



STATE OFFICERS, 1953-1954

STATE REGENT—Mrs. Thomas Earle Stribling, 3443 Roxboro Road, N.E., Atlanta.

STATE FIRST VICE REGENT—Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, Swainsboro.

STATE SECOND VICE REGENT—Mrs. John F. Thigpen, 100 Briarcliff Circle, N.E., Atlanta.

STATE CHAPLAIN—Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, 26 East 31st Street, Savannah.

STATE RECORDING SECRETARY—Mrs. T. K. Kendrick, 2203 Springdale Drive, Columbus.

STATE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY—Mrs. Ben I. Thornton, Tallulah Lodge.

STATE TREASURER—Mrs. Talbott B. Chandler, 1201 3rd Avenue, Albany.

STATE CONSULTING ORGANIZING SECRETARY—Mrs. William C. Robinson, 511 Columbia Drive, Decatur.

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PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
Georgia State Society
OF THE
National Society
OF THE
Daughters of the American
Revolution
1952-1953

MRS. T. EARLE STRIBLING.....State Regent
MRS. T. K. KENDRICK.....State Recording Secretary
MRS. LEONARD WALLACE.....
State Chairman Proceedings Committee

"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.

Non sibi sed aliis—OGLETHORPE'S MOTTO

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HONORARY PRESIDENT GENERAL

Mrs. Julius Young Talmadge, Athens
(President General, 1944-1947)

HONORARY VICE PRESIDENT GENERAL

Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Sr., Atlanta
1948

REGISTRAR GENERAL

Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Madison
1953-1956

VICE PRESIDENTS GENERAL FROM GEORGIA

- *Mrs. Lucian Cocke, Roanoke, Va., 1892.
- *Mrs. Albert Cox, Atlanta, 1893.
- *Mrs. Fleming C. Bailey, Griffin, 1894-1895.
- *Mrs. Hoke Smith, Atlanta, 1894.
- *Mrs. William Dickson, Atlanta, 1896-1897.
- *Miss Anna Caroline Benning, Columbus, 1898-1899.
- *Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, Savannah, 1900-1904.
- *Mrs. Robert Emory Park, Macon, 1904-1907.
- *Mrs. Ira Yale Sage, Atlanta, 1908-1909.
- *Miss Anna Caroline Benning, Columbus, 1910-1912.
- *Mrs. William Lawson Peel, Atlanta, 1912-1913.
- *Mrs. Sheppard W. Foster, Atlanta, 1915-1917-1920.
- Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Sr., Atlanta, 1922-1925.
- Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Athens, 1926-1929.
- Mrs. Herbert Fay Gaffney, 1931-1934.
- *Mrs. Julian McCurry, Athens, 1934-1937.
- Mrs. William Harrison Hightower, Thomaston, 1940-1943
- Mrs. Thomas Coke Mell, Atlanta, 1943-1944.
- Mrs. Ober DeWitt Warthen, Vidalia, 1946-1949.
- Mrs. Mark Smith, Macon, 1949-1950.
- Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Milledgeville, 1951-1954.

* Deceased.

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

- *First State Regent—Mrs. Augustus Ramon Salas, Waynesboro, 1891.
- *Second State Regent—Mrs. Harry Jackson, Atlanta, 1892.
- *Third State Regent—Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, Savannah, 1893-1894-1896 and 1897.
- *Fourth State Regent—Mrs. Porter King, Atlanta, 1898.
- *Fifth State Regent—Mrs. Robert Emory Park, Macon, 1899-1900-1901 and 1902.
- *Sixth State Regent—Mrs. Ira Yale Sage, Atlanta, 1903 and 1904.
- Seventh State Regent—Mrs. James A. Rounsaville, Rome, 1905 and 1906.
- *Eighth State Regent—Miss Anna Caroline Benning, Columbus, 1907 and 1908.
- Ninth State Regent—Mrs. P. W. Godfrey, Covington, 1909.
- *Tenth State Regent—Mrs. John M. Graham, Marietta, 1910-1912.
- *Eleventh State Regent—Mrs. Sheppard W. Foster, Atlanta, 1912-1914.
- *Twelfth State Regent—Mrs. Thaddeus C. Parker, Macon, 1914-1916.
- Thirteenth State Regent—Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Sr., Atlanta, 1916-1918.
- Fourteenth State Regent—Mrs. James S. Wood, Savannah, 1918-1920.
- Fifteenth State Regent—Mrs. Max E. Land, Atlanta, 1920-1922.
- Sixteenth State Regent—Mrs. Charles Akerman, Macon, 1922-1924.
- Seventeenth State Regent—Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Athens, 1924-1926.
- *Eighteenth State Regent—Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin, Tennille, 1926-1928.
- Nineteenth State Regent—Mrs. Herbert Fay Gaffney, Columbus, 1928-1930.
- *Twentieth State Regent—Mrs. Bun Wylie, Atlanta, 1930-1932.
- *Twenty-first State Regent—Mrs. Julian McCurry, Athens, 1932-1934.
- Twenty-second State Regent—Mrs. John W. Daniel, Savannah, 1934-1936.
- Twenty-third State Regent—Mrs. John S. Adams, Dublin, 1936-1938.
- Twenty-fourth State Regent—Mrs. William Harrison Hightower, Thomaston, 1938-1940.
- Twenty-fifth State Regent—Mrs. Thomas Coke Mell, Atlanta, 1940-1942.
- Twenty-sixth State Regent—Mrs. Stewart Colley, Grantville, 1942-1944.
- Twenty-seventh State Regent—Mrs. Ober DeWitt Warthen, Vidalia, 1944-1946.
- Twenty-eighth State Regent—Mrs. Mark Smith, Macon, 1946-1948.
- Twenty-ninth State Regent—Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Milledgeville, 1948-1950.
- Thirtieth State Regent—Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Madison, 1950-1952.
- Thirty-first State Regent—Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, Atlanta, 1952-1954.

* Deceased.

HONORARY STATE REGENTS

*Mrs. Kate Berrien Duncan	Mrs. James S. Wood
*Mrs. W. H. Bordon	Mrs. Charles Akerman
*Miss Julia McKinley	Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge
*Mrs. Mary A. Washington	*Mrs. Herbert Franklin
*Mrs. Harold Gold Jefferies	Mrs. Herbert Fay Gaffney
*Mrs. William Lawson Peel	*Mrs. Bun Wylie
*Mrs. J. H. Redding	*Mrs. Julian McCurry
*Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan	Mrs. John W. Daniel
Mrs. James A. Rounsaville	Mrs. John S. Adams
*Mrs. John M. Graham	Mrs. Henry A. Ironside
Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Sr.	Mrs. Thomas Coke Mell
*Mrs. S. W. Foster	Mrs. Stewart Colley
*Miss Anna Caroline Benning	Mrs. Ober D. Warthen
*Mrs. T. C. Parker	Mrs. Mark Smith
Mrs. Max E. Land	Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough
Mrs. Leonard Wallace	

THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Organized—October 11, 1890

Memorial Continental Hall, 1776 D Street, N.W.,
Washington 6, D. C.

NATIONAL OFFICERS, 1953-1956

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Treasurer General

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Curator General

Mrs. Richard C. Southgate
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Reporter General to Smithsonian Institution

Mrs. Edgar A. Fuller 1776 D St. N.W., Washington 6, D. C.

* Deceased.

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745 Church St.
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Chatham, N. J. |
| Mrs. Ferdinand J. Friedli
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London, Ohio |
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In Memoriam

"Enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

ALBANY—THRONATEESKA CHAPTER

Mary Davis Pace (Mrs. W. W.), February 4, 1953

ATHENS: ELIJAH CLARKE CHAPTER

Anne Ansley Paine (Miss), August 19, 1952

Ada O'Farrell Rowe (Mrs. Hugh), July 4, 1952

Emma Ellice Woods (Miss), December 29, 1952

ATLANTA: ATLANTA CHAPTER

Mary Lewis Crusselle (Mrs. William F.), June 10, 1952

Myrtice Scott West (Mrs. Henry Francis), August 20, 1952

Ida Harris Erwin (Mrs. James A.), October 6, 1952

Daisy Eastman Erwin (Mrs. James Daniel), September 1, 1952

Lucy Jones Pairo (Mrs. Louis Prescott), November 17, 1952

Orrie Campbell Smith (Mrs. Russell K.), December 24, 1952

Rusha Wesley (Miss), April 15, 1952

Julia Griggs Baker (Mrs. Henry H.), May 26, 1952

Katie E. Spring (Mrs. Delos M.), February 18, 1953

ATLANTA: JOSEPH HABERSHAM CHAPTER

Emma Stephens Allen (Mrs. John C.), February 6, 1952

Annie Ellye Harper (Mrs. Marion S.), November 19, 1952

AUGUSTA: AUGUSTA CHAPTER

Isabelle S. Clarke (Miss), April 3, 1952

BLAKELY: PETER EARLY CHAPTER

Fannie Askew Williams (Mrs. John H.), October 25, 1952

CARTERSVILLE: ETOWAH CHAPTER

Marie Headden Pittard (Mrs. S. M.), April 18, 1952

Fanny Lewis Hill (Mrs. J. J.), September 22, 1952

CLARKESVILLE: TOMOCHICHI CHAPTER

Minnie Flor (Mrs. Oscar E.), January 25, 1952

COLUMBUS: BUTTON GWINNETT CHAPTER

Maude Davison Sheram (Mrs. George), February 29, 1952

Elizabeth Gaines (Mrs. Frank) May 13, 1952

COMMERCE: JAMES PITTMAN CHAPTER

Isabelle Canning Allen (Mrs. L. C.), August 2, 1952

CORDELE: FORT EARLY CHAPTER

Anna Hamilton Hunt (Mrs. J. Monroe), April 16, 1952

COVINGTON: SERGEANT NEWTON CHAPTER

Fannie Batey Bankston (Mrs. W. Trox), July 4, 1952

Carrie Biggers Skinner (Mrs. J. L.), July 6, 1952

DALTON: GOVERNOR JOHN MILLEDGE CHAPTER
 Kate Hamilton (Miss), December 3, 1952
 Betty Hamilton (Miss), February 21, 1953

DECATUR: BARON DE KALB CHAPTER
 Alliene Embrey Carmack (Mrs. J. Edward), December 22, 1952
 Ada B. Johnson (Mrs. Albert Sydney), April 6, 1952

DUBLIN: JOHN LAURENS CHAPTER
 Mary Felder Garrett (Mrs. A. W.), October 24, 1952

EASTMAN: COLONEL WILLIAM FEW CHAPTER
 Alice P. Harrell (Mrs.), February 18, 1953

ELBERTON: STEPHEN HEARD CHAPTER
 Sue Morley Haslett (Mrs. George) August 12, 1952

FITZGERALD: NATHANIEL ABNEY CHAPTER
 Ella Williams Dorming (Mrs. W. D.), December 1, 1952

FORSYTH: JAMES MONROE CHAPTER
 Rosa R. McGee (Mrs. J. Lee), May 21, 1952
 Mary Elsworth Pinckard (Miss), May 22, 1952
 Mary H. Alexander (Mrs. Lemuel B.), August 3, 1952

FORT VALLEY: GOVERNOR TRUETLEN CHAPTER
 Cornelia Hartfield Brown (Mrs. Louis Leonard), April 2, 1952
 Claude Passmore Hiley (Mrs. Roland Afton), June 22, 1952

GAINESVILLE: COLONEL WILLIAM CANDLER CHAPTER
 Mary Hulsey Neese (Mrs. C. P.), April 19, 1952

HARTWELL: JOHN BENSON CHAPTER
 Mary Patton Harrison (Mrs. Paul P.), July 15, 1952

HAWKINSVILLE: HAWKINSVILLE CHAPTER
 Elizabeth E. Dupree (Mrs. Jim D.), November 5, 1952

HOMERVILLE: JOHN FLOYD CHAPTER
 Jimmie Lee DeVane (Mrs. J. C.), March 10, 1952

IRWINTON: JOHN BALL CHAPTER
 Gillie Sanders Powell (Mrs. G. S.), March 16, 1952

LaGRANGE: LaGRANGE CHAPTER
 Margaret Wiley Dean Warden (Mrs. Wesley A.), March 8, 1952

MACON: MARY HAMMOND WASHINGTON CHAPTER
 Carolyn Barfield Fulghum (Mrs. James Walter), June 22, 1952

MACON: NATHANIEL MACON CHAPTER
 Mary Walker Halliburton (Mrs. Robert L.), September 26, 1952

MADISON: HENRY WALTON CHAPTER
 Josie Varner Bacon (Mrs. William T.), April 1, 1952

MARSHALLVILLE: STEPHEN HOPKINS CHAPTER
 Bass (Mrs. W. A., Sr.)
 Williams (Mrs. Harry A.)
 Grice (Mrs. Warren C.)

MILLEDGEVILLE: NANCY HART CHAPTER

Blanche Tait (Miss), December 28, 1952

Tommie Fraley Osterman (Mrs. Godfrey), January 6, 1953

Lucy Giles Taylor (Mrs. Hoy), April 11, 1952

MONROE: MATTHEW TALBOT CHAPTER

Mary Eulalia Gober Nundally (Mrs. Wm. H.), April 17, 1952

MONTICELLO: ELIZABETH MARLOW CHAPTER

Estelle Lloyd Stone (Mrs. John A.), May 13, 1952

MONTICELLO: SERGEANT JASPER CHAPTER

Martha Smith Penn (Miss), September 27, 1952

Mary Adgate Turner Pope (Mrs. James J.), October 27, 1952

MOULTRIE: JOHN BENNING CHAPTER

Elizabeth H. Hall (Mrs. John R., Sr.), September 15, 1952

SAVANNAH: BONAVENTURE CHAPTER

Marie Ikes (Mrs. E. B.), April 26, 1952

Lillian Gracen (Mrs. Harold T.), May 25, 1952

Jessie Beach (Mrs. George U.), November 11, 1952

SAVANNAH: LACHLAN McINTOSH CHAPTER

Verelle Harrison (Miss), April 12, 1952

Jean La Frage Felton (Mrs. Claude E.), September 7, 1952

SAVANNAH: SAVANNAH CHAPTER

Mary Cox Crane (Mrs. Horace A.), May 24, 1952

Jane Maude Sloan Harty (Mrs. Anthony), September 26, 1952

Birdie Smith Wyly (Mrs. L. Ralston), January 19, 1953

Louise Andrews Pettus (Mrs. Luke P.), February 2, 1953

THOMASTON: JOHN HOUSTON CHAPTER

Mary Stamps Bethel (Mrs. T. G.), September 24, 1952

THOMASVILLE: THOMASVILLE CHAPTER

Alva Ellis Bryan (Mrs. William Martin), January 31, 1953

THOMSON: CAPTAIN JOHN WILSON CHAPTER

Lucy B. Rivers (Mrs. Thomas W., Sr.), December 10, 1952

TOCCOA: TOCCOA CHAPTER

Janie Loeher Hellar (Mrs. W. B.), August 9, 1952

Elizabeth Baiffeuillet Crawford (Mrs. John A.), December 31, 1952

VALDOSTA: GENERAL JAMES JACKSON CHAPTER

Wenona Jones Varnedoe (Mrs. D. C.), April 3, 1952

Annie Claude Dixon Bingham (Mrs. R. H.), August 4, 1952

WINDER: SUNBURY CHAPTER

Mary Ellen Hasch Cline (Mrs.)

Ora Lee Camp Black (Mrs. C. A.)

PROGRAM

Fifty-Fifth Annual State Conference

NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION OF GEORGIA

March 11, 12, 13, 1953

General Oglethorpe Hotel

Savannah, Georgia

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 1953

- 10:00 Registration (Until five o'clock) General Oglethorpe Hotel
- 12:30 State Officers' Club Luncheon, Whitmarsh Room
Mrs. Mark Smith, President, Presiding
- 2:30 Meeting of the State Board of Management
- 6:30 Banquet, Main Dining Room
Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, Presiding

OPENING SESSION

Crystal Ballroom

8:00 Music

8:30 Assembly Call
Processional

Entrance of Pages with Flags Escorting Special Guests, Past National Officers, Honorary State Regents, State Officers, Honorary Vice President General, National Officers, Honorary President General, and State Regent

Fifty-Fifth Georgia State Conference called to order by State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling

Invocation.....The Reverend Ernest Risley
Rector, St. John's Episcopal Church

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.....Mrs. Clifford M. Tuck
State Chairman, Correct Use of the Flag

The American's Creed.....Mrs. Harry Talmadge
State Chairman, Americanism Committee

The Star Spangled Banner.....Assemblage
Mrs. R. F. Burgen, Jr., Leader

Greetings:

Hon. Olin F. Fulmer, Mayor, City of Savannah

Hon. J. F. Houlihan, Chairman, Chatham County Commissioners

Greetings:

Mrs. Calvin G. Stegin, Regent, Bonaventure Chapter
Mrs. A. S. Varn, Regent, Lachlan McIntosh Chapter
Mrs. Yates W. Little, Regent, Savannah Chapter

Response.....Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, State First Vice
Regent

Group of Songs.....Mr. Stewart Comer

Presentation of the Vice President General from Georgia,
Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough

Presentation of the Honorary President General, Mrs. Julius
Y. Talmadge

Presentation of the Honorary Vice President General, Mrs.
Howard H. McCall.....Mrs. Henry Allen Ironside

Presentation of Vice President General from Florida, Mrs.
Patrick Henry Odom

Presentation of the Vice President General from Virginia,
Mrs. Everett L. Repass.....Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough

Introduction of Past National Officers, Honorary State Re-
gents and Distinguished Guests.....Mrs. Leonard Wallace

Presentation of the State President, Children of the Ameri-
can Revolution, Mrs. George H. Connell

Group of Songs.....Mrs. R. F. Burgen, Jr.

Address: "Only You Can Save America".....Mrs. Jessica Payne

Presentation to the Conference of the Winner of the D.A.R.
Good Citizens Award, Mrs. J. A. Lewis, State Chairman

Greetings from the Good Citizen.....Maxine Turner

Presentation of State Officers.....The State Regent

Presentation of Pages.....Mrs. Arthur Waite, Jr.
Chairman of Pages

Announcements

Retiring of Colors

Benediction.....The Reverend Ernest Risley

THURSDAY, MARCH 12

Crystal Ballroom

9:15 Music.....Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch

9:30 Conference Called to Order.....Mrs. T. Earle Stribling

Scripture and Prayer.....Mrs. George Foltz, Chaplain,
Bonaventure Chapter

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.....Mrs. Harry Talmadge

ROLL CALL

Reading of the Minutes.....Mrs. T. K. Kendrick

Reading of the Rules.....Mrs. Ober D. Warthen

Report of Credentials Committee.....Mrs. Charles C. Bush

Presentation of Program.....Mrs. Ben I. Thornton

Group of Songs.....Mrs. William Demmond

REPORTS OF STATE OFFICERS:

State Regent.....Mrs. T. Earle Stribling
 State First Vice Regent.....Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey
 State Chairman of National Defense—

Award of Lenamae French Stribling Trophy

State Second Vice Regent.....Mrs. John F. Thigpen
 State Chairman of Approved Schools—

Presentation of Approved Schools Awards

Award of Kate Latham Dykes Cup

Award of Myrtle Bonner Cofer Trophy

State Chaplain.....Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill

State Recording Secretary.....Mrs. T. K. Kendrick

State Corresponding Secretary.....Mrs. Ben I. Thornton

State Treasurer.....Mrs. Talbott B. Chandler

State Consulting Organizing Secretary—
 Mrs. William C. Robinson

State Historian.....Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker

State Librarian.....Mrs. Neil Glass

Award of the Porter Trophy—

State Consulting Registrar.....Mrs. George E. Jordan

State Chairman of Membership

State Curator.....Mrs. Carter Shepherd

State Chairman of Conference Properties—

Award of Sarah Morrow Trophy

State Editor.....Mrs. Sam Merritt

State Editor's Award—

Retirement of May Phillips Mims Trophy to Donor

State Assistant Editor.....Mrs. Marvin Tabor

Group of Songs.....Mrs. R. F. Burgen, Jr.

REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN:

American Indians.....Mrs. Henry Newton
 Chairman's Award

American Music.....Mrs. Wallace Crouch
 Presentation of Dorothy J. Waldman Music Trophy

Americanism.....Mrs. Harry Talmadge

11:30 Memorial Service.....Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, State Chaplain
 Assisted by Mrs. J. Elmo Weeks, Chaplain, Savannah Chap-
 ter

Soloist.....Mrs. Arthur Jeffords

Accompanist.....Mrs. F. Kenneth Wolfe, Jr.

Flower Pages: Mrs. Ralph Campbell, Mrs. Paul Pickard,
 Mrs. A. S. Varn, Jr.

RECESS

12:30 Smorgasbord, Main Dining Room
 Group of Songs.....Miss Susannah Robertson

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, MARCH 12

CRYSTAL BALLROOM

2:00 Group of Songs.....Mrs. Emory Jarratt

REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN:

Building Completion.....Mrs. Norman W. Gibson

Presentation of Mrs. Donald Bennett Adams, National Chair-
man, Building Completion

Conservation.....Mrs. Harold Nicholson

Awards—

Correct Use of the Flag.....Mrs. Clifford M. Tuck

D.A.R. Good Citizens.....Mrs. J. A. Lewis

Award—

D.A.R. Magazine.....Mrs. Lytle D. Burns, Jr.

Awards—

Presentation of Anne Douglas Wallace Trophy

D.A.R. Manual for Citizenship.....Mrs. Ralph Campbell

Vice Chairmen: Mrs. S. M. Page-Rees, Mrs. Clifford J.
Welton, Mrs. J. M. Barnett, Mrs. E. P. Cary, Mrs. James
E. Crouse

D.A.R. Student Loan Fund.....Mrs. James B. Key

Erection of Bell Tower at Valley Forge.....Mrs. R. T. Ragan

Genealogical Records.....Mrs. Herschel Smith

Award—

Presentation of Helen McCall Bashinski Trophy

Gift Home Makers.....Mrs. Hoyt S. Bryan

Awards—

Junior American Citizens.....Mrs. Ransom Burts

Awards—

Junior Membership.....Mrs. Richard C. Freeman

Motion Pictures.....Mrs. A. S. Varn

Awards—

Piano Selection.....Miss Ava Stewart

Press Relations.....Mrs. Sam Merritt

Program.....Mrs. Oscar McKenzie

Radio and Television.....Mrs. Claude E. Fitts

Transportation.....Mrs. John C. Peteet

American Merchant Marine Library.....Mrs. John H. Boston

Chapter Gift Scholarships and Medals and Prizes—

Mrs. C. H. Leavy

Collecting and Publishing History of Georgia

Revolutionary Soldiers.....Mrs. E. J. Smith

Cooperative Relations Between D.A.R. and

S.A.R.....Mrs. Reuben Garland

Award—

Georgia D.A.R. Book Plates.....Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney

Lucy Cook Peel Memorial.....Mrs. W. F. Dykes

Marian Sibley Wylie Scholarship Endowment

Fund.....Mrs. W. E. Gray

Award—

Marking Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves—

Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker

McCall Genealogical Fund.....Mrs. Howard H. McCall

Meadow Garden.....Mrs. Lester V. Stone

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THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 12

6:00 Chapter Regents Banquet, Main Dining Room, Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, Presiding

Crystal Ballroom

7:15 Music.....Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch

7:30 Assembly Call.....Trumpeter

Processional—Entrance of Pages with Flags, Escorting Chapter Regents, State Recording Secretary, and State Regent

Conference called to order by State Regent—Mrs. T. Earle Stribling

Invocation.....Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, State Chaplain America.....Led by Mrs. R. F. Burgen, Jr.

Reading of the Minutes.....Mrs. T. K. Kendrick

REPORTS OF CHAPTER REGENTS: (Two Minutes)

Mrs. Straiton Hard, Regent, Atlanta Chapter, Atlanta, 1891

Mrs. J. Bailey Gordon, Acting Regent, Xavier Chapter, Rome, 1891

Mrs. J. C. Vaughn, Regent, Augusta Chapter, Augusta, 1892

Mrs. Yates W. Little, Regent, Savannah Chapter, Savannah, 1892

Mrs. K. S. Olson, Regent, Oglethorpe Chapter, Columbus, 1892

Mrs. Florine D. Gibson, Regent, Pulaski Chapter, Griffin, 1893

Mrs. S. S. Halliburton, Regent, Mary Hammond Washington Chapter, Macon, 1893

Mrs. R. H. Conrad, Regent, Thronateeska Chapter, Albany, 1895

Miss Vivian Mae Bower, Regent, Sergeant Newton Chapter, Covington, 1895

Mrs. Milton F. Hall, Regent, Joseph Habersham Chapter, Atlanta, 1900

Mrs. Frank A. Dennis, Regent, Nancy Hart Chapter, Milledgeville, 1900

Mrs. Milton C. Southwell, Regent, Elijah Clarke Chapter, Athens, 1901

Mrs. A. S. Varn, Regent, Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, Savannah, 1901

Mrs. Harry Bell, Sr., Regent, Stephen Heard Chapter, Elberton, 1901

Mrs. H. B. Hamner, Regent, George Walton Chapter, Columbus, 1901

Mrs. Thomas S. Hopkins, Regent, Brunswick Chapter, Brunswick, 1903

Mrs. George H. Dean, Regent, Sarah Dickinson Chapter, Newnan, 1903

Mrs. John Averill, Jr., Regent, Stephen Hopkins Chapter, Marshallville, 1903

Mrs. C. A. Keith, Regent, Fielding Lewis Chapter, Marietta, 1904

Mrs. Florine B. Davis, Regent, Nathaniel Macon Chapter, Macon, 1905

Mrs. Harry Peagler, Regent, Lyman Hall Chapter, Waycross, 1907

Mrs. Paul Murray, Regent, Governor Truetlen Chapter,
 Fort Valley, 1907
 Mrs. William A. Ford, Regent, Button Gwinnett Chapter,
 Columbus, 1908
 Mrs. Maude Phillips Frye, Regent, Hannah Clarke Chapter,
 Quitman, 1908
 Mrs. E. W. Tullis, Regent, General James Jackson Chapter,
 Valdosta, 1908
 Mrs. Sam Leonard, Regent, Council of Safety Chapter,
 Americus, 1908
 Mrs. David Bishop, Regent, Etowah Chapter, Cartersville,
 1909
 Mrs. J. Marvin Gillespie, Regent, Tomochichi Chapter,
 Clarkesville, 1909
 Mrs. F. S. Belcher, Regent, Sergeant Jasper Chapter, Monticello,
 1910
 Mrs. Robert L. Bateman, Regent, Henry Walton Chapter,
 Madison, 1910
 Mrs. George H. Huber, Jr., Regent, John Benning Chapter,
 Moultrie, 1910
 Mrs. C. F. Erwin, Sr., Regent, Governor Jared Irwin Chapter,
 Sandersville, 1910
 Mrs. Phelps Fox, Regent, Stone Castle Chapter, Dawson,
 1911
 Mrs. Frank G. Binford, Regent, John Houston Chapter,
 Thomaston, 1911
 Mrs. Tom P. Archer, Regent, William Marsh Chapter, LaFayette,
 1911
 Mrs. Roy Dorminy, Regent, Nathaniel Abney Chapter, Fitzgerald,
 1911
 Mrs. T. D. Wall, Regent, Dorothy Walton Chapter, Dawson,
 1911
 Mrs. Walter Stancil, Regent, Governor John Milledge Chapter,
 Dalton, 1912
 Mrs. J. W. Bonner, Regent, Peter Early Chapter, Blakely,
 1912
 Mrs. James P. Evans, Regent, Thomasville Chapter, Thomasville,
 1912
 Mrs. W. E. Binford, Regent, Baron DeKalb Chapter, Decatur,
 1912
 Mrs. Guy H. Norris, Regent, John Benson Chapter, Hartwell,
 1913
 Mrs. Cary Guyton Bulloch, Regent, Colonel William Few Chapter,
 Eastman, 1913
 Miss Ruth Middlebrooks, Regent, William McIntosh Chapter,
 Jackson, 1913
 Violin Selections.....Mr. Alton Elliott
 Mrs. G. Harold Reeves, Regent, James Monroe Chapter,
 Forsyth, 1913
 Mrs. R. G. Burton, Regent, Matthew Talbot Chapter, Monroe,
 1914
 Mrs. Vernon Phillips, Regent, Benjamin Hawkins Chapter,
 Cuthbert, 1914
 Mrs. J. E. McGlaun, Regent, Noble Wimberly Jones Chapter,
 Shellman, 1914
 Mrs. E. W. Traylor, Regent, General Daniel Stewart Chapter,
 Perry, 1914
 Mrs. H. A. Shaffer, Regent, Fort Early Chapter, Cordele,
 1914
 Mrs. David E. Godfrey, Regent, Colonel William Candler Chapter,
 Gainesville, 1914

Mrs. M. G. Combs, Regent, John Laurens Chapter, Dublin, 1916
 Mrs. C. E. Pittman, Regent, James Pittman Chapter, Commerce, 1916
 Mrs. John Bell Pruitt, Regent, Altamaha Chapter, Jesup, 1916
 Mrs. Maurice A. Cameron, Oconee Chapter, McRae, 1916
 Mrs. W. D. Partee, Regent, John Clarke Chapter, Social Circle, 1917
 Mrs. Barrington J. King, Regent, LaGrange Chapter, LaGrange, 1920
 Mrs. Claude J. Wray, Regent, Commodore Richard Dale Chapter, Albany, 1920
 Mrs. Nick G. Cabero, Regent, Hawkinsville Chapter, Hawkinsville, 1920
 Mrs. Marvin W. Garrard, Regent, Hancock Chapter, Sparta, 1920
 Mrs. P. M. Wise, Regent, Sunbury Chapter, Winder, 1921
 Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Regent, Brier Creek Chapter, Sylvania, 1921
 Miss Mildred McElvany, Regent, Colonel John McIntosh, Chapter, Conyers, 1921
 Mrs. George B. Hawthorne, Regent, Barnard Trail Chapter, Sylvester, 1921
 Mrs. John J. Cummings, Regent, Bainbridge Chapter, Bainbridge, 1921
 Mrs. John Gant, Regent, Burkhalter Chapter, Warrenton, 1921
 Mrs. Dan Gunn, Regent, Elizabeth Marlow Chapter, Monticello, 1921
 Mrs. E. P. Jones, Regent, Oliver Morton Chapter, Gray, 1922
 Mrs. W. P. Martin, Regent, Toccoa Chapter, Toccoa, 1923
 Mrs. Alice Butler Howard, Regent, Oothcaloga Chapter, Adairsville, 1924
 Mrs. Edward T. Agerton, Regent, Edmund Burke Chapter, Waynesboro, 1925
 Mrs. Calvin G. Steglin, Regent, Bonaventure Chapter, Savannah, 1925
 Miss Ida Ward, Regent, Roanoke Chapter, Lumpkin, 1925
 Mrs. Linda C. Ewing, Regent, Knox-Conway Chapter, Ashburn, 1925
 Mrs. John W. Faulk, Regent, John Ball Chapter, Irwinton, 1926
 Mrs. Donald Banks, Acting Regent, Arthur Fort Chapter, Grantville, 1927
 Mrs. Cicero S. Burns, Regent, Lamar-LaFayette Chapter, Barnesville, 1928
 Mrs. Nat E. Hanna, Regent, Vidalia Chapter, Vidalia, 1928
 Mrs. Claude B. Ellington, Regent, Captain John Wilson Chapter, Thomson, 1930
 Mrs. Ira T. McLemore, Regent, Adam Brinson Chapter, Graymont-Summit, 1930
 Mrs. J. L. Dekle, Regent, Governor David Emanuel Chapter, Swainsboro, 1931
 Mrs. J. W. Mashburn, Sr., Regent, General David Blackshear, Rochelle, 1938
 Mrs. F. P. Freeman, Sr., Regent, Governor George W. Towns Chapter, Talbotton, 1946
 Mrs. Roan Kelly, Regent, John Floyd Chapter, Homerville, 1948

Mrs. Hinton Blackshear, Regent, Cherokee Chapter, Atlanta, 1948

Mrs. Mason J. Florence, Regent, William Witcher Chapter, Cedartown, 1949

Mrs. Gordon B. Smith, Regent, Andrew Houser Chapter, Marietta, 1950

Mrs. Harry C. Stewart, Regent, John Dooley Chapter, Lincoln, 1952

Award of the Helen Rogers Franklin

Trophy.....Mrs. Arthur E. Mallory, State Chairman

Announcements

Retiring of Colors

Benediction.....Mrs. Harold Tuthill, State Chaplain

FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 13

9:15 Music.....Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch

9:30 Conference called to order by the State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling

Prayer.....Mrs. Elmo Weeks, Chaplain, Savannah Chapter

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.....Mrs. Harry Talmadge

Reading of the Minutes.....Mrs. T. K. Kendrick

Report of the Credentials Committee.....Mrs. Charles C. Bush

REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN CONTINUED:

Parliamentarian.....Mrs. Ober D. Warthen

Proceedings Committee.....Mrs. Leonard Wallace

Processionals of State Conference.....Mrs. Harry Malone

11:00 Resolutions.....Mrs. Mark Smith, Chairman;
Mrs. Henry A. Ironside, Co-Chairman

Scrap Book.....Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker

Presentation of Augusta Stanley Adams Trophy

State President of C.A.R.....Mrs. George H. Connell

Presentation of Frances Lamar Lowe Trophy

State Room.....Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough

Time and Place.....Mrs. Lucius W. McConnell

DISTRICT MEETING CHAIRMEN:

Northeastern District.....Miss Helen Estes

Northwestern District.....Mrs. W. P. Martin

Central.....Mrs. Florine B. Davis

East Central District.....Mrs. Alex S. Boyer

West Central District.....Mrs. Florine D. Gibson

Southeastern District.....Mrs. Ira T. McLemore

Southern District.....Mrs. S. G. Pryor

Southwestern District.....Mrs. Robert E. Cheshire

Unfinished Business

"Blest Be the Tie that Binds"

Retiring of Colors

Adjournment

STATE CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

Committee of Arrangements—Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent; Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, State Chaplain; Mrs. Calvin G. Stegin, Regent, Bonaventure Chapter; Mrs. A. S. Varn, Regent, Lachlan McIntosh Chapter; Mrs. Yates W. Little, Regent, Savannah Chapter.

Credentials—Mrs. Charles C. Bush, Chairman; Mrs. Talbott B. Chandler, Mrs. D. M. Stanley, Mrs. Reid Chastain, Mrs. W. Sessell Waters, Mrs. Ray Alexander, Mrs. Karl E. Oppen, Mrs. Lowry Axley, Mrs. E. C. Shearouse, Miss Kitty Newton, Mrs. Charles E. Thomas, Mrs. Harold E. Watkins, Mrs. J. H. Calais.

Platform—Mrs. Carter Shepherd, Chairman; Mrs. T. K. Kendrick, Mrs. John J. Cummings, Mrs. P. L. Hay, Mrs. J. Freeman Hart, Mrs. Ralph Campbell, Mrs. G. B. Shearouse, Jr., Mrs. L. A. McCranie, Mrs. W. T. Knight.

Tickets and Information—Mrs. Irving deGaris, Chairman; Mrs. Tibor T. Molnar, Mrs. Hudson Malone, Mrs. J. W. Bush, Mrs. Robert F. Lovett, Mrs. Hill Sloan, Mrs. C. J. DeMars, Mrs. Aubrey Hayes, Mrs. Rives Worrell.

Door Keepers—Mrs. W. H. Smith, Chairman; Mrs. A. A. Fountain, Mrs. G. F. Griffin, Mrs. Wallace J. Heath, Mrs. Hugh Jackson, Sr., Mrs. Clayton P. Miller, Mrs. R. B. Miller, Mrs. George W. Patrick, Mrs. W. C. Sessoms, Mrs. G. B. Shearouse, Jr., Mrs. Louis C. Underwood, Mrs. Thad Welsh, Mrs. T. W. Yager, Mrs. C. W. Coolidge, Miss Inez Gooze, Mrs. LaForest Lamb, Mrs. Eleanor Dudley Worrell, Mrs. Eugene Maner, Mrs. Iverson Lord, Mrs. J. Dorsett Bacon, Mrs. Paul M. Pritchard.

Music—Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch, State Chairman of American Music, Chairman; Mrs. F. Kenneth Wolfe, Jr., Mrs. J. Wallace Heath, Mrs. Addie May Jackson, Mrs. Julia Floyd, Co-Chairmen.

Publicity—Mrs. Sam Merritt, State Editor, Chairman; Mrs. Charles E. Bush, Mrs. J. E. Dorsett Bacon, Mrs. Lowry Axley.

Program—Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, Mrs. Ben I. Thornton.

Memorial—Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill.

Time Keeper—Mrs. Ben I. Thornton.

Resolutions—Mrs. Mark Smith, Chairman; Mrs. Henry A. Ironside, Co-Chairman.

PAGES

Mrs. Arthur Waite, Jr., Chairman

Mrs. F. B. Elmore, Sr.

Mrs. E. J. Haar

Mrs. H. Bullard Harris

Miss Dorothy Beveridge, Co-Chairmen

Miss Peggy Lovett

Miss Mary Cargill

Miss Jane Sutlive

Miss Marilyn Haar

Mrs. Richard B. Withington

Mrs. Jack Fitzpatrick

Miss Betty Lord

Mrs. Lucius Cobb

Mrs. A. S. Varn, Jr.

Miss Barbara Quattlebaum

Mrs. Laurie K. Abbott

Mrs. Powell Gahagan

Mrs. Paul N. Pickard

Mrs. J. B. Blount, Jr.

Mrs. W. B. Murphy

Miss Ann Stubbs

Miss Peggy Ann Heller

MINUTES

MINUTES OF THE FALL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT MEETING GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY, N.S.D.A.R. METHODIST CHURCH, PERRY, GEORGIA, NOVEMBER 6, 1952

The Board of Management of the Georgia State Society of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution met November 6, 1952, at the Methodist Church, Perry, Georgia. The State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, presided and called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m.

The invocation was offered by the State Chaplain, Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and the American's Creed was led by Mrs. Harry E. Talmadge, State Chairman, Americanism Committee. A solo—"THE LORD'S PRAYER" was sung by Miss Jane Rossier of Perry, accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch, State Chairman, American Music. A cordial welcome was extended to the members present by the Regent of the General Daniel Stewart Chapter, Mrs. E. W. Traylor, and the response was given by Mrs. William C. Robinson, State Consulting Organizing Secretary.

The State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, told of attending a meeting with the First Vice Regent, Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, on Civil Defense in Atlanta. She introduced Mr. Leggett, Chairman of Civil Defense from the Macon District, who showed the very graphic movie entitled "SURVIVAL UNDER ATOMIC ATTACK." Pamphlets on atomic attack and CIVIL DEFENSE REGISTRATION KITS were distributed. The State Regent urged every member to read, study, and be prepared for such attacks if it becomes necessary.

The State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, then presented one of our most distinguished guests and an immediate past State Regent, Mrs. Leonard D. Wallace, who then presented the following distinguished guests: Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Mrs. Howard McCall, Sr., Mrs. Henry A. Ironside, Mrs. Thomas Coke Mell, and Mrs. Ober D. Warthen.

The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, recognized the State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, who expressed deep personal appreciation for the many expressions of kindness to her during her recent illness. The State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Humphrey, presented as a candidate from Georgia to the office of REGISTRAR GENERAL on Miss Gertrude Carraway's ticket the name of Mrs. Leonard Wallace and made the motion that Mrs. Wallace be endorsed by the State Board of Management of the Georgia Society of the National Society, D.A.R. Motion seconded by the unanimous approval of all.

The State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Kendrick, called the roll. Those present were: STATE OFFICERS 13, NATIONAL OFFICERS 1, HONORARY NATIONAL OFFICERS 2, HONORARY STATE REGENTS 8 (including the above mentioned National Officer and two Honorary National Officers), STATE CHAIRMEN 58 (including State Officers who have chairmanships), CHAPTER REGENTS 30, CHAPTER REPRESENTATIVES 7, DISTRICT CHAIRMEN 5, a total of 98.

The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, requested that the State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Humphrey, take the chair. The State Regent then gave a chronological report of her activities since she was installed on April 18. The summer was spent in organizational work and visitation. With the State Consulting Organizing Secretary, Mrs. Robinson, went to Carroll County for the purpose of organizing a new chapter, attended the National Board meeting in October where the name of Mrs. Ruth Brock Kramer of Carrollton was recommended for the appointment of organizing regent; reported that permission was granted to the Cherokee Chapter to change mailing address to Atlanta. State Regent stressed the importance of study of the McCarran-Walter Bill, announced that National Vice-Chairman pins were adopted and may be secured from Caldwell, Jewelers. State Regent stated that from the National Board came the recommendation from the CLEARING HOUSE COMMITTEE that committees be eliminated where over-lapping of work occurs; only \$38,000.00 for completion of Valley Forge needed, urged all to support the new President-Elect.

Board members stood in appreciation of the State Regent's fine work and as a pledge to continue the support needed to make this an outstanding year of work.

State Regent resumed the chair and introduced as follows the State Officers who made reports on work and plans:

Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Vice Chairman of National Committee for the D.A.R. Building Completion Fund reported at this time that the debt had been reduced as of November 1 to \$174,000.-00. She urged chapters to complete their pledge.

The State First Vice Regent and State Chairman of National Defense Committee, Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, announced that plans would be sent in a letter to Chapter Regents.

The State Second Vice Regent and State Chairman of the Approved Schools Committee, Mrs. John F. Thigpen, urged chapters to earn the Hightower Award; told that this is the 50th anniversary of the Boys' School of the Berry Schools and that the Society as a whole through the chapter contributions hopes to have a worthwhile gift for the school.

The State Chaplain, Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, moved that a note expressing sympathy on the death of Mr. Hayes, and for the many years of valuable service rendered to the Georgia Society, be sent to the McGregor Company and to the family of Mr. Hayes. Seconded by Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge. Unanimously adopted. Mrs. Tuthill urged chapters to join in "Prayer for Peace."

Mrs. Yates W. Little, Regent, Savannah Chapter, told of the request of the CHAPLAIN GENERAL for a copy of the biography written by Mrs. Tuthill on Miss Mildred Lewis Rutherford, who was an authority on the War Between the States.

The State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Thomas K. Kendrick was recognized.

Mrs. Ben I. Thornton, State Corresponding Secretary, reported that up-to-date, 318 letters and one telegram had been sent.

Mrs. Henry A. Ironside moved that a letter be written by the Corresponding Secretary to Mrs. John W. Daniel expressing regret at her absence. Motion carried.

The State Treasurer, Mrs. Talbott B. Chandler, reported a balance as of November 6th of \$3,977.51. She stated that the Julia A. Traylor Fund had been placed on savings, that the \$500.00 borrowed by the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund was paid in full as of September, 1952. Instructions were given as to how and when to send monies to the State Treasurer.

Mrs. Henry A. Ironside made a motion that the balance of \$4.00

as given by the State Treasurer in the account of the S. B. C. Morgan Fund be credited to the account of the Marian Sibley Wylie Fund. Seconded by Mrs. Leonard Wallace. Motion carried.

State Consulting Organizing Secretary, Mrs. William C. Robinson, reported that Mrs. Ruth Brock Kramer had been named as Organizing Regent for the new chapter at Carrollton.

State Historian, Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker, urged chapters to encourage the teaching of American History in the High Schools, to know the textbooks being used; announced the prizes for scrapbook.

State Librarian, Mrs. Neil Glass, requested that the chapters make cash contributions in order that she might secure the sixteen books requested by the Librarian General; the rules of the Porter Trophy were explained. Mrs. H. B. Hamner, Regent, George Walton Chapter, suggested that a book be given by a chapter in memory of a deceased member.

The Resolutions Committee with Mrs. Ironside, Co-Chairman, was excused at 11:20 a.m.

State Consulting Registrar, Mrs. George E. Jordan, urged chapters to complete cards on new members, for Chapter Regents and Chapter Registrars to study the handbook for rules concerning the application of papers and requests for transfers. Total membership for Georgia is 5,810.

State Curator, Mrs. Carter Shepherd, told of gifts that had been accepted by the Museum; urged chapters to make cash contributions as well as gifts.

State Editor, Mrs. Sam Merritt, in a very comprehensive manner explained that the Society no longer had a Sunday Column and stressed the need of the chapters using the local sources for publicity; urged that she be sent copies of all chapter publicity for her scrapbook.

State Chairmen reporting were: Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch, American Music, who urged chapters to use American music on programs; Mrs. Harry E. Talmadge, Americanism, explained the McCarran-Walter Act, stated the need of each person contacting the congressman in her district and being ever on the alert for un-American activities; Mrs. J. Harold Nicholson on Conservation; Mrs. T. Earle Stribling spoke in the absence of Mrs. Clifford M. Tuck, Chairman on the Correct Use of the Flag, and told of the valuable work done by the Atlanta Chapters in connection with the work of this committee; Mrs. James A. Lewis, D.A.R. Good Citizens; Mrs. Lytle D. Burns, Jr., D.A.R. Magazine Chairman requested chapters to cooperate in securing advertisements for the May issue; Mrs. Ralph Campbell, D.A.R. Manual for Citizenship, announced that the following would serve with her as Vice Chairmen—Atlanta area: Mrs. S. M. Page Rees; Albany area: Mrs. J. M. Barnett; Columbus area: Mrs. E. P. Cary; Augusta area: Mrs. Clifford Welton; Macon area: Mrs. J. E. Crouse.

Mrs. R. T. Ragan, Chairman for the Erection of the Bell Tower at Valley Forge, told of visit to the Tower, urged contributions as only \$38,000.00 is needed to complete project. Mrs. Hoyt S. Bryan, Girl Home Makers reported; Mrs. Ransom Burts, Junior American Citizen chairman, stated that she had all necessary materials for organization of such clubs.

Mrs. Cameron made motion that the Cherokee Chapter be allowed to make a State JAC award for the best work done by a Junior American Citizen Club in honor of Mrs. Ransom Burts, Organizing Regent. The award to be announced later. Seconded by Mrs. Hinton Blackshear. Motion carried.

RESOLUTIONS

No. 1. RESOLVED: That the State Board of Management of the Georgia Society, N.S.D.A.R., send a telegram of greeting to the President-Elect of the United States of America, General Dwight D. Eisenhower and Mrs. Eisenhower, bidding them welcome to Georgia and wishing them a pleasant and restful vacation. Mrs. Warthen seconded. Adopted.

No. 2. RESOLVED: That the State Board of Management endorses with pride and pleasure the candidacy of Mrs. Leonard Wallace for the high office of Registrar General on the ticket of Miss Gertrude Carraway, candidate for President General. Be it further

RESOLVED: That each Chapter be urged to send it's full quota of representatives to the Continental Congress in April, 1953, thus expressing our hearty endorsement of Mrs. Wallace's candidacy by votes as well as by words. Unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

No. 3. RESOLVED: That the Georgia Society, N.S.D.A.R., place the names of Mrs. Leonard Wallace, State Regent, 1950-52, and Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent, 1952-54, on the Rotary Standard at Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower, at a cost of \$25.00 for each name. Unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

No. 4. RESOLVED: That an amount of money not to exceed \$500.00 be taken from the State Dues Fund, to be used for furnishings in the Georgia room at our National Headquarters in Washington, honoring our State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling. Mrs. Yarbrough seconded. Adopted.

No. 5 **The IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT (1952)** **(McCarran Act)**

RESOLVED:

(1) That the Georgia Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, Commends the Immigration and Nationality Law as an equitable measure in relation to the interests of this Nation, and as fair and generous to the peoples of other countries:

(2) That the Georgia Society approves the establishment of a bipartisan Joint Congressional Committee for continuous deliberation upon the law's administration, and its effects upon our own interest and our relations with foreign countries, and the recommendation of amendatory legislation, as occasion may require:

(3) That the Georgia Society believes that the problems involved are of such magnitude and complexity as to preclude the possibility that a commission hastily established by executive order will make any notable contribution, but that it may rather be expected that it will eventually submit and publish a partial, inadequate and biased report, calculated, through propaganda, to engender national and international confusion:

(4) That the Georgia Society especially deplores the establishment of a commission by executive order as an unwarranted and unprecedented encroachment upon, and usurpation of, legislative powers expressly reserved by the Constitution to a coordinate branch of the Government—the Congress of the United States, and be it further

RESOLVED: That copies of this resolution be sent to the President General, N.S.D.A.R., to the National Chairman of National Defense, N.S.D.A.R., and to each Georgia member of both the Senate and the House of Representatives, Congress of the United States. Mrs. Warthen seconded. Adopted.

Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge made the following motion: "I move that when the State Regent receives correspondence regarding vital questions and important meetings, she notifies, when possible, our State Chapters, urging their members to attend such meetings. Mrs. Warthen seconded. Carried.

No. 6. **RESOLVED:** That the name of the Marian Sibley Wylie Victory Fund be changed to the Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship. Mrs. Wallace seconded. Adopted.

No. 7. **RESOLVED:** That the goal of the Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship, now amounting to \$1,560.00, shall be \$5,000.00, thus providing a perpetual scholarship at Tamassee. Mrs. McCall seconded. Adopted.

No. 8. **RESOLVED:** That the State per capita of five cents for Tamassee be allocated to the Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship until such time as this fund reaches the goal of \$5,000.00. Mrs. Humphrey seconded. Adopted.

No. 9. **RESOLVED:** That the Chapters be urged to make a notable gift to Berry, Georgia's own D.A.R. Approved School, this year in honor of its fiftieth anniversary. Mrs. Thigpen seconded. Adopted.

No. 10. **RESOLVED:** That the May Phillips Mims Trophy be retired to its donor, with thanks for the Trophy and its usefulness. Mrs. Blackshear seconded. Adopted.

No. 11. **RESOLVED:** That the State Board of Management express to General Daniel Stewart Chapter, Mrs. E. W. Traylor, Regent, sincere thanks for their gracious hospitality, for the beautiful music and all the arrangements made for the enjoyment and success of this meeting; and to Mr. Leggett, Divisional Manager, Civil Defense, for the Macon District, for showing the Civil Defense film, explaining safety methods in case of atomic attack. Unanimously seconded by rising vote. Adopted.

The State Regent thanked Mrs. Ironside and her committee for the splendid work done on the resolutions. The members gave the committee a rising vote of thanks.

The State Parliamentarian, Mrs. Ober D. Warthen, made the following motion:

"I move to strike out Section 3, Article VIII, of the By-Laws of the Georgia State Society, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, and to insert the following Article VIII, Section 3, State Officers, Honorary State Regents, State Chairmen of Committees, and other members of the Georgia Society, of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution who are not duly elected voters from their respective chapters shall pay the usual \$1.00 at the time of Registration."

Inez Smith Warthen (Mrs. Ober D.)

(This requires 'previous notice' and a two-thirds vote). Mrs. Wallace seconded. Carried.

The meeting was recessed for luncheon at 1:25 at the New Perry Hotel.

The State Chaplain, Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, introduced Mrs. George Riley, Chaplain of the General Daniel Stewart Chapter, who returned thanks.

Following the luncheon, the committee reports were resumed. The State Recording Secretary read telegrams from the following: Mrs. Henry Newton, State Chairman of American Indians; Mrs. Marvin Tabor, State Assistant Editor; Mrs. Lester V. Stone, State Chairman of Meadow Garden. The State Regent welcomed Mrs. Mark Smith, National Chairman of Conservation, who with Mrs. Freeman Hart, drove down for lunch. Mrs. Smith gave greetings.

Reports were given by Mrs. A. S. Varn, Motion Pictures; Mrs. Oscar McKenzie, Programs; Mrs. John C. Peteet, Transportation; Mrs. Carter Shepherd, Conference Properties; Mrs. Reuben Garland, Cooperative Relations between D.A.R. and S.A.R.; Mrs. Arthur E. Mallory, Helen Rogers Franklin Trophy; Mrs. W. F. Dykes, Lucy Cook Peel Memorial; Mrs. W. E. Gray, Marian Sibley Wylie Fund; Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker, Marking Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves, who stated that the Joseph Habersham Chapter had marked the grave of an ancestor of Mrs. Dykes and that the McRae Chapter is to mark the grave of William Fletcher in Telfair County; Mrs. Howard McCall, McCall Genealogical Fund, urged all members to contact members of the General Assembly and urged that they support the bill to be presented for the addition of a fire proof vault to the Department of Archives; Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Proceedings Committee, stressed the need of sending in reports correctly and on time; Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, State Room, told of the furnishings to be bought for the Georgia Room; Mrs. Lucius W. McConnell, Time and Place, announced that the State Conference would be held March 11th through 13th at the General Oglethorpe Hotel at Savannah; four chairmen of the District Meetings gave a resume of the district meetings held.

Mrs. Humphrey, Finance Chairman, made the motion that a new adding machine be purchased for the use of the State Treasurer at the most reasonable price. Mrs. Blackshear seconded. Motion carried.

Mrs. Tuthill, State Chaplain, reported the death of Mrs. Dupree, Chaplain, Hawkinsville Chapter.

Mrs. Thigpen, State Second Vice Regent, announced that Mrs. Arthur Mallory, National Chairman of Mountain Schools, C.A.R., had been appointed National Chaplain, C.A.R.

Mrs. Riley, Chaplain of the General Daniel Stewart Chapter, who is Mrs. George E. Jordan's mother, State Consulting Registrar, was recognized.

The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, thanked the Daughters for their attendance and wished each a safe return home. Mrs. Talmadge moved that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried. Adjourned at 3:10 p.m.

