

PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
**Georgia State Society**  
OF THE  
**National Society**  
OF THE  
**Daughters of the American  
Revolution**  
**1976-1977**

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

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Non sibi sed allis — COLONIAL MOTTO OF GEORGIA





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13. 1916-1918	*Mrs. Howard H. McCall	Atlanta	Atlanta
14. 1918-1920	*Mrs. James S. Wood	Savannah	Savannah
15. 1920-1922	*Mrs. Max E. Land	Fort Early	Cordele
16. 1922-1924	*Mrs. Charles Akerman	Mary Hammond Washington	Macon
17. 1924-1926	*Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge	Elijah Clarke	Athens
18. 1926-1928	*Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin	Governor Jared Irwin	Sandersville
19. 1928-1930	*Mrs. Herbert Fay Gaffney	Oglethorpe	Columbus
20. 1930-1932	*Mrs. Bun Wylie	Atlanta	Atlanta
21. 1932-1934	*Mrs. Julian McCurry	Elijah Clarke	Athens
22. 1934-1936	*Mrs. John W. Daniel	Savannah	Savannah
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25. 1940-1942	*Mrs. Thomas Coke Mell	Atlanta	Atlanta
26. 1942-1944	xMrs. Stewart Colley	Arthur Fort	Grantville
27. 1944-1946	Mrs. Ober Dewitt Warthen	Vidalia	Vidalia
28. 1946-1948	*Mrs. Mark Smith	Nathaniel Macon	Macon
29. 1948-1950	Mrs. Y. Harris Yarbrough	Nancy Hart	Milledgeville
30. 1950-1952	Mrs. Leonard Wallace	Henry Walton	Madison
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34. 1958-1960	Mrs. Harold Irvine Tuthill	Savannah	Savannah
35. 1960-1962	Mrs. Samuel M. Merritt	Council of Safety	Americus
36. 1962-1964	Mrs. Thomas Knox Kendrick	Button Gwinnett	Columbus
37. 1964-1966	Mrs. Benjamin Ivy Thornton	Tomochichi	Clarksessville
38. 1966-1968	Mrs. Herman M. Richardson	Peter Early	Blakely
39. 1968-1970	Mrs. R. Hugh Reid	Vidalia	Vidalia
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# Location of Chapters

## Organization Date

Adairsville	6- 6-1924	Oothcaloga
Albany	4-17-1920	Commodore Richard Dale
Albany	6- 2-1909	Thronateeska
Americus	10-20-1908	Council of Safety
Ashburn	11- 5-1925	Knox-Conway
Atlanta	4-15-1891	Atlanta
Atlanta	12-21-1948	Cherokee
Atlanta	12-11-1964	Fort Peachtree
Atlanta	2-17-1900	Joseph Habersham
Atlanta	4- 4-1961	Whitehall Inn
Athens	2-12-1901	Elijah Clarke
Augusta	2-20-1892	Augusta
Augusta	10-15-1976	College Hill
Bainbridge	11- 7-1921	Bainbridge
Barnesville	4-14-1928	Lamar-LaFayette
Baxley	6- 9-1972	Colonel Daniel Appling
Blakely	6-14-1912	Peter Early
Brunswick	2-12-1903	Brunswick
Camden County	7-24-1967	Earl of Camden
Camilla	4-14-1956	Hawthorne Trail
Carrollton	4- 1-1953	Abraham Baldwin
Cartersville	4-20-1909	Etowah
Cedartown	6- 3-1949	William Witcher
Chatsworth	4-17-1976	Robert Loughridge
Clarksville	6- 5-1909	Tomochichi
College Park	11-21-1957	Captain Thomas Cobb
Columbus	3-13-1908	Button Gwinnett
Columbus	7- 4-1901	George Walton
Columbus	12-11-1892	Oglethorpe
Commerce	3-16-1916	James Pittman
Conyers	10-11-1921	Colonel John McIntosh
Cordele	2-18-1914	Fort Early
Covington	2-12-1895	Sergeant Newton
Cuthbert	1-28-1914	Benjamin Hawkins
Darien	1-26-1956	Saint Andrews Parish
Dawson	11-16-1911	Dorothy Walton
Dawson	3-21-1911	Stone Castle
Decatur	11-29-1912	Baron DeKalb
Dublin	2- 1-1969	John Laurens
Eastman	4-13-1913	Colonel William Few
Elberton	6- 6-1901	Stephen Heard
Fitzgerald	7-19-1911	Nathaniel Abney
Fort Valley	10- 7-1907	Governor Treutlen
Gainesville	3-26-1914	Colonel William Candler
Gray	2-22-1922	Oliver Morton
Griffin	2- 6-1893	Pulaski
Hartwell	3-12-1913	John Benson
Hawkinsville	4-17-1920	Hawkinsville

Homerville	11-18-1948	John Floyd
Irwinton	4- 9-1926	John Ball
Jackson	5-24-1913	William McIntosh
Jeffersonville	8-18-1955	Major General John Twiggs
Jesup	12-30-1916	Altamaha
Jonesboro	6- 8-1973	Augustin Clayton
LaFayette	4-12-1911	William Marsh
LaGrange	2- 5-1920	LaGrange
Macon	10-30-1893	Mary Hammond Washington
Macon	1-14-1905	Nathaniel Macon
Madison	3- 2-1910	Henry Walton
Marietta	1-18-1950	Andrew Houser
Marietta	4-12-1904	Fielding Lewis
McRae	12-30-1916	Oconee
Metter	12-15-1955	Metter
Milledgeville	10- 5-1900	Nancy Hart
Millen	1- 7-1964	Birdsville
Monroe	1-23-1914	Matthew Talbot
Moultrie	11- 1-1910	John Benning
Nahunta	6- 7-1974	Mineral Springs
Oxford	4-17-1976	Lady Huntingdon
Perry	2-18-1914	General Daniel Stewart
Quitman	4-18-1908	Hannah Clarke
Richland	11- 3-1925	Roanoke
Rochelle	11-19-1938	General David Blackshear
Rome	7-15-1891	Xavier
Saint Simons Island	4-16-1960	Fort Frederica
Sandersville	11-12-1910	Governor Jared Irwin
Savannah	4-18-1925	Bonaventure
Savannah	5- 2-1901	Lachlan McIntosh
Savannah	4-15-1892	Savannah
Shellman	1-29-1914	Noble Wimberly Jones
Social Circle	4-18-1917	John Clarke
Sparta	4-17-1920	Hancock
Statesboro	2-29-1964	Archibald Bulloch
Sylvania	5-17-1921	Brier Creek
Sylvester	11- 4-1921	Barnard Trail
Swainsboro	5-26-1931	Governor David Emanuel
Talbotton	5-18-1946	Governor George W. Towns
Thomaston	3-25-1911	John Hustoun
Thomasville	6-19-1912	Thomasville
Thomason	4-12-1930	Captain John Wilson
Tifton	1-24-1962	Tallassee
Toccoa	10-21-1923	Toccoa
Twin City	4-12-1930	Adam Brinson
Valdosta	10-12-1908	General James Jackson
Vidalia	4-14-1928	Vidalia
Warrenton	11-29-1921	Burkhalter
Washington	12-10-1971	Kettle Creek
Waycross	6- 5-1907	Lyman Hall
Waynesboro	2- 2-1925	Edmund Burke
Winder	4-25-1921	Sunbury
Wrens	12- 8-1965	John Franklin Wren



# 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 10-2-1902)	October 15, 1894
Thronateeska, Albany, Reorganized June 2, 1909	January 4, 1895
Sergeant Newton, Covington	February 12, 1895
Francis Marion, Thomasville (Disbanded 4-17-1903)	February 14, 1895
Kettle Creek, Washington (Disbanded 2-1-1941) (Reorganized Dec. 10, 1971)	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 4, 1901
Brunswick, Brunswick	February 12, 1903
Sarah Dickinson, Newnan (Disbanded 10-16-1957)	February 21, 1903
Stephen Hopkins, Marshallville (Disbanded June 2, 1954)	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
Sara 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 (Disbanded 10-15-1953)	February 22, 1910
Henry Walton, Madison	March 2, 1910
David Meriwether, Greenville (Disbanded 12-9-1934)	October 25, 1910
John Benning, Moultrie	November 1, 1910
Governor Jared Irwin, Sandersville	November 12, 1910
Stone Castle, Dawson	March 21, 1911
John Houstoun, 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 (Disbanded 6-9-67)	January 20, 1912
Peter Early, Blakely	June 14, 1912
Thomasville, Thomasville	June 19, 1912
Baron DeKalb, Decatur (Location changed from Clarkston 2-1-1937)	November 29, 1912
Lanahassée, Buena Vista (Disbanded 2-1-1937)	February 27, 1913
John Benson, Hartwell	March 12, 1913
Major General Samuel Elbert, Tennille (Disbanded 2-1-44)	March 24, 1913
Colonel William Few, Eastman	April 13, 1913
William McIntosh, Jackson	May 24, 1913
James Monroe, Forsyth (Disbanded 2-1-1958)	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 (Disbanded 10-15-1958) (Reorganized Feb. 1, 1969)	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 Trail, Pelham (Disbanded 4-5-1939)	February 9, 1918
LaGrange, LaGrange	February 5, 1920
Colonel John Dooley, Vienna (Disbanded 7-2-1928)	April 17, 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, Sylvania	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 Trail, Sylvester	November 4, 1921
Bainbridge, Bainbridge	November 7, 1921
Burkhalter, Warrenton	November 29, 1921
Elizabeth Marlow, Monticello (Disbanded 2-1-68)	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 21, 1923
Oothcaloga, Adairsville	June 6, 1924
Fort Valley, Fort Valley (Disbanded April 19, 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, Richland (Location changed from Lumpkin 1-31-1959)	November 3, 1925
Knox-Conway, Ashburn	November 5, 1925
John Ball, Irwinton	April 9, 1926
Arthur Fort, Grantville (Disbanded 2-1-1955)	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, 4-5-1939)	April 12, 1930
Adam Brinson, Twin City (formerly Graymont-Summitt)	April 12, 1930
Governor David Emanuel, Emanuel County (Location changed to Swainsboro 10-7-1956)	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 2-1-1951)	December 2, 1947
John Floyd, Homerville	November 18, 1948
Cherokee, Brookhaven (Location changed in Atlanta 10-16-1953)	December 21, 1948
William Witcher, Cedartown	June 3, 1949
Andrew Houser, Marietta	January 18, 1950
John Dooly, Lincolnton (Disbanded October 16, 1956)	April 12, 1952
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Major General John Twigg, Jeffersonville	August 18, 1955
Peachtree Trail, Marietta (Location changed to Kennesaw, 6-1-1962) (Disbanded Oct. 17, 1968)	October 21, 1955
Metter, Metter	December 15, 1955
Saint Andrew's Parish, Darien	January 26, 1956
Hawthorne Trail, Camilla	April 14, 1956
Captain Thomas Cobb, College Park	November 21, 1957
Fort Frederica, Saint Simons Island	April 16, 1960
Whitehall Inn, Atlanta	April 4, 1961
Tallassee, Tifton	January 24, 1962
Birdsville, Millen	January 7, 1964
Archibald Bulloch, Statesboro	February 29, 1964
Fort Peachtree, Roswell (Location changed to Atlanta 6-13-1966)	December 11, 1964
John Franklin Wren, Wrens	December 8, 1965
Earl of Camden, Camden County	July 24, 1967
Ocmulgee, Warner Robins (Disbanded June 11, 1976)	February 1, 1969
Colonel Daniel Apppling, Baxley	June 9, 1972
Augustin Clayton, Jonesboro	June 8, 1973
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 February 3, 1978 ..... National Board of Management  
 March 16, 17, 18, 1978 ..... Eightieth State Conference  
 April 15, 1978 ..... National Board of Management  
 April 16-21, 1978 ..... Eighty-Seventh Continental Congress

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Major General John Twiggs Chapter	Jeffersonville
Altamaha Chapter	Jesup
Oconee Chapter	McRae
Metter Chapter	Metter
Birdsville Chapter	Millen
Mineral Springs Chapter	Nahunta
Hannah Clarke Chapter	Quitman
Earl of Camden Chapter	Camden County
Fort Frederica Chapter	St. Simons Island
Bonaventure Chapter	Savannah
Lachlan McIntosh Chapter	Savannah



Savannah Chapter .....	Savannah
Archibald Bulloch Chapter .....	Statesboro
Brier Creek Chapter .....	Sylvania
Governor David Emanuel Chapter .....	Swainsboro
Adam Brinson Chapter .....	Twin City
General James Jackson Chapter .....	Valdosta
Vidalia Chapter .....	Vidalia
Lyman Hall Chapter .....	Waycross

### SOUTHWEST DISTRICT

Commodore Richard Dale Chapter .....	Albany
Thronateeska Chapter .....	Albany
Council of Safety Chapter .....	Americus
Knox-Conway Chapter .....	Ashburn
Bainbridge Chapter .....	Bainbridge
Peter Early Chapter .....	Blakely
Hawthorne Trail Chapter .....	Camilla
Button Gwinnett Chapter .....	Columbus
George Walton Chapter .....	Columbus
Oglethorpe Chapter .....	Columbus
Fort Early Chapter .....	Cordele
Benjamin Hawkins Chapter .....	Cuthbert
Dorothy Walton Chapter .....	Dawson
Stone Castle Chapter .....	Dawson
Governor Treutlen Chapter .....	Fort Valley
Hawkinsville Chapter .....	Hawkinsville
John Benning Chapter .....	Moultrie
General Daniel Stewart Chapter .....	Perry
Roanoke Chapter .....	Richland
General David Blackshear Chapter .....	Rochelle
Noble Wimberly Jones Chapter .....	Shellman
Barnard Trail Chapter .....	Sylvester
Governor George W. Towns Chapter .....	Talbotton
Thomasville Chapter .....	Thomasville
Tallassee Chapter .....	Tifton
Ocmulgee Chapter .....	Warner Robins

# Memorial Service

for  
DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY  
Who Have Entered Into Eternal Life  
March 1976 — March 1977  
St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Augusta, Georgia  
March 8, 1977 — 2:30 P. M.

*"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord, from henceforth, Yea saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labours, and their works do follow them."*

PRELUDE AND PROCESSIONAL ..... Wynn Riley, Organist  
St. John's United Methodist Church

CALL TO REMEMBRANCE ... Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent

RESPONSIVE READING (Assembly standing)

STATE CHAPLAIN, Mrs. Hugh Peterson, Sr.

"He will swallow up death in victory, and the Lord God will wipe away tears from off their faces: And the rebuke of His people shall he take away from off all the earth: For the Lord hath spoken it." Isaiah 25,8

RESPONSE BY ASSEMBLY:

"Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day, and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing. II Timothy 4,8.

"For God so loved the world that he gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."  
John 3, 16

HYMN 288: ..... O Worship The King

SCRIPTURE READING ..... Mrs. Herman M. Richardson,  
Registrar General

PRAYER ..... Miss Martha Cooper, Past Vice-President General

THE LIGHTS OF LOVING REMEMBRANCE

Candles lighted by Memorial Pages ..... Mrs. Robert G. Fountain  
Mrs. Lucius B. Proctor

MEMORIAL ROLL CALL ..... State Chaplain  
(Chapter members requested to stand when names from Chapter are read)

Flower Pages ..... Mrs. James P. Collins  
Mrs. John N. Smith

SOLO ..... Mrs. William R. Kritz, President Augusta Choral Society

PRAYER AND BENEDICTION ..... State Chaplain

RECESSIONAL AND POSTLUDE ..... Wynn Riley, Organist

## DOOR PAGES

Mrs. A. C. Bledsoe, Chairman

Mrs. M. P. Phillips

Mrs. A. Woodrow Davis

Mrs. Edwin H. Johnson

Miss Myrtis Nell McKenzie



## In Memoriam

### **ABRAHAM BALDWIN CHAPTER - CARROLLTON**

Edna White Wyatt (Mrs. Whitlow), Oct. 26, 1976

Mary Lou Walden Munn (Mrs. L. B.), 1976

### **ADAM BRINSON CHAPTER - TWIN CITY**

Miss Clara Bell Durden, Feb. 28, 1977

### **ANDREW HOUSER CHAPTER - MARIETTA**

Sara Spencer Lindsey (Mrs. Homer M.), Dec. 3, 1976

### **ARCHIBALD BULLOCH CHAPTER - STATESBORO**

Marguerite Nunally Neville (Mrs. Wm. G., Sr.), July 5, 1976

### **ATLANTA CHAPTER - ATLANTA**

Rebecca Bowen Hall (Mrs. Robt. E., Jr.), Nov. 30, 1975

Lula George Kopcke (Mrs. Harry C.), March 21, 1976

Aylene Torian Middlebrooks (Mrs. Benj. H.), Nov. 11, 1976

Virginia Varnedoe Peeples Kistler (Mrs. Chas. A.), Sept. 20, 1976

Idaline Kiser Reed (Mrs. Albon W.), July, 1976

Kathleen Worthington Siedelberg (Mrs. Albert W.), Jan. 12, 1977

Rebecca Stewart Wright (Mrs. Ward), Feb. 6, 1977

### **AUGUSTA CHAPTER - AUGUSTA**

Marion Hamilton Strauss (Mrs. William I.), Aug. 3, 1976

Miss Bertha Winidor Blasingame, Jan. 7, 1977

### **AUGUSTIN CLAYTON CHAPTER - JONESBORO**

Clara Medlock McArthur (Mrs. Jack C.), Aug. 15, 1976

### **BAINBRIDGE CHAPTER - BAINBRIDGE**

Elizabeth Smith Felty (Mrs. H. H.), June 6, 1976

### **BENJAMIN HAWKINS CHAPTER - CUTHBERT**

Annie Drewry Molnar (Mrs. T. T.), Nov. 19, 1976

Rebecca Garrett George (Mrs. W. A.), Dec. 2, 1976

### **BONAVENTURE CHAPTER - SAVANNAH**

Veneta Bayer Miller (Mrs. Clayton P.), Oct. 2, 1976

### **BRUNSWICK CHAPTER - BRUNSWICK**

Lucy May Dixon Bruce (Mrs. E. C.), May 11, 1976

### **BUTTON GWINNETT CHAPTER - COLUMBUS**

Margaret Hicklin Miller (Mrs. John T.), Oct. 13, 1976

Mary Tate Johnston (Mrs. John), July 17, 1976

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**CAPTAIN JOHN WILSON CHAPTER - THOMSON**

Rebecca Paschal Burnside (Mrs. Henry Hampton), Jan. 13, 1977

**CHEROKEE CHAPTER - ATLANTA**

Eloise Bickel Lane (Mrs. Marshall H.), July 7, 1976

**COMMODORE RICHARD DALE CHAPTER - ALBANY**

Ethel Herring Pierce (Mrs. Emmett Lucius), Oct. 16, 1976

Miss Pauline Shelly, Dec. 24, 1976

Margaret Dudley Hobbs Boyet (Mrs. Houston), Jan. 10, 1977

**COUNCIL OF SAFETY CHAPTER - AMERICUS**

Zelda Johnson Laing (Mrs. G. H.), July 5, 1976

Elizabeth Broadhurst Hollingsworth (Mrs. M. T.), July 5, 1976

**EDMUND BURKE CHAPTER - WAYNESBORO**

Ethel McMurrian Blount (Mrs. Carl A.), May 15, 1976

**ELIJAH CLARKE CHAPTER - ATHENS**

Marion Frances West Reid (Mrs. I. Henry), Feb. 15, 1976

Miss Margaret Elizabeth LaBoon, June 9, 1976

Susie McCoy Meyers (Mrs. D. D.), Feb. 13, 1977

El Eckler Ussery Moore (Mrs. H. Frazier), Feb. 28, 1977

**FIELDING LEWIS CHAPTER - MARIETTA**

Lillian Bennett Sullivan (Mrs. Graham), Jan. 28, 1977

**FORT EARLY CHAPTER - CORDELE**

Ellen Thrash Wilson (Mrs. Frank), Dec. 25, 1976

Betty Sue Shealey Page (Mrs. James M. Jr.), Jan. 1, 1977

**FORT FREDERICA CHAPTER - ST. SIMONS ISLAND**

Lena Youmans Norman (Mrs. William H.), July 8, 1975

Linnon Johnson North (Mrs. Henry Carlton Sr.), Nov. 10, 1976

Kate Lyon Sutton (Mrs. Leslie G.), Feb. 4, 1977

**FORT PEACHTREE CHAPTER - ATLANTA**

Caroline Wilson Franklin (Mrs. Robert Lee), Dec. 14, 1976

**GEN. DAVID BLACKSHEAR CHAPTER - ROCHELLE**

Carrie Doster Laidler (Mrs. John Clower), Jan. 12, 1977

**GEN. JAMES JACKSON CHAPTER - VALDOSTA**

Gertrude Harrell Harrell (Mrs. F. S.), March 12, 1976

Blanche Rose Riley (Mrs. Frank), Jan. 8, 1977

**GEORGE WALTON CHAPTER - COLUMBUS**

Miss Frances McCoy, Oct. 5, 1976

**GOV. DAVID EMANUEL CHAPTER - SWAINSBORO**

Fannie Sumner Hayes (Mrs. Walter), Jan. 20, 1977

Trannie Trapnell Wammack (Mrs. J. M.), Dec. 27, 1975

Marion Holley George (Mrs. H. J.), Jan. 16, 1975

Augusta Hatcher Roberts (Mrs. Howard), May 22, 1976

**GOV. GEORGE TOWNS CHAPTER - TALBOTTON**

Miss Willene Webster, Feb. 27, 1977

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**GOVERNOR TREUTLEN CHAPTER - FORT VALLEY**

