dolly Madison Society, C. A. R., was featured at March meeting.

Thirty-five dollars contributed to Constitution Hall.

We report five deaths in membership: Mrs. Chas. L. Gately (Fannie Lamar Rankin), Mrs. Lewis D. Lowe (Frances Smith), Mrs. Louis Gholstin (Mary Butt), Mrs. Henry P. Scales (Mary Zulette Berry), and Miss Cora Anne Brown.

Two marriages: Miss Lida Mell to Robert Holbrook Perkins, Miss Marjorie Isabella McMillen to LeRoy Ernest Swift.

In closing let me say we have accomplished what has, so far as known, been done in no other Chapter—we have Quintuplets—Five Galt sisters having sent papers to Atlanta Chapter for membership.

## JOSEPH HABERSHAM CHAPTER, ATLANTA

Mrs. C. J. Sheehan, Regent

Through the splendid work of Miss Juanita Chisholm, Chairman of Patriotic Days, the Joseph Habersham Chapter, D. A. R., has observed programs of value and interest at every regular monthly meeting.

The Chapter has met all requirements of National and State work, has budgeted money for the Honor Roll, contributed \$25.00 to help liquidate the debt on Constitution Hall, and has donated gold to be used for clasps on the Memory Book.

Mrs. F. E. Brownell, a member of the Joseph Habersham Chap-

ter, personally donated through the Chapter \$50.00 to help liquidate the debt on Constitution Hall. This makes a total of \$75.00 sent for this purpose from the Chapter.

The Chapter has taken an active part in NRA drives, Conservation and Thrift, and attended court when aliens were admitted into citizenship.

Our Chairman of Scholarships, Mrs. T. J. Ripley, reports nineteen scholarships filled, value \$2,700.

A bronze medal, the "Spinning Wheel" is given each year through the Chapter to the most efficient student of the Army R. O. T. C. Georgia Tech. The donor this year is Mrs. James Brawner, Past Regent.

The Magazine Chairman reports two renewals to the D. A. R. Magazine.

The Chapter contributed a valuable set of Genealogical books, 1, 2, 3, and compendiums to the Traveling Genealogical Library.

The Chapter was the recipient of several valuable gifts; namely, a bond of \$100 in memory of Mrs. John A. Perdue by her daughters, and two \$100 bonds by Colonel Frederic J. Paxton in memory of Mrs. Paxton; a beautiful original painting, interior of a pioneer home, by Miss Alice Harris, a local artist of note; a large American Flag and Standard, presented by the Regent's daughter, Mrs. J. J. Dinsmore.

November 13, the Chapter was the guest of Mrs. Phinzy F. Calhoun, honoring the birthday of her mother, Mrs. William Lawson Peel, founder of the Joseph Habersham Chapter.

Two Revolutionary Soldiers' graves located: Major Edward White, great grandfather of Mrs. C. J. Sheehan, grave located in Colonial Cemetery, Savannah, Ga.; Colonel William Brooks, great grandfather of Mrs. W. F. Dykes, place of burial Lexington, Ga.

Seven new members added, two deaths. Membership at present time, 268.

We report with deepest regret the passing of two of our beloved members, Mrs. John A. Perdue and Mrs. Frederic J. Paxton. The Chapter held a beautiful memorial service in their honor.

## **AUGUSTA CHAPTER, AUGUSTA**

### **Mrs. Frederick E. Smith, Regent**

The Augusta Chapter has eighty-eight resident members, fifteen non-resident members, three new members, three transfers, and eight resignations during the year. One death has taken Mrs. Adeline Levy Cohen from us.

The Program Committee has planned programs of the highest historical and cultural values which have appreciably strengthened interest and increased attendance. All special days have been observed and we have had leading speakers of the State take part on these programs. Each program has been prefaced by the Pledge to the Flag, the American's Creed, patriotic music and an impressive devotional led by the Chapter Chaplain.

A splendid Year Book was printed. One program included an unusual exhibit of valuable Indian relics with a lecture by Mr. Jouett Davenport, owner of the relics.

The Chapter was represented at the United States Court where naturalization exercises were held. Applicants for naturalization were given Manuals. Letters of Good Will and encouragement were written by the Regent to each applicant.

Three adult illiterate foreigners were taught to read and write.

The Preamble of the Constitution of the United States was used as a basis of discussion and inspiration to Good Citizenship to help these Chinese women who were a part of a larger group of Chinese women.

Armistice Day was celebrated at Meadow Garden with a program of music and an address by General Peter Traub, U. S. Army, Retired. These exercises were concluded by a tea served by Mrs. Sanford Gardner, Chairman of Meadow Garden.

A most successful exhibit of bed spreads and quilts was made. Many of those on exhibit had rare historical value and interest.

The Chapter sponsored the movement to organize an Augusta Museum.

At Christmas time the Chapter helped with the decorations of the halls and dining rooms at the Government Hospital, the Lenwood, and has furnished two entertainments for the Veteran patients during the year.

We cooperated with the collection of toys to be reconstructed and used for charity. A Thanksgiving shower was given the Caretaker of Meadow Garden.

Through our efficient Chapter Historian, Mrs. A. H. Brenner, assisted by Mrs. Oswell Eve, the Chapter is taking part in compiling Augusta History from 1700 through 1783. This period of history will be presented in Pageantry during May.

A prize of five dollars each was given to three High School students making the highest record in History.

A Tea was given at Meadow Garden honoring our State Historian, Mrs. J. L. Beeson, and a Past State Regent, Mrs. Akerman, and other prominent D. A. R. visitors in our City.

The Caretaker's cottage at Meadow Garden was renovated and general repairs were made on Meadow Garden. A total of \$496.75 was spent. These extra expenditures account for the fact that the Chapter does not meet every request that is made for disbursements in other activities.

## ELIZABETH WASHINGTON CHAPTER, AUGUSTA

Mrs. W. I. Wilson, Regent

The Elizabeth Washington Chapter held nine meetings during the year in the homes of the members, with our Flag always present. All meetings opened with prayer led by Mrs. Blasingame, our Chaplain—the Pledge to the Flag and the American's Creed. All State and National dues are paid. Our chain of membership remains unbroken. Miss Mary J. Burnley, our real Granddaughter, now lives in Florida and enjoys fine health. We send her a nice little remembrance at Christmas, and of course, she is exempt from all dues.

At the February meeting an interesting paper was read by Mrs. C. G. Cordle, Vice-Regent, on Washington and His Travels. Our Chairman for Red Cross work, Miss Katherine Mealing, gives most satisfactory service, and Mrs. Thomas, Chairman of the Hospital Committee, brings in fine reports from the "Lenwood," where our World War soldiers are so efficiently cared for. We help with the various activities—sell Christmas seals, help on Poppy Day, Armistice Day, and all occasions find us ready.

The excessive financial agitation has retarded our benevolent work—but compensation comes through our Historical department. Our Regent was selected several months ago to write the History of the Harmony Presbyterian Church in lower South Carolina. She began with the first service held in the open air, near the rippling

waters of Whippy Swamp, in the summer of 1866, and gave concisely and in chronological order a beautiful story of the establishing of this splendid little Church upon lands donated by her parents, the late Major William James Gooding and Elizabeth Ann Terry his wife, whose forbears were among the first settlers. Mrs. Wilson's work was highly complimented by the Synod, filed and is among the Archives. The past winter our Regent presented to this little house of God, several dozen books, book cases and a few good pictures, as the nucleus for a Sunday School Library. The gift was accepted with appropriate exercises at a meeting called to commemorate the occasion. And in compliment to the donor and perpetuating the name of her mother, this memorial will be henceforth known as the Elizabeth Gooding Library.

Many books and magazines have been given to the Grammar Schools, and scores of Flag Codes distributed.

### BAINBRIDGE CHAPTER, BAINBRIDGE

Mrs. P. S. Cummings, Regent

The Bainbridge Chapter has forty members and two applications are in Washington. It has regular monthly meetings and the subject of the programs for the year has been on "Georgia Indians and Their Neighbors," based on an outline sent out by the State Chairman. All of the meetings have been opened with a prayer. All historical anniversaries have been observed; and patriotic songs have been sung.

We are honored with having Mrs. J. M. Simmons, State Consulting Registrar, as a member of our Chapter. At the November meeting we had the privilege of having the State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel, visit the Chapter together with Mrs. J. S. Adams, Second Vice-Regent; Mrs. E. B. Freeman, Chairman, Gift Scholarship, and Mrs. A. S. Coleman, State Chairman of Constitution Hall Memory Book.

All Honor Roll requirements have been met. We are giving two prizes in our school for the best average in American History. We have bought a D. A. R. Banner to be used at Chapter meetings and in the Flag Processional at our State meeting. A donation was made by the Chapter for the purchase of a plate to present to Mrs. Roosevelt, to be used in the Georgia White House.

We have helped with Public Welfare work in Bainbridge at Christmas, contributing \$6.00, and at various other times our members have responded to calls for charity. In Conservation and Thrift our Chapter Chairman reports 800 shrubs and trees, which have been planted by our members during the past year.

We have forwarded three papers to the State Chairman for Filing and Lending. Many tombstone inscriptions and a number of records of old wills have been sent to State Historian. One Indian mound in our neighboring vicinity has been located, which we hope with the help of the Government to have excavated soon. We are also trying to obtain help from the Government to aid in re-working monuments and building iron fences around the Markers at Fort Scott and Fort Recovery. Accounts of all our meetings have been sent to the State Editor as well as to our local papers.

The most outstanding work of the year was the completion of the Andrew Jackson Trail Marker, the work of the Chapter for some months, which unveiling took place on November 3rd; the State Regent and other distinguished guests being present and making

inspirational talks. This Marker was placed on a lot in West Bainbridge, occupied by the Gulf Refining Company; it is a beautiful bronze Marker with a boulder of native rock.

#### **LAMAR-LaFAYETTE CHAPTER, BARNESVILLE**

**Mrs. M. W. Smith, Regent**

The Lamar-LaFayette Chapter, D. A. R., has 21 paid members and one paper in Washington. The meetings are held in the homes monthly; they are instructive and enjoyable, with good attendance.

A medal is given to the student in the seventh grade who makes the highest average in American History.

The Chapter cooperates with patriotic and civic organizations.

Assistance to the amount of \$30.00 was given a Gordon College pupil. A scholarship in Art for one year was donated by Mrs. Mamie Lee Solomon Burns. The Chapter met Honor Roll requirements.

We sustained a great loss in the death of our beloved and efficient Regent, Mrs. E. L. Coleman.

#### **GOVERNOR PETER EARLY CHAPTER, BLAKELY**

**Mrs. R. C. Singletary, Regent**

The monthly meetings of Governor Peter Early Chapter have been well attended with the United States Flag always prominently displayed. After the opening prayer from the Ritual, or the Lord's Prayer in unison, the members repeated the Pledge to the Flag and the American's Creed.

The patriotic days have been observed with public exercises rendered by the school children or with a public speaker.

One member has been transferred, leaving a total of twenty-three members in the Chapter. We have one two-year subscription to the D. A. R. Magazine. Our Scholarship Fund is being used by two worthy local girls.

A gift of \$2.00 has been made to Constitution Hall and \$15.00 contributed for school books for needy children. One Citizenship medal and two American History medals are offered in the school.

#### **LANAHASSEE CHAPTER, BUENA VISTA**

**Mrs. J. S. Burgin, Regent**

The Chapter reports an active and successful year. Meetings were held at the homes and were well attended. All Patriotic days were observed. Nine interesting and instructive programs were prepared.

Kit of clothing was given to County Nurse to be used where most needed.

Still give prizes and medals for History in our school. Gave County History to Memorial Hall. Have D. A. R. program year book. State and National dues paid.

Sent gold to Constitution Hall to be used on Memory Book clasp.

Monthly meeting sent to papers. One subscription to D. A. R. Magazine. Sent paper, subject, "Georgia." Gave to Memorial Hall \$2.00. Donation to Meadow Garden \$1.00. Gave Washington Tea. Observed Georgia Day, February 12th.

## BRUNSWICK CHAPTER, BRUNSWICK

Mrs. C. H. Leavy, Regent

Brunswick Chapter has 52 members. Attractive Year Books contained programs on the Georgia Indians. At one meeting relics of the Indians living on St. Simons Island and the mainland were shown, including beautiful pottery and arrow heads, which had been found on the beach and elsewhere.

A study and discussion of current events features each meeting, with helpful talks by members and others.

An outstanding event of the year was a beautiful luncheon meeting in October, when the State Regent was an honored guest, addressing the assembly of members and other guests. Hon. Victor Davidson, of Irwinton, Ga., prominent historian, also addressed the meeting, his subject being "DeSoto's Expedition Through Georgia."

Graves of John Bachlott and Cyrus Dart, Revolutionary Soldiers, have been located, also graves of Ann Harris Dart and Martha Stafford Wiggins, and bronze Markers are in hand, and appropriate dedication exercises for all of them will be held at an early date. Ann H. Dart was the wife and Martha Stafford Wiggins the daughter, of Revolutionary Soldiers.

Flag Codes and lessons were distributed in the schools, and special study programs observed in February. A number of suitable books were donated to the High School Library, and a box of books of fiction was sent to the American Merchant Marine Library in New Orleans. We take pride in a handsome Scrap Book, arranged in chronological order. A box of material, valued at \$10.00 was shipped to Ellis Island.

A gold medal is presented in High School for excellence in American History, and a cash award is given in the Domestic Arts class also. A prize of \$5.00 is to be presented in Grammar School in a Patriotic Songs contest. We sponsored greater use of living Christmas Trees, and sold Christmas Seals. Substantial contributions were made to the Red Cross, Y. W. C. A., and to the Constitution Hall funds.

Georgia Day was appropriately observed. A pamphlet on the History of Old Midway Church was sent to Continental Hall Library, and one on the family history of a member was given to the Traveling Genealogical Library. An antique plate will be presented to the D. A. R. Museum at Washington.

In February, a special program on Patriotic Education was given by a group of children, all descendants of soldiers of the American Revolution, under the direction of the Chapter Chairman.

Brunswick Chapter has endorsed House Bill No. 4875, introduced in the United States Congress by the Hon. Braswell Deen, Representative from the Eighth Congressional District, which provides for the establishment of a national monument at Fort Frederica, on St. Simons Island, Georgia, to be known as the "Fort Frederica National Shrine," and a resolution has been prepared asking this Conference for its support and endorsement, and further, praying that Georgia will present a like resolution to the D. A. R. Congress meeting in April, as the project is of National significance.

Brunswick Chapter is honored by having one of its members, Miss Virginia Sapp, chosen to serve as a Page at Continental Congress next month.

Total expenditures for the year, \$183.30.

## CAIRO CHAPTER, CAIRO

**Mrs. Wayne Walker, Regent**

The Cairo Chapter of the D. A. R. has twenty-five members, one living out-of-town. We held our regular monthly meetings in the homes of our members. Patriotic days have been observed. We placed our D. A. R. Magazine in the Woman's Club Library for reference. We used programs for meetings outlined by State Chairman.

The Chapter presented to the North Side Grammar School and High School two large Georgia Flags.

The Chairman of National Defense has made a monthly report and has kept us posted on latest news.

Historical books will be given for best average in American History in both Grammar and High School.

Mrs. Magna's birthday was observed by a penny collection and \$1.00 sent to Constitution Hall.

One of the most joyous occasions of the year was the George Washington Tea and Guest Day. Another outstanding meeting was the opening social of the year, a Chicken Fry.

We are glad to report a Chapter Scrap Book.

For our project this year we organized a Girls' Home Makers Club.

There is one scholarship in the Treasury, \$40.00.

## ETOWAH CHAPTER, CARTERSVILLE

**Mrs. Abb B. Harrison, Regent**

It is an honor and a very great pleasure to bring to the State Conference for my first time as Regent of the Etowah Chapter hearty greetings from all the Daughters and at the same time submit a report of the work accomplished the past year.

We have a membership of 48. Three of these members have been added to our roll this year.

We have had our meetings in the homes of the members, with a good attendance, interest and cooperation. Our meetings are opened with a devotional from the D. A. R. Ritual, by our Chaplain.

We have had the programs, songs and historical anniversaries observed, based on the data sent out by our State Chairman of Programs.

Last October the Etowah Chapter, of Cartersville, and the Oothcaloga Chapter, of Adairsville, unveiled a Marker on the grave of Major John Lewis, a Revolutionary Soldier, in Adairsville, with appropriate ceremonies.

At our January meeting we had a very interesting lecture about the Indian Mounds of Bartow County.

A Scrap Book is being kept, which gives a complete history of the Chapter's activities. We have contributed a box of books to the American Merchant Marine Library. Our members have assisted in the Red Cross Roll Call and aided charitable organizations of our town.

We have paid our State and National dues and have contributed to the following: D. A. R. Manual, Marking Historic Spots, Ellis Island, Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan Student Loan Fund, one subscription to the D. A. R. Magazine for the City Library, \$5.00 to Constitution Hall, \$5.00 School Essay Prize, \$7.50 expense for Marker.

## **TOMOCHICHI CHAPTER, CLARKESVILLE**

**Mrs. Phil Ogletree, Regent**

The Tomochichi Chapter has held regular meetings in the homes of the members. All Historical and Patriotic days have been observed on the programs. The Chapter has thirty-four members and an average attendance of fifty per cent.

On June 14th, the Chapter placed a Marker on the spot where stood "Chopped Oak," a historic tree used by the Cherokee Indians to record their treaties. We combined this exercise with a Flag Day program of music and readings.

The Chapter gave a scholarship to Camp Wilkins and sent a box of books to the Merchant Marine Library. The Regent was County Chairman of the Red Cross Roll Call and several members were active in the work. We bought Christmas Seals to the amount of \$34.00.

All members did charity work in their community and helped to eradicate illiteracy by giving clothes and books to children so that they might attend school. We gave an American Flag to an Opportunity School and urged attendance.

We have located the graves of three Revolutionary Soldiers and are making a drive to double our membership.

We have lost by death a beloved member, Miss Addie Bass, Historian and Honorary Regent. We dedicated our Year Book to her as our Organizing Regent and established a prize in the Expression Department of Piedmont College to bear her name. We also placed an official lay member Marker on her grave at Milledgeville, Ga.

## **BUTTON GWINNETT CHAPTER, COLUMBUS**

**Mrs. J. M. Murrah, Regent**

Our meetings have been held regularly on the first Thursday in each month, with the exception of the three summer months; about two-thirds attending regularly. The meetings are opened with the prescribed Ritual led by our Chaplain. We have the Pledge to the Flag and the recitation of the American's Creed, whenever practical a patriotic song.

The theme for the Year Book has been "This America of Ours," with special emphasis on Georgia and Georgians. The Year Book is dedicated to Button Gwinnett, a famous Georgian.

All patriotic days have been observed with programs and press notices. All Honor Roll requirements have been met and special contributions made in several instances.

Many trees and shrubs have been planted and one tree sent to our President General's farm. Books, clothing and food have been given to the underprivileged. Christmas toys, fruits, and candies were distributed to the children, also remembered colored children.

The Chapter cooperated in civic and welfare work, both local and national, committees assisting with Red Cross, Christmas Seals, Community Chest, Roosevelt Ball and the dedication of the City's new post office. We had the pleasure of participating in the ceremonies and placing our Year Book in the corner stone.

Chapter keeps a Scrap Book of general interest to D. A. R. members.

A survey of the schools of the City and County was made as to the teaching of American History.

Old Bible and Cemetery records have been reported. The grave

of one Revolutionary ancestor, Shadrack Rowe, has been located and a Marker ordered.

The Chairman of the American Merchant Marine Library has forwarded 45 volumes to New Orleans.

Creditable work has been done by the Girls' Home Makers Clubs and an award of \$1.50 has been offered for a special work.

To stimulate interest in posters for Citizenship the Chairman has offered \$2.00 for best poster and honorable mention for next three, all of these selected to be placed in the High Schools.

Georgia Day and George Washington's Birthday were observed jointly with the other two Columbus Chapters with a Book Review Luncheon, using the work of a Georgia author for review.

Constitution and LaFayette days received special attention. The three Chapters presented the illustrated lecture, "Constitution," with accompanying program to which the High School History class was invited. The slides were afterwards taken to the High School and the lecture given for them.

The Chapter observed Mrs. Magna's birthday by sending \$5.00 for Constitution Hall. We have purchased one volume of her book of verse. Other donations are: \$2.50 for Roosevelt-Gaffney plates; to Meadow Garden, \$5.00. We give two scholarships to the Industrial High, amounting to \$20.00. We have contributed \$2.00 to Kate Duncan Smith, and \$2.00 to Tamasse. A gift of \$5.00 was sent to Ellis Island and \$1.00 sent for purchasing Georgia Book Plates for Constitution Hall Library. In cooperation with other groups a fund of \$10.00 was raised for use by the Better Films Chairman. We have several subscribers to Better Films Guide.

We assisted in entertaining the State meeting of the Colonial Dames.

Our Chapter has purchased a D. A. R. Banner for the Processional in State Conference.

We have five subscribers to D. A. R. Magazine.

The Chapter has paid all Honor Roll requirements for 53 members, nine of these are new members.

We have sent one historical paper to Mrs. Warthen.

## GEORGE WALTON CHAPTER, COLUMBUS

Mrs. J. H. Walton, Regent

George Walton Chapter has 61 members, five non-resident; thirteen new members; one lost by resignation, one by transfer, three members dropped for non-payment of dues. Three application papers are pending.

Regular monthly meetings have been held with historical programs, patriotic music and a D. A. R. article read at each meeting. The percentage of attendance has been about 60 per cent.

Last spring we completed the programs on "The Seven Wonder Spots of Georgia" and copies of these papers have been given to the Columbus Public Library. The Year Book for 1934-35 was devoted to "The National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution; Its Organization, Properties and Activities."

The Chapter has two subscriptions to the D. A. Magazine.

On July 4, 1934, we celebrated the thirty-third birthday anniversary of our Chapter. A charter member, Mrs. Jane Bruce Freeman, of Columbus, was the honor guest. An address by Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, former Vice-President General, a sketch of the life of George Walton and the history of the George Walton Chapter were the program features and Mrs. John H. Walton, Regent, was hostess at a beautiful luncheon.

The life of George Walton was written by Miss Edna Jessop, and the history of the Chapter by Mrs. W. C. Campbell and Miss Jessop.