Mrs. T. Earle Stribling
State Regent
Mrs. Thomas K. Kendrick
State Recording Secretary

MINUTES OF THE SPRING BOARD OF MANAGEMENT MEETING

MARCH 11, 1953

The Board of Management of the Georgia State Society of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution met March 11, 1953, in the Crystal Ballroom of the General Oglethorpe Hotel, Savannah. The State Regent, Mrs. T. Earl Stribling, presided and called the meeting to order at 2:45. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Mrs. Harry E. Talmadge, State Chairman, Americanism Committee. Prayer was given by the State Chaplain, Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill.

The roll was called by the State Recording Secretary, Mrs. T. K. Kendrick, and 66 members answered present. The minutes of the Fall Board of Management meeting, held at the Methodist Church, Perry, on November 6, 1952, were read and approved with several corrections.

Mrs. John F. Thigpen, State Second Vice Regent, reported that through chapter contributions nearly \$1,500.00 has been given to the Berry Schools honoring the Boys' School 50th Anniversary. Mrs. Thigpen brought to the Board members the matter of deciding for what purpose they wished the money used at Berry. It was reported by her that the school officials made several suggestions as to their needs. A recommendation was made to the Resolutions Committee by Mrs. Thomas C. Mell, seconded by Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, that a Memorial Window be placed in the Boys' Chapel in memory of the Berry boys who gave their lives for their country. Mrs. Henry A. Ironside graciously said that she would match her chapter's gift to Berry School, earmarked for scholarship for the Memorial Window. The following State Officers were recognized: Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, State Chaplain; Mrs. T. K. Kendrick, State Recording Secretary; Mrs. Ben I. Thornton, State Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Talbott B. Chandler, State Treasurer; Mrs. William C. Robinson, State Consulting Organizing Secretary; Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker, State Historian; Mrs. Neil Glass, State Librarian; Mrs. George E. Jordan, State Consulting Registrar; Mrs. Carter Shepherd, State Curator; Mrs. Sam Merritt, State Editor. The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, stated that Mrs. Marvin Tabor, Assistant Editor, was absent due to the death of her father. Mrs. Leonard Wallace made the motion, seconded by Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, that the State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Thornton, write Mrs. Tabor a note of sympathy on the loss of her father.

The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, requested any State Chairman wishing to make an announcement to do so. Mrs. James A. Lewis, Chairman, D.A.R. Good Citizens, stated that the Good Citizens pin could be secured from her; Mrs. Ransom Burts, Chairman, Junior American Citizens, announced that she had the materials for the JAC Clubs; Mrs. C. H. Leavy, Chairman, Chapter Gift Scholarships and Medals and Prizes, requested that the amount of monies for scholarship be given in the reports to her; Mrs. L. V. Stone, Chairman, Meadow Garden, had pictures of Meadow Garden for all to see; Mrs. Henry Newton, Chairman, American Indians, urged for interest in this work; Mrs. Ralph Campbell, Chairman, D.A.R. Manual for Citizenship, urged that advance publicity be given so that chapter members might attend the naturalization courts; Mrs. A. S. Varn, Chairman, Motion Pictures, urged each chapter to appoint a Motion Picture Chairman, to use the materials sent to the Chapter Regents.

Mrs. Y. Harris Yarbrough, Vice President General, made the recommendation that Resolution number four adopted by Fall

Board of Management, November 6th, at Perry, be rescinded—which resolution directed that \$500.00 be taken from the State Dues Fund, to provide furnishing for the Georgia Room in the new Administration Building given in honor of our State Regent. Seconded by Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Sr. Mrs. Yarbrough made the recommendation to the Resolution Committee that \$1,000.00 be taken from the State Dues Fund, to be given to the Building Fund in honor of our State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, making her a member of the \$1,000.00 Club. Seconded by Mrs. Wallace.

The State Regent requested that instructions be followed correctly in having all credentials signed; that instructions for voting be followed. The State Regent gave a comprehensive form which Chapter Chairmen and Chapter Regents might use in compiling reports. This suggestion to be worked out later and sent to the Chapter Regents.

The meeting adjourned at 4:25 p.m.

Mrs. T. Earle Stribling

State Regent

Mrs. T. K. Kendrick

State Recording Secretary

**MINUTES OF THE OPENING SESSION OF THE FIFTY-FIFTH
ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE, GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY
OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY, DAUGHTERS OF THE
AMERICAN REVOLUTION,
GENERAL OGLETHORPE HOTEL, SAVANNAH, GEORGIA
MARCH 11, 12, 13, 1953**

BANQUET

Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent, presided over the banquet for members and distinguished guests of the State Conference assembled at 6:30 o'clock in the Main Dining Room of the General Oglethorpe Hotel, Savannah, Wednesday evening, March 11, 1953.

OPENING SESSION

The Savannah High School Band, under the direction of Mr. Henry J. Applewhite, Director, gave a musical program from eight until eight-thirty p.m.

The Assembly Call was by Mr. Henry J. Applewhite. The Processional entered, led by the flag bearers and pages escorting special guests, Past National Officers, Honorary State Regents, State Officers, Honorary Vice President General, National Officers, Honorary President General and the State Regent. The colors of our Nation were borne by Mrs. J. Bullard Harris, Jr., and the D.A.R. Banner by Miss Dorothy Beveridge.

The State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, called to order the Fifty-Fifth Annual State Conference. The invocation was given by The Reverend Ernest Risley, Rector, St. John's Episcopal Church. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was given, led by Mrs. H. Bullard Harris, Jr., in the absence of Mrs. Clifford M. Tuck, Chairman, Correct Use of the Flag. The recitation of The American's Creed was led by Mrs. Harry E. Talmadge, State Chairman, Americanism Committee. The National Anthem, Star Spangled Banner, was sung by the Assembly, led by Mrs. R. F. Burgen, Jr., accompanied by Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch, Chairman, American Music.

The State Regent thanked Mr. Applewhite and the members of the Savannah High School Band for the opening music. The

State Regent presented Mr. A. A. Thomas, mayor pro-tem of the City of Savannah, who brought greetings on behalf of the Mayor, the Honorable Olin F. Fulmer.

Greetings were brought from Mrs. Calvin G. Stegin, Regent, Bonaventure Chapter; Mrs. A. S. Varn, Regent, Lachlan McIntosh Chapter; Mrs. Yates W. Little, Regent, Savannah Chapter. Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, State First Vice Regent, graciously responded to the words of welcome.

A group of songs was sung by Mr. Stewart Comer, soloist, at the Christ Episcopal Church, accompanied by Mr. Frank Wilson. Mr. Comer sang "The Blind Poughman," "Old Man River," and "When I Have Sung My Songs to You."

A telegram of greetings from Mrs. James B. Patton, President General, N.S.D.A.R., was read by the Recording Secretary.

The State Regent presented Mrs. Henry A. Ironside, Past National Officer and Honorary State Regent. Mrs. Ironside in beautiful words presented the Honorary Vice President General, Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Sr.; the Honorary President General, Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge; and the Vice President General from Georgia, Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough. Each of this group made brief and gracious remarks.

Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Vice President General from Georgia, presented the Vice President General from Virginia, Mrs. Everett L. Repass, and the Vice President General from Florida, Mrs. Patrick Henry Odom.

The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, recognized Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, State First Vice Regent, who presented as a candidate for the office of REGISTRAR GENERAL on the ticket of Miss Gertrude Carraway, our own Honorary Regent, Mrs. Leonard Wallace. Mrs. Wallace thanked the Daughters for their confidence in her and promised to perform all duties of the office faithfully, if elected.

Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Honorary Regent, then presented the Past National Officers and Honorary State Regents present who were: Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Sr., Honorary Vice President General and Honorary Regent; Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Honorary President General, Past Vice President General and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. John S. Adams, Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Henry A. Ironside, Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General; Mrs. Thomas Coke Mell, Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General; Mrs. Ober D. Warthen, Honorary State Regent, Past Vice President General; Mrs. Mark Smith, Honorary State Regent, Past Vice President General; and Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Honorary State Regent and Vice President General.

Mrs. Wallace presented Mrs. Donald Bennett Adams, National Chairman of the Building Completion Fund and Past President of the National Society of the Children of the American Revolution who in a very dynamic manner urged the necessity for enrolling the youth in the C.A.R.

The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, presented Mrs. John F. Thigpen, State Second Vice Regent, who presented the State President, Children of the American Revolution, Mrs. George H. Connell and Mrs. Arthur Mallory, National Chaplain, N.S.C.A.R., and an immediate Past State President of the C.A.R. Mrs. Mallory presented her personal page, Miss Elaine Jones, who is the Junior President of the Colonel Henry Lee C.A.R. Society.

A group of songs was sung by Mrs. R. F. Burgen, Jr., accompanied by Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch. The selections being "Oklahoma," "Sea Moods," by Tyson, and "Allah," sung in honor of her mother, Mrs. R. F. Burgen, Sr.

The State Regent presented the guest speaker, Mrs. Jessica Payne of Huntington, W. Va., a noted lecturer, author, and teacher, whose address "Only You Can Save America" brought the responsibility of citizenship down to the level of the individual. A rising vote of thanks was given Mrs. Payne by the Assembly.

Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, as a member of the State Board of Education, told of the work done in Georgia to combat the forces of communism in the educational system.

The State Regent presented Mrs. James A. Lewis, State Chairman, D.A.R. Good Citizens Committee, who introduced Georgia's outstanding good citizen, Miss Maxine Turner, a member of the senior class of the Columbus High School. Miss Turner received from the State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, the \$100.00 Government Bond, who congratulated her on this achievement. Miss Turner expressed her appreciation for this honor she had received and stated that through programs such as the D.A.R. were the youth of the country able to realize their dreams and ideals.

The State Regent presented the State Officers present, who were: State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey; State Second Vice Regent, Mrs. John F. Thigpen; State Chaplain, Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill; State Recording Secretary, Mrs. T. K. Kendrick; State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Ben I. Thornton; State Treasurer, Mrs. Talbott B. Chandler; State Consulting Organizing Secretary, Mrs. William C. Robinson; State Historian, Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker; State Librarian, Mrs. Neil Glass; State Consulting Registrar, Mrs. George E. Jordan; State Curator, Mrs. Carter Shepherd; State Editor, Mrs. Sam Merritt. Mrs. Stribling expressed regrets that the State Assistant Editor, Mrs. Marvin Tabor, could not be present due to the death of her father. Mrs. Stribling then presented her personal pages who were Mrs. Richard B. Withington and Miss Marilyn Haar.

The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, presented Mrs. Arthur Waite, Jr., Chairman of Pages, who introduced the pages for the Conference: Mrs. H. Bullard Harris. Miss Dorothy Beveridge, Miss Jane Sutlive, Mrs. John Fitzpatrick, Miss Betty Lord, Mrs. Lucius Cobb, Miss Ann Stubbs, Miss Julia Burts, Miss Elaine Jones, Miss Caroline Edwards, Mrs. A. S. Varn, Jr., Mrs. J. Harry Duncan, Mrs. W. D. Weeks, and Mrs. L. Powell Gahagan.

The State Regent announced that the morning session would begin at 9:30.

The colors were retired. The benediction was pronounced by The Reverend Ernest Risley.

The meeting recessed at 10:40 until 9:30 Thursday morning, March 12th.

Mrs. T. Earle Stribling
State Regent
Mrs. T. K. Kendrick
State Recording Secretary

MINUTES OF THURSDAY MORNING SESSION MARCH 12, 1952

(Piano music preceeding the Thursday Morning Session was furnished by Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch, State Chairman, American Music).

The meeting convened at 9:30 a.m. in the Crystal Room of the General Oglethorpe Hotel with the State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, presiding. The prayer was given by Mrs. George Foltz, Chaplain, Bonaventure Chapter. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Mrs. Harry E. Talmadge, State Chairman, Americanism Committee.

A motion was made by Mrs. Thomas C. Mell, seconded by Mrs. Henry A. Ironside that the Roll Call be deferred at this time, as the Credentials Report would contain the record. Motion carried. Minutes of the Opening Session were read by the State Recording Secretary, Mrs. T. K. Kendrick, and were approved as read.

Mrs. Henry A. Ironside, Co-Chairman of the Resolutions Committee, read Resolution No. 21 adopted by the State Conference last year, which resolution gave full instructions as to how resolutions were to be handed to the Committee. Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey made the motion that this rule be set aside for this conference. Seconded by Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge. Mrs. Ironside stated that the Resolutions Committee would retire after Mrs. Adams' address at the afternoon session.

Mrs. Ober D. Warthen, Parliamentarian, read the rules governing the Fifty-Fifth State Conference and moved the adoption of the rules for this conference. Seconded by Mrs. Dykes. Motion carried. Mrs. J. L. Dekle, Regent, Governor David Emanuel Chapter, Swainsboro, moved that the State Chairmen be given the privilege of the floor. Seconded by Mrs. Wallace. Carried. The report of the Credentials Committee was given by Miss Kitty Newton, total registration as of 10 o'clock, March 12, was 134 which included State Officers 13; National Officers 3; Past National Officers 4; Honorary State Regent 1; State Chairmen 23; Chapter Regents 34; Delegates 19; Delegates' Alternates 33; and District Chairmen 2.

Mrs. Ben I. Thornton presented the program to the Assembly and moved the adoption of the program as the order of the day with any changes that might become necessary. Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey seconded. Carried.

The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, introduced Mrs. William Demmond, soloist, Christ Church, Savannah, who sang "O What a Beautiful City," arranged by Edward Boarnes; "Into the Night," by Clara Edwards; and "Spring Time," by Tirindelli. Mrs. Addie May Jackson accompanied at the piano.

The State Regent requested that the State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Humphrey, take the chair. The State Regent gave a short resume of her activities, full details to be published in the Proceedings. The highlight of this year's work will be the honor of placing the name of Mrs. Leonard Wallace in nomination for the office of Registrar General on the ticket of Miss Gertrude Carraway at the 62nd Continental Congress. The State Regent's report was accepted with a rising vote of thanks, and the State Regent resumed the chair.

The State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, made a brief report. She commended the Daughters for becoming so conscious of National Defense Work and urged that this continue. She cited the following chapters for best work done as outlined by the National Defense Office: first, Cherokee Chapter; second place, a tie between the John Benning Chapter and the Atlanta Chapter; third place, Joseph Habersham; fourth place, Knox-Conway Chapter; fifth place, Henry Walton Chapter. The Lenamae French Stribling Trophy was awarded to the Cherokee Chapter.

The State Second Vice Regent, Mrs. John F. Thigpen, reported that 46 chapters had qualified for the Hightower Award. Mrs. Thigpen made the suggestion that, if the chapters so desire, the Hightower Award monies be given to the State Treasurer for the Memorial Window in the Chapel of the Boys' School at Berry. The Kate Latham Dykes Cup was presented to the John Houston Chapter by Mrs. W. F. Dykes, donor. The Regent of the John Houston

Chapter graciously presented the trophy to the runner-up, the Bainbridge Chapter. The \$5.00 award given by Mrs. Ironside to the chapter making the most outstanding contribution to the Approved Schools was won by the John Houston Chapter.

A motion was made by Mrs. Thigpen that the five cents per capita for Tamassee be placed in the Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Fund. Seconded by Mrs. Humphrey. Carried. Mrs. Thigpen then made the motion that the five cents per capita for Kate Duncan Smith be put in chairs for Becker Hall. Seconded by Mrs. Warthen. Carried.

Mrs. Olin S. Cofer, Chairman of Approved Schools of the Joseph Habersham Chapter, and donor of the Myrtle Bonner Cofer Bowl, presented her trophy to the Baron DeKalb Chapter for the most outstanding work done for Kate Duncan Smith School.

The State Second Vice Regent, Mrs. Thigpen, gave the Approved Schools Chairman's award of \$10.00 to the Joseph Habersham Chapter. Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge spoke in appreciation of all gifts received by Tamassee.

Mrs. Ransom Burts, Honorary Regent of the Cherokee Chapter of Atlanta, stated that a gift of \$50.00 will be given by the Cherokee Chapter in honor of the Chapter's Regent, Mrs. Hinton Blackshear, to the Memorial Window Fund at the Boys' School at Berry.

The State Chaplain, Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, and the State Recording Secretary, Mrs. T. K. Kendrick, made their reports.

Mrs. Talbott B. Chandler, State Treasurer, reported that she had received \$65.00 from the Hightower Awards for the Memorial Window at the Boys' School at Berry. Mrs. Chandler then read the auditor's report which showed on deposit at the First State Bank of Albany on February 23, 1953, a balance of \$6,925.38, of which \$2,000.00 is the Julia A. Traylor Scholarship Fund. Mrs. Chandler made the motion that the auditor's report carrying with it the Treasurer's report be accepted. Mrs. Howard McCall, Sr. seconded. Carried.

Mrs. Ironside made the courtesy motion that the State Corresponding Secretary write a letter to the First State Bank of Albany expressing the Georgia State Society, N.S.D.A.R.'s deep appreciation for the kindness shown the State Treasurer in not charging for checks, nor making the usual service charges.

The State Historian, Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker, presented to the Pulaski Chapter her award for the chapter locating the largest number of Revolutionary Soldiers' graves.

The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, then welcomed Mrs. John W. Daniel, Honorary State Regent, who was attending State Conference for the first time in several years. The assembly gave Mrs. Daniel a rising vote of welcome.

The State Consulting Organizing Secretary, Mrs. William C. Robinson, reported the organization of a new chapter at Carrollton with Mrs. Ruth Brock Kramer, Organizing Regent. Mrs. McCall made the courtesy motion that a telegram, of love and appreciation for work done, be sent to Mrs. Kramer who recently was injured in an automobile accident. State Corresponding Secretary instructed to send the telegram.

State Librarian, Mrs. Neil Glass, presented Mrs. Joe Pruitt, a member of the Mary Hammond Washington Chapter, Macon, who presented the Porter Trophy to the Nancy Hart Chapter. Mrs. Glass also recognized the following chapters for the fine work done: Cherokee, Nathaniel Macon, William Marsh, and Knox-Conway.

The State Consulting Registrar, Mrs. George E. Jordan, made her report. The State Curator, Mrs. Carter Shepherd, thanked

the State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, for the Flag holders. The Sarah Morrow Trophy was awarded to the Joseph Habersham Chapter. Mrs. Sam Merritt gave the State Editor and press chairman reports. The State Editor's Award was presented to the Augusta Chapter. Mrs. Merritt made the courtesy motion that the State Corresponding Secretary write a note of appreciation to Mrs. E. J. Barrington of the Savannah Morning News for the splendid coverage of the Conference. The State Editor stated that the May Phillips Mims Trophy would be retired to the donor, Mrs. Mims in Hawkinsville, as provided for in Resolution No. 9 of the Minutes of the Fall State Board of Management minutes.

Mrs. W. F. Dykes brought greetings from Mrs. Max Land, Honorary State Regent, who has moved to Dallas, Texas. State Corresponding Secretary was instructed to write her a note of love and appreciation.

At 12:00 noon the platform was cleared and the State Chaplain, Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, conducted an impressive Memorial Service. She was assisted by Mrs. J. Elmo Weeks, Chaplain, Savannah Chapter. Flower pages were Mrs. Ralph Campbell, Mrs. Paul Pickard, and Mrs. A. S. Varn, Jr. The Scripture was read by Mrs. Tuthill, followed by prayer by Mrs. Weeks. As Mrs. Tuthill reverently spoke the names of each Georgia Daughter of the American Revolution who had departed this life since last State Conference, pages alternated in placing a white flower in two large white floor baskets.

Mrs. Arthur Jefford, soloist, accompanied by Mrs. Kenneth Wolfe, Jr., sang "Before the Crucifix," and "Hark My Soul," after which the State Chaplain offered prayer.

Recess was taken at 12:30 p.m.

Mrs. T. Earle Stribling
State Regent
Mrs. T. K. Kendrick
State Recording Secretary

LUNCHEON

THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1953

At 12:30 p.m., the Daughters and Distinguished Guests assembled in the Main Dining Room of the General Oglethorpe Hotel for a Smorgasbord luncheon.

During the luncheon, Mrs. R. F. Burgen, Jr., accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch, sang "Sweet Song of Long Ago" and "If I Could Tell You."

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

MARCH 12, 1953

The Thursday afternoon session was called to order by the State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, in the Crystal Room of the General Oglethorpe Hotel, at two o'clock. Mrs. R. F. Burgen, Jr., accompanied by Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch, sang "Black Roses" and "Velvet Shoes." The State Recording Secretary read telegraphic messages from the following: Miss Gertrude Carraway; Mrs. Edward R. Barrow, Past Vice President General from Texas; Mrs. Alfred Williams, State Regent of Massachusetts; Mrs. John Boston, State Chairman, American Merchant Marine Library.

Reports of the State Chairmen were begun. Mrs. Henry Newton, Chairman, American Indians gave her awards; first place to the John Benning Chapter, Moultrie, and second place to the Lyman

Hall Chapter, Waycross; honorable mention went to the Baron DeKalb Chapter. Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch, State Chairman, American Music, presented the Dorothy J. Waldman Trophy to the John Benning Chapter of Moultrie, and honorable mention to the Adam Brinson and Governor David Emanuel Chapters. The Americanism Chairman, Mrs. Harry E. Talmadge, presented the \$10.00 award to the Cherokee Chapter and a \$5.00 award to the Bonaventure Chapter for the best work done on Americanism. Mrs. Hoyt Bryan, Chairman, Girl Home Makers, introduced the State winner of the Junior Dress Contest, Miss Ann Giddins, who had been sponsored by the John Floyd Chapter. Ann Giddins is from the Lakeland High School and Vice President of the Banks Lake Society, C.A.R. Miss Cynthia Lee, who is organizing President of the Banks Lee Society, C.A.R., acted as commentator for Ann as she modeled her dress. Mrs. Bryan announced that Pat Ellison, sponsored by the Joseph Habersham Chapter, won the first prize in the menu contest and honorable mention went to Patricia Green. The Joseph Habersham Chapter sent in the best report from the senior group. Mrs. Norman W. Gibson, Chairman, Building Completion Fund, presented our guest of honor, Mrs. Donald Bennett Adams, National Chairman of Building Completion Fund, who stated that the debt had been reduced to \$84,000.00 with \$20,000.00 interest. She urged membership in the thousand dollar club. Mrs. Adams presented to the Brunswick Chapter the Gold Badge. Mrs. Jessica Payne contributed \$5.00 to the Building Fund through Mrs. Adams. The Thronateeska Chapter matched this five dollars, thereby giving their Chapter credit for an additional \$10.00 on the Building Fund.

The State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Humphrey, took the Chair and recognized Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Vice Chairman of the National Committee of the D.A.R. Building Completion Fund, who made the motion "That the Georgia Society, N.S.D.A.R., give \$1,000.00 to the Building Fund in honor of the State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling—this money to be taken from the State Dues Fund in order that every member may have a part in this gift, and thus making Georgia Society a member of the \$1,000.00 Club. Seconded by Mrs. Wallace. Unanimously carried by a rising vote. The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, resumed the Chair. The State Treasurer, Mrs. Chandler, gave a list of the Honor Roll Chapters.

The State Chairmen's reports were resumed with the report of Mrs. Harold Nicholson, Conservation Chairman, who presented the first award, to the chapter sending in the best report, to the Joseph Habersham, second to the Elijah Clarke, and third, to the Knox-Conway Chapters.

The State Recording Secretary read a letter of appreciation from Miss Sue Reid Vason, Henry Walton Chapter, Madison, for the permanent marker in honor of her aunt, Mrs. Richmond Walton McCurry in the Memorial Forest in Habersham County. Mrs. James A. Lewis, D.A.R. Good Citizens Chairman, presented an award of \$5.00 to the Cherokee Chapter for sponsoring the largest number of Good Citizens; second place, a tie between Tomochichi and Joseph Habersham; third place to Bainbridge Chapter. Mrs. Lytle D. Burns, Jr., D.A.R. Magazine Chairman, presented the Anne Douglas Wallace Trophy to the Fielding Lewis Chapter; Tomochichi Chapter won the \$5.00 cash prize offered by Mrs. Henry A. Ironside for the Chapter having the largest number of subscribers on a per capita basis; the Baron DeKalb Chapter won the \$10.00 cash prize offered by the State Chairman of D.A.R. Magazine for the largest amount of advertising submitted.

The State Regent presented Miss Ava Stewart, pianist, who ren-

dered two piano selections, "Little White Donkey," and "Punchinella."

Mrs. Ralph Campbell, Chairman, D.A.R. Manual for Citizenship, recognized her Vice Chairmen—Mrs. E. P. Cary, Columbus area, being the only one present. Mrs. R. T. Ragan, Chairman, Erection of the Bell Tower at Valley Forge, presented a \$5.00 award to the Colonel William Few Chapter for the best work done.

Mrs. Ransom Burts, Junior American Citizens Chairman, presented dual awards of \$5.00 each to the Baron DeKalb Chapter for having the greatest number of persons in the JAC Clubs, and to the Cherokee Chapter for organizing the largest number of clubs. An extra award of \$5.00 was presented to the Cherokee Chapter for outstanding work done for the JAC and a Special Award was presented to the Lachlan McIntosh Chapter for the JAC Club in "Haven Home." Mrs. A. S. Varn, Chairman, Motion Pictures, presented to the Baron DeKalb Chapter, George Walton Chapter, and the Adam Brinson Chapter \$5.00 each for the best reports. Mrs. Herschel Smith, Chairman, Genealogical Records, presented Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Sr., who then presented the Helen McCall Bashinski Trophy to the Joseph Habersham Chapter, Mrs. Milton Hall, Regent, and Mrs. E. B. Waite, Chapter Chairmen. Mrs. Herschel Smith then presented the \$5.00 Chairman's award to the Governor George W. Towns Chapter.

Mrs. McCall requested that a letter of appreciation be sent to Mrs. Mary Givens Bryan, State Historian and Director of the Department of Archives, for her wonderful help to the D.A.R. Library.

Mrs. Claude E. Fitts, Chairman, Radio and Television; Mrs. John C. Peteet, Chairman, Transportation; and Mrs. C. H. Leavy, Chairman, Chapter Gift Scholarships and Medals and Prizes, all reported. Mrs. E. J. Smith, Chairman, Collecting and Publishing History of Georgia Revolutionary Soldiers, will offer an award of \$5.00 next year for the most sketches on Revolutionary Soldiers.

A telegram from Mrs. Reuben Garland, Chairman of Cooperative Relations between D.A.R. and S.A.R., was read by the State Recording Secretary. The award of \$5.00 given by Mrs. Garland will be sent to the John Floyd Chapter. Honorable mention is made to the Nancy Hart Chapter and the Atlanta Chapter. Mrs. W. F. Dykes, Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Chairman, reported. Mrs. W. E. Gray, Chairman, Marian Sibley Wylie Scholarship Endowment, presented the \$5.00 award to the John Houston Chapter, honorable mention to the Governor David Emanuel and Andrew Houser Chapters. Mrs. Howard McCall reported that through the McCall Genealogical Fund, she had sent six volumes to the National Society and eight volumes had been placed on the shelves of the Rhodes Memorial Library. The suggestion was made that all records in the Court Houses of Georgia be copied by the Chapters. Mrs. L. V. Stone, Chairman of Meadow Garden, made her report. Mrs. Carleton Vaughn, Regent of the Augusta Chapter, was recognized for the Augusta Chapter to present to the Georgia Society a silver trophy, to be awarded to the chapter doing the most outstanding work for Meadow Garden. This trophy is to be given by the Augusta Chapter in appreciation of one of its beloved members and called in her honor the "Daisy Graham Stone Trophy." Discussion followed. Mrs. Mell brought to the attention of the Conference that there had been a resolution that no more trophies be accepted, only cash awards. Mrs. Stribling asked Mrs. Yarbrough what the ruling would be, since the Parliamentarian was not present. Mrs. Yarbrough stated that if such a resolution had been passed to that effect, it should be rescinded. She also stated

that there was no member, who deserved the honor more than did Mrs. Stone. Following further discussion, Mrs. Yarbrough made the motion to table the matter until the morning session in order to clarify the earlier resolution, making way for the acceptance of this gracious offer. Seconded by Mrs. Frye of the Hannah Clarke Chapter. Motion passed.

Mrs. John F. Thigpen made the motion that the reading of the minutes of the Thursday morning and Thursday afternoon sessions be deferred until the Friday morning session. Seconded by Mrs. Thornton. Motion carried. Recess was taken at 4:35 o'clock.

Mrs. T. Earle Stribling
State Regent
Mrs. T. K. Kendrick
State Recording Secretary

MINUTES OF THE THURSDAY EVENING SESSION

MARCH 12, 1953

The Chapters Regents' Banquet was held at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Dining Room of the General Oglethorpe Hotel, with Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, presiding. Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, State Chaplain, returned thanks.

The Thursday evening session convened in the Crystal Ballroom. Music was furnished by Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch, State Chairman of Music. The processional included the entrance of flag bearers and pages escorting the Chapter Regents, the State Recording Secretary, and special pages escorting the State Regent.

The State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. The invocation was given by the State Chaplain, Mrs. T. Tuthill, and two stanzas of "America" were sung, led by Mrs. R. F. Burgen, Jr. The reading of the minutes of the morning and afternoon sessions were postponed until the Friday morning session.

A report of the Resolutions Committee was given by Mrs. Henry A. Ironside. Co-Chairman:

RESOLUTIONS

No. 1. **RESOLVED:** That the State Board of Management endorse with pride and pleasure the candidacy of Mrs. Leonard Wallace for the high office of Registrar General on the ticket of Miss Gertrude Carraway, candidate for President General. Be it further

RESOLVED: That each Chapter be urged to send its full quota of representatives to the Continental Congress in April, 1953, thus expressing our hearty endorsement of Mrs. Wallace's candidacy by votes as well as by words. Assembly seconded by rising. Adopted.

No. 2. **RESOLVED:** That the Georgia Society, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, give \$1,000.00 to the Building Fund in honor of the State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling. Be it further

RESOLVED: That this money be taken from the State Dues Fund, in order that every member may have a part in this gift, thus making the Georgia Society a member of the \$1,000.00 Club. Mrs. Yarbrough seconded. Adopted.

No. 3. **RESOLVED:** That the Georgia Society, N.S.D.A.R., place the names of Mrs. Leonard Wallace, State Regent, 1950-52, and Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent, 1952-54 on the Rotary Standard at Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower, at a cost of \$25.00 for each name. Mrs. Thornton seconded. Adopted.

No. 4. RESOLVED: That the Georgia Society, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, in conference assembled, commend the Governor of the State of Georgia and the State Legislature and express its extreme gratification at the passage of House Bill No. 327 making it a felony to belong to or support any subversive organization or to advocate acts to effect the overthrow of the Constitution of the United States or of the State of Georgia; and also the passage of House Bill No. 464 which requires that American History be taught in the State High Schools and Colleges. Be it further

RESOLVED: That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Governor of the State of Georgia, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Mrs. Humphrey seconded. Adopted.

No. 5. RESOLVED: That the Georgia Society, N.S.D.A.R., express its objection to the change by Act of Congress, in the name of the patriotic day, annually observed September 17, to Citizenship Day, and petition Georgia's Senators and Congressmen for the restoration of the name "U. S. Constitution and Citizenship Day." Mrs. Dykes seconded. Adopted.

No. 6. RESOLVED: That the Georgia Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, recommend and endorse Senate Joint Resolution No. 1 (formerly S.J.R. 130) which prohibits treaties taking precedence over or superseding the Constitution of the United States of America. (This bill was introduced by Senator Bricker of Ohio). Be it further

RESOLVED: That copies of this resolution be sent to:

Senator Walter George
Senator Richard Russell
Congressman Paul Brown
Senator William Langer, Chairman and the following
members of the Judiciary Committee:
Alexander Wiley
William E. Jenner
Arthur V. Watkins
Robert C. Hendrickson
Everett McKinley Dirksen
Herman Walker
John Marshall Butler
Pat McCarran
Harley M. Kilgore
James O. Eastland
Estes Kefauver
Willis Smith
Olin D. Johnston
Thomas C. Hennings, Jr.

Mrs. McCall seconded. Adopted.

No. 7. RESOLVED: That the Postmaster General of the United States be urged to issue a stamp bearing the motto, "In God we Trust," thus proclaiming to all nations, even those behind the "Iron Curtain," America's faith in Divine guidance. Be it further

RESOLVED: That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Postmaster General, and to the Resolutions Committee of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution. Mrs. Harry Talmadge seconded. Adopted.

No. 8. RESOLVED: That the Georgia Society, N.S.D.A.R., allocate all available money given to the Berry Schools this year

for the purchase of a memorial window for the Boys' Chapel, in memory of the Berry boys who have given their lives for their country. Be it further

RESOLVED: That the Georgia Chapters be urged to maintain the standard set this year in generous gifts to Georgia's own Approved School. Miss Helen Estes seconded. Adopted.

No. 9. RESOLVED: That the name of the Marian Sibley Wylie Victory Fund be changed to the Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship Fund. Mrs. Wallace seconded. Adopted.

No. 10. RESOLVED: That the goal of the Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship shall be \$5,000.00, thus providing a perpetual scholarship at Tamasee. Mrs. Thigpen seconded. Adopted.

No. 11. RESOLVED: That the State per capita of five cents for Tamasee be allocated to the Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship until such time as this fund reaches the goal of \$5,000.00. Mrs. Humphrey seconded. Adopted.

No. 12. RESOLVED: That the State per capita of five cents for Kate Duncan Smith D.A.R. School be used this year for the purchase of chairs for Becker Hall. Mrs. Thigpen seconded. Adopted.

The following courtesy resolutions were passed:

No. 13. RESOLVED: That the State Regent of Georgia, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, and the members of the Fifty-Fifth State Conference of the Georgia Society, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, express their appreciation to our distinguished guests: Mrs. Everett L. Repass, Vice-President General from Virginia; Mrs. Patrick Henry Odom, Vice-President General from Florida, and Mrs. Donald Bennett Adams, Honorary National President of the C.A.R., and Chairman of the Building Completion Committee, N.S.D.A.R., for their attendance and for their helpfulness with the Conference Program. Adopted.

No. 14. RESOLVED: That the State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, and the members of the Fifty-Fifth State Conference, express to Mrs. Jessica Payne their sincere thanks for her stirring address: "Only You Can Save America."

No. 15. RESOLVED: That the State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling and the members of the Fifty-Fifth State Conference express their gratitude to Bonaventure Chapter, Mrs. Calvin G. Stegin, Regent; Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, Mrs. A. S. Varn, Regent, and the Savannah Chapter, Mrs. Yates W. Little, Regent, for their helpfulness in furnishing various Conference Committees; to the talented musicians who have given us so much pleasure; to the Pages; to the Reverend Ernest Wrisley; to Mr. A. A. Thomas, Mayor pro-tem of Savannah who welcomed us to the City; to the Savannah Morning News and the Savannah Evening Press, for their excellent publicity; and to each and every one who has contributed to the enjoyment and success of the Conference. Adopted.

No. 16. RESOLVED: That the Georgia Society, N.S.D.A.R., express to the State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, thanks and appreciation not only for her graciousness and ability in presiding over the Fifty-Fifth State Conference, but for her untiring zeal and helpfulness in all the work of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge requested the floor and moved that this Conference unanimously accept the gift from the Augusta Chapter of a silver loving cup in honor of their beloved member, Mrs. Daisy Graham Stone, who has given so much of her time

and effort toward the preservation of Meadow Garden, State and National Shrine, and that when the cup is finally retired, it to be placed permanently at Meadow Garden in her honor. Seconded by Mrs. McCall. Carried with enthusiastic applause.

Mrs. Ben I. Thornton, State Corresponding Secretary, requested that the Chapter Regents be permitted to dispense with addressing the Chair and thereby conserve some of the two minutes allotted them in making their reports. The State Regent granted this permission.

Chapter Regents' reports were given by Mrs. Straiton Hard, Regent, Atlanta Chapter; Mrs. J. C. Vaughn, Regent, Augusta Chapter; Mrs. Yates W. Little, Regent, Savannah Chapter; Mrs. K. S. Olson, Regent, Oglethorpe Chapter; Mrs. Florine D. Gibson, Regent, Pulaski Chapter; Mrs. Joe F. Pruett, representing Mary Hammond Washington Chapter; Mrs. Harry C. Malone, representing Thronateeska Chapter; Mrs. Milton F. Hall, Regent, Joseph Habersham Chapter; Mrs. Louis Taylor, representing Nancy Hart Chapter; Mrs. Milton C. Southwell, Regent, Elijah Clarke Chapter; and Mrs. A. S. Varn, Regent, Lachlan McIntosh Chapter.

The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, announced the receipt of a telegram from Mrs. Harry Bell, Sr., Regent, Stephen Heard Chapter, regretting her absence.

Continuing with the reports of Chapter Regents were: Mrs. H. B. Hamner, Regent, George Walton Chapter; Mrs. Thomas S. Hopkins, Regent, Brunswick Chapter; Mrs. Florine B. Davis, Regent, Nathaniel Macon Chapter; Mrs. Harry Peagler, Regent, Lyman Hall Chapter; Mrs. Homer Duke, representing Governor Truetlen Chapter; Mrs. William A. Ford, Regent, Button Gwinnett Chapter; Mrs. Maude Phillipe Frye, Regent, Hannah Clarke Chapter; Mrs. Sam Leonard, Regent, Council of Safety Chapter; Mrs. David Bishop, Regent, Etowah Chapter; Mrs. J. Marvin Gillespie, Regent, Tomochichi Chapter; Miss Kitty Newton, representing Henry Walton Chapter; Mrs. George H. Huber, Jr., Regent, John Benning Chapter; Mrs. Frank G. Binford, Regent, John Houston Chapter; Mrs. Tom P. Archer, Regent, William Marsh Chapter.

The State Regent announced the receipt of a telegram from Mrs. James P. Evans, Regent, Thomasville Chapter, stating that her absence was due to the illness of her husband.

Reporting further were Mrs. W. E. Binford, Regent, Baron DeKalb Chapter; Mrs. Guy H. Norris, Regent, John Benson Chapter; Mrs. Cary Guyton Bulloch, Regent, Colonel William Few Chapter; Mrs. R. G. Burton, Regent, Matthew Talbot Chapter; Mrs. Vernon Phillips, Regent, Benjamin Hawkins Chapter; Mrs. H. T. Gilbert, representing General Daniel Stewart Chapter; Miss Helen Estes, representing the Colonel William Candler Chapter; Mrs. Maurice A. Cameron, Regent, Oconee Chapter; Mrs. W. D. Partee, Regent, John Clarke Chapter; Mrs. Neil Glass, representing LaGrange Chapter; Mrs. Claude J. Wray, Regent, Commodore Richard Dale Chapter.

The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, announced with regret that an emergency operation had prevented Mrs. Nick G. Cabero, Regent, Hawkinsville Chapter, from being present.

Resuming, reports were given by Mrs. John J. Cummings, Regent, Bainbridge Chapter; Mrs. E. P. Jones, Regent, Oliver Morton Chapter; Mrs. Calvin G. Stegin, Regent, Bonaventure Chapter; Mrs. Linda C. Ewing, Regent, Knox-Conway Chapter.

At this point the assemblage was favored with a group of violin numbers by Mr. Alton M. Elliott, accompanied at the piano by Miss Margaret R. Steeg. Mr. Elliott played "Fair Rosemaris," by Kreisler; "Hora Staccato," by Dinieu-Heifetz, and "Encore Meditation," by Massenet.

Concluding Chapter Regents' reports were Mrs. Ira T. McLe-more, Regent, Adam Brinson Chapter; Mrs. J. L. Dekle, Regent, Governor David Emanuel Chapter; Mrs. Roan Kelly, Regent, John Floyd Chapter; Mrs. Hinton Blackshear, Regent, Cherokee Chap-ter; and Mrs. Gordon B. Smith, Regent, Andrew Houser Chapter. Forty-five Chapter Reports were given.

The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, presented the State Chairman of the Helen Rogers Franklin Trophy for General Excellence, Mrs. Arthur E. Mallory, who made the award to the Joseph Habersh-am Chapter, Mrs. Milton F. Hall, Regent. Second place was won by Baron DeKalb Chapter and third by Cherokee Chapter. Honor-able mention was given to Governor David Emanuel Chapter.

Announcements were made by the following officers: Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker, State Historian, requested that scrapbooks, which had already been judged, be taken to the rooms for safekeeping; Mrs. Talbott B. Chandler, State Treasurer, asked that tickets for the President General's Banquet be obtained from her; and Mrs. John F. Thigpen, State Second Vice Regent, stated that inad-vertently she had failed to call the name of the Governor David Emanuel Chapter among the winners of the Hightower Award and that this chapter was entitled to the award.

The State Regent announced that the processional for the Friday morning session would begin at 9:15 a.m.

The colors were retired and the benediction was pronounced by Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, State Chaplain, and the meeting was re-cessed at 10:10 until Friday morning.

Mrs. T. Earle Stribling
State Regent
Mrs. T. K. Kendrick
State Recording Secretary

MINUTES OF THE FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

MARCH 13, 1953

(Piano music preceeding the Friday morning session was furnish-ed by Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch).

The closing session of the 55th Annual State Conference was called to order at 9:30, Friday morning, March 13, by the State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling. Prayer was offered by Mrs. Elmo Weeks, Chaplain of the Savannah Chapter; special prayer being offered for the husband of Mrs. Ransom Burts, who was stricken the night before with a heart attack. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge.

The minutes of the Thursday morning, afternoon, and evening sessions were read by the Recording Secretary, and were approved as read. Mrs. Ironside moved that the minutes of the Friday ses-sion and of the Spring Board of Management be approved by the Proceedings Committee. Seconded by Mrs. H. J. Malone. Carried.

Miss Kitty Newton, a member of the Credentials Committee, made the following report: Honorary National Officers, 2; Na-tional Officers, 7; Honorary State Regents, 2; State Officers, 13; Chapter Regents, 32; Delegates, 17; Alternates, 33; State Chair-man of National Committees, 14; State Chairman of Standing Committees, 7; State C.A.R. President, 1; District Chairmen, 2; total, 133. The State Regent thanked the Credentials Committee for a splendid job.

The State Regent introduced the State President of the Children of the American Revolution, Mrs. George H. Connell, who brought greetings from all the Societies. Mrs. Connell made cash awards

to the following chapters for their work in organizing new C.A.R. Societies in their localities: John Floyd, Colonel William Few, and Knox-Conway Chapters. The C.A.R. Trophy, the Frances Lamar Lowe Trophy, given for the first time, was won by the John Benning Chapter. Honorable mention to the Joseph Habersham Chapter and the Elijah Clarke Chapter for their respective work with the C.A.R.

Mrs. Wallace, Acting Parliamentarian, moved: "to amend Section 3, Article VIII, of the By-Laws of the Georgia State Society, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, by inserting the following Article VIII, Section 3, 'State Officers, Honorary State Regents, State Chairmen of Committees, and other members of the Georgia Society, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, who are not duly elected voters from their respective chapters, shall pay the usual \$1.00 conference fee at the time of registration.'" Mrs. Ironside seconded. Carried. Mrs. Wallace continuing the reading of Mrs. Warthen's report: "Since the Georgia Society, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, no longer has an official news column and news concerning the State Board and Conference meetings can be adequately handled by a Press Chairman." Mrs. Wallace moved that: "Article IV be amended by striking out 'a State Editor and a State Assistant Editor.'" Article IV will then read: "The officers of the Georgia State Society shall be a State Regent, a State First Vice Regent, a State Second Vice Regent, a State Chaplain, a State Recording Secretary, a State Corresponding Secretary, a State Treasurer, a State Consulting Organizing Secretary, a State Consulting Registrar, a State Historian, a State Librarian, and a State Curator. The State Regent shall appoint a Parliamentarian who shall act as adviser in matters pertaining to parliamentary procedure."

"Also that Article VI, Duties of Officers, be amended by striking out Section 12 and 13. These deal with the duties of the Editor and Assistant Editor and will no longer be needed if the amendment of Article IV carries." Mrs. McCall seconded. Carried.

(These amendments as now passed will not go into effect until the present term of office has been completed in 1954).

Mrs. Wallace commended Mrs. Merritt, State Editor, for the splendid way she has continued to carry on the publicity of the Society's news without an official column.

Mrs. Patrick Henry Odom, Vice President General from Florida, expressed deep appreciation for the hospitality shown her at this State Conference.

Mrs. E. J. Smith made the suggestion that a "News Bulletin" be inaugurated. State Regent thanked Mrs. Smith for this suggestion.

Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Chairman, Proceedings Committee, announced that the committee would meet May 7th in Griffin by invitation of Mrs. John S. Adams and daughter, Mrs. Gray Holmes, in their home.

Mrs. Harry Malone, Chairman, Processionals of State Conference, thanked every one for making this a successful conference, especially Mrs. Thornton for her aid. Mrs. Malone stated that the \$10.00 of the Thronateeska Chapter for the Building Fund be used as the first amount in securing additional monies for the second \$1,000.00 Club from Georgia. Mrs. Patrick Henry Odom, Vice President General from Florida, gave \$10.00 and the following chapters made contributions: Hannah Clarke Chapter, \$25.00; Atlanta Chapter, \$10.00; Baron DeKalb Chapter, \$10.00, given by Mrs. William C. Robinson; Nancy Hart Chapter, \$10.00, con-

tributed by Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough; Commodore Richard Dale Chapter, \$10.00; Tomochichi Chapter, \$10.00; Mrs. S. M. Page Reese, Atlanta Chapter, \$10.00; Mrs. J. Lawrence McCord, Atlanta Chapter, \$10.00; Governor David Emanuel Chapter, \$10.00; Mrs. T. K. Kendrick, Button Gwinnett Chapter, \$10.00. Mrs. Donald Bennett Adams, National Chairman, Building Completion Fund, thanked all who so generously gave toward the second thousand dollar club for Georgia.

Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker presented the Augusta Stanley Adams Trophy to the Elijah Clarke Chapter, second place to Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, and honorable mention, Pulaski Chapter.

Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough reported on the Georgia Room, in the Administration Building. She announced that the Georgia delegation to the sixty-second Continental Congress, would meet in this room. Mrs. Donald Bennett Adams explained how the rooms of the third floor of the Administration Building are used, and why these rooms could not be furnished as the other State rooms are.

In the absence of Mrs. Lucius W. McConnell, Chairman, Time and Place, the Recording Secretary read: "Cordial invitation for the 1953 Fall Board of Management to meet in Macon has been received from Mrs. S. S. Halliburton, Regent, Mary Hammond Washington Chapter, and Mrs. Florine B. Davis, Regent, Nathaniel Macon Chapter. Also invitation received from Mrs. J. Carleton Vaughn, Regent, Augusta Chapter, for the Fall Board of Management meeting; the Atlanta Biltmore Hotel and the Bon Air Hotel, Augusta, have extended invitations for the fifty-sixth State Conference, 1954." Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey moved that the invitation of the Augusta Chapter be accepted as the place for the fall meeting of the State Board of Management. Seconded by Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough. Carried.

Mrs. John F. Thigpen moved that the Fifty-Sixth State Conference be held at the Atlanta Biltmore Hotel, 1954. Seconded by Mrs. Wallace. Carried. The 1954 State Conference will be held March 10, 11, 12, at the Biltmore Hotel, Atlanta.

State Regent recognized the District Chairmen: Miss Helen Estes, Mrs. W. P. Martin, Mrs. Florine B. Davis, Mrs. Florine D. Gibson, Mrs. Ira T. McLemore, and Mrs. S. G. Pryor

Mrs. Humphrey made the courtesy motion that a vote of thanks and appreciation be given the State Regent's son, Brewster Stribling, for the flag stands and all other services he so graciously rendered to the State Conference. A rising vote of thanks was given.

Mrs. W. F. Dykes thanked the State Regent for bringing to this State Conference such a dynamic and timely speaker as Mrs. Jessica Payne.

Mrs. Wallace in her own gracious manner spoke of her deep appreciation for the honor bestowed on her by the support of the Georgia Society in the candidacy for the office of Registrar General.

The State Regent thanked all who made this Conference possible; for the work done by each chapter, and for the accomplishments of the Society as a whole.

The Assembly joined hands and sang "Blest Be the Tie that Binds," accompanied by Mrs. Crouch at the piano.

The colors were retired, and the Fifty-fifth State Conference was adjourned.

Mrs. T. Earle Stribling
State Regent
Mrs. T. K. Kendrick
State Recording Secretary

**GEORGIA DELEGATION MEETING
SIXTY-SECOND CONTINENTAL CONGRESS,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

APRIL 21, 1953

The meeting of the Georgia State Delegation was held in the Georgia Room on the third floor of the new Administration Building, Washington, D. C., Tuesday, April 21, at 2:00 p.m. during the Sixty-Second Continental Congress. Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent, presided.

The State Regent gave the rules for voting. Mrs. Howard McCall, Sr., and Mrs. Ben I. Thornton urged the purchase of the dolls being sold for the completion of the Building Fund. Mrs. Robert Humphrey announced that tickets for the Georgia Dinner could be secured from her.

The following Georgia Daughters attending Congress were: Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent; Mrs. Leonard Wallace and Mrs. J. Harold Nicholson, Henry Walton Chapter; Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Elijah Clarke Chapter; Mrs. John H. Waters and Mrs. Harold A. Benson, Fielding Lewis Chapter; from the Atlanta Chapter, Mrs. Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Sr., Mrs. Thomas C. Mell, Mrs. Straiton Hard, Mrs. John Lawrence McCord, Mrs. S. M. Page Rees, Mrs. George Obear, Jr., Mrs. Willis J. Davis, Mrs. Reuben Garland, Mrs. Morris Ewing, Mrs. Oliver T. Ray, Mrs. Guy Crawford, Mrs. Clara West, and Miss Louise Phillips; Mrs. Henry A. Ironside, John Houston Chapter; Mrs. Dan Lott, Lyman Hall Chapter; from the Tomochichi Chapter were Miss Dorothy Beveridge, Mrs. J. Marvin Gillespie, Miss Marvene Gillespie, Mrs. Edward H. Fenner, Mrs. Ben I. Thornton; Mrs. F. L. Beasley and Mrs. Ober D. Warthen, Vidalia Chapter; Mrs. Mark Smith, Mrs. Freeman Hart, Mrs. P. L. Hay, Mrs. W. D. Wheeler, Mrs. Florine B. Davis, Mrs. D. M. Bussey, from the Nathaniel Macon Chapter; Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker and Mrs. Vernon Phillips from Benjamin Hawkins Chapter; Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, Governor David Emanuel Chapter; from the Joseph Habersham Chapter were: Mrs. John A. Beall, Mrs. Clarence D. Tebo, Mrs. Henry A. Godby, Mrs. Milton F. Hall, Mrs. Benson Ford, Mrs. Norman Gibson, and Mrs. Olin Cofer; Mrs. J. M. Barnett and Mrs. Talbott B. Chandler, Commodore Richard Dale Chapter; Mrs. A. S. Varn, Lachlan McIntosh Chapter; Mrs. Yates W. Little, Savannah Chapter; Mrs. Sam Merritt, Council of Safety Chapter; Mrs. Guy H. Norris, John Benson Chapter; Mrs. William C. Robinson and Mrs. John L. Harper, Baron DeKalb Chapter; Mrs. E. P. Cary, George Walton Chapter; Mrs. K. S. Olson, Oglethorpe Chapter; Mrs. John I. Gant, Burkhalter Chapter; Mrs. Rosannah M. Huff, Etowah Chapter; Mrs. Martha A. Partee, John Clarke Chapter; Mrs. J. F. Evans, Thomasville Chapter; Mrs. R. A. Lovelace, Mary Hammond Washington Chapter; Mrs. Hinton Blackshear, Mrs. R. Cherry Lewis, and Mrs. Hugh Gordon, Jr., Cherokee Chapter; Mrs. George E. Jordan, General Daniel Stewart Chapter; Mrs. C. E. Pittman, James Pittman Chapter; Mrs. Arthur E. Mallory, LaGrange Chapter; Mrs. Ann M. Bobet, Governor George W. Towns Chapter; Mrs. James G. Bishop, Jr., Hawkinsville Chapter; Mrs. Hugh Peterson, Vidalia Chapter; Mrs. John Cummings, Bainbridge Chapter; Mrs. Henry W. Sullivan, Sunbury Chapter; Miss Betty Blitch, John Floyd Chapter; and Mrs. T. K. Kendrick, Button Gwinnett Chapter.

REPORTS OF STATE OFFICERS

STATE REGENT

Mrs. Thomas Earle Stribling

As State Regent, I welcome all delegates and members to the 55th Annual State Conference of the Georgia State Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.

On April 18th, 1952, I was installed as your State Regent and the ribbon of regency was placed over my shoulder by the Honorary State Regent, Mrs. Leonard Wallace. I am ever mindful that this ribbon carries with it much responsibility and I accepted that responsibility gladly and pledged to you and the National Society two years of loyal and faithful service. I owe a debt to each of the Georgia Daughters, whether State Officer, State Chairman, Chapter Regent or Chapter Member. Each of you have been most cooperative and have answered every call and demand that I made on you. It has all gone into the making of a good D.A.R. year and you will learn of the work accomplished on the National, State and local level from the fine reports which will follow during this State Conference.

You cannot know until you occupy this office how much the thoughtful preparation of the gracious hospitality can mean to a visiting State Regent. In every town and city she has found the chapter made up of fine, intelligent, loyal, and busy women, members of our State and National Society. I am most grateful and truly this report is yours. I was the clay in your hands.