Ola Harrell Vance (Mrs. John B.), May 10, 1976

**HANCOCK CHAPTER - SPARTA**

Clara Virginia Hartfield Moore (Mrs. Terrell), Dec. 18, 1976

**HAWKINSVILLE CHAPTER - HAWKINSVILLE**

Frances Lovejoy Harris (Mrs. M. W.), March 30, 1976

Ann Walker Howard (Mrs. Anderson Lee), June 26, 1976

**HAWTHORNE TRAIL CHAPTER - CAMILLA**

Mittie Halley Taylor (Mrs. C. H.), March 26, 1976

**HENRY WALTON CHAPTER - MADISON**

Maude Atkinson Hart (Mrs. J. M.), Nov. 8, 1976

**JAMES PITTMAN CHAPTER - COMMERCE**

Lollie Little Ward (Mrs. C. C.), Nov. 2, 1976

**JOHN BALL CHAPTER - IRWINTON**

May Angelyn Lamb Williams (Mrs. T. T.), June 9, 1976

**JOHN BENNING CHAPTER - MOULTRIE**

Helen Louise Howell Hall (Mrs. J. R.), March 30, 1976

Mamie Lucia Massee, Oct. 1976

**JOHN BENSON CHAPTER - HARTWELL**

Ruth Cobb Tucker (Mrs. Reeder), March 14, 1976

**JOHN FLOYD CHAPTER - HOMERVILLE**

Janie Ruth Huey Terry (Mrs. Daniel B.), Aug. 22, 1976

**JOHN FRANKLIN WREN CHAPTER - WRENS**

Mary Sanders Kilgore (Mrs. J. C.), Feb. 21, 1976

**JOHN HOUSTOUN CHAPTER - THOMASTON**

Caroline Ellington New (Mrs. Arlie M.), Dec. 31, 1976

**JOHN LAURENS CHAPTER - DUBLIN**

Elmer Black Parker (Mrs. John), April 12, 1976

**JOSEPH HABERSHAM CHAPTER - ATLANTA**

Margaret Smith Rice (Mrs. Z. A.), March 2, 1976

Delia Smiley Cox (Mrs. Emory J.), Feb. 6, 1976

Sarah Witte Page (Mrs. Earl N.), Feb. 27, 1976

Frances Walter Arnold (Mrs. Reuben R.), Feb. 28, 1976

Lula Harris Yancey (Mrs. B. Earle), May 21, 1976

Virginia Lightle Blount (Mrs. George C.), May 21, 1976

Helen Lavoque Jagels (Mrs. Charles H.), May 26, 1976

Miss Mutelle Godby, June 26, 1976

Katherine Boothe Jenkins (Mrs. Wm. K.), Sept. 15, 1976

Laura Haynes Waitt (Mrs. Ernest Bailey), Oct. 7, 1976

Lorna Donalson Pearce (Mrs. Henry W.), Feb. 12, 1977

**LA GRANGE CHAPTER - LA GRANGE**

Cecile Moore Mallory (Mrs. Arthur E.), Dec. 19, 1976

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**LAMAR LA FAYETTE CHAPTER - BARNESVILLE**

Mary Woodall Dobbs (Mrs. Emmett O.), Jan. 28, 1977

**LYMAN HALL CHAPTER - WAYCROSS**

Kathleen Buff Coleman (Mrs. S. G.), March 19, 1976

Violette Dawson Kellam (Mrs. James G., Sr.), Jan. 26, 1977

Mildred Summerall Massey (Mrs. M. M.), Jan. 10, 1977

**MAJOR GENERAL JOHN TWIGGS CHAPTER - JEFFERSONVILLE**

Clara Bradley Porter (Mrs. John Floyd Jr.), June 21, 1976

**MARY HAMMOND WASHINGTON CHAPTER - MACON**

Marion Johnson Gwaltney (Mrs. Eugene C.), April 29, 1976

Minnie Sammons Odom (Mrs. B. Bennett), May 10, 1976

Erin O'Neal Clarke (Mrs. G. Clisby), Jan. 5, 1977

Marian Elder Jones (Mrs. Malcolm D.), July 21, 1976

Elizabeth Birch Futch (Mrs. Thurston D.), Aug. 6, 1976

**MATTHEW TALBOT CHAPTER - MONROE**

Frances Nunally Napier (Mrs. George Moultrie), Nov. 16, 1976

**METTER CHAPTER - METTER**

Brumbie Holland Jordan (Mrs. H. W.), May 11, 1976

De Alva Parrish McCart (Mrs. Barnett), Aug. 6, 1976

**NANCY HART CHAPTER - MILLEDGEVILLE**

Helen Maxwell Longino (Mrs. Lovick P.), July 23, 1976

**NATHANIEL MACON CHAPTER - MACON**

Florine Burdick Davis (Mrs. Wylie Herman), Jan. 10, 1977

Patsy Moore McCullough (Mrs. T. E.), Aug. 28, 1976

**OCONEE CHAPTER - MCRAE**

Annie Gibson Whatley (Mrs. G. P.), June 17, 1976

**OGLETHORPE CHAPTER - COLUMBUS**

Harriette Horst Wadsworth (Mrs. Jesse Dixon), May 2, 1976

Lyda Mae Botts Key (Mrs. James B.), March 18, 1976

**OLIVER MORTON CHAPTER - GRAY**

Violet James Washburn (Mrs. Charles G. Sr.), March 21, 1976

Miss Mary Elizabeth Lowe, March 28, 1976

Annie Morton Bullard (Mrs. Will H.), May 24, 1976

Mae Wagon Graddy (Mrs. L. F.), Oct. 9, 1976

Frances Harper Small (Mrs. George), Oct. 15, 1976

**OOHCALOGA CHAPTER - ADAIRSVILLE**

Marguerite Adams King (Mrs. Frank M.), Aug. 6, 1976

**PULASKI CHAPTER - GRIFFIN**

Irene Lindsey Maddox (Mrs. W. C.), March 25, 1976

Marguerite Cousins Holly (Mrs. Kirk), Sept. 12, 1976

Nell Parmelee Banks (Mrs. Willis G.), Jan. 3, 1977

**ST. ANDREWS PARISH CHAPTER - DARIEN**

Miss Josephine Bacon Martin, April 30, 1976

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**SAVANNAH CHAPTER - SAVANNAH**

Wilmoth Cosby Gibson (Mrs. E. T.), Sept. 20, 1976

**STEPHEN HEARD CHAPTER - ELBERTON**

Willie Vickery Rucker (Mrs. K. E.), June 14, 1976

Mary E. Smith Crowder (Mrs. Dorsey), Jan 12, 1977

**STONE CASTLE CHAPTER - DAWSON**

Lois Dismuke Hudson (Mrs. John Newton), Nov. 23, 1976

Ruth Cheatham Naylor (Mrs. Frank), Feb. 4, 1977

Juliette Hurst Lee (Mrs. George T.), Feb. 14, 1977

**SUNBURY CHAPTER - WINDER**

Launa Harper Williams (Mrs. C. S.), Aug. 16, 1976

**THRONATEESKA CHAPTER - ALBANY**

Grace G. McIntyre (Mrs. J. D.), April 19, 1976

Kathleen Hammach Chandler (Mrs. Porter E.), July 15, 1976

Vivela Harris Brosnan (Mrs. Dan J.), July 23, 1976

Allie L. Doughtry Malone (Mrs. Harry C.), Jan. 3, 1977

**TOMOCHICHI CHAPTER - CLARKESVILLE**

Gladys Martin Cobb (Mrs. Albert R.), March 21, 1976

Bertha Thalley Motz (Mrs. Aubrey Jr.), Feb. 28, 1977

**VIDALIA CHAPTER - VIDALIA**

Marie Gray Mozingo (Mrs. A. V.), Oct. 6, 1976

Myra McCord Granade (Mrs. G. F.), Oct. 16, 1976

**WHITEHALL INN CHAPTER - ATLANTA**

Catherine Gross Jackson (Mrs. Wallace M.), April 8, 1976

Millicent Moore French (Mrs. Edward T.), July 6, 1976

**WILLIAM MCINTOSH CHAPTER - JACKSON**

Annie Reid Harper Gaston (Mrs. J. Avon), Sept. 15, 1976

Allie McNair Banston (Mrs. Gordon), Jan. 18, 1976

**WILLIAM MARSH CHAPTER - LAFAYETTE**

Miss Lucile Thurman, Dec. 31, 1976

Ruth Short McClure (Mrs. Freeman C.), April 2, 1976

**XAVIER CHAPTER - ROME**

Rebecca Yeargan Jolly (Mrs. T. Bryan), Nov. 22, 1976

# District Meetings

## SOUTHWEST GEORGIA DISTRICT - CORDELE

August 3, 1976

The Southwest Georgia District Workshop was held at the Holiday Inn in Cordele with Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent, presiding, and Mrs. Lewis B. Smyth, District Chairman. Mrs. R. E. Hamilton, chaplain, Fort Early Chapter, gave the devotional and Mrs. Ben Ambrose led the pledge to the Flag of the United States of America.

Recognized were Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar-General, and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Vice-President General from Georgia and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Samuel Merritt and Miss Martha Cooper, Past Vice-Presidents General and Honorary State Regents. National appointments were introduced.

Mrs. Bahin asked for 100% chapter participation in the National Project, the murals in the National Capitol. She emphasized the importance of Public Relations.

Mrs. Norvell Ashburn presented an appeal for subscriptions to the DAR Magazine and State Officers gave brief reports and/or instructions.

Dr. Jessie Mize, coordinator of workshops, was introduced and gave instructions for the three workshop divisions, Historic led by Mrs. A. C. E. Shepherd; Patriotic led by Mrs. Jonathan Fox, and Educational led by Mrs. Leonard G. DeLamar.

Roll call was conducted during lunch by the State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr. Registration: 2 National Officers, 4 Honorary State Regents, 11 State Officers, 1 National chairman; 6 National vice-chairmen; 30 State chairmen, 25 chapter regents, 77 chapter members. Total registration without duplication, 143.

## NORTHWEST DISTRICT - CARROLLTON - BREMEN

August 4, 1976

The Northwest District met at Holiday Inn with the State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, presiding. The invocation was given by Mrs. Robert P. Jenkins and Mrs. Jefferson C. Brock, regent, Abraham Baldwin Chapter, welcomed those present. Mrs. T. H. Ragsdale led the Pledge to the Flag of the United States of America.

Mrs. John I. Bell, District chairman, was introduced. Mrs. Bahin emphasized chapter participation in the National project, the murals in the National Capitol, and the importance of Public Relations; Mrs. Norvell Ashburn demonstrated appeal of DAR Magazine and State Officers reported.

Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar-General, was presented.

Dr. Jessie Mize, coordinator of district workshops, was introduced and gave instructions before the group divided for selected workshops.



At the luncheon, Mrs. Hugh Peterson, State Chaplain, gave the invocation and Mrs. Bahin introduced Mrs. Richardson; Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Vice-President General and Miss Martha Cooper, Honorary State Regent, Past Vice-President General and candidate for Librarian-General on the ticket of Mrs. George Baylies.

National chairmen and vice-chairmen by appointment were introduced. Mrs. Waite reported for Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, Bicentennial chairman.

Mrs. Bahin announced that Mrs. Inez Henry had retired at Berry and recognized Mrs. Ralph Farmer, liaison with Berry Schools.

The Fall Board meeting was announced for October 28 in Cartersville and Mrs. A. B. Harrison, general chairman, was presented with Mrs. William Dillard, Sr., regent, Etowah chapter.

Roll call was conducted by the State Recording Secretary. Mrs. Peterson gave the benediction. Registration: 3 Honorary State Regents; 2 National Officers; 11 State officers, 1 National Chairman, 4 national vice-chairmen; 26 state chairmen, 17 chapter regents, 79 chapter members, 1 visitor. Total registration without duplication, 132.

## **NORTHEAST DISTRICT - WASHINGTON**

**August 5, 1976**

The Northeast District workshop was held at historic First Presbyterian Church with Mrs. Bahin presiding.

Mrs. John W. Boyd, regent, Kettle Creek chapter, gave the welcome and introduced the Rev. Robert F. Anderson, pastor, who gave the devotional.

Mrs. Charles W. Wysong led the Pledge to the Flag of the United States of America. Miss Gladys Holcomb, district chairman, was introduced as was Mrs. George Zane, general chairman for the meeting.

Mrs. Bahin thanked members of the Captain John Wilson chapter at Thomson for the lovely reception the previous evening.

Following reports by all State Officers, Dr. Jessie Mize gave instructions for the workshops.

The buffet luncheon was held at the Washington Country Club. Mrs. Bahin introduced Mrs. Herman Richardson, Registrar-General and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Vice-President General and Honorary State Regent; Miss Martha Cooper, past Vice-President General and Honorary State Regent, and Mrs. Luther Watson, Honorary State Regent. Registration: 4 Honorary State Regents; 2 National Officers, 11 State Officers, 1 National Chairman; 6 National vice-chairmen; 16 state chairmen; 25 chapter regents; 83 chapter members; total registration without duplication, 146.

## **SOUTHEAST DISTRICT - JESUP**

The Southeast District workshop was held at the Junior High School in Jesup with Mrs. L. Joseph Bahin, State Regent, presiding.

Mrs. Troy A. Nichols, Sr. gave the devotional and Mrs. Ed Powers led the Pledge to the Flag of the United States of America.

Mrs. Daniel Alday, regent of the hostess chapter, Altamaha, welcomed the group and Mrs. William J. Summerall, district chairman, was introduced.

Mrs. Bahin appealed for support of the National project and emphasized the importance of Public Relations.

Mrs. Herman L. Richardson, Registrar-General, was introduced and spoke briefly.

State Officers reported and Dr. Jessie Mize gave instructions for workshops. At the buffet luncheon, Mrs. Bahin thanked members of Altamaha chapter for the dessert party given on the previous evening at the home of Mrs. Ed Powers.

Mrs. Richardson was presented and also Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Miss Martha Cooper and Mrs. R. Hugh Reid. Mrs. Hugh Peterson gave the benediction. Registration: 4 Honorary State Regents; 2 National Officers; 8 State Officers; 1 National Chairman; 6 National Vice-Chairman; 25 State Chairmen; 21 chapter regents; 74 chapter members; 4 guests; total registration without duplication, 129.

## Minutes

### MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

August 3, 1976

The Executive Committee of the Georgia Society, NSDAR, met at 9:30 p.m. at the Holiday Inn at Bremen. The State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, presided. Board members present were Mesdames DeLamar, Fox, Alderman, Boyer, Hankinson, Peterson, Drew, Shepherd and Richardson.

Since the new Smith-Mettetal Building at Tamassee will be dedicated on Founders Day, October 24, 1976, prior to the Fall Board of Management meeting of the Georgia Society on October 28, it was felt that action should be taken on designation of funds for DAR Schools.

Mrs. Jonathan Fox moved that the per capita allocated to Tamassee DAR School and all undesignated contributions from the chapters to this school be given in honor of the State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin. This was seconded by Mesdames Drew and Peterson and passed.

Mrs. Leonard G. DeLamar moved that plaque be placed in the lobby honoring the State Regent. A total of \$7566 is to be given over a period of two years.

Mrs. Raiferd Drew moved that funds sent by chapters to KDS be used to apply on note at the school in honor of the State Regent, Mrs. Bahin. Mrs. DeLamar seconded and motion passed.

These actions are to be given to the Resolutions Committee for presentation at the Fall Board of Management meeting on October 28.

Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr.  
Recording Secretary

## **MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**October 28, 1976**

Members of the Executive Committee met at 7:30 a.m. at the Quality Inn in Cartersville with all State Officers present. Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent, announced that a ballot was taken by mail and Dr. Jessie Mize was elected to fill the position of State Librarian to succeed Mrs. L. M. Andrus, who resigned when she moved to another state. Mrs. Bahin also expressed appreciation for the excellent District workshops, the good attendance and enthusiasm. Dr. Mize, coordinator, responded. As Librarian she hopes to Index DAR records in the Archives.

Members discussed the composition of the Resolutions Committee.

Mrs. Bahin announced the confirmation of the new chapter in Augusta, College Hill, on October 15, at the National Board meeting. 140 Georgians were accepted for membership in the National Society at the same meeting.

State Conference was announced for March 8-10, 1977 at the Executive House in Augusta. Invitations have been received for all District workshops.

Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin  
State Regent

Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr.  
State Recording Secretary

Approved March 8, 1977

## **MINUTES OF THE STATE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION QUALITY INN, CARTERSVILLE, GEORGIA OCTOBER 28, 1976**

The Board of Management of the Georgia State Society, NSDAR, held the Fall meeting at the Quality Inn in Cartersville, Georgia on October 28, 1976, the State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, presiding.

The meeting was called to order at 9:37 a.m. Mrs. Hugh Peterson, State Chaplain, read the Scripture and offered prayer. Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Vice-President General and Honorary State Regent, led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and Mrs. Raiferd Drew led The American's Creed. Mrs. Waite led the Pledge to the Georgia Flag and one stanza of the National Anthem was sung, led by Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar-General and Honorary State Regent, and accompanied by Mrs. Mary Louise Lowry of Etowah Chapter.

Mrs. William Dillard, Sr., regent, Etowah Chapter, brought greetings and welcome. Mrs. A. B. Harrison, chairman of the meeting, was introduced by Mrs. Bahin and brought greetings. Mrs. Bahin thanked Mrs. Dillard and Mrs. Harrison for the delightful covered dish supper served by members of Etowah chapter on the previous evening. She also expressed her personal gratitude to the Yearbook chairman, Mrs. Cox, for the honor given by the chapter in dedicating their yearbook to this State Regent, who started her DAR service in this fine chapter.

Distinguished Georgia Daughters were presented by Mrs. Bahin. These included Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar-General and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Vice-President General from Georgia and Honorary State Regent; and the following Honorary State Regents: Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Mrs. Leonard D. Wallace, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, Mrs. John F. Thigpen, Mrs. Thomas Knox Kendrick, Miss Martha Cooper and Mrs. Luther L. Watson. Mrs. Jonathan Fox moved that notes be sent by the Corresponding Secretary to those Honorary State Regents who were unable to be present and a special note to Mrs. B. I. Thornton because of her illness. Mrs. Bahin introduced Mrs. Hubert R. Martin, parliamentarian, and Mrs. Richardson, co-parliamentarian, and thanked them for serving in this necessary and important position.

Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr., State Recording Secretary, read Article X, Sections 1, 2, and 5, pertaining to the State Board of Management.

Mrs. Frank Radford gave the first Credentials Report, moved its adoption, the motion was carried and a quorum was established.

Mrs. Jonathan Fox, State First Vice Regent, took the chair and Mrs. Bahin gave her report. Mrs. Bahin has written 591 official letters since taking office; attended two S. A. R. dinners, the C. A. R. Regional Meeting in Charleston, in addition to two meetings of the National Board of Management. On October 15, 1976 at 1:45 p.m. College Hill chapter in Augusta was confirmed. On July 19, 1976 Meadow Garden was placed on the National Register of Historic Places. She noted that contributions to our National Project are based on 1975 membership.

Mrs. Fox thanked Mrs. Bahin for her wonderful leadership and those present gave her a rising vote of thanks.

State Officers were presented and each gave her report: Mrs. Jonathan W. Fox, First Vice Regent and National Defense Chairman, who urged the awarding of ROTC medals; Mrs. Leonard G. DeLamar, also DAR Schools chairman, who noted that only 54 chapters received the Hightower Award and urged chapters to meet requirements; Mrs. Hugh Peterson, Chaplain and chairman, Georgia State Room, DAR Museum, reported 35 deaths had been reported to her and letters written to families, as well as forms distributed to chapters. In the Georgia Room, the committee is working with the Curator-General and it is hoped that walls and floors will be completed by Continental Congress. Furniture will be loaned by DAR Museum until Georgia can furnish Tondée's Tavern. Letters of instruction were provided for Regents. Reports continued with those of Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr., Recording Secretary; Mrs. Donald Hankinson, Corresponding Secretary, who was recognized by Mrs. Bahin as the mother of a new daughter, a prospective C.A. R. and future DAR member; Mrs. Hankinson read correc-

tions in the Proceedings; Mrs. Louis C. Alderman, Jr., Treasurer, reported 140 new members accepted at February, April and June National Board meetings and that chapters must send \$1 each for State dues to qualify for State Honor Roll; treasurer report forms distributed and instructions given; summary of accounts distributed. The budget for this fiscal year was presented by Mrs. Robert Humphrey, chairman of the Finance Committee. By direction of the committee, she moved its adoption; motion adopted. Mrs. Raiferd L. Drew, Organizing Secretary, reported 101 chapters as of October 15. Mrs. Buxton Daniel of Claxton is a new Organizing Regent. Mrs. Drew showed map of the state indicating location of chapters and areas needing DAR representation. Mrs. James J. Leitch, Registrar, asked for names of chapter registrars and reported a membership of 7436 in March and 7587 in October. Mrs. Earl Shepherd, Historian, reported on the book to be published listing historic buildings owned by State Societies and chapters and distributed letter and forms to each chapter. Mrs. Bahin regretted the resignation of Mrs. L. M. Andrus as Librarian when her husband was transferred to North Carolina. Dr. Jessie Mize has accepted the appointment by the Executive Committee to fill this office. Dr. Mize emphasized the necessity for asking permission of the Librarian-General before donating books to National Library; she also stressed the need for funds. Mrs. Allen L. Brewer, Curator, also reported as State Chairman of the Museum and asked for continued support from chapters.