Two scholarships valued at \$10.00 each have been given at the Industrial High School, and clothes have been given to needy children. A program was given on D. A. R. Approved Schools, lantern slides being used.

Pictures have been hung on the walls of the new Post Office, and in the two High Schools. We have urged a study of the Correct Use of the Flag and distributed Flag Codes; urged the memorizing of the American's Creed, and have stressed the need of registering, voting, and studying the government of City, County, State, and Nation.

The Chapter has a large Flag, has purchased a Ritual, has furnished a radio speaker on a Citizenship program, participated in the dedication of the Post Office, has two State Chairmanships and a membership on a National D. A. R. Committee, has sent forty books to the Merchant Marine Library, magazines to the CCC camp at Fort Benning, has contributed \$15.00 to Constitution Hall, sent a box to Ellis Island, contributed \$2.70 to the D. A. R. Forest Park, placed Immigrants' Manuals in the Public Library and the schools.

Cooperation with civic undertakings has included the Milk Fund, Christmas Seals, Red Cross Roll Call, Roosevelt Ball, NRA, Boy Scouts, Empty Stocking Fund, Community Chest, Armistice Day, Junior Theatre, Welfare work, Public Health Nurses, and the Columbus Porch of Georgia Hall at Warm Springs.

Accounts of all meetings have been published and a story of the luncheon tendered to Mrs. Lowell Fletcher Hobart, former President General, with the two other Chapters, was sent to the D. A. R. Magazine. Our Scrap Book contains a printed and pictured account of the year's activities.

We observed all patriotic days. The Chapter has sponsored a bridge tea and a moving picture. In response to request from the State Chairman of the Traveling Genealogical Library, members are compiling additional lines of Revolutionary descent and also those that antedate their Revolutionary ancestor. Three historical papers written by Chapter members have been accepted by the National Committee on Filing and Lending.

As Chairman of Better Films Committee of the three Columbus Chapters, Miss Julia Traylor has been highly commended by the State Chairman, and was honored by the gift from Hollywood of a beautiful mirror used by Marlene Dietrich. In Historical Research, Mrs. C. T. McDonald has copied: 232 tombstone records, eight deeds, two photostatic copies of land grants, one family record, six Bible records, and one will, the most extensive work of its kind ever done by the Chapter.

## OGLETHORPE CHAPTER, COLUMBUS

### Mrs. George Burrus, Jr., Regent

Oglethorpe Chapter has 95 members. There are 85 resident members, and the average attendance is about fifty. Thirteen new members have been received, two by transfer, and one re-instated. Eight papers pending.

At the first meeting of the 1934-35 season, the Regent urged as special accomplishments for the Chapter: Better attendance, meet all Honor Roll requirements; make Chapter budget; stick to D. A. R. activities; mark Oglethorpe; celebration of the Chapter birthday, honoring its founder, Miss Anna Caroline Benning; meet all obligations and fill all requirements as a loyal D. A. R.

Contacts have been made with every State Chairman, and every request complied with, to the best of the Chapter's ability.

The idea of the Traveling Genealogical Library originated in Oglethorpe Chapter, by Mrs. J. D. Wadsworth, now State Chairman. Through Mrs. Willard Cooper, for Oglethorpe Chapter, 19 copies of the magazine of American Genealogy and two volumes of New Haven, Conn., records were donated.

A list of all Patriotic days as outlined by the D. A. R. has been placed in the Chapter Year Book, and each day as it occurs celebrated with special ceremony. Each day has been featured by a radio broadcast; display of flags from the residences of the members and from business houses. Also editorials have appeared in the local press. Oglethorpe's handsome American Flag has been placed in a conspicuous Broadway window attracting especial attention to each Patriotic Day. Many of the Patriotic Days are observed in the schools.

National Defense Week was celebrated February 12 to 22nd, with elaborate programs of a public nature, including speakers at meetings of men's civic meetings, newspaper articles and editorials. The Chairman, Mrs. Jones Perryman, gave a broadcast on National Defense. Copies of the National Defense News are placed in local libraries. The youth in the schools have been encouraged to study the laws of our country and to become useful citizens. Communism has been combatted. Lectures on Citizenship have been given at the Good-Will Center. Members of the Chapter have visited Ellis Island, and have attended Naturalization Courts.

Miss Benning was honored at a tea in December. She was the founder of the Chapter. She served her Chapter as Regent and Registrar; the State as Regent, and she is the only member ever elected to serve as Vice-President General twice.

The Chapter joined other patriotic societies in honoring Mrs. Lowell Fletcher Hobart at a luncheon. She addressed the meeting on the "D. A. R. Aims and Purposes."

The Chapter reports with regrets the death of Miss Benning. Notice of her death was sent to the D. A. R. Magazine.

We have participated in both Human Conservation and Conservation of Natural Resources. Hundreds of trees and shrubs have been planted.

A treasured possession is a gavel made from an historic tree at Broken Arrow, Ala.

Oglethorpe Oak at the foot of Broadway, marks the spot where Oglethorpe crossed the Chattahoochee, and this tree will be marked, at cost of \$50.00.

All Honor Roll requirements, \$196.00, were paid. Total disbursements, \$883.89.

## **JAMES PITTMAN CHAPTER, COMMERCE**

### **Mrs. C. E. Pittman, Regent**

The James Pittman Chapter sends greetings. Regular monthly meetings are held from September through June. Forty-two members on roll. Two resigned; one dropped; two papers pending; three new members.

We have the D. A. R. Ritual, followed by singing some patriotic song, and Pledge to the Flag. The American Legion and D. A. R. jointly sponsored Armistice Day with program at school auditorium.

The President General's birthday was celebrated and a voluntary offering of \$3.00 was given by the members. All meetings are reported to local paper, and all activities are reported to the State Chairman. All Honor Roll requirements have been met.

In Conservation and Thrift our members have been active. Two hundred shrubs and trees have been planted. A prize of \$5.00 was given to High School student making the highest monthly average above ninety in United States History. Four dollars was given in prizes to the fifth, sixth and seventh grades memorizing and singing best some selected patriotic song.

About two-thirds of our members attend the monthly meetings. Two subscriptions to D. A. R. Magazine. Articles of interest have been added to our Scrap Book, which is well on the way to completion. Our Chairman of Better Films has been very active in bringing before us the best pictures to view.

The Regent has been getting up genealogical data; 50 typewritten pages have been completed; 10 copies of wills dating from 1750 to 1836. Five family lines traced. The Regent is County Historian.

Eight graves of Revolutionary Soldiers located. Two old trails.

National Society dues \$42.00; State dues \$8.40; D. A. R. Manual for Citizenship \$4.20; National Defense through Patriotic Education \$6.30; Ellis Island \$1.26; Publicity and Bulletin 84 cents; Georgia D. A. R. Forest Park, \$2.10; Constitution Hall, \$5.10; Kenmore Gardens, \$4.20; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$2.10; Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan Student Loan Fund, \$4.20; Marking Oglethorpe Highway, \$2.10; Traveling Genealogical Library, \$4.20; Historic Spots, \$2.00; Medals and Prizes, \$9.00; Floral offerings, \$5.00; Welfare of Women and Children, \$10.00. Total, \$100.00.

## **COL. JOHN McINTOSH CHAPTER, CONYERS**

### **Mrs. C. B. Fitzgerald, Regent**

Membership, 19. Regular monthly meetings at homes of members. At each meeting the regular Historic programs were followed. Celebrated Armistice Day at civic celebration with patriotic float.

National dues and State dues paid. Immigrant's Manual, \$1.90; National Defense, \$2.85; Georgia D. A. R. Forest Park, 95 cents; Constitution Hall, \$2.95; Kenmore Gardens, \$1.90; Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan Student Loan Fund, \$1.90; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00. A prize of \$7.50 was given to Conyers High School for the best average in History.

One subscription to D. A. R. Magazine. Total, \$37.25.

## **FORT EARLY CHAPTER, CORDELE**

### **Mrs. D. H. Standard, Regent**

Fort Early Chapter has 38 resident members and two non-resident members. One member has resigned and we have received one member by transfer. We have met all Honor Roll requirements. We give each year a D. A. R. medal to the student in the local High School making the highest average in American History. We are offering a Good Citizenship medal in the graduating class of the local Junior High School. We have bought one copy of the official D. A. R. Ritual and an autographed copy of Mrs. Magna's Collected Verse to be placed on our shelf at the local Carnegie

Library. We sent two Historic Post Cards to the State Chairman. We have observed Patriotic Days and have had very interesting meetings during the year.

### **SERGEANT NEWTON CHAPTER, COVINGTON**

**Miss Annabel Robinson, Regent**

Forty-seven members. Fulfilled all Honor Roll requirements. Chapter has given three scholarships in Covington High School for Chairman, Ways and Means Committee, Mrs. T. C. Swann. A Beauty Pageant was sponsored at local theater.

Two Edith Scott Magna Good Citizenship medals have been given in Covington school. Chapter observed Mrs. Magna's birthday and an offering of \$2.70 was sent to Constitution Hall. We gave books to a child in fifth grade, valued at \$4.00.

All patriotic days have been observed. Programs outlined by Mrs. J. L. Beeson have been carried out.

\$1,016.50 cash has been given to the needy by members.

We have ten meetings a year; they are well attended and are held in the homes of members. At each meeting we have prayer, a patriotic song and Pledge to the Flag. The meetings are reported to the local paper and a notice is sent to the State Editor.

A splendid National Defense message is given to the Chapter each month by the Chairman.

The Chairman of Bible Records has worked untiringly and has sent in fifty-two Bible records.

The fortieth birthday of our Chapter was observed in February. Our Chairman of Better Films has given lists of pictures published by our National Chairman to the local theater manager and to manager of Porterdale theater.

Cards have been sent to Georgia's Real Daughters. Patriotic songs, American's Creed, and Pledge to the Flag are taught in City and County schools.

One thousand two hundred shrubs and bulbs have been planted by members. Members helped with Red Cross drive and contributed to Red Cross.

### **BENJAMIN HAWKINS CHAPTER, CUTHBERT**

**Mrs. Florence Alston Teel, Regent**

The Benjamin Hawkins Chapter has met all Honor Roll requirements. We have 26 members, one new member, and two applications pending. The meetings are held in the homes each month, splendid attendance by members.

All patriotic days are observed. The Historian has made the meetings interesting by giving a study of Indian life. The programs have been of special interest, being given in the form of lectures, by the professors of Andrew College with Andrew College musical faculty furnishing the music.

The material and data is ready for the publishing of Randolph County History. The County Commissioners have agreed to sponsor the expense of the publication of this history.

One of our members has accomplished splendid results in the welfare work for women and children. Being a member of the Relief Administration, a graduate Public Health Nurse, Miss Masee, the Chairman of this Committee, has been in position to do splendid work in this line.

The Chapter has decided to bind for our D. A. R. Library the D. A. R. Magazines for 1933-34, and purchased several books of historical value.

We will give the D. A. R. gold medal for best work accomplished in American History, also two for Good Citizenship, one in the grammar grades and one in High School.

Many trees and shrubs have been planted by members, and money raised by local enterprises.

Chapter Scrap Book begun and clippings and pictures sent to State Scrap Book.

Meetings published in local paper. All members exercise their right to citizenship by voting. We do charity work through our churches.

All communications from State Chairmen have been answered. We work with the local picture show and out of the list on the Review Guide from September, 1934, to March, 1935, the recommended pictures are 114, sixty-seven of which are used by our theater.

We have a Scholarship Loan of \$185.00. No outstanding debts. Disbursements for the year are: \$28.35 for Honor Roll requirements; \$26.00 State dues; \$6.00 for books; \$8.00 for medals; \$3.00 for D. A. R. Magazine.

#### GOV. JOHN MILLEDGE CHAPTER, DALTON

Mrs. C. L. Bradley, Regent

The Gov. John Milledge Chapter has met all State and National dues and Honor Roll requirements for fifty-one members. One former member has been reinstated, five are new members, and one more has paper pending. Two complete new lines were accepted from our Chapter.

Patriotic days were observed by special programs in Chapter meetings and in schools. Under the guidance of the Chairman of Education, school children placed flags on the graves of fifteen War Veterans on Armistice Day. A very impressive Armistice Day service, held at the First Methodist Church, was sponsored by the Chapter.

A benefit card party was given.

Several valuable books have been given to the Davis Memorial Library by members and friends. One member gave a set of Encyclopaedia Britannica to one of the new consolidated schools in Whitfield County. Many magazines were distributed throughout the year by Chapter members.

Members assisted in the sale of tickets and attended President's Birthday Ball.

The Chapter has purchased a copy of the new National Ritual.

By special contributions of members, money was given to have the furniture in the D. A. R. room at the local hospital refinished. Curtains, towels, and other supplies for this room were also given by members.

Material furnished by the National Defense Committee was given to teachers in the High School to be used in Citizenship programs and in training in Americanism.

Twenty dollars was used by the Chapter to purchase Citizenship and History medals which are presented to pupils in the local schools.

A subscription to the magazine, "National Defense," was given to the High School Library. The Chapter contributed \$2.50 to the

local Community Chest drive. There are two subscriptions to D. A. R. Magazine in the Chapter.

Letters were written from the Chapter to Congressmen and Senators, urging them to support a measure to erect Markers at historic points in the locality.

Some very helpful and attractive work was done on the D. A. R. Historian's Scrap Book by a class in American History, composed of Dalton High School students.

One member, who is a member of the State Board of Control, has given over a thousand bulbs to be used in beautifying the grounds of State schools and institutions. This same member has given one hundred fifty trees and shrubs for planting in local park and on school grounds in the County. One hundred twenty-five trees and shrubs were planted by Chapter members at their homes and in parks.

Several Historic Post Cards were sent to be used in the Album being arranged by the State Committee. Two dollars was sent by one member in response to a special appeal for Constitution Hall. Special gifts were sent to Meadow Garden and Tamassee. A box valued at five dollars was sent to Ellis Island.

The Gov. John Milledge Chapter has enjoyed a most interesting and active year.

#### **DOROTHY WALTON CHAPTER, DAWSON**

**Mrs. H. A. Wilkinson, Regent**

Nine meetings at homes of members, well attended, with interesting and instructive programs. Seven Patriotic days observed. Dues paid on thirty-two members, two papers pending, and several prospective members.

Contributed to Meadow Garden, Ellis Island, Publicity and Bulletin, Georgia D. A. R. Forest Park, Constitution Hall, Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, Marking Oglethorpe Highway, Traveling Genealogical Library, and one two-year subscription to D. A. R. Magazine.

We still have our Loan Fund and Scholarship Fund, which we use in assisting children of D. A. R. to be educated.

Prize for best average in American History is offered in seventh grade of local school.

#### **STONE CASTLE CHAPTER, DAWSON**

**Mrs. Jonathan Williams, Regent**

Stone Castle Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, with a membership of forty-five, reports a successful and interesting year's work.

Meetings have been held regularly, and opened with Scripture reading, prayer, patriotic songs, and Creed. All historical anniversaries have been observed.

Registrar reports the loss of four members in 1934; one reinstated in January, 1935. Four names have been recommended to the Chapter for membership, and papers are being compiled. One application has been received in Washington.

Better Films Chairman is cooperating with manager of local theater in placing sponsored pictures, and public notified each week, through local newspaper, of the outstanding picture. Twenty-five cards have been sent to Better Films Chairman.

With aid of patriotic organizations, the Daisy McNulty Memorial

Empty Stocking Fund distributed over the County fruits, candies, and toys to one hundred families, seventy-eight children, and eight adults.

Four hundred ninety-two shrubs, thirty-nine trees, and seventy-six rose bushes planted.

One scholarship at Freeman's Business School, Albany, Georgia, valued at \$38.00.

Mrs. Ivey Melton, Historian, has completed six hundred type-written pages of Terrell County History.

The Amorette Burge Dismuke Educational Fund has provided books and clothing for forty-two children, valued at \$145.63.

One program given to National Defense, with handbook used. Reports at every meeting.

We have met all Honor Roll requirements.

## **BARON DeKALB CHAPTER, DECATUR**

### **Mrs. Walter Estes, Regent**

The Baron DeKalb Chapter has fifty-seven members. Received during the year two new members and have papers for seven pending.

All patriotic days have been observed at our regular monthly meetings. One Indian program was given. We celebrated Washington's Birthday with a Silver Tea, proceeds sent to Constitution Hall. Another interesting meeting was a radio party, at the Regent's home, where we listened to a Georgia Day address by Mrs. McCall.

All Honor Roll requirements have been met; contributed to Clinic; bought a plat of ground at Kenmore; also a large Flag to be used at State Convention.

We have one gift scholarship in Piano, one D. A. R. ring is offered in High School for best essay on "Washington at Valley Forge." Five S. A. R. Citizenship medals in Grammar Schools. Collected three Bible and six Tombstone records; copies of Revolutionary pensioners and old deeds from year 1833-1840 have been sent to State Historian.

Mrs. V. A. S. Moore has sent one complete file of the Camp family bulletin to Librarian General.

Our Robert Sallette Society, C. A. R., under the leadership of Mrs. Guy Hudson, is steadily growing.

## **JOHN LAURENS CHAPTER, DUBLIN**

### **Miss Katharine Chappell, Regent**

The John Laurens Chapter has had a very active and successful year. Our regular monthly meetings have been well attended. Interesting programs on "Dames and Daughters of Young America" have been given and all patriotic and historical anniversaries have been observed. Armistice Day was celebrated with the American Legion in elaborate exercises. Members of the Chapter attended the unveiling of Marker by the John Ball Chapter designating the intersection of two old Creek Indian Trails near Allentown; also attended the unveiling of the Andrew Jackson Trail Marker, sponsored by the Bainbridge D. A. R.

We are very proud to report that our Year Book was lovingly dedicated to May Erwin Talmadge, one of our most esteemed Georgia D. A. R.

Outstanding work has been done this year on National Defense

through Patriotic Education. National Constitution Week was observed, beginning with special sermons in the churches on Sunday morning and closing Friday with a special program in the High School. American Education Week was also observed by all City schools. An award of \$5.00 will be given to the member of the senior class of the High School making the highest average in American History, two Citizenship medals will be given in the Junior High School, and \$1.00 will be given for general excellence in local High School. Short talks on National Defense have been given by the Chairman at every meeting of the Chapter.

Five dollars was donated to Constitution Hall Memory Book, \$1.00 to American Merchant Marine Library, \$5.00 to Empty Stocking Fund. Mrs. Magna's birthday was observed, and \$5.00 sent to pay debt on Constitution Hall; \$1.00 was sent to Kate Duncan Smith School, and \$1.00 to Tamasee. We cooperated in the Roosevelt Birthday Ball, Red Cross drive, and the sale of T. B. Christmas eals. Magazines and books have been given to teachers of FERA classes in our County. A copy of the D. A. R. Ritual has been purchased. The Chapter has helped in the financing and building of a Woman's Club House in our City and \$143.76 was paid on this.

There are two subscriptions to the D. A. R. Magazine, one being placed in the Carnegie Library for the use of all members. One of our members has written an article for the D. A. R. Magazine which was published in the October, 1934, issue. We have a committee on Better Films and have used the D. A. R. Guide to Motion Pictures. Our Chapter has a D. A. R. shelf in the Carnegie Library to which we have added three volumes, including an autographed copy of Mrs. Magna's Book of Verse. Reports of Chapter meetings have been sent to State and local papers. A telegram was sent to the Chairman of the Appropriations Committee of the General Assembly urging that the appropriation for the State Department of Archives and History not be reduced. We are working on the History of Laurens County and have secured the services of Mr. Victor Davidson in the completion of this work. Articles of interest have been added to our Scrap Book which has been kept by the Chapter for nineteen years. Reports have been furnished all State Chairmen.

All Honor Roll requirements have been met. We have a total membership of 67, one transfer, three dropped, and four new members. The total receipts for the year amount to \$629.52; total disbursements, \$553.00; balance in bank \$76.52.

## **COL. WILLIAM FEW CHAPTER, EASTMAN**

**Mrs. Thomas J. Sappington, Regent**

We have held regular monthly meetings, opened with Scripture reading and prayer. The American's Creed, Pledge to the Flag, and patriotic songs were a part of each program.

Each of the regular patriotic days was observed. In October, the Hawkinsville Chapter presented for us a most interesting program on "Indians of My Vicinity." Also displayed many Indian curios.

Three cash prizes of \$2.50 each were given in public school for best average in American History. One Citizenship medal was given in High School. A trophy, which cost \$5.75, was presented to the Boy Scouts, \$1.00 given on plates for Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

We are financing a local girl in college, giving assistance to an-

other college girl, and were instrumental in securing a loan for one of our most capable local boys. We promoted different projects to raise \$92.95 on our Mary Mitchell Daniel Student Loan Fund, which now amounts to \$546.20.

A "Silver Tea" was given in November in honor of our President General's birthday. We contributed \$15.00 to Constitution Hall debt. Also made a contribution to each project sponsored by our State D. A. R. Remitted \$8.75 to State Chairman to pay for our D. A. R. Flag.

In the homes of twelve of our Chapter members were window displays of brilliantly lighted trees during the Christmas season. One hundred fifty toys, fruits, nuts, and candy were given to underprivileged children. Twenty-five toys were given to the Day Nursery of the cotton mill. Practically all of our members gave generously of food and clothing to the poor.

Very attractive corsages of sweet peas were presented to senior class of High School on graduation evening.

Ten books of fiction were sent to American Merchant Marine Library in New Orleans.

Plans are being promulgated for beautifying the National Highway through our County. One hundred sixty-two trees and shrubs have been planted. The destructive use of holly was discouraged.

Through the ingenuity and generosity of Mrs. W. P. Cobb, First Vice-Regent, our Chapter had very attractive Year Books. Programs for the year featured miscellaneous topics of Revolutionary period.

We sponsored two pictures, "Alice in Wonderland" and "The Barretts of Wimpole Street." The local manager of the theater very graciously cooperates with us in every possible way. A beauty contest was also sponsored.

A quilt was made and sent to Tamassee School.

The Regent, Mrs. Thomas J. Sappington, and the Treasurer, Mrs. R. T. Ragan, attended National Congress. The Regent also attended State Conference and two Executive Board meetings.

Each meeting was written up and published in local paper. A copy of same also sent to the State Editor.