This is only a short account of my stewardship as your State Regent. A more detailed report in the form of my itinerary will appear in the Proceedings. My first duty as State Regent was to assemble the Executive Committee at my home for the purpose of discussing and deciding a time and place for the Fall Board Meeting and the 1953 State Conference. All committee chairmen were soon appointed and eight district meetings arranged for September. The summer, while unbearably hot, was short and busy with many letters written and miles traveled. To have kept an accurate account of these would have taken much time which was needed for more profitable work.

I attended the 61st Continental Congress, the fall meeting of the National Board of Management and the National Board in the late January, 1953. In our own State in September, I was present at all eight district meetings. A tabulation of these gatherings show a total attendance of 295 members. Fifty-nine chapters were represented. Fifty-one Chapter Regents present. In October, I went to Tamasssee School for Founder's Day to be present for the dedication of the May Erwin Talmadge Auditorium-Gymnasium, and to Kate Duncan Smith School for Dedication Day. I presided over State Board of Management, which met in Perry November 6th. I have made 42 chapter visits and contacted 23 other chapters during these visits, making a total of 65 chapters. Nine radio talks were made, and I represented the State Society at 15 other patriotic and civic organizations. Conflicts in dates made it impossible to accept some chapter invitations, and I hope to visit these chapters during the coming year.

One of the happiest experiences of any State Regent is the founding of a new chapter. In less than six months after an Organizing Regent was appointed at Carrollton enough members had been accepted for membership for the organization of that chapter. There are three locations in Georgia at the present time where considerable interest is being shown in constituting new chapters.

I shall attend the 62nd Continental Congress and will crown

my very full and satisfying year when on April 22nd I shall place in nomination the name of our Honorary State Regent, Mrs. Leonard Wallace for the office of Registrar General, on the ticket of Miss Gertrude Carraway for President General. The State Regent urges a full representation at Congress in support of our candidate.

I am deeply grateful for the many flowers, lovely parties, warm friendship, and loyal support that I have received. This has been a year with memories that shall remain with me always.

Have we done the best that we can? I ask:
Have we done our best with our daily task?
Let us do the best that we can, I say,
And have done with the failures of yesterday:
For happiness lies in the work we do,
Whatever it be, or old or new:
And whatever the work, whatever the way,
Let us do the best that we can, I say.

ITINERARY OF STATE REGENT

March 29—Was guest at the State Convention of Georgia Society, Children of the American Revolution in Macon.

April 11-19—Arrived in Washington for the 61st Continental Congress. On Friday afternoon visited the White House when Mrs. Truman received the Congress. Attended my first Board Meeting of the National Society on Saturday, April 19th.

April 26—Represented the State Society at the meeting of the Mayflower Society, Mrs. John C. Peteet, presiding, at the home of Mrs. Frederic Rice.

April 28—Attended a luncheon given by the DeKalb women honoring Congressman James C. Davis at the American Legion Home in Decatur.

April 30—Was honor guest with Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, State First Vice Regent, and Mrs. John F. Thigpen, State Second Vice Regent, at a luncheon at the Atlanta Athletic Club, given by Mrs. L. D. Burns, Jr., retiring Regent of Joseph Habersham Chapter, for the group of officers who had served the chapter with Mrs. Burns.

May 15—I made my first chapter visit as State Regent when accompanied by Mrs. Henry Earthman of Decatur, I went to Cedar-town and installed the new officers of the William Witcher Chapter. After luncheon I was the speaker.

May 20—Attended the meeting of the Proceedings Committee at the home of the chairman, Mrs. Mell Knox, Social Circle, and was a luncheon guest.

May 31—The first social function honoring the State Regent was a reception given by her own chapter, Tomochichi, Mrs. J. Marvin Gillespie, Regent, at the Community House in Cornelia. Guests included State and National Officers, State Chairmen, Chapter Regents, and all members of the neighboring chapters.

June 5—Was the honor guest at the morning coffee at the home of Mrs. John Gilmore, Regent of Atlanta Chapter, which preceded the meeting of the Chapter Board of Management.

June 10—Motored to the country home of Mrs. Reuben Garland, near West Point, for the June meeting of the National Defense Committee of the Atlanta Chapter and was a luncheon guest.

June 11—In company with Mrs. John Peteet, State Chairman of Transportation, I went to Griffin to attend the annual luncheon of the Pulaski Chapter and told of the 61st Continental Congress stressing the resolutions at this Congress.

June 12—Was dinner guest of Colonel Pugh, Women's Army Corps, at Fort McPherson Officers' Club when Colonel Mary

Hallaren, Director of the Women's Army Corps, was honored. Colonel Hallaren had earlier in the day dedicated the new WAC Headquarters at the Fort in memory of a Griffin, Georgia, school teacher, Miss Jessie Pearl Rice, who rose to wartime deputy director of the Corps.

June 13—Was luncheon guest of the John Benson Chapter and spoke of the 61st Congress. Other guests were Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge who presented several Good Citizenship Medals to the school winners, Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Honorary State Regent, and Miss Kitty Newton of Madison.

June 15-23—Attended a house party at the Sea Island home of Mrs. Freeman Hart, along with other State Officers, to discuss future plans for work of the State Society. On June 18th went from Sea Island to Savannah, accompanied by Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Honorary State Regent, Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Carter Shepherd, State Curator, and Mrs. Sam Merritt, State Editor, where plans for the 1953 State Conference were decided with the officials of the General Oglethorpe Hotel.

June 24—Met in Albany with Mrs. Talbott Chandler, State Treasurer, and an auditor for the purpose of opening the State Society's account in an Albany bank and to set up the treasurer's books.

July 4—Was guest speaker at the joint Fourth of July celebration of the Atlanta and Joseph Habersham Chapters held at Craigie House with Mrs. Joseph Gilmore, Regent hostess, and Mrs. Milton Hall, Regent of Joseph Habersham Chapter as co-hostess. Special guests were the Regents of Cherokee, Baron DeKalb, Andrew Houser, and Fielding Lewis Chapters.

July and August were used for routine business and the planning of the district meetings.

August 25—Early in the month I was appointed by Governor Talmadge as a member of the Women's Advisory Committee of the Georgia Civil Defense Department and attended a meeting of that committee which is headed by Mrs. Gertrude Harris as Chairman. Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, State First Vice Regent, and Chairman of National Defense was present, along with other D.A.R. leaders. This program of Civil Defense will be brought to you during the year by Mrs. Humphrey.

September 8—Met with the Conservation Committee of the Atlanta Chapter which is composed of business women who meet at night and spoke at the meeting following the supper.

September 16-19—Attended district meetings, accompanied by other State Officers at Griffin, Marietta, Gainesville, and Macon. From September 23rd through the 26th attended district meetings at Swainsboro, Sylvania, Americus, and Moultrie. Reports of these meetings will be given by the district chairmen.

September 30—Attended the unveiling of a marker at the grave of Wilson Brooks, Lexington, Revolutionary ancestor of Mrs. W. F. Dykes, and accepted same for the Georgia Society.

October 2—Went to LaGrange, accompanied by Mrs. John F. Thigpen, State Second Vice Regent and Approved Schools Chairman. We were house guests of Mrs. Arthur Mallory at her antebellum home, Nutwood, photograph of which was used on the jacket cover of Medora Field Perkerson's "White Columns in Georgia." We were guests at a luncheon when I spoke to the chapter. In the afternoon Mrs. Neil Glass had a radio program and interviewed the two of us. That night we met with the Executive Board at the home of the Regent, Mrs. Barrington King and informally discussed the work of the Society.

October 6—The highlight of the past several months was on this

date when I went to Carrollton with Mrs. William C. Robinson, State Consulting Organizing Secretary and Mrs. Alva McCrary. We met with a group of interested women preparatory to organizing a chapter at Carrollton which will include the whole county and surrounding towns. We were luncheon guests of Mrs. Ruth Brock Kramer at her home. Mrs. Kramer has since been appointed Organizing Regent and papers are being prepared for the members of the new chapter.

October 8—Was guest of Joseph Habersham Chapter at a luncheon for the benefit of the Building Completion Fund.

October 9—Congressman James C. Davis addressed the Americanism Committee of the Atlanta Woman's Club at a luncheon at the Club House, and I was the invited guest of Mrs. George S. Ohear, Chairman.

October 12—I left by train for Washington to attend the National Board Meeting. On the 13th, Mrs. Robert V. H. Duncan, State Regent of Virginia, and her sister, Mrs. Clyde Lamond, entertained with a tour of historic Alexandria and a tea at the lovely home of Mrs. Lamond, honoring Mrs. James B. Patton and Miss Gertrude Carraway. October 15th I attended the Regents meeting when the National Chairmen spoke of their work and that night at the Mayflower Hotel the Regents held their dinner. The National Board met on the 16th and the annual Dutch Treat Dinner was held in the Chinese Room of the Mayflower Hotel that night.

October 18—With my son, I went to Tamassee for Founder's Day. This was a red letter day for Georgians for the May Erwin Talmadge Auditorium-Gymnasium was dedicated. Mrs. Roscoe C. O'Byrne, Honorary President General, presided and the address was made by Georgia's own Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Honorary President General, for whom the building was named. At this time the new central heating plant was also dedicated. This was made possible by a gift of the late Dr. Will and Lila Stribbling Doyle, kinsmen of the Georgia State Regent.

October 21—Again with my son as chauffeur, I journeyed to Kate Duncan Smith School for Dedication Day. That night I dined with the State Executive Board.

October 28—Made my official visit to Cherokee Chapter and spoke of "Safeguarding the Republic." A tea hour followed.

October 29—Attended a benefit card party at the Atlanta Chapter for Building Fund.

October 30—The Toccoa Chapter was hostess to the surrounding chapters at a tea at the home of Mrs. Marvin Tabor, State Assistant Editor, for the State Regent. It was while a guest at this reception that she received the news of the sudden death of a niece and returned to her home cancelling the remaining engagements in north Georgia.

November 5-6—Went to Perry for the meeting of the State Board of Management held at the Perry Hotel. On the night of the 5th the State Regent and a group of State Officers were privileged to enjoy the hospitality of the State Consulting Registrar, Mrs. George E. Jordan and Mr. Jordan at their home which is a converted school house more than one hundred years old.

November 10—Represented the D.A.R. at an informal tea at the home of Mrs. Robert H. Jones, Jr., given for the women attending the National Milk Producer's Association, many of whom were D.A.R.

November 12—Attended the luncheon and heard the speakers of the above association at the Biltmore Hotel and was recognized as State Regent.

November 13—Was house guest of Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, State First Vice Regent at her home in Swainsboro and spoke to the Governor David Emanuel Chapter in the afternoon.

November 14—With Mrs. Humphrey, I had a radio program in the morning when we were interviewed by Mrs. Glennie Riddle, Radio Chairman, Governor David Emanuel Chapter and at noon went with Mrs. Humphrey and Mrs. W. E. Gray to Graymont where a delicious Thanksgiving luncheon was served at the Chapter House of the Adam Brinson Chapter after which I spoke, being introduced by the Regent, Mrs. Ira T. McLemore. Later that afternoon I was entertained at a tea at the home of Mrs. Gray, followed by a supper and theatre party which was a Dutch Treat affair and attended by members of the Governor David Emanuel Chapter.

November 20—The Joseph Habersham Chapter invited me to the chapter meeting to hear their National Defense speaker, Mrs. James C. Davis, wife of the 5th District Congressman and President of the Congressional Club.

November 21—With Mrs. William C. Robinson, Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Sr., and Mrs. H. A. Godby, motored to Carrollton to assist prospective members in preparing their application papers.

November 28—Appeared as guest speaker for Mrs. Minor Franks, American Indians Chairman of the Baron DeKalb Chapter, at a luncheon at the Plantation House. Subject of talk being Sequoia, the Indian Chief. Also at this luncheon which was the American Indians program, was the State Chairman of that Committee, Mrs. Henry Newton, and the State Consulting Organizing Secretary, Mrs. William C. Robinson, both are members of the hostess chapter.

December 1—On this day I left for a week in South Georgia. At Americus, I was joined by Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Honorary State Regent and Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, State First Vice Regent. We continued to Cuthbert where we were house guests of Colonel and Mrs. Tibor T. Molnar. Were entertained at dinner that night by Mrs. Walker, State Historian, and gathered later at the home of Mrs. Vernon Phillips, Regent of Benjamin Hawkins Chapter for an informal reception.

December 2—Spoke over the radio at Dawson in the morning with Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Humphreys. At noon the chapter had a luncheon at Andrews College, Cuthbert, and invited the neighboring chapters from Dawson, Lumpkin, Shellman, and Richland. I spoke at this luncheon.

December 3—Continued on our tour to Donalsonville to the home of Mrs. John Cummings. That night we enjoyed one of her famous steak dinners. On the following day, Bainbridge Chapter of which Mrs. Cummings is the Regent, met at a luncheon meeting at the Stephen Decatur Hotel. Members of Hannah Clarke Chapter, Quitman, were also present. I spoke on National Defense and later with Mrs. Gordon Chason, Radio Chairman, the four of us had the same radio skit over the Bainbridge station that we had used in Dawson. The tea hour was enjoyed with Mrs. Julian Webb at her home in Donalsonville.

December 5—Leaving Donalsonville we began our journey upstate stopping at Albany for lunch with a group of members of both Commodore Richard Dale and Thronateeska Chapters. That afternoon at a joint meeting of these chapters I spoke on the subject of National Defense and that night we were the guests of Mrs. Hudson Malone and enjoyed a championship football game afterwards going to the home of Mrs. J. W. Bush for refreshments. Home on Saturday from a pleasant week with South Georgia Daughters.

December 8—Was guest at a supper meeting of the Americanism

Mrs. C. W. Finney, Haddock, where I spoke to the chapter. Was overnight guest of Dr. and Mrs. Yarbrough.

January 29—Accompanied by Mrs. John Odom Luttrell, State Regent of Alabama, left by train for Washington. The following day attended the Regents meeting and that night was a guest at the Annual Dutch Treat Dinner in the Chinese Room of the Mayflower Hotel, the President General, Mrs. Patton, presiding. On Saturday, January 31, the National Board of Management met at 9:30 a.m. Among the interesting reports was that of the Registrar General which included in the accepted new members, fifteen for the new chapter at Carrollton.

February 4—Stephen Hopkins Chapter, Marshallville, celebrated their 50th Anniversary with a tea and I was the guest speaker. The Woman's Club was beautifully adorned with white camellias and yellow jonquils and the tea table was centered with a gold heart-shaped birthday cake. Later I went to the garden of Mrs. J. C. Walker, a former regent, and received a tray of her exquisite camellias.

February 5—After having had my head in the camellias in middle Georgia the day before I found it rather difficult to get my feet on the ground in North Georgia. But a quick ride to Social Circle and the John Clarke Chapter, Mrs. W. D. Partee, Regent, in their spacious newly acquired Chapter House, the Bertha Upshaw Home named for the wife of the donor, made me realize that in every section of the state the State Society has excelled. As I talked to this chapter and their guests, the local U.D.C., I was impressed by the interest shown in the work of the D.A.R.

February 11—Visited the Hawkinsville Chapter at the home of Mrs. J. H. Thompson, Mrs. Nick Cabero, Regent, presiding. Was guest speaker, being introduced by Mrs. Henry Ragan, a past Regent of the Chapter. I was the overnight guest of Mrs. Ragan who held open house from eight to ten that night for the chapter members.

Feb. 12—With Mrs. Ragan as interviewer, I spoke over Radio Station WHEC. I continued my journey to Eastman for luncheon with the Colonel William Few Chapter which was held in the home of Mrs. W. J. Daniel. In the afternoon at the meeting presided by Mrs. Cary Bullock, Regent, I addressed the chapter and enjoyed a program of organ music given by the hostess, Mrs. Daniel. Was overnight guest in the home of Mrs. R. T. Ragan, State Chairman of the Valley Forge Committee.

February 13—Met Mrs. Thomas S. Hopkins, Regent of the Brunswick Chapter, and Mrs. E. C. Bruce at the Oglethorpe Hotel, Brunswick, for lunch. Later had a radio program with Mrs. Hopkins and Mrs. M. A. Copeland, Jr., Vice Regent. That afternoon the chapter celebrated its 50th Anniversary at a tea in the Plantation Room of the Oglethorpe Hotel. The tea table was centered with an attractive tiered birthday cake in the gold motif.

February 14—Journeyed to Savannah to meet the three Savannah Chapter Regents and their committee chairmen who had assembled at the home of Mrs. Yates W. Little, Savannah Chapter Regent, to discuss final plans for the forthcoming State Conference. That night the State Regent and her son were guests at a seafood dinner at the Pirate's House which was attended by members of the Bonaventure, Lachlan McIntosh and Savannah Chapters.

February 17—Was entertained at luncheon at the Brabson Hotel in Cartersville by members of the Etowah Chapter. After lunch with Mrs. T. W. Simpson, Radio Chairman of the Chapter, made a recording to be broadcast on February 23. Mrs. R. E. Adair and her daughter, Frances, received the luncheon guests in their home before the chapter meeting which was held at the home

Committee, Atlanta Chapter, when Mrs. John F. Thigpen spoke on the work of Approved Schools of which she is State Chairman. The members of this chapter committee brought Christmas gifts for the D.A.R. Schools. Also a guest at this meeting was the State Historian, Mrs. Annie Kate Walker and Mrs. W. F. Dykes, State Chairman of the Lucy Cook Peel Fund.

December 10—Mrs. L. D. Burns, Jr., and I were house guests of Mrs. Henry A. Ironside in Thomaston and appeared before the John Houston Chapter that afternoon. We were presented corsages of Camellias grown by one of the members, Mrs. Matthews.

December 11—On this day, Mrs. Inez Henry, Assistant to the President of Berry Schools visited the Joseph Habersham Chapter. Preceding the meeting, Mrs. Olin Cofer, Chapter Approved Schools Chairman, entertained a group at luncheon at the Capital City Club honoring Mrs. Henry. Later in the afternoon we were privileged to hear Mrs. Henry tell the chapter of the past history and future plans for Berry Schools and how we can assist in making these plans a reality. The Georgia Society has pledged material aid to these schools in this their fiftieth year.

December 15—Was a guest of the Atlanta Chapter's Christmas meeting and presided at the tea table. Gifts were received for the Approved Schools.

December 19—1952's activities were closed on this date with an appearance at the Christmas party of the Cherokee Chapter which is an annual event at the Piedmont Driving Club. Other state guests were Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, State First Vice Regent, Mrs. John F. Thigpen, State Second Vice Regent, and Mrs. William C. Robinson, State Consulting Organizing Secretary.

January 8—Conferred with Mrs. Ben I. Thornton, State Corresponding Secretary about the State Conference invitations.

January 10—Appeared over Radio Station WAGA, Atlanta, when Mrs. Paul M. Smith, Chairman of Radio of Baron DeKalb Chapter interviewed Mrs. Willis Binford, Regent of Baron DeKalb Chapter and the State Regent, outlining the policies and aims of the National Society.

January 15—Was guest speaker at the regular monthly meeting of Joseph Habersham Chapter and used for the subject of a talk "History's Warning." Was honored to appear on the same program with Mrs. Andrew Marshall who gave some of her piano compositions and Mr. Ollie Reeves, Georgia's Poet Laureate who read from his collection of original poems. Later in the afternoon met with Mrs. Carter Shepherd to discuss matters pertaining to her Conference Committee.

January 19—Attended a fashion show and brunch at the Biltmore Hotel which was arranged by Regenstein's and sponsored by Cherokee Chapter. Funds derived from the sale of tickets to be used for work of the chapter. In the afternoon with Mrs. John F. Thigpen, Approved Schools Chairman, was a member of a group attending the meeting of the Governor's Committee, Midcentury White House Conference on Children and Youth, held at the City Library, with Mrs. Ralph Hobbs, Chairman, presiding. Two attractive posters arranged by Mrs. Thigpen which portrayed the health, recreation, and education of the boys and girls at Tamasee and Kate Duncan Smith Schools were exhibited along with others from the various organizations represented.

January 21—Was luncheon guest in the home of Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Vice President General. In the afternoon we were honor guests of the Oliver Morton Chapter at the home of

of Mrs. Arthur Cook. I spoke on the aims and policies of the National Society.

February 20—Sunbury Chapter with the Winder S.A.R. Chapter had their George Washington banquet at the Woman's Club House. I was guest speaker. Among the distinguished guests were Judge George Whitman, State President of the Sons of the American Revolution and Judge and Mrs. Roan of Atlanta. I was entertained over night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Smith.

February 23—This was the 50th Anniversary of the Sarah Dickinson Chapter, Newnan, and was celebrated with a tea at the home of Mrs. Karl Nixon, Mrs. George Dean, presiding. Guests included the State Regent and Mrs. Claude E. Fitts, State Chairman of Radio and Television. Preceding the tea Mrs. Stribling, with Mrs. Fitts and Mrs. Dean made a recording at the local radio studio to be broadcast at a later date.

February 26—In Adel, Cook County, Mrs. E. J. Smith, Organizing Regent, John Floyd Chapter, entertained at a reception at the home of Mrs. Patten, a member of the chapter, honoring the State Regent. Guests were members of the chapter from the adjoining counties and from other chapters at Ashburn, Valdosta, Quitman, and Waycross. That night a joint D.A.R. and S.A.R. banquet was held at the school cafeteria. A program was arranged in the school auditorium where the State Regent shared speaking honors with Honorable Ray O Edwards, President General, S.A.R., and Mrs. Edwards of Jacksonville, Florida.

STATE FIRST VICE REGENT

Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey

The duties of this office have been few, but the joys have been great in serving our capable State Regent whenever possible. It has been my privilege to visit several chapters and appear on radio programs where I always promoted the work of National Defense.

I have attended all meetings called by the State Regent, Executive Board, State Conference and National Congress.

Please permit me to express my sincere thanks and deep appreciation for the many courtesies extended me as your Vice Regent, and for the honor of serving you during this past year.

STATE SECOND VICE REGENT

Mrs. John F. Thigpen

It has been a pleasure to serve the Georgia Society and our State Regent whenever necessary. Several chapters have been visited, always speaking on Approved Schools. All Executive Committee meetings, the Eight District meetings, the Board of Management meetings and State Conference were attended.

She attended the Governor's Committee Meeting on Youth, held at the Atlanta Public Library, and submitted posters on the Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith D.A.R. Schools and also attended the Tamassee Founder's Day Program, the Kate Duncan Smith Dedication Day, and visited the Berry Schools.

STATE CHAPLAIN

Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill

In the fall, a letter was written to each chaplain, carrying a message from the Chaplain General, and making suggestions for the ways in which the chapter chaplains could render service.

It is most gratifying to report that the chaplains are doing so

much to encourage the highest type of Christian living, and are bringing loving comfort to those in sickness and sorrow.

All chapter meetings are opened with Scripture reading or prayer, asking God's guidance in their activities and thanking Him for His goodness at all times. Twenty-eight (28) memorial services for deceased members have been held, and fifty-nine (59) markers have been placed on graves. Many chapters give markers in lieu of flowers.

In response to the request of the Chaplain General, three chapters have sent to the National Society biographies of outstanding women:

1. John Floyd Chapter.
2. Stephen Heard Chapter.
3. Savannah Chapter, Mildred Lewis Rutherford, by Hazelle B. Tuthill.

The chaplain of the Joseph Habersham Chapter conducted the ceremonies on the occasion of the marking of the grave of Wilson Brooks, a Revolutionary soldier.

The John Benning Chapter has sponsored a one minute period of prayer for peace and for the men and women in the armed services. This radio program is given five days a week, the first having been held on Christmas Day. Recordings have been made.

The Nancy Hart Chapter presented a memorial gift scholarship fund to the Georgia State College for Women.

The Knox-Conway Chapter sponsored a series of newspaper articles entitled "The Knox-Conway Chapter Speaks," which were the inspiration for better living, both civic and spiritual.

Your State Chaplain has attended state meetings, and has written notes of sympathy to those in sorrow, whenever names and addresses were available.

Since the last State Conference seventy-six members have left their earthly homes. Their lives are an inspiration to us who know that "they are not dead who live in the hearts they leave behind."

It has been a privilege to serve under the gracious leadership of the State Regent and with the Chapter Chaplains in inspirational and loving service to the Chapters and State Society.

STATE RECORDING SECRETARY

Mrs. Thomas K. Kendrick

It has been a pleasure to serve as your State Recording Secretary. Since the last State Conference, I have attended the District Meetings at Griffin, Marietta, Gainesville, Macon and Americus, the Fall Board meeting at Perry on November 6, 1952, and recorded the minutes of these meetings. It was also my pleasure to attend the Proceeding Committee Meeting held at the home of Mrs. Mell Knox in Social Circle on May 20, 1952, and the Executive Committee Meeting called by the State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, on May 15, 1952.

All year books sent by the Chapters to your State Recording Secretary are most gratefully appreciated.

STATE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

Mrs. Ben I. Thornton

In presenting my first report as your Corresponding Secretary, I take pleasure in stating that it has been a happy privilege for me to have served you. Under the efficient guidance of our State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, my duties have been both pleasant and easy.

The routine work of this office has gone out as follows: Forms for chapter officers were included in the State Regent's letter last May.

One hundred and fifty-two letters containing information as to the eight district meeting in September.

One hundred and fifty-eight notices of the State Board of Management meetings in Perry.

Eighty-nine credential cards to State Conference enclosed in State Regent's letter in January.

Two hundred and fifty invitations to State Conference at the General Oglethorpe Hotel in Savannah.

Twenty-three notes or letters, social and business, have been written, and two telegrams have been sent in the name of the Georgia State Society, D.A.R.

May I express my appreciation for the courtesies shown me, and the very interesting year books that have been sent me.

STATE CONSULTING ORGANIZING SECRETARY

Mrs. William Childs Robinson

A new chapter is at the threshold, ready and waiting to unfurl her banner and proclaim her name to the National and the State Society. Her home is Carrollton and the Organizing Regent is Mrs. Ruth Brock Kramer. It is a gratifying experience to share in the unfolding and development of such plans. Early in October your State Regent and Organizing Secretary made a trip to Carrollton. We met in the home of Mrs. Kramer, where twenty-one women gathered. They were all interested and seeking information as to how to go about becoming members and organizing a chapter. We went again in November and observed much progress had been made. The group had grown and likewise their enthusiasm. A good number of papers had been completed, ready to be signed and sent on to Washington. Since that time, fifteen of these have been accepted, and one is being further processed. Six or eight other members are coming in by transfer from chapters in various communities. Due to injuries suffered by Mrs. Kramer in an automobile accident, their organization meeting has been delayed. It will be held later this month at which time officers will be elected and a name chosen. We expect to attend this meeting and I feel sure you wish us to convey the congratulations and good wishes of the Georgia State Society to this newly organized chapter.

Another rose is budding—the rose of Sharon—in Taliaferro County. I have been in correspondence with a member there, and she has replied, "Yes, I am definitely interested in organizing our now scattered members into one." The office of the Organizing Secretary General has been requested to send her any material she may need. We shall make a trip there to discuss plans and shall look forward to having a well established chapter in Sharon before another meeting or Conference.

Our third contact has been in Metter, where an Organizing Regent was appointed more than a year ago. In September, we made a visit to her home, but found no one there. This was followed by several letters. Only recently have I received a reply, stating that due to the illness and death of her mother, she had been unable to give any time to this matter, but would like to be reappointed as Organizing Regent. She expects to complete the organization of a chapter during this year.

It has been said that new members and new chapters are the very life blood of our National Society. It looks as though Georgia will be doing her bit in keeping this flow of life giving blood richer and more abundant.

STATE TREASURER
Mrs. Talbott B. Chandler

Albany, Georgia
March 7, 1953

Daughters of the American Revolution
Georgia Society
Atlanta, Georgia

Mesdames:

I have examined the books of account and records of the Daughters of American Revolution—Georgia Society for the period May 27, 1952 through February 23, 1953.

I have made an examination of the cash receipts and disbursements and supporting evidence and employed such auditing procedures which I considered necessary.

The following schedule shows a summary of cash and disbursements for the period covered by this audit:

Cash on Deposit—May 27, 1952.....	\$ 5,196.71
Cash Receipts per statement	11,584.10
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Total	16,780.81
Cash Disbursements per statement	9,854.43
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Fund Balance—February 23, 1953.....	6,926.38
Less Due from Altamaha Chapter including in receipts..	1.00
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Cash on Deposit—February 23, 1953.....	\$ 6,925.38

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES H. ANDERSON,
Certified Public Accountant

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION — GEORGIA SOCIETY

ANALYSIS OF FUND ACCOUNTS

MAY 27, 1952 THROUGH FEBRUARY 23, 1953

	Fund Balance 5-27-52	Debit	Credit	Fund Balance 2-23-53
State Dues	\$2,303.38	2,110.80	2,642.10	3,034.68
Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund	411.83	211.83*	411.83*	310.55
McCall Genealogical Fund	167.56	78.61	153.56	242.51
Meadow Garden	280.40	280.40	255.14	255.11
Kate Duncan Smith School		609.93	908.33	298.40
Tamassee School		357.75	608.90	251.15
Tamassee Scholarship		711.00	711.00	
American International College		4.00	4.00	
Berea College		36.25	36.25	
Berry Schools		1,311.25	1,311.25	
Blue Ridge Industrial School		72.75	72.75	
Crossnore School		254.75	254.75	
Hillside School		9.50	9.50	
Hindman Settlement School		43.00	43.00	
Lincoln Memorial University		9.00	9.00	
Maryville College		61.25	61.25	
Northland College		3.00	3.00	
Pine Mountain Settlement School		86.50	86.50	
American Indians		47.50	47.50	
Bacone College		87.50	87.50	
St. Mary's School		55.00	55.00	
Building Completion Fund		2,633.95	2,633.95	
Valley Forge Memorial Tower		878.15	828.15	
			50.00*	
D. A. R. Museum		29.00	29.00	
Helen Pouch Scholarships		40.00	40.00	
Kenmore		8.50	8.50	
Marian Sibley Wylie Fund for Tamassee	5.00	5.00	314.00	321.50
			7.50*	
D. A. R. National Library			4.00	4.00
State Library		15.00	45.75	30.75
Conference Fund			124.00	124.00
Georgia Book Plates	17.04			17.04
S. B. C. Morgan Fund	7.50	7.50*		
J. A. C. Prize	4.00	4.00		
Julia A. Traylor Fund	2,000.00		16.66	2,016.66
Murray Indian Orphanage		5.00	5.00	
Hospital Supplies		5.00	5.00	
Mineral Rock			8.00	8.00
Grace Marshall Scholarship		1.00	1.00	
State Museum			7.00	7.00
Conservation			5.00	5.00
	\$5,196.71	10,485.59	12,215.26	6,926.38
Transfer of Funds		631.16*	631.16*	
	\$5,196.71	9,854.43	11,584.10	6,926.38

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION — GEORGIA SOCIETY

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

MAY 27, 1952 THROUGH FEBRUARY 23, 1953

Adam Brinson—Graymont-Summit	\$ 86.95
Altamaha—Jesup	19.10
Andrew Houser—Marietta	76.45
Atlanta—Atlanta	269.04
Augusta—Augusta	256.00
Arthur Fort—Grantville	—0—
Bainbridge—Bainbridge	47.60
Baron DeKalb—Decatur	737.30
Barnard Trail—Sylvester	82.00
Benjamin Hawkins—Cuthbert	223.45
Bonaventure—Savannah	58.25
Brier Creek—Sylvania	63.40
Brunswick—Brunswick	109.25
Burkhalter—Warrenton	32.85
Button Gwinnett—Columbus	134.18
Captain John Wilson—Thomson	50.50
Cherokee—Atlanta	180.30
Col. John McIntosh—Conyers	18.25
Col. William Candler—Gainesville	109.75
Col. William Few—Eastman	234.60
Com. Richard Dale—Albany	151.30
Council of Safety—Americus	54.00
Dorothy Walton—Dawson	101.35
Edmond Burke—Waynesboro	—0—
Elijah Clarke—Athens	283.05
Elizabeth Marlow—Monticello	23.10
Etowah—Cartersville	37.10
Fielding Lewis—Marietta	223.05
Fort Early—Cordele	98.95
Gen. Daniel Stewart—Perry	26.45
Gen. David Blackshear—Rochelle	45.15
Gen. James Jackson—Valdosta	126.85
George Walton—Columbus	125.15
Gov. David Emanuel—Swainsboro	137.65
Gov. George W. Towns—Talbotton	58.60
Gov. Jared W. Irwin—Sandersville	18.20
Gov. John Milledge—Dalton	72.85
Gov. Treutlen—Fort Valley	112.55
Hancock—Sparta	74.20
Hannah Clarke—Quitman	270.15
Hawkinsville—Hawkinsville	59.60
Henry Walton—Madison	122.80
James Monroe—Forsyth	73.85
James Pittman—Commerce	59.20
John Ball—Irwinton	24.40
John Benning—Moultrie	247.40
John Benson—Hartwell	82.15
John Clarke—Social Circle	70.45
John Floyd—Homerville	92.15
John Houston—Thomaston	1,036.48
John Laurens—Dublin	56.55
Joseph Habersham—Atlanta	1,236.60
Knox Conway—Ashburn	108.30
Lachlan McIntosh—Savannah	130.45
LaGrange—LaGrange	128.40
Lamar LaFayette—Barnesville	—0—
Lyman Hall—Waycross	100.25
Mary Hammond Washington—Macon	178.00
Matthew Talbot—Monroe	54.85
Nancy Hart—Milledgeville	146.30
Nathaniel Abney—Fitzgerald	81.75
Nathaniel Macon—Macon	314.50
Noble Wimberly Jones—Shellman	12.05
Oconee—McRae	23.25
Oglethorpe—Columbus	114.35
Oliver Morton—Gray	33.20
Oothcaloga—Adairsville	52.55
Peter Early—Blakely	79.20
Pulaski—Griffin	93.95
Roanoke—Lumpkin	19.20
Sarah Dickinson—Newman	34.40
Savannah—Savannah	463.45
Sergeant Jasper—Monticello	23.20
Sergeant Newton—Covington	48.30

Stephen Heard—Elberton	62.30	
Stephen Hopkins—Marshallville	10.35	
Stone Castle—Dawson	96.90	
Sunbury—Winder	24.40	
Thomasville—Thomasville	254.00	
Thronateeska—Albany	190.85	
Toccoa—Toccoa	193.34	
Tomochichi—Clarkesville	143.30	
Vidalia—Vidalia	82.70	
William Marsh—LaFayette	98.75	
William McIntosh—Jackson	—0—	
William Witcher—Cedartown	—0—	
Xavier—Rome	10.00	
Banquet Tickets	148.10	
Interest on Julia A. Traylor Fund	16.66	
Mrs. Freeman Hart	5.00	
Checks Returned to Treasurer	11.00	
Florida State Regent	25.00	
Due from Atlamaha Chapter	1.00	206.76
Total Receipts.....		11,584.10

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STATEMENT OF DISBURSEMENTS

MAY 27, 1952 THROUGH FEBRUARY 23, 1953

American Indians	\$ 47.59	
American International College	4.00	
Bacone College	87.50	
Berea College	36.25	
Berry Schools	1,311.25	
Blue Ridge Industrial School	72.75	
Building Completion Fund	2,633.95	
Crossnore	254.75	
D. A. R. Museum	29.00	
Grace Marshall Scholarships	1.00	
Helen Pouch Scholarship Awards	40.00	
Hillside School	9.50	
Hindman Settlement School	43.00	
Hospital Supplies	5.00	
J. A. C. Prize	4.00	
Kate Duncan Smith School	609.93	
Kenmore	8.50	
Lincoln Memorial University	9.00	
Marion Sibley Wylie Victory Fund for Tamassee	5.00	
Maryville School	61.25	
Meadow Garden	280.40	
McCall Genealogical Fund	78.61	
Murray Indian Orphanage	5.00	
Northland College	3.00	
Pine Mountain Settlement School	88.50	
State Library	15.00	
St. Mary's School	55.00	
Tamassee School	357.75	
Tamassee School—Scholarship	711.00	
Valley Forge	878.15	
State Dues:		
Stationery and Office Supplies	323.68	
Printing of Proceedings	856.96	
Insurance	45.63	
Audit	75.00	
State Regent Travel Expense	250.00	
Guest Speaker Travel Expense	50.00	
Banquet Tickets	154.00	
Badges and Pins	127.73	
Equipment	130.80	
State Sunday Service—Washington Memorial Chapel	5.00	
Telephone and Telegraph	15.00	
To replace marker in Habersham Conservation	77.00	2,110.80
Total Disbursements.....		9,854.43

CHAPTERS MAKING HONOR ROLL, MAY 25, 1953*

Adam Brinson	James Monroe
Altamaha	James Pittman
Andrew Houser	John Ball
Augusta	John Benning
Bainbridge	John Benson
Baron DeKalb	John Clarke
Benjamin Hawkins	John Houston
Bonaventure	Joseph Habersham
Brier Creek	Knox-Conway
Brunswick	Lachlan McIntosh
Burkhalter	LaGrange
Button Gwinnett	Lyman Hall
Captain John Wilson	Mary Hammond Washington
Cherokee	Matthew Talbot
Col. John McIntosh	Nancy Hart
Col. Wm. Candler	Nathaniel Abney
Col. Wm. Few	Nathaniel Macon
Commodore Richard Dale	Noble Wimberly Jones
Dorothy Walton	Oconee
Etowah	Oliver Morton
Fort Early	Oothcaloga
Gen. Daniel Stewart	Peter Early
Gen. James Jackson	Pulaski
George Walton	Roanoke
Gov. David Emanuel	Savannah
Gov. George W. Towns	Sergeant Jasper
Gov. Jared Irwin	Sergeant Newton
Gov. John Milledge	Stephen Heard
Gov. Treutlen	Stone Castle
Hancock	Thronateeska
Hannah Clarke	Toccoa
Henry Walton	Tomochichi
	Vidalia

STATE HISTORIAN

Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker

It has been a pleasure to serve you as your State Historian. Forty-four chapters returned the Historical Report blank sent to each chapter. Many of these reports were outstanding.

November 12th, I was guest speaker at the meeting of the John Houston Chapter, where I was delightfully entertained.

In June and in December I was the guest of the Atlanta Chapter.

Seven chapters report having sent original documents and manuscripts to the Historian General.

Members of the Cherokee Chapter are indexing records of Montgomery County for the Department of Archives.

The William Marsh Chapter reports having marked two historic spots. Forty-two chapters report observing 246 historical anniversaries. Eighteen chapters report 138 Daughters made pilgrimages to historic spots. To stimulate interest in the study of American History in schools, seventy-eight medals and prizes were awarded. Sixteen chapters report eighty-eight members read American History textbooks. One hundred and three Daughters visited history

* See Honor Roll Requirements, page 152.

classes. Eight chapters are outstanding for having had historical interest stressed in each program presented. The Atlanta Chapter led with fifty-two historical broadcasts made. Total number of broadcasts made by chapters, 160.

The graves of six wives of Revolutionary soldiers' were marked. Eighteen graves of D.A.R. members were marked. The Adam Brinson Chapter has located the grave of a Real Daughter, Mary Clifton Lewis.

Eight lovely scrapbooks were submitted in the State contest. The Elijah Clarke Chapter won the Augusta Stanley Adams trophy. The Lachlan McIntosh Chapter won the \$5.00 cash award. The Pulaski Chapter received honorable mention.

As State Historian I express my appreciation to everyone for your splendid cooperation.

STATE LIBRARIAN

Mrs. Neil Glass

Chapter Regents and Librarians have responded well to the letter sent last September urging specific library activities. Eleven books, including three on the list requested by the Librarian General, were sent to the National D.A.R. Library in Washington and two to the Georgia State Department of Archives and History in Atlanta. Cash contributions amounted to \$56.25. The State Librarian has co-operated with Mrs. Roland M. James, Librarian General, and with Mrs. Mary Givens Bryan, Georgia State Director of Archives and History, Rhodes Memorial Hall. In addition to national and state work, local library work has been varied and excellent, the Porter Bowl being awarded the Nancy Hart Chapter, of Milledgeville, for its outstanding local progress. The following chapters received honorable mention: Cherokee Chapter, Atlanta; Nathaniel Macon Chapter, Macon; William Marsh Chapter, LaFayette; and Knox-Conway Chapter, Ashburn.

NATIONAL WORK

Mrs. Roland M. James, Librarian General, has received the following books for the N.S.D.A.R. Library in Washington:

"The Andrews Family History" (1934), by R. H. White, sent by Mrs. C. E. Beams and given by the Governor John Milledge Chapter, Dalton.

"Cincinnati Directory, 1819-1820" (1819), given by Mrs. Milton Franklin Hall, Regent, Joseph Habersham Chapter, Atlanta.

"The History and Genealogy of the Thomas Griffin Family" (1949), by Fred M., Raymond C., and Lee Griffin, given by Miss Lillian D. Headden.

"History of Colquitt County" (1937), by W. A. Covington, given by the John Benning Chapter, Moultrie.

"A History of the Cathedral of St. Philip, 1847-1947, Diocese of Atlanta, Ga., by Alex M. Hitz, given by the Joseph Habersham Chapter, Atlanta.

"Major General John Blake" (1886), by C. M. Blake, given by the Nathaniel Macon Chapter, Macon.

"Our Children's Ancestry—Allen Family" (1935), by Sarah Cantey Whitaker Allen, now out of print, given by the Nancy Hart Chapter, Milledgeville.

"Proceedings of the Georgia State Society, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, 1951-1952" (1952), given by the Georgia Society, D.A.R.

"Robert Bayley," by A. L. Talbot, given by the Cherokee Chapter, Atlanta.

"The Story of the Myricks," by Allie Goodwin Myrick Bowden, given by the Nancy Hart Chapter, Milledgeville.

"The Story of Wilkes County, Georgia" (1950), by Eliza A. Bowen, given by Mrs. Mary G. Bryan, Georgia State Director of Archives and History, through Mrs. Neil Glass, State Librarian, D.A.R.

Twelve Chapters gave cash contributions amounting to \$41.25.

STATE WORK

The following contributions have been made to the Georgia State Department of Archives and History in Atlanta: Joseph Habersham Chapter—"Yorktown and the Surrender of Cornwallis, 1781," originally printed in 1881 by Harper Brothers. Special edition printed in 1926. Given by Mrs. Lytle D. Burns, Jr., formerly Regent of Joseph Habersham Chapter, in honor of Mrs. Milton Franklin Hall, Regent, 1952-1954. LaGrange Chapter—"The Handbook of American Genealogy" (1943) by Frederick A. Virkus, given by Miss Mary Crowder, Chapter Librarian. John Houston Chapter—\$15.00 for the purchase of books honoring Mrs. Estelle Norris Pye and Mrs. E. T. Nottingham.

LOCAL WORK BY CHAPTERS

The following chapters added books and magazines to D.A.R. book case at local Community House and Libraries: Knox-Conway Chapter, Elijah Clarke Chapter, Atlanta Chapter, Cherokee Chapter, Nathaniel Abney Chapter, William Marsh Chapter, LaGrange Chapter, Nathaniel Macon Chapter, Henry Walton Chapter, Nancy Hart Chapter, John Benning Chapter, and Lachlan McIntosh Chapter.

STATE CONSULTING REGISTRAR

Mrs. George Emmett Jordan

I wish to say before giving my report that serving as your Registrar has been a real pleasure.

In the Fall I attended the meeting in my District.

In September I sent cards to each chapter asking that the Registrar send me the name of each new member, her ancestor and date admitted to chapter, also to see that each application paper be properly signed and as near correct as possible before being sent to Washington. Washington sends notices of all changes but does not supply full details.

Only thirty-seven (37) chapters have reported this year.

It is only through the Chapter Registrar's cooperation that I can keep my files up-to-date.

I have answered all questions and letters sent to me and have served to the best of my ability.

STATE CURATOR AND MUSEUM CHAIRMAN

Mrs. Carter Shepherd

Letters and questionnaires were sent in the fall to each chapter asking that a Museum Chairman be appointed and that cash contributions be made to the museum fund and articles of historic value be donated to the National Museum.

Thirty-one chapters answered the questionnaires, seven chapters reported programs. Mrs. J. Freeman Hart and Mrs. J. Harold

Nicholson gave cash contributions. The following chapters donated cash: Henry Walton, John Houston, Governor David Emanuel, La-Grange, Baron DeKalb, Elijah Clarke, Colonel William Few, Brier Creek, Tomochichi, Mary Hammond Washington, and Nathaniel Macon. Henry Walton made the largest single contribution—\$10.00 in honor of Mrs. Carter Shepherd, State Curator. Total \$41.00.

Joseph Habersham Chapter, Mrs. Milton F. Hall, Regent, and Mrs. Alva McCrary, Museum Chairman, deserves especial congratulations for its interest. The following seven articles were accepted by the National Museum:

1. Small Bible—made in 1828—belonging to uncle of Mrs. W. F. Dykes and given by Mrs. Dykes.

2. Glass salt container—owned by Stocks family and made in New England in 1790—gift of Mrs. W. Elmore Duke (Sara Stocks).

3. Candle Snuffer—made in 1685 and belonging in family of Captain John Hammond, a maternal forefather of Mrs. Alva McCrary, donor.

4. Worcester Toby Jug—in the Joseph Noyes family since 1775 and given by Mrs. Milton F. Hall (Harriet Noyes).

5. Small Medicine Scales—in Noyes family since 1820 and given by Mrs. Milton F. Hall.

6. Small Family Bible—dated 1810—Noyes family—gift by Mrs. Hall.

7. Royal Worcester Compote—brought from England to the Noyes family in 1775 and also the gift of Mrs. Milton F. Hall.

The candle snuffer and compote were outstanding pieces and received special mention by the Curator General at the January Board Meeting.

The Joseph Habersham Chapter displayed these gifts at a chapter meeting and a photograph appeared in The Atlanta Journal.

It is with the greatest pleasure that I present the Sarah Morrow trophy, for these very valuable contributions to the National Museum, to the Joseph Habersham Chapter.

STATE EDITOR

Mrs. Sam Merritt

Although our press work experienced quite an upset from its regular routine with the discontinuing of the state column by the Atlanta papers, the press report of Georgia is amazingly good. It is believed that our being left without a state channel really stimulated the chapters to strive for better local publicity. Indeed, even those same papers which dealt us such a blow have been most generous in a feature type of publicity as was evidenced a few days ago in the splendid and typical article about our State Regent. The publicity of our Atlanta Chapters has been better than ever, and it is hoped that they will do what they can to keep their local work before the public in the larger papers.

My letter went to you, complete with instructions and form to fill out, in late August, and we believe that its having been mailed so early is the reason two or three have written requesting new blanks to fill out. Most chapters have cooperated beautifully and many should receive honorable mention for their work. There have been 27,344 inches of publicity and 110 pictures in 183 newspapers this year. The district chairmen should be given credit for helping your editor obtain much publicity for the district meets. The Savannah papers have been most courteous and cooperative and we wish to thank them now. The scrapbook is on display.

It is now our pleasure to announce that the Augusta Chapter

wins the award of your Editor for the best coverage and reporting of extra-chapter work. Miss Myrtis McKenzie, Augusta press chairman, has more than met all requirements, and it is a pleasure to give her chapter this award.

STATE ASSISTANT EDITOR

Mrs. Marvin Tabor

It has been a pleasure to serve as assistant to our State Editor, Mrs. Sam Merritt. My usual duties of editing the summer columns were dispensed with, therefore, my duties have been few. Letters of protest to The Atlanta Journal and Constitution regarding weekly column have been written. Regret being unable to attend State Conference due to the bereavement in family at the time. District meeting in September attended.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

NATIONAL COMMITTEES

AMERICAN INDIANS

Mrs. Henry E. Newton

It is gratifying to report that there is enthusiastic and increasing interest in the work for the American Indians in Georgia. Many of our chapters, however, have no chairman. Of the 89 chapters, only 45 have reported. Ten regents of other chapters showed interest and hope that they will have a chairman and a committee in the future. There were 35 programs. One chapter has a short message about Indians at every meeting which, if counted, would increase the number of Indian programs.

Twenty-three boxes of clothing, beads, bedding and craft materials, valued at \$1,180.12, were sent to Bacone, St. Mary's High School, Hildegard Thompson, Navajo Hospital, Murrow Indian Orphanage and Thoreau Boarding School. The chairman regrets that several boxes which were not valued, went to Bacone and St. Mary's.

Cash donations were made to Bacone, St. Mary's, the General Fund and to the support of an Indian student, in the amount of \$254.59.

Total amount given for work for the American Indians in Georgia is \$1,434.71. This shows an increase over last year's evaluation of slightly over \$400.00.

Baron DeKalb Chapter of Decatur receives honorable mention for work done as outlined in the questionnaire.

Lyman Hall Chapter, Mrs. J. W. Seals, Chairman, has done and is doing an unusual single piece of work for the Indians. The Chairman has interested another organization in furnishing a scholarship for Carnot Keslo, an Indian orphan at Bacone College. Lyman Hall Chapter furnished spending money and clothing for this Indian boy. The Chairman made an extra award of \$5.00 for this splendid work.

The State Chairman's award of \$5.00 goes to the John Benning Chapter, Mrs. J. D. Ladson, Chairman. A beautiful report! Her work was fashioned according to the State Chairman's Questionnaire, and all of her monies were sent through the State Treasurer. She made contributions of an autographed copy of Old Indian Legends, "Blue Bonnets" by McCaslin, to the Museum and "the Living Indian Room."

Let us continue to work for the Indians—really the original Americans!

AMERICAN MUSIC

Mrs. Wallace Crouch

The enthusiastic response thus far shown by the chapters in the advancement of American Music has been exceptional. I have been greatly impressed with the number of chapters reporting not only good music, but also a serious study of music.

The D.A.R. has accepted the challenge in stimulating new and better American Music. America is coming alive musically. I hope each chapter will join in celebrating National Music Week, May 3rd to May 10th, using their slogan, "Enrich Your Life With Music." Let us aid in bringing peace to a troubled world through the sweet concord of beautiful music.

Last year the Dorothy J. Waldman Trophy was won by the Nathaniel Abney Chapter. Through an error this fact was omitted

in the 1951-1952 proceedings. This year that chapter has done very outstanding work again; their report is splendid. Two other chapters, **Adam Brinson** and **Governor David Emanuel** also deserve honorable mention, for their very excellent reports.

It gives me great pleasure at this time to present the **Dorothy J. Waldman Trophy** to a chapter that has devoted a period of time each month to the study of music, using a music theme coordinated with their program theme. They have just recently brought great credit to our State when their report was reproduced in the **National D.A.R. Magazine**. I award this trophy to the **JOHN BENNING CHAPTER**, of Moultrie.

AMERICANISM

Mrs. Harry Talmadge

Webster defines Americanism as, I quote: "Loyalty in feeling and attitude to the United States of America." Our D.A.R. Handbook defines our work as follows: "The function of the Americanism Committee, created by the National Society in 1919, is citizenship training for all persons residing upon American soil. This committee should make an earnest effort to have all who reside on American soil understand and appreciate the operations of the American government, in an effort to increase respect for our institutions and insure wholehearted loyalty to our country."

To train others we must ourselves have a thorough knowledge of our Constitution and our Bill of Rights. We must be familiar with our rights and privileges as guaranteed by these precious documents, and most important we must be eternally vigilant of those who would destroy our freedoms and our sovereignty.

We are all too well aware of the subversive influences in our country today, and we are well aware of the constant efforts to indoctrinate our children into an international rather than a national "Loyalty of Feeling and Attitude."

Much of the success these world government groups have attained is due to our indifference or lack of effort.

We must redouble our efforts to educate and instill patriotism in our youth so that their loyalty and devotion to country can not be shaken. Know what is being taught them and do some teaching yourself at home. Teach pride in their American heritage.

Many of you have no opportunity to work with foreign born citizens. Those of you who do, know every effort should be exerted to reach them before an enemy agent or disloyal American has an opportunity to make undesirable citizens of them.

Remember also we always have our minority groups and underprivileged with us and a **hand up, not out**, will frequently prevent one of these citizens from becoming an enemy to our country.

Some of our chapters, about 40, have done fine work, but that isn't enough. If we follow the instructions of our National Society, "Make an earnest effort to see that all who reside on American soil respect our institutions and have a wholehearted loyalty to our country," we would surely have more hope for a peaceful future.

Forty chapters have reported. Atlanta, Savannah, Brunswick and other chapters have reported work with aliens. One hundred and seventy-five magazines, books and other literature have been contributed to libraries to advance Americanism, value, \$115.00. Chapters reported establishing birth certificates for 25 adults and children. Work was reported with underprivileged persons and rehabilitation work. Three chapters reported having representatives attending the hearings held by the committee, appointed by ex-President Truman, on the McCarran-Walter Bill. One chapter did outstanding work on the recently passed Anti-Subversive Bill in Georgia. Two chapters have reported efforts to have the Bricker Amendment adopted by our Federal Government.

The two chapters doing outstanding work are: First, Cherokee Chapter; second, Bonaventure Chapter; honorable mention, Swainsboro, Brunswick and Athens Chapters.

APPROVED SCHOOLS

Mrs. John F. Thigpen

Your generous response to the appeal for a special gift to The Berry Schools, in honor of the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Boys' School, is greatly appreciated. The total amount of \$1,324.75. was given, of which \$900.00 was in working scholarships. Joseph Habersham Chapter led with three scholarships, totaling \$450.00, and members also bought \$50.00 worth of hand-made articles from the School. John Houston gave two scholarships, totaling \$300.00, and a box of books valued at \$73.61. Benjamin Hawkins gave one scholarship, \$150.00. Chapters making other worthy contributions were Atlanta and Baron DeKalb, \$50.00 each; Nancy Hart, \$28.75; and Fielding Lewis and Stone Castle, \$25.00 each.