National appointees from Georgia were introduced as well as National Club officers.

The meeting continued with reports from State chairmen: Mrs. Gilbert R. Frith, American Heritage; Mrs. A. B. Harrison, American Indians; Children of the American Revolution, Mrs. B. A. Russell; Conservation, Mrs. Julius B. Dodd, Jr.; Good Citizens, Mrs. Robert F. Larkin; DAR Magazine, Mrs. T. Norvell Ashburn, Sr.; DAR Magazine Advertising, Mrs. Arthur J. Waterman; Genealogical Records, Mrs. James J. Muldrow.

Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar-General, stated that applications for membership filed prior to August 11, 1976, have been checked and supplementals filed up to January 1, 1975, have been checked. At the October Board meeting 3949 applications and 922 supplementals were approved. The bill which would have closed census records failed to pass Congress but will be re-introduced at the next session.

State Chairmen's reports continued with Junior Membership, Mrs. Ned L. Shuman; Lineage Research, Mrs. Alvaretta K. Register, who stated that 109 counties have volunteers for Lineage Research; Junior American Citizens, Miss Lucille David; Membership Commission, Mrs. E. Lee Stephenson; Motion Picture and Television, Miss Leila Summerall; National Honor Roll, Mrs. Jerido Ward; Conference Pages, Mrs. Wilson Ray who introduced Etowah Chapter pages; Press Book, Mrs. R. W. Harrison; Program, Mrs. D. A. Snow.

Mrs. Mac W. Edwards, Transportation Chairman, was not present but called Mrs. Bahin to report that arrangements have been made for bus trip to Continental Congress and information will be sent each Regent by mail.

Mrs. Gerald Fling reported for American History Month chairman, Mrs. Robert Fountain; Constitution Week, Mrs. Will D. Newton; Friends of the Museum, Mrs. Claude E. Fitts.

Reports from Insignia chairman, Mrs. J. H. Keels, and Seimes Microfilm Center chairman, Mrs. Sam Black, had been sent in and the Corresponding Secretary read report of United States of America Bicentennial sent by Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill.

Mrs. Thomas Knox Kendrick, chairman of the Resolutions Committee, presented resolutions for consideration of the Board of Management. First, an endorsement of the candidacy of Miss Martha Ansley Cooper for the office of Librarian General on the ticket of Mrs. George Upham Baylies, candidate for President General, NSDAR. Adopted. With Mrs. Fox in the chair the resolutions concerning the per capita allocation in honor of the State Regent were adopted by a rising vote. Mrs. Kendrick continued with the resolution to adopt the furnishings of the Tondée's Tavern as the new State Bicentennial project, and the Courtesy Resolutions which were adopted.

The meeting continued with the reports of State Standing Committees: Dr. Jessie Mize, Coordinator of Districts, announced District Workshops for Gainesville, August 2; Atlanta, August 3; Dawson, August 4 and Baxley, August 5; Collecting and Publishing Revolutionary Soldiers' Histories, Mrs. John Singleton.

State Conference was announced for March 8, 9, 10 in Augusta and the State Regent regretted the death of the husband of Mrs. R. F. Burch III; Conference Page Chairman, Mrs. Ray, asked for names of pages to serve at Conference to be submitted; Cooperation of DAR with S. A. R. and S. R., Mrs. Alvin G. Turley; Georgia State Room, DAR Museum, Mrs. Hugh Peterson; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, Mrs. W. A. Armistead. Mrs. Bahin announced the appointment of Mrs. R. Hugh Reid as Meadow Garden chairman; Patrons of Meadow Garden, Mrs. Luther Watson; Medals and Prizes, Mrs. Robert L. Cowart; Proceedings, Mrs. John Thigpen who credited Mrs. DeLamar for work on Proceedings and presented Mrs. Arthur H. Waite; Scrapbook, Mrs. James Ham.

The final Credential report was given by Mrs. Frank Radford, Chairman: State Officers and parliamentarian, 13; National Officers, 2; National chairmen and vice chairmen, 7; Honorary State Regents, 10; State chairmen, 32; Chapter Regents, 37; Chapter members, 20; Total registration without duplication, 111.

Mrs. Harrison announced that door prizes would be presented at lunch and the meeting recessed for lunch at 12:30 p.m.

Lunch was served at 1:15 after the blessing by the State Chaplain. Mrs. E. D. Dunn, Jr. spoke on work against ERA and Mrs. Bahin thanked Etowah chapter members and Mrs. Harrison who made all the favors for the tables, Mrs. Lowery for the music and all Etowah Chapter members as well as personnel in charge of dining room.

Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr., Recording Secretary, called the roll and after door prizes were awarded the meeting adjourned at 2:30 p.m. with benediction by State Chaplain.

## MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

March 8, 1977

Members of the Executive Committee of the Georgia State Society met for breakfast with the State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, presiding and all members present with the exception of Mrs. Leitch and Mrs. Hankinson. The meeting opened with the Lord's Prayer.

The Minutes of the last Executive Committee meeting were read by the Secretary, Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr., and approved.

Mrs. Bahin appointed members to be responsible for instructions and courtesies to official guests of the Conference.

Dr. Jessie Mize moved that copies of Proceedings for all years be sold for \$1 each. Motion adopted.

Mrs. Bahin reported that Georgia Daughters had generously given more than one-half of the Tamassee project.

Mrs. Hugh Peterson reported that the Georgia State Room at Continental Hall is being prepared for dedication during Continental Congress.

Meadow Garden will be open during State Conference. Mrs. Luther Watson, Mrs. Frank Binford and Mrs. R. Hugh Reid, have been at work during the past several days to make this possible although completion of the restoration work was not possible due to the severe winter conditions.

After other announcements the meeting adjourned.

## LUNCHEONS

Georgia State Officers Club, Italian Room Convention Center, 12 noon, March 8, 1977.

Georgia Chapter Regents Luncheon, Spanish Room, Convention Center, 12 noon, March 8, 1977.

## OPENING BANQUET

The opening banquet of the 79th State Conference of the Georgia State Society, NSDAR was called to order at 6 p.m. March 8, 1977, by the State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin. The invocation was given by Mrs. Hugh Peterson, State Chaplain.

Following the dinner, Mrs. Bahin introduced those sitting at the head tables: Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar General; Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Vice President General from Georgia; Mrs. J. Kennedy Kincaid, State Regent, Illinois; Mrs. C. Edwin Carlson, State Regent, Connecticut; Mrs. Henry B. Wallace, State Regent, Iowa; Mrs. Edward L. Pietrowski, Regent of the Augusta Chapter and Conference Chairman. Introduced as a group were the State Officers and the Honorary State Regents present, Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Mrs. Robert Humphrey, Mrs. John F. Thigpen, Mrs. Sam Merritt, Mrs. Thomas Knox Kendrick, Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Miss Martha Cooper and Mrs. Luther Watson.



Mrs. Robert F. Larkin, State Chairman, DAR Good Citizens, presented the State winner, Miss Marti Braziel, Wilcox County High School, a \$100 Savings Bond on behalf of the State Society, and Mrs. Bahin gave the Good Citizens pin. Sponsored by the General David Blackshear chapter, Miss Braziel was also the Southwest District winner. District Chairmen were introduced and Mr. and Mrs. Braziel, parents of the State winner were presented.

The State Regent recognized Mrs. Robert L. Smith, co-chairman of the Conference with Mrs. Pietrowski, and all Conference committee members.

### **SEVENTY-NINTH STATE CONFERENCE GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

The opening meeting of the 78th State Conference of the Georgia Society, NSDAR, convened Tuesday evening, March 8, 1977, at the Convention Center, Augusta, at 8:30 o'clock.

Led by the Color Bearers, the processional included Pages, Hostess Chapter Regent, State Officers, Visiting State Regents, Honorary State Regents, National Officers and the State Regent.

Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent, called the meeting to order. The invocation was given by the Rev. Robert F. Hunt, pastor of the Greene Street Presbyterian Church. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. Charles Radford, Jr., State Chairman, followed by the American's Creed, led by Mrs. Charles F. Wysong, State Chairman, Americanism Committee, and the National Anthem, led by Raiferd L. Drew, and accompanied by the 434th Army Band, Mrs. Radford led the pledge to the Georgia Flag and the colors were posted.

Mrs. Bahin expressed sincere gratitude to the 434th Army Band for the beautiful concert which preceded the meeting and presented its director, CW2 James M. McNeal. A copy of Washington Landmark was presented to CW2 McNeal by Mrs. Bahin and members of the band were excused.

Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar General, read a message from the President General, Mrs. Wakelee R. Smith, in which she expressed regret at being unable to attend this State Conference.

Mr. Henry Wright brought greetings on behalf of Mayor Lewis A. Newman of Augusta and presented a Key to the City to Mrs. Bahin.

Mrs. Edward L. Pietrowski, Regent of the Augusta Chapter, and Mrs. Robert L. Smith, co-chairman of the Conference, were presented and Mrs. Pietrowski welcomed delegates and guests. Response to these greetings was given by Mrs. Jonathan W. Fox, State First Vice Regent.

Greetings from the Georgia Society, Sons of the American Revolution, were brought by Mr. Robert L. Newby, Jr., State President. Mr. Newby also presented to Mrs. Luther L. Watson, Honorary State Regent, an appreciation medal and certificate for her cooperation and assistance to S. A. R. during 1975-76.



Harland Franklin Fling, State President, Georgia Society, Children of the American Revolution, brought greetings from that Society and presented an Endowment Fund pin to the State Regent, Mrs. Bahin, in recognition of her outstanding work. Mrs. Burwell A. Russell, Senior State President, Georgia Society, Children of the American Revolution, was recognized.

Mrs. Ned L. Shuman presented the State Outstanding Junior Member, Mrs. Robert Larkin. Mrs. Bahin thanked her for her outstanding work in all committees, and especially with Good Citizens and presented her with Outstanding Junior pin. Mr. Larkin was recognized. Mrs. Larkin is a member of the Governor David Emanuel Chapter.

Mrs. Bahin presented the distinguished guests of the Conference: Mrs. J. Kennedy Kincaid, State Regent of Illinois; Mrs. Henry B. Wallace, State Regent of Iowa; Mrs. C. Edwin Carlson, State Regent of Connecticut and candidate for the office of Curator General on the slate of Mrs. William Upham Baylies; Mrs. Herman Markey Richardson, Registrar General; Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Vice President General from Georgia. She regretted the absence of Mrs. Henry Allan Ironside, Honorary Vice President General, because of the inspiration of her presence.

Mrs. Leonard G. DeLamar, State Second Vice Regent, presented the past National Officers and Honorary State Regents. These included: Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Honorary State Regent and past Vice President General; Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Honorary State Regent and past Registrar General; Mrs. Robert Humphrey, Honorary State Regent and past Vice President General; Mrs. John F. Thigpen, Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Samuel Merritt, Honorary State Regent and past Vice President General; Mrs. T. Knox Kendrick, Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar General, Honorary State Regent and past Vice President General; Miss Martha Cooper, Honorary State Regent, and past Vice President General; Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Vice President General and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Luther Watson, Honorary State Regent.

Mrs. Bahin presented the State Officers: Mrs. Jonathan W. Fox, First Vice Regent; Mrs. Leonard G. DeLamar, Second Vice Regent; Mrs. Hugh Peterson, Chaplain; Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr., Recording Secretary; Mrs. Donald D. Hankinson, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Louis C. Alderman, Jr., Treasurer; Mrs. Raiferd L. Drew, Organizing Secretary; Mrs. James J. Leitch, Registrar; Mrs. Earl Shepherd, Historian; Dr. Jessie Mize Librarian; Mrs. Allen L. Brewer, Curator.

Rear Admiral Robert H. Scarborough, U. S. C. G., The Chief of Staff of the United States Coast Guard, was introduced and spoke on "The Role of the Coast Guard in the Life of the United States." Rear Admiral Scarborough is the brother of Mrs. Samuel Merritt, Honorary State Regent, and his mother was a charter member of the Hawkinsville Chapter. Following his address, Admiral Scarborough was given a standing ovation and thanked by Mrs. Bahin for his splendid and informative talk, which deepened interest in our country's life and defense.

Mrs. Bahin presented her Personal Pages, Mrs. Wilson Ray, State Chairman of Pages, and Mrs. Buxton L. Daniel, vice chairman. Mrs. Ray introduced other pages for the Conference.

After announcements the benediction was given by the Rev. Robert F. Hunt. The Colors were retired by the pages and the recessional was played by Mrs. John R. Williamson. The meeting was adjourned until 9 a.m. Wednesday, March 9.

Immediately following the meeting a reception honoring the distinguished guests was held in the Convention Center Lobby with members of the Augusta Chapter as hostesses.

Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin  
State Regent

Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr.  
State Recording Secretary

Approved: May 16, 1977

### WEDNESDAY MORNING — MARCH 9, 1977

Mrs. John R. Williamson played for the processional which included the Color Bearers, Pages, State Officers, Visiting State Regents, Honorary State Regents, National Officers, State Regent.

Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent, called the meeting to order at 9 a.m. Mrs. Hugh Peterson, State Chaplain, read Scripture and offered prayer. Mrs. Charles Radford, Jr., State Chairman, led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America; Mrs. Charles F. Wysong, State Chairman of Americanism, led the recitation of the American's Creed; Mrs. Raiferd L. Drew led in the singing of The National Anthem and Mrs. Radford led the Pledge to the Georgia Flag.

Distinguished guests of the Conference were presented by the State Regent: Mrs. C. Edwin Carlson, State Regent of Connecticut and a candidate for the office of Curator General; Mrs. Henry B. Wallace, State Regent, Iowa. Both brought greetings. Next Mrs. Bahin presented the following distinguished Georgia Daughters: Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar General, who reported that the National membership is now over 204,000, requested accuracy in ordering Insinia, thanked Georgia Daughters for their love and support during the past three years and asked support for Georgia's candidate on the National ticket; Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Vice President General from Georgia; Mrs. James Joseph Muldrow, National Chairman, Junior American Citizens. The following National Vice Chairmen, Southeast Division, were introduced: Mrs. J. L. R. Boyd, Constitution Week; Mrs. Maurice A. Camerson, DAR Good Citizens; Mrs. Arthur J. Waterman, DAR Magazine Advertising; Mrs. Will D. Newton, DAR Membership Committee; Mrs. Leonard D. Wallace, DAR Museum; Mrs. Lewis B. Smyth, DAR Service for Veteran Patients; Mrs. A. C. Earl Shepherd, Junior American Citizens, Mrs. Leonard G. DeLamar, Sr., Lineage Research; Dr. Jessie Mize, Student Loan and Scholarship; Mrs. John H. Terry, Transportation; Mrs. Hubert R. Martin, Seimes Microfilm Center. Other National Appointments: Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, DAR Membership Commission; Mrs. Hugh Peterson, DAR Museum Adviser; Mrs. Robert G. Fountain, and Mrs. Charles F. Wysong, DAR Speakers Staff; Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Auditing Committee Vice Chairman and Resolu-

tions; Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, Kate Duncan Smith Board of Trustees; Miss Martha Cooper, Tamasse Board of Trustees, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, Tamasse Board of Trustees, Advisory Member. National Club Offices held by Georgia Daughters are Mrs. Thomas Knox Kendrick, Secretary, National Officers Club; Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Secretary, Vice Presidents General; Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, Chaplain, State Vice Regents Club. Honorary State Regents introduced included Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Mrs. Leonard D. Wallace, Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, Mrs. John F. Thigpen, Mrs. T. Knox Kendrick, Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Miss Martha Cooper, Mrs. Arthur H. Waite and Mrs. Luther Watson. Mrs. Bahin stated that notes expressing regret at their absence would be sent those Honorary State Regents unable to attend.

Mrs. Hubert R. Martin read the Standing Rules of the Conference and by direction of the committee moved their adoption. Motion adopted.

Mrs. Frank Radford, chairman, gave the first Credentials report: Total registration as of Tuesday evening, 271 with 117 voters. A quorum was established.

Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Co-Parliamentarian, was presented.

Mrs. Donald Hankinson, State Corresponding Secretary, presented the Conference Program and by direction of the committee moved its adoption as a copy of the printed program was in the hands of each registered member. Motion adopted.

Since no business was transacted, the minutes of the Tuesday night session will be approved by the Proceedings Committee, Mrs. Bahin announced.

Mrs. Jonathan Fox, State First Vice Regent, took the chair and Mrs. Bahin gave the State Regent's report. She expressed pride and gratitude for the excellent reports of Officers and Chairmen and gave a brief outline of the highlights of the year. Membership has advanced to 7600 and school projects are more than 50% complete. She visited 55 chapters, some in joint meetings.

Mrs. Fox thanked Mrs. Bahin for her wonderful leadership and a rising vote of thanks was given by the assembly.

Mrs. Bahin resumed the chair and reports of State Officers continued: Mrs. Fox, State First Vice Regent and National Defense chairman, acknowledged reports from 98 chapters; Mrs. DeLamar, State Second Vice Regent and chairman of DAR Schools, gave programs to 8 chapters; Mrs. Hugh Peterson, State Chaplain, wrote 139 letters to families of deceased members; Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr. State Recording Secretary; Mrs. Donald Hankinson, State Corresponding Secretary, prepared 4 mailings for the State Regent; Mrs. Louis Alderman, Jr., State Treasurer, distributed copies of her report and was recognized by the State Regent as Georgia's Mother of the Year. She moved that the Conference accept the proposed budget as presented at the Fall Board meeting. Motion Adopted. Reports continued with Mrs. Raiferd Drew, Organizing Secretary, who reported Lady Huntingdon and Robert Loughridge chapters were confirmed April 17, 1976 and College Hill Chapter on October 15, 1976; Mrs. Buxton Daniel is Organizing Regent in Claxton; Mrs. James J. Leitch, State Registrar; Mrs. A. C. Earl

Shepherd, State Historian; Dr. Jessie Mize, State Librarian, who also urged attendance at the August Workshops and announced times and places; Mrs. Allen Brewer, State Curator, and chairman of Museum Committee.

Mrs. Thomas Knox Kendrick, chairman of Resolutions, read the Resolutions approved at the Fall Board of Management. These were ratified individually. Mrs. Kendrick moved by direction of the committee, that information on Resolutions be included in August Workshop material. Motion adopted.

Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, Honorary State Regent, was recognized. She presented for endorsement as a candidate for Vice President General Mrs. Luther Watson for election at the 1978 Continental Congress. Mrs. Watson came to the platform and thanked Mrs. Humphrey for the honor but withdrew her name for personal reasons. Mrs. Jonathan Fox, State First Vice Regent, took the chair and Mrs. Watson nominated Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin for endorsement as a candidate for Vice President General at the 1978 Continental Congress. Mrs. Bahin expressed appreciation for the honor of being nominated as a possible candidate. Mrs. Hubert Martin, parliamentarian, was to arrange for polling place in order that delegates might have an opportunity to endorse Mrs. Bahin for the office.

With time available reports and awards of State Chairmen, originally scheduled for the afternoon session, were received: American Heritage, Mrs. Gilbert R. Frith; American Indians, Mrs. A. B. Harrison; Americanism and DAR Manual for Citizenship, Mrs. Charles F. Wysong; Children of the American Revolution, Mrs. Burwell A. Russell; Conservation, Mrs. Julius B. Dodd, Jr., Meadow Garden, Mrs. Luther Watson, who exhibited the Register of Patrons; DAR Magazine, Mrs. T. Norvell Ashburn, who recognized Archibald Bulloch chapter for having 100% subscriptions for five years; Friends of the Museum, Mrs. Claude E. Fitts.

Miss Martha Cooper was recognized as a candidate for Librarian General at the 1977 Continental Congress. Miss Cooper thanked Georgia Daughters for their support and for the pages sponsored in the DAR Magazine.

Reports continued with DAR Magazine Advertising, Mrs. Arthur J. Waterman; DAR Service for Veteran Patients, Mrs. Leon Green; Junior American Citizens, Miss Lucile David; Junior Membership, Mrs. Ned L. Shuman; Lineage Research, Mrs. Alvaretta K. Register; Membership, Mrs. James J. Leitch; Membership Commission, Mrs. E. Lee Stephenson, who introduced members of her committee and recognized Mrs. Richardson, member of the National Membership Commission; Transportation, Mrs. Mac W. Edwards.

After announcements the meeting recessed for lunch.

Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin  
State Regent

Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr.  
State Recording Secretary

Approved: May 16, 1977

## DAR SCHOOLS LUNCHEON

THE DAR SCHOOLS Luncheon was held Wednesday, May 9, 1977, in the Embassy and Italian Rooms, Convention Center, at 12 noon with the State Second Vice Regent, Mrs. Leonard G. DeLamar, Sr., presiding. Mrs. Hugh Peterson, State Chaplain, gave the Invocation. Mrs. DeLamar introduced Mrs. C. Edwin Carlson, State Regent, Connecticut; Mrs. Henry B. Wallace, State Regent, Iowa; Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar General; Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Vice President General from Georgia; Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, member Board of Trustees, Kate Duncan Smith School; Miss Martha Cooper, member, Board of Trustees, Tamassee; Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, Advisory member, Board of Trustees, Tamassee.

Greetings were brought by Mr. Charles H. Edmond; Executive Secretary, KDS; Mr. James D. Marett, Administrator, Tamassee; Dr. Inez Henry and Mrs. Ralph Farmer, both of Berry Schools.