## **SAMUEL REID CHAPTER, EATONTON**

### **Mrs. J. A. Champion, Regent**

The Samuel Reid Chapter, D. A. R., Eatonton, has fourteen paid up members, one life member. Only eight resident members. Our Chapter is small but we hold regular monthly meetings and have programs when possible.

We gave D. A. R. Magazine subscription to Public Library.

We have met our Honor Roll requirements and are offering two prizes in Grammar School, a Citizenship medal and \$2.50 in cash for best average in American History.

We gave \$3.00 to school lunch room to help undernourished children.

We have a Loan Scholarship Fund for boys or girls who need help to go to college.

We are planting flowers along Dixie Highway.

In the fall of 1934 we assisted the Nancy Hart Chapter, D. A. R., of Milledgeville, in erecting a Marker in Putnam County where Baldwin County and Putnam County each held their first court trial.

We gave \$130.00 to school to help pay for basketball court.

## STEPHEN HEARD CHAPTER, ELBERTON

Mrs. William Howlett Irvin, Regent

Our Program Chairman, Miss Lizzie Wright, and her efficient committee report seventeen patriotic days have been observed, special programs of interest and value have been presented. We have fifty-two members enrolled, one pending. An average of 75 per cent of membership have attended each meeting. We use and encourage patriotic songs. Good Citizenship has been emphasized in Chapter and school at all times. The most outstanding work of Stephen Heard Chapter is that of Chapter Chairman, Mrs. Z. W. Copeland, marking Revolutionary Soldiers' graves; eleven have been located and marked at expense of \$30.00. Located seven Revolutionary Soldiers' graves that have been marked by their family. Eleven copies of tombstones in Elbert county, two in Oglethorpe, and one in Banks County. (14 in all). Four Bible records secured.

All Revolutionary pensioners in Elbert County have been located.

Curator reports a find of real antique in our midst, a spoon, chased bowl, oak chair, four poster beds, a land-grant made in June, 1832. Marked Historic Spots, four in number, \$130.00 cost, first white settlement in Elbert County and Cherokee Indian trail, Van Creek Baptist Church (first in Northeast Georgia), first Female Academy in Elberton, Ga.

Girl Home Makers' Chairman has done fine work in County.

A new National Flag is displayed at all times in our Club Room. Flag Day was observed in June.

Our Chapter cooperated with other patriotic organizations in observing Armistice Day with a union service in Presbyterian Church.

Made poppies and wreaths and placed on World War veteran graves. Donated \$5.00 to World War Orphan Fund; 1,490 shrubs and bulbs, 105 trees planted. Planted a magnolia in City Park at Seaboard Station to President Franklin Roosevelt. A Chapter member at Bowman planted a water oak to President as requested by Chapter. One hundred fifty-four Historic Post Cards sent to State Chairman.

Chapter has a two-year subscription to D. A. R. Magazine, beginning January, 1935. Purchased Motion Picture Guide and encouraged clean pictures.

Purchased five Rituals to be used at all patriotic ceremonies.

Bought D. A. R. Flag to be used in State Processional. Chapter voted in October to conform to all requirements of Honor Roll, which has been successfully carried out.

In September a guest speaker, Congressman Paul Brown, of Tenth District, spoke on the "New Deal and Patriotic Education." In November, our Chairman presented high lights on International Relations.

The Chapter has offered three Magna Good Citizenship medals and Regent one, to a boy and girl in Junior High and Senior High School. A medal is awarded by Chapter to the student at Grammar School making highest average in American History. Poster on American Good Citizenship was donated by Chairman, Mrs. T. O. Tabor Jr., to be placed in Central School.

Chapter Press Chairman has sent in report of every meeting to Atlanta Constitution and published in local paper.

Finance Chairman and her committee made it possible for us to mark Revolutionary Soldiers' graves in the County.

Total expenditure made by Chapter, \$174.68. Cash on hand, \$91.84.

Our members have given aid in helping the needy in town and surrounding territory, supplying children with food and clothing.

Chapter Chairman is compiling an interesting Scrap Book.

Two Historic papers written by one of our members, "Old Domingo Mission" and "Georgia," for filing and lending. Two historic papers by another gifted writer in Stephen Heard Chapter, "The War Woman," "Indian History in Elbert County."

Chapter reports with deepest regret the passing of one of our beloved members, Mrs. Nancy Heard Davis.

### **NATHANIEL ABNEY CHAPTER, FITZGERALD**

**Mrs. Walter Stancil, Regent**

With an enrollment of 25, the regular monthly meetings have been attended by more than 50 per cent of active members.

Interesting programs, recommended by the State Program Chairman, have been used with splendid papers on Indians. Supplementary material has been selected from the news bulletin, National Defense, Approved Schools bulletin and general current events in National and Indian life.

An attractive Year Book featured the Charter members. A book, Drake's Indian History for Young Folks has been presented to the Library, since Scouts also are studying Indians.

The Chapter participated in the formal dedication of the new Legion Hall and voted \$5.00 donation to help furnish the building. Other small donations included \$2.00 to the Red Cross, \$3.00 to Relief Administration, and \$50.00 on local scholarship. The Chapter has responded to several Honor Roll requirements, including Immigrants' Manual, Ellis Island, Constitution Hall, subscription to D. A. R. Magazine, and to Better Films.

Revision of the Constitution has made it more up-to-date.

Delighted with the new Ritual, of which four copies have been distributed; other material from the National Society has proved a guide and an inspiration. Education Week was cited with quotations from the National President. News reports have been sent to the local papers and a Record Book of clippings is kept. All patriotic days have been appropriately observed.

### **JAMES MONROE CHAPTER, FORSYTH**

**Mrs. Elbert White Banks, Regent**

The James Monroe Chapter sends greetings and submits the following report: Thirty-nine members, three of whom are new, and five associate members. Nine meetings have been held in the homes of the members; the meetings opening with Patriotic song, Pledge to the Flag, American's Creed, followed by Scripture and prayer by the Chaplain. The meetings are well attended and all patriotic days are featured on the programs. We have followed the programs as sent to us by the State Chairman.

We have met all Honor Roll requirements; have given several Medical kits to the Grammar School. The American's Creed has been framed and placed in the halls of the Grammar, High Schools and Public Library of Forsyth. We have patriotic songs published in a conspicuous place in the local paper.

The Chapter has raised \$250.00 for the writing of the Monroe County History. The history is being compiled at this time.

Two prizes are offered each year at Mary Persons High School, one for best average in American History in seventh grade, one on Citizenship in the eleventh grade. Each year a scholarship to Bessie Tift College is given a local girl, valued at \$144.00.

An old Indian land-grant over a hundred years old and some old money have been sent to the Curator to be placed in Rhodes Memorial Hall.

The Chapter sponsored the sale of Christmas Seals, the proceeds from which \$39.00, was used for local health purposes in the schools. This year the Chapter has made a very interesting Scrap Book, which will be placed in the D. A. R. alcove in Public Library of Forsyth. One subscription to D. A. R. Magazine.

At the June meeting Flag Day was celebrated with a patriotic address by Dr. R. L. Brantley, of Bessie Tift College, and a study of the uses of the Flag. Flags are displayed on the streets of our town on days of National importance.

### **FORT VALLEY CHAPTER, FORT VALLEY**

**Mrs. Cornelius Hall, Regent**

The Fort Valley Chapter, D. A. R., with a membership of twenty-six, has held its regular monthly meetings throughout the year, with programs each month on the early history of our country, emphasizing the famous Indians of that period. The Honor Roll requirements were met early in the year. The Committee on Better Films has been quite active, using the monthly D. A. R. report on Better Films. The Flag has been prominently displayed at each meeting and the Pledge to the Flag and American's Creed used many times. Twelve dollars was given to local welfare work and the Chapter sponsored child welfare work. A five dollar prize for the highest average in American History was offered in the High School. Altogether the Chapter has enjoyed a most satisfactory year.

### **GOVERNOR TREUTLEN CHAPTER, FORT VALLEY**

**Miss Wilma Orr, Regent**

The Governor Treutlen Chapter of Fort Valley has 38 members. Splendid attendance has characterized the meetings, which are held monthly at the homes of the members. The meetings are opened with Pledge to the Flag, American's Creed, followed by Scripture and prayer by the Chaplain.

In September we were invited to bring the program to the Stephens Hopkins Chapter, of Marshallville. Readings on home, and an address on Revolutionary Homes, emphasizing the restoration of Williamsburg were given.

Our programs have centered around Georgia but have also included the celebration of the designated patriotic days.

Col. Warren L. Grice, of Macon, addressed the membership on Georgia's Ancestry. Representatives of the Stephens Hopkins Chapter gave an interesting program on Georgia Artists at our February meeting. In cooperation with the Chas. D. Anderson, U. D. C., our Chapter sponsored a Georgia Day program at the High School; address by Mr. Homer J. Avera.

Two special features were a stirring address on Patriotism in November by Col. H. A. Mathews; and one in January on Lee, the American, by Judge Ogden Persons, of Forsyth.

Notice of all meetings are sent to the local paper, Atlanta Constitution and the State Editor.

At our suggestion a short history of the Flag and Its Importance was presented at each of the Church services, in the City, on the Sunday preceding Flag Day. On Flag Day the merchants cooperated by displaying Flag on streets.

State and National dues paid, and all Honor Roll requirements met.

We use the D. A. R. Post Card Guide to Moving Pictures. Through our Better Films Committee, sums were realized from the sponsoring of a picture; enabling us to secure the Good Citizenship medals to be awarded the boys and girls in the Grammar, Junior High and Senior High schools, at the close of the school term.

In human conservation \$5.00 was contributed to help defray the hospital expenses of a young girl who was badly burned. Some of the members joined the Red Cross; others purchased Christmas Seals; clothes have been supplied to needy children, through our Child Welfare Committee.

A prize of \$5.00 is given to the pupil in the seventh grade making the highest average in American History.

Two subscriptions to the D. A. R. Magazine.

## **COLONEL WILLIAM CANDLER CHAPTER, GAINESVILLE**

### **Mrs. George Price Charters, Regent**

Thirty-eight members, five new members, and one paper pending; all State and National dues paid, all Honor Roll requirements met.

We have awarded one scholarship to Brenau College, another valued at \$150.00, and made a loan of \$50.00 from our Chapter Loan Fund. We have offered six History awards in the local Grammar Schools, and one in the High School, and one Citizenship award for the best Citizenship essay in the High School. The Chapter gave the usual subscription to the D. A. R. Magazine to the High School.

Markers have been placed on the graves of Beal Baker and William Clarke, Revolutionary Soldiers, which are located in our D. A. R. Cemetery lot. This lot has been beautified this year with additional shrubbery.

All designated patriotic days have been emphasized on the programs at the monthly meetings of the Chapter.

The Chapter observed Mrs. Magna's birthday in November with an appropriate party, and a contribution to Constitution Hall. We sent a contribution of old gold for the Memory Book Clasps.

We celebrated George Washington's birth-month with an afternoon party. Our guests were local friends and members from nearby D. A. R. Chapters. We were especially honored in having with us at that time Mrs. Julian McCurry and Mrs. Julius Talmadge, of Athens.

Our aim for the year is to increase our membership and to add to our Loan Fund.

## **ARTHUR FORT CHAPTER, GRANTVILLE**

**Mrs. V. G. Williams, Regent**

The Arthur Fort Chapter has paid all State and National dues, and has met every Honor Roll requirement.

Meetings have been held regularly, with splendid attendance and much interest manifested.

Patriotic days have been observed at Chapter meetings and at school cooperating with the teachers our Chapter put on a most interesting and instructive program at the school auditorium on Armistice Day. Two splendid addresses were given by members of the American Legion, and special numbers were put on by school children.

We sponsored the Red Cross Roll Call, and sold Christmas Seals.

Patriotic songs, the American's Creed, and Pledge to the Flag have had a place on every program.

A birthday party in honor of Mrs. Magna's birthday was held in November, at which time \$3.20 was contributed to Constitution Hall. This was later supplemented by a check for \$7.00.

Two D. A. R. medals were presented by the Chapter to the High School students making the highest average in American History.

We have contributed shrubbery for the school grounds, and two of our members have superintended the planting. Over three thousand trees and shrubs have been planted by Chapter members.

In cooperation with other organizations, we have contributed \$319.00 to local needs; books, clothing, and school supplies have been donated to children in order that they might remain in school.

We helped raise a fund of \$100.00 to put one of our girls in training to become a nurse, and in other ways have helped to meet as far as possible, all local needs.

A box of books and supplies was sent to Berry School, and magazines and books were sent to both local white and colored schools.

A box of supplies was sent to Ellis Island.

## **OLIVER MORTON CHAPTER, GRAY**

**Mrs. Homer Harris, Regent**

Membership, 25.

Regular meetings of a historical nature have been held in the homes of the members. The programs of special note were those on Flag Day, LaFayette, Oglethorpe, Armistice, Georgia the 13th Colony, and two programs on Indian History. One program, a lecture by Dr. Kelley from the Smithsonian Institution, on the Indian Mounds near Macon, and the other, a wonderful lecture on the Indians of Middle Georgia, by Mr. Telamon Cuyler, who exhibited at this time valuable hand tinted portraits of famous Indians. The most elaborate celebration was the one given at the home of the Regent, in observation of George Washington's Birthday and the Anniversary of the Chapter.

All dues have been collected and necessary disbursements made. The Chapter has a good bank balance. Plans and work are still being done on the County History, and every effort is being made to have sufficient funds to finance the History.

Prizes are to be awarded at Commencement for the best paper written by a Junior High School student and for the best one written by a Senior High School student, on the "History of Clinton."

The Committee on Marking of Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves, has been very active the past year in finding and arousing interest in the marking of these graves.

It has been decided to send an account of the monthly meetings to the Atlanta Journal, beginning January, 1935.

### **JOHN BENSON CHAPTER, HARTWELL**

**Mrs. H. I. Alford, Regent**

John Benson Chapter has 29 resident members, seven non-resident, two resignations, two lost by death.

The Chapter again this year has had for its major objective, the paying for and furnishing of the Community Club House, built and owned jointly by the Woman's Club, U. D. C., American Legion, and D. A. R., to which \$180.00 has been contributed this year.

The Year Books are especially attractive and valuable, being dedicated to a former member who passed away last year. They contain, besides the usual required information, a copy of the Chapter's Revised Constitution and By-Laws.

The best moving pictures are given publicity by the Chairman of Better Films.

Many families and school children have been aided by the Human Conservation Chairman. Christmas gifts were given to four German families in the County.

In cooperation with other organizations 105 people have been given food, clothing, and Christmas gifts.

All patriotic days have been in some way observed by the Chapter. Three splendid numbers were given on programs on National Defense. A gold medal is offered in the seventh grade in American History.

Three Cemetery and six Bible records have been sent in.

The Arnetta Higginbotham McMurry Memorial collection has been placed in the Department of History and Archives in the Rhodes Building by the husband of the late Mrs. E. R. McMurry, an esteemed member of this Chapter.

The Press Chairman has written up all meetings and had published in the local paper, also sent several articles to the Atlanta papers.

The Chapter purchased, and placed in the Club House, where all Chapter meetings are held, a beautiful Governor Winthrop design Secretary, in which is kept all books, papers, magazines, and valuable material owned by the Chapter.

All State and National dues were paid on time. Total expenditures to date, \$304.28.

### **HAWKINSVILLE CHAPTER, HAWKINSVILLE**

**Mrs. N. A. Jelks, Regent**

The Hawkinsville Chapter has fifty members, with four new members.

Historical meetings held regularly in homes of members, opened with prayer. Pledge to the Flag and American's Creed, with program outlined by State Historian.

We published Year Book, dedicated to our beloved member, Mrs. George Walker Jordan.

We located the graves of one Revolutionary Soldier, one Soldier of 1812, and one daughter of a Revolutionary Soldier.

Marker for 1812 soldier has been received. Application for Revolutionary Soldier has been approved.

The outstanding historical work of the year is the writing of our County History. We have made great progress.

The Chapter met all Honor Roll requirements. Observed all patriotic days.

Sent box of books and magazines to Merchant Marine Library. Two books each to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee School libraries. Have scholarship at Brenau College valued at \$100.00. Sent two historical papers to State Chairman for Filing and Lending. Gave two Citizenship medals in Hawkinsville High School. Sent \$1.00 to Meadow Garden. Contributed old gold for Constitution Hall Memory Book. A gift sent to Real Daughters.

Planted 302 trees, 732 shrubs and 270 rose bushes. Published article in local newspaper requesting conservation of native decorative shrubs and trees.

Cooperated with Hawkinsville Garden Club in planting court house square; also grounds of City auditorium. Assisted in lighting the City with living Christmas trees.

The Regent was Chairman of a committee that planted 300 dogwood trees on Blackshear Trall.

We cooperated with civic and religious organizations in the interest of welfare work, contributing to poor through American Legion at Christmas.

Assisted in Red Cross drive.

The Chapter owns two Flags, a U. S. A. Flag purchased with State Editor's award, won 1933-34, and a D. A. R. Flag.

October, 1934, by invitation of Col. Wm. Few Chapter of Eastman, the Hawkinsville Chapter presented an Indian program.

Dr. C. C. Harrold of Macon, at March meeting delivered a brilliant address, "Archaeology in Central Georgia."

The Chapter sponsored two barbecues, three rummage sales, operated booth at County Fair. The Chapter celebrated our President General's birthday with afternoon tea and sent \$5.00 to Constitution Hall.

Have active Chairman of Better Films, who keeps in close touch with programs at local theater and reports at each meeting. Chairman won screen souvenir. Sponsored benefit picture at local theater. Sent \$10.00 to Constitution Hall.

The Chapter sponsored Girl Home Makers' Club. Offered prizes in sewing and cooking. Secured employment for five of these girls.

Have ordered Marker for Fort Mitchell.

Percentage of local members attending meetings, more than two-thirds.

The Hawkinsville Chapter has contributed to and supported as far as possible all State and National objects.

## JOHN BALL CHAPTER, IRWINTON

Mrs. A. C. Todd, Regent

John Ball Chapter, D. A. R., has an enrollment of nineteen; active members, 12. Attendance of active members, 69 per cent. We are proud to have a Real Granddaughter as a member of our Chapter. As this is a countywide Chapter each member has an unusual opportunity for service and responsibility.

October, 1934, during the Regency of Mrs. A. W. Daughtry, resigned, we placed a Creek Indian Trail Marker, approximate value \$300.00, at Allentown, Ga.

All Honor Roll requirements met.

Our Year Book was dedicated to our Organizing Regent, Mrs. J. W. Hooks, now State Chairman of Welfare of Women and Children. The Pledge to the Flag and the American's Creed are printed in Year Book.

We have had a year's intensive study of Georgia Indians. Four splendid guest speakers. Five dollars contributed to Georgia Archeology.

All patriotic days observed. On Georgia Day a Pageant was given at Wilkinson County High School.

We are sponsoring an Essay Contest in three County schools. As prizes, we offer a silver loving cup and three books. We are also offering three Citizenship medals.

We cooperate in County Welfare work.

The Allentown Marker was graded and beautified and we cared for Hartford Trail Marker and County Court house grounds. Public plantings, 80 shrubs and trees.

Dr. Herty's article on Forest Conservation was displayed in Poster form. Home plantings, 82 shrubs and trees.

We gave a Silver Tea on Mrs. Magna's birthday; \$4.00 contributed to Constitution Hall.

Added to our Library Vol. I, G. S. C. W. Verse.

A small gift was sent to Real Daughters; a box valued at \$5.00 to Ellis Island; 18 books to American Merchant Marine Library; 27 cards to Chairman, Historic Post Cards.

One copy of Ritual and one D. A. R. Magazine subscription.

Held one benefit exhibit of heirlooms. Have applied for one Marker for Revolutionary Soldier's grave. Members have visited Negro clubs of Sons and Daughters of U. S. A.

We keep a Chapter Scrap Book, also one of general D. A. R. activities. All meetings reported to local and State papers. All reports made. Disbursed, \$73.00.

## WILLIAM McINTOSH CHAPTER, JACKSON

### Mrs. John Edward Lane, Regent

The William McIntosh Chapter, D. A. R., has a membership of thirty, having gained two new members this year, with five applications pending.

All Honor Roll requirements have been met. A sum of \$15.00 was donated by the Chapter to the Jackson Club House and the same amount was set aside in a sinking fund for a memorial.

All patriotic days have been observed. The Chapter has urged that the American's Creed and the Pledge to the Flag, also Patriotic Songs, be taught in the County schools.

The importance of conservation of plant life has been brought to the attention of the public schools.

Chapter members have planted trees and shrubbery.

The program as outlined by the State Historian has been faithfully followed and research has been done in Atlanta and Macon in preparation of the papers presented.

At one meeting Revolutionary and Colonial relics were displayed and the owners told the history connected therewith.

The Historian has done research in the Macon Library relative to the McIntosh Trail and has located the remains of an Indian Village, near Jackson. She has indexed the marriage records of Butts County, 1826-1872; and has classified Court Minutes, 1826-1840.

Two papers, "Rachel Jackson" and "General William McIntosh," by Mrs. John Edward Lane, and an original story of Colonial Life, "Mistress Aneliza," by Mrs. James T. Warthen, were contributed to the Filing and Lending Historic Papers Committee.

The grave of Elizabeth Grier, daughter of Robert Grier, a Revolutionary Soldier, and wife of Robert Grier, the astronomer, has been located in Butts County.

The following material has been sent to the Department of Archives, Atlanta: Sketches of William Hodges and Thomas Singleton Hammond, two of the last Justices of the Inferior Court of Butts County, with their family genealogies. Sketches of John Williamson, Sr., a Revolutionary Soldier, buried in Butts County, and Richmond Joseph Terrell, a Butts County soldier of the Mexican War, with their genealogies. The record of James Harkness, a soldier of the War of 1812, and genealogical data. Two S. A. R. lines on the services of John and Moses Ingram, of Brunswick County, Virginia, have been established for a Tennessee S. A. R. Officer; and a D. A. R. line on the service of Thomas Hampton, of Brunswick County, Virginia, for a North Carolina descendant.

The Regent has made out six D. A. R. application papers for prospective members.