Sixty-eight chapters reported gifts of money to all Approved Schools totaling \$3,952.55, with 130 boxes valued at \$7,287.33. Crossnore received five boxes, value, \$170.00; Kate Duncan Smith 57, value, \$3,460.90; Tamasee 66, value, \$3,606.43; and Pine Mountain 2, value, \$50.00.

Unfortunately \$220.30 was sent directly to schools by various chapters and cannot be included in these figures or in the State Chairman's report to the National Chairman, since this money was not properly channeled through the State Treasurer's books.

Seventy-two chapters paid their honor roll per capita to Tamasee and Kate Duncan Smith D.A.R. Schools.

Tamasee received a purebred Hereford bull valued at \$1,000.00 from Bainbridge Chapter. John Houston sent two full scholarships, \$400.00; a box of new sheets, value, \$547.25, socks valued at \$28.18, and candy, \$20.00. Baron DeKalb and Toccoa Chapters each gave a semester scholarship of \$100.00; Fielding Lewis, a medical scholarship of \$50.00; Tomochichi, a music scholarship of \$36.00; and Captain John Wilson a clothing scholarship of \$25.00. Elijah Clarke gave two memorial acres, \$40.00 each, honoring Mrs. Barrett and Miss Anne Paine, and also sent a box of fruit, five pounds of candy and a Christmas box of fruit, nuts and candy, total value, \$20.00. Sergeant Newton also gave a memorial acre in honor of Mrs. P. W. Godfrey. Atlanta sent a box of 21 individually wrapped Christmas presents and a \$15.00 doll, also \$10.00 for sidewalk. Joseph Habersham sent 34 Christmas gifts of toys and books. Peter Early gave \$9.50 for socks. Augusta and John Benning sent a Christmas box of gifts, valued at \$25.00 each. Cherokee gave \$12.00 for gymnasium equipment and \$10.00 for sidewalk. Governor David Emanuel and Lyman Hall each gave \$5.00 for a chair.

Kate Duncan Smith received nine working scholarships, a total of \$450.00, contributed by the following chapters: Baron DeKalb 4, Cherokee 1, John Houston 1, and Joseph Habersham 3. Andrew Houser gave \$25.00 toward a scholarship, Governor Truetlen, \$20.00, and Atlanta \$20.00 for sidewalk and chairs. Chapters sending to this school boxes with the highest valuation were: Baron DeKalb, \$310.00; LaGrange and Benjamin Hawkins, \$250.00; Knox-Conway, \$216.06; Peter Early and Bainbridge, \$150.00 each; and Cherokee, \$100.00.

Chapters contributing to Approved Schools: Three chapters gave a total of \$5.00 to American International College; 23 chapters gave \$37.25 to Berea; 52 chapters gave to Berry \$1,324.25; Blue Ridge received \$73.78 from 28 chapters; 48 chapters contributed \$264.75 to Crossnore; \$9.50 was given to Hillside by four chapters;

Hindman Settlement received \$43.00 from 10 chapters; 31 chapters sent \$657.20 to Kate Duncan Smith; 5 chapters gave \$9.00 to Lincoln Memorial College; \$64.25 was sent to Maryville College by 28 chapters; 3 chapters contributed \$3.00 to Northland College; 26 chapters sent \$87.50 to Pine Mountain Settlement; and Tamasssee received \$591.60 from 35 chapters.

Fifty-eight chapters reported 78 chapter programs on Approved Schools, with three chapters claiming radio and television programs.

Gifts to the Marian Sibley Wylie Scholarship Endowment Fund at Tamasssee totaled \$333.50 from 49 chapters. The largest gift to this fund, made by John Houston Chapter, was \$100.00. Forty-five chapters qualified for the Hightower Award. Total amount of gifts and boxes of the four highest ranking chapters was as follows: John Houston, \$1,425.50; Bainbridge, \$1,158.00; Baron DeKalb, \$739.00; and Joseph Habersham, \$724.00.

The Kate Latham Dykes Cup for outstanding work done for Tamasssee was won by John Houston Chapter, as was the \$5.00 award given by Mrs. Ironside for the most outstanding work done for Approved Schools, with second place going to Bainbridge Chapter. The Myrtle Bonner Cofer Bowl, given for best work done for Kate Duncan Smith, was won by Baron DeKalb Chapter. The State Chairman's award of \$10.00, given to the chapter making the largest contribution to The Berry Schools, went to Joseph Habersham Chapter.

Georgia's most distinguished daughter, Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, is National Vice Chairman of Approved Schools Survey Committee. Two other distinguished Georgia Daughters are on the Tamasssee Advisory Board, Mrs. H. A. Ironside and Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough.

The list of chapters qualifying for the HIGHTOWER AWARD will appear under "Awards."

BUILDING COMPLETION

Mrs. Norman W. Gibson

The National Building Completion Fund has been finished successfully. Much credit is due Mrs. Donald Bennett Adams, National Chairman and Mrs. Russell William Magna, National Advisor. and their committees, as well as the D.A.R. Magazine which gave the Building Completion Committee sufficient funds to clear the indebtedness. However, when praises are given, we should remember each loyal Daughter who did her part toward contributing to the cause and finally seeing it accomplished this year.

The highlight of the year was when the Georgia Society joined the Thousand Dollar Club by giving the sum of one thousand dollars in honor of the state regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling. With many thanks to each and every one for their cooperation in making this report possible may I close my years work with this reminder,

"Duty makes us do things well
Love makes us do things beautifully—
All have a share in the beauty
All have a part in the plan
What does it matter what duty falls on the lot of man?
Someone has blended the plaster and
Some have carried the stone
Neither the man or master has ever builded alone.
Making a roof from the weather
Building a house for a king
Only by working together
Have men accomplished a thing."

The following is a summary of the year 1952-1953 and the total gifts and awards:

**GEORGIA SOCIETY D.A.R.
SUMMARY OF AWARDS AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO
BUILDING COMPLETION FUND**

3 Pin Award	Name of Chapter	Amount Given May 1952 to May 1953	Total Given	Awards Badges Stars
3 pin	Adam Brinson	\$ 38.00	\$ 254.00	G-1 Blue *
	Altamaha	5.00	45.00	
3 pin	Andrew Houser		174.00	G
	Arthur Fort		32.50	
	Atlanta Chapter	30.00	2,449.00	G
	Augusta	70.00	504.00	
3 pin	Bainbridge		299.00	G
	Barnard Trail	64.00	95.50	
3 pin	Baron DeKalb	60.00	776.50	G
3 pin	Benjamin Hawkins	20.00	378.00	G-3 Blue *
3 pin	Bonaventure		210.00	G
	Brier Creek		186.00	G
3 pin	Brunswick	59.00	389.00	G
	Burkhalter		97.50	
	Button Gwinnett	10.00	599.50	G
	Capt. John Wilson	32.00	72.00	
	Cherokee		554.00	G-2 Blue *
	Col. John McIntosh	7.50	90.00	G
	Col. William Candler	37.00	187.00	
3 pin	Col. William Few	60.00	527.00	G-3 Blue *
3 pin	Commodore Richard Dale	133.00	403.50	G-3 Blue *
3 pin	Council of Safety		540.00	G
3 pin	Dorothy Walton	25.00	376.70	S
	Edmund Burke		41.00	
	Elijah Clarke	65.00	1,151.78	G
	Elizabeth Marlow		63.00	
3 pin	Etowah	179.00	396.00	G
3 pin	Fielding Lewis		504.00	
3 pin	Fort Early		307.10	G-1 Blue *
3 pin	Gen. Daniel Stewart		162.50	G
	Gen. David Blackshear		75.00	
	Gen. James Jackson	80.00	109.50	
	George Walton	65.00	377.45	
	Gov. David Emanuel	44.00	424.00	
	Gov. George W. Towns	15.00	60.00	G-1 Blue *
	Gov. Jared Irwin		26.00	
	Gov. John Milledge	12.00	384.00	G
	Gov. Treutlen	68.00	315.00	G
3 pin	Hancock	19.00	217.50	G-1 Blue *
3 pin	Hannah Clarke	236.25	433.00	G
	Hawkinsville		175.00	
3 pin	Henry Walton	145.33	554.33	G-3 Blue *
3 pin	James Monroe	30.00	115.00	
	James Pittman	25.00	150.00	
	John Ball		56.65	
3 pin	John Benning	150.00	236.50	
	John Benson	5.00	377.05	G
Disbanded	Gov. George M. Troup		104.50	
	John Clarke	33.00	276.00	G-2 Blue *
	John Floyd		93.00	
3 pin	John Houston		2,950.00	G-3 Blue *
	John Laurens	10.00	44.50	
3 pin	Joseph Habersham	327.00	2,884.00	G-3 Blue *
3 pin	Knox-Conway	66.00	96.00	
3 pin	Lachlan McIntosh		492.22	G-1-Blue *
	LaGrange	25.00	1,070.50	G-1-Blue *
	Lamar LaFayette		77.50	
	Lyman Hall		691.00	G
	Mary Hammond Washington		330.00	
	Matthew Talbot		164.05	
	Nancy Hart	10.00	725.00	G-1-Blue *
3 pin	Nathaniel Abney	33.00	225.00	G-1-Blue *
3 pin	Nathaniel Macon	182.35	972.55	G-2 Blue *
3 pin	Noble Wimberly Jones	17.50	78.00	G
3 pin	Oconee	10.00	149.50	G
3 pin	Oglethorpe		768.00	G

3 pin	Oliver Morton	14.00	144.00	
3 pin	Oothcaloga	27.00	207.00	G-1 Blue *
	Peter Early	19.00	322.00	G-2 Blue *
	Pulaski		215.25	
	Roanoke		84.80	
	Sarah Dickinson		80.00	
3 pin	Savannah	316.85	1,122.00	G
	Sergeant Jasper	10.00	50.00	
	Sergeant Newton	10.00	101.00	
	Stephen Heard	15.00	73.00	
	Stephen Hopkins		46.00	
3 pin	Stone Castle		252.00	G
	Sunbury		51.50	
3 pin	Thomasville	173.00	425.00	G-3 Blue *
	Thronateeska	91.00	608.00	G-2 Blue *
3 pin	Toccoa	37.00	253.00	G-1 Blue *
3 pin	Tomochichi		409.40	G-3 Blue *
	Vidalia		192.50	
3 pin	William Marsh	51.00	384.50	G-3 Blue *
	William McIntosh		36.00	
	William Witcher		92.00	
	Xavier		57.41	
	Georgia State	\$1,000.00	\$3,250.50	
TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS				
FOR PERIOD FROM				
May 1952 to May 1953		\$4,266.78		
GRAND TOTAL			\$36,599.24	

MABEL CAMPBELL GIBSON,
State Chairman Building Completion Committee

CONSERVATION

Mrs. James Harold Nicholson

Our State ranks high in the Nation's Conservation work. I am proud to submit the following report:

A metal marker has been erected by the Georgia Society D.A.R. on the Highway in Habersham County, replacing the old, wooden one, marking Richmond Walton McCurry Memorial Forest, consisting of 100 acres of pines in Cherokee National Forest, (Georgia's Golden Jubilee Project, 1940). State appropriated \$150.00 for the marker. Cost, \$80.00, saving the State the difference.

Conservation is a major work with D.A.R. Chapters have been willing to work and to speak out about it. It would be impossible to enumerate the many different and interesting phases of the work accomplished by Georgia D.A.R. the past year.

Forty Chapters sent reports in response to my chapter letters. Every chapter had a chairman, and one or more programs. Conservation pledge has been taught in white and negro schools. Colored movies and talks on "Wild Life" have been presented to schools, and "Conservation of Soil" talks to Veterans' classes. Bird sanctuaries were established; and 75,000 pines planted; one chapter planting 53,000. This program will continue the next four years. Hundreds of fruit trees and other varieties planted; many of them honoring past chapter regents. Highways, parks, hospital and other public grounds have been beautified with roses, shrubs and bulbs. Through the influence of one Regent, a public park was given to the city of Atlanta. Chapters have visited Georgia Experiment Station. Over 2,000 acres have been reclaimed and planted in pastures. 3,000 conservation stamps, and hundreds of blotters and book-markers were distributed. Books and pamphlets on Conservation were placed in libraries.

In Human Conservation, all chapters have helped in Welfare Departments. Members have served as assistants to Judges in Juv-

enile Courts. Veterans in hospitals have been visited; physically handicapped, mentally ill patients, and needy families aided. War brides were assisted. Members worked in Egleston Hospital and the Cerebral Palsy School. Hearing of over 1,000 school children were tested by members of one chapter, and doctors' aid asked when necessary. Charitable institutions, and white and colored schools were given assistance. Members have served on different Boards of Human Conservation, as well as of Natural Resources. Letters to Congressmen have been written for aid in conservation work. People have been made "conservation conscious" by the work of Georgia D.A.R. Our National Chairman, Mrs. Mark Smith, has been an inspiration to us.

It was difficult to judge reports, as all chapters accomplished splendid work. First prize was won by Joseph Habersham Chapter, second prize by Elijah Clarke, and third prize by Knox-Conway.

Remember, Conservation Pledge comes next to our Pledge to the Flag:

"I give my pledge as an American to save and faithfully to defend from waste the natural resources of my country,—its soil and minerals, its forests, water and wildlife."

CORRECT USE OF FLAG

Mrs. Clifford M. Tuck

Fifty-three chapters reported from the state. The summary of their reports is as follows:

Twenty-five large flags were presented to schools, Boys Clubs, Girl and Boy Scouts. Three hundred and sixty-five small flags were presented to hospital patients on their trays commemorating Flag Day, to new citizens at naturalization courts, new D.A.R. members, C.A.R. and schools.

Twenty-three chapters studied the Flag Code. There were 1,168 Flag Codes distributed. Twenty-nine corrections were made on the incorrect display of the Flag.

Thirty chapters gave entire Flag programs. Forty-two had newspaper items concerning the Flag while five had radio broadcasts. Five sponsored essay contests in the schools.

Forty-eight chapters reported giving the Pledge of Allegiance at meetings while only thirty-two sing the National Anthem. Forty-five chapters reported displaying the flag at meetings and thirty-two chapters display flags on the proper days. I hope those chapters who reported this section of the questionnaire in the negative did so in error. Certainly, ALL D.A.R. CHAPTERS should, at EVERY meeting, display the Flag, give the Pledge of Allegiance, and sing the National Anthem.

Twenty-one chapters reported the special resolutions concerning the display of the United Nations Flag. Twenty-seven chapters had special talks on the United Nations Flag, its position when displayed with the United States Flag.

Nineteen chapters reported having special community activities.

Three chapters did outstanding work this year. The Knox-Conway Chapter undertook the project of the purchasing and placing of United States Flags by business firms. When this project was begun only a few firms had flags but that has now been corrected.

The Baron DeKalb Chapter attempted to have flags flown at polling places. This is a project that, perhaps this next year, more chapters might undertake. Flag film strips were shown to the Girl Scouts.

The Atlanta Chapter was responsible for a flag resolution passed by the Atlanta City Council to have the United States Flag flown at Five Points.

I wish to thank the chapters for their cooperation this year.

D.A.R. GOOD CITIZENS

Mrs. J. A. Lewis

In late September letters containing full information regarding the selection of Good Citizens and the State Good Citizen were mailed to all chapter regents.

The transition period of adding a twelfth grade to many high schools being over, an increased number of schools were able to participate in the program this year.

Chapters sent names of 99 good citizens, and 99 certificates were sent for presentation.

The questionnaire method for selecting the state good citizen having proven satisfactory, it was used again. A competent committee of three wrote the questionnaire and judged the papers, which carried only numbers as identification. No name of contestant, school or town was given. Eighty-eight questionnaires were sent out (the 11 other names arriving too late). Sixty-seven were returned by the principals.

The State Good Citizen, Maxine Turner of Columbus High School, sponsored by the three Columbus chapters, was guest of the Georgia Society D.A.R. at the banquet on opening night. She was presented to the Conference at the evening session and was given a good citizen pin and a \$100 U. S. Savings Bond by the State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, in behalf of the National Society, D.A.R.

The alternates were Nancy Eleanor Wright of Joe E. Brown High School, Atlanta, sponsored by Cherokee Chapter; Betty Beasley of Dixie High School sponsored by Hannah Clarke Chapter; Marcia Griffin of Terrell County High School sponsored by the Stone Castle Chapter; Suzanne Liggin of Eastman High School sponsored by Colonel William Few Chapter; and Jane Rigdill of Oak Park High School sponsored by Governor David Emanuel Chapter. These students were mailed five dollars each from the Georgia Society in recognition of their splendid records.

Cherokee Chapter sent the names of 12 good citizens and received the state chairman's award of five dollars. Tomochichi and Joseph Habersham Chapters tied for second place with nine each, and Bainbridge Chapter won third place with eight.

The enthusiastic response and cooperation of chapters and high schools made this a most interesting work, but with less than half of the chapters participating and less than a fourth of the Georgia high schools represented much has still to be done to make it a more satisfactory accomplishment.

D.A.R. MAGAZINE

Mrs. Lytle D. Burns, Jr.

Since the D.A.R. Magazine is a vital part of the life of an interested D.A.R. member, it is with pleasure that I report a total of 931 subscribers to the Magazine for 1952-53. In the early fall 89 letters, which outlined the work of the committee, were sent to the respective chapters; and in January, 1953, 89 postal cards mailed to chairmen to remind them of their reports. Fifty-one Chapters responded which represents a percentage of 57%.

There are 204 new subscribers to the Magazine according to the 51 reports submitted, but there are more as all chapters did not report. Three-fourths of the chapters read the President General's letter at each meeting and the magazine is stressed at most meetings. One chapter has almost 100% subscribers and this work was done in this past year! Our goal for next year is at least

one or more chapters having a 100% of their members subscribing and I am offering a prize for that next year.

The beautiful Anne Douglas Wallace Trophy has been won this year by Fielding Lewis Chapter, with 38 new subscriptions. Special congratulations go to this chapter for they have 63½% subscribing and most of this was completed in one year. Tomochichi Chapter wins the \$5.00 cash prize offered by Mrs. H. A. Ironside for the chapter having the largest number of subscribers on a per capita basis. They won this on a 67½% average. Baron DeKalb Chapter wins the \$10.00 cash prize offered by the State Chairman for the largest amount of advertising submitted. This was won with \$235.00 sent to the Editor. Special praise goes to Joseph Habersham Chapter, who secured the \$100.00 Georgia page for the All States edition in May and had a final total of \$220.00; to Lachlan McIntosh with \$200.00; to Bainbridge Chapter, with \$60.00; Adam Brinson Chapter, \$100.00, and the Knox-Conway, Ashburn, with \$100.00. Total advertising from the Georgia State Society was \$920.00.

It is with a glow of anticipation that the Chairman looks forward to the coming year with the D.A.R. Magazine and the work of the faithful members who have made this report possible.

MANUAL FOR CITIZENSHIP

Mrs. Ralph Campbell

The D.A.R. Manual for Citizenship is a one hundred and ten page booklet published by the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution to assist our new citizens in understanding the government of the nation of which they have become a part. We consider it a privilege to present these Manuals to the men, women and children who come to this country with the idea of becoming loyal, law-abiding citizens.

In my Fall letter to you I stressed the importance of placing the Manuals with the court clerks weeks or months before the Naturalization Courts are held so the people may study them and understand our government and all that our flag stands for. I was happy to see that this was done.

Mrs. Stribling and I felt that more work could be accomplished by this committee if we had vice-chairmen in the towns where the courts are held. The vice chairmen are Mrs. S. M. Page Rees, Atlanta, Mrs. E. P. Carey, Columbus, Mrs. J. M. Barnett, Albany, Mrs. C. J. Welton, Augusta, and Mrs. J. E. Crouse, Macon. These women did a splendid job of supervising the D.A.R. work with the courts and they were a great help to me in getting in reports.

The chapter reports on this committee were splendid! You distributed 1630 Manuals in Georgia. This is an increase of 526 over last year and it is most gratifying. In reading your reports, I feel that you thoroughly understand the D.A.R. work with the courts and that plenty of Manuals are placed at the clerks disposal. The D.A.R. was represented at all courts held, but many of you complained of the small amount, and in some cases, no advance publicity given these exercises. Therefore the representation was not as large as it could have been. The only solution I see to this problem is to keep in constant contact with the clerks and try to impress upon them that we want to attend these ceremonies. Several chapters gave teas for the new citizens, took them on historic tours, wrote letters of welcome to them, and visited them in their homes. At most courts the chapters presented the new citizens with a copy of the Flag Code and a small American Flag.

Two chapters gave Manuals to displaced persons and seven gave them to G. I. brides. In addition to this, they were given or sold to the following: schools, both white and colored, hotels, Salvation Army, libraries, waiting rooms, jails, hospitals, boys' and girls' clubs, college students, American Legion and Red Cross.

Several chapters reported that in small towns there was no call for the Manual. Please appoint a chairman for the work anyway, and have her take a copy to the schools, both white and colored, and explain their use to the teachers, and try to get them to buy them for the class room or reference work. They are 25c a copy. Some chapters buy them and give them to the schools. I hope that next year every chapter will report some Manuals placed.

Outstanding work was reported in both the Atlanta and Columbus areas. In the small chapter group the best report was sent by Mrs. L. G. Cox, chapter chairman, John Benning Chapter.

D.A.R. MUSEUM

Mrs. Carter Shepherd

See the report of the STATE CURATOR.

D. A. R. STUDENT LOAN FUND

Mrs. James B. Key

1952 - 1953

Total Value of State Funds			\$39,957.54
Present Value of Claude Davis Ingram Fund (Valdosta State College, Valdosta)		\$ 7,117.29	
Fannie Trammel Fund (G.S.C.W., Milledgeville)		7,428.38	
Outstanding Student Notes	\$ 1,122.00		
U. S. Government Bonds	5,500.00		
Cash Balance	806.38		
	\$ 7,428.38		
At University of Georgia:			
Elijah Clarke Fund	2,517.65		
D.A.R. Memorial Fund	13,428.08		
May Erwin Talmadge Fund	6,705.03		
Richmond Walton McCurry Fund	2,078.58		
Lila Napier Jelks Fund	682.53		
Total Funds at Georgia	\$25,411.87	\$25,411.87	\$39,957.54
Total Amount of State Loan Funds, 1952-'53		\$39,957.54	\$39,957.54
Total Amount of State Loan Funds, 1951-'52		39,236.54	\$39,236.54
Increase of Status of State Funds in 1952-'53			\$ 721.00
Total Amount Reported by Chapters, 1952-'53		\$ 8,146.62	
Total Amount Reported by Chapters, 1951-'52		4,058.73	
Increase of Chapter Funds, 1952-'53		\$ 4,087.89	
Detail of Chapter Loan Funds Reported:			
Elijah Clarke Chapter (Athens)	\$2,517.65		
Nathaniel Abney Chapter (Fitzgerald)	300.00		
Col. Wm. Candler Chapter (Gainesville)	589.13		
John Benson Chapter (Hartwell)	839.97		
Hawkinsville Chapter (Hawkinsville)	1,359.64		
Nancy Hart Chapter (Milledgeville)	449.98		
Gov. David Emanuel Chapter (Swainsboro)	500.00		
John Houston Chapter (Thomaston)	1,590.25		
		\$8,146.62	

DETAIL OF REPORT

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1952 D.A.R. — ELIJAH CLARKE

RECEIPTS

Interest on U. S. Treasury bonds.....	\$ 50.04
Interest on Student Loan.....	176.33
Principal on Student Loan.....	100.00

Total Receipts	\$ 326.37
Cash Balance—January 1, 1952	130.54

Total Receipts and Cash Balance	\$ 456.91
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DISBURSEMENTS

Collection Costs	\$ 89.26
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Total Disbursements	\$ 89.26
Cash on Hand December 31, 1952	367.65

Total Disbursements and Cash on Hand	\$ 456.91
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TOTAL ASSETS OF FUND

U. S. Treasury Bonds	\$2,050.00
*Student Loans	100.00
Cash on Hand	367.65

\$2,517.65

* \$419.50 in student loans charged off as uncollectible.

UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA D. A. R. MEMORIAL LOAN FUND

RECEIPTS

Repayment of principal of University of Ga. Bldgs. Loan.....	\$592.34
Interest—University of Ga. Bldgs. Loans.....	503.31
Interest—U. S. Treasury Bonds	32.50

Total Receipts	\$1,128.15
Due to Other Funds January 1, 1952	660.95

Total Receipts and Cash Balance	\$ 467.20
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DISBURSEMENTS

Disbursements	None
Cash Balance December 31, 1952	\$ 467.20

ASSETS OF FUND

U. S. Treasury Bonds	\$ 1,200.00
Loans on University of Ga. Bldgs.	11,760.88
Cash on Hand	467.20

Total	\$13,428.08
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D. A. R. MAY E. TALMADGE LOAN FUND

RECEIPTS

Student loans—Principal	\$ 20.00
Interest—U. S. Treasury Bonds	91.62
Interest—University of Ga. Bldgs. Loans.....	42.69
Principal—University of Ga. Bldgs. Loans.....	71.66
Anonymous Gift	200.00
Loans—Clark Howell & Milledge Annex	700.00

Total Receipts	\$1,125.97
Cash Balance January 1, 1952	1,576.44

Total Receipts and Cash Balance	\$2,702.41
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DISBURSEMENTS

Collection Costs	\$ 10.00
U. S. Treasury Bonds purchased	900.00

Total Disbursements	\$ 910.00
Cash on Hand December 31, 1952	1,792.41

Total Disbursements and Cash on Hand	\$2,702.41
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ASSETS OF FUND

U. S. Treasury Bonds	\$4,170.00
University of Ga. Bldgs. Loans	741.62
*Student Loans	1.00
Cash on Hand	1,792.41

\$6,705.03

*\$400.00 in Student Notes charged off as uncollectible.

D. A. R. RICHMOND W. McCURRY**RECEIPTS**

Interest—U. S. Treasury Bonds	\$ 15.62
Interest—University of Ga. Bldgs. Loans	26.90
Principal—University of Ga. Bldgs. Loans	76.90

Total Receipts	\$ 119.42
Cash Balance January 1, 1952	514.31

Total Receipts and Cash Balance **\$633.73****DISBURSEMENTS**

Disbursements	\$ None
Cash on Hand December 31, 1952	633.73

Total Disbursements and Cash on Hand **\$633.73****ASSETS OF FUND**

U. S. Treasury Bonds	\$625.00
University of Ga. Bldgs. Loans	819.85
Cash on Hand	633.73

Total **\$2,078.58****D. A. R. LILA NAPIER JELKS****RECEIPTS**

Interest on U. S. Treasury Bonds	\$ 15.00
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Total Receipts	\$ 15.00
Cash Balance January 1, 1952	67.53

Total Receipts and Cash Balance **\$82.53****DISBURSEMENTS**

Disbursements	\$ None
Cash on Hand December 31, 1952	82.53

Total Disbursements and Cash on Hand **\$82.53****ASSETS**

U. S. Treasury Bonds	\$800.00
Cash on Hand	82.53

Total **\$882.53****ERECTION OF VALLEY FORGE MEMORIAL BELL TOWER****Mrs. R. T. Ragan**

I attended 3 District Meetings in September and spoke on Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower. Prior to these engagements I had just visited Valley Forge my second time during the year.

In October letters were written to all 89 Chapters in Georgia, urging they do their very best on cash gifts for Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower this year. We realized most Chapters had contributed already, but our aim was to help the National Society D.A.R. to retire this debt.

I've received reports from 20 Chapters, some have purchased note and Christmas cards, have answered all correspondence, sending hints for programs, etc.

Seven Chapters gave \$1.00 per member and get honorable mention, namely: James Monroe \$28.00, Baron DeKalb \$128.00, Brunswick \$65.00, Knox-Conway \$22.00, Thomasville \$60.00, Matthew

Talbot \$29.00, Tomochichi \$41.00 (honoring Mrs. Ben I. Thornton), Col. Wm. Few gave \$2.00 per member or \$120.00.

Besides these the following made contributions: Bonaventure, \$9.00; Lachlan McIntosh, \$31.65; Adam Brinson, \$20.00; Fort Early, \$5.00; Gov. David Emanuel, \$10.00; Gov. Geo. W. Towns, \$10.00; Hancock, \$16.00; Stone Castle, \$25.00; Altamaha, \$5.00; Bainbridge, \$5.00; Brier Creek, \$7.50; Dorothy Walton, \$5.00; John Benson, \$1.50; Joseph Habersham, \$48.00; LaGrange, \$5.00; Nancy Hart, \$10.00; Oothcaloga, \$5.00; Peter Early, \$31.50; Sarah Dickinson, \$20.00; Sergeant Newton, \$5.00; Stephen Heard, \$10.00; Hannah Clarke, \$4.00; Lyman Hall, \$20.00; Nathaniel Macon, \$10.00; Button Gwinnett, \$25.00 (honoring Mrs. Edna DeLamar Kendrick); Georgia Society, \$50.00 (honoring Mrs. Leonard Wallace and Mrs. T. Earle Stribling); Total \$899.15. John Clarke sent \$10.00 to Treasurer General.

We sincerely hope that the other states have done as well and that the debt will be entirely paid by dedication time at Congress in April.

It has been a privilege to serve as State Chairman for the Erection of Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower, and now it gives me an added pleasure to present the \$5.00 prize to my own Chapter, Col. Wm. Few.

GENEALOGICAL RECORDS

Mrs. Herschel W. Smith

First Prize—The Helen McCall Bashinski Trophy was won by the Joseph Habersham Chapter. Records compiled by Mrs. E. B. Waite, Chairman. Four bound books of Oakland Cemetery Records; Church History; Family Bible Records and Lineages.

Second Prize—Five dollars, was won by the George W. Towns Chapter, Mrs. W. L. Perryman, Chairman. Marriage Records Book 1886-1892 and 1892-1898; also Will Book "B" of Talbot County Records.

Honorable Mention goes to the Lachlan McIntosh Chapter for Church Records—Baptisms 1841—Interments 1138—also 873 Marriage Records.

Elijah Clarke Chapter, Mrs. John E. Pittman, Chairman. Will Book "C" abstracts of 94 Wills; Will Book "D" Index of 160 Wills; Studies in Census Records and Reference to Lucy Cobb Institute.

Stephen Heard Chapter, Abstracts of Elbert County Wills 1835-1860.

John Benson Chapter, Records of Revolutionary Soldiers and 16 pages of Wills.

Nancy Hart Chapter, two books Genealogy of the Daniel Taylor Family.

Governor David Emanuel Chapter, Emanuel County Marriage Records 1856-1879 and Record "C" Emanuel County Land Grants.

Elizabeth Marlow Chapter, Mrs. O. E. Lancaster, Chairman, fifty pages of Church Records.

Governor David Emanuel Chapter, Marriage Records and Land Grants. Original Manuscript "The Andrews Family," R. H. White, 1934, sent to N.S.D.A.R. Library.

Council of Safety Chapter, Abstracts of Wills 1839-1867 Sumter County.

Atlanta Chapter, Pension Record, Bible and Family Records, and Simmons Family record.

William McIntosh Chapter, Mrs. Newton Etheridge and Mrs. Kirk Biles, Bible and Tombstone Records, 320 pages.

Tomochichi Chapter, Wills and Marriage Records.

Sunbury Chapter, Bible and Cemetery Records.

GIRL HOMEMAKER

Mrs. Hoyt S. Bryan

It gives me pleasure to report that a large number of chapters throughout the state have sent a resume of their work in Girl Homemakers.

Last fall I sent a handbook and a letter to each chapter explaining the work of the Girl Homemaker Clubs in detail. I have heard from thirty-one chapters. Sixteen sent a report of their activities, which included a total of sixteen dress contests (with fourteen dresses entered in the state contest), four menu contests, nine Girl Homemaker Clubs organized (with a total membership of 405 and 1403 volunteer service hours).

Local prizes included the following: 3 silver thimbles, 2 cook-books, 7 pins, 1 bracelet, 1 spoon, \$35 cash, dress materials.

Most chairmen worked with the Home Economics Departments of their local schools, organizing clubs within the department.

The girls included in their activities dressmaking, menu making, preparing and serving meals, home decoration, caring for children and household duties.

Cash awards were given by the State Chairman.

Cotton Dress Contest:

Senior group—

1st prize \$5.00 to Anne Giddens from the John Floyd Chapter

2nd prize \$3.00 to Hilda Macon, Sylvan High, Joseph Habersham Chapter

3rd prize \$2.00 to Charlotte Hollis, Henry Walton Chapter

Honorable mention to Anne Kemp, Fulton High, Joseph Habersham Chapter.

Junior group—

1st prize \$3.00 to Betty Jo Smith, Toccoa Chapter

2nd prize \$2.00 to Mary Anne Eason, General David Blackshear Chapter.

Menu Contest:

1st prize \$1.00 to Pat Ellison, Henry Grady High, Joseph Habersham Chapter

Honorable mention to Patricia Greene, Brown High, Joseph Habersham Chapter.

The judges were Mrs. Jack Webb (graduate of the University of Georgia, and Mrs. D. E. Higgins, graduate of Mississippi Southern, who are members of the Marietta High School Faculty.

The best reports received on this work was from the Joseph Habersham Chapter.

JUNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS

Mrs. Ransom Burts

More Chapters than ever have participated in Junior American Citizens work in Georgia this year. Excellent work has been done by the Chapter Chairmen and I commend them for their accomplishments.

Your State Chairman sent out a letter last September to each chapter with information and instructions about Junior American Citizens work. She sent out more than four hundred communications, distributed through chapters 6,000 Handbooks, 20,000 members pins, 1,000 presidents pins and 80 directors pins. A sec-

ond order of supplies was ordered so that chapters will not be without materials to work with. The Study Guides have been ordered and we will receive them as soon as they are published again. The chapters report 268 clubs with a membership of 16,725, a gain over last year of 149 clubs and 7,075 members.

The following chapters have organized clubs in schools: Col. William Few, Baron DeKalb, Pulaski, Cherokee, Joseph Habersham, Henry Walton, LaGrange, Thronateeska, Dorothy Walton, Knox-Conway, Elijah Clarke, Oconee, John Benson, Lachlan McIntosh. The Atlanta Chapter continues its fine work for underprivileged children. An award was given by them at the Atlanta Boys Club for the best poster showing J.A.C. ideals. The Henry Walton Chapter presented twenty-four American Flags to elementary grades in Morgan County. Appropriate standards were also given. They give a \$5.00 award each year in their schools in honor of Anne Douglas Wallace, Honorary State Regent. The Elijah Clarke Chapter has placed one hundred-fifty American Flags in the schools of Athens. The Cherokee Chapter organized its clubs from three groups, i.e., schools, scouts and C.A.R. This has proved a very satisfactory way to go about getting J.A.C. information before boys and girls. A memorandum giving practical ways for boys and girls to be good citizens given to each child proved quite successful in helping get the attention and interest of the children. Other than clubs organized by the Chapter Chairman, the Junior Committee organized 12 clubs. The Joseph Habersham Chapter organized 17 clubs through their Junior Committee. Baron DeKalb Chapter organized clubs in all elementary schools of DeKalb County. Three Chapters will present Thatcher Award Pins at Commencement time: Atlanta, Cherokee and Joseph Habersham.

Awards are as follows: \$5.00 to the Chapter enrolling the largest number of J.A.C. members from September 1, 1952 to January 15, 1953 goes to the Baron DeKalb Chapter with an enrollment of 6,000. \$5.00 to the Chapter organizing the largest number of J.A.C. Clubs in the same period as above goes to the Cherokee Chapter with 136 Clubs.

\$5.00 to the Chapter which has done the most outstanding work in J.A.C. goes to Cherokee Chapter, for its excellent work in the organization of clubs in schools, scouts and C.A.R. A National Citation was awarded the Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, through the State Chairman for its work with the colored boys and girls, at Haven Home.

Next year I urge every chapter in the State to sponsor at least one J.A.C. Club. It contacts children of every race, color or creed and gives them a patriotic education for American Citizenship. Please do not forget to organize a J.A.C. Club in your own C.A.R. Society. It is a pleasure to serve as your State Chairman for this Committee and I look forward to working with you next year.

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP

Mrs. Richard C. Freeman

Shortly after accepting this office, I mailed a questionnaire to 12 chapters that I understood had Junior Committees. This year eight chapters reported 180 members. Of these I am pleased to announce that nine are new since March of 1952.

The total amount of money contributed for all purposes by the eight Junior Committees was \$338.10. Of this \$221.10 was given to Approved Schools and \$70.00 to the Building Fund. Tamassee received \$80.55, Kate Duncan Smith \$61.05, Crossnore \$60.00, Berry Schools \$6.00, and \$13.50 to others. We also sent \$47.00 to the Helen Pouch National Scholarship Fund.

I am delighted to report how active our Juniors have been this year. Fielding Lewis Chapter in Marietta deserves special recognition for their outstanding work in Civil Defense. Under the leadership of Mrs. Richard Jaeger, the 19 members, three of whom are new, sponsored a series of eight fifteen-minute radio programs. These programs explained to the public the nature of the Civil Defense program and the workings of the atom. The Chapter gave cash prizes in a school-wide poster contest for the best posters advertising the radio broadcasts. Eighteen of these posters were put in merchants windows.

Fielding Lewis Juniors also showed a film to the children of every school in the city. The purpose of the film was to illustrate what everyone should do in the event of an atomic attack. In connection with the sponsoring of these programs, each Junior member completed a Warden's course in Civil Defense. Fielding Lewis gave a \$50.00 scholarship to Crossnore, \$40.00 to Tamassee, and sent clothing to Kate Duncan Smith. They held a benefit bridge in order to raise funds. We should be very proud of the Fielding Lewis Juniors for their enthusiastic work in their community and in D.A.R.

The Joseph Habersham Juniors, being the largest Committee with 51 members, have also completed a busy year under their popular chairman, Mrs. Russell Stevens. This group has organized six Junior American Citizens Clubs with a membership of 700. Their major project has been the Kate Duncan Smith School. This year members dressed dolls which were sent to the children at Christmas along with a box of clothing. Mrs. Stevens taught a class in clay modeling to the members who then made ceramic jewelry for a money-making project. Meetings are still held in the evening to enable young business women to attend. Last Fall the Joseph Habersham Juniors and husbands entertained their lovely regent and her husband at an outdoor steak fry. Then, in January, Mr. and Mrs. Hall entertained the Junior members and their husbands at a buffet supper. As well as enjoying these gatherings this Committee has given a \$50.00 scholarship to the Kate Duncan Smith School; \$5.00 to Tamassee, and \$5.00 to the Helen Pouch Fund.

The Atlanta Chapter's Junior Committee has acquired four new members this year, making a total of 16, with an increase of 25 percent. Atlanta Juniors assisted in presenting a Christmas flower show at the Chapter House to raise money for the Building Fund. They gave \$10.00 to the Building Fund and \$10.00 to the Helen Pouch Scholarship Fund. At the December meeting they entertained the mother chapter with a program of Christmas music and a tea. Atlanta Juniors have individually completed forms for a Civilian Defense office file and many have enrolled in Civil Defense. Mrs. Sam Noble Roberts is chairman of the Junior Committee.

Cherokee Chapter Juniors, Mrs. Robert H. Smith, Chairman, have 19 members, an increase of two since last year. They held a successful benefit bridge which netted \$85.00. This, added to previous money earned, was presented to the Chapter Building Fund and totaled \$150.00. Cherokee Juniors have organized 12 Junior American Citizens Clubs and have studied National Defense, Approved Schools, and American Indians at their meetings. They also had a barn dance and honored the new regent at a tea last fall.

With Mrs. Maurice B. Wynn, Jr., Chairman, the Nathaniel Macon Juniors have 23 members. This Committee has had another active year in which they have given \$20.00 to the Helen Pouch Fund and \$20.00 to the Building Fund project. Since October they have

collected coat hangers which they sell to raise money for the Helen Pouch Fund. They have sent clothes to Tamasee and in December they furnished food and money for a needy family's Christmas. They supplied the entertainment for the mother chapter's card party to get money for the Building Fund.

Oglethorpe Chapter Juniors, who organized only last year, now have 29 members with Mrs. Frank Tillery as their able chairman. They have one luncheon meeting each month and the chapter was placed on the Honor Roll by contributing its quota to the Building Fund.

John Benson Chapter's Junior Committee, with Mrs. L. G. Cacchoible as chairman, has been busy selling a local D.A.R. cook book in Hartwell. They have given generously to Tamasee, Kate Duncan Smith, Crossnore, and Berry Schools.

Henry Walton Chapter, in Madison, with seven Junior members, gave \$5.00 to the Helen Pouch Scholarship Fund. With Mrs. Graham Ponder as chairman they have aided in all the Chapter's activities.

The Nancy Hart Juniors met with the mother chapter; also participating in chapter activities this year.

MEMBERSHIP

Mrs. George Emmett Jordan

The following report is based upon official information obtained from the office of Treasurer General in Washington over a period of one year.

Members on Roll in Georgia Feb. 1st, 1952	5785
Members admitted to Feb. 10, 1953	216
Reinstated	31
Transferred to Georgia	45
At Large	50
Members transferred from Georgia	46
Dropped	40
Resigned	135
Deceased	64
Number of members February 1st, 1953	5813
At Large	50
TOTAL	5863
INCREASE This year	78
Chapters Reporting	37

MOTION PICTURE

Mrs. A. S. Varn

This year it was hoped that more chapters would have Motion Picture Chairmen, but we have only 21. Good results have been obtained by chairmen this year, but chapter interest seems to be lagging. For instance, last year chapters invariably reported that no co-operation could be obtained from theatre managers. This year, eight chapters reported theatres showing films from the Children's Film Library; 13 reported theatres showing matinees for children. Last year, one, this year seven chapters reported courses in motion picture appreciation in schools. This year eight chapters distributed 39 Guides, and 24 members of 17 chapters cooperated with Motion Picture Councils and other groups.

Lack of interest of chapter members as a whole, seems to be reflected in the fact that over one thousand names were sent by 16 chapters to the Motion Picture Association for "Joint Estimates

of Motion Pictures," and the Association reports that only 46 members filled in the blanks to receive this leaflet. This apparent lack of interest may be due in part, to fewer chapter programs stressing Motion Pictures. This year seven chapters gave the 13 programs reported.

Eighteen chapters voted for the Best-Film-For-Children Award Project in time to be counted. This report is due Jan. 1st, but some votes came in as late as Feb. 21st. The film, "Greatest Show On Earth" received most votes. Western pictures continue to be shown most often. Emphasis on crime and sex was the unanimous criticism. Seven chapters agreed that pictures are better; three disagreed. Five chapters detected the communist line in 14 pictures.

Fifty-four reports were received. Two prizes were offered for best reports. Baron DeKalb Chapter, George Walton, and Adam Brinson Chapter tied and each will receive \$5.00. Elijah Clarke Chapter, Oglethorpe Chapter, and Atlanta Chapter sent good reports and all cooperation is appreciated.

NATIONAL DEFENSE

Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey

As we come to the close of another year, it is with a feeling of deep pride and satisfaction that the Georgia Daughters have been ever alert to the forces of evil that are seeking to tear down the America we know and love. Georgia has become very National Defense conscious and this, to me, is the most important feature of our program. Our State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, incorporated National Defense in her address to the chapters over the state. Her subject "Safeguarding Our Republic" helped immeasurably to stress the importance of the work and to bring it to the attention of our members and the general public.

One of the major projects has been the stand taken on the McCarran-Walter Immigration Bill. The executive board passed a resolution endorsing this bill and requesting Congress not to add any crippling amendments. Copies of the resolution were sent to the two U. S. Senators and Congressmen. 210 letters and 53 telegrams were sent by members in the interest of this bill. Members from the three Atlanta chapters attended the hearing held in Atlanta in September, by the special Commission appointed by the President, and spoke against any change in the bill. Members attended a public hearing before the State of the Republic committee and personally endorsed the Anti-Subversives bill that was passed unanimously by the Georgia State Legislature.

The reports from the chapter chairmen were, in most instances, very inspiring. 66 chapters reporting had at least one National Defense program, many chapters reporting several. 42 chapters reported a five minutes report at each meeting. Many radio programs were given, presenting the policies of the National Society in its attempt to uphold Constitutional Government and National Sovereignty. A great many chapters reported 100% of the members voted in the November elections and the average over the state was 95%. Over 5000 pieces of literature were distributed.

National holidays were appropriately observed, many chapters cooperated with other patriotic and civic organizations. Several chapters took part in reviewing text books. Where Civil Defense Councils have been set up, members are cooperating. The work of the Junior Committee of the Fielding Lewis Chapter was most outstanding. They sponsored a poster contest in the school with a cash prize for the best poster, advertising a series of eight Civil Defense radio programs. This group also sponsored a "Warden's

Course" in Civil Defense, with all members of the group taking the course. 108 Good Citizenship medals were awarded in the High Schools throughout the state.

The chapters reporting the best work as outlined by the National Defense office are: 1, Cherokee; 2, John Benning and Atlanta; 3, Joseph Habersham; 4, Knox-Conway; 5, Henry Walton. Special mention goes to Cherokee for the work done on the McCarran-Walter Immigration and Anti-Subversives bills; to Atlanta for their aid in having resolution passed to have the American Flag flown from the flag pole at Five Points in Atlanta, daily, the resolution that was passed unanimously by the Georgia Legislature to have U. S. history, geography and civics taught in all high schools and state universities in this state, also the panel discussions held on different agencies of the U. N.; the John Benning Chapter for their emphasis on the theme "United Against Socialism," also work on National and Civil Defense done in the schools in Moultrie; to Joseph Habersham for their work on the McCarran-Walter Immigration Act and outstanding work in Civil Defense; to Knox-Conway for their efforts in having merchants purchase and display U. S. flags, a large flag presented to colored school with impressive flag raising ceremonies, as well as their column in the weekly paper "Knox-Conway D.A.R. Speaks"; to Henry Walton for their leadership in a Forum, studying National Defense. The chapter chairman in her weekly column in the paper wrote many articles on our history, patriotic occasions, and on the insistence of teaching American history in our schools and colleges.

Your state chairman thanks every chapter chairman and member who helped make this a successful year for National Defense in Georgia. My only regret is that I am unable to list all the good work done and could not accept all the invitations extended to me. My sincere hope is that next year I may be in a position to serve you wherever needed.

PRESS RELATIONS

Mrs. Sam Merritt

See the report of the STATE EDITOR.

PROGRAM

Mrs. Oscar McKenzie

The official program as outlined by the National Chairman of programs with a supplemental sheet for nine local ideas was mailed to each Chapter Regent in due time.

Year books and copies of programs have been received from sixteen Chapters.

Five Chapters have used the D.A.R. Slides (one to be in June).

Several Manuscripts have been sent by Chapters for the National Lending Library.

Many reports have been received of addresses by the State Regent adding interest and knowledge of D.A.R. work to Chapter Programs.

RADIO AND TELEVISION

Mrs. Claude E. Fitts

Radio is a mighty weapon. It is a mighty weapon for the Communists, it CAN be a mighty weapon for the Daughters. If women would put their heart in radio work, they could combat subversive propaganda with constructive programs. They could tell the radio audience why and how our capitalistic system of government

works. They could compare our standard of living with countries behind the iron curtain. They could show that freedom to be preserved must be protected.

Women everywhere are hunting bargains. Georgia Daughters are no exception. Yet, every year, we let valuable radio time slip through our fingers because we do not prepare interesting and informative programs for the radio. Every radio station has time which is used as a public service and Georgia Daughters should take advantage of this time.

Chapters are cooperating more and more each year in radio work and I want to thank them for making the following report possible:

88 Chapters in State
48 Chapters made reports
35 Chapters have radio chairmen
327 Broadcasts
314 Spot Announcements
8 Television programs

649 TOTAL TIMES ON AIR

\$5,866.35 Value radio time

462.50 Value television time

\$6,328.85 TOTAL VALUE TIME

159 programs in cooperation with patriotic observances; 31 civic programs; 6 recordings; 10 programs featuring National Officers; 14 programs featuring State Officers; 18 programs featuring State Chairmen; 1 program used from Program Office; 1 program submitted Program Office; 2 programs at State Conference; 21 programs in cooperation with Standing Committees; 6 programs on radio in Chapter meetings; 18 programs planned by State Chairman; 20 programs planned by Chapter Chairmen; Time bought by State—None; Time bought by Chapters—None.

426 Letters sent to Chapters and Chapter Chairmen by State Chairman; 95 Newspaper articles; 560 ½ inches Newspaper articles.

TRANSPORTATION

Mrs. John Crane Peteet

The chairman has urged all regents to appoint transportation chairmen to work with their telephone committees. When this was done there was a noticeable increase in attendance at chapter meetings.

The railroads were requested to send information on schedules and rates, both for the state conference and National Congress. The passenger agent of a bus line was also contacted. Rates and itinerary for a scenic bus tour to National Congress were formulated. This plan will be presented at State Conference and if enough members are interested, a bus will be chartered for the trip.

STATE STANDING COMMITTEES

AMERICAN MERCHANT MARINE LIBRARY

Mrs. John H. Boston

It comes to me as a great pleasure to report the wonderful co-operation we have received from the D.A.R. Chapters in Georgia.

Letters from Mrs. Roosevelt, National President, of New York and Mrs. Wooten of Charleston, S. C., wish me to express their appreciation for the hundreds of splendid books, magazines and checks. Enclosed in Mrs. Roosevelt's letter was a pamphlet showing the happiness of the boys as they opened the boxes of books—with this card—"Hoping you will be interested in seeing what your support has meant to the Library of the High Seas."

Upon the men who sail these ships depend the welfare of our troops all over the world. They must be supplied with food and the implements of war—also conveying wounded soldiers to hospitals and in some instances bringing our boys home. These Marines remain on ships months, day and night, amid bloodshed and death to preserve our priceless gift of freedom.

In this crisis in our national and international affairs the D.A.R. are a mighty force in aiding our government in this line of service—helping our boys, showing our value of their patriotic service in preserving our American dream of freedom, security, happiness and treasuring the comfort of religion.

CHAPTER GIFT SCHOLARSHIPS, MEDALS AND PRIZES

Mrs. C. H. Leavy

Splendid reports were sent in from a large number of Chapters. Amounts in scholarships to Tamasssee. Kate Duncan Smith, Berry, and Crossnore Schools, were reported as \$4,451.09. Gifts of linens, clothing and Christmas gifts to Tamasssee, Kate Duncan Smith and Crossnore Schools were valued at \$3,790.13. Cash reported given to these schools was \$220.75; value of medals and pins presented was \$240.00; value of cash prizes awarded was \$317.49.

Detailed figures follow, for Chapters:

Joseph Habersham: Scholarships, \$400.00—to Washington Seminary, \$200.00, Westminster School, \$200.00; Gold Medals to—Westminster School, \$9.00, Georgia Tech Army ROTC, \$9.00; Silver Medals to—Georgia Military College, \$2.25; Bronze Medal to—Georgia Military College. \$2.50; Bronze Medals donated by Dr. H. G. Tebo to University School for Boys, \$1.25, North Fulton High School, \$1.25.

Atlanta: One-half Scholarship each to Washington Seminary, Westminster School, Marist College. (Value not stated.) Six medals and pins awarded, no value stated.

Oothcaloga: 1 History Medal; 1 Citizenship Medal.

Knox-Conway: 4 History Medals, value \$4.00.

Bainbridge: 2 History and 2 Citizenship Medals, value \$10.00; to Tamasssee, one registered Hereford bull, valued at \$1,000.00 by Mr. John J. Cummings, in honor of his wife, regent of the Chapter, 6 pins value \$4.50.

Cherokee: 1 Scholarship to Kate Duncan Smith (value not given); 13 medals, 12 pins (no value given); gift to Tamasssee valued at \$22.00.

Commodore Richard Dale: 13 Citizen Pins; 1 cash prize in history of \$7.00; gift box to Tamasssee valued at \$15.00.

Thronateeska: 13 History Medals; 1 Citizenship Medal; 1 scholarship to Tamassee, \$50.00.

Elijah Clarke: Two memorial acres at Tamassee, \$80.00; one medal; one citizenship pin; gift box to Tamassee valued at \$155.00; cash to Tamassee, \$7.00; box to Kate Duncan Smith valued at \$70.00 and cash, \$7.00; gift box to Thoreau Indian School, \$35.00.

Peter Early: 3 Medals, \$5.00; box to Tamassee valued at \$9.50.

Brunswick: 2 Medals, \$6.00; 1 citizenship pin, 50c; 2 cash awards in history of \$10.00; box to Tamassee valued at \$5.00.

Sergeant Newton: 2 History Medals; 1 citizenship pin.

Etowah: 2 History Medals; 1 citizenship pin; 2 cash awards, \$7.50.

Benjamin Hawkins: 2 Medals, 1 Citizenship pin, \$5.00; 3 cash awards to Girl Home Makers, \$10.00; gift box to Tamassee valued at \$100.00; box to Berry valued at \$150.00.

Colonel John McIntosh: 2 cash awards, \$10.00.

James Pittman: 4 History Medals; 4 Citizenship Pins; cash prize of \$11.00; cash to Tamassee, \$1.90.

Button Gwinnett: Cash to Tamassee, \$10.00; 3 Citizenship Pins.

Oglethorpe: Cash prize in History, \$10.00; 1 Citizenship Pin; gift box to Tamassee, value, \$20.70; and cash to Tamassee, \$11.00.