Mrs. DeLamar also recognized Mrs. James D. Marett, publisher of the Tamassee News and Mrs. James Carleton Vaughn, State Vice Regent, of the South Carolina State Society, a member of the Board of Trustees, Tamassee, and luncheon hostess to the program participants from Tamassee DAR School.

A delightful program was presented by the Tamassee, DAR-lings, a folk dance group ages 7-12.

The three new chapters, Lady Huntingdon, Robert Loughridge and College Hill were presented booklets of information and instructions prepared by Mrs. DeLamar. She also presented the State Chairman's awards and Hightower Awards to 55 chapters.

Mrs. Edward L. Pietrowski, Regent, and members of the Augusta Chapter were recognized and appreciation expressed for the arrangements for the luncheon.

Mrs. Hubert Martin, Parliamentarian, announced that polls would be open immediately after lunch.

## WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

The afternoon meeting convened at 2 p.m. and reports of State Chairmen continued:

Junior Membership chairman, Mrs. Ned Shuman, displayed cutwork tablecloth and 8 napkins on which Voices are being sold at Junior booth; Georgia State Room, Mrs. Hugh Peterson, who announced room would be dedicated at Continental Congress; Genealogical Records, Mrs. James Joseph Muldrow; Motion Picture and Television, Miss Leila Summerall; National Honor Roll, Mrs. Jerido Ward; Press Book, Mrs. R. W. Harrison; Program, Mrs. D. A. Snow; Public Relations, Mrs. Robert H. Brown; Radio and Television awards were presented by Mrs. Bahin in the absence of chairman, Mrs. Heyward Boyette; The Flag of the United States of America, Mrs. Charles Radford, Jr., American History, Mrs. Robert Fountain; Constitution Week, Mrs. Will D. Newton; Insignia, Mrs. J. H. Keels; Seimes Microfilm Center, Mrs. Sam Black, who recognized Mrs. Hubert Martin, National Vice Chairman; U.

S. A. Bicentennial, report read by Mrs. L. M. Edwards in absence of Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, chairman, and also a letter from Mrs. Tuthill expressing her appreciation for the dedication of the book placed at the Georgia Historical Society; Mrs. Bahin recognized Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, member USA Bicentennial Steering Committee, and the Georgia Commission for the National Bicentennial Celebration, who reported that Reynolds Aluminum Co. gave a capsule to be opened in 2076 and that The 10-year Bicentennial Report, the State Report and Proceedings were included in the time capsule in Atlanta.

Reports continued with Student Loan and Scholarship, Mrs. Hubert Farr; American Merchant Marine Library, Mrs. W. J. Morton; Collecting and Publishing Histories of Revolutionary Soldiers, Mrs. John Singleton; Cooperation of DAR with S. A. R. and S. R., Mrs. Alvin G. Turley; DAR Bookplates, Mrs. J. L. R. Boyd.

After announcements the meeting was recessed at 3:25 p.m.

Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin  
State Regent

Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr.  
State Recording Secretary

Approved: May 16, 1977

### CHAPTER REGENTS BANQUET

The Chapter Regents Banquet began at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, March 9, 1977, with Mrs. Jonathan W. Fox, State First Vice Regent, presiding.

The invocation was given by Mrs. Hugh Peterson, State Chaplain. Mrs. Fox introduced Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent; Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar General; Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Vice President General from Georgia; Mrs. C. Edwin Carlson, State Regent, Connecticut; Mrs. Henry Wallace, State Regent, Iowa.

Mrs. Raiferd Drew, State Organizing Secretary, was presented and introduced Mrs. Herman Pfadenhauer, Regent, of Georgia's newest chapter, College Hill, her husband and members of her chapter. Mrs. Buxton Daniel of Claxton, Organizing Regent was presented.

Certificates for 100% participation of \$1 per member in a two-year period for the President General's project were presented to 56 chapters by Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent.

The Regent of the hostess Augusta Chapter, Mrs. Edward Pietrowski, was presented.

State Honor Roll Certificates were presented by Mrs. Louis C. Alderman, Jr., State Treasurer, to 67 chapters who met the requirements.

Mrs. Fox introduced Mr. Pietrowski, husband of the Augusta Chapter Regent. The meeting was recessed until 8 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 9, 1977

Escorted by the Color Bearers and Pages, the Chapter Regents and the State Regent formed the Processional into the meeting hall and Mrs.



Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent, called the meeting to order at 8 p.m. Mrs. Hugh Peterson, State Chaplain, gave the invocation. Mrs. Charles Radford, Jr., State Chairman, led The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America. Mrs. Raiferd Drew led in the singing of the National Anthem and the colors were posted.

The tellers report was given by Mrs. Hubert Martin, parliamentarian. Number of votes necessary for endorsement, 64; votes cast 126; for, 124; negative, 1; illegal, 1. Mrs. Bahin was thus endorsed as a candidate for Vice President General in 1978.

Reports of Chapter Regents were given by Districts with the hostess chapter, Augusta, first: Augusta, Mrs. Edward L. Pietrowski; Northwest District: Atlanta, Mrs. George Wing, Vice Regent; Cherokee, Mrs. A. C. Rogers; Joseph Habersham, Mrs. Geo. E. Stratman; Etowah, Miss Daisy Spence, Vice Regent; Capt. Thomas Cobb, Mrs. W. C. White, Vice Regent; Baron DeKalb, Mrs. Thad F. Blackstock; Pulaski, Mrs. John H. Goddard, Vice Regent; William McIntosh, Mrs. Robert Edwards; Augustin Clayton, Mrs. Clarence Eugene Lamb, Sr.; William Marsh, Mrs. Denny A. Snow; Mary Hammond Washington, Mrs. Dennis J. F. Beall, who recited a clever poem; Nathaniel Macon, Mrs. James T. Sanders; Andrew Houser, Mrs. James J. Filbey; Fielding Lewis, Mrs. Claude M. Hamrick, Jr., Xavier, Mrs. Robert E. Sachs; John Houstoun, Mrs. Samuel Y. Pruitt, Jr.

Northeast District: Elijah Clarke, Miss Catherine L. Newton; College Hill, Mrs. Herman Pfadenhauer; Tomochichi, Mrs. Walter C. Gemperline; Sergeant Newton, Mrs. William W. Aiken; Col. Wm. Candler, Mrs. L. A. Kirk; Oliver Morton, Mrs. Wm. J. Morton; John Benson, Mrs. Robert L. Hunter; Nancy Hart, Mrs. Charles Ennis; Hancock, Mrs. Clifford White; Edmund Burke, Mrs. Charles L. Wallace; Sunbury, Mrs. Byron Pinkston; John Franklin Wren, Mrs. James Walden.

Southeast District: St. Andrews Parish, Mrs. Laurence M. Scoville; Col. William Few, Mrs. Fred A. Miller, Jr.; John Floyd, Mrs. W. Elton Corbitt; Altamaha, Mrs. Troy Nichols, Vice Regent; Birdsville, Mrs. Ida J. Grizzard; Earl of Camden, Mrs. Lucius Proctor; Fort Frederica, Mrs. Marion F. Martin; Bonaventure, Mrs. Robert G. Fountain; Lachlan McIntosh, Mrs. Gerald Fling; Savannah, Mrs. Lawrence M. Edwards; Archibald Bulloch, Miss Frances Lamb; Brier Creek, Mrs. William C. Lord; Adam Brinson, Mrs. Garnett C. Odum; General James Jackson, Mrs. Robert L. Cork; Vidalia, Mrs. Ned L. Shuman; Lyman Hall, Mrs. W. J. Summerall, also Southeast District Director; Peter Early, Mrs. W. M. Barksdale, who reported a member now living in The White House, Mrs. Jeffrey Carter.

Southwest District: Commodore Richard Dale, Mrs. E. D. Dunn, Jr.; Thronateeska, Mrs. Gordon W. Kilgore; Bainbridge, Mrs. John J. Cummings; Button Gwinnett, Mrs. James L. Ham; George Walton, Mrs. J. Charles Rogers; Oglethorpe, Mrs. Robert Loflin; Dorothy Walton, Mrs. J. E. King; Stone Castle, Mrs. Wm. L. Walls Sr.; Hawkinsville, Mrs. Wm. F. Daniels; John Benning, Mrs. J. B. Godard; General Daniel Stewart, Mrs. Lewis Smyth, Vice Regent, also Southwest District Director; Thomasville; Mrs. Chas. Reuben Simmons, Jr.

Mrs. Bahin thanked Mrs. Pietrowski and members of the Augusta Chapter for arranging for such commodious meeting rooms.

Following announcements, Mrs. Hugh Peterson, State Chaplain, gave the benediction. The colors were retired, with Mrs. John R. Williamson at the piano, and the meeting was recessed until 9 a.m., March 10.

#### THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 10

After a fifteen minute program of music by Mrs. John R. Williamson, the State Officers, Guests and State Regent were escorted into the French and Spanish rooms by the Pages with Flags. Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent, called the meeting to order at 9 a.m. Mrs. Hugh Peterson, State Chaplain, read Scripture and offered Prayer. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. Charles Radford, Jr., State Chairman; The American's Creed was led by Mrs. Charles F. Wysong, State Chairman, Americanism; The National Anthem was sung, led by Mrs. Raiferd L. Drew, and the Pledge to the Flag of Georgia was led by Mrs. Radford.

Mrs. Bahin thanked Mrs. Williamson for the music during Conference and presented her a copy of Washington Landmark.

Guests of the Conference were again presented by Mrs. Bahin: Mrs. C. Edwin Carlson, State Regent, Connecticut, and a candidate for the office of Curator General; Mrs. Henry Wallace, State Regent, Iowa. Both brought final words of appreciation.

Minutes of the Wednesday sessions were read by the State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr., and will be given final approval by the Proceedings Committee.

State Chairmen's reports were continued: Marking Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves and Restoring Historic Spots, Mrs. Claude M. Hamrick, Jr.; Proceedings, Mrs. Arthur H. Waite; Scrapbook, Mrs. James L. Ham, who thanked Mrs. Waite, Mrs. Thomas Knox Kendrick and Mrs. Luther Watson for serving as judges; Textbook Study, read by Mrs. Donald Hankinson, State Corresponding Secretary.

Mrs. Bahin thanked Mrs. J. L. R. Boyd for serving as Timekeeper throughout the Conference. Mrs. Frank Radford gave the final Credentials Report: Number of chapters represented, 75; State Officers and Parliamentarian, 13; National Officers, 2; National Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen, 10 (reported elsewhere 10); Honorary State Regents, 11 (reported elsewhere 2); State Chairmen and Vice Chairmen, 42 (reported elsewhere 17); Chapter Regents, 74; delegates, 52; alternates, 27; Chapter Vice Regents, 4; Georgia Daughters, 82; Pages, 12; total registration without duplication, 300; visiting dignitaries, special guests, musicians, other entertainers not counted in registration, 74; fees collected for registration and sale of programs, sent to State Treasurer, \$221.50. Mrs. Radford moved the adoption of the Credentials Report. Motion adopted. Mrs. Bahin thanked Mrs. James J. Muldrow for organizing the Processionals during the Conference.

The drawing for the tablecloth given by the Junior Membership Committee was conducted. It was won by Mrs. H. O. Godwin, Social Circle.



Copies of Washington Landmark were presented by the State Regent to Mrs. Edward Pietrowski and Mrs. Robert L. Smith, Conference Co-chairmen. Conference Committee chairmen were recognized and thanked.

Mrs. Thomas Knox Kendrick read the Courtesy Resolutions. Mrs. Fox took the chair and the State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, was given a rising vote of thanks for her able management of State Conference and the resolution was adopted. The second Resolution was in appreciation for the attendance of the three State Regents from Illinois, Connecticut and Iowa and was approved unanimously.

Mrs. Herman Richardson moved that the Minutes of the Thursday session be approved by the Proceedings Committee. Motion adopted.

As there was no unfinished business the Conference moved to New Business items. Mrs. Fox moved that the Conference ratify the appointment of Dr. Jessie Mize as State Librarian. Motion adopted.

Xavier Chapter, Rome, issued an invitation through its Regent, Mrs. Robert E. Sachs, for the Georgia State Society, NSDAR, to hold its Eightieth State Conference in Rome in 1978. Mrs. Herman Richardson moved that the invitation be accepted and the motion was adopted.

After announcements, Mrs. Bahin recognized the following Honorary State Regents: Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Mrs. Robert Humphrey, Mrs. John F. Thigpen, Mrs. Thomas Knox Kendrick, Miss Martha Cooper, and Mrs. Luther Watson and thanked them for their advice and support; Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar General and Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Vice President General from Georgia were presented.

Appreciation to all State Officers was expressed by the State Regent, who also thanked Mrs. Wilson Ray, chairman of Pages. Members joined hands and sang "Blest Be the Tie That Binds", the benediction was given by Mrs. Hugh Peterson, State Chaplain, and Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent, adjourned the 79th Georgia State Conference.

Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin  
State Regent

Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr.  
State Recording Secretary

Approved: May 16, 1977

**RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED  
FALL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT  
OCTOBER 28, 1976  
CARTERSVILLE, GEORGIA**

RESOLVED: That the seven cents per capita allocated to Tamassee DAR School, and all undesignated contributions from Chapters for this school, be given in honor of the State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, and be applied to the construction of the lobby in the new Smith-Mettetal Activities Building, with any excess to be applied to the furnishings of the lobby.

RESOLVED: That the seven cents per capita allocated to Kate Duncan Smith DAR School, and all undesignated contributions from Chapters for this School, be given in honor of the State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin and applied to an unfinished portion of "Old Main" to be designated by the State Regent.

RESOLVED: That the four cents per capita allocated to the Berry Schools, and all undesignated gifts from the Chapters for this school, be given in honor of the State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, and be applied to a project chosen by the State Regent.

**TRANSFER FROM STATE SAVINGS ACCOUNT  
FOR MEADOW GARDEN**

WHEREAS: Meadow Garden is owned solely by the Georgia State Society, Daughters of the American Revolution; and,

WHEREAS, The restoration of Meadow Garden was adopted as a Bicentennial project by the members of the Georgia State Society; and,

WHEREAS, The funds for this project have been slow in coming, being mainly secured from the eight cents per capita of state dues, from the fifty cents per member from those chapters striving for State Honor Roll, and from volunteer gifts, and,

WHEREAS, The completion of said restoration and repairs to the properties adjoining Meadow Garden should be completed as economically and as quickly as possible; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Georgia State Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, by action of the State Fall Board of Management on 28th October 1976, authorize the State Treasurer to transfer from the Georgia State Society Savings Account to the Meadow Garden Restoration and Maintenance funds the sum of \$5,000.00, to be used for renovation and repairs to the caretaker's cottage and toward the cost of replacing the heating system at Meadow Garden with a General Electric heat pump.

**TONDEE'S TAVERN RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS: The resolution naming the newly acquired room in Continental Memorial Hall Tondee's Tavern was adopted by the 1975-1976 State Conference; and,

WHEREAS: The year 1976-1977 is the climax of the Bicentennial celebration; therefore,

RESOLVED: That it would be appropriate to adopt the furnishings of the Tondee's Tavern Room as the new State Bicentennial project.

## **ENDORSEMENT OF MISS MARTHA ANSLEY COOPER FOR LIBRARIAN GENERAL, NSDAR**

RESOLVED, That the State Board of Management endorse with pride and pleasure the candidacy of Miss Martha Ansley Cooper for the office of Librarian General on the ticket of Mrs. George Upham Baylies, candidate for President General, NSDAR, and be it further

RESOLVED, That each Chapter be urged to send its full quota of representatives to the Continental Congress in April, 1977, thus expressing our hearty endorsement of Miss Cooper's candidacy by votes as well as by words.

### **COURTESY RESOLUTIONS**

RESOLVED: That the Georgia State Society, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, express appreciation to Dr. Jessie Mize, Coordinator of the District Meetings, to the District Chairmen: Mrs. John Inman Bell, Jr., Northwest; Miss Gladys Holcomb, Northeast; Mrs. W. J. Summerall, Southeast; and Mrs. Lewis B. Smyth, Southwest; and to the hostess chapters: Fort Early, Abraham Baldwin, Kettle Creek, Altamaha, for the arrangements that made possible four successful district workshops.

RESOLVED: That the State Board of Management, at its Fall Board meeting, held on October 28, 1976 express sincere appreciation to the State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, for her careful planning and execution of the work of the State Society, and especially for the excellence of this meeting.

RESOLVED: That the State Board of Management assembled in Cartersville, October 28, 1976 express sincere gratitude to the Regent, Mrs. William Dillard, Sr., to Mrs. A. B. Harrison, General Chairman, and to the members of Etowah Chapter for their gracious hospitality and many kindnesses, including the lovely covered dish supper.

RESOLVED: That the State Board of Management assembled in Cartersville, October 28, 1976 gratefully acknowledge and sincerely express appreciation for the courtesies extended by the management and staff of the Quality Inn.

### **COURTESY RESOLUTIONS**

RESOLVED: That the Georgia State Society, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, at the Seventy-Ninth State Conference, held at the Executive House, Augusta, March 8 through 10, 1977 express to the State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, grateful appreciation for her capable and gracious leadership in the affairs of the State Society, and for the carefully planned and delightful Seventy-Ninth State Conference.

RESOLVED: That the Georgia State Society express appreciation to the distinguished guests who honored the State Conference with their presence: Mrs. C. Edwin Carlson, State Regent, Connecticut; Mrs. John Kennedy Kincaid, Jr., State Regent, Illinois; and Mrs. Henry B. Wallace, State Regent, Iowa.

RESOLVED: That the Georgia Society express sincere appreciation to the members of the Augusta Chapter and to their regent, Mrs. Edward L. Pietrowski, and to all those whose talents, efforts and good will have made possible the success and pleasure of the Seventy-Ninth State Conference.

### CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

General Chairman .....	Mrs. Edward L. Pietrowski Regent, Augusta Chapter
Co-Chairman .....	Mrs. Robert L. Smith
Credentials and Registration .....	Mrs. Frank R. Radford Mrs. R. F. Burch, III; Miss Louise Philips; Mrs. Henry J. Taylor
Decorations .....	Mrs. William N. Agostas, Chairman Mrs. Henry R. Perkins; Mrs. Carl F. Wagner; Mrs. S. Warren Twiggs
Doorkeepers .....	Mrs. William F. Bowe, Chairman Mrs. Lyman O. Williams; Mrs. J. P. Campbell; Mrs. Guy Arnett
Hospitality and Information .....	Augusta Chapter Members
Memorial Service Door Pages .....	Mrs. A. C. Bledsoe, Chairman Mrs. A. Woodrow Davis; Mrs. M. P. Phillips; Mrs. Edwin H. Johnson; Miss Myrtis Nell McKenzie
Music .....	Mrs. Robert P. Lane, Chairman Mrs. John R. Williamson
Platform and Processional .....	Mrs. Hubert R. Martin Mrs. James J. Muldrow
Program .....	Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, Mrs. Donald D. Hankinson
Publicity .....	Mrs. Carl F. Wagner, Chairman Mrs. R. H. Brown, State Chairman
Reception .....	Mrs. Henry Perkins, Chairman Mrs. Thomas Hawlow; Mrs. Edward Molineaux; Miss Myrtice McKenzie; Mrs. W. E. Hewett; Mrs. John Gregg; Mrs. James McDowell; Miss Sandra Stevenson; Mrs. Guy Arnett; Mrs. Walter R. Garrett
Scrapbook and Yearbook Display ..	Mrs. James L. Ham, State Chairman Mrs. Denny A. Snow, State Chairman
Tickets and Meal Reservations .....	Mrs. William Voelker, Chairman Miss Susanne Bowen, Miss Marvilla Lombard
Timekeeper .....	Mrs. J. L. R. Boyd
Transportation .....	Mrs. John C. Hurden, Chairman Mrs. Robert Tate; Miss Louisa Mallard; Mrs. C. Arthur Youmans

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Miss Dianne Daniel

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Mrs. H. James Glenn, III

#### Personal Page to the Honorary Vice President General

Mrs. Victor M. Hicks

### **Personal Page to the Visiting State Regents**

Mrs. Frank J. Sczurek

### **Personal Page to the State Recording Secretary**

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Miss Margaret Elizabeth Watson

Miss Margaret Williams

### **Chairman of Pages**

Mrs. Wilson Ray

### **Vice Chairman**

Mrs. Buxton L. Daniel

## **GEORGIA DELEGATION MEETING EIGHTY-SIXTH CONTINENTAL CONGRESS WASHINGTON, APRIL 18, 1977**

The Georgia delegation met April 18, 1977 in the State Room of the Mayflower Hotel, Washington, D. C. Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent, welcomed members and asked Mrs. Leonard DeLamar to take the minutes in the absence of the State Secretary. The invocation was given by the State Chaplain, Mrs. Hugh Peterson. Dr. Jessie Mize led the Pledge to the Flag of the United States of America. Mrs. Bahin introduced Mrs. Arthur Waite, Vice President General from Georgia and the following State Officers: Mrs. Jonathan W. Fox, Mrs. Leonard G. DeLamar, Mrs. Hugh Peterson, Mrs. A. C. Earl Shepherd, and Dr. Jessie Mize. Miss Martha Ansley Cooper, Honorary State Regent, past Vice President General and a candidate for the office of Librarian General was presented. Letters were read from Senators Talmadge and Nunn and several representatives from Georgia Congressional districts congratulating the Georgia State Society on the dedication of the Georgia State Room in the Museum, which took place at 10 a.m. this day in Memorial Continental Hall. Mrs. Fox announced that tickets for the Georgia dinner were available for the remainder of the day. Dr. Mize announced dates and places for the District meetings to be held in August and requested that each chapter try to bring at least 4 members. After reminding delegates to pick up the National Honor Rolls received, Mrs. Bahin introduced the following: Honorary State Regents, Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Mrs. Robert Humphrey and Mrs. John Thigpen; National Chairman, Junior American Citizens, Mrs. James J.