Six Revolutionary Soldiers of Georgia, whose names are not included in Georgia's Roster, have been discovered in the D. A. R. Library, Washington: John Kinanrd and Wm. McElheney, of Jasper County; Alexander Dunn, of Forsyth, Monroe County; Absolem Awtry and Thomas Bentz, of Henry County, and Ambrose Ball, of Pike County. These names with data connected therewith were sent to the Department of Archives, Atlanta.

Eight Bible records of the Findley, Humber, Kimbell, Moore, Redman, Smith, Waller, and Williams families have been sent to the State Chairman of the Family Records Committee.

The grave of William Berryhill, an Indian, has been located on the Ocmulgee River, on the traditional site of an Indian Village.

The Chapter has a Scrap Book for assembling material, and an Indian Scrap Book is being compiled.

The Regent has been honored by invitations to speak before the Pulaski Chapter in Griffin; the Sergeant Jasper Chapter in Monticello, and the Nathaniel Macon Chapter, Macon.

The Chapter has been represented at the State Executive Board meeting, at the State Conference, and the National Congress.

Our meetings are interesting, informative, and enthusiastic.

### **ALTAMAHA CHAPTER, JESUP**

**Mrs. Horace King Slover, Regent**

The Altamaha Chapter, D. A. R., has eighteen members enrolled. Only one-third of these make their residence in Jesup the whole year, another third is here less than half of each year, and the other third spend a week-end or two out of each year here.

Of the six members living in town two have never attended a meeting. Regular meetings are an impossibility. We have managed to pay our National and State dues but we have been unable to make any contributions either last year or this. Each member, individually, has given aid in helping the poor of our town and surrounding territory.

We are fortunate in always having our Chapter represented at National Congress as one of our members lives in Clarendon, Virginia.

## **WILLIAM MARSH CHAPTER, LaFAYETTE**

**Mrs. Thomas W. Lee, Regent**

The William Marsh Chapter, D. A. R., of LaFayette, submits the following report for 1934-35:

Number of paid up members, thirty-two, one associate member. Four papers of applicants for membership are pending.

The Chapter meets regularly and on time, using the Ritual and suggested programs. Observance of Historic days and birthdays of Revolutionary heroes find place on these programs in the month in which they occur. Flag Codes have been placed in the schools of the County by our Flag Chairman. The June meeting, in her charge, is given over entirely to the observance of Flag Day, in which the public is invited to participate. Georgia Day was sponsored by our Chairman in all the schools.

We have met all Honor Roll requirements, also sent a birthday offering to apply on Constitution Hall indebtedness, and paid for a square foot of Kenmore Garden. Two medals are offered in schools for best work in United States History. A donation is sent the two approved schools. Mr. James Alfred Sartain has published a splendid history of Walker County, of which LaFayette is the County seat. The Chapter has presented a copy to the State D. A. R. Library. The members of the Chapter take an active part in all organizations, having as their objective, the betterment of the community. A large percentage are registered and go to the polls at election time. The Regent spoke to two High Schools on Historic Virginia, including Jamestown, Williamsburgh, and the James River Estates.

As one of our members is County Superintendent of Schools, we keep closely in touch with school work, rendering service when called upon.

## **LaGRANGE CHAPTER, LaGRANGE**

**Mrs. John D. Faver, Regent**

LaGrange Chapter has 45 members, 39 of whom have met Honor Roll requirements. One former member has been re-instated. We regret to report the loss by death of one of our most beloved members, Mrs. Lena McGhee Terrell.

All patriotic days have been observed. Programs have followed closely those outlined by Mrs. Beeson. Troup County Historian, Mr. C. L. Smith, has given us four lectures on the History, Life, and Customs of Early Georgia Indians. At the November meeting the local C. A. R. Chapter presented a program on Early Indians of Georgia. In December, Professor Murray, of LaGrange College, gave a talk on Wilson. All meetings have been reported to the State Editor and to our local paper.

We have a Better Films Chairman and six subscriptions to Motion Picture Guide. We have two subscriptions to D. A. R. Magazine. A box of fiction has been sent the Merchant Marine Library. We bought one Roosevelt Plate and one D. A. R. Flag the latter to be used in Processional.

The American's Creed has been taught all students of our public schools due to the work of our American's Creed Committee.

LaGrange Chapter has cooperated with other organizations in the work of the Red Cross and Welfare Associations.

Two prizes are given annually to High School students. They

are of \$5.00 each, and are given, one for excellence in American History, and the other for Citizenship; \$62.64 in Scholarships was given the Chapter by the LaGrange Academy of Arts. The Loan Scholarship which was begun during the Regency of Miss Mattie McGee has been added to, and we expect it to be in use this coming September. Seven volumes contributed to the Traveling Genealogical Library.

On February 12th, observing Washington's Birthday and Georgia Day, the Chapter entertained at luncheon at the Colonial Hotel, which occasion was made more enjoyable by the presence of Mrs. W. H. Hightower, State Recording Secretary; Mrs. Stewart Colley, State Genealogist, and Mrs. Mark Smith, State Director of C. A. R., as our distinguished guests.

The local C. A. R. Society continues under the guidance of Mrs. R. A. Malone as Senior President, to be a very active one. The membership is 25, papers of one new member pending, and two resignations. All dues are paid in full.

### **ROANOKE CHAPTER, LUMPKIN**

**Mrs. William A. Fitzgerald, Regent**

We are still a small County Chapter with only sixteen paid up members. We have lost one by transfer, have gained one by reinstatement, and have one new member whose paper is pending in Washington. Also lost an associate member by death. We have held our meetings at the homes of members, displayed the Flag, repeated the Pledge and Creed and used the programs laid out by the State Historical Committee. We celebrated the Chapter's birthday, also that of the President General, giving a donation to Constitution Hall Fund. One outstanding feature of our programs during the year was the exchange of visits with Dorothy Walton Chapter, of Dawson.

We have observed patriotic days with our programs and have one subscription to the D. A. R. Magazine. We have a Better Films Committee.

We have called attention of our law makers to proper legislation. Our members have taken part in County wide welfare work. Our meetings are reported in the County paper with an occasional notice in the State paper. The Marker to Jacob Green, Revolutionary Soldier, buried at Hopewell Cemetery near Gadsden, Alabama, was unveiled last August, the Regent of Roanoke Chapter presiding, was assisted by the Regent of Christopher Gadsden Chapter, of Gadsden, Ala. Our Garden Club members have planted many shrubs, and our Markers are tended with care, assisted by the State Highway Department. We have kept in touch with all D. A. R. projects and contributed to nearly all Honor Roll requirements. We are still working on the project of marking the site of the Battle of Shepherd's Plantation and we hope in the future to have something more definite to announce concerning it.

### **MARY HAMMOND WASHINGTON CHAPTER, MACON**

**Mrs. Julian Lewis, Regent**

The greatest joy that comes to the Mary Hammond Washington Chapter is sponsoring the Benjamin Hawkins Society, Children of the American Revolution. This Society is on a sound basis and is undertaking a constructive program of its own. Chapter mem-

bers are being inspired with renewed enthusiasm by the zeal of their young descendants.

An important part of our work is the support of the Genealogical and Historical department of the Washington Memorial Library. There is a constantly increasing demand for this reference material.

Fort Hope has been located and will soon be marked.

On Recognition Day at Miller High School for Girls, a coveted trophy is the silver cup awarded for the best Historical Essay.

Two additional Flags have been acquired. The Regent had the pleasure of giving the Chapter a silk Daughters of the American Revolution Flag to match the United States Flag added last year to this collection. Then the Chapter purchased the regulation Flag to be used at State Conferences.

At the monthly meetings a successful program of historical papers has been given by Chapter members. Chapter Chairmen have presented State and National objectives, all observance days have received due recognition. A radio program was broadcast on Washington's birthday.

All financial obligations were met promptly, thus giving us a part in State and National work.

There has been a spirit of unflinching fellowship and ministry. The Chapter has cordial relations with her sister Chapters, and cooperate with civic, educational, and other patriotic organizations.

Other Societies are making increasing demands on our membership and the day of social security is not yet here, but the Mary Hammond Washington Chapter 100 strong is standing staunch and ready for continued service.

#### **NATHANIEL MACON CHAPTER, MACON**

**Mrs. J. E. Wright, Regent**

The Nathaniel Macon Chapter has a membership of 88.

We have met many requirements of the Honor Roll, including the per capita requirement to Constitution Hall. Ten dollars was contributed to the restoration of Stratford Hall.

Our annual Christmas Fund of \$15.00 was used to bring cheer to several less fortunate families.

Our annual awards of \$5.00 were presented on Recognition Day, one to the senior at Miller High School for excellency in American History and one to the senior at Lanier High School for Boys for outstanding qualities of good citizenship.

Last May, with appropriate exercises, our Chapter placed a D. A. R. Marker at the grave of our beloved Susie Derry Parker, one of the founders of our Chapter, its second Regent, twelfth State Regent, and Honorary State Regent.

Fifty dollars of the Susie Derry Parker Loan Scholarship was used by the Committee to help a girl finish her course in music at the Wesleyan Conservatory.

Our programs for the year on the Indians in Georgia have been most enjoyable as well as instructive.

#### **HENRY WALTON CHAPTER, MADISON**

**Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Regent**

Henry Walton Chapter, Madison, with a membership of thirty, has completed an interesting and profitable year's work. All State, National and Honor Roll requirements have been met and contributions given to other worthy causes.

We have awarded two Citizenship medals and one History medal to High School students and have given \$2.50 each to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamasee, besides sending thirty-two books to these two Approved Schools.

The Chapter has two subscriptions to the D. A. R. Magazine and has been very active in Red Cross work. Members participated both in the membership drive and in the sale of seals. We have cooperated with the Government in FERA and welfare work, being especially interested and helpful in the Nursery School for under-privileged children. Nearly every member exercised her right to vote.

Excellent results have been obtained by the Better Films Committee. Teachers, children and parents have been reached by the D. A. R. Guide and 98 per cent of the recommended pictures have been shown at the Madison Theater.

Many trees and shrubs have been planted, both in private grounds and on the highways and park grounds. A member gave two thousand iris for a border in Hill Park. An inspiring lecture on Conservation was given by Mr. Blanton Clements, director of the work at Hard Labor National Recreational Area, which the Government is developing in Morgan County.

Two dollars and fifty cents was contributed to the debt on Constitution Hall on Mrs. Magna's birthday; \$8.75 was sent to Mrs. Oglesby for the purchase of the Flag our State Regent requested each Chapter to buy.

Our Historian brings us inspiring programs and we observed all dates requested by the D. A. R. besides several others of interest. Our County History is nearing completion.

Henry Walton Chapter has an active C. A. R. Society. With these children several pageants and important historical days have been celebrated at the schools. The Junior President has been appointed Color Bearer to the National C. A. R. Conference in Washington.

## **FIELDING LEWIS CHAPTER, MARIETTA**

### **Mrs. William Howard Perkinson, Regent**

Thirty members. The meetings of our Chapter have been held in the homes of members.

Programs of Economic Relations of United States; Woodrow Wilson's Relations with Foreign Countries; Lessons of Valley Forge; Indians of Georgia; Approved Schools of D. A. R.; National Defense has been given at each meeting of the year.

A Year Book was published, and copies sent to the State Officers.

Ten copies of Manual presented to Boy Scout Troops and Girl Scouts of Marietta, Acworth, and Smyrna for use in their Citizenship work.

Ritual purchased. Patriotic music, Pledge to the Flag (once led by three Boy Scouts), American's Creed and Washington's Prayer for His Country used at each meeting.

Eleven dollars contributed by Chapter to Memorial Continental Hall.

Two reference books on Genealogy purchased and circulated among Chapter members.

Two "Good Citizenship" medals given in Junior High School.

Our Student Loan Fund for college and high school is \$291.00, the whole of which is on loan at present.

One Revolutionary Soldiers' grave is being investigated for Marking.

Red Cross and Community Chest contribution has been made by Chapter as individuals.

National Defense handbook studied and used for January program by Mrs. E. M. Bailey, Chairman. Each Chapter was given by a member.

Following days were observed: Constitution, Columbus, Georgia Day, Yorktown, Armistice, Flag Day, Washington's Birthday.

A Circulating Library of genealogical books planned for members.

The founder of our Chapter, Mrs. C. M. Crosby, great, great, grandniece of George Washington, is keeping a Scrap Book of clippings and pictures.

School authorities urged to encourage singing of National Anthem and "America" in all schools.

Memorial trees to be marked with bronze tablets.

Requirements for Honor Roll of State have been met.

We realize, more than ever, what a glorious object our Society has and how great a privilege it is to have even a small part in preserving for future generations the priceless heritage we have from our Revolutionary forefathers.

#### **STEPHEN HOPKINS CHAPTER, MARSHALLVILLE**

**Miss Willie E. Rice, Regent**

The Stephen Hopkins Chapter has a membership of 17, one new member, and one paper pending.

Meetings are held regularly in the homes of members and well attended. The programs have been historical and given by visiting speakers. The feature of our year's work has been the fellowship with neighboring Chapters with an interchange of programs.

We planted 2,000 bulbs on the Memorial Highway.

Two prizes were given to the High School pupils in an oratorical contest.

We sponsored a community Armistice program.

Twelve supplemental lines have been established by our members since last report.

#### **OCONEE CHAPTER, McRAE**

**Mrs. Wm. H. Pitt, Regent**

The Oconee Chapter, D. A. R., has thirty members; one application pending in Washington, and two members lost for non-payment of dues. Have had Historical program and every meeting repeated in concert the Pledge to the Flag and American's Creed. Celebrated George Washington's birthday and Georgia Day.

All meetings written up in Journal and our home paper. The Flag is displayed at every meeting. Having an Indian program this month. Have contributed \$1.00 on Immigrant's Manual, \$1.00 to Ellis Island; had a special birthday party for Constitution Hall and made \$5.00. One dollar to Kenmore, \$2.00 to mark Historical Spots, one subscription to D. A. R. Magazine, and \$1.00 to Meadow Garden.

Our meetings are very well attended and always opened with prayer and patriotic song.

## MATTHEW TALBOT CHAPTER, MONROE

Mrs. Lena Felker Lewis, Regent

Number of members, 20; number of transfers, one; number of new members, two.

Our Chapter has held regular meetings each month, with an attendance of at least 75 per cent of membership.

Have observed Constitution Day, Magna Charta Day, LaFayette Day, Columbus Day, Armistice Day, Woodrow Wilson Day, Benjamin Franklin Day, Georgia Day, George Washington's Birthday, Thomas Jefferson's Birthday, and Independence Day. Several of these have been public observances, others in Chapter and schools.

We have one Loan Scholarship Fund, used by young woman at a State school. Our subject of study this year has been "The Indian in Georgia." However, we have emphasized National Defense, the Constitution, and Approved Schools, as well as the observance of patriotic days throughout the year. Have given two Citizenship medals this year, one to the boys and one to the girls of the Monroe High School. Also gave a prize to the Girl Home Makers, and a prize to the student making the best record in American History.

Our Better Films Chairman has been active in helping to bring better, cleaner pictures, and urging members and others to attend. We have two two-year subscriptions to D. A. R. Magazine. We have published attractive Year Book. We are making Scrap Book. Members bought and used Tuberculosis Christmas seals. We have contributed to Red Cross, and other agencies for relief. Have given books and clothing, etc., to underprivileged children.

Flag Chairman has asked business houses to display Flags on all patriotic occasions. Members have been active in Conservation and Thrift and have planted numbers of trees, shrubs, plants, bulbs, etc. We have urged the conservation of the holly and other forest trees. Members have decorated living Christmas trees and have urged others to do so. Have given books and magazines to rural schools. We maintain a room in our local hospital. Have sent contribution to Constitution Hall. Have bought D. A. R. Flag to be used in Processional at State Conference. We were instrumental in having the name of a street changed to Washington Street, in memory of the Father of His Country.

Our Historian presents something of historical interest at each meeting. We have sent four Bible Records to State Chairman. Our Chapter has been active in legislation, both in Congress and our State Legislature.

All our meetings have been presented in our County newspapers, and some to our daily papers.

Committee on Welfare of Women and Children has been active and we feel that much good has been accomplished along this line. Chapter has met all Honor Roll requirements.

## ELIZABETH MARLOW CHAPTER, MONTICELLO

Mrs. Ezell S. Goolsby, Regent

Interesting programs suggested by State Chairman in connection with numbers used in observing all patriotic days have been used at the monthly meetings held regularly in the homes of the members. At the November meeting we celebrated Mrs. Magna's birthday by having a free-will offering for debt on Constitution Hall. Armistice Day was observed by placing floral offering on World War Memorial Tablet.

The Sweeney medal has been offered by Chapter to boy or girl in the seventh grades of the County who makes the highest average in American History. Sixteen bound copies of D. A. R. Magazine was presented to Monticello District School to be used as a reference book. One box of material was sent to Ellis Island.

One Revolutionary Soldier's grave was marked (Joshua Wilson). Several others were located. Our plans are to unveil Marker for Old Coach Road in April.

In observing National Defense through Patriotic Education week, a special effort was made to have the American's Creed and Allegiance to Flag learned by every child of school age in the County. The Good Citizenship medal was also offered.

A two-year subscription to D. A. R. Magazine is given Regent by Chapter.

We report with deepest regret the passing of one of our beloved Charter members, Mrs. Agnes Reid Powell.

## NANCY HART CHAPTER, MILLEDGEVILLE

### Miss Floride Allen, Regent

The primary interest of the Nancy Hart Chapter, D. A. R., has been in locating and marking Rock Landing, which was head of navigation on the Oconee River. For years this place has been sought and recently Dr. W. B. Childs, with the assistance of Mr. Victor Davidson, Mr. Warren Grice, and Mr. Walter Johnson, found and proved the location by information gathered from old land-grants and maps. The old map showed three separate Indian trails which converged there. On one bank of the Oconee River was Fort Advance, a rendezvous for Elijah Clarke's followers, 1794. Near by was old Oconee Town, described by Bartram in his travels, 1777. Rock Landing was the trading post where Alexander McGillivray frustrated plans for treaty between Creek Indians and United States Commissioners, 1789. The Chapter is happy to have the John Milledge Chapter, S. A. R., and the Sucky Hart Society, C. A. R., to assist in marking this historic spot.

The Nancy Hart Chapter is most fortunate to have as a beloved member, Mrs. J. L. Beeson, State Historian, and was honored to assist her and the Samuel Reid Chapter, Eatonton, Ga., in marking the site of Baldwin County's first Court House at old Hillsboro, now in Putnam County. Our State Regent was the principal speaker on this occasion.

The Year Book was lovingly dedicated to our two Real Daughters, Miss Sarah Pool and Mrs. Mary Pool Newsome. A box was sent them at Christmas and a committee visited them in November.

Programs for the year included observance of all patriotic anniversaries.

Among the distinguished speakers was our State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel; Dr. W. B. Childs, who spoke on Rock Landing; Dr. C. C. Harrold, on Indian culture. Another outstanding program for the year was a symposium, the subject, Geographical Distribution of our Revolutionary Forbears. The Chapter had a very creditable exhibit of Early American linen, china, brass, glass and silver, and the paper read, Early Americans in the Brides Dower Chest, was sent to Committee on Lending and Filing Papers.

The Chapter has cooperated with Sucky Hart Society, C. A. R., in every way possible.

Georgia Day programs are sponsored in all the County schools and three Sons and Daughters of U. S. A. Clubs are sponsored. Five

Magna Citizenship medals will be given in local schools. The Leola Beeson Scholarship Fund has been used by a Baldwin County girl at G. S. C. W. The Chapter, in cooperation with the American Association of University Women, sponsored three Art exhibits. The Chapter has a membership of 58, including two Real Daughters; five new members were added.

The Honor Roll has been met and every meeting opened with patriotic Ritual and Flag displayed.

A Chapter Flag was purchased. Ten dollars contributed to local Red Cross. Five dollars to Constitution Hall debt. Total disbursement, \$241.89.

## JOHN BENNING CHAPTER, MOULTRIE

Mrs. S. M. Withers, Regent

John Benning Chapter has a membership of forty-one, four of which are non-resident. We have held regular monthly meetings with splendid programs. Patriotic and historical days have been observed in D. A. R. meetings, and public school assemblies.

Through the fine work of Mrs. L. G. Cox and Mrs. L. T. Outler, Committee on Patriotic Education, splendid work has been done in public schools. Pupils have learned the Pledge to the Flag and the American's Creed. In the seventh grade an intensive study of the Constitution was made. In an hour program given for the benefit of the public, Americanism was expressed in folk dances, songs, and the spoken word—lightened by the brilliant costumes of many nations. The purpose of this program was to teach the pupils of the public schools who participated in the exercises and the public who attended the program, the friendly relationship that should exist among nations. Members of the Chapter have contributed to exhibits in class rooms on the study of Indian Life—such as pottery, baskets, bow and arrows.

The Chapter has sponsored essay writing contests in American History in the Junior and Senior High schools. Two medals, the Ellen Vereen medal and the Nona Cox medal, valued at \$5.00 each, were awarded to the winners in the contest. Each year Mrs. C. W. Pidcock, Sr., gives \$5.00 to the most outstanding senior in High School as an award for Good Citizenship. Two S. A. R. Good Citizenship medals, valued at \$1.00 each, were given; one in city public schools and one in public schools of County. All Honor Roll requirements have been met. We contributed \$5.00 to Constitution Hall, and \$25.00 to the Moultrie Carnegie Library. Contributions toward Conservation and Thrift amount to \$1,929.00. A shower, valued at \$15.00, was given by the Chapter for welfare work.

The Chapter kept a number of children in school by furnishing clothing, food, and school supplies. Members have cooperated in Red Cross and other relief work in community. We bought \$11.50 worth of T. B. seals.

The Chapter sponsored a moving picture, proceeds to be added to Student Loan Fund, which fund now totals \$294.90. Cards were sent from the Chapter for reports for Better Films. Shrubs were planted around D. A. R. Marker on the Thigpen Trail by Mrs. W. J. Vereen.

An attractive Scrap Book is kept. We have a Chapter History and a County History.

We report with deepest regret the passing of one of our beloved

charter members, Mrs. W. C. Vereen. Our Chapter Year Books are dedicated to her memory.

We are looking forward with much pleasure to our May meeting, when a luncheon will be given in honor of our State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel.

### **SARAH DICKINSON CHAPTER, NEWNAN**

#### **Mrs. Wade Stallings, Regent**

Meetings have been held regularly in the homes of members and the Co-we-ta Club rooms and are opened with prayer—Pledge to the Flag and American's Creed.