Fort Early: 1 History Medal, 2 Citizenship Pins; cash prize for Flag Essay, \$4.50; cash to Tamassee, \$50.00.

Stone Castle: 1 Citizenship Pin; cash in History, \$5.00; cash in Home Economics, \$6.00; gold thimble for best dress.

Dorothy Walton: 1 History Medal; 9 Citizenship Pins; cash and D.A.R. Cook Book in Home Economics, \$2.50; box to Tamassee, value, \$25.00, cash \$5.00; box to Kate Duncan Smith, value \$25.00 and cash, \$5.00.

John Milledge: Gift box to Tamassee, value, \$30.00.

Baron DeKalb: 2 medals, value, \$4.00; 1 Citizenship Pin, \$2.00; cash prize in Home Economics, \$5.00; scholarship to Tamassee, \$100.00; 3 scholarships to Kate Duncan Smith, \$150.00; 1 scholarship to Crossnore, \$25.00 and cash \$15.00; Cash to Berry, \$20.00.

Colonel William Few: 1 loan scholarship, \$671.09; cash to Tamassee, \$2.50; 2 history medals, 5 citizenship pins, value, \$3.75.

Nathaniel Abney: 1 medal, 1 Citizenship Pin; 2 cash awards in Home Economics, \$6.00; box to Tamassee valued at \$100.00 and cash \$5.00.

James Monroe: Box to Tamassee, value not given.

Oliver Morton: 1 History Medal; 6 Citizenship Pins, \$7.25; box to Tamassee, value, \$25.00.

Adam Brinson: 3 Citizenship Pins, \$2.25.

Colonel William Candler: 1 Citizenship Pin; 11 cash awards, no value given; box to Tamassee, value \$25.00.

Pulaski: 2 History Medals, \$5.00; 2 cash awards in Home Economics, \$10.00; box to Tamassee, value, \$75.00.

John Benson: 1 Scholarship, \$25.00; 2 History Medals; 3 Citizenship Pins, \$13.00; 2 cash prizes in Home Economics, \$5.00; box to Tamassee, value, \$25.00.

John Floyd: 1 History Medal, 1 Citizenship Pin; cash prize in Home Economics, \$25.25; gift box to Tamassee, value, \$60.00.

Hawkinsville: 2 History Medals, \$2.50; 2 Citizenship Pins, \$1.50; 2 cash prizes for Vacation Reading, \$5.00; 2 boxes to Tamassee, value, \$35.00 and \$2.55 in cash.

William Marsh: 7 History Medals, 7 Citizenship Pins, \$24.50; 1 pin, \$5.00; box to Tamassee, value, \$50.00.

Nancy Hart: 3 Scholarships, value, \$500.00; 1 scholarship at G.S.C.W., \$5.00; 3 boxes to Tamassee, value, \$217.00; cash to Tamassee, \$4.35; 16 cash awards in history, \$32.00.

John Benning: 4 History Medals, \$4.00; 3 Citizenship Pins, \$2.25; 4 cash awards in history and citizenship, \$20.00; box to Tamassee, value, \$25.00 and cash to Tamassee, \$3.80.

Matthew Talbot: 1 History Medal; 2 Citizenship Pins, 1 Home Makers Pin, value, \$6.50; cash prize in Home Economics, \$5.00; 2 boxes to Tamassee, value, \$125.00.

Henry Walton: 1 Citizenship Pin, 75c; 3 cash prizes in history, \$5.00; 1 prize in Girl Home Maker, \$5.00; box to Tamassee, value, \$100.00; cash to Tamassee, \$5.00.

Oconee: 1 History Medal; 1 Citizenship Medal, \$2.00; 7 Citizenship Pins, box to Tamassee, value, \$50.00.

Sergeant Jasper: 1 History Medal; cash to Tamassee, \$1.00.

Elizabeth Marlow: 1 History Medal, 1 Citizenship Pin, value, \$5.00; box to Tamassee, value, \$75.00.

General Daniel Stewart: 1 History Medal; 2 Citizenship Pins.

Hannah Clarke: 2 History; 5 Citizenship Medals; 5 Citizenship Pins, value, \$3.75; 5 cash awards; essay on Flag, \$9.00; cash to Tamassee, \$2.00.

Xavier: Cash to Tamassee, \$10.00.

Governor Jared Irwin: 6 cash awards in American History, \$6.00.

Savannah: 2 Scholarships, valued at \$1150.00; 2 History Medals 2 Citizenship Pins; 2 cash awards in Georgia History, \$10.00; box to Tamassee, value, \$37.50.

Bonaventure: 1 D.A.R. Pin, \$9.50; box to Tamassee, value, \$5.00 and cash to Tamassee, \$5.00.

John Clarke: 3 Citizenship Pins, \$2.75; box to Tamassee, value, \$165.00.

Governor David Emanuel: 1 permanent Scholarship, \$500.00; 1 cash prize for Flag essay, \$5.00; cash award to Girl Home Maker; cash to Tamassee, \$33.55; Kate Duncan Smith box, value \$25.00; Crossnore box, value, \$25.00.

Captain John Wilson: 1 Citizenship Pin, 75c; box to Tamassee, value, \$25.00.

Governor George W. Towns: 2 boxes to Tamassee, value, \$20.00; cash to Tamassee, \$4.20.

John Houston: Tamassee gifts—sheets, value, \$547.25, candy, \$20.00, sox, \$28.18, 2 Scholarships, \$400.00; 1 scholarship to Kate Duncan Smith, \$50.00; cash awards to Good Citizens, \$15.00; 1 Sabre to Cadet Colonel, R.O.T.C. at local High School, \$24.24; 1 pin; 4 Scholarships to Berry, \$300.00.

Toccoa: 1 Scholarship, \$100.00; cash prizes, Home Economics and for songs, \$10.50; 3 History Medals, \$3.75; 2 Citizenship Pins, \$1.50.

Thomasville: 1 certificate to Good Citizen; 2 cash prizes in American History, \$10.00; box to Tamassee, no value given.

General James Jackson: 1 History Medal; 1 Citizenship Medal, value, \$6.00; 7 Citizenship Pins; bracelet for Girl Home Maker, \$17.25; cash to Tamassee, \$3.45; cash to Kate Duncan Smith, \$3.45.

Edmund Burke: 2 History Medals, \$5.00; cash to Tamassee, \$1.00.

Burkhalter: 1 History Medal, 4 Citizenship Pins, \$12.50.

Lyman Hall: 3 pins, \$3.00; box to Tamassee, value, \$25.00; cash to Kate Duncan Smith (amount not given).

Vidalia: 5 History Medals; 3 cash awards in Georgia History, \$6.00.

John Ball: 1 scholarship to Kate Duncan Smith, \$50.00; box to Tamassee, value, \$53.00.

LaGrange: Cash prize in American History, 10.00; cash award in Girl Home Makers (3), \$6.00; 1 Citizenship Pin, 75c; cash to Tamassee, \$10.00.

COLLECTING AND PUBLISHING HISTORY OF GEORGIA'S REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS

Mrs. E. J. Smith

It is a privilege to serve the Georgia Society during the past year as Chairman of Collecting and Publishing the History of Georgia Revolutionary Soldiers. The following list was reported:

One volume of family history "My Forbears" by Leila Cunningham Ewing, Regent, Knox-Conway Chapter. This book contains the life sketches of five Revolutionary soldiers with a long list of descendants living in Georgia.

One volume of "Pioneers of Wiregrass Georgia" compiled by Folks Huxford of Homerville. This first volume of an intended four-volume set, contains life sketches of fifty-five Revolutionary soldiers all of whom, either served in Georgia or moved here immediately after the war. With the exception of four or five of these sketches, none of them had ever been published.

One volume of a book entitled "Parrish," by J. J. Parrish, Adel, giving a sketch of Henry Parrish, R.S., of Bulloch Co., Ga., and a list of his descendants with genealogical data on each.

A form letter was mailed out to the various chapters last spring, calling for their reports. A number of them reported but no new names were given.

For the Chapter Year of 1953-54, I am offering an award of five dollars to the chapter which sends in the greatest number of sketches of Revolutionary soldiers who lived in Georgia. Sketches need not be lengthy but should contain the usual genealogical data, such as birth, death, marriage, places of residence, where buried, service record, list of children, etc. This award will be made at the 1954 State Conference.

CONFERENCE PROPERTIES

Mrs. Carter Shepherd

In Atlanta, at the close of the 1952 Conference of the Georgia Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, I received the following properties which have been carefully stored and are now being used at this, the 55th State Conference: two flag poles, two American silk flags, one silk D.A.R. flag, three flag holders, two gold cords, one gold eagle, one gold spear, light bulbs, pages ribbons, and various badges.

The insignia was sent by railway express to the Hotel General Oglethorpe and is being used at the 1953 conference.

Your Chairman has replaced all badges needed for this conference and the National Congress.

The conference is indebted to the State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, for replacing the flag stands with new and more substantial ones.

COOPERATIVE RELATIONS BETWEEN D.A.R. AND S.A.R.

Mrs. Reuben Garland

The D.A.R. Chapters have cooperated with the S.A.R. at all times. Joint meetings have been held by D.A.R. and S.A.R. in several places. The State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, being the speaker at two of these banquets. It is the hope that this excellent work will continue to grow during the years. The Chairman's Award was presented to the John Floyd Chapter, Homerville. Honorable mention to Nancy Hart Chapter, Milledgeville, and to Atlanta Chapter, Atlanta.

D.A.R. BOOK PLATES

Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney

As State Chairman of Georgia Society, D.A.R. Book Plates I submit the following report:

Beg to state there are many plates still to be purchased, and I am pleased to send any order promptly. Mrs. McCall ordered some for the State publications, which, of course, carried no charge.

Madam Regent: It has been a great privilege to serve you in this capacity, and may I renew my sincere wish when I express untold pleasure of your continued success.

FINANCE

Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey

The Finance Committee approved the following expenditures:

1. Purchase of adding machine for State Treasurer.
2. \$1,000.00 for Building Completion Fund, honoring State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling.
3. \$50.00 for Valley Forge Bell Tower.

HELEN ROGERS FRANKLIN TROPHY

Mrs. Arthur E. Mallory

In September your chairman sent a letter to all Chapter Regents urging them to enter their annual D.A.R. Chapter reports in the contest for the Helen Rogers Franklin Trophy. The response was most gratifying. The Regents were congratulated on their promptness and cooperation, and their reports revealed the wide scope of work accomplished during the year.

Three prominent Georgia D.A.R. members who were thoroughly familiar with the various phases of the organization projects and committees, acted as judges. They carefully studied all data submitted and rendered the following decision:

To Joseph Habersham Chapter was given the Helen Rogers Franklin Trophy for General Excellence. The Baron DeKalb Chapter scored second place, the Cherokee Chapter won third place, and the General David Emanuel Chapter received honorable mention.

It has been a pleasure and a privilege to serve the Georgia D.A.R. Society in this important chairmanship.

LUCY COOK PEEL MEMORIAL FUND

Mrs. W. F. Dykes

May we again ask the Regents of the 89 chapters to appoint a chairman from their chapter for the Lucy Cook Peel Committee, so they can help with the selling of the State Historical Books: Volume V and Membership Roll and Register of Ancestors. The Joseph Habersham Chapter and the Henry Walton Chapter have chairmen. We are sending advertising folders to genealogical libraries. We want to sell these books so we can publish the valuable records sent in by the chapters. Three chapters have reported to me monies sent to this fund: John Benson, James Pittman, and Joseph Habersham. Money in the fund, \$445.55.

Books sold: Volume V, twenty; Membership Roll and Register of Ancestors, ten. The Atlanta Chapter has bought four books; if the other chapters will buy one, how wonderful it would be. Please help with the sale of these books.

MARIAN SIBLEY WYLIE SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT

Mrs. William E. Gray

Increased interest was manifested in this committee through gifts amounting to \$336.00 from fifty chapters. Letters were sent to chapter regents in the early fall asking for their cooperation in completing as soon as possible the new goal of \$5,000.00.

Your chairman wishes to express appreciation for the larger contributions and including the Marian Sibley Wylie Scholarship in the list of requirements for the Hightower Approved Schools Award. The fund now has a value of \$1,896. This does not include the 5 cents per capita for Tamassee in honor roll requirements which, by vote of state conference, has been allocated to the fund until the \$5,000.00 goal is reached.

The award of \$5.00 for the largest contribution was presented to John Houston Chapter, which sent \$100.00; Governor David Emanuel came second with \$25.00; and the Andrew Houser Chapter was third with \$16.00.

MARKING REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS' GRAVES

Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker

To the five chapters reporting on Revolutionary Soldiers' graves I express my sincere thanks.

On September 29th, members of the Joseph Habersham Chapter marked the grave of Revolutionary Soldier, Wilson Brooks near Lexington, Ga.

The William Marsh Chapter located the grave of John Tate, Revolutionary Soldier, near Ellijay, Ga.

The Stephen Heard Chapter located the graves of two Revolutionary Soldiers, John Upshaw and Harmon Lovingood.

The Atlanta Chapter has located the graves of three Revolutionary Soldiers: Henry Garland at Antioch Church, The Rock, Ga., and Job Harrington and Lieut. Richard Harrington near Milltown, Ga.

The Pulaski Chapter located four Revolutionary Soldiers' graves in Spalding and Pike counties: Osten Dabney, Thomas Green, Lud Malone and Paddy Whittington.

It is now my privilege to present the cash award of \$5.00 offered to the chapter locating and reporting the greatest number of Revolutionary Soldiers' graves to the Pulaski Chapter.

McCALL GENEALOGICAL FUND

Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Sr.

As State Chairman, it has been a privilege to serve you and to promote interest in our Georgia D.A.R. Library.

From the small beginning of 17 volumes in 1938, it now contains over 1000 volumes of bound original records, genealogical, family, Bible, cemetery, marriage, and Church records sent in by the Chapters. Many Chapters are now sending copies of deeds recorded in the County Courthouses. These records, sent by the Genealogical Records Committee, are indexed, then bound by the McCall Genealogical Fund, one copy sent to the National Society and one placed in our own Library. This fund also purchases rare genealogical books to aid the many research workers who wish, above all, to obtain the records of their Revolutionary ancestors.

Our Library has recently been placed in new quarters, in a sunny upstairs room at the State Department of Archives and History.

We are deeply grateful to the very efficient and capable Director, Mrs. Mary Givens Bryan, for she has catalogued and numbered all the books of our Library.

Of added interest also was the transfer by the Secretary of the State, Mr. Benjamin Fortson, of the many early and valuable record books of the State to this Department. These books contain early land deeds, application of Revolutionary Soldiers for bounty grants, and the grants, etc., all of which is of untold benefit to those seeking ancestors.

I wish that every member could visit our Library, one of the outstanding projects of our Georgia Society.

My thanks to the State Regent for her cooperation and to each and every member for their contribution to the McCall Genealogical Fund which makes this report possible.

For your friendship and loyal support, I am very grateful. These years as your co-worker have been truly inspiring and many happy memories will remain with me always.

MEADOW GARDEN

Mrs. Lester V. Stone

Now you may truly relax and enjoy with me the Meadow Garden report, while I state to you what we have done and what we are doing.

Our Honorable Mayor has assured us that the permanent, as well as the beautiful fence enclosing all of our property will be erected by the City at a cost of approximately \$2500.00! This fence will be 7 feet high, so that we will be well protected.

Our dream of a beautiful approach to Meadow Garden is now becoming more of a realization, as we have found an old iron bridge, being removed from the Clark Hill area, and we want to place it over the canal, that entrance may be through the park from our front gate. Please do not become excited over the cost, for we are working this through appropriations of the State, for marking historic spots.

We have new old fashioned lace curtains at all windows on the first floor.

A communication from AAA, Birmingham, Alabama, was received seeking information on Meadow Garden, that they may include it in their guide book for tours.

Our balance in bank is in excess of any that we have ever had before. We have been making and saving for definite plans for the fence. If the city builds the fence, we have a place for every penny, one of which is to have the entrance to each room with a gate, as at other valuable and historic places. This is needed since so many strangers have come to live with us.

Our balance, \$595.93; a detailed report from our local treasurer is enclosed with this report. Without the cooperation of the State and our splendid local committee, of which Mrs. William F. Holman is Chairman, this report would not be possible.

I thank all the Chapters for their cards and contributions.

MEADOW GARDEN ACCOUNT

March 1, 1952 to March 1, 1953

Mrs. Julian M. Smith, Treasurer

Receipts:

Balance in Bank March 1, 1952	\$327.82
March 4—George Washington Tea	44.72
March 10-February 3—Gate receipts	91.11
July 26—State Society, D.A.R.	280.40
Nov. 3—Sale of History of Meadow Garden	9.25
Jan. 30—Refund for Electricity	10.95
Feb. 26—Augusta Chapter, D.A.R.	50.00
Sale of books	16.00
Visitors	31.01

\$861.26

Disbursements:

Mar. 1-Feb. 4—Georgia Power Co.	40.70
Bank Charge	1.50
April 9—Insurance	37.56
Aug. 5—Plumbing repairs	11.30
Sept. 3—Curtains	25.83
Sept. 8—Curtains	16.60
Nov. 20—Printing "Meadow Garden Sketch"	131.84

\$265.33

In Bank March 1, 1953 **\$595.93**

PARLIAMENTARIAN

Mrs. Ober D. Warthen

Several changes in the by-laws have been presented for consideration at State Conference and revision will be made in accordance with whatever action is taken.

It has given your parliamentarian great pleasure to observe the precise procedure of Georgia's efficient State Regent and other State Officers. Should any information be requested it will be supplied as soon as possible.

PROCEEDINGS

Mrs. Leonard Wallace

The annual spend-the-day meeting of the Proceedings Committee was held in Griffin at the home of Mrs. John S. Adams and her daughter, Mrs. Gray Holmes, on Thursday, May 7, 1953. Present were Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent, Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Chairman, and Mrs. Julius Talmadge, Mrs. Howard McCall, Mrs. Y. H. Yarbrough, Mrs. H. A. Ironside, Mrs. T. K. Kendrick, Mrs. Mell Knox, Mrs. Robert Humphrey, Mrs. Mark Smith, Mrs. John F. Thigpen, Mrs. T. C. Mell, Mrs. Talbott Chandler and Mrs. John Adams.

The minutes of the Spring Board Meeting, Wednesday afternoon, March 11, the session of the State Conference Friday morning, March 13, and the Georgia meeting at Continental Congress, April 22, 1953, were read and approved.

The contract for publishing the Proceedings was awarded to the McGregor Company of Athens at the price of \$3.90 per page for

500 copies. Pictures will be \$12.00 for one page single cuts and \$27.50 for one page group cuts.

Reports to be incorporated in the Proceedings were edited by the Recording Secretary, Mrs. T. K. Kendrick, and members of the committee. Mrs. Kendrick was commended for her work

The mailing list (avoiding duplications) will be as follows: five copies to the State Regent; five copies to the State Recording Secretary; three copies to the Chapter Regents; two copies to Mrs. Howard McCall; one each to the State Officers, State Chairmen of National and Standing Committees, National Chairmen and Vice Chairmen within the State, Honorary State Regents, members of the Proceedings Committee, President of the State Officers Club, Recording Secretary of State Officers Club, members of the National Board of Management, National President of C.A.R., State President of C.A.R., Senior Presidents of C.A.R. Societies in Georgia, State President of S.A.R., National Headquarters of S.A.R., N.S.D.A.R. Library in Washington, State Department of Archives and History, State Library Commission and Miss Ella Thornton at the State Library. The remaining copies will be sent to the State Recording Secretary for sale.

The Chairman expressed the deep appreciation of the Committee to Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Holmes for the delightful luncheon and for their gracious hospitality.

PROCESSIONALS OF STATE CONFERENCE

Mrs. Harry C. Malone

It has been a pleasure to serve as your chairman of Processionals for State Conference held at General Oglethorpe Hotel, Savannah, on March 11, 12, and 13, 1953.

I wish to thank Mrs. Ben I. Thornton and Mrs. T. K. Kendrick for their able assistance, and Mrs. Carter Shepherd and her Platform Committee for their cooperation.

RESOLUTIONS

Mrs. Mark Smith, Chairman

Mrs. Henry A. Ironside, Co-Chairman

The Resolutions Committee met in Perry on November 6, 1952. For Resolutions adopted at the Fall Board of Management meeting, see pages 23-24.

The Committee met again at the Oglethorpe Hotel, Savannah, on March 12, 1953. For Resolutions adopted by the Fifty-fifth State Conference see pages 35-36-37. Copies of Resolutions were sent to all persons specified by direction of the State Conference.

GEORGIA ROOM, ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough

Georgia is honored to have a Room in the new Administration Building, which is now debt free. There are no furnishings since it will be used as a Committee Room.

STATE PRESIDENT OF THE CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Mrs. George H. Connell

See page 167 (report of the President of the C.A.R.)

TIME AND PLACE

Mrs. Lucius W. McConnell

It is with pleasure that I submit my report, as State Chairman of Time and Place.

The Board of Management met November 6, 1952, in Perry.

The Fifty-fifth State Conference will be held March 11, 12, and 13, 1953, at the General Oglthorpe Hotel, Wilmington Island, Savannah. The meeting of the Board of Directors will be held March 11 preceding State Conference.

Cordial invitations for the 1953 fall Board of Management meeting to be held in Macon have been received from Mrs. S. S. Halliburton, Regent, Mary Hammond Washington Chapter, and Mrs. Florine Burdick Davis, Regent Nathaniel Macon Chapter.

The Atlanta Biltmore Hotel, Atlanta, has extended an invitation for the Fifty-sixth State Conference.

The Bon Air Hotel, Augusta has extended an invitation to the Fifty-sixth State Conference.

Madam Regent, I thank you for the consideration and cooperation you have shown me and for the pleasure of serving as a State Chairman.

CHAPTER REPORTS

OOTHCALOGA CHAPTER, ADAIRSVILLE

Mrs. Alice B. Howard, Regent

Honor Roll

Oothcaloga Chapter reports a membership of twenty-seven, ten resident, one paper pending. \$27.00 sent to the Building Completion Fund. A History medal, two Good Citizenship medals and one Citizen pin have been awarded to senior high school students. Six members are subscribers to the D.A.R. Magazine.

At the October meeting, Ben C. Scarborough gave an interesting lecture on American Music which was illustrated with piano and vocal selections by Mr. and Mrs. Scarborough. One original paper on The Flag was presented by the regent and an illuminating letter from Arthur W. Dodd, superintendent of the Ganado Indian School, describing the Hopi ceremonial dances was read at the February meeting. The Chapter joined with the PTA in presenting a program on Citizenship which included a motion picture in the school auditorium. Five dollars were sent to the Valley Forge Fund and \$2.00 to the American Indians. A D.A.R. marker was sent to the family of a deceased member to be placed on her grave in a distant county.

COMMODORE RICHARD DALE CHAPTER, ALBANY

Mrs. Claude J. Wray, Regent

Honor Roll

The Commodore Richard Dale Chapter is proud to claim Mrs. Talbott Chandler as one of its members. The Commodore Richard Dale Chapter has 42 members, two of these being new. We have followed the program outlined by our State Chairman. We have paid the three dollars per member on the Building Completion Fund, thus adding three stars to our Gold Badge. Thirteen Good Citizenship Medals were presented at Junior High, and a Citizenship pin was given to a Senior girl. A dress contest was held at the May meeting with six girls modeling their dresses; first prize five dollars; second, two-fifty. A car decorated in the D.A.R. colors was entered in the Armed Forces Day Parade. A box of clothes was sent to Tamassee. We have our 10% subscription to the D.A.R. Magazine.

In December, a joint meeting was held with the Thronateeska Chapter, with Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent; Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, State First Vice Regent; and Mrs. Talbott Chandler, State Treasurer, as honorary guests. We have had approximately 150 inches of publicity.

THRONATEESKA CHAPTER, ALBANY

Mrs. R. H. Conrad, Regent

Honor Roll

The Thronateeska Chapter celebrated its fifty-eighth birthday in January, 1953, with seven former Regents taking part in a special program. The Chapter has eighty-five members including one member reinstated, two new members and three transfers. Nine meetings were held. Ten or more members subscribe to the D.A.R.

Magazine. Copies are sent to the Public Library as well as the libraries of the High School and Junior High School. A decorated car was entered in the Armed Forces Day Parade in June. Thirteen Dougherty County Histories were awarded to the Junior High School boys excelling in their American History Classes and a Good Citizenship Certificate was presented to the Senior girl excelling in Dependability, Service, Leadership and Patriotism. A box of clothing was sent to the Kate Duncan Smith School and materials to be used for handcraft are being collected to be sent to the American Indian School at Window Rock, Arizona. A scholarship was awarded to a student at Tamasee.

State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, Honorary State Regent, Mrs. Leonard Wallace, and State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, were honored guests of the two Albany Chapters at a tea early in December, at which time Mrs. Stribling made a most inspiring talk to our members.

Six radio programs have been presented, three were historical broadcasts. Special programs on the Correct Use of the Flag and Citizenship have been presented.

Many hours have been contributed by members in various civic drives for human conservation held in the community and in sponsoring U.S.O. activities. Naturalization Court was attended and D.A.R. Manuals for Citizenship distributed. The local paper has cooperated in reporting notices of Chapter meetings and activities as well as printing the pictures of honored guests. Programs are planned to stress and familiarize the members with D.A.R. projects and activities.

The Chapter was well represented at State Conference, Continental Congress, and at the Southwestern District meeting in Moultrie in September.

COUNCIL OF SAFETY CHAPTER, AMERICUS

Mrs. Sam Leonard, Regent

Council of Safety Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, has enjoyed a splendid year. Our programs have been varied and interesting, with guest speakers, panels and discussions within the chapter. Our attendance has been good. In September, our chapter entertained the State Officers with a luncheon, at which time seventy-four daughters were present. We had two representatives in Perry, at the State Board meeting. We have had two programs on Communism, one a panel discussion which is ready to be used as a radio broadcast. We have had an Historical program on Andersonville Cemetery, with a Pilgrimage to the National Cemetery following. In November, we had a prominent young lawyer come to our Chapter meeting, and discuss the ballot, urging us to vote. Our Chapter cast almost 100% vote. In November, we also cooperated with the local Veterans of Foreign Wars in their Armistice Day program. Three letters were written our Congressmen and Senators, urging them to pass the McCarran-Walter Bill, without any further changes. We were happy to see that this Bill was subsequently passed. We have 96 members; 10 D.A.R. Magazine subscriptions. Boxes have been sent to both Tamasee and Kate Duncan Smith Schools. Representatives from the chapter have visited the History classes at our local school. Good Citizenship Medals have been awarded to the Junior and Senior High Schools and to Georgia Southwestern College. Four Good Citizenship Manuals were given to naturalized citizens. Three of our members are cooperating with the Red Cross and local National Defense in taking Nurses Aid Training Courses.

Under Human Conservation, we have had a special D.A.R. Committee which has done a most excellent job in working with the TB Seals Sale, realizing \$1216.04, which is used in cooperation with our local Welfare Department in the eradication of tuberculosis.

KNOX-CONWAY CHAPTER, ASHBURN

Mrs. John A. Ewing, Regent

Honor Roll

The Knox-Conway Chapter was organized November 5, 1925 by Mrs. Linda C. Ewing. At present there are twenty-two members, with two papers pending.

National Defense has been constantly stressed through the press and at chapter meetings. Seven hundred and fifty Civil Defense leaflets have been distributed in public schools. Two large copies of the Declaration of Independence were framed and placed in the Court House and large pictures of Woodrow Wilson and Franklin Delano Roosevelt were placed in the school library. Constitution Day was gloriously observed with display of 5 x 8 foot flags over town and fifteen copies of the Declaration of Independence in show windows where they were read. In publicity, 448 inches. Eleven lineage books have been added to the D.A.R. bookshelf. Conservation has been stressed through the press also, materials and posters placed in the white and negro schools.

A box of clothing was sent to Kate Duncan Smith School and \$5.00 sent to Berry School. \$10.00 was sent to the Koreans also a box of warm clothing valued at \$216.00. Five new subscriptions sent for the D.A.R. Magazine and a check for one page advertisement. Subscription to Post and Field and Stream were sent to the Merchant Marines. One dollar per member was sent to Valley Forge Bell Tower. On the building fund we are a three Blue Star Chapter. A large 5x9 foot flag was presented to the Negro school with appropriate exercises. Timely quotes have been published weekly under the caption "Knox-Conway Chapter Speaks."

C.A.R. Society is being organized by Mrs. M. T. Mathis. It is named the Betsy Ross Society with eleven papers pending. \$10.00 was given to this Society. An open house was held honoring the editor of the Wiregrass Farmer. Three Good Citizenship Medals were given.

The Chapter has met all requirements through the splendid cooperation of all members.

ELIJAH CLARKE CHAPTER, ATHENS

Mrs. Milton C. Southwell, Regent

Elijah Clarke Chapter has an enrollment of 138 members. Nine meetings were held, flags displayed at each and opened with prayer, Pledge of Allegiance and American's Creed. Year books were printed and the program as outlined by State Chairman was followed. Scrap book depicting local, state and national historical events will be entered in state contest. American music has had a prominent part on the program with four meetings devoted to special musical selections.

Americanism and National Defense work has been noteworthy. Twelve letters have been written to Congressmen and forty-five telegrams sent in the interest of these activities. Nine Chapter programs on these subjects were presented with such speakers as State Chairman of Americanism, State Chairman of Correct Use of Flag, District Director Civil Defense, Honorable Charles Block, member, State Board of Regents; State Legislator and dele-

gate to National Democratic Convention. Sixty United States Flags; 214 Georgia Flags and 240 American Flag Codes were presented to every classroom, white and colored, in Athens and Clarke County.

Educational work has been far-reaching. Two Chapter programs were presented on Approved Schools. Hightower Award requirements were met with boxes of clothing valued at \$145.00 sent to Tamassee; and one valued at \$70.00 sent to Kate Duncan Smith. In connection with Indian work a box of clothing valued at \$35.00 was sent to Thoreau Boarding School. Other items contributed were \$7.00 each to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith; \$10.00 sent to Marian Sibley Wylie Fund; \$80.00 for two memorial acres at Tamassee School; \$3.00 each to Berea, Crossnore and Maryville. Additional gifts were fifteen books and 375 magazines sent to Merchant Marine Library; two citizenship medals presented to outstanding girl and boy in Athens High School; six subscriptions to D.A.R. Magazine for school and city libraries; 4 genealogical books given to four students in Athens High School because of their interest and work in Genealogy. With Chapter having Gold Badge, \$65.00 additional was contributed to Building Fund.

Alphabetical abstracts of 94 wills, Will Book C, Index of 160 wills, Will Book D, Studies in Census Records, excerpts from Lucy Cobb Institution were compiled, sent to State Genealogy Chairman. Twenty subscriptions to D.A.R. Magazine. Extensive Conservation work was done: 4,188 hours given to such services as Red Cross, Y. W.C.A., Salvation Army, Welfare Department, Junior Service Assembly Clinic, Grey Ladies, 4-H Club and F.F.A. Over \$2,400.00 cash contributed. Members participated in health organization drives. All patriotic days observed. 317 inches of publicity in local papers. Radio programs have been presented with 242 broadcasts. The total air time, 89 hours, 15 minutes, value \$4,276.00. Fifty spot announcements made. Three television programs with air time of 90 minutes. Memorial Day services held in cooperation with American Legion and Spanish American War Veterans.

Girl Home Maker volunteer service amounted to 1500 hours, with such projects as staffing the Salvation Army Toy Shop during the Christmas season and dressing 125 dolls for underprivileged. Motion picture guide sent five school libraries. Historic films shown at two Chapter meetings and the green sheet sent to entire membership. All graves of past regents marked with fitting ceremonies and attended by members of the families and chapter. Chapter represented at State Conference and Continental Congress. The regent and six members attended district meeting in Gainesville. Chapter was represented at State Board meeting in Perry.

ATLANTA CHAPTER, ATLANTA

Mrs. Straiton Hard, Regent

It is an honor and privilege to make the report of the Atlanta Chapter, founded 1891, oldest in Georgia, second oldest in America.

The outstanding work of the chapter year was contributed by the National Defense Committee. Foremost action was protesting the manner of raising the United Nations banner to our National Anthem, without flying the United States Flag, October 24, at Five Points. The regent had privilege seldom granted a woman of speaking before the City Council. Members worked for passage of Subversive Act Bill No. 327. Floor leaders and chairmen of Georgia Legislature received four books, 450 pamphlets including D.A.R. material. The regent spoke before the State Senate Affairs Committee which voted out the Bill. Four members worked on documenting McGruder's Text Book. Innovations: panel dis-

cussion series, committee lending library of 20 books; project, Safeguarding America. The regent wrote a letter which appeared in Report of President Truman's Commission, opposing any change in McCarran-Walter Act. For the JAC Clubs, the Chapter has given intensive work where the need of citizenship training in all its phases was the greatest. Membership of clubs sponsored and entertained by chapter is 1697. Project: posters and essays on JAC training. Food, medicine, from funds raised by Chapter for JAC work, clothes, books, toys donated and given. Four graves located and verified. Eighteen pages of family records forwarded State Chairman. Two good citizenship awards, three history medals, Girl Homemaker medal, ten JAC pins, three scholarships given.

Eighty-one dollars raised by Americanism Committee given Approved Schools. Fifty dollars given Berry School. Ten dollars given Kate Duncan Smith. A large doll, value fifteen dollars, sent by chapter member as sewing inspiration to little girls of South Carolina Cottage, Tamasee, with chapter Christmas gifts. Seventeen dollars collected for American Indians. Lecture and bridge party netted \$230.00 for Building Fund.

Fine programs given on Constitution and civil defense; Conservation of America planned by Washington; Edward C. MacDowell, American composer's biography reviewed by Miss Evelyn Jackson. Innovation: instructive talks by officers and chairmen. Enrollment 424, 10 new members, 5 gained by transfer, 10 lost by death. Chapter had 300 inches publicity, besides 11 pictures. State C.A.R. President is chapter member. C.A.R. Society in costume was served authentic 18th century menu at Craigie House. All patriotic days observed. Annual Martha Washington luncheon at Chapter House celebrated Washington's birthday. Book review on Mt. Vernon's restoration.

CHEROKEE CHAPTER, ATLANTA

Mrs. Hinton Blackshear, Regent

Honor Roll

Cherokee Chapter has a membership of 142. It has been an Honor Roll Chapter since the first year of its existence. A year book is compiled which includes the programs. The theme for the year is "United for the United States of America." The Junior Committee holds monthly meetings and discusses the requirements of each committee in the Society. They have done a splendid job with J.A.C. Several junior members are on the Chapter Committee. They entertained the Regent at a very lovely tea. One member will be a page at the National Congress in April.

Approved Schools Project was enthusiastically supported. One scholarship was sent to Kate Duncan Smith and the annual donation to Berry increased. The most gratifying accomplishment was the fine work of the Good Citizens Chairman. Twelve High Schools chose a girl from the Senior Class to receive this honor. One girl from Joe Brown High is the State Alternate. These Good Citizens were entertained at tea and presented their pins and certificates. The J.A.C. Committee has done splendid work. There were 142 clubs formed with a membership of 5,260.

Books were added to our shelf at the Buckhead Library. The proceedings of the hearings conducted by the President's Commission on the McCarran-Walter Immigration Act and the Congressional Record for January, 1953, which included Cherokee's resolution on the same Act, were placed on the shelf. Old Montgomery County Wills and Deeds are being indexed in cooperation with the Georgia Department of Archives and History. One grave has been

marked and information compiled on locations of other graves in the state. Chapter publicity has been good, including picture and article in the magazine. T.V. and radio programs were sponsored. Interest in the magazine continues. American Indians and American Music Chairmen cooperated on one program. There was one musical program put on T.V. Christmas Eve. Contributions of money and boxes were sent to Indian Schools.

National Defense, Americanism, and D.A.R. Manual of Citizenship chairmen have done splendid work. National Defense Articles are read at meetings, current national events are discussed. Two study groups have been formed. One program was given on National Defense. Material for study has been distributed. Members appeared at the McCarran-Walter hearing and spoke in favor of the Act. Resolutions were adopted favoring same. Untiring efforts were put on Georgia House Bill 327, Subversive Activities Bill, passed by the recent session. Opposed the vicious amendments to the Juvenile Court Act which was killed in Committee. Naturalization Court was attended. Manuals distributed. Coffee honoring newly naturalized citizens and foreign-born wives of American men was held at the Atlanta Historical Society. Every chapter chairman sent in a report on time to the state.

JOSEPH HABERSHAM CHAPTER, ATLANTA

Mrs. Milton F. Hall, Regent

Honor Roll

This has been a most successful year for Joseph Habersham Chapter. Twelve Board meetings, ten general meetings, and a Fourth of July celebration were held. Our State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, was honor guest and speaker at one meeting, and the State Second Vice Regent, State Organizing Secretary, State C.A.R. President, and local Regents were also honored guests. Every Committee Chairman has been active, and has reported her year's work to her State Chairman.

Membership is 344. For the third consecutive year we have contributed 100% to the Building Fund, making our total contribution \$2,884.00 and entitling us to the gold badge, three blue stars, and three pins. Three scholarships amounting to \$450.00 were sent to Berry Schools, three scholarships amounting to \$150.00 to Kate Duncan Smith School, and boxes of clothing and Christmas gifts sent to Tamasee and Kate Duncan Smith. The High-tower Award requirements were met. Members of the Chapter have given seven items of intrinsic and historic value to the National D.A.R. Museum and they have been accepted with gradings of "Excellent" and "Good." An ancient Indian quiver, given by a member, was accepted by the Museum, contributions were made to Bacone Indian College and St. Mary's High School, in addition to beads sent to Window Rock, Arizona. The Atlanta Boys Club is a project of the Americanism Committee. A large American flag with staff was presented with appropriate ceremonies and a talk by the Correct Use of the Flag Chairman. A supper was provided for 100 of these underprivileged boys.

Three thousand five hundred Conservation Stamps were distributed, 300 Pledges, 400 blotters, and bookmarks. Members assist with beautification projects and 250 trees were planted, five at a local High School. Drainage, ditching, cover crops, etc., are being used on farms of members, one planting 60 acres in cover crops and another 25 acres, with about 20,000 pines planted under advisement of the State Forest Department. Splendid work is done

for the Red Cross with 600 hours reported, one member receiving an award for 15 years service and one for 5 years. The Goodwill Industries, March of Dimes program, Cancer Clinic, Child Welfare Association, Hillside Cottages, Hospital 48, Grady Hospital, and Community Fund are given volunteer service by members of the Chapter with due recognition by the Conservation Chairman.

The American flag is displayed at all meetings and on every national holiday and anniversary of historic interest as directed in Public Law 829. Both Naturalization courts were attended and Pledge of Allegiance cards and small American flags given to all new citizens. D.A.R. Manuals were distributed to schools, libraries and colleges, and letters written to six foreign born wives of service men with Manuals enclosed, with a request for additional help coming from one. \$220.00 in advertisements have been secured for the D.A.R. Magazine. Forty-five members subscribe, with twenty-four new members. 48 boxes of Christmas cards, 2 cook books, 1 Ritual and 1 Prayer Book were sold for the Valley Forge Bell Tower, and \$60.00 was contributed by members. 182 pieces of literature were sent the American Merchant Marine Library. Nine members are active on the Better Films Committee and the Chapter cooperates in every way with this committee. 523 typed pages with two carbon copies of genealogical records were submitted including Family Bible records, information from five family lineage books, church records, and cemetery records. 17 Junior American Citizens clubs have been formed with 527 members, each member receiving pin and handbook. Thatcher Awards will be made to the winners.

Nineteen Girl Homemakers pins will be presented to those excelling in Home Economics in the white High Schools. The Chapter has been given the names of nine girls who have won the distinction of being named Good Citizens for their respective schools. Three D.A.R. Spinning Wheel Medals, one silver medal, four bronze medals and two scholarships are given by this Chapter in the Atlanta area.

Four members attended the President's Commission on Immigration and Naturalization, and also an all day session of the Georgia Civil Defense group. Programs have been given at Chapter meetings on National and Civil Defense. A letter was published by National Defense Chairman on Constitution Day in a local paper. Adequate publicity has been given the Chapter throughout the year and cooperation given by local and outlying newspapers. One radio program was given on Approved Schools, and the C.A.R. presented a television program.

One grave of a Revolutionary soldier was marked at Lexington, with fitting ceremony, and an account of this event appears in the February D.A.R. Magazine.

The Junior Committee has 51 members, and all requirements have been met. Regular meetings are held at night to include business women. Toys, clothing and a \$50.00 scholarship sent to Kate Duncan Smith School. \$40.00 was contributed to the Building Fund.

The Joseph Habersham Chapter wishes to thank all State Officers and State Chairmen for their cheerful cooperation and help in making this a banner year for the Chapter.

AUGUSTA CHAPTER, AUGUSTA

Mrs. J. Carleton Vaughn, Regent

Honor Roll

During the past year the Augusta Chapter has worked toward not only a larger membership but especially toward a membership educated in D.A.R. work, with committees actively participating in the various programs outlined by the Georgia Society. Three members have been lost, while eight new ones have been added and three papers are pending. Personal notes of sympathy to the bereaved, cheerful greetings to those ill, and telephone calls to the absentees draw a closer tie around our 140 members.

Excellent publicity, good music, plus programs that have been varied and unusually "different" have attracted the uninterested members and kept up a large attendance all year. The chapter's flags have been renovated in an effort to add beauty and dignity to meetings. Special interest has been shown in work for Approved Schools. Extra contributions have been made to Tamasee, Meadow Garden, and to local campaigns. Concern for Meadow Garden never lags in the Augusta Chapter. Plates were presented to Mrs. Patton and Miss Carraway when these national officers were guests at Meadow Garden. Washington's birthday was commemorated with a beautiful musical tea, with D.A.R. members in Colonial costumes. Caretakers were remembered with gifts at Christmas.

Awards are given to the high school girl and boy making the highest marks in American History. A subscription to the D.A.R. Magazine is given to the Public Library and three schools. Six members attended the District meeting at Sylvania. The chapter was also represented at the Fall Board meeting, State Conference, and the 61st Continental Congress.

BAINBRIDGE CHAPTER, BAINBRIDGE

Mrs. John J. Cummings, Regent

Honor Roll

The Bainbridge Chapter has a membership of forty-four, having lost one by resignation. The highlight of our year's work was the visit of our State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, Honorary State Regent, Mrs. Leonard Wallace and State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey. They were guests of honor at our Christmas luncheon. Mrs. Stribling gave us a very dynamic and instructive talk on "Safeguarding Our Republic." Immediately following the luncheon a radio program was given over the Bainbridge Broadcasting Station, with Mrs. Stribling, Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Humphrey discussing the important work of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Eight D.A.R. Good Citizenship girls were sponsored and pins will be awarded in June. Two medals were given in the senior and junior high schools for the highest average in American History and two Citizenship medals were given in the high school and grammar school. National Defense has been stressed at each meeting. Mrs. W. D. Stewart, Bainbridge, was guest speaker at the May meeting and gave us a very forceful and instructive talk on "World Government."

Cash contributions were: Valley Forge \$5.00; Marian Sibley Wylie \$5.00; Berry Schools \$5.00; Northland College \$1.00; Pine Mountain \$1.00; Berea \$1.00. Two boxes each of clothing were sent to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamasee valued at \$75.00 each and at Christmas a large box of toys sent to Tamasee.

Ten percent of the membership subscribes to the Daughters of the American Revolution Magazine. The chapter will receive credit for a half page advertisement.

A purbred Hereford Bull, valued at \$1,000.00 was given to Tamasee through the Bainbridge Chapter by Mr. and Mrs. John J. Cummings, owners of Seminole Farms, of Donalsonville.

LAMAR-LaFAYETTE CHAPTER, BARNESVILLE

Mrs. Cicero S. Burns, Regent

Lamar-LaFayette Chapter has an enrollment of 45 members, eleven of which are non-resident. All requirements have been met. Ten meetings were held. Program outline was followed. Georgia Day celebration was observed with special program held with the school children. Three medals, one for Citizenship and two in History, will be presented. Contributions, clothing, and magazines were sent to our Approved Schools. Defense has been stressed on every program. Monthly notes of all meetings were published in local newspaper. All meetings were well attended.

PETER EARLY CHAPTER, BLAKELY

Mrs. J. W. Bonner, Regent

Honor Roll

Peter Early Chapter has an enrollment of 38 members, eight of whom are non-resident. We regret to report the loss of one member by death, one by transfer and one by resignation. We have one prospective member whose papers have been sent to Washington for approval. Nine meetings were held in the homes of the members with interesting programs as outlined by the State Chairman. At the September meeting our Chapter celebrated its Fortieth Anniversary. All former chapter members were invited. One charter member was present. Approved Schools' work has been emphasized. One program on Approved Schools has been given. The Chapter has qualified for the Hightower Award. In our high school the Good Citizenship program has been sponsored. A Good Citizenship medal will be given, and also a high school history medal and a grammar school history medal will be given to the pupils making the highest average grades in history. American patriotic music has been used at all the meetings. Two special programs of American music were given. A flag pageant and a flag quiz have been included in our programs. In February a patriotic program was planned. At that time one of our high school students read an original essay on the Constitution of the United States.

In December the members bought fifty-seven boxes of Valley Forge Christmas and note cards. The profit of \$28.50, plus an added sum of \$3.00 given by a former member, was sent to the Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower Fund. Nineteen dollars has been added to the Building Completion Fund, making a total contribution of \$322.00. The Chapter sponsors the Horizon Club of the local Camp Fire Girls' Organization. Our members are co-operating with the Woman's Club and Parent-Teachers Association in Civil Defense work. Two D.A.R. Manuals for Good Citizenship, one in English and one in German, have been given to a German girl who is the wife of a local boy. In October four members of the Chapter attended a district meeting in Moultrie. In December seven members were guests of the Benjamin Hawkins

Chapter of Cuthbert at a luncheon honoring Mrs. Stribling, State Regent. Our chapter has a student loan fund of \$500.00 available to girls for educational purposes. Excellent publicity of all our meetings has been given in our local newspaper.

BRUNSWICK CHAPTER, BRUNSWICK

Mrs. Thomas Hopkins, Regent

Honor Roll

This chapter has a membership of 66, with papers for two new members pending and one transfer. Brunswick Chapter celebrated its 50th Anniversary this year. Mrs. T. Earle Stribling was our guest at an anniversary tea in February, at which time she brought a most inspiring message. She was interviewed over Station WGIG on the Aims and Policies of the D.A.R. Our year books, dedicated to past regents and announcing our 50th year, were distributed at our first meeting of the fall. General E. P. King (retired), formerly on General MacArthur's staff, brought us a most timely talk on Civil Defense at which time the members present signed up for all branches of local Defense Service. All members registered and voted. Our Christmas program was historical, Christmas history being brought by local minister and historical lecturer. "Art and Artists During Revolutionary Period" was given by a well known artist on St. Simon. A shower of cloths and towels was given the Brunswick Hospital. Boxes of clothing were sent to Kate Duncan Smith School and to Tamassee, value, \$15 00 and \$5.00, respectively. The Flag Committee sponsored an essay in the Senior Class at Glynn Academy on: "What the American Flag Means to Me." Thirteen seniors submitted essays and the first prize of \$5.00 was won by Miss Ida Whittle, who is also the recipient of a bronze Good Citizenship medal and chosen to represent the chapter as Good Citizen. Movie chairman distributed the green sheet to all members and chapter recommended and voted on best movie. Three awards have been given in high school—bronze Good Citizenship Medal, gold medal for best record in history, and \$5.00 to local girl making best record in home economics. Regent and one member attended district meetings in Swainsboro and Savannah and chapter will be represented at Washington Congress. Sponsored three programs, and all meetings have been broadcast. Press relations chairman reports 160 inches in local papers and two pictures. Sixty-five dollars has been sent to the Valley Forge Memorial as our \$1.00 per member gift and 75 boxes of cards sold. Fifty-nine dollars has been sent to the Building Fund, bringing our per capita gift up to \$7.00. Chairman on Americanism reports schools visited, both white and colored. Literature distributed and the chapter represented at Naturalization Court. Movie shown, and new citizens were invited to attend, and D.A.R. Manuals given out. History of the past 50 years of the chapter was given by Historian, Mrs. C. H. Leavy. President's message read at each meeting. Also devotionals by Chaplain. Program on Conservation with guest speaker, also programs devoted to American Music were given. Meetings were well attended.

ETOWAH CHAPTER, CARTERSVILLE

Mrs. David Bishop, Regent

Honor Roll

The Etowah Chapter has a membership of Fifty-five. Two papers pending, one by transfer. Two members have been lost by death. Eight meetings have been held with most interesting programs on United for the United States of America.

All chapter activities have been given publicity through the local press and over Radio Station WBHF. Eight members subscribed to the D.A.R. Magazine. A copy of the Griffin Family History was sent to the National Library. A box of magazines was sent to the Merchant Marine Library and a box of clothing was sent to Tamassee D.A.R. School. Good Citizenship medal and pin will be given in Cartersville High School. Two prizes for History essay and cash awards will be given two girls in the Girl Homemakers Club. The highlight of the year was the pleasure and privilege of entertaining our State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling.

WILLIAM WITCHER CHAPTER, CEDARTOWN

Mrs. Mason J. Florence, Regent

William Witcher Chapter has a membership of 33, four of which are non-residents, lost one member by resignation. Eight meetings with excellent attendance have been held in the homes of the members. The program outlined as suggested by National Committee has been followed with stress on National Defense and Americanism. These were highlighted by interesting speakers and well prepared papers. American Music and Flag Day homes of the members. The program, outlined as suggested by National Committee, has been followed with stress on National were among the outstanding programs. Good Citizens were sponsored in the high school and a pin will be awarded at commencement. A senior girl, Jean Andrews, was the winner in Historical Contest and \$5.00 cash prize will be awarded. Chapter was honored by having Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent, as guest speaker. Six members subscribed to D.A.R. Magazine. Excellent publicity of all chapter meetings and activities has been received in local newspapers. A filing cabinet has been purchased by the Chapter and placed in the Hawkes Public Library for keeping all research for the Polk County History which the Chapter is sponsoring.

TOMOCHICHI CHAPTER, CLARKESVILLE

Mrs. J. Marvin Gillespie, Regent

Honor Roll

Tomochichi Chapter has a membership of 41, having had three new members, one transfer, one death, two resignations and one associate member, Indians—a cash contribution was sent to Bacone and St. Mary's. also a box of clothing to Bacone, value, \$35.00. American Music was a part of each program, news article read on Americanism. The American's Creed and Pledge to Flag given at each meeting. Approved Schools—Several members attended Founder's Day program at Tamassee. A music scholarship of \$36.00 was given to a Tamassee girl. Two boxes of clothing valued at \$10.00 each and \$10.00 to Marian Sibley Wylie Fund was given by chapter. \$20.00 to Berry School as a 50th Anniversary gift. A cash contribution was sent to Pine Mountain, Crossnore, Blue Ridge, and Kate Duncan

Smith. A program was presented on Approved Schools. Building Completion Program—\$45.00 honoring Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent. Conservation—11 boxwoods planted on County Hospital grounds, honoring the 10 past Chapter Regents and State Regent. Chapter entered a float in the County-wide "Get Out and Vote" parade. Good Citizenship—nine awards and medals given. D.A.R. Magazine—25 subscriptions. Museum—\$1.00. Valley Forge—\$45.00 or \$1.00 per member, honoring Mrs. Ben I. Thornton, State Corresponding Secretary. Library—\$2.00 contributed. Bookshelf retained at Habersham County Library. Genealogical Records—early marriage records copied from courthouse register. Girl Homemakers—sterling silver D.A.R. coffee spoon given to dress contest winner. Publicity—outstanding recognition has been given the Chapter by the two county papers. Clippings sent State Chairman. Radio and Television—one member appeared in radio and T.V. Scrapbook—Miss Dorothy Beveridge will enter her fourth scrapbook in State Contest. D.A.R. marker was placed at grave of a deceased member.

Highlight of the year was the reception honoring Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent, at the Community House in Cornelia. Distinguished guests from State Society attended.

Regent attended Board of Management meeting. Chapter represented at District, State, and National meetings.

BUTTON GWINNETT CHAPTER, COLUMBUS

Mrs. William A. Ford, Regent

Honor Roll

Button Gwinnett Chapter has an enrollment of 91 members. Programs have followed the outline "United for the United States of America" as suggested by the State Program Chairman. A box of used clothing was sent to Kate Duncan Smith and to Crossnore. Cash donations to Kate Duncan Smith, Tamassee and Marion Sibley Wylie Endowment scholarship fund for Tamassee. Cash contributions to Berry Schools and three out-of-state schools. Cash donation to Meadow Garden in memory of a deceased member. \$25.00 to Valley Forge Bell Tower honoring Mrs. T. K. Kendrick. D.A.R. Manuals for Citizenship were given, to be studied by those becoming new citizens. Joined with other two chapters in presenting flags and flag codes to same. Two bronze markers were placed on graves of two deceased members. Joined other chapters in presenting Good Citizen pins to seniors from the three local high schools. At this time they are honored with a tea. Ten percent of the chapter members are subscribers to D.A.R. Magazine. A scrapbook has been kept and excellent publicity of chapter activities has been received in the local newspapers.