Muldrow; parliamentarian, Mrs. Hubert R. Martin; director of the bus tour, Mrs. Mac W. Edwards, and Mrs. Wilson Ray, chairman of Pages.

Mrs. A. C. Rogers moved that Mrs. Peterson be given a rising vote of thanks for her untiring work over many years on the Georgia Room, Tondee's Tavern. Brochures on Peter Tondee were distributed. Miss Cooper moved that Mrs. Bahin be given a rising vote of thanks for all of the work she had done during the past year. Mrs. Peterson said that the folder of information concerning Georgia was contributed by Secretary of State Ben Fortson. The Georgia Peanut Growers Association and the Savannah Refining Company donated sample packages of peanuts and sugar. She also explained that the table in the Georgia Room is the only piece of furniture in the room at this time that belongs to the Georgia Society, stating that the other pieces now being used are on loan from the NSDAR Museum storeroom. She asked that chapters be on the lookout for appropriate pieces to be used in the room. The 112 Georgia Daughters representing 49 chapters in attendance at Continental Congress were: ANDREW HOUSER: Mrs. James J. Filbey; ARCHIBALD BULLOCH, Mrs. Sam L. Cochran III, Mrs. Alvaretta K. Register, Mrs. James P. Collins, Miss Margaret K. Collins; ATLANTA, Mrs. J. W. Speas, Mrs. W. C. Contrell, Mrs. Reuben Garland; AUGUSTA, Miss Helen Chaplam, Mrs. Edward L. Pietrowski, Mrs. Lyman Williams; BAINBRIDGE, Mrs. R. D. Humphrey, Mrs. J. J. Cummings; BARNARD TRAIL, Miss Elizabeth Deariso, Miss Marjorie Combs; BARON DE KALB, Mrs. J. L. R. Boyd, Mrs. A. C. Earl Shepherd, Mrs. S. M. Rickman, Mrs. R. H. Rice, Mrs. G. R. Frith, Mrs. Thad F. Blackstock, Mrs. Lloyd B. Raisty; BONAVENTURE, Mrs. Robert G. Fountain; BRUNSWICK, Mrs. F. L. Torras; BUTTON GWINNETT, Mrs. James J. Ham, Mrs. Raiferd L. Drew; CAPTAIN THOMAS COBB, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, Mrs. Wilson Ray; CHEROKEE, Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Mrs. A. C. Rogers, Mrs. Jack J. Rushin, Mrs. Charles F. Wysong, Mrs. Thomas R. Burnett; COLONEL DANIEL APPLING, Mrs. J. H. Keels; COMMODORE RICHARD DALE, Mrs. E. D. Dunn, Jr., Mrs. Leonard G. DeLamar; COUNCIL OF SAFETY, Mrs. J. B. Folan; DOROTHY WALTON, Mrs. R. S. Oliver, Mrs. Zeke Wall, Mrs. T. D. Wall; EARL OF CAMDEN, Mrs. Robert W. Harrison, Jr., Mrs. L. B. Proctor, Mrs. G. W. Barker, Mrs. J. V. Tillery; ELIJAH CLARKE, Miss Ruth S. Black, Dr. Jessie Mize; FORT EARLY, Mrs. J. D. Southwell; GENERAL DANIEL STEWART, Miss Martha Cooper, Mrs. Walter B. Evans, Mrs. Lewis B. Smyth, Miss Pauline Lewis; GENERAL JAMES JACKSON, Mrs. Walter Schroer Sr., Mrs. J. A. Durrenberger; GEORGE WALTON, Mrs. T. W. Smith; GOVERNOR DAVID EMANUEL, Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, Mrs. Robert F. Larkin; GOVERNOR JARED IRWIN, Miss Sarah M. May, Mrs. J. B. Helms; HANCOCK, Mrs. James J. Muldrow; HAWKINSVILLE, Mrs. William F. Daniels, Mrs. Leo L. Phillips, Sr.; JOHN BENNING, Mrs. H. C. Heard, Miss Hazel Edge; JOHN FLOYD, Mrs. E. J. Smith, Mrs. Robert L. Cowart, Mrs. Elton Corbitt; JOHN FRANKLIN WREN, Mrs. Ben DeLoach, Mrs. John A. Leitch; JOHN HOUSTOUN, Mrs. Clay Harris, Mrs. R. M. Suggs; JOSEPH HABERSHAM, Mrs. H. R. Martin, Mrs. George N. Matthews, Miss May Beth Prichard, Mrs. John F. Thigpen, Miss Ruth Lyon; KETTLE CREEK, Mrs. John Singledon, Mrs. Mac M. Edwards; LACHLAN MCINTOSH, Mrs. John J. Farrell; LADY HUNTINGDON, Mrs. A. Y. Carmichael, Mrs. Stephen Furse, Mrs. Laura R. Donson; LAGRANGE, Mrs. G. D. Jones; LYMAN HALL, Mrs.

T. L. Floyd, Mrs. William J. Summerall; MARY HAMMOND WASHINGTON, Mrs. Dennis J. F. Beall, Mrs. Wm. E. Gates, Miss Olivia Russell; NANCY HART, Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Mrs. Charles W. Ennis, Mrs. Arthur J. Waterman; OGLETHORPE, Mrs. P. D. Neal, Mrs. George W. Murphy; OLIVER MORTON, Miss Vera Greene, Mrs. C. J. Bridges, Miss Helen Pearson, Mrs. Wm. J. Morton; PETER EARLY, Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Mrs. G. C. Davis, Jr., Mrs. Jeffery Carter, Miss Dorothy Balkcom; PULASKI, Mrs. John J. Flynt, Jr.; ROBERT LOUGHRIDGE, Mrs. W. W. Fincher, Jr.; SAVANNAH, Mrs. L. M. Edwards, Miss Leila D. Snadlin; STONE CASTLE, Mrs. Jonathan W. Fox, Mrs. William Wall; THOMASVILLE, Mrs. Charles Simmons, Mrs. Howard Vann; THRONATEESKA, Mrs. Gordon Kilgore; VIDALIA, Mrs. Hugh Peterson, Sr.; WILLIAM MARSH, Mrs. D. A. Snow; XAVIER, Mrs. Robert E. Sachs.

## GEORGIA DINNER - CONTINENTAL CONGRESS

APRIL 19, 1977

The annual Georgia Dinner was held in the East Room of the Mayflower Hotel, Washington, D. C., at 6 p.m., Tuesday, April 19, 1977. Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent, presided. Seated at the head table were the Officers of the Georgia State Society, Mrs. Wakelee R. Smith, President General, NSDAR, and Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar General, NSDAR. Candidates for National Offices, including Miss Martha Ansley Cooper, a candidate for the office of Librarian General.

Among the guests were Congressmen John J. Flynt, Billy Evans and Jack Brinkley. Senator Sam Nunn brought greetings as well as Congressman Sykes of Florida.

Mrs. Jeffery Carter, daughter-in-law of President Jimmy Carter, and her mother, Mrs. Davis, were among those present.

Mrs. Jonathan Fox was in charge of the dinner which was attended by 150.

## GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY RECOGNITIONS AT THE 86TH CONTINENTAL CONGRESS

**CONSERVATION:** Special certificate and cash award for outstanding number of seedlings planted - Savannah Chapter.

### DAR MAGAZINE:

Chapters with subscriptions over 75% of membership:

Archibald Bulloch	98%
Earl of Camden	86%
Colonel Daniel Appling	76

Chapters with subscriptions over 50% membership:

Fort Frederica	51%
Hancock	52%
Governor George W. Towns	52%
Brunswick	60%
Brier Creek	61%
Lyman Hall	61%



Commodore Richard Dale	61%
Andrew Houser	62%
Thronateeska	68%
John Floyd	69%

**DAR MAGAZINE ADVERTISING: Second Place** - Membership of 4000-8000.

**DAR MUSEUM: Special Certificate of Award** for Installation of Most Dramatic Period Room - Tondee's Tavern, Memorial Continental Hall - State Society.  
**Second place** - Contributions to Museum General Fund.

**J. A. C.: Second place** for State sponsoring most clubs.  
Second place for State sponsoring most JAC members.  
**Third place** - Chapter sponsoring most members - Atlanta Chapter  
**Third place** - Chapter sponsoring most clubs - Baron DeKalb Chapter

**OUTSTANDING JUNIOR MEMBER: National First Runner-up** - Mrs. Robert F. Larkin, Governor  
David Emanuel Chapter.

**PUBLIC RELATIONS: Second Place** - Press Book.  
**First Place** - American Heritage Feature Series - John Laurens Chapter  
**Second Place** - Bicentennial Feature Series - Kettle Creek Chapter  
**Third Place** - Bicentennial Feature Series - Bainbridge Chapter

**SEIMES MICROFILM CENTER: Second place** - Financial Contributions - State Society

**USA BICENTENNIAL: Certificate** for Excellence in Achievement - State Society  
**Certificate** for 100% Bicentennial Master Questionnaire - Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, State Chairman.

**TRANSPORTATION: First place** in Southeast Division.



# Reports of State Officers

## STATE REGENT

**Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin**

Let me try to express to you, the Georgia Daughters, my pride in your outstanding accomplishments, as reflected in the reports of chapter regents and State Officers and Chairmen, and at the same time, my deep gratitude for this support and love of your State Society, as well as for the cordial warmth of the many courtesies extended to me personally. The year has been full. The officers and chairmen who so graciously accepted appointment have worked diligently, with results beyond expectation. The chapters have cooperated on national and state projects most successfully. Since the day of the awesome ceremony at Continental Congress, inducting into office the new State Regents and Vice Regents, it has been my pleasure to attend three meetings of the National Board of Management and the several functions attendant upon each; the President General's Bus Tour celebrating the 200th anniversary of the nation's birth and the visit of descendants of French and German heroes of the American Revolution, at Yorktown, Virginia; three meetings of the Board of Trustees of Tamassee DAR School; Founder's Day at Tamassee, where the fantastic new brick Smith-Mettetal Building and Betty Davis Wallace Activities Center were dedicated (our lobby will be dedicated in October); the building having been completed in a record period of less than a year; Dedication Day at Kate Duncan Smith DAR School; was privileged to hostess a dinner in Rome en route from Tamassee to KDS honoring the President General, with our own national officers, the National Schools Chairman and several other distinguished Georgia Daughters as guests. Attended the Armed Forces Day luncheon in Atlanta, as well as the reception honoring the Secretary of Defense, the Hon. Donald Rumsfeld, speaker for that celebration; four S A R functions; the C. A. R. Regional Meeting in Charleston, S. C. - a 2-day crash course for this State Regent in the procedures of that fine organization. Also attended the Georgia State Society C. A. R. convention in Savannah, so ably presided over by Frank Fling. Four district meetings held under the supervision of the District Directors and coordinated as to plan and program by Miss Jessie Mize, Coordinator of Districts, were highly successful, well received and well attended. Fall Board of Management, the business meeting of the State Society, adopted plans which have been carried out. There have been four meetings of the Meadow Garden Board, and Meadow Garden has seen many changes with great progress toward its ultimate status as one of Georgia's finest museums. It was a distinct honor to announce over Augusta's Television Station WJBF the wonderful news that Meadow Garden had been placed on the National Register of Historic Places in July 1976. The State Regent and the regent of the Augusta Chapter stood on the porch of Meadow Garden for this telecast. It was a pleasure to be a guest at the State Conferences of Alabama and South Carolina. I have met with all state committees requiring my presence, and have visited with 55 chapters, some of them in joint meetings. For your delightful luncheons, teas, dinners, and the cordial welcome to your chapters and to your homes - thank you. Three official mailings have gone to

a mailing list of approximately 200. It would be impossible to number the personal notes, the phone calls, and the miles traveled, all of them a joy. Georgia's membership has passed 7600, donations to all national funds and state projects have surpassed the records, the school projects are over the halfway mark of the two-year obligation. Thank you for going forward on these projects. The Georgia Room in the DAR Museum is ready to receive gifts of furniture, and several articles have been approved for purchase. The room will be dedicated and presented to the Curator General at the Continental Congress. Completion of the 10-year summary of the USA Bicentennial work shows such a vast number of activities finished that it is overwhelming. It will be my pleasure to award in the name of the President General 57 certificates for 100% participation in the President General's Project - the murals in the U. S. Capitol building. Thank you, Honorary State Regents for your guidance, and thank you, all Georgia Daughters, for a happy year of enthusiastic and worthwhile accomplishment of the goals of the State Society.

## **STATE REGENTS CALENDAR**

### **APRIL 1976 - MARCH 1977**

April 23: Installed as State Regent at 85th Continental Congress and attended President General's Banquet at the Mayflower.

May 5: Sunbury Chapter, Winder - Luncheon guest and speaker. Placed marker at grave of member.

May 8: With the regent of Captain Thomas Cobb Chapter attended banquet of the Georgia Society, S. A. R. in Atlanta.

May 12: Armed Forces Day Luncheon, Peachtree Plaza Hotel, Atlanta. The Hon. Donald Rumsfeld, Secretary of Defense, speaker. Attended reception preceding.

May 13: Major General John Twiggs Chapter, Jeffersonville - honored at a luncheon, spoke at chapter meeting and installed new officers.

May 15: Tomochichi Chapter, Clarkesville - gave report on Continental Congress.

May 16: Spent night with Mrs. Frank Binford and Mrs. L. M. Andrus in Wrens to plan for work at Meadow Garden.

May 17: Meadow Garden Board meeting at Meadow Garden in Augusta.

May 18: Finance Committee meeting at the Statesman's Club in Atlanta.

May 19: Proceedings Committee meeting - luncheon at home of the chairman, Mrs. John F. Thigpen, Atlanta.

May 20: Abraham Baldwin Chapter, Carrollton - honor guest and speaker at luncheon.

May 26: Honored by my chapter, Captain Thomas Cobb, College Park, with a beautiful Tea held at the Woman's Club.

May 27: Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, Savannah. Spoke at the Tea in celebration of the chapter's 75th anniversary.

June 3: With Miss Martha Cooper went to Tamassee DAR School for my first meeting of the Board as an Advisory Member.

June 4: Presented two Good Citizenship awards and three History Certificates at Woodward Academy, College Park, for Captain Thomas Cobb Chapter.

June 6: Attended Golden Wedding Anniversary reception of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Ragan in Eastman - two dedicated supporters of the Georgia State Society.

July 3: Attended Fourth of July celebration of Atlanta Chapter at their chapter house. Attended Fourth of July celebration dinner of Atlanta Chapter S. A. R.

July 8: Guest at Bicentennial Luncheon of Baron DeKalb Chapter, Decatur.

July 13-14: Attended meetings of and activities attendant upon the Regional Meeting of the C. A. R. held at Mills-Hyatt House, Charleston, S. c.

July 28: Luncheon in Cartersville with members of Etowah Chapter, to plan Fall Board.

August 3: Southwest District Meeting, Cordele, Fort Early Chapter, Hostess.

August 4: Northwest District Meeting - Bremen, Abraham Baldwin Chapter, Hostess.

August 4: Reception given by Captain John Wilson Chapter in Thomson in evening.

August 5: Northeast District Meeting - Washington, Kettle Creek Chapter, Hostess.

August 5: Reception given by Altamaha Chapter in Jesup in the evening.

August 6: Southeast District Meeting - Jesup, Altamaha Chapter, Hostess.

August 11: Conducted service to place marker on grave of member of Captain Thomas Cobb Chapter.

August 20: Installed new officers of Captain Thomas Cobb Chapter, College Park

September 15: Honored with a dinner at home of Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar General, in Blakely.

September 16: Honor Guest and speaker at luncheon meeting of Peter Early Chapter celebrating Constitution Week. Bainbridge and Benjamin Hawkins Chapters present as well.

September 17: At Luncheon given by Commodore Richard Dale and Thronateeska Chapters in Albany to celebrate Constitution Week was honor guest and speaker. Other chapters represented were Barnard

Trail, Sylvester; Council of Safety, Americus; Dorothy Walton, Dawson; Fort Early, Cordele; John Benning, Moultrie; Knox-Conway, Ashburn; Noble Wymberly Jones, Shellman; Peter Early, Blakely; Stone Castle, Dawson; and Tallassee, Tifton.

September 22: Mary Hammond Washington Chapter, Macon - guest speaker at meeting and honor guest at luncheon afterward.

October 13-15: National Board of Management meeting in Washington, D. C. with forums and dinners attendant upon same.

October 16-20: President General's Yorktown Bus tour, with attendance at celebrations held in connection with the visit to this country of descendants of the Marquis de LaFayette and of the Comte de Rochambeau, and of other French and German patriots of the American Revolution, the placing of markers by their countries on the battlefield, and a banquet honoring the visitors. Also the dedication of a restored wall and herb garden behind the old customs house, Bicentennial projects of the Virginia State DAR and C. A. R.

October 23: Tamasee DAR School Board of Trustees Meeting.

October 24: Founders' Day ceremonies at Tamasee DAR School. Hostess to the President General and other distinguished Daughters at supper, in Rome, en route to KDS DAR School.

October 25: Kate Duncan Smith DAR School Open Board Meeting and dinner, in Huntsville, Alabama.

October 26: Kate Duncan Smith DAR School Dedication Day. Spent night in Cartersville before Fall Board.

October 27: Covered dish supper given by Etowah Chapter in Cartersville for members attending the Fall Board of Management.

October 28: Georgia State Society Fall Board of Management Meeting in Cartersville, Etowah Chapter.

November 4: Button Gwinnett, George Walton and Oglethorpe Chapters, Columbus - Honor guest and speaker at annual luncheon meeting. Visited the Genealogical section of the Bradley Library, a Bicentennial project of these chapters, as well as the planting of trees on grounds of the Columbus Civic Center.

November 9: Attended meeting of Augustin Clayton Chapter, Jonesboro.

November 10: John Houstoun Chapter, Thomaston - honor guest and speaker at Luncheon. Other chapters represented: Governor George W. Towns, Talbotton and Lamar-LaFayette, Barnesville.

November 11: Col. William Few Chapter, Eastman - honor guest and speaker at luncheon meeting.

November 16: Nancy Hart Chapter, Milledgeville - speaker at luncheon meeting - presented two 50-year pins.

November 18: Joseph Habersham, Atlanta - spoke at regular meeting. Honored with pretty morning coffee.

November 19: Baron DeKalb Chapter, Decatur - speaker at biennial luncheon honoring State Regent.

December 1: Spent night in Statesboro, dinner at home of regent of Archibald Bulloch Chapter.

December 2: Spoke at meeting of Archibald Bulloch Chapter following a beautiful Christmas Coffee. Metter Chapter was represented and Brier Creek, and a luncheon followed the meeting.

December 3: Ft. Frederica Chapter, St. Simons Island - met with Board members - luncheon guest of the Regent, spoke to the chapter, followed by a lovely tea. House guest of the vice regent.

December 8: Spoke to Hawkinsville Chapter at its meeting and Christmas Tea. Overnight guest of regent.

December 9: Gov. David Emanuel Chapter, Swainsboro - speaker at their Christmas Tea - dinner with several members later - guest of Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey.

December 10: To Executive House, Augusta to plan State Conference with Mrs. Edward L. Pietrowski, Regent, Augusta Chapter. Dinner guest of the Pietrowskis to celebrate their anniversary.

December 11: Adam Brinson Chapter, Twin City - speaker and honor guest at their lovely Christmas luncheon. Honored with dinner at historic country home of the Allen Brewers, she a State Officer, he a dedicated assistant in all State affairs. House guest of the Luther Watsons - Mrs. Watson the immediate past State Regent.

December 12: Christmas Tour of Homes in Swainsboro, sponsored by Gov. David Emanuel Chapter. Supper at the rustic cottage of the Watsons on a nearby lake.

December 13: Traveled to Savannah - guest at luncheon given by Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, with several members of Savannah Chapter present.

December 14: Speaker at Christmas Coffee meeting of Savannah Chapter. To St. Simons Island - overnight and dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Reu.

December 15: Spoke at the beautiful Christmas luncheon meeting of Brunswick Chapter, held in the Cloister on Sea Island. Overnight with relatives in Brunswick.

December 16: St. Andrews' Parish Chapter, Darien - luncheon guest and speaker at meeting. Overnight and dinner guest of the regent.

January 10: Met with Executive Board of Captain Thomas Cobb Chapter, College Park.

January 12: Oliver Morton Chapter, Gray - Honor guest at a luncheon given by the chapter in Macon and speaker at the afternoon meeting, followed by a tea. Overnight guest of the regent.

January 13: Tamasee DAR School Board meeting, in snow and ice. Campus was beautiful.

January 25-28: In Washington for National Board meeting and all activities, including the lovely buffet-reception honoring the slate of

candidates for national office, and the tea given by the D. C. Daughters honoring the Vice President General from D. C.

February 1: A visit to Roanoke Chapter, Richland was cancelled by the chapter due to heavy snow in that section of Georgia (South Georgia)!