We take two copies of the D. A. R. Magazine, one is placed in the Carnegie Library for use of all members.

We have offered a Sweeny medal, valued at \$6.00, to the student in High School making the highest average in American History.

Flag Day was observed by having an interesting speaker, his subject being the "Significance of the Flag." "The Star-Spangled Banner" was sung by the audience. The Regent had the honor of attending a luncheon at the Woman's Club in Columbus, given by the Patriotic Organizations of that city, complimenting Mrs. Fletcher Hobart, Honorary Past President General, D. A. R.

The Sarah Dickinson Chapter cooperated with the Federated Clubs in raising money to furnish the Co-we-ta Club room. We made a small donation towards the blue China plates for the President.

We publish accounts of our meetings in the local papers and have sent articles to State Chairman.

All Honor Roll requirements have been met.

Have cooperated with the Red Cross Roll Call. All patriotic days stressed—one program on National Defense.

In February the Regent met with the State Board of Health in organizing a clinic for Tuberculosis, which was held at the Court House with good attendance.

Enrollment now is fifty-five, one member resigned, lost two by death, three papers pending.

### **HAWTHORNE TRAIL CHAPTER, PELHAM**

#### **Mrs. W. C. Twitty, Sr., Regent**

Last year we reported fifteen members, one has been suspended after moving away, two others have moved away without paying dues. Four new members have been admitted since first of this year, and we have one paper pending in Washington.

We now have sixteen members. We have paid tuition for one girl in our High School this year, \$10.00. Have observed all important days except July 4th, which was rainy.

On Washington's birthday, 1935, our members sponsored an "Egg Day;" proceeds are to be used for work much needed on books at our public library.

The Chapter subscribes for the D. A. R. Magazine. Have used programs as planned by State Program Committee, and have enjoyed the study of the American Indians.

Our members are loyal to the custom of using the Tuberculosis stamps and to the Red Cross work.

There are only eight of us who live in Pelham, and much work required of D. A. R. we cannot undertake.

## **GEN. DANIEL STEWART CHAPTER, PERRY**

**Mrs. H. P. Dobbins, Regent**

The Gen. Daniel Stewart Chapter has held regular meetings in the homes of the members and all historical and patriotic days have been observed with appropriate programs. The meetings are well attended and great interest has been shown in the programs. Patriotic songs are sung at each meeting and a short devotional is led by the Chaplain, using the D. A. R. Ritual.

We have lost by death a beloved member, Mrs. C. E. Gilbert, our Organizing Regent, and Past Regent. We have twenty-four resident members and two non-resident members. All programs are reported to local paper, and a Scrap Book has been purchased. We have a Better Films Chairman, Good Citizenship, Americanism, Eradication of Illiteracy.

Two prizes, \$2.50 each, are given for highest average in year in American History. Two Citizenship medals awarded through school, \$1.00 each. Scholarship, \$15.00; \$19.00 National dues paid; \$5.20 State dues paid; Ellis Island, \$1.00; D. A. R. Flag, \$8.75; Constitution Hall, \$1.00; Scrap Book, \$2.25; Floral offering, \$5.00; Reinstatement of one member, \$14.00; Personal contribution to Constitution Hall through Chapter, two members, \$2.50 each.

## **HANNAH CLARKE CHAPTER, QUITMAN**

**Mrs. O. J. Taylor, Regent**

Fifty-one paid up members. Lost one member by death.

Year Book featured program on Early Indian Life in America. Sent copies to State Regent, State Recording Secretary and President General. Observed all patriotic days, either at Chapter meetings, special programs at the schools, or published articles on subject in County paper. Had talk by Ex-U. S. Consul on International Day. Located graves of five Daughters of American Revolution.

Offered six Citizenship medals; \$5.00 award in High School to best student in American History; \$2.50 award in Junior High to best student in United States History. Ten girls have benefitted by our Scholarship Loan Fund. Two are using it at present. Total amount in the fund, \$616.82. Have placed all bulletins on National Defense through Patriotic Education in High School Library.

We have placed six new Lineage books on our shelf in City library, amount \$18.00. Donated \$5.00 to Red Cross. Bought D. A. R. Flag. Purchased Mrs. Magna's "Book of Verse." Secured a copy of D. A. R. Ritual. Contributed to Georgia D. A. R. Forest Park, Constitution Hall, Lucy Cook Peel Memorial and \$2.00 for Marking Historic Spots. One subscription to D. A. R. Magazine. Contributed \$10.00 to help furnish joint Club Assembly room. Realized \$3.00 from Mrs. Magna's birthday party. Total disbursements, National, State and local, \$252.14.

## **BONAVENTURE CHAPTER, SAVANNAH**

**Mrs. George U. Beach, Regent**

Like Gaul, Bonaventure Chapter is divided into three parts: members who can and do attend meetings; members who work and cannot attend, and members who live entirely away from Savannah; so the average attendance is sixteen.

Meetings are opened in regular form—Prayer, Pledge, Creed, Song. While one Flag is ever present in room at meetings, another is displayed on lawn of Regent's home during our sessions. All meetings are being held in home of Regent this year, with members acting as hostesses during the social hour.

Our Year Book being dedicated to "The First Settlers of Georgia," many splendid papers have been prepared and given. One member, Mrs. Henry Heller, made a pilgrimage to the Indian Mounds while in Macon, and brought back a wonderful report. We are deeply grateful to our efficient Year Book Committee.

All patriotic days as far as possible have been observed. President General's birthday was celebrated by a free-will offering that netted four dollars for the debt on Constitution Hall. Regent recently sent personal contribution for this fund.

Regent's main objective was to have the Chapter place a Marker on the Salzberger Trail, many members being descendants of that noble band. A pilgrimage will be made soon to this sacred spot and location for the Marker will be selected. A card party given by the committee at the Regent's home netted \$25.00, and other plans have been made for obtaining the balance required. Chapter hopes to have Marker in place in April.

Believing "Americanization" the most important issue in this country today, the Chapter has offered two gold medals, one to the boy and one to the girl of the graduating class of Senior High School who writes the best essay—the boy's subject to be "Our Constitution," and the girl's subject being "The Leaders Who Made America."

In the name of the Chapter, the Regent will present a medal to a boy and a girl of The Children of the American Revolution who writes the best paper on "American Citizenship."

The Chapter Regent was invited to broadcast for the President's Ball in January, and last July gave the principal address at the observance of President Jeff Davis' birthday by the U. D. C.

In the name of the Chapter, the Regent has given eight beautiful crepe myrtle trees—four to the Silver Cross Circle, King's Daughters, for the grounds of the "Cohen's Old Men's Retreat," and four to a friend who has planted them on the plaza in front of the home on one of Savannah's most attractive streets.

Ten Rituals have been purchased by Chapter members.

Washington's birthday was observed by buying one square foot of ground at Kenmore, and by a reading given by Miss Margaret Grace. Miss Grace also spoke for the Chapter at the Americanization Ceremony recently held in the Federal Court when eight were naturalized.

All dues have been met, and contributions have been made to Ellis Island, the S. B. C. Morgan Fund, and for Marking Historic Spots.

Despite the handicap of serious illness affecting some of the most efficient members of this Chapter, the Regent feels deeply grateful for what has been accomplished, and knows that the work has been done with "an eye single" to the good and glory of the D. A. R.

Present membership, 39; dropped two; papers pending in Washington, three.

## LACHLAN McINTOSH CHAPTER, SAVANNAH

**Mrs. Henry L. Purse, Regent**

Lachlan McIntosh Chapter has sixty-four members. We have had a paper on "Georgia Indians and Their Neighbors" at each meeting this year; also a paper on "National Defense" at each meeting.

We have observed all patriotic days. The work of our Chapter has been the Preserving Old Records. Twenty-five dollars have been given to the Savannah Historical Research Association who employ FERA workers to gather material for compiling a History of Chatham County. Our Librarian, Mrs. Mabel Freeman LaFar, is a member of the Activities Committee of the Savannah Historical Research Association, supervising the abstracting of wills and marriages at the Chatham County Court House. The Chatham County wills from the year 1773 to 1817, inclusive, are still in the hands of the publishers. The photostatic copies of St. John's Church, Charleston, S. C., records of 1759 are in process of translation from the old German. The historical records of Jackson County, Missouri, were presented to our library shelf. These were collected, compiled and published by the Kansas City Chapter, D. A. R.

There were also presented to the Chapter: seventeen abstracts of wills; eleven tombstone records from Beaufort, S. C.; records of Salem Baptist Church in Chatham County; records of Tuckaseeking Methodist Church, and records of Mt. Pleasant Church, Effingham County.

Our Chairman of Americanism welcomed the new citizens of the Naturalization Class in February.

We feel that we have had a very successful year.

## SAVANNAH CHAPTER, SAVANNAH

**Mrs. J. N. Carter, Regent**

The Chapter has 117 members, two new members by transfer, six dropped, and three resigned.

Board of Management meets on the tenth of each month, Chapter on the fifteenth, operates on a budget, and has contributed to most Honor Roll requirements. Attended United States Court when nine foreigners took the oath of allegiance to our Government. Flags, identification cards, and Manuals were distributed by the Chairman of Americanism, who welcomed the new citizens with a splendid address.

The Chapter has an attractive Year Book dedicated to the memory of Tomochichi, the Mico of the Yamacraws; the companion of Oglethorpe and the friend and Ally of the Colony of Georgia, featuring each month some phase of the occupation of Georgia by the Indians. Pledge to the Flag, D. A. R. Pledge. All meetings are opened with prayer by the Chaplain; accounts of all meetings have been mailed to the State Editor, celebrated all patriotic days and reported to State Chairman. Through the generosity of Mrs. B. F. Bullard, a beloved member of the Chapter, "A Short History of Georgia" by Coulter, was donated for our D. A. R. book shelf in the Savannah Public Library. The Chapter secured a C. C. Jones "History of Savannah, Georgia" (\$25.00), which will be presented to Constitution Hall in Washington, D. C., for Georgia Book Shelf.

Purchased a copy of Mrs. Edith Scott Magna's "Collected Verse" also a Ritual, a volume of "Abstracts Chatham County Wills," compiled by Mrs. Branch LaFar. Purchased a D. A. R. Flag, to be used at Conference, also contributed to plates to be presented to Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt. Celebrated Mrs. Magna's birthday with a silver offering for Constitution Hall, (\$6.00). Sponsored the reorganization of the Children of the Revolution, under the leadership of Mrs. Ralph West.

The Chapter presented an evening of lantern slides with a lecture, "Half Forgotten Romances of American History" (net \$18.00).

In May the Chapter entertained with a brilliant reception in honor of Mrs. John W. Daniel, State Regent, and Mrs. J. Thos. Wood, State Corresponding Secretary.

Honor Roll requirements and other disbursements, \$360.50.

## **HANCOCK CHAPTER, SPARTA**

**Mrs. George F. Dickens, Regent**

That there is much to be desired we realize, as we prepare this, our annual report. And yet, the unflagging interest and faithful attendance of two-thirds of our membership has resulted in so much that is creditable, that we feel a pride in recording these achievements.

Our meetings have been conducted according to the beautiful new Ritual; an official D. A. R. Flag has been ordered for the Chapter.

Our programs have followed the outline prescribed: "Georgia Indians and Their Neighbors;" and activity has been planned around the Indian history of our County: The two Creek Indian Trail—Markers have been beautified with shrubbery, members are reporting to Curator all relics of an Indian nature, and attention has been drawn to two huge Indian Mounds near Sparta.

We have been honored by a visit from our State Regent, who brought with her other State Officers.

One Scrap Book is being kept; all meetings reported to press; items sent to State Editor and clippings to State Scrap Book. Chapter has two subscriptions to D. A. R. Magazine. All communications from State Chairmen have received replies, and reports forwarded when requested.

We remember our two Real Daughters on Valentine's Day.

Encouraging Good Citizenship is a major interest: we have an active Girl Home Makers Chairman, and we award a prize in the Spring to a High School student for History. Chapter members at all times cooperate with the humanitarian and cultural organizations in our community.

Our standing committees are functioning with a splendid will: a Revolutionary tomb is being restored; trees and shrubs are planted in profusion; local High School Library increased by a number of gift volumes from the Chapter; all patriotic days are observed; one historical paper was sent from Chapter to State Committee; and we have one new member to enroll.

The Hancock Chapter reports a year marked by loyalty of heart, high ideals exemplified in each activity, and a noteworthy spirit of cooperation.

## JOHN CLARKE CHAPTER, SOCIAL CIRCLE

Mrs. Claude T. Wiley, Regent

John Clarke Chapter, with an enrollment of thirty-one, reports a spirit of hearty cooperation. Splendid programs are presented at the monthly meetings. All patriotic and historical days are fittingly observed and speakers from the Chapter furnished the school.

At the celebration of Mrs. Magna's birthday, at the home of Mrs. Mell Knox, a free-will offering was made for Constitution Hall.

A Scrap Book is being compiled containing the Chapter history, Historical Post Cards, interesting clippings and other data.

Correct Use of the Flag and patriotic songs have been taught in our schools, prizes for general excellence given in fourth, fifth, and sixth grades and a medal to the pupil making highest average in American History in seventh grade. The D. A. R. Good Citizenship medal has been offered to eighth grade. A contribution of \$39.80 was made to School Library and books were given to poor children.

Food valued at \$175.00 and clothing at \$125.00 have been provided for the deserving needy and in the conservation of natural resources 152 plants, 174 bushes, 23 vines, 2,975 bulbs, 329 shrubs, and 46 trees were planted.

The Chapter has an active Better Films Committee who cooperates with local picture house and helps advertise recommended pictures.

All Honor Roll requirements have been met.

## ADAM BRINSON CHAPTER, SWAINSBORO

Mrs. Ira T. McLemore, Regent

The life of any organization consists of its membership. Its activity is measured by the activity of its members. It may truly be said, 'By their fruits shall ye know them.' Therefore, we feel we have not entirely fallen short.

The most outstanding accomplishment of our Chapter this year is the building of a Chapter house and, of course, this has been the most interesting feature of our work—yet we have carried on with courage and unity in all of our work. This accomplishment really has revived enthusiasm and we feel sure that we shall set about doing something definite in the program of service.

This year we are offering Citizenship medals and have offered a medal to students making the best average in American History. We have a Committee on Patriotic Education that is sponsoring programs through the schools. Surely if we are to keep our country intact we must energetically promote Patriotic Education in all its phases.

We have observed all special days with appropriate programs thus far through the year.

We sent a nice sum for Constitution Hall and also for Kenmore Gardens.

We have not located any Revolutionary Soldiers' graves this year—neither have we marked any, however, we anticipate marking some of those we have already located, in the near future.

Our line of study for the year has been of the Indians who lived in Georgia and we have also used Historical Programs suggested by our State Chairman.

All State and National obligations have been met and reports of our meetings are sent to the State Editor and to our local paper.

Of special interest was the Silver Tea held at the Chapter house

December 19, 1934—with special music and a patriotic address. The newly furnished Chapter house will never be lovelier than on this occasion with its Christmas decorations. Again on March 1st, the Chapter sponsored a benefit party—proceeds to go for the Chapter house.

Our meetings have been held monthly at our Chapter house, which has been convenient and enjoyable to all.

We have an enrollment of thirty members with a fifty per cent attendance. We have four papers pending.

All Officers and Chairmen have worked faithfully and harmoniously for the good of the Chapter and feel that we have great cause for thankfulness that in the Providence of God no member has been called by death.

"With hats off to the past and coats off to the future" our aim is to press onward and upward to the high calling of Daughters of the American Revolution.

### GOV. DAVID EMANUEL CHAPTER, SWAINSBORO

#### Mrs. Arthur Thompson, Regent

The Governor David Emanuel Chapter, with an enrollment of forty-eight, one by transfer, one application before the authorities for approval, and has sustained the loss of one member by death, has finished a creditable year's work for 1934.

In the early fall, Year Books were issued. The Committee worked hard to carry out the suggested programs and suitable music accompanied interesting papers. Both the Spiritual and Patriotic programs were presented at each monthly meeting. We have sponsored four patriotic lectures—one by our own Honorable Richard B. Russell. We have had a good attendance at the regular meetings and always much interest is shown.

At all times the Chapter has stood behind and helped in all projects for the building of worthy citizens—seeing that members exercised rights of citizenship at the polls, and assisting the FERA in all undertakings to help the unemployed.

The Chapter has sponsored clinics, having furnished funds for examination of several patients at a recent Tuberculosis clinic. We also raised \$103.60 from the sale of Tuberculosis Seals. Emanuel County's part of these funds are handled by our Chapter Committee.

The Committee on Beautifying the Highways has money on hand and will soon erect stone pillars at the City limits bearing a "Welcome Entrance" to our little city, a City with the distinction of having two Federal Highways crossing here.

Much interest has been shown in Forestry work, the "County Fathers" having purchased three "lookout towers" and aiding a side camp for our forestry work.

Again this year the Chapter offers \$2.50 in prizes in our local school for the best student in United States History, both in High and Grammar School.

At two theaters, with the aid of local committees, the public has been enabled to see A No. 1 motion pictures.

A contribution of \$7.00 has been sent to Constitution Hall through Mrs. Magna's Birthday Fund.

A very impressive Memorial Service has been held for one of our Charter members whose passing was a source of sorrow to all.

Already a Marker is on hand to be unveiled in memory of William Corday Price, a World War Veteran.

A member by transfer, Mrs. Drexel, has donated her commission on Books of Knowledge, so that three copies have been placed in our local school, as well as other county-wide institutions.

At a recent meeting the Chapter voted to send \$2.50 to Meadow Garden—the home of George Walton—whose site is near us, in Augusta.

A project that has seemed to be most cherished among our members has been our Marion Sibley Wylie Student Loan Fund; \$90.00 has been added to the fund this year and while our first protegee has received her normal diploma and is teaching, we pride ourselves also in having the second protegee in college now.

At all times our women will be found patriotic and willing to assist in every project undertaken in the name of our Chapter.

### **BRIAR CREEK CHAPTER, SYLVANIA**

**Mrs. Wadie P. Perkins, Regent**

The fourteenth year of the Briar Creek Chapter has been very enthusiastic and successful with an average attendance of about 90 per cent of its resident members.

The programs outlined by our State Chairman have been used and reported to local and State papers, and Scrap Book kept.

An additional contribution of \$5.00 was sent for Constitution Hall. The Chapter subscribes to D. A. R. Magazine, and has Better Films Chairman who reports 75 per cent historical pictures shown. We met all Honor Roll requirements by the 1st of January.

The Chairman on Conservation and Thrift reports, forty-one trees, fourteen vines, and 184 pieces of shrubbery planted. Nearly all patriotic days have been observed.

We have a membership of twenty-five with three applications pending completion of records.

Twelve living Christmas trees were decorated on lawns of our members.

An additional contribution of \$5.00 was sent to Kenmore Garden.

### **BARNARD TRAIL CHAPTER, SYLVESTER**

**Mrs. I. H. Mann, Regent**

Barnard Trail Chapter has used the programs outlined by the State Chairman and the study of the early Indians has proved to be most interesting.

All patriotic days have been fittingly observed by the Chapter. We have sponsored three patriotic lectures in High School Auditorium.

For the second time Washington's Birthday was celebrated with a Colonial Tea at which members of the Chapter, wearing Colonial costumes, were hostesses to the women of Sylvester and members of the D. A. R. Chapters of neighboring towns. The Chapter members had on display at this time some very interesting relics.

Three papers have been sent to the Filing and Lending Bureau and seven articles to the State Editor for page in Constitution.

The Chapter has given several prizes and medals; one prize to a girl doing most outstanding work in Home Economics Department of the local High School; two prizes to grades learning the greatest number of patriotic songs.

Four Citizenship medals have been given; two in High School and two in Junior High School.

One History medal to senior in High School having the highest average in American History.

We have remembered Georgia's own Real Daughters again this year; this time with a dozen linen handkerchiefs.

The Chapter has met all Honor Roll requirements for her thirty-one members. We are sorry to report the loss of one member. Total disbursements for the year have been \$136.01.

Many trees and shrubs have been planted by members. Books have been given to pupils attending night school. A box of wool was sent to Ellis Island.

Members of Barnard Trail Chapter and members of the Kiwanis Club were joint hosts at a banquet in November, given in honor of Dr. C. C. Harrold, President of the Georgia Archaeological Society; Dr. J. R. Swanton from the Smithsonian Institution, and Dr. Frank M. Setzler from the National Museum, who came to Worth County on an exploration tour of Indian Mounds.

The Regent feels that the three outstanding things accomplished in the year just ended, are: first, "The History of Worth County," edited by our Chapter Historian, Mrs. Grubbs, has been published; second, we have marked the grave of our Organizing Regent, Mrs. Claude Gibson Alford, with the regulation Organizing Regent Marker; third, \$20.00 has been added to our Student Loan Fund, making a total now of \$35.00—\$8.50 of which is being used by a local girl at College.

With renewed faith, a stronger hold on life, and brighter prospects for the future, we are looking forward to continued service for our homes and our country.

#### THOMASVILLE CHAPTER, THOMASVILLE

##### Mrs. J. A. Horn, Regent

Met Honor Roll requirements.....	\$ 57.15
Scholarship (Business College) .....	25.00
Lunches for School Children .....	25.00
Kenmore Garden Association (one foot of land).....	2.50
D. A. R. Flag .....	8.75
Memorial, Continental Hall .....	15.00
Donation, Girl Scouts .....	10.00
History Prize (High School) .....	5.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$148.40</b>

Furnished bed, springs, and mattress for Red Cross School for Underprivileged Mothers.

We have observed all important days (as given in Year Book by Mrs. Beeson). Flag Day, Flags float on streets and homes all over the City, sponsored by D. A. R. Chapter. Have had papers on "Indians in Georgia" twice this year.

Chairman of Approved Schools reports that through the cooperation of Director of Music in the Public School, patriotic songs are featured in the schools.

The Correct Use of the Flag is being taught in the schools by our D. A. R. members who are on the Board.

We are compiling the History of Thomasville, each member taking her section of the City to obtain the correct history and at our last meeting will be the main feature of our program. This will include the History of our Chapter also.

We have an attendance of two-thirds the membership. We have

a life membership of \$100.00 at the John D. Archbold Memorial Hospital and we are represented at each meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary by our Regent.