GEORGE WALTON CHAPTER, COLUMBUS

Mrs. H. B. Hamner, Regent

Honor Roll

Membership of 91. Sixteen subscriptions to magazine. Nine monthly meetings. Theme of programs for the year: Vistas of American Democracy. George Walton Chapter was hostess to the yearly joint meeting with the two other Columbus Chapters, Oglethorpe and Button Gwinnett. The program was planned around the presentation of the Good Citizens medals, the Freedoms Awards given by the Valley Forge Foundation, and the introduction of the local

and state officers of the Lucy Spell Raiford Society, Children of the American Revolution. Chapter members took part in the sale of Christmas Seals, and the Naturalization ceremony in Federal Court, at which time the three D.A.R. chapters presented an American flag and leaflets on Americanism to the thirty new United States citizens.

OGLETHORPE CHAPTER. COLUMBUS

Mrs. Kenneth S. Olson, Regent

Oglethorpe Chapter, founded in 1892, has a membership of 119. Nine meetings were held during the year with eight on Americanism, National Defense, American Music, United States Flag. At the December meeting we were hostess to a tea celebrating our 60th birthday. In March, 1952, we were hostess at the joint meeting of the three Columbus Chapters. Mrs. Leonard Wallace, State Regent, was guest speaker and gave a most educational talk on "Socialism." Also at this meeting, Good Citizens pins were presented to the senior girls, chosen from the three local High Schools. Chapter gave prizes of \$5.00 each to the best students of American History at Columbus High School. In September we distributed small United States flags to 50 new citizens at a Naturalization Ceremony.

We shall always remember our December 4th meeting, at which time we celebrated our 60th birthday with a lovely tea, entertaining all local D.A.R. We couldn't celebrate our 50th due to World War II. Among our distinguished guests were: Mrs. Herbert Fay Gaffney, Former National Vice President General, Honorary National President of the C.A.R., and Mrs. T. K. Kendrick, State Recording Secretary and Mrs. George Connell, State Senior President of the C.A.R.

The Junior Committee meets every month with a luncheon. Our individual members have planted trees, flowers, shrubs, and crops to enrich and beautify our lands, and have also participated in Gray Ladies, Red Cross, United Givers and various health campaigns. To the Indians we sent in cash and clothing, \$175.00; to the D.A.R. Approved Schools in cash and clothing, \$92.34. Two complete 1952 sets of Reader's Digest and 25 novels were sent to the Merchant Marine Library. Ten percent of our members subscribe to the National D.A.R. Magazine. We also have added a book, properly marked, to the D.A.R. shelf at the Public Library. The Motion Picture Committee has reviewed all pictures and is working constantly for higher class and better movies. We report 327 1/2 inches of publicity.

JAMES PITTMAN CHAPTER, COMMERCE

Mrs. C. E. Pittman, Regent

Honor Roll

James Pittman Chapter has 38 members, of which 12 are non-residents. Lost one by death, one by transfer, and one by resignation. Gained one by reinstatement. Two just completed. Four new applicants. Meet in home of the members. Flag is displayed and patriotic songs at each meeting. All Patriotic Days observed. Press Digest and President General's message given at each meeting. National Defense is stressed. Chapter members participated in Red Cross, Polio, Cancer and Heart Drives. Bought Tuberculosis Seals. Members practiced soil and wildlife conservation, having set out trees, planted shrubs, vegetables and flower seed. Seventy inches of publicity given by local

paper. Historical Scrapbook kept by the Chapter Chairman. A lovely musical program was given at May meeting at Jefferson by the Jefferson members. Approved Schools stressed. Additional gifts to Crossnore, Pine Mountain Settlement, Hindman Settlement, Tamasee and Berry School, Marian Sibley Wylie Scholarship, \$8.50. Box to Kate Duncan Smith School, value, \$20.00. Chapter qualified for Hightower Award. Four subscriptions to D.A.R. Magazine. Twenty-five dollars to National Building Fund. Patriotic song prizes, \$6.00. United States History prize, \$5.00. Two Citizenship pins and two Citizenship medals, \$4.25. Local charity, \$10.00. Clothing, \$25.00. Twenty-five pages of genealogical data collected. Tombstone records in Jackson County collected. Total expenditures, \$160.00.

COLONEL JOHN McINTOSH CHAPTER, CONYERS

Miss Mildred McElvany, Regent

Honor Roll

Colonel John McIntosh Chapter has 15 members, four of whom are non-resident. We have one new member and two reinstated members. Nine well-attended meetings have been held. Contributions have been made to Tamasee, Kate Duncan Smith Schools, Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, McCall Genealogical Fund, Meadow Garden, and the National Building Fund. Prizes were offered to the students making the highest grades in American History in Conyers Elementary and High Schools. Four members attended the District meeting in Gainesville. We have four subscriptions to the D.A.R. Magazine. Members have cooperated with other organizations in observance of Patriotic Days and civic activities.

FORT EARLY CHAPTER, CORDELE

Mrs. H. A. Shaffer, Regent

Honor Roll

Membership of 52, one transfer pending. Meetings well attended, and opened with Ritual prescribed by N.S.D.A.R. Theme for year, "United for United States of America," using programs outlined by State Chairman. National Defense news and music on every program. A very impressive grave marking service was held last April, too late for last year's report. Twelve graves were marked. A new flag purchased and will be presented to O'Neal Grammar School by the Chapter. Genealogical Committee has sent copies of four marriage records to the State Chairman. Good Citizens pins will be given to girls in each of three county high schools, as well as in Cordele. Flag Essay Contest will be sponsored again in sixth grades in public school, and prizes awarded—also following prizes: two in Home Economics, one History medal, and two Good Citizenship Medals. Chapter made \$102.00 from sale of candy and doll. Contributions sent to all Approved Schools (doubling our usual amount to Berry as anniversary gift) to the scholarship funds and different projects sponsored by the D.A.R., as well as to Boys Estate, Red Cross, and March of Dimes. A box of Christmas gifts and clothing sent to Tamasee. Green Sheet by "the Motion Picture Association of America" mailed to each member. Pamphlet, "The Children's Film Library and Special Children's Programs" placed in schools and library. Our Radio Chairman has done some outstanding work in observance of national holidays. Fourth of July, patriotic airs were played on chimes at Courthouse, also on Carillon at Baptist Church, over loud speaker at Methodist

Church, church bells rung at intervals during day from both white and colored churches. Had talk on radio by prominent lawyer on "Independence in United States and What it Should Mean to Us Today." Constitution Day: Radio skit in D.A.R. Magazine was broadcast by two of our members. Armistice Day: Chimes were rung at noon, and speaker made radio talk election day. At intervals chimes were played—members urged to avail themselves of privilege of voting—they did, 95%. On January 20th, chimes were played during inauguration ceremonies. Our Flag Chairman had a short history of the flag in the paper on June 14th. In conjunction with Georgia Historical Commission, the chapter is working to have highway markers placed in and around Cordele, marking several historic spots.

SERGEANT NEWTON CHAPTER, COVINGTON

Miss Vivian Bower, Regent

Honor Roll

Sergeant Newton Chapter has 42 members, eleven of whom are non-resident. We have lost two by death. Nine interesting meetings, all with good attendance, have been held in the homes of members. Patriotic Anniversaries observed. One box of clothing sent to Kate Duncan Smith School, and one box to Tamassee. \$40.00 to Tamassee for a Memorial Acre, honoring Past State Regent, Mrs. Peter Walton Godfrey. Also \$1.00 to Marian Sibley Wylie Fund. Other contributions — \$1.00 each to Berry, Crossnore, Berea, and Maryville Schools. \$5.00 to Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower, and \$10.00 to Building Completion Fund. Chapter members have cooperated with Red Cross, Polio, Cancer, Heart and Tuberculosis Drives, and participated in civic, religious, and patriotic activities. At commencement, three medals were presented pupils making highest average in American History. One pin given our Good Citizen. Covington News has given publicity to chapter activities, and over Radio Station WMOC, several chapter members gave a program.

BENJAMIN HAWKINS CHAPTER, CUTHBERT

Mrs. Vernon Phillips, Regent

Honor Roll

Benjamin Hawkins Chapter has 42 members. Our Building Fund of \$9.00 a member has been completed. A contribution was sent to Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower. In Approved School work, we have given a \$150.00 scholarship to Berry School. An award of \$5.00 given in our Girl Homemaker's dress contest, a history medal for highest average in American History in High School, and two awards in the seventh grades. The Good Citizen Senior Girl has been chosen. Contributions sent to Bacone College and St. Mary's High School. A box of beads and needed hospital supplies sent to a Navajo Hospital. Three dollars sent to Librarian for a book for Library. A Flag Program was held and the flag is displayed at all meetings. We have seven subscriptions to D.A.R. Magazine.

Our December meeting was a luncheon at Andrews College honoring our State Regent, Mrs. Stribling; the State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Humphrey; and the Honorary State Regent, Mrs. Wallace. It was attended by members and guests from the adjoining towns and D.A.R. chapters. Preceding the luncheon, a radio broadcast was made from the Dawson Station by Mrs. Stribling, Mrs. Humphrey, Mrs. Wallace and the Chapter Regent on the "Work and Aims of the D.A.R." We have had good publicity in all local papers.

GOVERNOR JOHN MILLEDGE CHAPTER, DALTON

Mrs. Walter Stancil, Regent

Honor Roll

Governor John Milledge Chapter has a membership of 59. High School students have been presented on two programs, one on American Folk Music, and the other a drama on youth problems entitled, "High Pressure Areas." Georgia Day was observed by reviewing the lives of Georgia's signers of the Declaration of Independence. "United Tribute to Famous Americans," the history of the Supreme Court, was featured. American Indian program was good. Approved Schools have been emphasized and donations totaling \$27.50 have been sent to the Kenmore Endowment Fund, Marian Sibley Wylie Fund, Pine Mountain Settlement, Blue Ridge, Crossnore, Berry Schools, and Maryville College. Value of boxes sent to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith School was \$60.00. Through our chapter, donation to the Building Completion Fund amounts to \$12.00. Local charity and educational work amounts to \$30.00. Presented a valuable book, "Grimes Abstract of North Carolina Wills," to local library. To the Library of the N.S.D.A.R. was sent an original manuscript, "The Andrews Family," by R. H. White. The Civil Defense Chairman made a survey of hotels and theatres for emergency use. Approximately 130 inches of publicity covered chapter news. The Committee on Marking Historic Spots is making a list for the State Historical Commission for Whitfield County state markers. The chapter celebrated its 40th Anniversary.

DOROTHY WALTON CHAPTER, DAWSON

Mrs. T. D. Wall, Regent

Honor Roll

The Dorothy Walton Chapter has 69 members enrolled. Nine meetings have been held with good attendance. Chapter activities have had good publicity in our local and state press and over our local radio station. Contributions have been made to our Approved Schools as follows: Kate Duncan Smith, \$5.00; Tamassee, \$5.00; Berry Schools, \$10.00; Crossnore, \$2.50; Maryville, \$2.50; Blue Ridge, \$2.50; and a box of used clothing sent to each D.A.R. School, valued at \$25.00 each. \$5.00 has been contributed to Berry College Scholarship Fund. \$7.00 sent to Bacone Indian College and \$5.00 sent to Indian Scholarship Fund. \$5.00 contributed to Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower and \$25.00 has been contributed to Building Completion Fund, making a total of \$381.70. \$5.00 contributed to Marian Sibley Wylie Scholarship Fund. Nine Citizenship Medals have been presented to students in Terrell County Schools, and one Sweeney \$5.00 History Medal presented to students in Graves Junior High School. One D.A.R. cook book was presented to winner in Menu Contest in Terrell High School. The green sheet has been made available to all members, to our schools, and to our local theatre manager. All health drives have had the support of our members and several have served as gray ladies in our hospital. Two J.A.C. Clubs have been organized with membership of 50. All Patriotic Days observed and Flags have been displayed in downtown area on these days. Our chapter was represented at the Benjamin Hawkins Chapter luncheon honoring Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent. Chapter was represented at State Conference and Continental Congress.

STONE CASTLE CHAPTER, DAWSON

Mrs. Marcus Phelps Fox, Regent

Honor Roll

Stone Castle Chapter has a membership of 46. Interesting programs presented, using material from the Library in Washington, in connection with outline of State Chairman. Five minutes of National Defense News were used. All Patriotic Days observed. Attendance at all meetings has been most gratifying. An announcement of meetings and report of activities at each meeting has been published in local paper and broadcast over radio. This year, \$25.00 was sent to Valley Forge Memorial Fund; \$25.00 to Berry School, White Elephant Box and \$6.00 to Crossnore at Christmas. Other contributions to St. Mary's, Tamasee and Kate Duncan Smith Schools. A contribution was also sent to the Library Fund.

The dress revue and tea are outstanding events of the year. The Domestic Science Department and teacher of Terrell High School present all four classes of the department in appropriate stage setting to review dresses as per D.A.R. specifications. Judges are from outside the chapter. A silver thimble with the year and name of chapter engraved on it is awarded senior for best made dress. Three other awards are given the junior, sophomore, and freshman classes. Our Good Citizen is presented also, at this meeting. A lovely tea by the department is served afterward. At graduation exercises, these awards are given. Also, \$5.00 is given to senior making highest average in American History. In closing this report, we extend to our State Regent and State Officers, our sincere appreciation for encouragement and helpfulness in carrying on our work.

BARON DEKALB CHAPTER, DECATUR

Mrs. Willis E. Binford, Regent

Honor Roll

Baron DeKalb Chapter has 131 members, twenty of whom are non-resident. American Music has been emphasized, with the program at one meeting devoted entirely to it. All Patriotic Days have been observed. The pamphlet, "What the Daughters Do" has been distributed to Board members and all new members.

Chapter entertained at a luncheon meeting in November honoring our State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, at which time she was the guest speaker on our American Indian Program. We were privileged to have as our guest speaker at our January meeting, Mrs. John Thigpen, State Second Vice Regent and Chairman of Approved Schools. A total of \$752.20 has been given to Approved Schools. This amount represents \$442.20 in gifts and scholarships and \$310.00 in used clothing. We have given to the Indian Schools \$24.00 in cash and clothing valued at \$75.00. Our chapter has contributed \$123.00 to Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower Fund and \$50.00 to the National Building Fund. Students in Decatur and DeKalb County were given two \$25.00 bonds for historical essays, two Citizenship Medals and one Good Citizens pin, valuation, \$10.00. Two prizes were given for best made dresses of Girl Homemakers of Decatur High School, valuation, \$7.50. Other contributions were: \$2.50 National Library, \$5.00 and 22 books to Merchant Marine Library, \$3.00 to Helen Pouch Memorial Fund, \$3.00 to National Museum, \$5.00 for book chapter shelf, and \$20.00 for underprivileged boys camp. Chairman has obtained 63

subscriptions, 35 of which were new, for D.A.R. Magazine, and has secured advertisements in the amount of \$235.00. The President General's message has been read at each chapter meeting. Five minutes of National Defense News has been given at each meeting. One hundred D.A.R. Manuals were supplied the Clerk of the Naturalization Court. Fifty Manuals were given Decatur High School History teacher to be used for class room study. Chapter has sponsored 100 J.A.C. Clubs with over 6,000 members in county schools. Chapter has furnished 250 Flag Code Leaflets to Boy and Girl Scout units; has given three printed U. S. Flags 2 feet by 3 feet to Scouts. A full program on the flag was given in June by Mrs. Harry Talmadge. \$213.00 was collected by the Conservation Committee for the Forget-Me-Not-Drive for Disabled American Veterans. One hundred and eighty-six inches of publicity has been obtained in three newspapers, two pictures being used. The Regent and Radio Chairman, and the State Regent, gave a 15 minute radio broadcast, and two members appeared on two television broadcasts of seven minutes. Regent and several members attended dedication of May Erwin Talmadge Auditorium.

JOHN LAURENS CHAPTER, DUBLIN

Mrs. M. G. Combs, Regent

John Laurens Chapter now has 54 resident and 13 non-resident members. One was lost by death and two by resignation. The year's program "United for the United States of America" has been carried out in a very appropriate manner. The December and January programs were mostly musical and the backgrounds for these selections were given by the program committee. Music students have furnished music for each program. A special radio broadcast on Lincoln was given in February by one of our members and presented at the local radio station. The annual awards of one History Medal and two Good Citizenship Medals will be made at High School graduation exercises. This year the chapter has presented the D.A.R. Citizen with \$25.00 for Easter and \$25.00 or more at the close of school in order that she may take the annual class trip to Washington, D. C. and New York. The D.A.R. Magazine has been sent to the Regent and a copy placed in the reading room of the Carnegie Library. The Chapter has given publicity to the D.A.R. activities through the local press and radio. The Chapter has contributed to Kate Duncan Smith School, Tamassee, Bell Tower at Valley Forge, Meadow Garden and the Building Completion Fund. The Chapter Regent has served in the Library of the V.A. Hospital as a volunteer worker. Many of our members are working with the city committee in preparing city-wide program of planned recreation for the young people of the community.

Last week the Nancy Hart Memorial Highway Marker, given by our chapter several years ago was relocated on the right side of the approach to the new Herschel Lovett bridge spanning the Oconee River. Highways No. 80, 319, and 29 traverse this bridge. The chapter plans to have appropriate shrubbery planted around this marker this fall.

COLONEL WILLIAM FEW, EASTMAN

Mrs. Cary Bulloch, Regent

Honor Roll

Colonel William Few Chapter has 52 members, one lost by death and one by transfer. State Regent addressed chapter at luncheon meeting. Notices of meetings and write-ups have been

in local paper and in two other papers—total inches, 80. One radio program given in February (station organized in January).

Cash donations made to all Approved Schools totaling \$17.00—\$2.50, Kate Duncan Smith; \$1.50, Berry; and \$2.50 to Marian Sibley Wylie Scholarship Fund. A Christmas shower of toys was sent to Crossville, valued at \$15.00. Mary Mitchell Daniel Scholarship (Chapter Fund), totaling \$671.00 is in use to help worthy boy with education. Eighteen J.A.C. Clubs with 650 members were organized. National Defense reported on at every meeting. All chapter members are voters. \$100.00 war bond was purchased. All Patriotic Days have been observed. Use of Flag has been stressed. \$10.00 donated to provide reading material for merchant ships for one year. One Citizenship medal is given, and five Good Citizens pins to five different schools, and two medals in American History classes at Eastman Public School. Three members served on county textbook committee. \$54.00 was given to Bell Tower Memorial and \$60.00 in memorials given. Meadow Garden was included in chapter budget, also Red Cross. D.A.R. markers sent with floral offering in death of member. Chapter subscribes to Movie Guide and over 10 percent subscribe to D.A.R. Magazine.

STEPHEN HEARD CHAPTER, ELBERTON

Mrs. Harry S. Bell, Sr., Regent

Honor Roll

Stephen Heard Chapter has 42 members of which seven are non-resident, one charter member, two by transfer, one resignation, one member lost by death and six applications pending. The President General's message is read. All Patriotic Days observed. Programs have been most interesting with outstanding speakers. The highlight program of the year was when Mrs. Harry Talmadge, State Chairman of Americanism, was guest speaker. The Chapter had programs on American Indians, Approved Schools, the guest speaker, a young girl, former student at Tamassee, for two years. Conservation: Majority of members practiced soil and wildlife conservation. Two books on local health center were presented to the chapter. On National Defense Program, the speaker urged all members to vote. The members helped in recent city election in getting voters to polls.

Ten percent of members subscribe to D.A.R. Magazine. Contributions: \$15.00, Building Completion Fund; \$10.00, erection of Memorial Bell Tower, Valley Forge; \$5.00, Berry Schools, 50th Anniversary gift; \$5.00, Empty Stocking Fund, local; \$4.00, Marian Sibley Wylie Fund, schools; Crossnore, Blue Ridge and Hindman. A box of beads and trinkets valued at \$5.00 to St. Mary's Indian Girls' School. One box of miscellaneous clothing to Kate Duncan Smith School valued at \$30.00. One box of miscellaneous clothing to Tamassee School, valued at \$25.00. Two large boxes of books and magazines to the Library of Merchant Marines. The Genealogical Chairman has sent in abstracts of fourteen wills from 1835 to 1860 and three sketches on "Van's Creek Baptist Church," "First Georgia Conference," and "Beaverdam Meeting House." One of chapter members was recently interviewed on radio and television.

The Chapter placed a marker on grave of Mrs. Allie Wyche Almond-Hart, sent by Brier Creek Chapter. Chapter was invited to a tea by Toccoa Chapter in honor of State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling. Also invited to meet with John Benson Chapter in Hartwell. A beautiful scrapbook is kept. Three members have read American History textbooks. All meetings have been in local paper and sent to State Editor. Publicity 80 inches.

NATHANIEL ABNEY CHAPTER, FITZGERALD

Mrs. Roy Dorminy, Regent

Honor Roll

Nathaniel Abney Chapter has 33 members, two of which are non-resident. One member lost by death and one new member. The President General's message was read and National Defense stressed at each meeting. All special days have been noted and Flag Day was observed with an appropriate program. Two boxes of clothing, valued at \$100.00 were sent to Tamasee, and one box valued at \$50.00 to Kate Duncan Smith Schools. Contributions amounting to \$25.00 were sent to Marian Sibley Wylie Fund, Berry, Blue Ridge, Crossnore, Maryville, Bacone and St. Mary's Schools. The Good Citizens pin and certificate of award were presented to an outstanding citizen of the Fitzgerald High School. An engraved medal was awarded to the student making the highest average in American History. A medal is offered to the high school student submitting the best essay on "The Development of American Music." Chapter members were guests of the Homemaking Department of the Fitzgerald High School in January, at which time two cash awards were given to winners of the menu contest. Six subscriptions to the D.A.R. Magazine include one which is presented to the Carnegie Library and one to the high school library. Both local newspapers have cooperated in giving the chapter outstanding publicity, amounting to 440 inches. Radio Station WBHB has generously given us time for three short radio programs, as well as spot announcements of meetings. Two hundred magazines were given to the Bookmobile for distribution in rural areas of the county. Twenty-five books were presented to the Negro High School. The chapter has an active student loan fund of \$300.00. Chapter members have participated in Red Cross, March of Dimes, Community Chest, and many other drives which promote human conservation.

JAMES MONROE CHAPTER, FORSYTH

Mrs. G. Harold Reeves, Regent

Honor Roll

The James Monroe Chapter has a membership of twenty-eight. We regret that we lost by death three of our most loyal members. A very impressive memorial service was held for these three. \$30.00 was sent to the National Building Fund. We contributed \$28.00 toward the erection of Bell Tower at Valley Forge. A box of clothing, valued at \$75.00 was sent to Tamasee; also a box of clothing valued at \$25.00 to Kate Duncan Smith School. Beads and leather purses were sent to our Indian girls at St. Mary's.

GOVERNOR TRUETLEN CHAPTER, FORT VALLEY

Mrs. Paul Murray, Regent

Honor Roll

The Governor Truetlen Chapter has 68 members. During the last year the chapter lost two members by death. There are seven subscribers to D.A.R. Magazine, and the President General's message is read each month by the Regent. State, National, and Approved School requirements have been met. Approved School's Chairman has presented the work ably and \$75.00 in money and clothing valued at \$120.00 has been given to this work. The chapter has sent \$68.00 this year to the Building Completion

Fund. A \$5.00 cash award is given annually to High School student for the best average in American History, also the Good Citizens medal is awarded annually. One chapter member, a teacher in Junior High, teaches all of her pupils the American's Creed. Members stand ready at all times to participate in worthwhile community projects and practice at all times Americanism.

THE COLONEL WILLIAM CANDLER CHAPTER, GAINESVILLE

Mrs. David E. Godfrey Regent

Honor Roll

Colonel William Candler Chapter has a membership of 69, one new member, one received by transfer, one lost by death, and two papers pending in Washington. The Northeastern District meeting met with Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, presiding. Five members attended the lovely tea at Holly Hill, the home of Mrs. Marvin Tabor, honoring Mrs. Stribling, and State Officers. Thirty-seven dollars contributed to Building Fund, and \$25.00 to Tamassee. Eleven Grammar School awards for highest yearly averages in United States History. The Good Citizens Pilgrim, Frances Beach, was presented a pin. A Lumpkin County History for the Library, Bible records from two old Bibles. Tombstone records from Old Mount Carmel Churchyard, now Chestnut Mountain; from Old Liberty Churchyard, now Macedonia; also from the Lott burying ground and Hopewell Cemetery. Scrapbook kept of National, State, and current news. Eight magazine subscriptions. Publicity 138 inches.

ARTHUR FORT CHAPTER, GRANTVILLE

Mrs. Donald Banks, Vice Regent

The Arthur Fort Chapter has lived not because of, but in spite of difficulties. We are sincerely interested in our American Heritage, and will seek to interpret it for the benefit of our entire community. We have 16 members and hope next year to meet all Honor Roll Requirements.

OLIVER MORTON CHAPTER, GRAY

Mrs. E. P. Jones, Regent

Honor Roll

Oliver Morton Chapter is county-wide with 28 members. Space is allowed in the High School Library for National Defense literature, available at all times to the students and used. Six Good Citizenship medals were given in grammar school, one in high school, and one American History medal. This year a Music Medal will be given. All graves are marked. A fashion show is sponsored each spring by our Homemakers Club. Each winner in the three groups is given a silver teaspoon. A box, valued at \$50.00 and Christmas gifts were sent Kate Duncan Smith School. Christmas gifts were sent to the Veterans' Hospital in Dublin. Also magazines to the Naval Hospital. As guests for our February meeting we had Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Vice President General from Georgia, and the State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, who addressed us on National Defense.

ADAM BRINSON CHAPTER, GRAYMONT-SUMMIT

Mrs. Ira T. McLemore, Regent

Honor Roll

Contributions were: \$5.00 to General Student Aid for Indians; a box of clothing valued at \$30.00 sent to Kate Duncan Smith School; magazines to Merchant Marine Library; and \$38.00 to Building Completion Fund. The chapter sponsored citizens in three high schools, and a History medal has been offered in the local high school. Chapter membership is 43—three new members, one reinstated, one transfer from chapter and five papers are pending in Washington.

The highlight of the year was a luncheon at our chapter house in November honoring the State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling with the State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Robert Humphrey, and State Chairman, Mrs. W. E. Gray as other special guests. A distinctive social feature of the year was "Family Night" when members and their families met for a supper and fellowship hour. The music chairman presented a program on American Music in which all participated. The occasion was so much enjoyed that members voted to make it an annual affair.

Radio Stations, WJAT, Swainsboro, and WWNS, Statesboro, gave chapter two fifteen minute spots. American Indians, Good Citizens, American Music, Americanism, and National Defense as pertaining to D.A.R. work were stressed. Conservation, American Music, American Indians, National Defense, and Approved Schools have all been specifically emphasized on different programs. Slides of "This is America," showing the growth of our country and stimulating patriotism and love of country were shown at one meeting. One hundred and sixty-two inches of publicity appeared in the local newspaper. A scrapbook of D.A.R. activities has been kept.

PULASKI CHAPTER, GRIFFIN

Mrs. Florine D. Gibson, Regent

Honor Roll

1952-53 has been a good year for Pulaski Chapter, with an increase of seven members, three by transfer. In June at the chapter's annual luncheon, State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, was guest speaker, giving highlights of the 61st Annual Congress. State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Robert Humphrey, was also a guest. During the summer, year books, with programs following State Chairman's outline, were made and presented at the September meeting. West Central District met in Griffin with State Regent, presiding, and many State Officers and Chairmen present. D.A.R. Magazine subscriptions 20 percent of membership, three being sent to Public Library, and two to High School Libraries. Pins and certificates presented to two Good Citizens at two High Schools on Honors Day, also two medals for highest average in American History; \$5.00 cash award to highest average in Home Economics in two schools. Sponsored 12 J.A.C. Clubs in schools with membership of 393. Griffin Chapter of Red Cross was organized by a Pulaski regent in 1917 and one member has served as voluntary Executive Secretary for thirty years. Local contributions were: \$20.00 to Community Chest; \$15.00, Red Cross; \$10.00 as Christmas donation to Welfare Fund; \$63.75 sent to Building Fund; \$10.00 to Meadow Garden; \$5.00 each to Bacone and St. Mary's Schools; \$5.00 to Marian Sibley Wylie Fund; \$2.00 each to Crossnore, Berry, Berea, and Blue Ridge Schools; box of clothing valued

at \$75.00 sent to Tamasee; box of same value to Kate Duncan Smith. Beads and buttons to Navajo Indians; books and magazines sent to Merchant Marine Library. Members work as Gray Ladies with 446 hours, with Girl Scouts, 207 hours, Red Cross, 78 hours. Civil Defense stressed and members participated in classes. Radio program on Founder's Day, 40 Spots making a Radio money value of \$114.85. Good publicity in local newspaper and three short articles in Atlanta Constitution. A steel file has been placed in the club rooms, and an effort made to collect and to file all papers of chapter during its sixty years of activity. Paid \$10.00 (half) and Library \$10.00 for a lineage book, now out of print, to be placed on Library shelf. Chapter's \$625.00 Student Loan Fund, with part in use. Scrapbook is kept and entered at State Conference.

Highlight of year was a seated tea observing the 60th anniversary of Pulaski Chapter. Deceased Regents were remembered by short sketches of their term of office and the lighting of white candles, Past Regents reporting on their Regency as blue candles were lighted. Mrs. John F. Thigpen, State Second Vice Regent, and Mrs. John C. Peteet, State Chairman of Transportation were guests. Seventy-five Manuals for Citizenship were distributed.

JOHN BENSON CHAPTER, HARTWELL

Mrs. Guy H. Norris, Regent

Honor Roll

The John Benson Chapter lost one member by transfer, one by resignation, and one by death. The National Defense Chairman read the defense news and the President General's message. All Patriotic Days were observed. The Press Chairman gave publicity to the ten meetings of the year, and all meetings were announced over WKLY. Fifty-nine inches of reports of meetings were published in the Hartwell Sun and in the Anderson (S. C.) Independent.

At the yearly luncheon, Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, and Mrs. Leonard Wallace were among the honored guests and brought inspirational addresses.

Constitution Day was observed by a broadcast over WKLY. July Fourth was observed by the ringing of church bells. Americanism and human conservation have been stressed. The Regent spoke to ten groups of school children besides adult groups, mainly on dangers of world government, socialized medicine, UNESCO, and Federal Aid to Education.

Seven members subscribe to the D.A.R. Magazine. Each of the members received an attractive yearbook. Ten records of Revolutionary soldiers of South Carolina and Virginia and copies of three wills and three Bible records were sent to the State Chairman. The following contributions have been made: Approved Schools—Kate Duncan Smith, \$6.05; Tamasee, \$28.05 (and a box of men's clothing valued at \$50.00); Berry, Berea, Crossnore, Maryville, South Dakota Indian School, and the Marian Sibley Wylie Fund, \$1.00 each. Others—Building Completion Fund, \$5.00; Bell Tower, \$1.50; McCall Genealogical Fund, \$1.83; Meadow Garden, \$2.44; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$1.83; Hartwell Public Library, \$12.00; repair of Memorial Hall, \$61.00; and C.A.R. Society, \$3.05. Gold medals were given for the best work in United States History in the seventh and tenth grades of the Hartwell Schools. Good Citizenship Medals were given to the girl and to the boy in the Hartwell senior class, and to a girl in the colored school. An award of \$2.50 was given to the girl in Hartwell High School and

to the colored girl in the Hart County Training School for the best made dresses. A \$21.71 Christmas box was sent to the mentally ill at Milledgeville. The Scholarship Fund of \$792.48 was increased by \$47.49. The interest from this fund goes to a D.A.R. School. There are now sixty-one members on roll.

HAWKINSVILLE CHAPTER, HAWKINSVILLE

Mrs. Nick G. Cabero, Regent

Hawkinsville Chapter has 56 members, lost one by death, three by transfer, and two by resignation. Chapter has received two new members and one by transfer. Suggested programs "United for the United States of America," followed with interesting programs. Sent clothing valued at \$75.00 to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee Schools. Two History medals and two Citizens pins were awarded. \$5.00 cash award given to local Library for vacation reading. Notices and accounts of meetings have been in local paper. One radio broadcast given over local station. Walking Blood Bank Program organized. Chapter has marked grave of one deceased member. Members of chapter have given three markers for deceased members' graves.

JOHN FLOYD CHAPTER, HOMERVILLE

Mrs. Roan Kelly, Regent

John Floyd Chapter has an enrollment of 157 members, having lost one by death and two by transfer.

We were joint hostess with C.A.R. at a banquet in Homerville, when the Wiregrass Georgia Chapter of S.A.R. was organized. One hundred and fifty were in attendance, including Judge George P. Whitman, Sr., of Atlanta, State President of S.A.R., also the Hon. John A. Dunaway, of Atlanta, State S.A.R. Registrar. The most outstanding event of the year was the joint banquet in Adel of the D.A.R., S.A.R., and C.A.R. We were greatly honored with our State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling and National President General of S.A.R., Mr. Roy O. Edwards, as our guest speakers. Anniversary luncheon was held in Douglas at Hotel General Coffee. A very delightful occasion. Mr. Tom Cottingham was guest speaker. His subject, "America First." National Defense has been stressed at all meetings. Publicity has been given all activities, with several prominent speakers having participated. History Medal won by Cynthia Bell Lee, C.A.R. of Lakeland. Ten percent of members have subscribed to D.A.R. Magazine. Good Citizens project was promoted in seven High Schools, with each contestant receiving Good Citizens certificates and pins. Girl Homemakers contest was promoted. A box of used clothing was sent to Tamassee valued at \$60.00. Five dollars was sent to American Indians.

JOHN BALL CHAPTER, IRWINTON

Mrs. John W. Faulk, Regent

Honor Roll

John Ball Chapter has an enrollment of 34, five new members and one associate member; two lost by resignation. Yearbooks were presented to the members. One meeting was a pilgrimage to the Ocmulgee National Park in Macon. Historical programs as outlined by the State Chairman were given. The President General's messages were read and National Defense Chairman reported Press

Digest News. A scholarship of \$50.00 was given to Kate Duncan Smith School honoring the memory of Mrs. Alexander Nesbitt. A box of clothing valued at \$55.00 was sent to Tamassee School. Seven members subscribe to the D.A.R. Magazine. A marker was placed on the grave of Mrs. Gillie Sanders Powell with an appropriate ceremony.

WILLIAM McINTOSH CHAPTER, JACKSON

Miss Ruth Middlebrooks, Regent

The William McIntosh Chapter has 42 members on roll, 17 of whom are non-resident. Two were lost by death. Yearbooks dedicated to Mrs. J. B. Harrison, Regent, 1919, were presented at the September meeting. Monthly meetings have been well attended and the programs, which followed the outline of the State Chairman, have been very interesting. Several guests speakers have been presented on the program. All meetings have been given publicity in the local newspaper. On May 4, 1952, the chapter held a special grave marking service at the Jackson City Cemetery, at which time D.A.R. markers were placed on the graves of 12 deceased daughters. The ceremony was well attended by friends and relatives of the deceased. A \$5.00 contribution was made to each of the following drives: Polio, Cancer, Heart, Red Cross, and Tuberculosis. Two awards of \$5.00 each were offered to the students in the Jackson High School for the most outstanding work in American History and the best essay on American History. The good Citizen Medal and certificate were awarded in the Jackson High School. The following records have been sent in: 244 Tombstone Records, 21 Bible Records, 1 Church Record, and 1 Obituary.

ALTAMAHA CHAPTER, JESUP

Mrs. John Bell Pruitt, Regent

Honor Roll

Altamaha Chapter has an enrollment of fourteen members, eight of whom are non-resident. Papers are prepared for three applicants, four more in course of preparation. We are working hard to increase our local membership, because of our limited number of local members we are unable to accomplish any great amount of regular chapter work. Besides our efforts to secure more local members the chapter cooperates with Civic, Patriotic, Red Cross, all progressive movements and any worthy cause when called upon. A contribution has been sent to the National Building Fund, also to Valley Forge Memorial Tower. We are still working to finish meeting our per capita quota on the National Building Fund and Valley Forge Memorial Tower. The chapter has two magazine subscriptions.

WILLIAM MARSH CHAPTER, LAFAYETTE

Mrs. Thomas P. Archer, Regent

William Marsh Chapter has a membership of fifty-six, with five new members. American's Creed Day program given with seven schools participating, including Negro schools. Seven Good Citizenship Medals and five American History Medals awarded. Box of clothing sent to Tamassee and books to the Merchant Marine Library. Approved Schools award requirement met. Student Loan Fund continued. Ten dollars contributed to Memorial Bell Tower at Valley Forge and \$1.00 per capita to Building Completion Fund. News articles appeared in three newspapers of all meetings and were clipped for scrapbook. Notes sent Press Chairman. Manuals distributed to schools and libraries. Georgia Historic Commission gave

marker through William Marsh Chapter, D.A.R., for Fort Cummings Cherokee Indian Stockade built in 1836. Chapter replaced one marker previously placed in city park in 1916.

LAGRANGE CHAPTER, LAGRANGE

Mrs. Barrington J. King, Regent

Honor Roll

LaGrange Chapter has a membership of 76. Our eight new members were given the booklet "D.A.R. Activities" when they were officially welcomed into the Society. Box of clothing valued at \$370.00 to Tamasee, and box valued at \$160.00 to Kate Duncan Smith. Contributions to the American Indians, D.A.R. Library, Museum, Building Completion Fund, and Valley Forge. The Genealogist copied deeds at the Courthouse for the year 1827. The Motion Picture Bulletins were placed in a loose-leaf binder in the Public Library. The Theatre Manager cooperated in bringing D.A.R. recommended pictures. The Radio Chairman arranged a broadcast by our State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, on her visit to LaGrange, also observances of patriotic birthdays, and a review of "White Columns in Georgia." The Press Chairman received splendid publicity using 150 inches in the local paper. The High School faculty cooperated with the Good Citizens Chairman in selecting a student; and with the Girl Homemaker's Chairman. Awards were given for the three best dresses, and to the two highest grades in American History. The J.A.C. Chairman organized clubs in five County Schools with five active chapters and 300 members. A United States Flag was presented by the J.A.C. to Hillcrest School. The Junior members presented the program on Approved Schools and American Indians. Programs included National Defense by our State Regent at a luncheon meeting at the Country Club. National Defense was given as current events at every meeting, State History and Archives by Mrs. Mary Bryan; films of National Headquarters; Medora Fields Perkerson's book, "White Columns in Georgia," was reviewed; American Music was given whenever a piano was available, otherwise the Anthem was read. Patriotic Days observed and President General's message given; program by the foreign exchange students and letters read from our local students who are studying abroad; flag displayed and Correct Use of Flag given. The outstanding work was done by the Conservation Chairman. Complete outfits given six children; Christmas made possible for a number of families; presents to hospitalized veterans at Fort Benning; contributions to all drives, Polio, Heart, Cerebral Palsy, T.B., Cancer, Red Cross. Four members are staff assistants for Bloodmobile; four are Red Cross Gray Ladies. One member organized the Cerebral Palsy Society of Georgia, and is now a trustee. One member active in Welfare Work. Several planted shrubbery around a church; one member checked textbooks in city and county schools. Ten subscribed to the D.A.R. Magazine.

JOHN DOOLY CHAPTER, LINCOLNTON

Mrs. Harry C. Stewart, Regent

No Report.

ROANOKE CHAPTER, LUMPKIN

Miss Ida A. Ward, Regent

Honor Roll

Roanoke Chapter has a membership of 28 with papers pending. We have lost one by transfer. The President General's Message was read. One program on American Music was arranged by the

State American Music Chairman. We celebrated our 27th anniversary with a luncheon in November. National Defense has been stressed. Our Historical Committee is actively interested in marking historic spots, a map being prepared showing the extent of Indian Trails in our locality. Good Citizens certificates were given a High School girl in Lumpkin and Richland Schools, and they will receive the pin at their school commencement exercises. We have observed Patriotic Days. We had one program in which slide pictures of D.A.R. Buildings in Washington were shown. We have had 100 inches of publicity in local and nearby city newspapers.

MARY HAMMOND WASHINGTON CHAPTER, MACON

Mrs. S. S. Halliburton, Regent

Honor Roll

Mary Hammond Washington Chapter has a membership of 181. Six new members, two transfers and one lost in death. American music has been featured at each meeting. Important information from the D.A.R. Magazine has been brought to the members' attention, and twenty-one members are subscribers. Patriotic Days have been observed and our National Defense Chairman has brought splendid programs to each meeting, with reports from Civil Defense, Medical Auxiliary meetings, and Red Cross, which she attended in our behalf. Outstanding guest speakers brought us excellent programs, covering subjects outlined in State Program agenda. Contributions included five dollars to each of the following Approved Schools: Berry, Maryville, Pine Mountain, Crossnore, Blue Ridge, St. Mary's, Bacone, Tamasee, Kate Duncan Smith and a \$10.00 gift from one of our members to the Berry School. Valuable boxes of clothing were sent to Kate Duncan Smith, Tamasee and Pine Mountain. Two dollars were contributed to the Museum, \$2.00 to the Library and \$5.00 to the Marian Sibley Wylie Fund. Press notices of each meeting appeared in two newspapers. The chapter presented to State Conference in Atlanta, the Porter Trophy, a lovely silver bowl, to be awarded to the Chapter achieving the most outstanding contribution in the field of local library needs. The trustees of James Hyde Porter Genealogical Library have gone forward this year with great accomplishments, having among other things, acquired the long desired Pennsylvania Records. A complete list of all the books in this is being compiled in booklet form, one for each member in our chapter and one for each chapter Regent within a radius of fifty miles of Macon. All chapters are invited to make use of this splendid library where a genealogist from our chapter will assist in using the books every Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, excepting legal holidays.

NATHANIEL MACON CHAPTER, MACON

Mrs. Florine B. Davis, Regent

Honor Roll

Nathaniel Macon Chapter has a membership of 128, with several application papers pending in Washington. An impressive Memorial Service for the three members who passed away during the last year was led by our Chaplain at the December meeting. Our Chaplain also composed and contributed a prayer as requested by the Chaplain General.

Contributions have been made to Kate Duncan Smith, \$10.00; Tamasee, \$25.00; six Approved Schools, \$18.00; cash donations

to Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, Meadow Garden, McCall Genealogical Fund, Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship Fund; \$10.00 to Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower Fund; \$10.00 to the National D.A.R. Museum; and \$167.35 to the National Building Fund. Boxes of clothing valued at \$125.00 were sent to Kate Duncan Smith and Crossnore Schools. The Junior Committee contributed \$20.00 to the Helen Pouch Scholarship Fund; \$20.00 to the Building Completion Fund; \$5.00 to the Macon Community Chest and gave food and money to a needy family at Christmas. Seventy-five D.A.R. Manuals for Citizenship were distributed to High School, College and Public Libraries and to the Federal Court Room. The Good Citizen Pin and Certificate of Award will be given on Recognition Day at Miller High School. One copy of the "Master Index to the D.A.R. Magazine" and twelve copies of the magazine were given to Washington Memorial Library and also a volume of "With Sword and Lance," by Joseph Waterman. One book, "Major General John Blake," by C. M. Blake was sent to the National D.A.R. Library in Washington. Seventy-five cents was given for the filing cabinet fund. Our Genealogist presented the chapter a typewritten copy of Vol. 4 of "Magna Charta," by Wurts, which is now out of print. This is now being bound and will be given to Washington Memorial Library for the Genealogical Room. Sixteen members subscribe to the D.A.R. Magazine. Notices and reports of meetings were published in local papers.

HENRY WALTON CHAPTER, MADISON

Mrs. Robert Bateman, Regent

Honor Roll

Henry Walton Chapter reports 52 members, with two new members added, one lost by death, and a Junior Committee of seven. Cash contribution to Helen Pouch Memorial Fund by Junior Committee; \$5.00 to Crossnore; \$5.00 to Tamassee (Marian Sibley Wylie Fund); \$10.00 to Berry; \$5.00 to Blue Ridge; \$3.00 to Lincoln Memorial; six boxes of clothing sent to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith Schools, valued at \$145.00. Total contribution to Approved Schools, \$180.00. One Memorial Service for deceased member. Three distinguished guests and speakers. Two papers sent to Filing and Lending. Thirteen subscriptions sent to D.A.R. Magazine. Contributed money and beads to Bacone and St. Mary's Indian Schools. Gave \$10.00 to the Museum, honoring Mrs. Carter Shepherd, State Curator. Sold three boxes of Valley Forge cards. Sent 66 books to Merchant Marine Library. American Music stressed in chapter and in schools. Scrapbook kept of chapter's activities. Member made eight radio talks and one television appearance, another member one radio talk.

D.A.R. Manuals for Citizenship distributed for use in high school Civics Class, Veterans Training Class, and American Heritage Discussion group. Twelve Junior American Citizenship Clubs—six new clubs this year, with a total of 367 members organized. Twenty-four American flags with standards were presented to elementary grades. The Chairman of National Defense has written two signed articles for the local paper and has served as leader of a discussion group on various aspects of the American Heritage, stressing D.A.R. ideals of patriotism and good citizenship. Twelve D.A.R. members took part in this eight-session series of reading and discussing American history and its present-day implications. Conservation programs, illustrated with films, presented at chapter meeting, Veterans Training Class, and library story hour. Three members worked with welfare. Members gave sixty hours of work to Human

Conservation Project of Hearing Test Survey. Members planted 53,000 pine trees. Chapter Historian spoke on local and national history at schools and civic organization meetings. Submitted twenty-three typewritten and indexed pages of Morgan County records. Chapter sponsored Good Citizen Contest in the high school and presented pin. A style show was held by the Girl Homemakers and one dress submitted to the State Chairman. Chapter gave cash prizes, \$2.50 to the senior winner and \$2.00 to the junior winner. A prize of \$5.00 was given to the best student in American History at Morgan County High School. Books and magazines were placed on the D.A.R. shelf at the High School Library. D.A.R. book plates were used. Chapter distributed D.A.R. Manuals for Citizenship, Flag Codes, Motion Picture Guides, National Defense and Conservation literature. Supported all local and national drives. Publicity appeared in two weekly newspapers—200 inches.

ANDREW HOUSER CHAPTER, MARIETTA

Mrs. Gordon B. Smith, Regent

Honor Roll

Andrew Houser Chapter has a membership of 33, of whom six are non-resident. One member has transferred and two new members have been welcomed. At present there are three application papers pending in Washington.

Sent one box of clothing to Tamassee, and three boxes of clothing to Kate Duncan Smith D.A.R. School, with a total valuation of \$100.00. Cash donations have been sent to the following Approved Schools: Berry, Berea College, Blue Ridge, Crossnore and Maryville. A special cash donation of \$16.00 has been sent to the Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship and \$25.00 to the Kate Duncan Smith School. Thirty-nine percent subscribed to the D.A.R. Magazine. Chapter members have contributed to the Community Chest, Red Cross, Cancer, Polio, Heart, and Tuberculosis Drives, and have done Red Cross volunteer work.

On September 17, 1952, Andrew Houser Chapter had the pleasure of being co-hostess with the Fielding Lewis Chapter to the Northwestern District Meeting. Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent, presided, and several State, National and honorary officers were present, as well as Regents and representatives of the chapters comprising the district. In November, 1952, instead of a regular meeting, a group of chapter members visited Kate Duncan Smith D.A.R. School—a most inspiring experience. In January, 1953, the Chapter celebrated its third birthday, and had as guests Mrs. John F. Thigpen, State Second Vice Regent and State Chairman of Approved Schools, and Mrs. Olin S. Cofer, Chairman, Approved Schools of the Joseph Habersham Chapter. Mrs. Thigpen gave a very interesting talk on approved schools.

FIELDING LEWIS CHAPTER, MARIETTA

Mrs. C. A. Keith, Regent

Fielding Lewis Chapter D.A.R. has an enrollment of 94 members. This includes the Junior group sponsored by the chapter. Six new members have been added this year. With the Andrew Houser Chapter, we were hosts to the district meeting in the fall. Two of our members visited Tamassee at the time of the homecoming in the late spring. We have made contributions to the Approved Schools. It has been the effort of the chairman to have all meet-

ings publicized in the local newspapers. Our subscriptions to the D.A.R. Magazine were greatly increased and the Junior Committee is working on Civil Defense projects.

STEPHEN HOPKINS CHAPTER, MARSHALLVILLE

Mrs. John S. Averill, Jr., Regent

Stephen Hopkins Chapter has had regular monthly meetings. We have 16 active members. Approved Schools have been our prime interest, and we continue to concentrate on these schools. Our chapter maintains a D.A.R. Shelf in the town library. A flag, staff and stand were bought and presented to the Marshallville School. Our programs throughout the year have been concentrated on the United States of America, as set up by the State Program Chairman, who is a member of our chapter. In February the chapter celebrated its 50th Anniversary. Two of the charter members were present, and are still active. Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent, was the guest speaker.

OCONEE CHAPTER, McRAE

Mrs. Maurice A. Cameron, Regent

Honor Roll

Oconee Chapter has an enrollment of 26, including one transfer and two new ones, and lost two by resignation. Outstanding programs with a guest speaker at each meeting followed the outline of the State Chairman "United for United States of America." National Defense has been stressed at each meeting. The chapter contributed boxes of clothing to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee Schools valued at \$50.00 each, contributed \$10.00 to our Community Center. A great number of magazines were given colored schools. Our members participated in drives for Christmas Seals, Red Cross and March of Dimes. D.A.R. Magazine subscriptions were given the Public Library and School. There are eight subscriptions to the magazine. We had about 100 inches of publicity in local papers. One Good Citizenship Medal, one History Medal and one Good Citizen pin will be awarded at graduation. A pilgrimage was sponsored by the members to the following places: the site of the first courthouse in Telfair County, Old Block House Church built in 1817, and Old Concord Church Cemetery where four Revolutionary soldiers are buried.

NANCY HART CHAPTER, MILLEDGEVILLE

Mrs. Frank A. Dennis, Regent

Honor Roll

Eighty-seven members. Three boxes to Tamassee valued at \$217.00. One box to Kate Duncan Smith, value, \$50.00; cash to Berry, \$18.75; Blue Ridge, \$5.00; Crossnore, \$5.00; Maryville, \$2.50; Pine Mountain, \$2.50; Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment, \$5.00. State Chairman was our guest and made address. Blanche Tait Memorial Scholarship, GSCW, \$5.00; gift to Bell Tower, \$10.00; National Library Fund, \$2.00; Merchant Marine Library, \$2.00; and American Indians, \$2.00. Seventy Red Cross kits made. Two books sent National Society Library. Three hundred volumes given to State Hospital. Bookcase valued at \$22.00 given to County Library. Eighty-seven volumes with maps of historical value given as memorial. File Magazines 1943-51 placed in library. Four

typed bound books—early Marriage Records of Baldwin County placed in GSCW Archives. Early wills being copied. Valuable Opera Librettos given GSCW. American Music used in programs. Wardrobe given to two foreign students, valued at \$250.00. Reconditioned marker at old Fort Wilkinson, built road, erected two highway signs. Held open meeting in June with C.A.R. and S.A.R. as guests. Presented two Good Citizens pins. Awards and certificates given in all schools for best average in American History. Flag Codes distributed to all schools and Junior organizations. Three scholarships at GSCW being used. Radio appeals made to get out and vote. Cooperated in Historic Milledgeville Pilgrimage and Pageant. Actively participating in plans for Sesquicentennial in April, also Better Home Town Contest. National Defense notes at all meetings and magazine placed in GSCW Library. Junior Membership Program with Regents from nearby towns as guests. Reports sent to all State Chairmen.

MATTHEW TALBOT CHAPTER, MONROE

Mrs. R. G. Burton, Regent

Honor Roll

The Matthew Talbot Chapter has twenty-nine members, five of whom are non-resident. Two members have been gained by transfer and one lost by death. Programs for the year have been very interesting, each having followed the theme outlined by the State Program Chairman: "United for the United States of America." The President General's Message has been read each month. Yearbooks were distributed. These books have a memorial page to our beloved charter member, Mrs. W. H. Nunnally, who died April 27, 1952. A special memorial service for her was given by the Chapter Chaplain and a marker was placed on the grave.

Four boxes of clothing have been sent to the Approved Schools: one to Kate Duncan Smith, two to Tamasse, one to Crossnore with a total value of \$210.00. Cash contributions to Approved Schools were made. Contributions of \$1.00 per member have been made to the Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower Fund. A subscription to the National D.A.R. Magazine was given to the Walton County Library where the chapter maintains a D.A.R. Shelf. Two flag sales were held with receipts totaling \$66.02. One American History and two Citizenship Medals were presented to outstanding high school seniors at graduation. Five dollars was given for the best cotton dress made in the Home Economics Department. In this same department one medal was given for general excellence and a prize for the best menu.

Excellent work was done by the National Defense Chairman by making talks in the local high school about registration and voting, urging all students eighteen years old and over to register. Old ballots were taken to the school and explained. Talks were also given on Good Citizenship, World Government, and the United Nations. Preachers were visited throughout the county and requested to preach patriotic sermons during the month of July. "I Have Voted" tags were distributed at the polls in the National election. Every member is a registered voter. Five minute talks on National Defense have been given at every meeting. The chapter donated \$25.00 for the upkeep of the D.A.R. hospital room which it maintains at Walton County Hospital. Members also participated in donating linens and other supplies to the hospital during National Hospital Week. The local newspaper has cooperated in every way by giving full reports of meetings.