February 10: John Clarke Chapter, Social Circle - luncheon meeting, guest speaker.

February 15: State Conference Program to the printer.

February 17: Elijah Clarke Chapter, Athens, honored at annual luncheon and spoke.

December 19: Toccoa Chapter, Toccoa - honor guest at a luncheon meeting.

February 23: Birdsville Chapter, Millen - spoke at afternoon meeting. Accompanied by two friends who went on to Savannah with me.

February 24: Bonaventure Chapter, Savannah - guest of regent and speaker at meeting. Presented three 50-year pins.

February 25: Attended State Convention of Georgia Society C. A. R. at the DeSoto Hilton, Savannah.

February 26: Brought greetings to the C. A. R. Convention.

March 2-4: Attended Alabama State Conference in Selma.

March 7-10: Presided over the meetings of the Georgia State Conference held in the Convention Center, Augusta.

March 16-18: Guest at South Carolina State Conference in Spartanburg.

April 7: Spoke to regular meeting of Robert Loughridge Chapter, Chatsworth, held in Dalton.

April 12: Flew to Washington to attend 86th Continental Congress.

## **STATE FIRST VICE REGENT**

**Mrs. Jonathan W. Fox**

It has been my pleasure to serve the Georgia State Society as First Vice Regent and Chairman of National Defense under the capable leadership of our State Regent, Mrs. Bahin. I helped conduct the Workshops in August, attended Fall Board of Management, two meetings of the Finance Committee, two meetings of the Meadow Garden Board of which I am secretary, State Conference and Continental Conference. I have also made a trip to Meadow Garden where Mrs. Pietrowski showed me the work in progress. Plans are complete for the Georgia Dinner at the 86th Continental Congress. As State Chairman of National Defense, it has been my great pleasure to speak to 13 chapters and 1 C. A. R. Society. I have also presented 2 Good Citizenship Medals. I regret that I could not accept the invitations to some of the chapters but thank you for asking me.

## **STATE SECOND VICE REGENT**

**Mrs. Leonard G. DeLamar**

Serving the Georgia State Society as Second Vice Regent and chairman of the DAR Schools committee has been an honor. My most enjoyable duties were presiding at the Educational Workshops during the four District Meetings, and presenting 8 chapter programs. I also attended the Fall Board and State Conference. Interest shown by the chapters in DAR schools is greatly appreciated. It has been a pleasure to work with our efficient State Regent for the benefit of this society.

## **STATE CHAPLAIN**

**Mrs. Hugh Peterson, Sr.**

It is a privilege to serve as State Chaplain, especially with our capable State Regent. Questionnaires and death report forms were sent to Chapter Chaplains. 67 Chapters reported deaths. Meetings opened with Prayer and Bible reading. DAR Ritual was used by 70 Chapters holding Memorials. Cards were sent to ill members and to Veterans. Cemetery records reported.

Using DAR Ritual, Chapters participated in Bicentennial Dedications. Erected Monuments with names of Revolutionary Soldiers buried in County. Granite Marker placed in center of town. Dedicated Bronze Plaque with names of Revolutionary Soldiers buried in County. Dedicated Fountain in Town Square. Real Daughter marker placed in cemetery. Dedicated Marker to the Flag of U. S. A. Marker to Viet Nam Casualties dedicated in Memorial Hospital. Marker for Revolutionary Soldiers. Old Glory placed on Avenue of Flags in memory of Members' Ancestors. Trees dedicated in Bishop Park (cost \$300.00). Laid wreath at tomb of Signer Button Gwinnett, in Colonial Cemetery. Wreathes on graves of Revolutionary Soldiers. Bicentennial Plaque dedicated in Rotunda area of State Capitol. Dedicated Flag that had flown over White House, to Hospital. Added DAR marker to Flag Pole gift.

The State Chaplain has written letters of sympathy to bereaved of the 127 deceased members. Has attended and served at DAR District Meetings State Board and State Conference. Conducted Memorial Service at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, in Augusta, March 8, 1977, during State Conference. Appreciation to all who assisted.

## **STATE RECORDING SECRETARY**

**Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr.**

Striving to assist our capable State Regent, I have attended Continental Congress, District Workshops, State Board of Management, and State Conference. Letters of instruction were included in the packets distributed at the four District Workshops.

Reports of Chapter Regents and State Officers' and Chairmen have been proof read as received and letters written to those not submitting reports on time. As a State Officer I attended the reception given by the three Savannah chapters for His Excellency The Ambassador of France

and Madame Jacques Kosciusko who were in Savannah to celebrate the anniversary of the Siege of Savannah and to stimulate interest in Battlepark.

### **STATE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY**

**Mrs. Donald D. Hankinson**

The State Corresponding Secretary has prepared and mailed four letters from the State Regent pertaining to District Meetings, Fall Board of Management and State Conference. Mailings included district workshop information; state honor roll; proposed budget; lists of State Officers, Chapter Regents and State Chairmen; credential forms; resolutions; rules for operation of Meadow Garden and schedule for State Conference. Six individual letters including notes of regret sent to the Honorary State Regents unable to attend Fall Board of Management were composed and mailed. The Schedule of Events and Program for State Conference have been typed and sent to the printer. I have attended State Conference, two District Meetings and Fall Board of Management. I am most grateful to the State Regent and to the Georgia Daughters for this opportunity to serve the Georgia State Society, NSDAR.



**STATE TREASURER**  
**Mrs. Louis C. Alderman, Jr.**  
**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**  
**GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY**  
**FINANCIAL REPORT**  
**JUNE 1, 1976 THROUGH MAY 31, 1977**

**CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS' OPINION**

Mrs. Louis C. Alderman, Jr.  
 Daughters of the American Revolution  
 Georgia Society  
 Cochran, Georgia

We have examined the balance sheet of the Daughters of the American Revolution - Georgia Society as of May 31, 1977, and the related statements of cash receipts and disbursements, and fund balance for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the aforementioned financial statements present fairly the assets and liabilities of the Daughters of the American Revolution - Georgia Society as of May 31, 1977, arising from cash transactions, and the revenues collected and expenditures made during the year then ended, on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

***SHEPHERD, GIDDENS & COMPANY***  
*Certified Public Accountants*

Cochran, Georgia  
 July 18, 1977

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**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
GEORGIA SOCIETY  
BALANCE SHEET  
YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 1977**

**EXHIBIT A**

**ASSETS**

Cash in banks:

General checking account - Cook Banking Company - Exhibit B	\$20,094.62
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Savings accounts -

First National Bank of Atlanta:			
McCall Genealogical - #94-17676-7	707.75		
General Fund - #94-17659-1	2,399.69		
Georgia Room - #94-17677-8	2,101.93		
Meadow Garden Landscaping - #94-17660-2	<u>395.25</u>	5,604.62	

Savings certificates -

First National Bank of Atlanta:			
Georgia State Society - #913728	2,260.05		
McCall Genealogical - #913729	1,130.03		
Georgia Room - #913730	3,390.09		
Lucy Cook Peel - #911511	4,311.17		
Meadow Garden Landscaping - #913727	<u>1,356.03</u>	<u>12,447.37</u>	

TOTAL		<u><u>\$38,146.61</u></u>
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**FUND BALANCE**

	General	Savings	Certificates	Total
McCall Genealogical (\$ 78.94)	\$ 78.94	\$ 707.75	\$ 1,130.03	\$ 1,758.84
State Library	796.62			796.62
Book Plates ( 19.48)	( 19.48)			( 19.48)
Georgia Room	8,102.71	2,101.93	3,390.09	13,594.73
Lucy Cook Peel	1,142.03		4,311.17	5,453.20
Meadow Garden:				
Maintenance	966.97			966.97
Landscaping	1,181.20	395.25	1,356.03	2,932.48
Patrons	1,077.85			1,077.85
Restoration	2,054.50			2,054.50
Merchant Marine				
Library	5.00			5.00
Children of American				
Revolution	<u>5.00</u>			<u>5.00</u>
Total allocated funds - Schedule 1	15,233.46	3,204.93	10,187.32	28,625.71
Unallocated	<u>4,861.16</u>	<u>2,399.69</u>	<u>2,260.05</u>	<u>9,520.90</u>
TOTALS	<u><u>\$20,094.62</u></u>	<u><u>\$5,604.62</u></u>	<u><u>\$12,447.37</u></u>	<u><u>\$38,146.61</u></u>

**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
GEORGIA SOCIETY  
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS  
GENERAL ACCOUNT  
YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 1977**

**EXHIBIT B**

Receipts from chapters:		
State dues		\$ 7,577.00
State conference registration		536.00
Georgia Society funds		11,657.52
National funds		<u>25,216.62</u>
Total receipts from chapters -		
Schedule 4		44,987.14
Other receipts:		
State conference:		
Meal tickets	5,310.00	
Conference registration fees and		
program sales	<u>213.00</u>	5,523.00
Sale of book plates		10.00
Sale of proceedings, handbooks & Landmarks		501.30
JAC awards		30.00
Refund - State Regent pin		3.00
Sale of Good Citizens pins		150.00
Refund from Treasurer General		
(Good Citizen bond)		75.00
Hightower awards		285.00
Sale of banquet tickets		176.00
DAR magazine advertising award		10.00
Sale of membership roll and register		
of ancestors		1,020.50
Donations - Not from chapters		50.00
Transfer from savings		<u>5,000.00</u>
Total other receipts		<u>12,833.80</u>
Total receipts		57,820.94
Less - Total disbursements - Schedule 2		<u>54,133.17</u>
Excess of receipts over disbursements		3,687.77
Balance - June 1, 1976 - General checking		
account		<u>16,406.85</u>
Balance - May 31, 1977 - General checking		
account -		<u>\$20,094.62</u>
Exhibit A		

**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
GEORGIA SOCIETY  
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE  
YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 1977**

**EXHIBIT C**

Balance - June 1, 1976		\$52,151.74
Less - Adjustment prior year:		
Expended fund balance - Meadow Garden Maintenance	286.70	
Expended fund balance - Meadow Garden Patrons	<u>13,770.00</u>	<u>( 14,056.70)</u>
Adjusted balance - June 1, 1976 (Note 2)		38,095.04
Add:		
Interest earned:		
State funds savings - Schedule 1	925.26	
General fund savings	<u>438.54</u>	1,363.80
Excess of receipts over disbursements - Exhibit B		<u>3,687.77</u>
Total		43,146.61
Less - Transfer from savings - Schedule 1		<u>( 5,000.00)</u>
Balance - May 31, 1977 - Exhibit A		<u><u>\$38,146.61</u></u>

**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
GEORGIA SOCIETY**  
**Notes to Financial Statements**  
**Year ended May 31, 1977**

**EXHIBIT D**

**1. Accounting policies -**

The Georgia Society considers all contributions available for unrestricted use unless specifically restricted by the donor.

The Georgia Society has prepared its financial statements on a cash basis for all years prior to May 31, 1975. The statement for the year ended May 31, 1976 was converted to the accrual basis of accounting. However, due to the nature of the accounts and operations of the Society, the accounting procedures have been converted back to the cash basis of accounting. Our report has been made on the cash basis.

It is the policy of the Georgia Society that property be expensed when purchased.

**2. Prior period adjustments -**

Since the records were converted to the cash basis of accounting for the year ended May 31, 1977, it was necessary to record several adjustments to the beginning balances as follows:

Deletion of assets previously recorded:

Land	\$ 1,000.00
Building	600.00
Building improvements	3,500.00
Furnishings	<u>9,606.70</u>
Total	<u>14,706.70</u>
Less - accumulated depreciation	<u>( 650.00)</u>
Net adjustment	<u><u>\$14,056.70</u></u>

**3. General comment -**

The Georgia Society has been granted tax exempt status by the Internal Revenue Service under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code and thus, is not subject to taxation on profits. All required returns of organization exempt from income tax (Form 990) have been prepared.

**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
GEORGIA SOCIETY  
RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS - STATE FUNDS  
YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 1977**

**SCHEDULE 1**

	Fund Balance June 1, 1976	Interest Earned (Exhibit C)	Chapters (Schedule 4)	Per Capita	Book Sales	Transfer of Savings	Sale of Book Plates	Less: Disburse- ments	Fund Balance May 31, 1977 (Exhibit A)
McCall Genealogical	\$1,684.32	\$126.02	\$ 2.50	\$210.00				(\$ 264.00)	\$ 1,758.84
State Library	562.50		333.50					( 99.38)	796.62
Book Plates	55.02						\$10.00	( 84.50)	( 19.48)
Georgia Room	9,060.90	376.67	4,513.46					( 356.30)	13,594.73
Lucy Cook Peel Fund	4,058.71	301.49	2.50		\$1,020.50				5,453.20
Meadow Garden - Maintenance	1,902.69		2,048.31	70.00		\$5,000.00		( 8,544.03)	966.97
Meadow Garden - Landscaping	2,560.90	121.08	250.50						2,932.48
Meadow Garden - Patrons	325.00		2,904.00					( 2,151.15)	1,077.85
Meadow Garden - Restoration	6,163.80		1,075.25					( 5,184.55)	2,054.50
Merchant Marine Library			123.50					( 118.50)	5.00
Children of the American Revolution			404.00					( 399.00)	5.00
Total	\$26,373.84	\$925.26	\$11,657.52	\$840.00	\$1,020.50	\$5,000.00	\$10.00	(\$17,201.41)	\$28,625.71

**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
GEORGIA SOCIETY  
DISBURSEMENTS - GENERAL ACCOUNT  
YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 1977**

**SCHEDULE 2**

State dues and conference registration -		
Schedule 3		\$10,593.14
National Society funds - Schedule 5		26,338.62
Georgia Society funds:		
State Library fund -		
Binding and microfilming	99.38	
Meadow Garden Maintenance fund	8,544.03	
Meadow Garden Patrons fund	2,151.15	
Meadow Garden Restoration fund	135.22	
McCall Genealogical fund	264.00	
Georgia Room fund	<u>356.30</u>	11,550.08
Children of the American Revolution -		
Transfer to State CAR		399.00
Merchant Marine Library -		
Transfer to Merchant Marines		118.50
Book plates purchases to resale		84.50
State grant -		
Restoration to Meadow Garden		<u>5,049.33</u>
 Total disbursements - General account -		 <u>\$54,133.17</u>
Exhibit B		

**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
GEORGIA SOCIETY  
DISBURSEMENTS - STATE DUES  
YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 1977**

**SCHEDULE 3**

Corporate annual registration		\$	5.00
Insurance and bonds			25.00
Good Citizens - pins	150.00		
Good Citizens - awards	20.00		
Good Citizens - bonds	<u>75.00</u>		245.00
Printing and purchases for resale			424.97
State Regents travel			1,000.00
Proceedings - printing and expense			2,303.65
Banquet tickets			176.00
Hightower awards			285.00
Congress hospitality and flowers			100.00
Administrative expense			622.56
Audit			350.00
Conference registration:			
Music	25.00		
Meals	4,081.06		
Guests	28.56		
Flowers	178.37		
Programs and memorial service sheets	361.14		
Badges and pages ribbons	169.95		
Pictures	23.92		
Other expenses	<u>187.96</u>		<u>5,055.96</u>
Total disbursements - State dues - Schedule 2			<u><u>\$10,593.14</u></u>



**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
GEORGIA SOCIETY  
RECEIPTS FROM CHAPTERS  
YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 1977**

**SCHEDULE 4**

Chapter	Dues Paid	Registration	Georgia Funds	National Funds	Total
Abraham Baldwin	\$ 58.00	\$ 6.00	\$ 114.00	\$ 279.00	\$ 457.00
Adam Brinson	66.00	6.00	35.00	87.00	194.00
Altamaha	56.00	6.00	35.00	90.60	187.60
Andrew Houser	48.00	3.00	66.00	177.00	294.00
Archibald Bulloch	63.00	6.00	59.50	203.92	332.42
Atlanta	277.00	7.00	25.00	357.00	666.00
Augusta	136.00	6.00	100.00	475.00	717.00
Augustin Clayton	33.00	3.00	20.50	170.15	226.65
Bainbridge	65.00	6.00	72.50	174.00	317.50
Barnard Trail	41.00	3.00	255.56	39.00	338.56
Baron DeKalb	230.00	9.00	472.00	1,444.15	2,155.15
Benjamin Hawkins	48.00	6.00	5.00	55.00	114.00
Birdsville	29.00	3.00	16.50	25.00	73.50
Bonaventure	48.00	3.00	26.00	113.00	190.00
Brier Creek	54.00	6.00	51.00	149.25	260.25
Brunswick	110.00	6.00	67.00	242.00	425.00
Burkhalter	32.00	3.00	25.00	60.00	120.00
Button Gwinnett	105.00	6.00	212.50	325.60	649.10
Captain John Wilson	39.00	3.00	24.50	59.50	126.00
Captain Thomas Cobb	75.00	6.00	244.50	400.00	725.50
Cherokee	218.00	9.00	242.00	1,844.27	2,313.27
College Hill	18.00	3.00	15.00	15.00	51.00
Colonel Daniel Appling	39.00	3.00	23.00	80.00	145.00
Colonel John McIntosh	34.00	3.00	18.00	53.00	108.00
Colonel William Candler	79.00	6.00	41.00	80.00	206.00
Colonel William Few	77.00	6.00	48.50	216.00	347.50
Commodore Richard Dale	57.00	6.00	84.96	388.00	535.96
Council of Safety	128.00	6.00	65.00	13.00	212.00
Dorothy Walton	59.00	6.00	31.50	50.00	146.50
Earl of Camden	56.00	6.00	92.00	173.00	327.00
Edmund Burke	40.00	3.00	34.00	119.00	196.00
Elijah Clark	113.00	6.00	732.50	232.00	1,083.50
Etowah	52.00	6.00	69.00	150.50	277.50
Fielding Lewis	90.00	6.00	97.50	271.00	464.50
Fort Early	64.00	6.00	45.00	169.50	284.50
Fort Frederica	131.00	6.00	75.50	200.00	412.50
Fort Peachtree	86.00	6.00	45.00	424.00	561.00
General Daniel Stewart	80.00	6.00	51.00	176.87	313.87
General David Blackshear	43.00	3.00	23.00	20.08	89.08
General James Jackson	101.00	9.00	1,072.50	176.00	1,358.50
George Walton	116.00	6.00	120.00	175.10	417.10
Governor David Emanuel	56.00	6.00	87.00	199.00	348.00
Governor George W. Towns	33.00	3.00	131.50	113.00	280.50
Governor Jared Irwin	43.00	3.00	47.50	46.00	139.50
Governor Treutlen	52.00	6.00	34.00	52.60	144.60
Hancock	29.00	3.00	48.50	85.80	166.30
Hannah Clarke	34.00		5.00	15.00	54.00
Hawkinsville	87.00	6.00	257.00	1,848.00	2,198.00
Hawthorne Trail	50.00	3.00	18.00	40.00	111.00
Henry Walton	46.00	3.00	24.00	108.00	181.00
James Pittman	25.00	3.00	17.50	5.00	50.50
John Ball	21.00	3.00	13.50	32.00	69.50
John Benning	105.00	7.00	58.00	42.32	212.32
John Benson	81.00	6.00	60.50	104.00	251.50
John Clarke	62.00	6.00	30.00	65.00	163.00
John Floyd	216.00	21.00	247.00	567.75	1,051.75
John Franklin Wren	77.00	6.00	647.50	146.50	877.00
John Houstoun	95.00	6.00	728.00	1,293.00	2,122.00
John Laurens	36.00	3.00	73.00	63.60	175.60
Joseph Habersham	364.00	12.00	780.00	4,892.00	6,048.00
Kettle Creek	52.00	6.00	34.00	101.00	193.00
Knox Conway	32.00	3.00	29.00	36.60	100.60
Lachlan McIntosh	63.00	6.00	38.50	85.00	192.50
Lady Huntingdon	26.00	3.00	12.50	4.00	45.50

**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
GEORGIA SOCIETY  
RECEIPTS FROM CHAPTERS (CONTINUED)  
YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 1977**

**SCHEDULE 4**

<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Dues Paid</u>	<u>Registration</u>	<u>Georgia Funds</u>	<u>National Funds</u>	<u>Total</u>
LaGrange	100.00	6.00	117.00	177.00	400.00
Lamar - LaFayette	42.00	3.00	23.00	42.00	110.00
Lyman Hall	142.00	6.00	310.00	355.60	813.60
Major General John Twiggs	42.00	3.00	37.00	74.00	156.00
Mary Hammond Washington	215.00	9.00	135.00	431.60	790.60
Matthew Talbot	24.00	3.00	16.00	27.00	70.00
Metter	26.00	3.00	31.00	55.00	115.00
Mineral Springs	19.00	3.00	11.50	54.00	87.50
Nancy Hart	89.00	6.00	54.50	231.59	381.09
Nathaniel Abney	31.00	3.00	22.50	47.47	103.97
Nathaniel Macon	104.00	6.00	220.00	198.00	528.00
Noble Wimberly Jones	25.00	3.00	24.00	83.94	135.94
Oconee	35.00	3.00	21.50	68.00	127.50
Oglethorpe	107.00	6.00	140.00	302.50	555.50
Oliver Morton	61.00	6.00	120.50	136.00	323.50
Oothcaloga	14.00	3.00		61.00	78.00
Peter Early	88.00	6.00	99.00	227.00	420.00
Pulaski	89.00	6.00	74.00	127.00	296.00
Roanoke	52.00	6.00	24.50	26.50	109.00
Robert Loughridge	22.00	3.00	5.00	5.00	35.00
St. Andrews Parish	47.00	6.00	127.50	93.75	274.25
Savannah	261.00	9.00	141.00	402.00	813.00
Sergeant Newton	55.00	6.00	49.50	121.00	231.50
Stephen Heard	68.00	6.00	95.00	65.00	234.00
Stone Castle	43.00	3.00	27.00	86.20	159.20
Sunbury	40.00	6.00	560.00	299.00	905.00
Tallassee	28.00	3.00		60.00	91.00
Thomasville	93.00	6.00	72.50	196.50	368.00
Thronateeska	87.00	6.00	63.50	147.00	303.50
Toccoa	59.00	6.00	36.00	80.00	181.00
Tomochichi	66.00	6.00	53.00	134.00	259.00
Vidalia	102.00	6.00	335.00	190.70	633.70
Whitehall Inn	25.00	6.00	24.50	21.00	76.50
William Marsh	51.00	6.00	74.50	239.61	371.11
William McIntosh	71.00	6.00	41.00	213.00	331.00
William Witcher	62.00	6.00	33.00	75.00	176.00
Xavier	113.00	6.00	64.00	165.00	348.00
Total - Exhibit B	<u>\$7,577.00</u>	<u>\$536.00</u>	<u>\$11,657.52</u>	<u>\$25,216.62</u>	<u>\$44,987.14</u>