We contribute freely to the "Free Bed Fund" and help in decorating the graves, and give flowers every week, and in many other ways too numerous to mention.

We feel confident that we have a Better Films Chairman unequaled in Georgia. She receives her D. A. R. Post Card Guide to Moving Pictures promptly, and distributes them among the members and she gets the utmost cooperation from the picture show manager and directors. Gives her report to the Chapter each month.

In February, she spent three weeks in California, visiting Hollywood several times and was permitted to witness the making of several pictures, "Mid-Summer Night Dream" was one of them. Her work is nothing short of marvelous. Our picture shows have shown a wonderful improvement this year, due, we believe, largely to the untiring efforts of our Chairman.

### **TOCCOA CHAPTER, TOCCOA**

**Mrs. Winston Owen, Regent**

The Toccoa Chapter has thirty members. We have had one resignation and two new members. State and National dues have been paid and all Honor Roll requirements have been met.

Ten meetings of the Chapter have been held, the meetings were opened with the Pledge to the Flag, the American's Creed, patriotic song, followed by prayer by the Chaplain. Programs outlined by the State Chairman have been used for the 1934-35 year and a splendid Year Book was printed.

The Chapter has observed all patriotic days as requested, Washington's Birthday was celebrated with a party at the Woman's Club, when members of the Chapter, wearing Colonial costume, entertained about 100 guests. We cooperated with the American Legion Auxiliary on the sale of Poppies for Armistice Day.

At our November meetings the Chapter celebrated the birthday of our President General, Mrs. Russell Magna and voted to send \$5.00 to Constitution Hall.

We have given \$5.00 to the Book Fund for the underprivileged children of our local school and have also helped with food and clothes for these children. We have served on Camp Fire and Child Welfare committees.

Prizes of \$2.50 each are offered for the highest grade in American History in the Junior High and High School.

A Scrap Book is being kept which gives the complete history of the Chapter.

### **THOMSON CHAPTER, THOMSON**

**Mrs. Clyde F. Hunt, Regent**

The Thomson Chapter of the D. A. R. has fifteen members. The meetings are held in the homes of the members. All meetings are opened with a devotional, we have historical programs accompanied by patriotic music. A majority of the patriotic days have been observed. All of the requirements for the Honor Roll have been met.

We have accomplished a great deal in Welfare work. Our Chapter helps to maintain a class for adult illiterates. Two of our members did excellent work during the Red Cross drive.

## JOHN HOUSTON CHAPTER, THOMASTON

Mrs. E. T. Nottingham, Regent

The Chapter celebrated its twenty-fourth birthday in March with an enrollment of eighty-two members; six new names have been added during the past year. Received State Treasurer's Award for having been first to send annual dues and Honor Roll requirements which amounted to \$162.00. All patriotic days have been observed, and we have supported as far as possible all State and National obligations.

Sent one box to Crossnore valued at \$10.00. Gave two books to our Public Library. These books were donated through the Chapter, by two of our members. Had two representatives to the State Conference in Athens, also two to National Congress in Washington.

Have University Scholarship, valued at \$200.00. Three Lineage Books, given by our beloved Ex-Regent, Mrs. J. F. Lewis, have been added to the Chapter Library. Scholarships and textbooks instead of prizes, to the local High School, amounts to \$96.95.

The Chapter has won for the second time, the trophy for Bible Records, by having sent to the State Chairman the largest number of certified records. Twelve new subscriptions and six renewals have been secured to the D. A. R. Magazine, for which we won the Mrs. John A. Perdue Cup the second time. Sixteen of the new D. A. R. Rituals have been bought and are being used at the regular meetings.

More than five thousand trees, shrubs, and bulbs have been planted by members of the Chapter. Shrubbery planted around the Presbyterian Church was donated by a member. Shrubs and flowers have also been planted on the grounds surrounding the first Old Stage Road Marker built by the Chapter.

The Chapter cooperated with civic and religious organizations in doing charity work at Christmas, by giving coal, food, medical supplies, clothing and money.

Our Corresponding Secretary, as Red Cross Roll Call Chairman, received Honor Certificate for meritorious Roll Call.

Our Vice-President General and State Recording Secretary shared honors at a special meeting held on July 4th.

Birthday offering for Constitution Hall amounted to \$20.71.

Have very active Better Films Committee, who won two screen souvenirs; a member of Chapter Committee is Vice-Chairman of National Better Films Committee. Realized \$13.60 for Constitution Hall from Better Films Committee benefit.

Equipped Home Economics Department in Star School for Negroes with oil stove, cooking utensils, dishes and tableware. Donated fifty volumes to same School Library.

Organizing President for C. A. R. has been appointed. The name, "John Houston Society, C. A. R.," has been presented to National Society for approval, and a sufficient number of applicants have been secured to organize the Chapter. We are honored in having the State Director, C. A. R., a member of our Chapter.

Have erected the second Marker on the Old Alabama Stage Road at a cost of \$100.00.

The National Defense Committee gave a special program, the main feature being an address by Mrs. W. D. Travis, of Griffin.

Cooperated with American Legion Auxiliary in putting on series of lectures on different phases of Americanism in High School.

Total expenditure during the year, \$665.96.

## **GENERAL JAMES JACKSON CHAPTER, VALDOSTA**

**Mrs. Frank S. Harrell, Regent**

It was the pleasure of the General James Jackson Chapter to entertain the State Executive Board November 1, 1934, with the charming State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel, presiding.

The present membership is sixty-one. One new member, one reinstatement, and two papers pending.

Our meetings are held regularly each third Wednesday in the month in the auditorium of the Woman's Building. They are opened by the Chaplain with prayer, after which the Pledge to the Flag and the American's Creed are given in concert.

The meetings have been very well attended and the programs on Georgia Indians and their neighbors have been of particular interest to many in the Chapter whose forebears lived on the East coast of Georgia. There has always been reserved a place on the program for the celebration of special patriotic days.

Thirteen of the Honor Roll requirements have been met. Local needs being considered of more importance than the remaining four.

Two feet of Kenmore Gardens were purchased exclusive of regular donations—one by the Chapter and one by our Recording Secretary, Mrs. R. Walter Bennett. The Chapter has for several years subscribed to the National Lineage Volume D. A. R., D. A. R. Magazine, and William and Mary Quarterly, placing them in Carnegie Library. Wilkes County Records, Volume II, has also been added this year.

A D. A. R. medal is given annually to the pupil in the public schools making the highest average in Georgia History.

The Chapter cooperated with the American Legion in observing Armistice Day, having an attractively decorated float in the parade.

Georgia Day was observed in the High School with appropriate music and songs, and an address by Mrs. J. F. McCrackin.

One Georgia Plate was purchased for Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

A small fund is in hand as a nucleus for a General James Jackson Student Loan Fund, which we hope to materially increase next year.

In Conservation and Thrift we have not been entirely inactive. Trees and shrubs have been planted by the members, and Mrs. R. Y. Scruggs, Thrift Chairman, has been largely instrumental in starting the beautification project along the Southern Railroad in Hahira, Ga.

The Chapter Scrap Book, which has been the work for the past several years of our beloved Past Historian, Mrs. Ewell Brown, was brought up-to-date and presented to the Chapter in May.

Donations to the Empty Stocking Fund and Christmas Seals were made. Miscellaneous subscriptions have amounted to \$237.64. Total disbursements, \$326.49.

## **VIDALIA CHAPTER, VIDALIA**

**Mrs. Frank E. Howard, Regent**

Well attended monthly meetings have been held by our Chapter, and the use of the new Ritual adds dignity and beauty to our opening exercise. The programs of the year have been varied and interesting, some fine papers having been given.

Our Chapter has cooperated with other organizations of our town in relief, educational and beautification projects in the fol-

lowing manner: baskets of food and fruits being distributed at Thanksgiving and Christmas; the offering of seven prizes in the white and colored schools for interest and excellence in American History; the planting of several hundred flame colored crepe myrtle, the flowering shrub chosen for our town and highway beautification.

Our Better Films Chairman has been active and efficient in helping to bring better and cleaner pictures to our town.

We have worked diligently trying to locate Fort King George, which was probably the first military work in what is now the State of Georgia, and we believe we have sufficient data to warrant the placing of a Marker near where the old fort stood. This we hope to do in the near future.

Our Chapter activities along historical lines have been varied. We observed the following special anniversaries: Independence Day, Flag Day, Constitution Day, and Georgia Day. On Washington's Birthday we entertained more than one hundred guests at a Colonial Ball which was an elaborate and beautiful affair.

One of the high lights of the year was the visit of our gracious and lovely State Regent during the Christmas holidays, and I deem it a very great privilege and pleasure to have had her as honor guest at a luncheon in my home at which all Chapter members were also guests. The inspiration of her presence and fine and instructive address she gave us will long be remembered by those present.

#### **BURKHALTER CHAPTER, WARRENTON**

**Mrs. John Q. Gant, Regent**

Burkhalter Chapter, D. A. R., of Warrenton, organized in November, 1921, has twenty-six members, having lost two members by death. Nine interesting meetings have been held in the homes of the members with delightful programs, as outlined by State Chairman, and a pleasant social hour followed during which delicious refreshments were served.

The graves of the two members, Mrs. W. O. Brinkley and Mrs. Darwin Ricketson, have been marked with bronze D. A. R. Markers.

A gold History medal was awarded to a member of the senior class of the Warrenton High School for the highest average in History. Four Citizenship medals were given in the seventh grades of the Grammar schools.

We have observed Patriotic days as requested. The Chapter sponsored a Tubercular Clinic last June and paid for eleven examinations. We also sponsored the sale of Tuberculosis Christmas seals.

At Thanksgiving time we remembered our own Real Daughters, Mrs. Mary Pool Newsome and Miss Sara Pool.

We gave \$10.00 to the Baker Memorial in Warrenton and \$17.60 toward the Honor Roll requirements.

#### **JONATHAN BRYAN CHAPTER, WAYCROSS**

**Miss Claudia E. Little, Regent**

The Jonathan Bryan Chapter, D. A. R., has thirty-three members; one member died and several have withdrawn; have one new member. There are twenty-three resident members, the meetings are held in the homes and are well attended.

The Flag is displayed at each meeting; Scripture and prayer by

the Chaplain; patriotic songs are used on programs. Pledge to the Flag and American's Creed is repeated at each meeting by all the members.

The Program Committee presented each member with a very attractive Year Book. The papers read at the meetings have been most interesting, all designated patriotic days have been observed with an appropriate program.

Most of the Honor Roll requirements were paid. We did not pay all, as we had a call in our City to help support the Children's Home, which was a great necessity, as there were about thirty underprivileged children that are being cared for, so we are contributing \$1.00 per month to that institution.

Our Christmas offering went to these children; five sweaters, five pairs of socks, and gifts of a toy for each of the five. Many members are contributing monthly, money, clothes, and food to these children.

We have given railroad fare to Atlanta and return to enable a boy in the Junior High School to go to Atlanta for an operation.

We have offered \$2.50 each to the boys and girls of the Negro Junior and Senior High School for the highest average attained in American History and being able to repeat the Pledge to the Flag and the American's Creed.

We have purchased the History of Ware County. There are three subscriptions to the D. A. R. Magazine, one being placed in the Waycross Public School Library.

We have given the Winona Chapter of C. A. R. \$5.00 to help them get their charter.

We sent \$6.85 to Constitution Hall collected at Mrs. Magna's birthday party.

A Marker was placed at the grave of the only member buried here.

State and National dues paid and besides we have contributed \$27.00 to other causes.

We publish accounts of meetings in papers and join in with all other organizations in patriotic meetings.

## LYMAN HALL CHAPTER, WAYCROSS

Mrs. Dan Lott, Regent

The main objectives of Lyman Hall Chapter this year have been twofold: first to make our meetings very worthwhile, and second, to find and record the Indian History so abundant in this section.

Our printed Year Books were made attractive with hand-painted covers. The programs were carefully considered and in them were incorporated many of the suggestions of the State Program Chairman. At one meeting we had as guests Winona Chapter, Children of the American Revolution, who presented for us a very fine Indian Pageant.

Georgia Day was devoted to honoring two of our Waycross authors, Caroline Miller and Sara Singleton King. Armistice Day was celebrated by a talk from a former Officer of the A. E. F. in France. On Flag Day the program consisted of discussions of the history of the Flag and of a Flag Drill. Other days observed were LaFayette Day, Constitution Day and Magna Charta Day (on which we had a very thoughtful address on the Constitution), Yorktown Day and Columbus Day.

Led by our Historian, Mrs. J. L. Walker, we have delved into local Indian history. Besides studying printed books and papers on the

subject, she searched old family papers and letters of pioneer citizens of this section. She also collected the word-of-mouth recollections of old residents. This material she compiled into a very readable and valuable paper which was sent to Mrs. Ober D. Warthen.

The Chapter presented "The History of Ware County," by Mrs. Walker, also, to the Library of Memorial Continental Hall.

We assisted in the sale of tickets to the President's Birthday Ball. We also cooperated in the local Welfare work. Six dollars was given for lunches for undernourished school children. Five dollars was donated for plot in the Municipal Rose Bed. While there are practically no foreign-born here, we have taken part in teaching in the School for Illiterates.

A Scrap Book was purchased and begun. We have also gotten the new Ritual. The Chapter By-Laws are being revised and printed.

The use of the American's Creed in the schools was stressed.

Letters have been written urging our State Legislators to favor appropriations for the upkeep of the State Department of Archives and History. We also presented the name of Sidney Lanier for the New York University Hall of Fame.

Lyman Hall Chapter has thirty-two old members, two who had resigned and joined again this year, and four new members, making a total of thirty-eight members.

Lyman Hall Chapter reports one subscription to the D. A. R. Guide to Motion Pictures. The weekly reviews have been read at the Chapter meetings, and discussed. We have tried to encourage good films.

#### **EDMUND BURKE CHAPTER, WAYNESBORO**

**Mrs. F. M. Cates, Regent**

The past year has not been one marked by great achievement. In a Chapter of small membership, with a large per cent non-resident, there are many phases of the work in which we cannot actively participate but through our program and financial support of same we feel a vital interest.

We have a membership of sixteen.

We have observed all patriotic days with appropriate programs.

We celebrated Mrs. Magna's birthday and sent offering for debt on Constitution Hall.

Have offered medal in Waynesboro High School for highest average made in American History.

Have sent pledges for plates for Little White House.

Have made contribution to Kenmore Garden.

#### **SUNBURY CHAPTER, WINDER**

**Mrs. J. H. Pledger, Regent**

Sunbury Chapter, Winder, has twelve resident members; two have resigned this year, and three have been dropped for non-payment of dues.

Each meeting is opened with the Ritual service, followed by the Pledge to the Flag and the American's Creed.

Ten designated important days have been observed. On Georgia Day the Chapter was entertained by the American Legion Auxillary at the Legion Hall. The Regent served as General Chairman for the Roosevelt Ball in January and reported \$123.50 collected.

The Hallowe'en carnival was sponsored jointly with the Woman's Club and the amount realized, \$41.70, was given to the local school. \$28.67 was realized from the sale of Tuberculosis Seals.

Aid was given many needy families during the Thanksgiving and Christmas seasons. One child in school has been given lunch each day.

A box of materials was sent to Ellis Island this month. Magazines were sent to the Merchant Marine Library.

Chapter had two subscriptions to D. A. R. Motion Picture Guide. Same was published in City paper. This paper also published all activities of local Chapter.

Verification slips for headstones of two Revolutionary Soldiers have been received.

Good Citizenship has been emphasized at all times. Flag Etiquette has been presented in schools. The Sweeney medals are awarded each year in the seventh and eleventh grades for excellence in American History. Two S. A. R. medals are given in the Elementary School. Two prizes are given for Girl Home Makers.

A Scrap Book is kept which gives a complete history of the Chapter's activities from its organization in 1921 to the present time.

With the exception of National dues, the Chapter complied with all requirements for the State Honor Roll last August.

# BY-LAWS OF THE STATE CONFERENCE

REVISED 1932

## ARTICLE I.

### Object

The object of the State Conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Georgia is to promote the aims set forth in the Constitution of the National Society and to secure the benefits of cooperation of the chapters of our own state, keeping in view especially the preservation of the memory of its Revolutionary patriots, the study of its history, and the education of its youth in patriotic ideals and in the duties of citizenship.

## ARTICLE II.

### Membership

The voting members of the State Conference shall be its officers, the officers of the National Society whose membership is within the state, and the Regent (or in her absence the First Vice-Regent) or alternates, the delegates or their alternates from the chapters of the state that are entitled to representation at Continental Congress or special meetings of the National Society. The number of representatives from each chapter shall be determined by the rules for representatives of chapters in the Continental Congress, as given in the National By-Laws. A member must have belonged to a chapter at least one year before she is eligible to serve as a delegate or alternate from the chapter. Chapters failing to pay dues required of them by the By-Laws shall not be entitled to representation at the meeting of the State Conference.

## ARTICLE III.

### Officers

Section 1. Officers of the State Conference shall be the State Regent, State First Vice-Regent, a Second Vice-Regent, a Chaplain, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, a Treasurer, Auditor, a Consulting Organizing Secretary, a Consulting Registrar, a Genealogist, Historian, Librarian, Reporter to Smithsonian Institution, Curator, Editor, and Assistant Editor. These officers shall be elected by the State Conference biennially by ballot. A majority of the votes shall elect. Vacancies in office between annual meetings shall be filled by appointment made by the State Regent and unexpired term of officers so appointed shall be filled by election at the next annual meeting.

Sec. 2. The term of office shall begin at the close of the Continental Congress following their election.

Sec. 3. Any member of a chapter in this state who has been a member of the Society for two years and is in good standing as such, is eligible for office in the State Conference, but no one who has held such an office for a term of two years shall be eligible for the same office for the next term.

Sec. 4. On the election of State Regent and State Vice-Regent a certificate of their election, containing a copy of the Conference minutes as to the election signed by the presiding officer and the

secretary of the meeting, shall be promptly transmitted to the Organizing Secretary General of the National Society by registered mail, duplicates shall be furnished to those elected. The nomination of a candidate for Vice-President shall be certified in the same manner. (See Article X, Section 1, National By-Laws).

#### ARTICLE IV.

##### Duties of Officers

Section 1. The State Regent shall be the presiding officer of the State Conference. In her absence the State Vice-Regent shall preside. In the absence of both of these officers the Second Vice-Regent shall preside.

Sec. 2. The Chaplain shall open all meetings of the society with the reading of Scripture and prayer, and shall conduct such religious services as occasion may require.

Sec. 3. The Recording Secretary shall record the proceedings of the State Conference and of meetings of its Executive Board, and shall compile and have printed the book of the Proceedings, under the supervision of the State Regent and the Press Committee.

Sec. 4. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct correspondence, and send notices in behalf of the State Conference, the State Regent, and the Executive Board, as directed by them.

Sec. 5. The Treasurer shall be the custodian of the funds of the State Conference. She shall collect the State Conference dues from the chapters, and shall receive all sums contributed through the Conference. She shall pay out such sums only when authorized by the By-Laws or by the State Conference. She shall keep an account of all sums received and paid out, and shall keep receipts for all payments.

Sec. 6. The Historian shall conduct such historical work and make such reports as to matters relating to Georgia history, or to the work of the Society, as she may deem proper, or as may be directed by the State Conference.

Sec. 7. The Librarian shall endeavor to collect books and documents which shall relate to the work of the Society or which may be useful for reference in its historical or genealogical work. She may deposit books and documents in the Department of Archives and History at the State Capitol, and, with the approval of the Executive Board, may turn over books to the State library. She shall furnish to the State library, and may furnish to other public libraries, the Proceedings of the State Conference, and shall keep on file the Proceedings of all annual meetings. She shall keep a catalogue of books and documents received, and receipts for those delivered by her, and shall deliver to her successor all books and papers in her possession as librarian, not disposed of as above.

Sec. 8. The Consulting Registrar shall, when requested, assist applicants for membership in the National Society to prove eligibility where they reside in towns and counties in which there is no chapter and shall give desired assistance to Chapter Registrars in verifying lineage papers.

Sec. 9. The Auditor shall examine the accounts and report of the Treasurer and shall report thereon at the annual meeting or when requested by the Executive Board.

Sec. 10. The Editor shall conduct the departments devoted to the Daughters of the American Revolution in the Atlanta Constitution, which is the official organ of the State Conference. She shall be assisted by the Assistant Editor.

Sec. 11. The Consulting Organizing Secretary shall assist the State Regent in the organization of chapters.

Sec. 12. The Genealogist shall, when requested, assist members in genealogical research, collect and bind all available material, and place in Constitution Hall library for the use of the Registrar General, members of our Society and the general public. She shall also give a copy of all records to the State Chairman of the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Committee. She shall serve as State Chairman of the Genealogical Research Committee.

Sec. 13. The Reporter to the Smithsonian Institution shall make yearly reports to the Reporter General of the Smithsonian Institution, under the direction of the State Regent.

Sec. 14. The Curator shall report to the Curator General, and collect Revolutionary relics for Memorial Continental Hall museum.

## ARTICLE V.

### Committees

Section 1. The State Regent shall, as soon as practicable after the commencement of her term of office, appoint committees to assist in conducting the work of the Society and of the State Conference, Rules, Press, Continental Memorial Hall, Records, Historic Sites and Monuments, Graves of Revolutionary Soldiers, Patriotic Education, Patriotic Anniversaries, Historical Program, Meadow Garden and such other committees as may be provided for by the State Conference or may be deemed proper by the State Regent. The Treasurer and the Corresponding Secretary shall be ex-officio members of the Committee on Credentials.

## ARTICLE VI.

### Executive Board

The officers of the State Conference and the chairmen of the standing committees shall constitute the Executive Board, with the State Regent, (or in her absence, the State Vice-Regent) as its presiding officer. The Board shall meet at or before the time of the meeting of the State Conference, and whenever called together by the State Regent. It shall receive reports from officers and committees as to their work, shall supervise the program and arrangements for the Conference, and shall make recommendations to the Conference.

## ARTICLE VII.

### Meetings

Section 1. The State Conference shall convene annually between the first day of February and the time of the meeting of the Continental Congress. The Conference shall not convene in Lent, if it is practicable to meet at a different time within the period prescribed above, and shall never convene in Holy Week. The Executive Board shall fix the time and place of meeting when not fixed by the presiding Conference, or when for any reason it may be impracticable to meet at a time or place fixed by the Conference.