ELIZABETH MARLOW CHAPTER, MONTICELLO

Mrs. Dan Gunn, Regent

The Elizabeth Marlow Chapter has 34 members. One new member, one lost by death. The President General's Message read at all meetings. The programs arranged in accordance with the outline furnished. Many articles appearing in the D.A.R. Magazine have been read. A gold medal awarded to the seventh grade pupil attaining the highest mark in American History. A Good Citizenship Medal was awarded to a member of the senior class. Chapter has been given publicity on all meetings by the local papers. D.A.R. Magazine is sent to the Monticello High School Library. All members were urged to vote in all elections and to participate in various civic drives.

SERGEANT JASPER CHAPTER, MONTICELLO

Mrs. F. S. Belcher, Regent

Honor Roll

The Sergeant Jasper Chapter has a membership of fifteen. One member was reinstated, and the paper of another member is in process of being transferred. We lost two members by death. The President General's Message is read at each meeting, and our Defense Chairman gives a short talk. All Patriotic Days have been observed. We contributed a large box of clothing to the Kate Duncan Smith School valued at \$200.00, and \$10.00 to the Building Completion Fund. A medal is given to the pupil in High School making the highest average in American History.

JOHN BENNING CHAPTER, MOULTRIE

Mrs. George Huber, Jr., Regent

Honor Roll

The John Benning Chapter has a membership of 76, including five non-resident members. The Chapter served as hostess to the Southwest District meeting in September. Interesting and informative programs, as outlined by the State Chairman, are presented at each meeting. Music, featured as "The Story of America in Music," has been used, beginning with birth and early growth through modern music. A box of clothes valued at \$100.00 was sent to Kate Duncan Smith and 28 gaily wrapped Christmas gifts to Tamassee. National Defense work has been stressed. The Committee sponsored a program, "United Against Socialism." Seven patriotic days were observed, five radio programs given, including a daily prayer for peace. The Committee also presented two talks on Communism for the Lions Club and the Pilot Club. They distributed 325 copies of "A Simple Eight-Point Program" on combatting Communism, and 37 Citizenship Manuals. An Indian Legend was dramatized as part of the program on American Indians. Clothing, bedding, beads, etc., valued at \$290.00 was sent to Bacone, St. Mary's and the Navajo Reservation. Ten dollars was given to each of the following: Bacone, St. Mary's, and the General Indian Fund. The Committee for Correct Use of the Flag had a part on the February program, distributed flag codes to schools, Girl Scout and Boy Scout Troops, urged display of flags by merchants on patriotic days and observed Flag Day by news item and placing 60 small flags on trays at the hospital. The Conservation Pledge

was taught to school children, a program given by the seventh grade followed by planting pine trees on campus under supervision of Agriculture Department of the local High School. Films on Conservation were shown in School. Good Citizens are being sponsored in three High Schools of County. Four Good Citizenship Medals are given in elementary schools and four \$5.00 awards for Citizenship and American History in local High School. The chapter has a Student Loan Fund of \$500.00; participates in all civic drives, and sponsors a Girl Scout Troop. A Mother-Daughter Tea followed the program presented by the C.A.R. at the chapter meeting in January. Ten percent of the members subscribe to the magazine and copies are placed in the Carnegie and Elementary and High School Libraries. A total of 236 inches of publicity has been given to the chapter.

SARAH DICKINSON CHAPTER, NEWNAN

Mrs. George H. Dean, Regent

Sarah Dickinson Chapter celebrated its Fiftieth Anniversary February twenty-third with Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent, as our guest speaker. Mrs. Claude E. Fitts, State Radio Chairman, was also a guest and spoke on Approved Schools. Mrs. T. J. Fisher, a charter member, gave some interesting facts about the chapter's organization; also displayed the charter. We have a membership of thirty-two. One lost by resignation and one by death this year. We had two radio broadcasts highlighting the main objectives of the National Society D.A.R. and our Approved Schools. Ten meetings were held and the program outline suggested by State chairman was followed. National Defense was stressed at each meeting and American music, including its history was featured. All patriotic days were recognized. Flag Day was observed with an appropriate program. At the request of our chapter the flags were displayed by our merchants. We contributed \$20.00 to Memorial Bell Tower. Citizenship, Homemakers and History awards were presented to to high school pupils at Commencement.

GENERAL DANIEL STEWART CHAPTER, PERRY

Mrs. Edward W. Traylor, Regent

Honor Roll

The General Daniel Stewart Chapter has 33 enrolled. Two new members gained, one by transfer and one reinstated, with two papers pending. Each meeting published in local newspaper, with all meetings well attended and all Patriotic Days observed. We gave \$4.00 for binding old books, two Good Citizenship Medals at close of school, also a Medal to the student making the highest average in American History. Ten percent of our members subscribe to the D.A.R. Magazine. The highlight of the year was being hostess to the Fall Board of Management on November 6.

HANNAH CLARKE CHAPTER, QUITMAN

Mrs. Maude Phillips Frye, Regent

Honor Roll

Hannah Clarke Chapter has a membership of sixty-seven, having received two new members and lost one by transfer. Chapter has been kept informed on National Defense News as gathered from the Magazine and the Bulletin each month. The President General's Message was read. Attractive yearbooks were published

and presented to all members. A scrapbook is kept. Contributions of money and clothing valued at \$30.00 was sent to Kate Duncan Smith School. Contributions were sent to each of the following: Crossnore, Berry, Tammassee, Berea, Pine Mountain, Maryville. Chapter maintains section in Brooks County Library. Several books of historic value are preserved here. Seven subscriptions to Magazine have been secured. Five awards for essays on Correct Use of Flag were made. Essays were read at June meeting. In March the chapter had the honor and pleasure of having as their guest and guest speaker, Mrs. Leonard Wallace, then State Regent. Members of neighboring chapters—Thomasville and Valdosta enjoyed the happy occasion with the local chapter. Publicity has been given chapter activities in the local paper and the radio. In November the regent was given time to review the history of the chapter on a tape recorded radio program on Civic Clubs in Quitman. She told of past projects and future plans. Memorial services were held for the organizer and First Regent of our chapter, Mrs. Lula Hitch Chapman. Later a marker was placed at her grave. Good Citizens were chosen from the senior class of the four high schools in the county. Regent and three members attended the S.A.R., D.A.R., and C.A.R. joint meeting of the John Floyd and Wiregrass Chapters held in Adel. Our State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, and the National President of S.A.R., Mr. Ray Edwards, were guest speakers on this occasion.

GENERAL DAVID BLACKSHEAR CHAPTER, ROCHELLE

Mrs. J. W. Mashburn, Sr., Regent

General David Blackshear Chapter has held all meetings. Girl Homemakers entertained us with a fashion show, with 20 girls participating. The Junior girl winning second place in the State Contest. We contributed to Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship. The C.A.R. Society entertained with an outstanding program, also the American Music Chairman presented a musical program. Conservation Chairman planted 500 Dogwood trees, a number of oak and crepe myrtle. Good Citizenship and History Awards presented by the chapter and Regent. Special memorial services were held for members and grave markers placed.

XAVIER CHAPTER. ROME

Mrs. J. Bailey Gordon, Acting Regent

Xavier Chapter has 13 members—one being a life member. National and State dues paid. Per capita requirements sent to the State Treasurer for Approved Schools, Lucy Cook Peel, McCall Fund, and Meadow Garden. Twenty-five dollars given by a member directly to Tamasssee.

GOVERNOR JARED IRWIN CHAPTER, SANDERSVILLE

Mrs. C. F. Irwin, Sr., Regent

Honor Roll

Governor Jared Irwin Chapter has a membership of 26. Meetings were held monthly. The regular contributions were made. A box of clothing sent to Kate Duncan Smith School. A talk on Approved Schools was given and pictures shown. Two subscriptions to the D.A.R. Magazine. Four History Medals will be given in May to the boys and girls making highest grades in grammar and high school, studying American History.

BONAVENTURE CHAPTER, SAVANNAH

Mrs. Calvin G. Stegin, Regent

Honor Roll

Bonaventure Chapter has a membership of 46, having lost three by death, one by resignation and one by transfer. We have one new member by transfer. Nine meetings held, yearbooks distributed, scrapbook maintained, publicity given to all activities. We contributed to the Bell Tower Memorial Fund. A clothing shelf is maintained at the Juvenile Home in connection with our conservation work. Gift boxes sent to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee at Christmas. Naturalization Court attended by the regent and Chairman of Americanism. The chairman welcomed the newly made citizens and presented them with the Flag Code Leaflet. Over 100 percent on a per capita basis has been given the C.A.R. for their Conference in April. Entertained C.A.R. at the February meeting. The C.A.R. presented chapter with a lovely program. The Officers and Past Regents of the three chapters honored Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent, with a dinner February 14th.

LACHLAN McINTOSH CHAPTER, SAVANNAH

Mrs. A. S. Varn, Regent

Honor Roll

Lachlan McIntosh Chapter has 77 members. Ten are new, one reinstated. Two members were lost by death, one dropped. Programs have stressed committee activities. Two were conducted by members of C.A.R. Our Chapter Historian's class conducted an Armistice Day Program for their school. One historic film was used, 10 Motion Picture Guides distributed, one theatre manager shows films from the Children's Film Library. More than 30 letters were written to U. S. Representatives. Advertisements for Magazine \$202.25; 15 subscriptions. We sent \$31.65, completing the chapter's quota to Valley Forge. Spent \$50.00 in books for Chapter Library Shelf. Publicity 151 inches. A \$50.00 box of clothing, a \$10.00 box of socks, a chair for the gymnasium-auditorium, and a miscellaneous box were sent to Tamassee. A \$50.00 box of clothing was sent to Kate Duncan Smith School. Sent \$5.00 each to Berry Schools and Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship; \$15.00 to Indian Schools. Spot radio announcements, \$24.50; 125 D.A.R. Manuals given to immigrants; eight Manuals are being used by seven newly-organized J.A.C. Clubs; membership 307, in Haven Home colored school. Fifty cemetery records and 4,863 births, marriage, and interment records of Lutheran Church of Ascension, Savannah, sent. We entertained our State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, in cooperation with the other Savannah Chapters, February 14th at a dinner given in her honor. Our scrapbook is on display. We are cooperating in the effort to preserve and beautify Colonial Cemetery.

SAVANNAH CHAPTER, SAVANNAH

Mrs. Yates W. Little, Regent

Honor Roll

Savannah Chapter, D.A.R. has a membership of 184. We have lost three by death, four resignations, two transfers from the chapter, one transfer to the chapter, one reinstated and six new members. We have six papers pending. Two of the recipients of our Student Loan Fund have repaid their loan in full and we have

\$725.00 still outstanding in this vital part of our chapter's work. We have assisted with the formation of a city-wide group whose purpose is to preserve and beautify Colonial Cemetery, one of the outstanding historic spots in Savannah. Our program, following the theme "Foundations of Freedom," have featured most interesting speakers. We have presented Good Citizenship medals to 10 young ladies of our two high schools, attended two Naturalization Courts and welcomed new citizens and have presented two awards to outstanding students of Georgia History, met all state and national requirements, and have, as usual, followed State and National leadership in all work.

NOBLE WIMBERLY JONES CHAPTER, SHELLMAN

Mrs. J. E. McGlaun, Regent

Honor Roll

Noble Wimberly Jones Chapter has an enrollment of seventeen. Interesting and informative historical programs are presented, with material usually taken from D.A.R. Magazine. The President General's letters are read and National Defense Chairman gives Press Digest News. A program of beautiful American music was presented at the February meeting. We have three subscriptions to Magazine. Human conservation has been stressed by individual contributions to various drives. Members are very active in Red Cross and welfare work and participated in the sale of Christmas Seals. Work has been done with physically handicapped and with one mentally ill veteran.

JOHN CLARKE CHAPTER, SOCIAL CIRCLE

Mrs. W. D. Partee, Regent

Honor Roll

John Clarke Chapter meetings have been attended by an average of 75 percent of the local members. At each meeting American music was featured. A short report on National Defense and the President General's letter. The yearbook followed the theme "United for the United States of America." There are ten subscribers to the D.A.R. Magazine. One was given to the School Library. An interesting Scrapbook is being kept. The Regent made a personal gift in the name of the Chapter of thirteen American Flags to the public schools. Following our annual custom, the Girl Homemakers were entertained at a regular meeting of the chapter. Two awards were made for the best work. Two Good Citizenship medals in the eighth grade and a Good Citizen pin to a senior girl were given during commencement. The activities of the chapter were given 101 inches in the county paper. Members were active in all community drives.

HANCOCK CHAPTER, SPARTA

Mrs. Marvin W. Garrard, Regent

Honor Roll

Hancock Chapter has an enrollment of 28 members. Programs followed the State Chairman's outline. In September yearbooks were presented to members and the year's work outlined. Meetings were well attended and given publicity in local paper. Articles from D.A.R. Magazine were used in programs and President General's Message read at each meeting. Contributions included: \$18.80

to following Schools—Kate Duncan Smith, Berry, Blue Ridge, Hindman Settlement, Crossnore, and Berea; \$16.00 to Valley Forge; \$2.00 to Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship; and \$19.00 to Building Fund. \$5.00 for Good Citizen Award.

GOVERNOR DAVID EMANUEL CHAPTER, SWAINSBORO

Mrs. John Loren Dekle, Regent

Honor Roll

Governor David Emanuel Chapter has a membership of 70, 10 non-resident, 13 new members, one paper pending in Washington. Ten dollars contributed to Memorial Tower at Valley Forge. All patriotic days observed and work of all National Committees stressed. The year 1952-53 has been outstanding in that all committees functioned efficiently and reported to respective chairmen.

The chapter was honored at the November meeting by a visit from the State Regent, Mrs. Stribling, who spoke on "Safeguarding the Republic." She also spoke on the local radio on "National Defense." The National Defense Committee has had five minute reports at each meeting. Socialized Medicine, Federal Aid to Education, World Government, the Flag, Immigration have been stressed. 1952 Resolutions read and explained. State and National legislation presented to chapter. Fourteen letters, two telegrams, and two personal contacts in regard to legislation on defense matters made. Sixty-five small flags, 65 flag codes distributed. Had seven newspaper articles relating to flag and proper display. Sponsored a Flag Essay Contest in local high school, \$5.00 award. Three Good Citizen's pins awarded. Four Citizenship medals ordered for high school seniors, seven history medals in local and county schools. Award given to Girl Homemaker for dress revue. D.A.R. Manuals distributed and use stressed in schools. Historic and conservation pictures stressed in local schools. Two programs on American Indians, Indian music, sponsored class trip to Ocmulgee Mounds and Boskita Festival. Box of yarn, Christmas cards sent Indian school. Special newspaper article on American Indians. Gifts to Tamassee, Kate Duncan Smith, Berry, Pine Mountain, Berea, Crossnore, \$48.20; (\$25.00 Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship); boxes to Kate Duncan Smith, Crossnore, valued at \$25.00 each. Chapter maintains \$500.00 Scholarship at Tamassee. Film shown on Tamassee. Eight subscriptions to magazine which is used at chapter and for radio. Five radio programs, six spot announcements. Box of magazines and books sent to Merchant Marine Hospital, Savannah. Four pages deeds and marriage records sent to State Historian; \$2.00 to D.A.R. Museum; \$2.00 to D.A.R. Library; \$500.00 Student Loan Fund for local girl. Excellent work done by Press Relations featuring weekly articles in newspapers stressing meetings, D.A.R. policies, Americanism, patriotism. 400 inches printing and clippings sent monthly to editor. Scrapbook entered in State Contest. Chapter sponsors Anti-Tuberculosis Drive. Members cooperated individually in Bloodmobile, Polio, Red Cross, and Conservation through programs, radio, newspaper, and school. Chapter had car in Pine Tree Festival Parade. American music presented at each meeting with short biographical sketches. National Music Week observed.

BRIER CREEK CHAPTER, SYLVANIA

Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Regent

Honor Roll

Boxes valued at \$25.00 and \$20.00, respectively, were sent to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith Schools. The East Central District meeting was held in Sylvania and proved inspirational for the entire chapter. Summary of activities: Citizenship Chairman secured Manual for Citizenship for school students reaching 18 years of age; contacted all members before each election, local, state, and national. Programs: Slides of D.A.R. Buildings in Washington were secured for one meeting. Speakers at each meeting have discussed pertinent questions. One program was devoted to American music. The Screven County Historian came to two meetings to discuss placing markers at historic sites in the county and preserving the history of the early settlers. Motion pictures and a lecture on Fort Pulaski were given. The regent was speaker for the Flag Raising at the new County High School; for a meeting of the local Beta Club and for the County Garden Club. Motion Picture Chairman has been active in suggesting approved films. National Defense and Americanism has been stressed at each meeting.

BARNARD TRAIL CHAPTER, SYLVESTER

Mrs. George B. Hawthorne, Regent

Barnard Trail Chapter has forty-three members. To the program outline was added one, National Defense. Contributions were made to D.A.R. Educational Program; boxes of clothing sent Kate Duncan Smith School. Books and magazines sent to the Merchant Marine Library. The Girl Homemakers dress contest was an interesting event, first and second prizes given. Publicity in local and state papers given. Two radio programs sponsored—one commemorated the birth of George Washington. All meetings well attended and programs enthusiastically received.

GOVERNOR GEORGE W. TOWNS CHAPTER, TALBOTTON

Mrs. F. P. Freeman, Sr., Regent

Honor Roll

The Governor George W. Towns Chapter has a membership of 24. President General's Message read, and patriotic anniversaries observed. The Press Relations Chairman sent reports of meetings to local paper, giving 92½ inches of publicity. One program featured Approved Schools with Mrs. H. A. Ironside as guest speaker. Two boxes were sent to Tamassee and one to Kate Duncan Smith School, valued at \$5.00 each. Cash has been sent to these schools and to Berry Schools and four others. Chapter contributed \$10.00 to Memorial Bell Tower at Valley Forge and sent \$15.00 to National Building Completion Fund. There are seven subscribers to D.A.R. Magazine. The chapter maintains a shelf in the Public Library and contributes monthly to the librarian's salary. Historian is keeping a scrapbook. The Genealogical Committee has made four copies of Talbot County Records as follows: one Cemetery Record, five pages; Marriage Books. 1886-1892, 59 pages; Will Book "B," 131 pages; Title pages, 6. This gives a total of 201 pages of records, indexed, which have been sent to the State Historian and to the Historian General. Chapter members have contributed loyally

in time and money to all campaigns; such as, Red Cross, Christmas Seal Sales, March of Dimes. One member served as County Chairman of the latter. All are registered voters. Attractive yearbooks, with the revised By-Laws, were compiled by the program committee and presented to each member.

JOHN HOUSTON CHAPTER, THOMASTON

Mrs. Frank G. Binford, Regent

Honor Roll

John Houston Chapter has 82 members. Programs followed the State Chairman's outline, including National Defense, Conservation and Approved Schools. The State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribbling, the State Second Vice Regent, Mrs. John F. Thigpen, and the State Historian, Mrs. Annie K. Walker have been our guests. Mrs. Henry A. Ironside, of John Houston Chapter is on the Tamassee Board.

Contributions to D.A.R. Approved Schools are as follows: one scholarship to Kate Duncan Smith School, \$51.18; two scholarships to Tamassee, \$400.00; gifts to Tamassee—new linen, \$547.25; candy, \$20.00; socks, \$28.18; Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship, \$100.00; two scholarships to Berry Schools, \$300.00; new books to Berry School, \$73.61; Crossnore, \$50.00; gift box and express, \$55.00; Hindman Settlement School, \$25.00; Pine Mountain Settlement School, \$25.00; Total, \$1,675.22.

Other contributions: National Building Fund, \$86.00; Meadow Garden, \$5.00; State Librarian, \$15.00; Museum, \$5.00; Conservation, \$5.00; three cash awards to Good Citizens, \$15.00; Sabre presented to Cadet Col. of local R.O.T.C., \$24.24—Total, \$155.24. Chapter Student Loan Fund: Amount in Bank, \$1,222.79; on loan, \$367.50—Total, \$1,590.29.

The Chapter has 13 subscriptions to the D.A.R. Magazine and has a three-pin status with the National Building Completion committee. Books valued at \$75.00 were sent to the Merchant Marine Library. The Chapter sponsored a Good Citizen's Contest in the local high school.

THOMASVILLE CHAPTER, THOMASVILLE

Mrs. James F. Evans, Regent

The Thomasville Chapter has a membership of sixty, six non-resident, one member was transferred, four new members, Contributed \$60.00 to the Bell Tower Fund; sent a box of clothing valued at \$50.00, plus a cash donation of \$6.80 to Kate Duncan Smith School; two boxes of clothing valued at \$100.00 to Tamassee. Medals and cash prizes were given for the best American History grades in the senior class of both white and Negro High Schools. In the white school two students tied with top grades, so duplicate prizes were given. This has been a regular project of the chapter for about twenty years and these medals and prizes will be given again this year. The Good Citizen award was also given. On May 20th a Naturalization Court was held in the courthouse and our chapter took active part in this ceremony when 25 new citizens received their citizenship papers. We had a pre-election program for the purpose of discussing constitutional amendments in October. In November, one member gave an interesting program on Historic Boston by means of slides. The December program was a Christmas program given by the school children and the January program featured a talk on the United Nations. At this meeting it was

voted that each member write to the head officer of some village, town or city in Japan telling of our Christian and American way of life and our desire to work for peace, in the hope that this might be a way to overcome the inroads of Communism. The pamphlet, "What the Daughters Do," is available to all members and is given to all new members. We also give them where we think it will do the most good to dispel wrong ideas about our organization. Two books "Government is Your Business" and "Iron Curtain Over America" were put on the shelves of our Public Library.

CAPTAIN JOHN WILSON CHAPTER, THOMSON

Mrs. Claude B. Ellington, Regent

Honor Roll

Our chapter has 32 members enrolled. We have lost one member by death, and one resigned. We follow the suggested outline on our programs. Mrs. W. E. Gray, State Chairman of the Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship, spoke to us at the October meeting. Our special projects are Tamassee School and National Building project and supporting all patriotic projects. We have chosen our Good Citizens and have held one meeting devoted to the meaning of our Good Citizenship program. We have contributed \$30.00 to the National Building Completion Fund. Contributed \$25.00 for a clothing scholarship at Tamassee. Meetings have been publicized in the local paper each month.

TOCCOA CHAPTER, TOCCOA

Mrs. W. P. Martin, Regent

Honor Roll

Toccoa Chapter has a membership of 45. During the year we gained two new members, one by transfer, lost two by death, and one by transfer. Good publicity has been given through two newspapers. President General's Message and National Defense News given at all meetings, all patriotic days observed. A tea was held at the home of Mrs. Marvin Tabor in October honoring our State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling and Mrs. John F. Thigpen, State Second Vice Regent, with guests from Winder, Gainesville, Commerce, Athens, Monroe, Hartwell, Clarkesville and Walhalla, S. C. Cash contributions have been made to Tamassee, Kate Duncan Smith, Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, McCall Genealogical Fund, Meadow Garden, Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship, Berry, Crossnore, Maryville and Berea. \$100.00 scholarship given to Tamassee in honor of our Organizing Regent, Mrs. Mary Jarrett White; \$12.00 sent to Kate Duncan Smith School. Seventeen subscriptions to D.A.R. Magazine. American music has been presented in instrumental and documentary forms. Chapter members have contributed generously in time and money to campaigns such as Red Cross, March of Dimes, Christmas Seals, Heart Fund and Blood Bank. The following awards were made: two Good Citizens sponsored and presented with pins; three History prizes in local High School, Junior High, and Negro High School; three song contest awards in grammar school; three Girl Homemaker Clubs sponsored, one in Negro High School; three dresses sent to State Contest. Contributed beads to St. Mary's Indian School.

GENERAL JAMES JACKSON CHAPTER, VALDOSTA

Mrs. E. W. Tullis, Regent

Honor Roll

General James Jackson Chapter has 71 members. The President General's Message has been brought monthly, also items of special interest. The Press and Radio have been generous in carrying announcements and write-ups of the meetings. Attractive Yearbooks were printed and sent to members. Medal awards for highest average in American History in local school and two Citizenship Medals—one in High School and one in Junior High. Chapter maintains 168 volumes in Carnegie Library. seven subscriptions to D.A.R. Magazine, contributions to Approved Schools and boxes sent, valued at \$100.00. Contributions to cancer, Polio, TB Seals, Red Cross and Community Chest. We had a silver tea on George Washington's birthday with music and dance of colonial period. Foster 4-H Club in May with dress review of girls and followed by reception for girls and mothers. Cooperation in all civic work.

VIDALIA CHAPTER, VIDALIA

Mrs. Nat E. Hanna, Regent

Honor Roll

Vidalia Chapter has an enrollment of 77 members. The programs included a National Defense program and one on Approved Schools with the State Chairman as guest speaker. Five minutes of National Defense News and the President General's Message at each meeting. Publicity given in local newspapers and on the radio. Special radio programs were presented on Flag Day, Constitution Day, and Washington's Birthday. Good Citizenship Medals and Certificates were awarded to pupils from Lyons, Glennville, Reidsville, Mount Vernon, and Vidalia, from which towns our membership is composed. Three cash awards were presented to the winners of the Georgia History Notebook Contest. Contributions of \$5.00 were made to each of the following Approved Schools: Crossnore, Pine Mountain and Blue Ridge; \$5.00 to Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship; \$10.00 to Berry School. Boxes of clothing were sent to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith.

BURKHALTER CHAPTER, WARRENTON

Mrs. John Gant, Regent

Honor Roll

Burkhalter Chapter has an enrollment of fifty members, one new member, one transferred. A special program on Approved Schools with Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee given recognition. The D.A.R. Genealogical Library completed with 100 genealogical books and magazines kept on the shelves for the youth. President General's Message read, articles from D.A.R. Magazine used at each meeting. Flags have been displayed in down town area on all patriotic days. A gold medal given for the highest average in History in graduating class. A Good Citizenship Medal given to the boy or girl chosen from the four Junior High Schools in the County. Contributions: Tamassee, \$2.50; Kate Duncan Smith, \$2.50; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$1.50; McCall Genealogical Fund, \$2.00; Meadow Garden, \$1.50. Scrapbook kept of all ac-

tivities, six subscriptions to D.A.R. Magazine. Unveiled a large marker to Moses Thompson, a Revolutionary Soldier, whose grave is in Warren County. The program presented by Mrs. C. W. Mathews and chapter members.

LYMAN HALL CHAPTER, WAYCROSS

Mrs. Mary Peagler, Regent

Honor Roll

Lyman Hall Chapter has 108 members. Three splendid radio programs, with outstanding speakers and American music have been given. Three Patriotic Days observed. Four Good Citizens have been selected from County High Schools and given pins and certificates at March meeting. Clothing, spending money, and various gifts sent to the Indian boy adopted by the chapter. Contributed \$5.00 each to: Tamassee, Kate Duncan Smith, Berry Schools and Murrow Indian Orphanage, and \$2.00 each to: Crossnore, Pine Mountain Settlement, Hindman Settlement, Tamassee Gym and State Museum.

Three boxes valued at \$25.00 each to Tamassee, Kate Duncan Smith and Crossnore; also box of new and used books valued at \$40.00 to Charleston to L.S.T. for use by sailors going to the war zone.

Ten percent subscribers to D.A.R. Magazine, and articles are used on programs. The Publicity Chairman has given good publicity in papers. Local radio station has also given publicity for programs. Two memorial programs were held for two deceased members and graves of both were marked.

Graves of Revolutionary Soldier and Wife were located. Members made approximately 100 trips to historic spots. Members gave assistance in repairing and restoring one of the oldest churches in this section, and in erecting a marker and dedicating park to pioneer citizen, also cooperated in public program honoring our oldest D.A.R. member at Government Park named for her—Laura S. Walker—the only Government Park in the United States named for a living woman. Assisted in securing names and epitaphs of New Englanders in two old cemeteries for New England Historical Society.

EDMUND BURKE CHAPTER, WAYNESBORO

Mrs. Edward T. Agerton, Regent

The Edmund Burke Chapter had one reinstatement, two new members and there are two papers pending. Guest speakers invited to speak on subjects of interest to the members. Two medals in eighth grade and High School were given at commencement to the student making the highest grade in American History. Splendid publicity has been given the meetings in our local paper and The Augusta Chronicle at intervals. The usual contributions were made to schools as outlined for the chapters during the year. We are keeping a scrapbook of items relating to D.A.R. A birthday card was sent to a member, 102 years old. Members cooperated with Red Cross, Cancer Drives and selling seals, also taking part in civic activities and religious work and appear on programs put on by other organizations. Two programs featured Tamassee and Meadow Garden, and on two occasions items from the Press Digest were used. We have one subscription to the National Magazine. Contributions were as follows: Tamassee, \$1.40; Kate Duncan Smith, \$1.40; McCall Genealogical Fund, \$1.00; and Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, 84 cents.

SUNBURY CHAPTER, WINDER

Mrs. P. M. Wise, Regent

Sunbury Chapter has thirty-six members, and one paper pending. Regular meetings are held at Watson Hall, home of Children of American Revolution. Distinguished guest speakers participate in programs on patriotic days. Members take part in all phases of community life, contributing to Red Cross, Polio, Cancer, T.B., Heart and Scout programs. We had the honor of a visit from State Regent, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling. A banquet was given in honor of Mrs. Stribling and State President, Judge George Whitman, of S.A.R. Publicity has been given all chapter activities.

BY-LAWS

BY-LAWS OF THE GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY, DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN

REVOLUTION

ARTICLE I

The name of this organization shall be the Georgia State Society of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.

ARTICLE II

Object

The object of the Georgia State Society of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, is to promote the aims set forth in the Constitution of the National Society and to secure the benefits in cooperation of the Chapters in the State, keeping in view especially, the preservation of the memory of its Revolutionary patriots, the study of its history, the education of its youth in patriotic ideals and in the duties of citizenship.

ARTICLE III

Membership

All Chapters of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, located within the State of Georgia shall be eligible for membership in this organization.

ARTICLE IV

The officers of the Georgia State Society shall be a State Regent, a State First Vice Regent, a State Second Vice Regent, a State Chaplain, a State Recording Secretary, a State Corresponding Secretary, a State Treasurer, a State Consulting Organizing Secretary, a State Consulting Registrar, a State Historian, a State Librarian, and a State Curator. The State Regent shall appoint a Parliamentarian who shall act as adviser in matters pertaining to parliamentary procedure.

ARTICLE V

Election of Officers

Section 1. The officers of the Georgia State Society shall be elected at the annual State Conference biennially.

Section 2. The officers of the Georgia State Society shall hold office for two years or until their successors are elected. Their term of office shall begin at the close of the Continental Congress at which the elections of the State Regent and the State First Vice Regent are confirmed.

Section 3. No member shall be eligible to a State office until she has been a member of a Chapter in this State for at least two years. No member shall be eligible to the same State office for two successive terms. A member having served more than one-half term in a State office shall be deemed to have served a term.

Section 4. Nominations of candidates for office shall be from the floor. When there is more than one candidate for any office the

election shall be held by ballot. A majority of the votes cast by members of the State Conference shall elect.

Section 5. Should the office of the State Regent become vacant, the State First Vice Regent shall become Regent and the State Second Vice Regent shall become acting First Vice Regent, subject to confirmation by the National Board of Management of the Continental Congress. A vacancy in any other State office between annual meetings shall be filled by appointment of the State Regent with the approval of the Executive Committee. An election shall be held at the next State Conference to fill the unexpired term. Any State Officer, who is absent from the State for a continuous period of six months or longer automatically relinquishes her position as a State Officer.

Section 6. No two officers shall be members of the same Chapter with the possible exception of the State Regent and the State Corresponding Secretary.

Section 7. In recognition of valuable service to the organization, any State Regent, at the expiration of her term of office, may be elected Honorary State Regent by a majority vote of the State Conference.

Section 8. A candidate for the office of Vice President General must be endorsed by a majority of the members of the State Conference present and voting by ballot. The endorsement shall be for one year.

Section 9. On the election of State Regent and State First Vice Regent, a certified statement of their election, signed by the presiding officer and the State Recording Secretary, together with an excerpt of the minutes at which the election was held, shall be sent immediately to the Organizing Secretary General. The endorsement of a candidate for Vice President General shall be certified in the same manner.

ARTICLE VI

Duties of Officers

Section 1. The State Regent shall preside at all meetings of the State Conference, of the State Board of Management, and of the Executive Committee. She shall attend all regular meetings of the National Board of Management. She shall as soon as practicable after the commencement of her term of office, appoint a State Chairman for the work of each of the authorized National Committees, and such other committees as may be necessary to carry on the work of the State Conference. She shall be ex-officio a member of all committees.

Section 2. In the absence of the State Regent from any meetings of the State Conference, or the State Board of Management, the State First Vice Regent, or in her absence, the State Second Vice Regent, shall perform the duties of the State Regent. The State First and Second Vice Regents may be assigned to direct committees and to perform such duties as may be requested by the State Regent.

Section 3. The State Chaplain shall open all meetings of the State Conference and State Board of Management with Scripture reading and prayer and shall conduct such religious services as occasion may require. She shall preside at the memorial service during State Conference and shall be responsible for the In Memoriam pages in the Proceedings.

Section 4. The State Recording Secretary shall record the Proceedings of the State Conference and of meetings of the State Board of Management and of the Executive Committee. She shall compile and have printed the book of Proceedings of the State Conference under the supervision of the State Regent and the Proceedings Committee.

Section 5. The State Corresponding Secretary shall conduct correspondence and send notices in behalf of the State Conference, the State Regent, the State Board of Management and the Executive Committee as directed by them.

Section 6. The State Treasurer shall be the custodian of the funds of the State Conference. She shall collect the State Conference dues and registration fees from the Chapters, and shall receive all sums contributed by the Chapters for State and National projects. All monies received by the State Treasurer shall be placed in a Bank which is a member of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. She shall disburse such sums only when authorized by the State Board of Management or the State Conference. Incidental expenses shall be paid from the State Dues Fund when authorized by the State Regent in writing. The State Treasurer shall keep an account of all sums received or paid out and shall keep receipts for all payments. She shall prepare a report for the State Board of Management and for the State Conference. Her books shall be audited annually by a Certified Public Accountant. She shall be ex-officio member of the Credentials Committee.

Section 7. The State Consulting Organizing Secretary shall assist the State Regent in the preliminary work of organizing new Chapters.

Section 8. The State Consulting Registrar shall, when requested, assist applicants for membership in the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, who live in towns and counties in which there are no Chapters, to prove eligibility, and shall give desired assistance to Chapter Registrars in verifying lineage papers. She shall keep a correct list of all members in the State and shall make a report on membership to the State Conference.

Section 9. The State Historian shall be in charge of historical research and historical projects of the National Society under the direction of the Historian General. She shall keep a record of the marking of historical spots and Revolutionary soldiers' graves in the State and shall prepare reports as requested by the Reporter General to Smithsonian Institution. She shall encourage the compilation and publication of County Histories and other unpublished records, especially of the Revolutionary period.

Section 10. The State Librarian shall collect such books as may be of historical and genealogical value to the Daughters of the American Revolution, placing duplicates, wherever possible, in the N.S.D.A.R. Library in Constitution Hall and in the Georgia D.A.R. Collection in the State Department of Archives at Rhodes Memorial Hall. She shall endeavor to obtain the books on the wanted list of the Librarian General for the Georgia Section in the N.S.D.A.R. Library and is authorized to solicit contributions from the Chapters for the purchase of the same. She shall serve as State Chairman of the D.A.R. Genealogical and Historical Collection at the State Department of Archives.

Section 11. The State Curator shall receive and be responsible for all gifts of Revolutionary relics to the Museum in Memorial Continental Hall. She shall be the custodian of the conference properties and shall have them properly stored, insured and made ready for use of the State Conference.

ARTICLE VII

Meetings

Section 1. The Georgia State Society shall hold an annual State Conference between the first day of February and the time of the meeting of the Continental Congress. The Conference shall not convene during Lent, if it is practicable to meet at another time

within the period prescribed, and shall never convene during Holy Week. The Executive Committee shall fix the time and place of meetings when not fixed by the Conference in session, or when for any reason it may be impracticable to meet at the time or place fixed by the Conference.

Section 2. The State Regent shall send notice of the time and place of meetings and credential blanks to the Chapters not less than sixty days before the time of meeting.

Section 3. The voting members of the State Conference shall be its officers, the officers of the National Society whose membership is within the State, the Honorary State Regents, the Regents, or in their absence, the First Vice Regents or alternates, and the delegates or their alternates from the Chapters of the State, that are entitled to representation at the Continental Congress. The number of representatives from each Chapter shall be determined by the rules for representation of Chapters in the Continental Congress as given in the National By-Laws.

Section 4. A member must have belonged to a Chapter not less than one year before she is eligible to serve as a delegate or alternate from the Chapter, except in the case of the Regent or First Vice Regent of a newly organized Chapter.

Section 5. No member shall hold, at the same time, two offices carrying a vote at the annual State Conference.

Section 6. Each member of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution who is a member in good standing of any Chapter in the State of Georgia shall have the privilege of attending the annual State Conference.

Section 7. At the opening of the annual State Conference, by unanimous consent, the privileges of the floor may be accorded to the State Chairmen with these exceptions: they may not vote in the election of State Regent or State First Vice Regent, nor on the endorsement of a candidate for Vice President General, nor on the adoption or amendment of the By-Laws of the State Society unless they are duly elected delegates from their respective Chapters.

Section 8. Special meetings of the State Conference may be called, by the State Regent or the Executive Committee. Fifteen days notice of the time and place shall be given. The business to be transacted at any special meeting shall be limited to that mentioned in the call.

Section 9. Twenty-five voting members, representing not less than ten Chapters, shall constitute a quorum at any meeting of the State Conference.

ARTICLE VIII

State Dues and Conference Fees

Section 1. The annual dues of Chapters to the Georgia State Society shall be forty-five cents for each member of the Chapter, to be paid to the State Treasurer not less than thirty days before the annual meeting. No Chapter shall be entitled to representation at the annual State Conference until the State dues are paid.

Section 2. Each Chapter shall send to the State Treasurer, with the State dues (not less than thirty days before the meeting of the State Conference) a Conference registration fee of \$1.00 for each voter to which the Chapter is entitled under the By-Laws.

Section 3. State Officers, Honorary State Regents, State Chairmen of Committees, and other members of the Georgia Society, Daughters of the American Revolution who are not duly elected voters from their respective chapters, shall pay the usual \$1.00 conference fee at the time of registration.

ARTICLE IX

Expenses

Section 1. Five hundred dollars shall be taken each year from the State Dues Fund, to be used by the State Regent in defraying her necessary traveling expenses.

Section 2. Necessary expenses of the State Regent and other officers of the State Conference for stationery and postage shall be paid by the State Treasurer from the State Dues Fund, on the presentation of itemized statements approved in writing by the State Regent.

ARTICLE X

State Board of Management

Section 1. The State Officers, the officers of the National Society whose membership is within the State, the Honorary State Regents, the Regents, or in their absence, the First Vice Regents of the Chapters of the State, shall constitute the State Board of Management.

Section 2. The Parliamentarian shall attend the meetings of the State Board of Management but may not vote.

Section 3. The State Board of Management shall hold a regular meeting in the fall, preferably following the regular meeting of the National Board. It shall meet also at the time of the State Conference and whenever called by the State Regent.

Section 4. Ten members shall constitute a quorum of the State Board of Management.

Section 5. The State Board of Management shall have all power and authority over the affairs of the Georgia State Society between annual meetings, except that of changing or modifying any action taken by the State Conference.

ARTICLE XI

Executive Committee

The officers of the Georgia State Society and the Parliamentarian shall constitute an Executive Committee. The State Board of Management may authorize this committee to perform such duties of the Board between its meetings, as may from time to time seem expedient. The Executive Committee shall meet at the call of the State Regent, or upon written request of three members of the Committee. It shall make a complete report at each meeting of the State Board of Management.

ARTICLE XII

Chapters

Section 1. Chapter elections shall be held in April or May. The Chapter Regent shall report the name of the elected officers promptly, on triplicate blanks provided by the State Regent for this purpose, to the Organizing Secretary General, to the State Regent and to the State Recording Secretary.

Section 2. The Chapter Regent shall send a report of the year's work to the State Regent for use in compiling her report, not less than fifteen days before the opening of the annual State Conference. The official Chapter report, not to exceed five hundred words in length, for publication in the Proceedings shall be furnished the State Recording Secretary before the close of the State Conference.

ARTICLE XIII

Amendments

The By-Laws of the Georgia State Society may be amended at any annual State Conference, provided the proposed amendments shall have been submitted to the State Regent and to the Parliamentarian and the State Regent shall send a copy to each Chapter with her message carrying the call to the Conference.

ARTICLE XIV

Rules of Order

Section 1. Robert's Rules of Order (Revised) shall be the governing authority in parliamentary law for the State Conference in matters not covered by the By-Laws.

Section 2. The State Conference may, by a two-thirds vote, adopt such additional rules of order as it may deem advisable for any meeting of the Conference, provided they are not in conflict with the State and National By-Laws.

EXTRACTS FROM NATIONAL BY-LAWS

Please Note Amendments Adopted by The Fifty-Seventh, Sixtieth and Sixty-First Continental Congress

Article 1, Sec. 1. An applicant for membership to a chapter must be endorsed by two members of that chapter who are in good standing and to whom the applicant is personally known; an application for membership at large must be endorsed by any two members in good standing to whom the applicant is personally known, and who are residents in the state through which she is to become a member . . .

Article II, Sec. 4. Nomination of candidates for office shall be from the floor. No candidates, excepting the twenty-one Vice Presidents General, shall be announced or proposed for any office until after the adjournment of the Continental Congress preceding the Congress at which the election of those officers is to be held. Candidates for the offices of the twenty-one Vice presidents General must have been endorsed by a majority of the members present and voting by ballot at the State Conference of the state in which she is a member. A majority of the votes cast by ballot by members of the Continental Congress shall elect.

Article V, Sec. 3. Two dollars of the annual National dues from each chapter member shall be sent by the chapter treasurer to the Treasurer General on or before the first day of January of each year. This amount shall include the quota funds of per capita tax. A fee of \$5.00 shall accompany each supplemental claim, to establish the right for additional ancestral bars. (Amended by the Sixtieth Congress).

Sec. 12. National Officers, State Regents, Chapter Regents, delegates and alternates, shall pay a registration fee of two dollars when registering for the Continental Congress or any special meeting of the National Society. Registration shall close upon adjournment of the afternoon session of the day preceding the election of officers.

Article IX, Sec. 4. No member shall serve as a Chapter Regent for more than six consecutive years . . .

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 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 shall be held prior to the Continental Congress of the following year.

Article IX, Sec. 7. A member must have belonged to the Chapter at least one continuous year immediately preceding the Continental Congress, to be eligible to represent that 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, and a member transferred and accepted from the Society of the Children of the American Revolution, provided she has been a member of the Society of the Children of the American Revolution for at least one year.

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 hereinbefore 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 shall be counted in the basis for representation.

(c) The right to elect delegates and alternates shall date from the day 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 provided the number of alternates elected by the Chapter shall not exceed twice the number of representatives to which the Chapter is entitled. 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 November 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. (Amended by the Sixtieth Congress).

Article IX, Sec. 12. Chapter Regents shall report to the Organizing Secretary General the election of officers and date of taking office.

Article X, Sec. 3. The voting members of the State Conference shall be its officers, the officers of the National Society whose membership is within the State, the Regents, or in their absence the First Vice Regents or alternates, and the delegates or their alternates from the Chapters of the State that are entitled to representation at the Continental Congress or special meeting of the National Society. The number of representatives from each Chapter shall be determined by the rules for representation of Chapters in the Continental Congress, except that the State By-Laws may increase this representation in a direct ratio. No member shall hold, at the same time, two offices carrying a vote at the Annual State Conference.

Article X, Sec. 6. It shall be the duty of each State Regent and of the State Board of Management to see that the rulings of the National Board of Management be enforced in her state.

Article XV, Sec. 2. Amendments to these By-Laws shall take effect at the close of the Continental Congress at which they are adopted.

Article XV, Sec. 3. Any amendment adopted by the National Society affecting the work of the chapters and states shall become a law of the chapters and states without notices of amendment.

NOTICE: The 1948 edition of the Constitution and By-Laws of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, may be obtained gratis, upon request to the Corresponding Secretary General.

INFORMATION TO MEMBERS

The following resolution which applies to the nomination of a State Regent 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 . . . earlier than three months prior to the meeting of the Conference. When so made they shall be furnished to the State Editor for publication."

State Conferences

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 meeting 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 Ruby Felder Ray of Atlanta, "that we have Conferences 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, November 27-28, 1900. (3) Augusta, November 21-22, 1901. (4) Savannah, November 13-14-15, 1902. (5) Atlanta, November 5-6-7, 1903. (6) Athens, November 9-10-11, 1904. (7) Macon, November 16-17-18, 1905. (8) Columbus, November 21-22-23, 1906. (9) Rome, October 23-24-25, 1907. (10) Covington, November 4-5-6, 1908. (11) Brunswick, November 10-11-12, 1909. Changes in Conference number are so as to count from Conference of 1895. (13) Savannah, November 22-23, 1910. (14) Marietta, April 9-10-11, 1912. (15) Augusta, March 25-26-27-28, 1913. (16) Macon, February 16-17-18-19, 1914. (17) Atlanta, February 9-10-11-12, 1915. (18) Columbus, February 22-23-24-25, 1916. (19) Quitman, February 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 11-12-13, 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. (38) Savannah, March 10-11-12, 1936. (39) Swainsboro, March 22-23-24, 1937. (40) Columbus, March 21-22-23, 1938. (41) Atlanta, March 15-16-17, 1939. (42) Augusta, February 29, March 1-2, 1940. (43) Griffin, March 26-27-28, 1941. (44) Macon, March 23-24-25, 1942. (45) Atlanta, March 23-24-25, 1943. (46) Atlanta, March 22-23-24, 1944. No Conference held in 1945. (48) Atlanta, March 6-7-8, 1946. (49) Atlanta, April 23-24-25, 1947. (50) Savannah, March 30-31, April 1, 1948. (51) Augusta, March 2-3-4, 1949. (52) Macon, March 22-23-24, 1950. (53) Albany, March 8-9-10, 1951. (54) Atlanta, March 18-19-20, 1952. (55) Savannah, March 11-12-13, 1953.

Items of Information

Chapter Elections

Chapter elections shall be held in April or May, and names of officers shall be promptly reported to the Organizing Secretary General, Administration Building, 1776 D Street, N.W., Washington 6, D. C.; to the State Regent, and to the State Recording Secretary. The full Christian name of Chapter officers shall be given together with the husband's given name or initials, name of Chapter and address of Chapter Regent. (See Article XII, Sec. 1, State By-Laws).

Conference Registration Fee

Each Chapter shall send to the State Treasurer, with the State dues (at least 30 days before State Conference), \$1.00 for each voter to which the Chapter is entitled under the By-Laws. Members of the Board and others who are not duly elected voters from their respective Chapters shall pay the usual \$1.00 fee at time of registration. (Article VIII, Sections 2 and 3, State By-Laws).

State Dues

State dues and Honor Roll Requirements shall be paid to the State Treasurer 30 days before State Conference.

Deceased Members

Notices of death and resignation, marriages, transfers and dropped members shall be sent to both the State Treasurer and Treasurer General. Deaths shall be reported promptly to State Chaplain. Complete list of deceased members, giving Christian name, husband's name and date of death shall be furnished State Chaplain prior to the State Conference in order that they may be recorded correctly for Conference Memorial Service and "In Memoriam" pages for State Proceedings.

Change of Address

Notice of change of address of members shall be sent to the Organizing Secretary General.

Change of Name

Notice of change of name of members shall be promptly reported to Chairman of Membership.

Genealogical Records

To insure uniformity and convenience in filing, all records shall be typewritten upon one side of paper, 8 1/2 by 11 inches with one inch margins on left side and bottom, and one and one-half inches at top. One copy shall be sent to the State Historian, one copy retained in Chapter Archives, and two copies shall be sent to the Chairman of Genealogical Records.

By-Laws

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.

Resolutions

It is requested by the Resolutions Committee that all resolutions shall be typed and sent to the Chairman of the Resolutions Committee two weeks before the date of the convening of State Conference.

Reports

Chapter and State Chairmen's reports for Proceedings shall be as concise as possible—not to exceed 500 words—typewritten (double-spaced) upon one side of paper, 8½ x 11 inches, and shall be sent to the State Regent before State Conference. An original copy shall be submitted to the State Recording Secretary at State Conference, or immediately thereafter, for Proceedings.

Contributions

All contributions by Chapters for State and National work shall be made through the State Treasurer.

Proceedings

A copy of the Proceedings shall be retained by the Chapter Regent, one copy given to the Chapter Treasurer and one copy to the Chapter Chairman of Programs. Additional copies, if available, may be secured from the State Recording Secretary at \$1.00 per copy.

Information to Chapter Regents

All letters received by Chapter Regents relating to the work of the Society shall be distributed to the Corresponding Chapter Chairman and brought to the attention of the members at a Chapter meeting.

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 Proceedings of the Georgia D.A.R. were presented to the Georgia D.A.R. by Mr. John A. 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 is to be used in the education 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 General, National Society, and charter member of National Society.

The Richmond Walton McCurry Memorial Loan Fund (established 1940)—Gift of \$1,000.00 to the Elijah Clarke Chapter by the family of Richmond Walton (Mrs. Julian) McCurry, as a memorial to her, to be used as a loan fund for girls attending the University of Georgia. Five hundred dollars given by Miss Richmond Walton Atwater through John Houston Chapter, 1941. Total, April, 1941, \$1,500.00.

The Richmond Walton McCurry Memorial Forest—Georgia's Golden Jubilee Project, 1940; one hundred acres in Cherokee National Forest, planted in pine trees, and named in honor of Richmond Walton (Mrs. Julian) McCurry, Honorary State Regent of Georgia and Ex-Vice President General, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, who passed away July 3, 1939.

STATE FUNDS

Claude Davis Ingram Student Loan Fund, placed at Georgia State Woman's College, Valdosta, Ga.

Fannie Trammell Memorial Loan Fund, placed at Georgia State College for Women, Milledgeville.

World War Memorial Student Loan Fund, placed at the University of Georgia.

Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship, voluntary subscriptions authorized by State Conference, 1942, to be invested in U. S. Defense Bonds for the Scholarship Endowment Fund, Tamasee D.A.R. School.

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AWARDS

American Indians

Mrs. Henry Newton, State Chairman, will give a \$5.00 award to the Chapter doing the best work for American Indians, as outlined by the Chairman's questionnaire. A second award of \$5.00 to the Chapter doing the best single piece of work for the American Indian.

APPROVED SCHOOLS

State Chairman's Award

The State Chairman, Mrs. John F. Thigpen, will give a cash award of \$10.00 to the Chapter contributing the largest amount to The Berry Schools.

Hightower Awards

Mrs. Henry Allen Ironside will give \$5.00 to each Chapter that meets the following requirements:

1. Kate Duncan Smith D.A.R. School (per capita) five cents.
2. Tamasee D.A.R. School (per capita) five cents.
3. Additional contribution (box or money to each of the two D.A.R. Schools: Kate Duncan Smith (Parcel Post address—Grant, Ala., Express or Freight address—Guntersville, Ala.). Tamasee (Parcel Post address—Tamasee, S.C.; Express or Freight address—Walhalla, S.C.).

4. Cash contribution to Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Scholarship.
5. Cash contribution to The Berry Schools, Mount Berry, Ga.
6. Cash contribution to three other Approved Schools outside of Georgia (exclusive of Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith D.A.R. Schools).
7. Approved Schools presented on one Chapter program.

An additional \$5.00 will be given to the Chapter making the most outstanding contribution to Approved Schools.

All contributions of money to be sent through the State Treasurer.

Conservation

Mrs. James Harold Nicholson, State Chairman, will give the following awards to Chapters sending best reports: First, \$5.00; second, \$3.00; third, one year's subscription to the D.A.R. Magazine.

D.A.R. and S.A.R.

Mrs. Reuben Garland, State Chairman, will give a \$5.00 award to the Chapter sending the best report on Cooperative Relations between D.A.R. and S.A.R.

D.A.R. Good Citizens

Mrs. J. A. Lewis, State Chairman, offers an award of \$5.00 to the Chapter sponsoring the largest number of Good Citizens.

D.A.R. Magazine

Mrs. Henry Allen Ironside will give \$5.00 to the Chapter having the largest number of subscriptions on a per capita basis, to the D.A.R. Magazine.

Mrs. Lytle D. Burns, Jr., State Chairman of Magazine Subscriptions, will give \$5.00 to the first Chapter securing 100 percent paid up subscriptions to the D.A.R. Magazine.

Mrs. John J. Cummings, State Chairman of D.A.R. Magazine Advertising, will give an award of \$10.00 to the Chapter securing the largest amount of advertising for the D.A.R. Magazine.

Genealogical Records

Mrs. Herschel Smith, State Chairman, will give \$5.00 to the Chapter sending to her the greatest number of records prepared according to the brochure sent to each Chairman.

History of Georgia Revolutionary Soldiers' Award

Mrs. E. J. Smith offers an award of \$5.00 to the Chapter sending in the greatest number of sketches of Revolutionary Soldiers who lived in Georgia.

Historical Scrapbooks

The Augusta Stanley Adams trophy is awarded annually to the Chapter submitting the best scrapbook.

Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker, State Historian, offers \$5.00 to the Chapter submitting the second best scrapbook.