**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
GEORGIA SOCIETY  
RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS - NATIONAL FUNDS  
YEAR ENDED MAY 31, 1977**

**SCHEDULE 5**

	Balance June 1, 1976	Receipts	Per Capita	Less Disbursements [Schedule 2]	Balance May 31, 1977
Kate Duncan Smith	\$ -0-	\$ 4,355.08	\$ 490.00	(\$ 4,845.08)	\$ -0-
Tamassee	-0-	6,997.00	490.00	( 7,487.00)	-0-
Berry	-0-	1,562.00	280.00	( 1,742.00)	100.00
Crossnore	-0-	742.50		( 735.00)	7.50
Hillside	-0-	343.00		( 343.00)	-0-
Hindman Settlement	-0-	444.00		( 436.50)	7.50
American Indians - General	-0-	282.00		( 282.00)	-0-
Bacone Indian School	-0-	933.50		( 928.50)	5.00
St. Mary's Indian School	-0-	1,175.40		( 1,175.40)	-0-
NSDAR Library	-0-	260.00		( 260.00)	-0-
NSDAR Museum - General	-0-	199.50		( 199.50)	-0-
NSDAR Museum - Friends of	-0-	395.00		( 377.00)	18.00
<b>NSDAR Museum - Renovation</b>	-0-	240.00		( 240.00)	-0-
NSDAR - American History Scholarships	-0-	401.50		( 401.50)	-0-
Investment Trust Fund	-0-	246.50		( 246.50)	-0-
Microfilm Fund and Seimes Center	-0-	986.00		( 986.00)	-0-
Cataloguing Museum and Period Rooms	-0-	296.00		( 296.00)	-0-
Occupational Therapy and Medical Scholarships	-0-	278.00		( 278.00)	-0-
President General's Project	-0-	2,722.50		( 2,722.50)	-0-
Helen Pouch Fund	-0-	1,174.64		( 1,174.64)	-0-
Junior American Citizens	-0-	307.50		( 277.50)	30.00
National Defense	-0-	622.50		( 622.50)	-0-
National Genealogical Records Binding	-0-	266.50		( 266.50)	-0-
Americana Archives	-0-	1.00		( 1.00)	-0-
Miscellaneous	-0-	15.00		( 15.00)	-0-
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ -0-</b>	<b>\$25,246.62</b>	<b>\$1,260.00</b>	<b>(\$26,338.62)</b>	<b>\$168.00</b>
Total National Funds - Schedule 4		\$25,216.62			
Add - Funds not received direct from Chapters:					
Second place State - Most JAC Members		15.00			
Second place State - Most JAC Clubs		15.00			
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$25,246.62</b>			

## **STATE ORGANIZING SECRETARY**

**Mrs. Raiferd L. Drew**

In 1976 the Georgia State Society reached the goal of 100 chapters with Lady Huntingdon and Robert Loughridge tying for the place when organized April 17. Both were admitted as primary chapters; the former with fourteen members and the latter with eighteen.

On October 15, College Hill Chapter, Augusta, was organized and confirmed as a secondary chapter with 36 members.

Ocmulgee Chapter in Warner Robins was officially disbanded in June, leaving us with 101 chapters.

At the National Board Meeting in October, Mrs. Buxton Daniel was appointed Organizing Regent to form a chapter in Claxton.

I met with a group of prospective members in Claxton January 24, 1977.

## **STATE REGISTRAR**

**Mrs. James J. Leitch**

Letters of instruction detailing procedures for reporting membership changes were given to each chapter. About 75 chapters are up-to-date on their reporting. This year chapter treasurers were sent a third copy of the membership print-out from the Treasurer General's office, which copy was to be mailed to the state Registrar. Since our Society is increasingly on the move, this is an effective method for your Registrar to have the current address of each member. This year we had 424 new admissions of which 128 were Juniors, with 11 transferring from C. A. R.; and 57 reinstatements. For the fourteenth consecutive year the Georgia State Society has shown an increase in membership. This year's increase of 178 (last year active members 7435; this year active members 7613) shows 58 chapters with an increase and 10 chapters remaining the same. This net gain of 178 exceeds any net gain in the past twenty years. New chapters that have been added are Lady Huntingdon, Robert Loughridge and College Hill.

I have enjoyed my association with the chapters and it has been a privilege to serve under the capable leadership of our State Regent.

## **STATE HISTORIAN**

**Mrs. A. C. Earl Shepherd**

With 60 chapters reporting, there were historical programs for 167 adults, for/by 23 school children; with anniversaries celebrated for 23 famous men, 7 women and 41 events; 847 historical broadcasts on radio and 67 TV. Historical tours for/by 76 adults and 2 for/by children; 10 graves of Revolutionary Soldiers marked, with special programs for the marking; 7 Revolutionary Soldiers graves located; graves of 3 Daughters of Revolutionary Soldiers and 53 DAR members marked; 12 Historical markers placed. Chapters contributed \$461.50 to American History Scholarship. 3 building surveys were received. The Georgia

Society continues the restoration and furnishing of "Meadow Garden", home of George Walton. Your State Historian has attended all District and Board meetings.

It has been a pleasure to serve as State Historian this year.

## STATE LIBRARIAN

Dr. Jessie Mize

Sixty-five Librarians' reports from 101 Georgia Chapters were received. A total of \$333.50 was contributed to the State Library fund. Contributions to the NSDAR Library fund sent through the State Treasurer amounted to \$260.00.

Fourteen Chapters sent request books to the NSDAR Library as follows:

ALTAMAHA **"Wayne Miscellany,"** Margaret Coleman Jordan (1976).

BRUNSWICK **"The Gaston, Howard and Wilkinson Families,"** Kathleen Wilkinson Wood (1976)

FORT FREDERICA **"Old Mill Days. St. Simon Mills, Georgia, 1874-1908,"** Abbie Fuller Graham (1976)

GOVERNOR DAVID EMANUEL **"Emanuel Memories, 1776-1976,"** W. C. Rogers, Sr. Ed. (1976).

HAWTHORNE TRAIL **"The Colemanac--1950-1976. Lineage of Five Georgia Coleman Families,"** Arthur Clinton Coleman, Comp. (1976). In memory of William Calvin Hall by Vista Coleman Hall.

JOHN BENSON **"History of the Hall-Ayers-Holland Family,"** Marvin F. Hall (1976). In memory of Rowena Mary Russell Hall, 1881-1974, given by the author, her son.

JOHN BENSON **"History of the Allen Shadrack Turner Family,"** Lucius McDowell Turner (n.d.). In honor of Miss Laura Lee Satterfield.

JOHN HOUSTOUN **"Boney Family: Switzerland to North Carolina, Then to Alabama and Westward,"** Emily Boney Bell and James A. Bell (1970).

JOSEPH HABERSHAM **"Long, Long, Ago, 1776-1976. A genealogical Record of the Farris, Wells, Keltner, Wynne, Russell, Roberts Families in America,"** Harriett Farris Boozer, Comp. (1976). In honor of Harriett Louise Wynne and Frank Fernando Farris, and George Washington Boozer, Jr.

LYMAN HALL **"A Partially Annotated Index of Articles of Bicentennial Interest Published in the Daughters of the American Revolution Magazine, 1956-1975,"** Ellen Smith Long (n.d.).

MARY HAMMOND WASHINGTON **"Abstracts of Some Twiggs County, Georgia Records,"** Mrs. Francis G. Clark, comp. (1976).

PETER EARLY **"Membership Roll and Register of Ancestors of the Georgia State Society of the Daughters' of the American Revolution, 1976,"** Gertrude Mooney Drew (Mrs. Raiferd L.), Comp. (1976). Given by Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar General in memory of her husband.

SAVANNAH **"Abstracts of Georgia Colonial Conveyances Book C-1, 1750-1761,"** Frances Howell Beckemeyer (1975); also **"Charlton County Historical Notes 1972,"** Charlton County Historical Commission (1972). From Mrs. Lawrence M. Edwards

ST. ANDREW'S PARISH "They Called Their Town Darien," Bessie Lewis (1975). In honor of the author.

VIDALIA "Somers," Coite Somers (1966).

Also, THRONATEESKA made a \$10.00 contribution to the NSDAR Library book fund.

The award winning essay receiving the Georgia USA Bicentennial History Grant. "John J. Zubly: Preacher, Planter, and Politician," Roger Martin, Ph. D. 1977, University of Georgia, was bound and placed at the Georgia Department of Archives and History; and a duplicate copy was placed at Georgia Historical Society, Savannah, to honor Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill. Other titles were donated by Chapters to the DAR collection shelved at the Georgia Archives.

A special indexing project to update and enlarge the 1954 Catalog of original material shelved at the Archives is in progress as a joint effort of the Genealogical Records Committee Chairman and the State Librarian. Many volunteers from Chapters in the Atlanta vicinity are helping with this project. A large number of Georgia Chapters maintain special collections of reference books and/or assist in local libraries. Nine chapters reported spending from \$200 to \$2,000 on local library work during this Bicentennial year, and 26 additional chapters gave smaller amounts to local library projects.

The Librarian General continues to ask chapters to make monetary contributions through the State Treasurer for rebinding, purchase of new books and library equipment as well as to promote donations of books, pamphlets and manuscripts to the NSDAR Library. Refer to point 9 and point 12 on the NSDAR Honor Roll to take credit for your Library work.

#### **STATE CURATOR**

**Mrs. Allen L. Brewer**

The State Curator is the custodian of properties of the Georgia State Society. They include flags, ribbons and a wall insignia used at state meetings. There are also several small items for use as needed.

It is a pleasure to serve as State Curator under the leadership of Mrs. Bahin.

# Committee Reports

## National Committees

### AMERICAN HERITAGE

**Mrs. Gilbert R. Frith**

Only 53 Chapters reported, but their enthusiasm and fine work were outstanding. Programs were combined with Bicentennial, Indian, the Flag, American History, Americanism, Conservation and Museum. Programs covered the Arts, Crafts, Drama and Literature, Music and family Heritage with emphasis on Drama and Music. Accent on heritage in the community as inspired by our DAR Chapters is very gratifying. There were dramas, pageants, parade floats, booths and displays in various community activities. One Chapter completed the restoration of an historic home in the area, one helped establish a Heritage Center. Most emphasized our heritage at Chapter meetings with American music and displays of some sort. The National Anthem was included in most Chapter meetings. Three programs were sent to the National Program Office and six articles sent to the DAR Magazine. Three Chapters entered the National Poetry Contest. The response to the State Special Project of collecting heirloom histories and family legend - anecdotes for a State Heritage Booklet was not as great as hoped for, but should be much better next year. We are especially pleased to present the National American Heritage Certificate for outstanding achievement to Brier Creek Chapter, Sylvania.

### AMERICANISM AND DAR MANUAL FOR CITIZENSHIP

**Mrs. Charles F. Wysong**

Four Medal of Honor awards were given this year. Application for two Americanism awards were submitted and are awaiting approval.

The American's Creed was repeated at meetings by 68 chapters. 53 chapters had an Americanism program. 1,780 Manuals for Citizenship were given for use in Americanization classes and 254 were purchased for other groups.

11 members worked with Americanization classes. Flags, flag codes, American's Creed cards and other patriotic gifts and literature were presented.

Hawkinsville Chapter presented DAR Manuals for Citizenship to foreign brides of two American soldiers and secured someone to teach them. The girls were naturalized in July 1976.

It is hoped that other chapters will report interesting ways of carrying out the work of this committee.

## **CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

**Mrs. Burwell A. Russell**

**Senior State President**

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## **CONSERVATION**

**Mrs. Julius B. Dodd, Jr.**

61 chapters reported activities. Thirteen chapters reported Bi-centennial Conservation Projects. Holly trees were planted at a civic center in memory of Georgia's Revolutionary Patriots and a bronze marker was unveiled. Ginkgo trees were planted at a government center by 3 chapters with plans for placing a bronze marker. Other activities included the planting of 100 pine trees, the planting of trees in a park as a living memorial to the spirit of the USA. This chapter raised \$300 to purchase trees and bronze plaque. Chestnuts were distributed to chapter members to be planted in January. One NSDAR Conservation Medal was awarded to a Chapter member. A local ordinance was acquired to forbid cutting of trees without sanction of the city council. A "Neighborhood Bird Project" was sponsored and new feeders with bird feed were put up throughout the entire neighborhood. 14 chapters participated in youth education work in schools, 4-H clubs, Scouts and C. A. R. 2 DAR members teach conservation in schools. A chapter spoke to 4 scout groups. 43 chapters had conservation programs on energy conservation, wood fiber needs, recycling, clean air, wild life and legislation. A chapter had "Plant a Tree For Century Three" project. Many "Bicentennial Trees" were planted. A chapter reports collecting glass, selling it to a bottling company and sending profits to Meadow Gardens. 8 chapters fostered tree stand improvement; 4 had "Adopt a Tree" projects. Much interest shown in energy conservation.

## **DAR GOOD CITIZENS**

**Mrs. Robert F. Larkin**

Good Citizen pins and certificates were awarded to 245 girls and boys by 66 chapters. District winners and their sponsors were Henry Beasley, Harlem High School, Captain John Wilson Chapter; John Morris, Westwood High School, Captain Thomas Cobb Chapter; Margaret Eva Park, Blackshear High School, Lyman Hall Chapter; and Marti Braziel, Wilcox County High School, General David Blackshear Chapter. Each winner received a \$5.00 Award from the State Society. Marti Braziel was chosen the State Good Citizen. She received a \$100 Savings Bond and a State Good Citizens Pin and was entered in competition in the National Southeastern Division.

District Vice-Chairmen are Mrs. Hugh L. Faulk, Dry Branch; Mrs. D. P. Eubank, Atlanta; Mrs. Henry W. Lively, Wrens; and Mrs. Edgar Duskin, Dawson.



## **DAR MAGAZINE**

**Mrs. T. Norvell Ashburn**

The Georgia State Society DAR MAGAZINE Chairman received 57 chapter reports. Of this number 51 chapters earned the Honor Roll requirement of 25% or more of its members subscribing to magazine. There was a total of 1567 subscriptions from Georgia. Of this number 1223 were renewals and 344 were new subscriptions. Methods of promoting subscriptions were by telephone, announcements and personal contact. However, the best method reported was for every member subscribing when dues were paid. This was proven by the Archibald Bulloch Chapter which was 100% for the fifth year. 12 chapters sent in ads. 4 sent articles for "With The Chapters". 40 chapters used Magazine Directory. Madame State Regent, it has been an honor to serve our State Society under your efficient leadership, and I want to thank you for this opportunity as I submit my report.

## **NSDAR MAGAZINE ADVERTISING**

**Mrs. Arthur J. Waterman**

Georgia State Society submitted \$6730 to the Magazine Advertising Committee. Seventy six Georgia Chapters met the Honor Roll requirement for magazine advertising. Pages were submitted honouring Miss Martha Cooper, Librarian General NSDAR. Ads honoured the State Regent, Charter Members, and deceased members. Historical sites and colleges were shown. Advertisements carried out the historical, patriotic, and educational ideals of the NSDAR. The Georgia Issue of the NSDAR Magazine is August-September 1978. Deadline for sending ads for the Georgia Issue is June 1, 1978. Start now to obtain advertisements. The minimum advertisement is now \$15.

Madame State Regent, it has been a pleasure working with you during the past year.

## **DAR MUSEUM**

**Mrs. Allen L. Brewer**

Reports were received from 94 chapters on their DAR Museum activities.

Twelve chapters reported full programs on the museum and 26 partial programs were presented. Contributions of \$199.56 were made by 37 chapters for the museum general fund, \$296 by 75 chapters for cataloging museum items and \$240 by 25 chapters for research and renovation properties.

The State Treasurer reported that \$365 was given to the Friends of the Museum Committee.

Establishment of the Georgia State Room was supported by 47 chapters which made available \$5,540 for this project.

It has been a pleasure to serve this year as Chairman of the DAR Museum Committee.

## **DAR SCHOOLS**

**Mrs. Leonard G. DeLamar**

97 out of 101 chapters contributed \$15,356.58 to the schools with reports received from 96. Tamasee — State Regents project, the lobby of the Smith Mettetal Building, \$4,666.00; Scholarships \$1,941.00; other gifts \$733.00. Kate Duncan Smith — State Regents project, renovation of a room in Old Main, \$3,316.08; Scholarships \$1,465.00; other gifts \$90.00. Berry — State Regents project \$1,053.50; Scholarships \$693.50. Total gifts to Crossnore \$617.00; Hillside \$345.00; Hindman Settlement \$436.50. 59 chapters reported full school programs with 6 being given by the state chairman. Several chapters had 10 minute school reports each month. Representatives of 20 chapters visited the schools personally delivering boxes while 10 others received free freight. 585 boxes weighing 12,954 pounds were sent at a cost of \$529.99. Newspapers published 43 articles and 7 pictures on the DAR Schools. Information and instruction booklets have been prepared for each new chapter to help them with their work for our schools. 55 chapters received Hightower award.

## **DAR SERVICE FOR VETERAN-PATIENTS**

**Mrs. Judson Leon Green**

Chapters reporting: 46. Certified representatives for 3 VA Hospitals. Service hours by members: 1552. Canteen book donations: \$328.00. Activities for veteran patients in all hospitals, also private homes included 893 personal visits; 39 parties with 57 members participating. Value \$654.50; 2579 gifts to patients and hospitals, value \$1797. Miscellaneous gifts include countless books and magazines, also paper backs and puzzles, and "Stamps for Individual Veteran Patients", 94-1/2 ounces. Sewing projects provided much needed afghans, wheel-chair bags, booties, and many other hand-made items. Public relations included 12 talks made by members, 13 newstories, 13 pictures. Special activities at VA Hospitals include a weekly coffee for patients coordinated by 10 chapters, a Mother's Day Buffet, monthly birthday parties, patriotic days commemorated for veteran-patients, and a Bicentennial observance. In their own communities, chapter members have located veteran-patients and have shown their concern in many varied ways: carried patients for treatment, sent meals to homes of paralyzed patients, wrote letters for patients, typed term papers, sent Christmas cards. Two DAR members each gave over 100 hrs. service to VA Hospitals. Thank you, DAR Members, for your excellent cooperation and prompt reports.

## **GENEALOGICAL RECORDS COMMITTEE**

**Mrs. James Joseph Muldrow**

22 chapters contributed 2,150 pages of original source material, 3,844 pages of duplicate records and 4,026 pages were presented to other libraries. Seven books were presented to various libraries including the Georgia Archives and Public libraries in Savannah, Atlanta and Augusta. Two reels of microfilm and 84 pages of projection prints and photographic copies were presented to the Georgia Archives for a total

page count of 11,746. 347 grandparent forms and 318 index cards were submitted to NSDAR. 73 chapters contributed \$260.50 to the National Genealogical Records Binding Fund.

My sincere thanks to the chapters who made this fine report possible and to you, Madam State Regent, for the opportunity to serve as chairman of this challenging committee.