Sec. 2. The State Regent shall send notice of the time and place of meeting and credential blanks to the chapters at least sixty days before the time of meeting.

Sec. 3. To constitute a quorum for a meeting of the State Conference, delegates from a majority of the chapters in the state must be present.

Sec. 4. The Order of Business of the Conference shall be as follows:

Conference called to order by the State Regent.

Invocation.

Greetings and responses.

Credential Committee's report.

Roll call.

Program Committee's report.

Executive Board minutes read.

Reports of officers, committees, and chapters.

Unfinished business.

Nomination and election of officers.

New business.

#### **ARTICLE VIII.**

##### **Dues**

The annual dues of chapters to the State Conference shall be 20 cents for each member of the chapter, to be paid to the Treasurer of the Conference at least 30 days before the annual meeting.

#### **ARTICLE IX.**

##### **Expenses of Officers**

Necessary expenses of the State Regent and of the other officers of the State Conference for stationery and correspondence shall be paid by the Treasurer on presentation of itemized statements approved in writing by the State Regent.

#### **ARTICLE X.**

##### **Rules of Order**

Roberts' Rules of Order (Revised) shall be the governing authority in parliamentary law for the State Conference in matters not covered by the By-Laws.

#### **ARTICLE XI.**

##### **Amendments**

The By-Laws of the State Conference may be amended at any annual meeting, after sixty days' notice of the proposed amendment has been given to the chapters. Publication of such notice by the State Editor in the department conducted by her shall be sufficient notice.

#### **EXTRACTS FROM NATIONAL BY-LAWS**

Article IX, Sec. 6. Delegates and alternates to the Continental Congress must be elected on or before the first day of March of each year. A typewritten list of the delegates and alternates, with the date of their election by the chapter, must be sent at once to the Chairman of the Committee on Credentials, and to the State Regent. The delegates and alternates so elected shall be the delegates and alternates to attend any special meeting of the National Society which may be held prior to the Continental Congress of the following year.

Article IX, Sec. 7. Any member must have belonged to a chapter at least one continuous year immediately preceding the Continental Congress, to be eligible to represent her chapter at said Congress,

except in the case of the Regent or First Vice-Regent, of a newly organized chapter, as provided for in Article IX, Sec. 8 (a).

Article IX, Sec. 8. The representation of any chapter at any meeting of the National Society during the year, beginning February 1, shall be based upon the number of members, whose dues for the current year are credited upon the books of the Treasurer General the first day of February preceding the Continental Congress except as hereinafter stated, viz.:

(a) A chapter organized and confirmed by the Board of Management after the first day of February shall be allowed representation by its Regent only, or in her absence by its First Vice-Regent, provided it has the required number of members and paid dues.

(b) Life members and Real Daughters shall be counted in the basis for representation.

(c) The right to elect delegates and alternates shall date from the date that the chapter is confirmed and recognized by the National Board of Management, which day must have been at least one year prior to the opening day of Continental Congress (Monday).

Each chapter of at least 12 members, and each other chapter of at least 25 members, organized in a locality where a chapter already exists, shall be entitled to be represented by its Regent, or in her absence by its First Vice-Regent, providing it has at least 12 or 25 dues for the current year credited upon the books of the Treasurer General the first day of February. Chapters having at least 50 members whose dues for the current year are credited upon the books of the Treasurer General, the first day of February, shall be entitled to one delegate, in addition to representation by the Regent; chapters having at least 200 members whose dues are credited upon the books of the Treasurer General the first day of February, shall be entitled to two delegates and for each additional 100 members whose dues have been credited by the Treasurer General the first day of February, one additional delegate.

Regents and delegates shall be entitled to alternates, but no more than 10 delegates shall be elected from any chapter. A Chapter Regent is authorized to fill vacancies in its delegation to Continental Congress or special meeting of the National Society, from duly elected alternates.

No Regent, First Vice-Regent, delegates, or alternate whose dues for the current year have not been received in the office of the Treasurer General on or before the first day of February preceding the Congress, shall be entitled to represent her chapter.

Article IX, Sec. 11. Chapter Treasurer shall report to the Treasurer General on the first day of June and December, all members in arrears, changes in membership, marriages, and deaths, since the last report. The fees and dues sent to the Treasurer General by the Chapter Treasurer must be accompanied by an alphabetical list of the members to whom the dues shall be accredited.

Article IX, Sec. 12. Chapter Regents shall report to the Organizing Secretary General the election of officers and date of taking office.

#### **Chapter Contributions**

All contributions by Chapters should be made through the State Treasurer, for State and National work.

#### **Information to Members**

The following resolution which applies to the nomination of a State Regent by chapters appears in the Proceedings of the Twentieth State Conference, 1918.

"Resolved, That it is the judgment of the Executive Board that nominations for State Regent should not be made by chapters earlier than three months prior to the meeting of the Conference. When so made they shall be furnished to the State Editor for publication."

Chapters are requested to hold their elections in May. It is desirable that the reports to Conference shall be made by officers whose work covers at least the greater part of the year preceding the Conference. Chapter By-Laws must be in accord with National and State By-Laws.

At the opening of the State Conference, by unanimous consent, the rights and privileges of delegates can be voted to the State Chairman, with this exception, State Chairman cannot vote in the election of State Regent and State Vice-Regent unless they have been elected delegates by their respective chapters and so registered with the Credential Committee. (The election of the State Regent and State Vice-Regent must be confirmed by the Continental Congress).

(See Article X, Section 1 and Section 2, of the National By-Laws).

"Where there is only one candidate for an office and the Constitution requires the vote to be by ballot, it is common to authorize the Secretary to cast the ballot of the assembly for such and such a person."

If anybody objects, however, it is necessary to ballot the usual way. So when a motion is made to vote unanimous, it fails if anyone objects. Passed 1915.

Each State Conference may by a two-thirds vote, adopt such additional rules of order as it may deem advisable for the government of that Conference, provided they are not in conflict with the Constitution and By-Laws of the National and State Society.

## STATE CONFERENCES

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The first State Conference was called by Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, State Regent, and was held at the Atlanta Exposition in 1895. The Annual Conference began in 1899. In that year a conference for the purpose of effecting a state organization was called by Mrs. Robert Emory Park, State Regent, and was held in Atlanta, May 23-24. By-Laws were adopted and state officers elected. The succeeding Conferences were numbered from this Conference, until the Conference of 1909 adopted a motion, offered by Mrs. Mallory Taylor, "that the first State Conference in 1895 be recognized, and the next Annual Conference, instead of being the twelfth, shall be the thirteenth." (Minutes, p. 21). No Conference was held in 1911; the time of meetings having been changed from the fall to the first part of the year by the Conference in 1910, which adopted a recommendation by the Executive Board (made on the motion of Mrs. P. W. Godfrey) 'that the State Conference be carried over from November, 1910, to 1912, prior to Congress in 1912;' amended by Miss Ray of Atlanta, "that we have Conference in the spring, not to interfere with Lent." (Minutes, p. 21).

The dates and places of meeting and the numerical designation of the Conferences after the first Annual Conference (1899) were as follows: (2) Atlanta, Nov. 27-28, 1900. (3) Augusta, Nov. 21-22, 1901. (4) Savannah, Nov. 13-14-15, 1902. (5) Atlanta, Nov. 5-6-7, 1903. (6) Athens, Nov. 9-10-11, 1904. (7) Macon, Nov. 15-16-17, 1905. (8) Columbus, Nov. 21-22-23, 1906. (9) Rome, Oct. 23-24-25, 1907. (10) Covington, Nov. 4-5-6, 1908. (11) Brunswick, Nov. 10-11-12-13, 1909. Change in Conference number so as to count from Conference of 1895. (13) Savannah, Nov. 22-23, 1910. (14) Marietta, April 9-10-11, 1912. (15) Augusta, March 25-26-27-28, 1913. (16) Macon, Feb. 16-17-18-19, 1914. (17) Atlanta, Feb. 9-10-11-12, 1915. (18) Columbus, Feb. 22-23-24-25, 1916. (19) Quitman, Feb. 13-14-15-16, 1917. (20) Athens, April 3-4-5, 1918. (21) Albany, April 1-2-3, 1919. (22) Moultrie, April 6-7-8, 1920. (23) Dalton, April 5-6-7, 1921. (24) Valdosta, April 4-5-6, 1922. (25) Atlanta, April 3-4-5, 1923. (26) Savannah, March 11-12-14, 1924. (27) Columbus, March 31, April 1-2, 1925. (28) Americus, March 16-17-18, 1926. (29) Thomas-ton, April 5-6-7, 1927. (30) Augusta, March 27-28-29, 1928. (31) Brunswick, March 12-13-14, 1929. (32) Newnan, March 25-26-27, 1930. (33) Macon, March 24-25-26, 1931. (34) Waycross, March 29-30-31, 1932. (35) Atlanta, March 15-16-17, 1933. (36) Albany, March 19-20-21, 1934. (37) Athens, March 20-21-22, 1935.

## ITEMS OF INFORMATION

### INFORMATION FOR REGENTS

The election and appointment of officers should be promptly reported to the Organizing Secretary General, Memorial Continental Hall; to the State Regent, and to the State Secretary. The full Christian names of chapter officers should be given together with the husband's name or initials, name of chapter, and address of Chapter Regent.

Notices of death and resignation, marriages, transfers, and dropped members should be sent to the Treasurer General. Notice of change of address should be sent to the Organizing Secretary General.

The Historian General requests "that to insure uniformity and convenience of filing, all records shall be typewritten upon one side of paper, eight and one-half by eleven ( $8\frac{1}{2}\times 11$ ) inches, with one inch margin on left side and bottom. One and one-half inches at top." One copy should be sent to the Historian General, one copy to the State Historian, and one copy retained in Chapter Archives.

Chapter year books should be  $5\frac{1}{2}\times 7$  inches, to conform to requests from National Secretary, in order that the Librarian General can file copies as records. Copies should be sent to her. Year books should be sent to State Regent and State Recording Secretary.

Chapter By-Laws must not conflict with the National and State By-Laws. Chapters are advised to incorporate their By-Laws in the year books.

Chapter Reports for Proceedings should be as concise as possible—not to exceed 500 words.

### Memorials

**The Emily Hendree Park Memorial**—A bookshelf placed at Constitution Hall in memory of Mrs. Robert Emory Park, State Regent and Vice-President General.

**The Lucy Cook Peel Memorial**—Books of Historical Collections published by the State D. A. R. in memory of Mrs. William Lawson Peel, Honorary State Regent and Vice-President General. Other books to be published later.

**The Augusta Strong Graham Memorial**—The Proceedings of the Georgia D. A. R. 1925 published in memory of Mrs. John M. Graham, State Regent and Honorary State Regent. In 1926, bound copies of a complete set of the D. A. R. Proceedings of the Georgia D. A. R. were presented to the Georgia D. A. R. by Mr. John M. Graham in memory of his wife to be placed in the library of the state capitol, Atlanta, Georgia, to be known as the Augusta Strong Graham Collection of Proceedings.

**The Fannie Trammell Memorial Loan Fund** in memory of Mrs. Paul B. Trammell, State First Vice-Regent, this fund to be used in the educational work of the Georgia D. A. R.

**The Sarah Berrien Casey Morgan Memorial Loan Fund** in memory of Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan who was State Regent, Vice-President National Society and charter member of National Society. This fund to be used at Georgia State College for Women, Milledgeville.

## IMPORTANT DAYS TO BE OBSERVED

February 12, Georgia Day; February 22, George Washington's Birthday; June 14, Flag Day; July 4, Independence Day; September 6, LaFayette Day; September 17, Constitution and Magna Charta Day; November 11, Armistice Day; April 13, Thos. Jefferson's Birthday; January 17, Benjamin Franklin's Birthday; and April 3, National American's Creed Day.

## BADGES FOR STATE CONFERENCE

1. Only the two colors of the Society, white and blue are to be used for badges.
2. Blue ribbon with white letters and insignia to be used as badges for officers and chairmen of committees.
3. White ribbons with blue letters and insignia to be used for Regents and delegates.
4. White ribbon with word "Alternate" printed in blue letters to be used for alternates.
5. White ribbon with only names of hostess chapter in blue letters, to be used by entertaining chapter or chapters. Delegates to the State Conference are requested to wear a badge of white ribbon with the name of their chapters in blue letters.
6. The officers, chairmen, delegates and alternates are required to sign their names with Credential Committee before receiving a Conference badge.

## D. A. R. Student Loan Fund

In 1916, the resolution by Mrs. Howard H. McCall, State Regent, to establish a **D. A. R. Loan Fund**, was adopted by the State Conference.

In 1919, the resolution offered by Mrs. Julius Talmadge, Regent of Elijah Clarke Chapter, to establish a \$5,000 Memorial scholarship for our soldier boys who died in the World War to be placed at The University of Georgia (for boys) was adopted.

In 1919, a resolution to give a \$150 loan scholarship from the D. A. R. Loan Fund to a girl to enter The University of Georgia was adopted.

In 1923, the resolution to increase the amount to \$5,000 for the D. A. R. Student Loan Fund was adopted.

In 1923, the resolution to establish a loan fund of \$1,500 to be placed at the Georgia State Woman's College at Valdosta was adopted. In 1926, the State Conference voted to increase this fund to \$5,000, and in 1935, by resolution of State Conference this fund was named the Claude Davis Ingram Loan Fund, in honor of Mrs. Di Ingram of Valdosta.

In 1925, a resolution to establish a "Fannie Trammell Loan Fund," as a memorial to Mrs. Paul B. Trammell, First State Vice-Regent, was adopted. In 1926, the State Conference voted to increase this fund to \$5,000.

In 1927, State Conference voted to include all the loan funds under the name of the D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, to be in accord with the name used by the National Society.

In 1932, a resolution was adopted to name the D. A. R. Loan Fund, established in 1916, and changed to Student Loan Fund (\$5,000) in 1923, to the May Erwin Talmadge Scholarship Fund, in honor of Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Former State Regent, and Ex-Vice-President General.

In 1932, a resolution was adopted to establish a \$2,500 Student Loan Fund to be called the Sarah Berrien Casey Morgan Loan Fund, as a memorial to Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, State Regent, 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, and 1897, and Vice-President General 1898-1902. In 1934, this fund was placed at Georgia State College for Women, Milledgeville.

In 1932, a resolution was adopted that the five funds be under the name of the Student Loan Fund Committee.

### JOSEPH HABERSHAM HISTORICAL COLLECTIONS

Compiled and edited by Mrs. William Lawson Peel and Miss Helen Prescott; property of the Joseph Habersham Chapter of Atlanta.

Vols. I and II—Published in 1901 and 1902, contain unpublished lists of soldiers, lists of immigrants, marriage bonds, death notices, all kinds of court records, family sketches, and valuable genealogies; all original documents.

Vol. III—Published in 1910. Contains all wills, deeds, marriages, etc., of 18 Georgia counties prior to 1796; also Logan's manuscript History of Upper Carolina, containing hundreds of names. All three books completely indexed; \$5.00 each.

For further information apply to the Chapter Librarian, Mrs. W. F. Dykes, Atlanta.

### HISTORICAL COLLECTIONS OF THE GEORGIA CHAPTERS D. A. R.

#### Lucy Cook Peel Memorial

Vol. I—Published in 1926 and dedicated to the memory of Mrs. William Lawson Peel. Contains early records of Baldwin, Bullock, Clarke, Franklin, Jackson, Jasper, Jefferson, Jones, Laurens, Lincoln, Madison, Morgan, Pulaski, Putnam, Tattnall, and Telfair Counties in Georgia. Names of 232 Revolutionary soldiers buried in North Carolina, certified by Miss Anna Blair, North Carolina D. A. R. Historian. Other genealogical data; 373 pages; \$2.60.

Vol. II—Early records of Richmond County, Ga., abstracted and compiled by Mrs. John L. Davidson, Georgia D. A. R. State Historian, published 1929. Contains abstracts of wills, deeds, administrators bonds, guardians' bonds, marriage bonds, minutes of the Inferior court, etc.; 1750-1840, inclusive; also history of the Walton family; 402 pages; complete index; \$2.60.

Vol. III—Early records of Elbert County, Ga., abstracted and compiled by Mrs. John L. Davidson, State Chairman of Genealogical Research Committee, 1928-30. Contains abstracts of wills, 1791-1835; index Will book, 1829-1860; administrator's and guardian's bonds, 1791-1931; Record book, 1830-38; minutes of the Inferior court, 1791-1830; deed books, "A," "B," "C," and "D," 1789-1797; Land Court records, 1791-1822; Land lotteries, 1806, 1821, 1827, 1832; Tombstone Records; marriages, 1806-1834; 348 pages; complete index; \$2.60.

Vol. IV—Bible Records and Old Wills of Georgia; contains family records abstracted from old Bibles by the D. A. R. Chapters of Georgia and compiled by Mrs. J. C. Gentry, State Chairman of Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Committee. Complete index. Published 1932. \$2.60.

### TROPHIES AND AWARDS

Helen Rogers Franklin Trophy—For general excellence, including Honor Roll Requirements, compilation of Chapter history, observ-

ance of patriotic days, percentage of members attending Chapter meetings, and special work accomplished.

Blanche McFarland Gaffney Trophy—To D. A. R. member for the most outstanding historical essay on any Georgia subject.

Mrs. John A. Perdue Loving Cup—To Chapter securing greatest number of new subscriptions to D. A. R. Magazine.

Helen McCall Bashinski Trophy—To Chapter sending greatest number of certified Bible Records.

State Editor's Award—\$5.00 to Chapter sending in best publicity material for D. A. R. column.

State Treasurer's Award—\$10.00 to Chapter first meeting all Honor Roll Requirements.

State Regent's Award—\$10.00 to Chapter giving largest amount to educational work on a percentage basis.

Jean LaFrage Felton Trophy—To Chapter making most outstanding record pertaining to Girl Home Makers.

Better Films Award—\$10.00 to Chapter doing best work for Better Films.

Historical Post Card Award—\$5.00 to Chapter sending best new collection of Historical Post Cards.

Mrs. Z. W. Copeland Award—\$5.00 to Chapter marking greatest number of Revolutionary soldiers graves.

#### REQUIREMENTS FOR HONOR ROLL, 1935-36

1. State dues .....	\$0.20
2. D. A. R. Manual for Citizenship.....	.10
3. National Defense .....	.10
4. D. A. R. Good Citizenship Pilgrimage .....	.05
5. Ellis Island .....	.03
6. National Publicity Work .....	.02
7. Constitution Hall .....	.05
8. Kenmore Garden .....	.10
9. S. B. C. Morgan Loan Fund .....	.10
10. Traveling Genealogical Library .....	.10
11. Marking Historical Spots .....	2.00
12. One Chapter subscription to D. A. R. Magazine.	
13. Approved Schools (Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith)....	.05
14. Each Chapter to purchase one volume of "Georgia D. A. R. Historical Collections"—Either I, II, III, or IV.....	2.60
15. Send 50 self addressed post cards to Mrs. Mildred Lewis Russell, care of Hollywood Citizen News, Hollywood, California, for the D. A. R. Post Card Guide to Motion Pictures.	