Junior American Citizens

Mrs. Ransom Burts, State Chairman, will give the following awards:

1. \$5.00 to the Chapter enrolling the largest number of J.A.C. members from September 1, 1953 to January 15, 1954.
2. \$5.00 to the Chapter organizing the largest number of J.A.C. Clubs in the same period as above.

Locating and Marking Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves

Mrs. Annie K. W. Walker, State Chairman, offers \$5.00 to the Chapter marking the greatest number of Revolutionary Soldiers' graves. \$5.00 award to the Chapter locating and reporting the greatest number of Revolutionary Soldiers' graves; giving name, date of birth, death, service and location of grave.

Marian Sibley Wylie Scholarship Endowment

Mrs. W. E. Gray, State Chairman, offers \$5.00 to the Chapter making the largest contribution to the Marian Sibley Wylie Scholarship Endowment at Tamassee.

Motion Picture

Mrs. A. S. Varn, State Chairman, offers three prizes for the three best Motion Picture Reports sent in on time based on the following: Chapter program, based on Motion Picture Committee. Distribution of D.A.R. Motion Picture Guides. Voting on Best Film of the Year by January 1. General results accomplished.

State Editor

Mrs. Sam Merritt, State Editor, will give \$5.00 to the Chapter sending the best report of Chapter activities other than Chapter meetings.

TROPHIES

Helen Rogers Franklin Trophy

For general excellence, including State Honor Roll requirements, participation in the work of National committees and reports filed with the State Chairmen of the respective committees and to the State Chairman of the Helen Rogers Franklin Trophy; use of Historical Programs, observance of Patriotic Days, location of Chapter, size of membership, possible scope of activities taken into consideration.

Kate Latham Dykes Cup

The Kate Latham Dykes Cup is to be given annually to the Chapter doing the most outstanding work for Tamassee.

Sarah Morrow Trophy

The Sarah Morrow Trophy given by Mrs. David Emmett Morgan for the most valuable Revolutionary relics to Museum, stating where these relics are placed.

Helen McCall Bashinski Trophy

To the Chapter sending to State Chairman greatest number of Genealogical Records.

Myrtle Bonner Cofer Trophy

To Chapter doing the most outstanding work for Kate Duncan Smith D.A.R. School, Mrs. Olin S. Cofer of Joseph Habersham Chapter offers a silver bowl, to be retained by the Chapter winning it three times consecutively.

Lenamae French Stribling Trophy

Awarded annually by the State Chairman of National Defense to the Chapter doing the best work for National Defense as outlined by the National Society. At the end of the sixth year (1957) this

trophy will be retired to the donor, Tomochichi Chapter, at which time they reserve the right to replace it with another trophy to become the permanent property of any chapter receiving the trophy three years in succession.

Augusta Stanley Adams Trophy

Will be presented annually to the Chapter submitting the best Scrap Book, given by Mrs. John Crane Peteet, Mrs. James H. Whitaker, Mrs. Edward Hendricks, Mrs. Roy Garrett and Mrs. Russell M. Kelly, nieces of Mrs. John S. Adams, Honorary State Regent.

Anne Douglas Wallace Trophy

Will be awarded annually to the Chapter securing the largest number of new subscriptions to the D.A.R. Magazine, to be retired to the Henry Walton Chapter, donors, in 1957, at which time the Chapter reserves the right to replace with another trophy.

Dorothy J. Waldman Trophy

Will be presented annually and perpetually for the most consistent use in advancement of patriotic and historic music and the classic music which was our cultural inheritance from Europe prior to 1885.

Frances Lamar Lowe Trophy

Mrs. George Connell offers this trophy in memory of her mother, to be awarded annually by the State President of the Georgia Society, C.A.R., to the D.A.R. Chapter doing the most outstanding work for the Children of the American Revolution.

The Porter Trophy

(Given by the Mary Hammond Washington Chapter, Macon)

This trophy, a silver bowl, presented by the Mary Hammond Washington Chapter, in memory of Mr. and Mrs. James Hyde Porter, is given annually to the Chapter best meeting the Library needs of its community. It is to be returned at each State Conference.

Kathleen Bailey Burts Trophy

The Cherokee Chapter will award annually the Kathleen Bailey Burts Trophy to the Chapter doing the most outstanding work for the Junior American Citizens. The trophy to be retired to the Cherokee Chapter, donors, in 1958.

Daisy Graham Stone Trophy

(Given by the Augusta Chapter, Augusta)

This trophy, a silver bowl, presented by the Augusta Chapter, in honor of Daisy Graham Stone, is to be awarded annually to the Chapter doing the most outstanding work for Meadow Garden, either by valuable gifts or cash contributions upon a percentage basis. The trophy shall be returned to the Augusta Chapter, one month before the State Conference. The Augusta Chapter is not a competitor. The Committee for judging the awards shall include the Regent of the Augusta Chapter and the State Chairman of Meadow Garden. At the end of 10 years, the trophy shall be retired and placed in Meadow Garden, at which time (1964) the Augusta Chapter reserves the right to replace it with another trophy.

1952-1953 WINNERS OF AWARDS AND TROPHIES

American Indians Award

State Chairman's Award to John Benning Chapter, Moultrie.
\$5.00 Award for work at Bacone College to Lyman Hall Chapter, Waycross.

APPROVED SCHOOLS

Hightower Award

Andrew Houser, Augusta, Bainbridge, Baron DeKalb, Benjamin Hawkins, Brier Creek, Button Gwinnett, Cherokee, Colonel William Few, Dorothy Walton, Fielding Lewis, Fort Early, George Walton, Governor David Emanuel, Governor George W. Towns, Governor John Milledge, Governor Truetlen, Hancock, Hannah Clarke, Henry Walton, James Pittman, John Benning, John Benson, John Clarke, John Houston, Joseph Habersham, Lachlan McIntosh, LaGrange, Lyman Hall, Mary Hammond Washington, Matthew Talbot, Nancy Hart, Nathaniel Abney, Nathaniel Macon, Oconee, Oglethorpe, Peter Early, Pulaski, Savannah, Sergeant Newton, Stephen Heard, Toccoa, Tomochichi, Vidalia, William Marsh.

Additional \$5.00 for most outstanding contribution given by Mrs. Henry A. Ironside won by the John Houston Chapter.

Approved Schools Chairman's Award—\$10.00 to Joseph Habersham Chapter.

Kate Latham Dykes Cup

John Houston Chapter. The Bainbridge Chapter runner-up, received the cup through the courtesy of the winning Chapter.

Myrtle Bonner Cofer Trophy

Baron DeKalb Chapter.

Marian Sibley Wylie Scholarship Endowment

John Houston Chapter.

Dorothy J. Waldman Trophy

John Benning Chapter.

Conservation

First prize of \$5.00—Joseph Habersham Chapter.

Second prize of \$3.00—Elijah Clarke Chapter.

Third prize of \$3.00—Knox-Conway Chapter.

Cooperative Relations Between D.A.R. and S.A.R.

John Floyd Chapter.

D.A.R. Good Citizens

Miss Maxine Turner of Columbus High School, sponsored by the Button Gwinnett, George Walton, and Oglethorpe Chapters, received the \$100.00 United States Bond given by the N.S.D.A.R. Others receiving \$5.00 in recognition of outstanding accomplishments: Nancy Eleanor Wright, Joe E. Brown High School, sponsored by Cherokee Chapter; Betty Beasley of Dixie High School, sponsored by Hannah Clarke Chapter; Marcia Griffin of Terrell County High School, sponsored by Stone Castle Chapter; Suzanne Liggin of Eastman High School, sponsored by Colonel William Few Chapter; Jane Rigdill of Oak Park High School, sponsored by Governor David Emanuel Chapter.

D.A.R. Good Citizens Chairman's Award of \$5.00 to the Cherokee Chapter; second place, a tie between Tomochichi and Joseph Habersham; third place to Bainbridge Chapter.

D.A.R. Magazine

Hightower Award of \$5.00—Tomochichi Chapter.

State Chairman's Award of \$10.00—Baron DeKalb Chapter.

Anne Douglas Wallace Trophy

Fielding Lewis Chapter.

Erection of Valley Forge Memorial Bell Tower

\$5.00 Award to Colonial William Few Chapter.

Genealogical Records

Helen McCall Bashinski Trophy to Joseph Habersham Chapter.

Second place—cash award of \$5.00 to Governor George W. Towns Chapter.

Girl Home Makers

Senior Dress Contest:

First prize of \$5.00 to Anne Giddins, Lakeland High School, John Floyd Chapter.

Second prize of \$3.00 to Hilda Macon, Sylvan High, Joseph Habersham Chapter.

Third prize of \$2.00 to Charlotte Hollis, Henry Walton Chapter.

Junior Dress Contest:

First prize of \$3.00 to Betty Jo Smith, Toccoa Chapter.

Second prize of \$2.00 to Mary Anne Eason, General David Blackshear Chapter.

Menu Contest:

First prize of \$1.00 to Pat Ellison, Henry Grady High, Joseph Habersham.

Junior American Citizens

\$5.00 Cash Award—Cherokee Chapter for most outstanding work.

\$5.00 Cash Award—Baron DeKalb Chapter for securing most members.

\$5.00 Cash Award—Cherokee Chapter for organizing most clubs.

Motion Picture

\$5.00 each awarded to Baron DeKalb, George Walton, Adam Brinson Chapters.

Lenamae French Stribling Trophy

Cherokee Chapter.

Helen Rogers Franklin Trophy

Joseph Habersham Chapter.

State Historian's Award

\$5.00 award to Pulaski Chapter.

State Editor's Award

Augusta Chapter.

Augusta Stanley Adams Trophy

Elijah Clarke Chapter.

Frances Lamar Lowe Trophy

John Benning Chapter.

The Porter Trophy

Nancy Hart Chapter.

HONOR ROLL—1953-1954

National Requirements

National Dues of \$2.00 per member must be sent to the Treasurer General, Mrs. J. DeForest Richards, 1776 D Street, N.W., Washington 6, D. C., before January 1st, 1954. This amount includes the quota funds of per capita tax. (Art. V, Sec. 3, National By-Laws).

State Honor Roll Requirements

1. State Dues must be sent to the State Treasurer at least 30 days before the Annual Meeting, which convenes March 10, 195445
 2. Tamassee05
 3. Kate Duncan Smith05
 4. Lucy Cook Peel Memorial03
 5. Meadow Garden04
 6. McCall Genealogical Fund03
 8. Conference Registration Fee of \$1.00 for each representative sent to State Treasurer with Honor Roll Requirements.
 9. Ten percent of members subscribers to D.A.R. Magazine.
- Please send all cash requirements by February 1st to Mrs. Talbitt B. Chandler, State Treasurer, 1201 3rd Ave., Albany, Ga.

National Honor Roll Requirements

A new Honor Roll Committee for the D.A.R. Chapters has been created. The committee is designed to outline goals for chapters for the next three years and to honor those chapters with outstanding records. Twelve requirements have been listed for the Honor Roll. If the chapter meets all 12, it will be placed on a Gold Honor Roll; if it meets 11, it will make a Silver Honor Roll; if it meets 10, it will receive honorable mention. The 12-point program for the Honor Roll includes:

1. A net increase in membership for chapters.
2. At least one new Junior member during year.
3. Representation at Continental Congress.
4. Payment of all dues prior to January 1st.
5. Five minutes devoted to National Defense topics at each chapter meeting.
6. Aid for one of the D.A.R. Approved Schools.
7. Twenty percent of chapter members subscribing to the D.A.R. Magazine.
8. At least one advertisement for the Magazine.
9. Work on at least eight of other National Committees.
10. A special D.A.R. project for the chapter's community.
11. Cooperation with the new National Historical Project of the Historian General in stressing American History in Junior High Schools.
12. A contribution to the planned new Investment Trust Fund of the National Society.

PATRIOTIC DAYS TO BE OBSERVED

January 17	Benjamin Franklin's Birthday
February 12	Georgia Day
February 22	George Washington's Birthday
April 3	The American's Creed
June 14	Flag Day
July 4	Independence Day
September 6	LaFayette Day
September 17	Constitution and Magna Charta Day
October 11	Founder's Day
November 11	Armistice Day
December 15	Bill of Rights Day

Organization of Chapters

	Date of Organization
Atlanta, Atlanta	April 15, 1891
Xavier, Rome	July 15, 1891
Augusta, Augusta	February 20, 1892
Savannah, Savannah	April 15, 1892
Athens, Athens (Disbanded 10-5-1910)	July 1, 1892
Oglethorpe, Columbus	December 11, 1892
Pulaski, Griffin	February 6, 1893
Mary Hammond Washington, Macon	October 30, 1893
Susannah Elliott, LaGrange (Disbanded 10-2-1901)	October 15, 1894
Thronateeska, Albany, January 4, 1895; Reorganized	June 2, 1909
Sergeant Newton, Covington	February 1, 1895
Francis Marion, Thomasville (Disbanded 4-17-903)	February 14, 1895
Kettle Creek, Washington (Disbanded 2-1-1941)	September 11, 1895
Piedmont Continental, Atlanta (Disbanded 2-9-1927)	January 27, 1898
John Adams Treutlen, Waynesboro (Disbanded 11-3-1909)	February 17, 1900
Joseph Habersham, Atlanta	February 17, 1900
Jonathan Bryan, Waycross (Disbanded 10-26-1938)	February 17, 1900
Thomas Jefferson, Atlanta (Disbanded 10-5-1910)	April 9, 1900
Nancy Hart, Milledgeville	October 5, 1900
Elijah Clarke, Athens	February 12, 1901
Lachlan McIntosh, Savannah	May 2, 1901
Stephen Heard, Elberton	June 6, 1901
George Walton, Columbus	July 1, 1901
Brunswick, Brunswick	February 12, 1903
Sarah Dickinson, Newnan	February 21, 1903
Stephen Hopkins, Marshallville	February 21, 1903
Shadrach Inman, Hepzibah (Disbanded 4-15-1916)	February 6, 1904
Fielding Lewis, Marietta	April 12, 1904
Nathaniel Macon, Macon	January 14, 1905
Sarah McIntosh, Atlanta (Disbanded 11-2-1910)	November 1, 1905
Lyman Hall, Waycross	June 5, 1907
Governor Treutlen, Fort Valley	October 7, 1907
Button Gwinnett, Columbus	March 13, 1908
Hannah Clarke, Quitman	April 18, 1908
General James Jackson, Valdosta	October 12, 1908
Council of Safety, Americus	October 20, 1908
Archibald Bulloch, Montezuma (Disbanded 2-1-1937)	February 3, 1908
Etowah, Cartersville	April 20, 1909
Tomochichi, Clarksville	June 5, 1909
Sergeant Jasper, Monticello	February 22, 1910
Henry Walton, Madison	March 2, 1910
David Meriwether, Greenville (Disbanded 12-19-1934)	October 25, 1910
John Benning, Moultrie	November 1, 1910
Governor Jared Irwin, Sandersville	November 12, 1910
Stone Castle, Dawson	March 21, 1911
John Houston, Thomaston	March 25, 1911
William Marsh, LaFayette	April 12, 1911
Nathaniel Abney, Fitzgerald	July 19, 1911
Dorothy Walton, Dawson	November 16, 1911
Governor Edward Telfair, Thomaston (Disbanded 10-15-1930)	December 11, 1911
Governor John Milledge, Dalton	January 20, 1912
Peter Early, Blakely	June 14, 1912
Thomasville, Thomasville	June 19, 1912
Baron DeKalb, Decatur	November 29, 1912
Lanahassce, Buena Vista (Disbanded 2-1-1937)	February 27, 1913
John Benson, Hartwell	March 12, 1913
Major General Samuel Elbert, Tennille (Disbanded)	March 24, 1913
Colonel William Few, Eastman	April 23, 1913
William McIntosh, Jackson	May 24, 1913
James Monroe, Forsyth	July 4, 1913
Anawauqua, Fairburn (Disbanded 10-18-1919)	October 18, 1913
Matthew Talbot, Monroe	January 23, 1914
Samuel Reid, Eatonton (Disbanded 6-30-1938)	January 26, 1914
Benjamin Hawkins, Cuthbert	January 28, 1914
Noble Wimberly Jones, Shellman	January 29, 1914
General Daniel Stewart, Perry	February 18, 1914
Fort Early, Cordele	February 18, 1914
Colonel William Candler, Gainesville	March 26, 1914
McIntosh Reserve, Carrollton (Disbanded 10-17-1918)	April 1, 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 12-30-1933)	January 18, 1918
Hawthorne Trall, Pelham (Disbanded 4-15-1939)	February 9, 1918
LaGrange, LaGrange	February 5, 1920
Colonel John Dooley, Vienna (Disbanded 7-2-1928)	April 27, 1920
Commodore Richard Dale, Albany	April 17, 1920
Hawkinsville, Hawkinsville	April 17, 1920
Hancock, Sparta	April 17, 1920
Ama-Kanasta, Douglasville (Disbanded 12-30-1933)	March 29, 1921
Sunbury, Winder	April 25, 1921
Brier Creek, Sylva	May 17, 1921
Peter Coffee, Abbeville (Disbanded 12-30-1933)	September 22, 1921
Cordele, Cordele (Disbanded 6-7-1922)	September 30, 1921
Colonel John McIntosh, Conyers	October 11, 1921
Barnard Trall, Sylvester	November 4, 1921
Bainbridge, Bainbridge	November 7, 1921
Burkhalter, Warrenton	November 29, 1921
Elizabeth Marlow, Monticello	December 16, 1921
Oliver Morton, Gray	February 22, 1922
Old Marion, Jeffersonville (Disbanded 2-2-1933)	March 21, 1922
Cairo, Cairo (Disbanded 12-17-1935)	December 12, 1922
Toccoa, Toccoa	October 31, 1923
Oothcaloga, Adairsville	June 6, 1924
Fort Valley, Fort Valley (Disbanded—April, 1948)	February 2, 1925
Edmund Burke, Waynesboro	February 2, 1925
Bonaventure, Savannah	April 18, 1925
Elizabeth Washington, Augusta (Disbanded 10-25-1939)	June 5, 1925
Jeffersonia Hawkins, Roberta (Disbanded 2-2-1933)	June 16, 1925
Roanoke, Lumpkin	November 3, 1925
Knox-Conway, Ashburn	November 5, 1925
John Ball, Irwinton	April 9, 1926
Arthur Fort, Grantville	June 14, 1927
Camilla, Camilla (Disbanded 2-5-1936)	July 12, 1927
Lamar-LaFayette, Barnesville	April 14, 1928
Vidalia, Vidalia	April 14, 1928
Thomson, Thomson (Name changed to Captain John Wilson, 4-15-1939)	April 12, 1930
Adam Brinson, Summit-Graymont	October 10, 1930
Governor David Emanuel, Emanuel County	May 26, 1931
Elisha Walker, Wrightsville (Disbanded 2-1-1937)	February 28, 1935
General David Blackshear, Rochelle	November 19, 1938
Governor George W. Towns, Talbotton	May 18, 1946
Governor George M. Troup, Hogansville (Disbanded 1950)	December 2, 1947
John Floyd, Homerville	November 18, 1948
Cherokee, Brookhaven (Location changed to Atlanta 10-16-1953)	December 21, 1948
William Witcher, Cedartown	June 3, 1949
Andrew Houser, Marietta	January 18, 1950
John Dooley, Lincolnton	April 12, 1952
Abraham Baldwin, Carrollton	April 1, 1953

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MEETINGS, 1953-1954

State Board of Management—Bon Air Hotel Augusta, October 28, 1953.

State Conference—Biltmore Hotel, Atlanta, March 10, 11, 12, 1954.

DISTRICT MEETINGS

Northeastern District—Miss Helen Estes, 403 N. Green Street, Gainesville, Chairman. Meeting at Athens, Wednesday, September 9th. Northeastern District includes chapters at Athens, Clarksville, Commerce, Conyers, Covington, Elberton, Gainesville, Hartwell, Madison, Monroe, Social Circle, Toccoa, Winder.

Central District—Mrs. Florine B. Davis, 594 High Street, Macon, Chairman. Meeting at Perry, Thursday, September 10th. Central District includes chapters at Eastman, Dublin, Gray, Hawkinsville, Fort Valley, Macon, Marshallville, McRae, Irwinton, Perry.

West Central District—Mrs. Florine Gibson, 503 Poplar Street, Griffin, Chairman. Meeting at Columbus, Friday, September 11. West Central District includes chapters at Barnesville, Columbus, Grantville, Griffin, Forsyth, Jackson, LaGrange, Monticello, Newnan, Talbotton, Thomaston.

Northwestern District—Mrs. W. P. Martin Adairsville, Chairman. Meeting at Decatur, Monday, September 14th. Northwestern District includes chapters at Adairsville, Atlanta, Carrollton, Cartersville, Cedartown, Dalton, Decatur, LaFayette, Marietta, Rome.

East Central District—Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Box 268, Sylvania, Chairman. Meeting at Thomson, Tuesday September 15th. East Central District includes chapters at Augusta, Lincolnton, Milledgeville, Metter, Thomson, Sandersville, Sparta, Sylvania, Warren-ton, Waynesboro.

Southeastern District—Mrs. Ira T. McLemore, Box 174, Graymont, Chairman. Meeting at Vidalia, Wednesday, September 16th. Southeastern District includes chapters at Brunswick, Graymont-Summit, Homerville, Jesup, Savannah, Swainsboro, Vidalia, Waycross.

Southwestern District—Mrs. Robert E. Cheshire, 817 Hill Crest, Moultrie, Chairman. Meeting at Thomasville, Thursday, September 17th. Southwestern District includes chapters at Albany, Bainbridge, Blakely, Moultrie, Quitman, Sylvester, Thomasville, Valdosta.

Southern District—Mrs. S. G. Pryor, Jr., 507 South Lee Street, Fitzgerald, Chairman. Meeting at Dawson, Friday, September 18th. Southern District includes chapters at Americus, Ashburn, Cuthbert, Cordele, Dawson, Fitzgerald, Lumpkin, Rochelle, Shellman.

Georgia State Officers' Club National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution

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MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING—MARCH 11, 1953

The Twenty-Fourth Annual Meeting of the Georgia State Officers' Club, of the Daughters of the American Revolution, was held at the General Oglethorpe Hotel in the Whitmarsh Room, Savannah, on Wednesday, March 11th, 1953 at 12:30 o'clock.

The luncheon table was beautifully decorated with spring flowers: the exquisite centerpiece was formed with azalea, gladioli, iris, narcissi and fern.

The President, Mrs. Mark Smith, called the meeting to order and Mrs. H. A. Ironside introduced Mrs. J. Freeman Hart, who gave the invocation, in the absence of the Chaplain, Mrs. John Faver.

A delicious luncheon was enjoyed, during which Mrs. Ironside distributed a gift to each member present from our President, Mrs. Mark Smith; it was a "Clear View Key Tag and Chain" with the initials of individuals receiving them. Another very pretty and useful gift was also received by each member—a Year Book consisting of By-Laws and list of members of Georgia State Officers' Club, N.S.D.A.R., 1952-1954.

Mrs. Leonard Wallace, First Vice President of Georgia State Officers' Club, introduced Mrs. Calvin G. Stegin, Regent of hostess Chapter, Bonaventure, Savannah, and welcomed her as a guest.

Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, State Regent, was introduced and asked to present her distinguished guests. They were Mrs. Jessica Payne from West Virginia; Mrs. Patrick Odom, Vice President General from Florida; Mrs. Donald Bennett Adams, Washington, D. C., Chairman of Building Fund of National Committee, and Mrs. Everett L. Repass, Vice President General from Virginia.

At the conclusion of the luncheon, the guests withdrew and a short business meeting was held.

The treasurer gave her report and a copy was placed on file with the Recording Secretary.

The Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Thomas J. Sappington, was requested to send notes to Mrs. Frances Brown Chase, also Mrs. Max Land expressing our regrets at their absence.

It was announced that Mrs. Lucius McConnell was absent from the luncheon due to illness. A letter from the Club will be sent to her expressing our wishes for a speedy recovery.

At the request of Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Sr., letters were sent to the following absent members: Mrs. Mell Knox, Mrs. John W. Daniel, Mrs. Boyce Grier, Mrs. W. S. Mann, Mrs. James B. Key, Mrs. Herbert Fay Gaffney and Mrs. John D. Faver, telling them how much we missed them at our luncheon.

There being no further business to come before the Club, the meeting adjourned.

Mrs. Mark Smith, President

Mrs. Hudson J. Malone, Recording Secretary

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Mrs. Hinton Blackshear	Atlanta
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Mr. and Mrs. George Connell	Atlanta
Mrs. F. B. Elmore	Savannah
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Mrs. Eula S. Furse	Atlanta
Mrs. Herbert Fay Gaffney	Columbus
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Mrs. T. J. Peniston	Atlanta
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STATE C.A.R. PROMOTERS 1952-1953

Miss Olga Adler, Col. Henry Lee	Savannah
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Mrs. W. T. Asher, Lady Elizabeth Oglethorpe	Atlanta
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Mrs. David Clark, Lady Elizabeth Oglethorpe	Atlanta
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Mrs. L. G. Cox, Lt. George Calvert	Moultrie
Mrs. J. K. Daniel, Lucy Spell Raiford	Columbus
Mrs. James DeLamar, Lucy Spell Raiford	Columbus
Mrs. W. F. Dykes, Lady Elizabeth Oglethorpe	Atlanta
Mrs. George Fesperman, Winona	Waycross
Mrs. Leonard Gay, Lady Elizabeth Oglethorpe	Atlanta
Mrs. Norman W. Gibson, Lady Elizabeth Oglethorpe	Atlanta
Mrs. T. N. Hagel, Lady Elizabeth Oglethorpe	Atlanta
Mrs. J. W. D. Harvey, Cherokee Rose	Atlanta
Mrs. R. J. Hood, Lady Elizabeth Oglethorpe	Atlanta
Mrs. L. T. Howick, Lady Elizabeth Oglethorpe	Atlanta
Mrs. Hamilton Holt, Benjamin Hawkins	Macon
Mrs. George Huber, Jr., Lt. George Calvert	Moultrie
Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, Gen. David Emanuel	Swainsboro
Mrs. T. K. Kendrick, Lucy Spell Raiford	Columbus
Mrs. V. O. Kitchens, LaGrange	LaGrange
Mrs. H. C. Maddox, Gen. David Blackshear	Rochelle
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Mrs. Edward Napier, Sukey Hart	Milledgeville
Mrs. Frederic C. Rice, Lady Elizabeth Oglethorpe	Atlanta
Mrs. C. B. Robinson, Gen. David Blackshear	Rochelle
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REPORT OF THE GEORGIA SOCIETY CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Mrs. George Herman Connell, President

Georgia Society, C.A.R. has an enrollment of 458 members, showing a gain in 1952 of 46 members. Last Fall I sent a letter to the D.A.R. Chapter Regents urging them to support the C.A.R. as much as possible and to organize their own children into C.A.R. societies. After Christmas a questionnaire was mailed to all D.A.R. Chapter Regents concerning their work for the C.A.R. On the basis of these questionnaires, the trophy given for the first time to the Georgia D.A.R. Chapter which accomplished the most outstanding work for the C.A.R. was awarded. Many fine reports were received. The Frances Lamar Lowe Trophy was presented to the John Benning Chapter, D.A.R. of Moultrie for its most outstanding work for the Lt. George Calvert Society, C.A.R. The Joseph Habersham Chapter of Atlanta came second, and Elijah Clarke Chapter of Athens, third. Cash awards for special work in organizing new C.A.R. societies in the state went to the Col. William Few Chapter, D.A.R. of Eastman for their new society Levi Harrell Society; John Floyd Chapter, D.A.R. of Homerville for their new society Banks Lake Society; and to the Knox-Conway Chapter, D.A.R. of Ashburn for their new C.A.R. society Betsy Ross Society.

The fourteenth annual state C.A.R. conference was held in Savannah March 27-28 as the guest of the Col. Henry Lee Society, C.A.R. The D.A.R. and S.A.R. in Savannah did much to make the conference a wonderful meeting for the children. At the conference the Lady Elizabeth Oglethorpe Society of Atlanta won the General Excellence Trophy, the Cecile Moore Mallory award for Mountain Schools, and the Sara Lownsberry Rice trophy for the largest number of paid up promoters. The Sukey Hart Society of Milledgeville won the award for the best society history submitted to the State Senior Historian Mrs. Herschel W. Smith. The Lucy Spell Raiford Society won the award for the society which had traveled the greatest distance, and the Lt. George Calvert Society won the magazine award. The Dolly Madison Society won the award for having the largest delegation present at the conference.

Mrs. Harry Lee Jackson, National Vice President, N.S.C.A.R. made a splendid talk on the C.A.R. creed and installed officers. Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, Honorary National Vice President, N.S.C.A.R., brought greetings to the conference. A beautiful dinner at the Hotel DeSoto, a delightful breakfast and luncheon in Savannah, as well as an historic tour of the city and motion picture were all enjoyed by the children.

The 1954 state C.A.R. conference will be held in Atlanta.

During the past year I was happy to attend as an honored guest the beautiful reception celebrating the sixtieth anniversary of the Oglethorpe Chapter, D.A.R. at the Columbus Woman's Club, and later to be the house guest of Mrs. J. D. Wadsworth, Senior President, Lucy Spell Raiford Society. Delightful meetings of the Dolly Madison Society, the Lady Elizabeth Oglethorpe Society, and the Joseph Habersham Chapter and Atlanta Chapter, D.A.R. have been attended during the year. It is my plan to visit all C.A.R. societies next year for only through working together can we carry on the great C.A.R. work in Georgia.

We are indeed grateful to the Georgia Society, D.A.R. for its help and support at all times during the past year. We wish to thank Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, the State Regent, and the Georgia D.A.R. most sincerely for making possible the work which your own children's organization, the Georgia C.A.R., is doing.

On the following pages are the reports of our societies. They reveal the wide scope of patriotic work which has been accomplished during the past year.

BETSY ROSS SOCIETY, ASHBURN

Senior President.....Mrs. M. T. Mathis

Betsy Ross Society was organized May 9, 1953 at the home of Mrs. Linda C. Ewing, Regent of the Knox-Conway Chapter, D.A.R. in Ashburn. The officers were installed by Mrs. Ewing, and the new society now takes its place as a formally organized C.A.R. Society in Georgia Society, C.A.R.

COUNT D'ESTAING SOCIETY, ATHENS

Senior President.....Mrs. Howard T. Abney
Junior President.....May Erwin Talmadge

Our present membership is 27. We have gained 11 new members since the last report. During the year we have held 5 business meetings and 4 socials.

The total amount of money expended was \$141.85. Of this \$2.70 went to the National Headquarters Building Fund, \$8.00 for the trees we planted, \$10.00 for the Scholarship Fund, \$81.00 to Approved Schools. Fifteen books were contributed to the school library.

Candy valued at \$6.00 and a box of clothing valued at \$70.00 were sent to the mountain schools, and \$5.00 in cash was contributed.

We had a program on the correct use of the flag, and instruction in the flag code and history of the flag was presented by a D.A.R. member at one of our C.A.R. meetings. The pledge of allegiance to the flag is given at all of our meetings. Flag codes and United States flags were presented to all Clarke County School rooms in both white and colored schools. (214 small flags on stands.)

Our children participated in a play to raise funds for handicapped children. Some of our C.A.R. members staffed Salvation Army Toy Shop at Christmas. They also dressed dolls and donated toys for this shop. Our C.A.R. Society attended the D.A.R. Christmas meeting and party. Several of our members attended dedication of the May Erwin Talmadge Auditorium at Tamassee. The members of our C.A.R. participated in the dedication program marking Revolutionary soldiers' graves. Last year we were represented at both state and national conventions. One of our members is serving as second vice president of the State C.A.R.

At a joint meeting of the C.A.R. and D.A.R. one of our C.A.R. members presented patriotic musical selections.

A number of our C.A.R. members participated in at least 5 radio programs for various civic and schools activities. Time for these programs was donated by two local stations.

Mrs. J. Y. Talmadge, grandmother of two members, and Honorary President General, N.S.D.A.R., is a state and National Promoter.

Our Junior Group meets at night. One grandfather has attended every meeting and has helped with the operation of the movie machine and with the entertainment of the group.

The local D.A.R. members are active and interested in this work—believing that as the twig is bent so the tree shall grow.

DOLLY MADISON SOCIETY, ATLANTA

Senior President.....Mrs. Reuben A. Garland
Junior President.....Mary Anne Lindgren

Dolly Madison Society, which is sponsored by Atlanta Chapter, D.A.R. has a membership of 33. We have held 5 business meetings and one social. The total amount of money expended during the year was \$95.00. Washington's Birthday was celebrated with two parties—one for the big girls and one for the younger school children. At Christmas time the Society was entertained at a beautiful Christmas dinner party at Craigie House. All children appeared in colonial costume, pictures were taken, which appeared in the newspaper. Spring house party to be held at the old country home of Senior President, where relics of American Indians will be studied and soil conservation on the farm will be observed by the children.

We have had American Music on two of our programs. The flag has been displayed and saluted at all of our meetings. The Senior President has brought a patriotic message to each meeting. Two boxes of clothing have been sent to mountain schools. \$10.00 was contributed to the Cecile Moore Mallory Scholarship Fund at Tamassee, and \$3.00 was given to the Walk at Tamassee. \$2.00 was contributed to the Georgia C.A.R. News Sheet.

Our society took part on the Christmas program at the Atlanta Chapter, D.A.R. meeting.

We won the prize at the State C.A.R. Convention in Savannah for having the largest delegation present. Jane Brooke were elected Recording Secretary. We have had a good year, and look forward to next year when we will carry out our plans for several historic tours of interest to the children and other patriotic activities we have scheduled.

LADY ELIZABETH OGLETHORPE SOCIETY. ATLANTA

Senior President.....Mrs. Thos. J. Peniston
Junior President.....Sally Camp

Lady Elizabeth Oglethorpe Society reports a membership of fifty-one. Ten new members were added since last conference, eight lost by transfer, two dropped. We boast two new life members.

The society held four business meetings, each with program and social hour. A beautiful Christmas tea was given by Mrs. John F. Thigpen at her home, honoring the junior president. A Christmas story was read and members brought gifts and clothing for the mountain schools. Mrs. George Connell, State President, and Mrs. Thos. C. Mell and Mrs. Frederic C. Rice, Honorary State Presidents, were guests, as well as our D.A.R. Chapter Regent, Mrs. Milton F. Hall, and several National and State Promoters.

Constitution Day, Columbus Day, Armistic Day and Georgia Day were observed, as well as patriotic birthdays. A program on human conservation, the Flag, and the mountain and Indian schools was presented and boxes were sent to Kate Duncan Smith D.A.R. School valued at \$200.00. In February, the Society gave an original quiz program on "The Star Spangled Banner" for the Joseph Habersham Chapter. D.A.R. The November meeting was outstanding. Members of the Dolly Madison and Cherokee Rose societies were our guests. Others present were Mrs. Arthur Mallory, National Chaplain, and Mrs. John F. Thigpn, State Chaplain; the regents of the three Atlanta D.A.R. chapters, and our Promoters. The program celebrated Columbus Day and Armistic Day, and was followed by an educational film presented by Civil Defense authorities. About seventy-five attended the meeting.

Approximately 75 inches of publicity was given our activities in the various newspapers besides three pictures, size 5 x 8. Two were in the New Orleans papers. A scrapbook was kept of all news clippings.

On February 27 a television program over WAGA was given by Ellen Peniston, Lynne Ford and Sally Camp. It was in the nature of an interview by Helen Parris on the aims and purposes of C.A.R. work and the year's accomplishments of our society.

The following contributions were made: \$7.55 (15c per person) for national project; \$5.00 to KDS Milk Fund; \$2.00 to Berry Schools; \$3.00 to the State News Sheet; \$10.00 for Cecile Moore Mallory Scholarship Fund; \$7.35 gifts to Tamasee (dolls).

Twenty-six magazine subscriptions, including those to Promoters. Nine are new. There are two National Promoters and 12 State Promoters.

A history of the Lady Elizabeth Oglethorpe Society was sent to Mrs. Herschel Smith, State Historian, and an index card of each member to Mrs. Marion Sirmans, State Registrar. Five members attended the State Conference at Macon, two National Promoters and one State Promoter. The society tied for first place for two cups, the General Excellence trophy and the Mountain Schools trophy. It won the Rice Cup for the most promoters and first place for the best program on the flag. Ellen Peniston was elected Third Vice President of the State.

Five members attended the National Convention in Washington, two as pages. Margaret Anne Ford, our former junior president of the State and the Society, was elected National Vice President Presiding.

Two members and two National Promoters attended the C.A.R. regional meeting in New Orleans in August. Each girl donated to the Red Cross and one served as Red Cross chairman for her school class.

Each meeting has been opened with prayer, the C.A.R. creed and salute to the Flag. The Flag Code, Public Law 829, was distributed to members.

CHEROKEE ROSE SOCIETY, BROOKHAVEN

Junior President..... Mary Ann Fowler
Senior President..... Mrs. Robert S. Cannon

Cherokee Rose Society has held four scheduled meetings throughout the year, each one being opened with prayer and the Pledge to the Flag, followed by reports from Junior Officers. Our programs have centered around the Approved Schools and discussions on Good Citizenship, using J.A.C. pins and handbooks for the latter project.

Our Senior President and Junior President attended Founders' Day exercises at Tamassee in October, accompanied by several members of our sponsoring Cherokee Chapter, N.S.D.A.R.

Two of our members, our Senior President and four members of Cherokee Chapter, N.S.D.A.R., attended the State Conference in Macon, where we received honorable mention for General Excellence and tied for Approved Schools Trophy.

Mary Ann Fowler, our Junior President, is Junior State Recording Secretary.

Accounts of our activities have appeared in a local newspaper four times including a photograph of our junior officers. A copy of these notices has been sent to the State Scrapbook Chairman and news of our meetings appeared in the Georgia C.A.R. Newsheet. A History of the Society has been sent to the State Historian and a Card File of all members to the State Registrar.

An informative and enjoyable expedition to several local points of historic interest was made. The Society will present a program to our D.A.R. Chapter in early Spring.

The Society has a membership of 26. We have three National Promoters and two State Promoters. All State and National dues are paid and the Society contributions are:

State Project	\$10.00
National Project	15c per capita
Toward clothing Scholarship at Tamassee	5.00
Toward Scholarship at Berry	5.00
Toward Cherokee Chapter, D.A.R. Scholarship at Kate Duncan Smith	5.00
Georgia C.A.R. News Sheet	2.00
And gifts of money to the Red Cross and Polio Foundation	

Total\$30.90

LUCY SPELL RAIFORD SOCIETY, COLUMBUS

Junior PresidentBecky Kendrick
Senior PresidentMrs. J. D. Wadsworth

Lucy Spell Raiford Society has 26 members, three of whom are new, one passed the age limit, one resigned, and one married.

Our member, Harriette Wadsworth, was honored at the 1952 State Conference by being elected Junior State President, 1952-1953.

Five meetings have been held. State and National dues have been paid, and State and National requirements have been met.

We have 15 subscriptions to the C.A.R. Magazine.

The local newspaper carried two notices of our meetings, and announcements, that amounted to 15 ½ inches.

Ten members took part in the joint meeting of the three local D.A.R. Chapters.

Nine members attended the State Conference in Macon, and four went to the Southeastern Regional meeting in New Orleans in August.

Anne Johnson is our chairman of Radio.

We have two National Promoters, three State Promoters, and one Honorary National Vice President. Also, a Junior and Senior State Chairman for the Magazine.

Mrs. Rosser A. Malone is the Senior State News Editor, and gets out the Georgia C.A.R. News.

Contributions for 1952-1953 include:

Junior National Project, \$3.90; Georgia State Project, \$10.00; Mountain Schools, \$4.00; Georgia News Sheet, \$2.00; and \$10.00

sent to the Cecile Moore Mallory Scholarship Fund at Tamasssee honoring Harriette Wadsworth our Junior State President. Total expenditures, \$70.00.

One member secured a \$15.00 ad for the C.A.R. Magazine.

COLONEL BENJAMIN CLEVELAND SOCIETY, GRIFFIN

Senior President.....Mrs. Park McKibben
Junior President.....Sally Shapard

A large number of our members went away to college this year, and so we have had to depend on our younger members to keep our society membership up to standard. We are glad to report a number of cradle roll members this year, and hope that by next year we will be able to report even more good work done.

AH-YEH-LI A-LO-HEE SOCIETY, HARTWELL

Senior President.....Mrs. L. G. Cocchiolo
Junior President.....Charlie Jean Matheson

Ah-Yeh-Li A-Lo-Hee Society has a membership of 29. We have had four business meetings and one social. One program centered around the American Indians. Another was about the Correct Use of the Flag. During the year we sent a package of clothing to Kate Duncan Smith School.

MAGNOLIA SOCIETY, HOMERVILLE

Senior President.....Mrs. Louella Dame
Junior President.....Sandra Tally

Our society has had four business meetings and four social meetings. We have a present membership of 18. During the year we have had programs on the American Indians, the Correct Use of the Flag, George Washington, and the Mountain Schools. We sent a box of clothing to Kate Duncan Smith School. Three of our members attended the S.A.R.-D.A.R.-C.A.R. banquet held at Adel in February. One of our members is state chairman of Conservation and has sent in to National \$3.50 for rebinding and preserving C.A.R. records.

LAGRANGE SOCIETY, LAGRANGE

Junior President.....Ann Power
Senior President.....Mrs. J. B. Blanks

LaGrange Society has eleven members and one magazine subscription.

We have had two business meetings since the 1952 Convention in Macon, paid National and State Dues, and contributed to the following:

Cecile Moore Mallory Scholarship Fund	\$10.00
News Sheet	2.00
Kate Duncan Smith School	1.00
Jr. National Project @ 15c (11 members)	1.65

We have cooperated with the Red Cross in money, hours, and one Blood Donor.

We have observed the C.A.R. Ritual and featured Patriotic Education and American History on our programs.

In August four members of our Society attended the Southeastern Regional Conference in New Orleans.

Our Society is proud of Mrs. Mallory, National Chaplain, and three of our members are state officers.

BENJAMIN HAWKINS SOCIETY, MACON

Senior President.....Mrs. S. S. Halliburton
Junior Group President.....Patricia Hardeman
Senior Group President.....Joan Baggs

Benjamin Hawkins Society is sponsored by Mary Hammond Washington Chapter D.A.R. We have a membership of twenty-five approved members besides seven members whose papers are in Washington and eight who are working on papers. One other member has transferred to our chapter. All dues are paid.

Ten dollars has been subscribed to the Cecile Mallory Scholarship Fund and two dollars to the Cherokee News. Contributions have been made to the Red Cross, the Community Chest and the Polio fund. Boxes of clothing have been sent to Tamassee, Kate Duncan Smith and Pine Mountain.

Meetings each month have been led with prayer by the chaplain and with pledge of allegiance to our Flag.

With wholehearted support from our sponsoring chapter, our Society entertained the 1952 C.A.R. State Conference, the children visiting in the members' homes at night, and the attending adults being entertained at a banquet. A square dance was given honoring the visitors and during conference a delightful luncheon was served at the Y.W.C.A. and the junior group presented a colorful pageant, depicting the history of our country.

Our programs have all been historical and well received by the members. It has been our privilege to have in our Society, Anne Griffin, Junior State Registrar, Gertrude Crouse, Junior Chairman of Patriotic Education and Margaret Ann Comer, Junior Chairman of Radio. Mrs. James E. Crouse from our sponsoring Chapter is Senior State Chairman of Patriotic Education for C.A.R.

SUKEY HART SOCIETY, MILLEDGEVILLE

Senior Presidents.....Mrs. Jere N. Moore, Mrs. Miller R. Bell

The Sukey Hart Society has 33 members. It has been divided into two groups, a Junior Group and a Senior Group. Mrs. Miller R. Bell is in charge of the younger group and Mrs. Jere Moore leads the older.

Each group has had five meetings during the year one of which was held with the Nancy Hart Chapter. At this time a program on the Mountain Schools was given, also a musical program of American composers was presented by two young men from the Georgia Military College. Mrs. W. M. Miller who has directed the Sukey Hart Society for several years was honored by the children with a message of love and appreciation and presented a gift.

Mrs. Miller has compiled a wonderful history of the Sukey Hart Society which is celebrating its twentieth birthday this year. Two meetings were held at the home of Mrs. Miller to commemorate the anniversary of the founding of this society. Pictures and a write-up of the meetings were in the National C.A.R. Magazine.

A program on the correct use of the flag was given. Each meeting was opened with prayer by the chaplain.

A card file of each member was sent to the State Registrar.

Some of the members who are Girl Scouts have served as guides during the annual pilgrimage to the old homes of Milledgeville and will assist this year in many ways with the Sesquicentennial celebration. Each child is a member of the American Red Cross.

We have four subscribers to the C.A.R. Magazine and have given \$1.00 to each of the following: Kate Duncan Smith School, Tamassee, Crossnore, Building Fund, American Indians, and the American Red Cross.

LT. GEORGE CALVERT SOCIETY, MOULTRIE

Senior President.....Mrs. Marion Sirmans
Junior President.....Gloria Carlton

This society, reactivated two years ago, is sponsored by the John Benning Chapter, D.A.R., and Mrs. George Huber, Jr., Regent. We have a membership of sixteen, an increase of seven over last year. There are thirteen girls working on papers.

Meetings are held each month except for June, July, August, and September. Attendance is always good.

Two state and one national promoter have been enlisted this year, Mrs. I. A. Heard, Mrs. George Huber, and Mrs. L. G. Cox. We have fifteen subscriptions to the magazine, eight new and seven renewals.

In attendance at the State Conference were the Senior President and six members.

Work for the year was planned in the summer: programs, projects, parties, business, and presented in an attractive year book. The historian maintains a scrapbook of activities.

Dues were all paid on time. A history of the society has been sent in, and a card for each member is on file with the State Registrar. All state requirements were met, and we are listed as an honor roll society.

A scrapbook about American Indians was made. Handbooks were purchased for eight officers.

Announcements of each meeting, business, program, and social, were made by the local paper and followed by a detailed account. Two such accounts were accompanied by photographs.

The Chaplain opens each meeting with prayer and continues with a full ritual.

Programs included an Indian play in costume for our sponsoring D.A.R. An account of this, including photographs, appears in the March issue of the C.A.R. Magazine.

With the aid of the National Defense Committee of the D.A.R., an American flag and stand were purchased. We cooperated with this committee in placing sixty flags on hospital trays in June. In September, using material supplied by this same committee, we gave a radio program on Constitution Day.

Other programs covered plans of work for Club year, Mountain Schools, History of the C.A.R., Preserving Our American Heritage, Correct Use of the Flag and Its Traditions, and American Music. The Patriotic Education Committee has presented brief talks on the following topics and persons: Armistice Day, Valley Forge, Mount Vernon, Benjamin Franklin, and James Madison.

On December 6 we gave a Christmas Tea for Tamasee for our D.A.R. They brought wrapped Christmas gifts for the school. Their young children and grandchildren came to see Santa Claus. Our own society sent a box of gifts, a box of used clothing, and \$1.00 in cash. To Kate Duncan Smith, we sent a large box of used clothing and \$1.00 in cash. We also sent \$1.00 to Berry, and \$10.00 to the Cecile Moore Mallory Fund, and \$2.00 to the C.A.R. News Sheet. We bought and sold to our members, for a small profit, a number of stickers bearing the C.A.R. emblem.

We have had four parties—a supper party at the Hotel in April to install officers, a progressive supper party in October, and a Pirate Dance in November.

Our total expenditures for the year, including fees, dues, supplies, magazine subscriptions, parties, flag and stand, and services, amounted to \$156.00. The John Benning Chapter gave us \$33.50

this Club year. We had some left from last year, and the balance came in from the membership.

The C.A.R. Committee from our sponsoring D.A.R., headed by the Senior President, won the Frances Lamar Lowe trophy for the D.A.R. Chapter in Georgia doing the most outstanding work for the C.A.R.

Our society won first place in the state for magazine subscriptions. We tied for second place in general excellence.

Claire Duggan served as Junior State Historian, and Mrs. Marian Sirmans as Senior State Registrar. Jane Sirmans was installed in March at the State Conference as Junior State Registrar.

The progress made this year is largely due to the encouragement and efforts of our D.A.R. The committee who have served so faithfully are: Mrs. R. C. McGraw, Mrs. Sam Duggan, Mrs. J. M. Clements, and Mrs. Bernard Hambrick.

CHARLES GRIFFIS SOCIETY, PEARSON

Senior President.....Mrs. W. L. Roberts
Junior President.....Anne McHugh

Our society is sponsored by the John Floyd Chapter, D.A.R. We had six paid up members and hope to gain more during the next year. Since this our first year, we have been anxious to find out all about the C.A.R. work, its history and its organization.

GENERAL DAVID BLACKSHEAR SOCIETY, ROCHELLE

Senior President.....Mrs. William N. Futch

General David Blackshear Society has a present membership of 23, with four papers pending. We have held eight business meetings, and eight socials. We have nine subscriptions to the Magazine, two of which are new subscriptions. All National Holidays have been observed with the display of flag at the home of each active member, as well as a large flag displayed downtown. At each meeting we have had a short talk and demonstration on the correct use and care of the flag. In December we had an American Music program consisting of carols and poems by American men and women. During the year we had programs on the Navajo Indians, the Mountain Schools, on the history of C.A.R. and its accomplishments, and on the War for Independence.

Our society presented a program to the General David Blackshear Chapter, D.A.R. and the Hawkinsville Chapter, D.A.R. We have undertaken to educate the D.A.R. in what we are doing, what our national project is, our state project, and to create an interest in the C.A.R. We need their help if we children are to meet requirements. Next year our plans are for the D.A.R. to sponsor all projects we undertake and to back us up to the limit.

We have compiled a history of our society and sent it to the State Historian.

COL. HENRY LEE SOCIETY, SAVANNAH

Junior President.....Jerry Coleman Lamb
Senior President.....Mrs. F. B. Elmore, Sr.

We have three state and two national promoters.

We have representation at the State Conference in Savannah.

We presented a program for our sponsoring D.A.R. Chapter.

We have paid all national and state dues.

We have sent a history of our society to the state historian and an index card to the state registrar for each of our members.

We sent two dollars to Tamasee and two to Kate Duncan Smith.
We sent two dollars to the Georgia News Sheet.

We sent ten dollars to the Cecile Moore Mallory Scholarship at Tamasee.

We have enrolled eleven new members.

We have had nine write-ups in our local papers, and a picture of our new officers in January, and of the two personal pages at the D.A.R. Conference, and of our Senior and Junior Presidents.

One of our members is junior editor of the Ga. C.A.R. News.

We open our meetings with prayer, salute to the flag, Star Spangled Banner, America, and Dixie.

Our program is always on a patriotic education subject.

Our Junior President gave a talk over the radio on "Washington's Tips to Teen-Agers."

We have three grandmothers and three grandfathers in our club.

We receive the Motion Pictures Guide each month.

We had one paper on American Indians and one on the Correct Use of the Flag.

JOHN HOUSTON SOCIETY, THOMASTON

Senior President.....Mrs. E. Worrill Carter

John Houston Society has an enrollment of 19 members. Mrs. Henry A. Ironside is our National Promoter.

CURRAHEE SOCIETY. TOCCOA

Senior President.....Mrs. L. L. Allgood

Junior President.....Cille Simpson

Currahee Society has a membership of 36. We have held eight meetings, business and social during the year. We have had programs on American Indians, American Music, the Correct Use of the Flag, Mountain Schools. All programs and meetings have stressed patriotism. The theme of the year has been "Builders of Democracy." All meetings have been published in the Toccoa Record, and clippings have been sent to the Scrapbook chairman. We donated \$2.00 to the C.A.R. News Sheet. At each meeting we have the pledge of allegiance to the flag, and the flag is properly retired at every meeting.

Our members have participated in all drives pertaining to human conservation, such as polio, heart fund, Christmas and Easter seals. Also, our children have been encouraged to buy U. S. Savings Bond stamps at the school every Tuesday.

The following historic days have been observed: LaFayette Day, Constitution Day, Yorktown Day, Armistice Day, Benjamin Franklin Day, Georgia Day, Washington's Birthday, American's Creed Day, Jefferson's Birthday, Flag Day, and Independence Day.

Currahee Society has provided one program for the local D.A.R. Chapter. Last June our society enjoyed a picnic. One of the outstanding meetings was the buffet supper served at the home of Wallace Bruce, Jr., last November.

We sent a Christmas box to the S. C. Cottage at Tamasee and have donated \$10.00 to the Cecile Moore Mallory Scholarship Fund. To Kate Duncan Smith School we contributed \$2.00. To the National Museum we sent \$1.00; to the National Project, \$2.00; and to the Red Cross, \$1.00; to the American Indians, \$1.00.

At the state conference in Savannah one of our members, Hal

McNeely, was elected Junior State Treasurer. Our Senior President is the State Senior Treasurer for 1953-1954.

We have one national promoter and two state promoters.

Jane De Foor, the state Junior Chaplain 1952-1953, served as acting National Junior Chaplain at the National Convention.

WINONA SOCIETY, WAYCROSS

Senior President.....Mrs. Cecil L. Spear

Stress has been placed on gaining new members during the past year. Mrs. George Fesperman is our State C.A.R. promoter.

JAMES WATSON SOCIETY, WINDER

Senior President.....Mrs. Hiram Flanigan

James Watson Society has had a busy year and has accomplished much good work for Georgia C.A.R. We are proud that Peggy Wise, one of our members, was elected the new Librarian-Curator for the State C.A.R. at the state conference in Savannah.

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