## CHAPTER ORDER OF INSTALLATION

Atlanta, Atlanta .....	April 15, 1891
Xavier, Rome .....	July 18, 1891
Augusta, Augusta .....	February 20, 1892
Savannah, Savannah .....	April 15, 1892
Oglethorpe, Columbus .....	December 11, 1892
Pulaski, Griffin .....	February 6, 1893
Mary Hammond Washington, Macon .....	October 30, 1894
Susannah Elliott, LaGrange (Disbanded) .....	1894
Thronateeska, Albany, January 4, 1895, reorganized .....	1908
Sergeant Newton, Covington .....	February, 1895
Francis Marion, Thomasville (Disbanded) .....	1895
Kettle Creek, Washington .....	September 11, 1895
Piedmont Continental, Atlanta (Disbanded) .....	June 27, 1898
John Adam Treutlen, Waycross (Disbanded) .....	1900
Joseph Habersham, Atlanta .....	February 12, 1900
Jonathan Bryan, Waycross .....	February 17, 1900
Thomas Jefferson, Atlanta (Disbanded) .....	1900
Nancy Hart, Milledgeville .....	October 5, 1900
Elijah Clarke, Athens .....	February 12, 1900
Lachlan McIntosh, Savannah .....	May 2, 1901
Stephen Heard, Elberton .....	July 6, 1901
George Walton, Columbus .....	July 4, 1901
Brunswick, Brunswick .....	February 12, 1903
Sarah Dickinson, Newnan .....	February 12, 1903
Shadrach Inman, Hephzibah (Disbanded) .....	1904
Stephen Hopkins, Marshallville .....	February 21, 1903
Fielding Lewis, Marietta .....	January 4, 1905
Sarah McIntosh, Atlanta (Disbanded) .....	1905
Lyman Hall, Waycross .....	May 7, 1907
Governor Treutlen, Fort Valley .....	October 7, 1907
Button Gwinnett, Columbus .....	1908
James Jackson, Valdosta .....	1908
Hannah Clarke, Quitman .....	April 18, 1908
Council of Safety, American .....	October 15, 1908
Archibald Bulloch, Montezuma .....	February 3, 1909
Etowah, Cartersville .....	1909
John Benning, Moultrie .....	1909
Tomochichi, Clarkesville .....	1909
Sergeant Jasper, Monticello .....	February 22, 1910
Henry Walton, Madison .....	1910
David Meriwether, Greenville (Disbanded) .....	1910
Governor Jared Irwin, Sandersville .....	March 10, 1910
Stone Castle, Dawson .....	March 21, 1910
Dorothy Walton, Dawson .....	November 16, 1911
Nathaniel Abney, Fitzgerald .....	1911
Wm. Marsh, LaFayette .....	April 12, 1911
Governor Edward Telfair, Thomaston (Disbanded) .....	1911
John Houston, Thomaston .....	March 15, 1911
Gov. John Milledge, Dalton .....	January 20, 1912
Gov. Peter Early, Blakely .....	June 15, 1912
Ochlocknee, Thomasville .....	1912
Baron DeKalb, Decatur .....	November 12, 1912
Lanahassee, Buena Vista .....	1913
John Benson, Hartwell .....	1913
Maj. Gen. Samuel Elbert, Tennille .....	1913
Col. Wm. Few, Eastman .....	April 23, 1913
William McIntosh, Jackson .....	May 24, 1913
James Monroe, Forsyth .....	July 4, 1913
Anawauqua, Fairburn (Disbanded) .....	1913
Matthew Tolbert, Monroe .....	January 23, 1914
Samuel Reid, Eatonton .....	January 26, 1914
Benjamin Hawkins, Cuthbert .....	January 28, 1914
Noble Wimberly Jones, Shellman .....	January 29, 1914
Gen. Daniel Stewart, Perry .....	February 8, 1914
Fort Early, Cordele .....	February 18, 1914
Col. William Candler, Gainesville .....	1914
McIntosh Reserve, Carrollton .....	1914
John Laurens, Dublin .....	February 25, 1916
James Pittman, Commerce .....	March 16, 1916
Altamaha, Jesup .....	December 30, 1916
Oconee, McRae .....	December 30, 1916

John Clarke, Social Circle .....	April 18, 1917
Chattahoochee, West Point (Disbanded) .....	January 13, 1918
Hawthorn Trail, Pelham .....	February 9, 1918
Capt. John Dooly, Vienna (Disbanded) .....	1920
Commodore Richard Dale, Albany .....	April 17, 1920
Hawkinsville, Hawkinsville .....	April 17, 1920
Hancock, Sparta .....	1920
LaGrange, LaGrange .....	February 5, 1920
Ama-Kanasta, Douglasville (Disbanded) .....	March 29, 1920
Sunbury, Winder .....	1921
Bainbridge, Bainbridge .....	May 5, 1921
Peter Coffee, Abbeville (Disbanded) .....	May 17, 1921
Briar Creek, Sylvania .....	May 17, 1921
Col. John McIntosh, Conyers .....	November 20, 1921
Barnard Trail, Sylvester .....	November 10, 1921
Elizabeth Marlow, Monticello .....	December 15, 1921
Cairo, Cairo .....	1922
Oliver Morton, Gray .....	1922
Old Marion, Jeffersonville (Disbanded) .....	1922
Burkhalter, Warrenton .....	October 31, 1922
Toccoa, Toccoa .....	October 31, 1923
Adairsville, Adairsville .....	June 10, 1924
Fort Valley, Fort Valley .....	February 2, 1925
Edmund Burke, Waynesboro .....	February 2, 1925
Bonaventure, Savannah .....	April 18, 1925
Elizabeth Washington, Augusta .....	June 4, 1925
Jeffersonia Hawkins, Roberta (Disbanded) .....	June 16, 1925
Roanoke, Lumpkin .....	November 3, 1925
Knox-Conway, Ashburn .....	November 5, 1925
John Ball, Irwinton .....	April 9, 1926
Arthur Fort, Grantville .....	April, 1927
Camilla, Camilla .....	July 12, 1927
Lamar-LaFayette, Barnesville .....	April 14, 1928
Vidalia, Vidalia .....	April 14, 1928
Thomson, Thomson .....	April 12, 1930
Adam Brinson, Graymont-Summit .....	October 10, 1930
Gov. David Emanuel, Swainsboro .....	May 26, 1931
Elijah Walker, Wrightsville .....	1935

## DIRECTORY OF CHAPTERS

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- OOTHCALOGA CHAPTER, ADAIRSVILLE (1924)
- Regent.....Mrs. G. M. Boyd, Sr., Adairsville
- THRONATEESKA CHAPTER, ALBANY (1895)
- Regent.....Miss Cena Jackson Whitehead, 318 Pine St., Albany
- COMMODORE RICHARD DALE CHAPTER, ALBANY (1920)
- Regent.....Mrs. J. M. Barnett, Albany
- COUNCIL OF SAFETY CHAPTER, AMERICUS (1908)
- Regent.....Mrs. Stephen Pace, Americus
- KNOX-CONWAY CHAPTER, ASHBURN (1925)
- Regent.....Mrs. Annelle Thrasher Murphy, Ashburn
- ELIJAH CLARKE CHAPTER, ATHENS (1900)
- Regent.....Mrs. W. A. Capps, Athens
- ATLANTA CHAPTER, ATLANTA (1891)
- Regent....Mrs. Frances Brown Chase, 477 Pryor St., S. W., Atlanta
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## MINUTES OF STATE OFFICERS CLUB, D. A. R. OF GEORGIA

The State Officers Club of Georgia D. A. R. held its sixth annual meeting on March 21, 1935, at a breakfast, Legion Hall Georgian Hotel, Athens, Georgia. The members were seated at tables which formed a square and beautifully decorated with lovely white flowering peach blossoms and green fern. Favors for this occasion marking each place were lovely Colonial candlesticks with white tapers lighted, gifts of Mrs. Julius Talmadge and Mrs. Julian McCurry. On account of the absence of the President, Mrs. Herbert Fay Gaffney, Mrs. John M. Slaton, Chairman of Entertainment, was in charge of this lovely affair.

Mrs. Slaton cordially greeted the Club, expressing her regret that Mrs. Gaffney was providentially detained in Washington, D. C. She introduced Miss Annie Crawford, Hostess Regent, who gave a royal welcome to each member and guest. The State Regent, Mrs. John W. Daniel, was presented, expressing her delight for the many charming courtesies of the Hostess Chapter. The introduction of Mrs. Julius Talmadge and Mrs. Julian McCurry followed. Mrs. McCurry, Vice-President General, brought greetings from the National Society. Mrs. Talmadge, first President of the Club, spoke of her first service as State Regent in 1925 when State Conference met in Athens, six members were present on this occasion that were guests at that Conference ten years ago. In the absence of Mrs. Mell Knox, Recording Secretary, Mrs. John Adams was appointed Acting Recording Secretary.

The minutes of the Albany meeting were read and accepted; thirty-one responded to roll call.

Honor guests of the Club were: Mrs. C. A. Swann Sinclair, National President, C. A. R.; Mrs. Mary Wagner, National Registrar, C. A. R.; Mrs. John Kerr, National Librarian, C. A. R.; Mrs. Mark Smith, State Director, C. A. R.; Mrs. Willard Steele, Ex-State Regent of Tennessee; Miss Annie Crawford, Hostess Regent, Elijah Clarke Chapter. Each one responding to their introduction in a charming manner. The Club felt especially honored in having five Honorary State Regents present: Mrs. Howard McCall, Mrs. Herbert Franklin, Mrs. Bun Wylie, Mrs. Julius Talmadge, Mrs. Julian McCurry.

On motion of Mrs. Talmadge and Mrs. Mell, a message was sent Mrs. Mell Knox expressing regret at her absence.

It was voted to send a telegram of love and sympathy to Mrs. Frances Brown Chase in her recent bereavement. On motion of Mrs. McCall a telegram was sent Mrs. Gaffney, President of the Club, expressing regret at her inability to be present. Mrs. Talmadge thanked Mrs. Slaton for the great part she had taken in making this occasion a memorable and happy one.

Mrs. Franklin, Corresponding Secretary, in her usual charming manner gave a toast to Miss Annie Crawford, Hostess Regent, and to the distinguished guests.

Adjournment followed.

MRS. JOHN M. SLATON, Acting Hostess.

MRS. JOHN S. ADAMS, Secretary Pro Tem.

# NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Organized at Washington, D. C., April 5th, 1895

Founder.....Mrs. Harriett M. Lothrop  
National President.....Mrs. C. A. Swann Sinclair

## State Directors

Mrs. John Sage, Atlanta.....1922-1928  
Mrs. Thomas Coke Meil, Atlanta.....1928-1930  
Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Milledgeville.....1930-1934  
Mrs. Mark Smith, Thomaston.....1934-1936

The State Director of the Children of the American Revolution feels that with the deep interest and whole hearted cooperation shown by the Georgia Society Daughters of the American Revolution much progress has been made.

The highlight of activities this year was the attendance at D. A. R. Conference, in Athens of Mrs. C. A. Swann Sinclair, National President; Mrs. William H. Wagner, National Treasurer; and Mrs. John M. Kerr, National Historian of the Children of the American Revolution. The presence of these distinguished guests at our State D. A. R. Conference and the brilliant address of Mrs. Sinclair stimulated much interest in the Georgia Society Children of the American Revolution.

The State Director has visited a number of Societies and the capable, loyal and enthusiastic Senior and Junior Presidents, as well as members, together with the splendid programs rendered, attest the continued success of the Children of the American Revolution in Georgia.

One Society was organized this year, at Thomaston, Georgia, and was named John Houston Society.

Any D. A. R. Chapter wishing to sponsor the organization of a C. A. R. Society may obtain complete information and required blanks from the State Director, Mrs. Mark Smith, Thomaston, Georgia.

## COUNT D'ESTAING SOCIETY, ATHENS

Count D'Estaing Society is sponsored by Elijah Clarke Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution. Was organized February 19, 1934.

Officers: Mrs. Henry Reid, Senior President; Agnes White, Junior President; Clara Reid Robson, Treasurer; Rose Walker Mayne, Recording Secretary; Louise Chandler, Corresponding Secretary; Gloria Hunnicutt, Historian; Jane Brightwell, Chaplain.

Each month during the year meetings have been held and such characters as Oglethorpe, Washington, LaFayette, Nancy Hart, Elijah Clarke, John Clarke, and Count D'Estaing have been studied.

Our membership has increased from six members to fourteen with ten applications pending.

We have paid out National dues, contributed \$1.00 to Tamassee, \$1.00 to Harriett M. Lothrop Memorial Building Fund, and sent our part for the C. A. R. Banner.

During the State D. A. R. Conference held in Athens our Society

gave a buffet tea to the delegates and our local Chapter, which numbered over two hundred and fifty guests. The officers formed their own receiving line dressed in Colonial costumes with Mrs. Swann Sinclair, National C. A. R. President; Mrs. Mark Smith, State Director; Mrs. John W. Daniel, and Mrs. Julian McCurry their honor guests; the other members of the Society were dressed in Colonial costume and assisted in entertaining. The children wrote their own invitations and made souvenirs which they presented each person. This was their hard work since the first of the year.

We raised our money for our tea by giving a Tom Thumb Wedding, and the older girls taking part in the Review of the Brides.

We feel that the outstanding work we have accomplished during the year is that in the National Publicity Prize offered we won honorable mention. You must remember that our Society is only one year old.

#### **DOLLY MADISON SOCIETY, ATLANTA**

Sponsored by Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

Senior President, Mrs. Harry Callier Malone; Junior President, Miss Virginia McConnell.

Dolly Madison Society, Children of the American Revolution, has had a successful and active year. Meetings have been held regularly with historical programs followed by social hour. Several parties have been given the Society, the most beautiful one being the birthday party given us by Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R., when we celebrated the thirty-sixth birthday of our organization. We have contributed to the Harriett Lothrop Memorial Building Fund and Banner for National Cathedral. We have twenty active members.

#### **LADY ELIZABETH OGLETHORPE CHAPTER, ATLANTA**

Mother Chapter, Joseph Habersham, Atlanta.

Senior President, Mrs. B. C. Ward; Junior President, Sarah Louise Davison.

Have one subscription to the C. A. R. Magazine. We have cooperated whenever possible in the observance of Patriotic Days, and have presented two flags to schools.

Total expenditures for the year, \$18.00.

#### **ROBERT SALLETTE SOCIETY, DECATUR**

Mrs. W. Guy Hudson, Senior President; Miss Winnie Hudson, Junior President; Miss Helen Haralson, Vice-President; Miss Elizabeth Cousins, Secretary; Miss Jacqueline Howard, Treasurer; Miss Eloise Estes, Registrar.

Robert Salette Society, C. A. R., has held four meetings and secured eight new members as follows: Vivian Newberry, Virginia Brown, Frances Hendee, Jane Bunger, Olive Howard, Betty Boyle, Tommie Hudson, and Harriet Hudson.

All requirements were met and all dues paid in full.

The following are the members of the Society: Winnie Hudson, Jacqueline Howard, Eloise Estes, Elizabeth Cousins, Nell Scott Earthman, Mary Haralson, Helen Haralson, and Louise Trotti.

#### **LaGRANGE SOCIETY, LaGRANGE**

Sponsored by the LaGrange Chapter, D. A. R.

The Society has been active since it was organized on November 3, 1928, with Mrs. Rosser Adams Malone as Organizing President.

The present officers are: Mrs. Rosser Adams Malone, Senior

President; Mary Page Sargent, Junior President; Sara Handley, Junior Vice-President; Barbara Bain, Secretary; Sara Hutchinson, Registrar; William Handley, Color Bearer.

We have twenty-five members and one application pending in Washington. Annual dues for 1935 are 100 per cent. Nine business meetings, each followed by a social hour, have been held. The usual Rituals precede the meetings and the Society's Flag is always displayed properly for the Pledge to the Flag, Oath of Allegiance, and the American's Creed.

The Society has had the following patriotic programs: Famous Battles of the Revolution, Paul Revere, Flag Day, LaFayette Day, Magna Charta and Constitution Day, Georgia Indians, Washington's Birthday, Arbor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Columbus Day, Armistice Day, Christmas in Many Lands, Woodrow Wilson.

In May the Society members presented the pageant, "Cinderella in Flower Land," and a one-act play, "Suited at Last." The proceeds added \$50.00 to the joint D. A. R. and C. A. R. Scholarship for LaGrange College. The Society has given an additional donation of \$10.00 to the Scholarship Fund.

The Society presented their annual program to the LaGrange Chapter D. A. R. in November. Miss Kingland, Instructor in Speech at LaGrange College, assisted the Society with two attractive readings.

In February, the Society invited our State Director, Mrs. Mark Smith, of Thomaston, as their guest at the D. A. R. luncheon at the Colonial Hotel. A corsage was presented to Mrs. Smith from the Society.

LaGrange Society is a subscriber to the D. A. R. Guide to Motion Pictures and is cooperating with the local D. A. R. Chapter in promoting the Better Film movement in local theaters. The Senior President has stressed the correct use of the Flag in the LaGrange schools.

The Society's membership is: Barbara Bain, Ely Callaway, Loula Callaway, Claud Handley, Julia Handley, Sara Handley, William Handley, Martha Hightower, Mary Hutchinson, Pauline Hutchinson, Sara Hutchinson, Charlotte Kinney, Alice Mallory, Arthur Mallory, Blanche McCall, Bernard Mayer, Jr., Mary Mayer, Emmett Morgan, Elizabeth Reed, Margaret Reynolds, Emily Rowe, Mary Page Sargent, Annie Laurie Traylor, Emily Wilson, Marian Wilson.

#### **BENJAMIN HAWKINS SOCIETY, MACON**

Sponsored by Mary Hammond Washington Chapter, D. A. R.

Organized in the fall of 1930. (Organizing President was appointed by National Board of Management November 14, 1929.)

Officers: Senior President, Mrs. Clisby Clarke; Junior President, Louise Bowen; Vice-President, Anne Holmes; Secretary, Harriet Cork; Treasurer, Mary Hall; Corresponding Secretary, Marcella Martin; Registrar, Camille Roberts; Historian, Sarah Ross; Custodian of the Flag, Caroline Berckman; Chaplain, Kathryn Greene.

There is an active membership of twenty-three—an increase of nine over last year and eight girls have accepted invitations to become members this fall.

Eight meetings have been enjoyed—five business, one joint with the Sponsor Chapter, and two socials—a weiner roast in December and the annual banquet in May. This Society presented a program of living pictures, depicting famous women of Revolutionary times at the joint meeting in February.

Contributions have been given to the Harriett Lothrop Foundation Fund, the D. A. R. School for Mountain Boys and Girls, and also to the fund to purchase a Banner for National Cathedral and on April 5th (Founders Day) gave to the Washington Memorial Library a book of historical interest and a year's subscription to C. A. R. Magazine in memory of Mrs. Daniel Lothrop. On April 8th, we entertained at a tea honoring our State Director, Mrs. Mark Smith, of Thomaston.

#### BENJAMIN FITZPATRICK SOCIETY, MADISON

Sponsored by Henry Walton Chapter, D. A. R.  
Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Senior President; Thomas Baldwin, Jr., Junior President.

Benjamin Fitzpatrick Society, with a membership of sixteen, has completed an active year's work. We have contributed \$10.00 worth of books and clothing to the FERA Nursery School; have given books valued at \$5.00 to local library; have planted many trees and shrubs; have contributed our share toward the C. A. R. Banner; have given \$1.60 to Harriett Lothrop Fund; have one subscription to C. A. R. Magazine; have awarded two Citizenship medals in the Grammar School in memory of Morgan Atkinson, a deceased member; and celebrated eight historic days.

We were guests of Count d'Estaing Society, Athens, at a delightful party in April.

Our Junior President was Georgia's Color Bearer at the National Conference.

#### SUCKEY HART SOCIETY, MILLEDGEVILLE

Sponsored by the Nancy Hart Chapter, D. A. R.

Organized July 18, 1932; Miss Katherine Jewell as Organizing President. Officers for the year 1934-1935: Senior President, Mrs. Wright McKnight; Junior President, Elizabeth Alford; Registrar, Josephine Bone; Secretary, Elizabeth Chandler; Treasurer, Betty Allen; Corresponding Secretary, Louise Alford; Historian, Anne McKinley; Color Bearer, June Bell.

Members: Elizabeth C. Alford, Louise L. Alford, Betty C. Allen, Edwin Allen, June Bell, Josephine B. Bone, Elizabeth Chandler, Lois W. Hatcher, Elizabeth H. Hean, Frances Milton, Anne A. McKinley.

All dues have been paid; several D. A. R. members have contributed to our organization. One member has been transferred, and another added since last year.

Monthly meetings are held the first Wednesday in the month, excepting July and August. The programs have dealt chiefly with the Indian Names of Georgia Rivers. The Society contributed \$10.00 toward the marking of Historic Rock Landing by the Nancy Hart Chapter, D. A. R. and the John Milledge Chapter, S. A. R. June Bell and Edwin Allen, Jr., held the D. A. R. Banner and the U. S. Flag, respectively, and unveiled the marker, together with Elizabeth H. Hean and Betty C. Allen, at an impressive ceremony May 26th.

The Society invited Dr. C. C. Harrold, State Archeologist, of Macon, to address the D. A. R. in March. For their June meeting members of the C. A. R. will assist the D. A. R. in a Flag Day program. We had a Christmas meeting in December, and celebrated Armistice Day. In February we gave a program for the

county school at Union Point, celebrating Lincoln's Birthday, Georgia Day, and Washington's Birthday.

Our budget included expenditures for Tamassee School; the C. A. R. Banner; Harriett M. Lothrop Memorial Building Fund; Marker at Rock Landing; frame for our Charter and incidentals amounting to a total of \$25.00.

#### **COLONEL HENRY LEE SOCIETY, SAVANNAH**

Colonel Henry Lee Society, Children of the American Revolution, was practically reorganized in November, 1934, after a year of inactivity, with 30 members on its roll. During the year we had five new members, and two members dropped on account of the age limit, and two resignations.

The following are the officers and committee members: Senior President, Mrs. Ralph West; Junior President, Marion Abrahams; Secretary, Marguerite Bowden; Treasurer, George Griffin; Corresponding Secretary, Lillian Cooper; Chaplain, Edward Quarterman; Registrar, Edward Quarterman; Color Bearer, Lindsay Henderson, Jr.; Historian, Lucile Walker; Librarian, Mary Oppenheimer. Committees—Ways and Means, Val Heller; Pledge to the Flag, Lindsay Henderson, Jr.; Program, Lucile Walker and Rebecca Felton; Scrap Book, Elizabeth and Lucy Dodd; Magazine, Jane Bowden; Membership, Lillian Cooper and Val Heller; Music, Lucy Way; Better Films, Lucy Way and Edward Quarterman.

We have met in the homes of the members each month and after the business and program a "party" was always enjoyed. We had a special program and birthday cake on our anniversary in January.

Sent \$5.00 to Ellis Island; \$3.00 to Tamassee School; we had a card party in January, a very successful one, which enabled us to carry on our work.

We will have our Flag Day program at the broadcast Station WTOG at 9:00 o'clock p. m., stressing "Things Not to Do to the Flag." Each member taking part. After the prayer by our Chaplain and Pledge to the Flag, our President, Marion Abrahams, will tell the "Object" of the Children of the American Revolution.

Five members have not been absent a single time: Marion Abrahams, Marguerite and Jane Bowden, Elizabeth Dodd, Val Heller and Edward Quarterman. We have stressed "Americanism" at all meetings.

#### **JOHN HOUSTON SOCIETY, THOMASTON**

The organization of a Society, Children of the American Revolution, was begun March 11th, 1935. The name, John Houston, was chosen and same was approved by the National Board. Miss Carolyn Andrews, Organizing President, has worked faithfully and application blanks have been furnished the fifteen or more prospective members.

In the early fall our Society will be presented by our Mother Chapter, John Houston, D. A. R. We are looking forward to a busy and happy year and hope to have a creditable report. We already have two subscriptions to the C. A. R. Magazine in our Society.

### WINONA SOCIETY, WAYCROSS

Sponsored by the Jonathan Bryan Chapter, D. A. R.  
Mrs. Fred P. Odum, Senior President; Miss Mary Stanton, Junior  
President.

Have held seven meetings, and two social meetings. We have  
assisted in aiding the needy, furnishing clothes, school books, and  
financial aid when possible.

We have cooperated with our D. A. R. Chapter and have cele-  
brated patriotic days with suitable programs and pageants.

## **PRESS COMMITTEE**

**Mrs. Mell Knox, Chairman**

The Press Committee met May 28, 1935, in all-day session at the home of the Chairman in Social Circle.

All material at hand was edited and sent to the printers. The committee regrets that all reports had not been received and again reminds Chapters of the ruling that all reports must be sent to the Recording Secretary by May 1st.

The committee unanimously voted that conforming to the ruling of the National Society only material pertaining to Revolutionary period be accepted and printed in the Proceedings.

Those who have unusually long reports have paid for the additional space.

Members of the committee are: Mrs. Harrison Hightower, Mrs. W. E. Mann, Mrs. Max Land, Mrs. Julius Talmadge, Mrs. Howard McCall, Mrs. John S. Adams, Mrs. Julian McCurry, Mrs. F. B. Chase, and Mrs. Mell Knox Chairman.





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