## GENEALOGICAL RECORDS FROM GEORGIA

1976 - 1977

1. ARCHIBALD BULLOCH: 1854 pages (618 pages sent State Chairman, 3 copies of 206 pages each.) Indexed. Three sets Grandparent forms. Old Section, Eastside Cemetery, Statesboro, Bulloch County, Georgia. Copies to: Statesboro Regional Library and branches at Emanuel County, Evans County, Candler County, and two Bryan County branches
2. AUGUSTA: 115 pages (69 pages sent to State Chairman, 3 copies of 23 pages each.) Indexed.  
Marriage Book "B", Richmond County, Georgia 1839-1855, 185-11855  
Copies to: Augusta-Richmond County Library and Augusta College Library
3. BAINBRIDGE: 114 pages (57 pages sent State Chairman, 3 copies of 19 pages each.) Indexed.  
Bible Records of Cook, Donaldson, Fain and Allied Families  
Copies to: Southwest Georgia Regional Library; Rodenberry Memorial Library, Cairo; Mormon Library, Salt Lake City, Utah
4. BARON DEKALB: 235 pages (147 pages sent State Chairman, 3 copies of 49 pages each.) Indexed. Nine sets Grandparent forms.  
Holland Land Records, Montgomery County, Maryland 1771-1878  
"Oswald Houston, first Treasurer of Atlanta" by Anna Louise Shaw  
Houston to Atlanta Historical Society  
Turkey Creek Baptist Church of Abbeville County, South Carolina to Georgia Archives (2 reels microfilm)  
Photostatic copies and Projection Prints of Early Maryland Wills to Georgia Archives (84 pages)
5. CHEROKEE: 420 pages (3 copies of 140 pages each.) Indexed. 1 book, no page count. 96 sets Grandparent forms.  
Bible Records of the Faust Family  
Bible Records of the Horah Family  
Bible Records of the Reid Family  
Bible Records of the Strother Family  
Tombstone Inscriptions, New Hope Baptist Church, Bartow County, Georgia 1834 - October, 1976  
**The first Hundred Years - A Short History of Cobb County, Georgia**  
by Sarah Blackwell Gaber Temple to Atlanta Historical Society
6. COUNCIL OF SAFETY: 48 pages (36 pages sent State Chairman, 3 copies of 12 pages each.)  
Bible Records of Welborn Bailey and America Virginia Hanie  
Bible Records of Thomas Jefferson Baisden of LaCross, Schley Co., Georgia  
Bible Records of Joel Thomas Hall and Clarrissa A. Kemp  
Bible Records of Daniel and Priscilla Mashburn

- Bible Records of J. P. Mashburn and Ella Haynie  
 Bible Records of the Powell Family  
 Bible Records of the Wood Family  
 Copy to: Barnsdale Library, Albany
7. DOROTHY WALTON: 33 pages (3 copies of 11 pages each.) Indexed.  
 Will of William Powell  
 Will of Daniel Fraiser  
 Deed of Concord Church Land  
 History of Concord Church
  8. ELIJAH CLARKE: 15 pages (3 copies of 5 pages each.)  
 Booth Family of Taylor County, Georgia
  9. FORT FREDERICA: 660 pages (2 books.) Indexed.  
**The Middleton Family (Including Myddleton and Myddelton)** by  
 Beth Bland Engel to NSDAR Library  
 Copy to: St. Simons Public Library
  10. GOVERNOR GEORGE W. TOWNS: 24 pages (3 copies of 8 pages  
 each.) Indexed.  
 Two sets Grandparent forms.  
 Bible Record of Philip J. Dell  
 Bible Record of Giles T. Harrs  
 Bible Record of Alice McClung Adams
  11. GOVERNOR TREUTLEN: 2519 pages (1791 pages sent State Chair-  
 man, 3 copies of 597 pages each.) Indexed.  
 Tombstone Inscriptions, Peach and Crawford Counties, Georgia  
 Legal Notices, Macon Telegraph, February 1, 1860 to December 31,  
 1862  
 Copies to: Thomas Public Library, Fort Valley; and 2 copies to Clerk  
 of Court, Peach County
  12. JOHN BENSON: 237 pages (2 books)  
**History of Hall-Ayers-Holland Family** by Marvin Hall to NSDAR  
 Library  
**History of the Allen Shadrack Turner Family** by Lucius McDowell  
 Turner to NSDAR Library
  13. JOHN CLARKE: 24 pages (3 copies of 8 pages each.)  
 Family Bible of Murphy Family  
 Family Bible of the Moore Family
  14. JOHN FRANKLIN WREN: 16 pages  
 MaGahee Family to Family History File at Georgia Archives
  15. JOHN HOUSTON: 21 pages (3 copies of 7 pages each.)  
 Bible Records of the Hamilton Family compiled by Mary Chatfield  
 Bible Records of the Moffett Family  
 Bible Records of the Sanders Family
  16. JOSEPH HABERSHAM: 978 pages (21 pages sent State Chairman,  
 3 copies of 7 pages each.) Indexed.  
 Bible Records of the Landrum Family  
 Bible Records of the McGaughey Family  
 Obituary and Will of James Bruch  
 Tarleton Family Record to Atlanta Public Library  
**Farris, Wells, Keltner, Wynne, Russell, Roberts Genealogy** by  
 Harriet Farris Boozier; 1 copy each to Habersham Library and  
 NSDAR Library  
**Elijah Ragsdale and the Ragsdale Family in England and America**  
 by Mrs. Blake Ragsdale VanLeer to Georgia Archives
  17. MARY HAMMOND WASHINGTON: 111 pages (3 copies of 37

- pages each.)  
 Will of Micajh Williamson  
 Deed of Trust - Elias Mitchell  
 Will of Claybrook Williamson  
 Will of William Williamson  
 Articles of Agreement (Heirs of William Williamson)  
 Will of Isaac White  
 Will of John Kirk  
 Caveat and Appeal to will of John Kirk  
 Will of Abraham Womack  
 Statement of Lucy Moody Womack  
 Will of Samuel Smith  
 Bible Records of Mitchell, Smith, Bowman and Rice Families  
 Bible Records of Brandon and Becknell Families  
 Bible Records of Little and Smith Families  
 Will of Elisha Asbill  
 Bible Records of Dendy and McClellan Families  
 Bible Records of Strawhorn and McKellar Families  
 18. PETER EARLY: 24 pages (3 copies of 8 pages each.)  
 Patrick, Singleton, Thompson Families  
 19. SAVANNAH: 3893 pages (1842 pages to State Chairman, 3 copies of 614 pages each.) Indexed.  
 Family and Church Cemeteries of Bulloch and Effingham Counties, Georgia  
 Family and Church Cemeteries of Chatham and Screven Counties, Georgia  
 Berry Edwards Family Bible  
 Notebook of Reverend Joseph C. Edwards  
 Edwards Family Records  
 Family Bible of Robert M. Marlow  
 Metzger and Allied Families Notebook  
 Family Bible of Oliver Morton Sr.  
 Family Bible of Brooks A. Myrick  
 All of above material compiled by Lawrence M. Edwards  
 Copies to: Georgia Historical Society; Savannah Public Library; Statesboro Regional Library; Huxford Genealogical Society, Homerville  
 20. THRONATEESKA: 24 pages (3 copies of 8 pages each.)  
 Old Palmyra Baptist Church Cemetery  
 Luton Family Cemetery  
 Will Abstract of Jonathan Luton  
 Will Abstract of Samuel Beatty Glass  
 Will Abstract of James Glass  
 21. TOMOCHICHI: 330 pages (3 copies of 110 pages each.)  
 Piedmont College and Demorest, Georgia  
 22. WILLIAM MC INTOSH: 51 pages (3 copies of 17 pages each.)  
 Butts County Tax List for 1828

## JUNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS

Miss Lucile David

In 1976-77 there were 407 active JAC clubs in Georgia with a membership of 20,821.

There were 1014 contest entries. Chapter contributions to National JAC Prize Fund \$277.50.

A display of bicentennial posters was presented to Veterans' Hospital.

One club in J A C is writing its honor code and setting up a tutoring program for students who have academic problems.

Many J A C members are also members of student council, and help with various citizenship activities and conduct, "thought for the Day" over the intercom.

Constitution Week was observed as well as other patriotic days.

Many J A C clubs took advantage of the presidential inauguration to have programs telling about our democratic government.

One group of J A Cs had a six weeks study of the memorials in Washington, D. C., culminating in an attractive exhibit of models and pictures of each memorial building.

Splendid bicentennial programs and Christmas programs were presented in all clubs.

### **JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP**

**Mrs. Ned L. Shuman**

As tallied from the 71 reporting chapters, Georgia has 100 new Junior members this year. Of the 597 total Junior members reported, there is 1 Junior serving as a state officer, 7 as state chairmen, 5 as chapter regents, and 81 as chapter officers. Contributions to the Helen Pouch Memorial Fund total \$1,268.64.

Georgia State Society NSDAR has reason to be proud of her Juniors and the active role they are playing in our society.

### **LINEAGE RESEARCH**

**Mrs. Alvaretta K. Register**

We are proud to present the following report.

119 Georgia counties covered by Lineage Research volunteers

111 Volunteers, many covering several counties.

35 requests for service received from other chapters in Georgia

38 requests for service received from other states.

36 requests sent to other chapters in Georgia

26 requests sent to other states

236 potential DAR members assisted by these volunteers

109 new DAR members acquired through the services of these volunteers

25 programs, workshops, or seminars held on lineage research

32 such workshops attended by these volunteers.

This is a splendid record. An increasing use of the Blue Book has been made as people become more aware of it. Many favorable comments

have been received of this new method of assisting other chapters and states with lineage research in obtaining new members. Many thanks for the help of everyone. Our desire to give service has been so great, neither the State Regent nor this chairman, has been able to say "no", even when men have written. We hope they will not make a habit of this though.

### **MEMBERSHIP**

**Mrs. James J. Leitch**

On February 1, 1977, membership of the 101 chapters of the Georgia State Society was 7,613. There were 424 new admissions of which 128 were Juniors, with 11 transferring from C. A. R.; 57 reinstatements and a net gain of 5 transfers. For the year we have a net gain of 178 which exceeds any gain shown in over 20 years. 58 chapters showed an increase with 10 chapters remaining the same. One chapter disbanded and three new chapters organized — Lady Huntingdon, Robert Loughridge and College Hills.

Congratulations to the Georgia Chapters for this remarkable increase and appreciation to the State Regent, Mrs. Louis J. Bahin, for her enthusiastic and capable leadership.

### **MEMBERSHIP COMMISSION**

**Mrs. E. Lee Stephenson**

This chairman attended Fall Board meeting, State Conference, and Continental Congress. One chapter Workshop in Genealogical Record-Keeping was given, with forms for use in keeping family records available to all interested. Presentation of these filled-in forms, along with xerox-copied Family Bible Records to the State Archives was urged. The File on Family Records is increasingly useful.

Members dropped were contacted by mail, and at least four were reinstated. Prospective members were assisted in being invited to join a chapter, one as far away as Connecticut.

Lady Huntingdon Chapter, confirmed April 17, 1976, is active and growing, with three new members' papers prepared by this chairman.

It has been a pleasure to work with our State Regent and the members of this commission in assisting C. A. R., DAR and S. A. R. prospective or transferring members.

### **MOTION PICTURE AND TELEVISION**

**Miss Leila Summerall**

Questionnaires were mailed or given to the DAR Chapters. Reports were received from 42 Chapters. It was noted that a great number of contacts were made with theater and television managers as well as with public officials. The reports show that many DAR members are appearing on Radio and Television. Thanks to all of the participating Chapters. Thanks to the State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, for giving me the privilege of serving on this Committee during 1976-1977. My apprecia-



tion to the National Chairman, Mrs. Charles Todd Lee, for her helpful suggestions.

## NATIONAL DEFENSE

**Mrs. Jonathan W. Fox**

The work of this committee in Georgia has been most active and interesting this year. 98 chapters out of 101 reported. 98 had at least 1 entire program devoted to a National Defense topic; 66 reported more than 5 minutes at each meeting. 89 had National Defense material available at meetings; 36 gave material to schools; 32 gave to libraries; 60 individuals were recipients; 1 church and 1 C. A. R. society. 373 Good Citizenship medals given. 33 chapters gave 44 bronze ROTC Medals and 10 Gold medals and 1 saber. 50 chapters donated \$523.50 to Dollars for Defense. Subscriptions to the National Defender increased to 130. 746 members wrote as individuals to members of Congress. 4203 voted in elections this past year. 8 members hold elective office. Stop ERA and the Panama Canal and the quality of our schools were the main items of interest. The members throughout the state showed that they were alert to the issues of the day and were willing to let their views be known. Thank you for all your cooperation with the work of this committee.

## NATIONAL HONOR ROLL

**Mrs. Jerido Ward**

GOLD (43): Adam Brinson\*\*, Altamaha, Andrew Houser, Augusta\*\*, Baron DeKalb, Bonaventure\*, Brier Creek\*\*\*, Brunswick, Button Gwinnett, Captain Thomas Cobb\*\*\*\*\*, Colonel John McIntosh\*, Colonel William Few\*, Earl of Camden\*\*\*, Elijah Clark, Fort Early\*, Fort Frederica\*\*\*\*\*, Fort Peachtree\*\*\*, General Daniel Stewart\*\*\*, George Walton\*\*\*\*, Governor David Emanuel, Hawkinsville\*\*, Henry Walton, John Benson\*\*\*, John Clarke, John Houstoun, John Laurens, Joseph Habersham, Kettle Creek\*\*, Lyman Hall, Major General John Twiggs, Mary Hammond Washington\*, Nancy Hart\*\*\*, Nathaniel Abney, Nathaniel Macon, Oglethorpe, Peter Early\*\*\*\*\*, Pulaski, St. Andrews Parish, Sergeant Newton, Thronateeska\*, Tomochichi\*\*, William McIntosh\*, Xavier.

SILVER: (20) Abraham Baldwin, Archibald Bulloch, Augustin Clayton, Bainbridge, Captain John Wilson, Cherokee, Colonel Daniel Appling, Commodore Richard Dale, General James Jackson, Governor Jared Irwin, John Ball, John Benning, John Franklin Wren, Metter, Stephen Heard, Stone Castle, Vidalia, Whitehall Inn, William Marsh, William Witcher.

HONORABLE MENTION (16): Colonel William Candler, Council of Safety, Dorothy Walton, Edmund Burke, Fielding Lewis, Governor George W. Towns, Governor Treutlen, Hancock, John Floyd, LaGrange, Lamar-Lafayette, Mineral Springs, Oliver Morton, Savannah, Thomasville, Toccoa

\*\*\*\*\* Chapters Gold for 18 years

\*\*\*\*\* Chapters Gold for 15 years

\*\*\*\* Chapters Gold for 12 years



- \*\*\* Chapters Gold for 9 years
- \*\* Chapters Gold for 6 years
- \* Chapters Gold for 3 years

This committee received reports from 90 Chapters. 79% of Georgia's 100 Chapters received Honor Roll Recognition. Congratulations to all of you, especially to Captain Thomas Cobb Chapter and Peter Early Chapter for earning Gold Honor Roll for 18 years. It has been a pleasure serving the Georgia State Society under the leadership of Mrs. Louis J. Bahin, our State Regent.

## **PRESS BOOK**

**Mrs. Robert W. Harrison, Jr.**

Sixty-six Chapters were represented in the Georgia Press Book with a record breaking 27,055<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> column inches which included 648 pictures from 179 newspapers and magazines.

All phases of the DAR work in Georgia were well covered through the press during the Bicentennial year.

The coverage highlighted the State Regents visit to chapters, American History Month, American Heritage, Marking Graves of Revolutionary Soldiers, Good Citizens and Good Citizenship Awards, Constitution Week, DAR Schools, the U. S. A. Flag and many Bicentennial projects.

The response from the chapters reporting has been a rewarding experience and it has been a pleasure to work with our capable State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin.

## **PROGRAM**

**Mrs. Denny A. Snow**

Annual reports were received from 66 chapters. Honor Roll requirements were observed in preparation of all yearbooks, supplements and inserts. Categories most used for programs included American Heritage, National Defense, DAR Schools, American History Month, Bicentennial of the USA and Meadow Garden.

Sixty yearbooks were received by the State Chairman. However, only 19 were received in time for mailing to National Program Chairman. Of the nineteen, 17 received 35 Awards!

The remaining 41 entries from the state were judged according to National criteria. Ribbons, indicating Perfect or Near-perfect books, were given. Gold ribbons were awarded those entries having excellent program content. All entries were on display at State Conference in Augusta.

## **PUBLIC RELATIONS**

**Mrs. Robert H. Brown**

Report blanks for Public Relations Chairmen were included for the first time in the Regents packets at the Summer Workshop. These were

supplemented by a mailing late in the year. A newspaper article was mailed to 10 Northwest District papers preceeding the Fall Board Meeting and 30 newspapers throughout Georgia received a State Conference announcement. The Augusta Chapter furnished excellent publicity for the State Conference. Information and appreciation was voiced at all three state meetings. Fifty-eight chapters reported 33,849 inches of publicity with 9 chapters reporting over 1,000 inches. Brier Creek Chapter reported 3,767 inches, John Laurens 3,355 and William Witcher 2,781. Articles submitted totaled 2,425, pictures 982 and 13 feature stories were received. Three excellent feature stories were forwarded for competition and three creative articles were sent for the bulletin board. Thank you to the Chapter Chairmen and Regents for your initiative, endeavor and fortitude in promoting DAR with your publicity.

## **STUDENT LOAN AND SCHOLARSHIP**

**Mrs. Hubert Farr**

Letters were given out at the District Meeting in Cordele to go to each Chapter outlining the scholarships offered by National. Only one application was received. Some rules for requirement were omitted, then it was too late for all information to get in before the deadline. Joseph Habersham received the award of \$5.00 for contributing the most. Honorable mention to Elijah Clark Chapter. Ninety one Georgia Chapters contributed \$401.50 to History Scholarship; Ninety Chapters gave \$278.00 to Occupational Therapy. This amount is more than any in the previous years.

## **THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**Mrs. Charles Radord, Jr.**

Chapter responses show that much interesting and enthusiastic flag work was done in the Bicentennial year. Congratulations to 61 chapters for excellent reports!

These chapters presented 38 large flags, 217 small flags, 1,689 flag codes, 430 flag posters, and 4 Braille flags. A total of partial and entire flag programs was 81. Publicity included 44 newspaper items, 70 radio broadcasts and 50 television programs. Flag literature was presented to the community by 25 chapters. Chapters worked with schools, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, and other organizations.

Outstanding accomplishments were a Flag Scrapbook, a Church Flag Presentation and Dedication Service on 4 Cable-TV stations on Sunday, and several Flag Day Luncheons.

It is with deep satisfaction that I serve our capable State Regent, and you, Georgia Daughters.

## **TRANSPORTATION**

**Mrs. Mac W. Edwards**

The Transportation Committee's two functions as listed in the DAR Handbook are: Transportation as related to Chapter needs and special

events and Traffic Safety. This information with questionnaire, plus a news-letter with an application for reservations on one of two buses chartered to travel to 86th Continental Congress, April 16-22, 1977 were mailed to Chapter Regents & Transportation Chairmen on Dec. 1, 1976. The response is stated: 39 Chapters returned questionnaires and reported; 33 Chapters made a survey to determine transportation needs of members; 152 members were provided transportation on regular basis and 92 occasionally; 35 Chapters made historic trips, 33 historic sites or areas visited, 19 within the State, including Meadow Garden & Rhodes Hall; 272 members visited historic sites as a group, 40 traveled individually, 41 trips made by car pools, 8 by bus, 2 otherwise; 48 members represented 14 Chapters traveled by DAR chartered buses to the 85th Continental Congress. Traffic Safety: 3 Chapters participated in community safety programs; 13 Chapters reported improvements in roads, streets, bridges & 9 Chapters reported having participated in encouraging improvements; One Chapter had a program on safety; 27 Chapters reported having specially trained school bus drivers; 7 communities, 3 schools, 5 recreational areas have defined bike paths; One Chapter recommended materials on safety to a school or club and the material was used.

# Special National Committee Reports

## AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH

Mrs. Robert G. Fountain

Letter of instruction and Chapter Questionnaire in all Regent's State Packet at District meetings. 56 Chapters reported their American History Month activities. American History Month Committee Essay Contest was sponsored in 143 schools, 26 participating for the first time, with 4036 contestants. Subject of Essay Contest **BATTLES OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**. 132 Chapters had programs on American History and 40 sponsored displays; 77 posters were displayed in banks, libraries, schools and 749 stickers were used. 128 bronze and 18 sterling silver American History medals awarded essay contestants; 20 cash awards, 5 books, 128 American History Certificates of Award, 1590 Certificates of Appreciation, ribbons presented contestants. 61 school assemblies, 28 school paper articles, 56 schools used Spot Announcements, 107 medals awarded to students for excellence in American History.

There were 103 magazine or newspaper articles and 70 pictures published with a total of 1113 inches of American History Month publicity. 709 sets of Spot Announcements were used on radio, 14 sets on TV. 14 members appeared on radio and 13 on TV in behalf of this committee with a total radio time 1156 minutes and 61 TV minutes.

February 1977 was proclaimed American History Month by Gov. Busbee and 40 letters were written to Congressman in behalf of legislation permanently designating February as American History Month. One copy of letter mailed office of Historian General, NSDAR.

State Essay winners: 5th grade, Andy Martin, Lithonia, Sponsor: Cherokee Chapter; 6th grade, Bill Jones, Augusta, Sponsor: Augusta Chapter; 7th grade, Jennifer Howard, Juniper, Sponsor: Gov. George Towns Chapter; 8th grade, Virginia Claire Coleman, Atlanta, Sponsor: Cherokee Chapter

Award: (Book) **The Revolutionary War**, By Bart McDowell (one to each State Winner)

Vice Chairmen are: Miss Edna Holcomb, Cleveland, Mrs. Grady Jones, La Grange, Mrs. A. E. Daniel, Cochran, Mrs. John T. Anderson, Savannah.

## CONSTITUTION WEEK

Mrs. Will D. Newton

68 chapters sent in reports after letters of instructions and report blanks were mailed in August. Additional instructions were given at the District meetings. The Governor, GEORGE BUSBEE, and 62 mayors proclaimed September 17-23 as Constitution Week. The display of the Flag of the United States was urged by 59 chapters. Publicity: 187 articles with 2,610 inches and 80 pictures, Radio: 22 programs, 2448 spots, 1,477 minutes. Television: 741 spots, 9,743 minutes, 11 programs. Displays: banks 53, stores 95, libraries 48, Post Offices 18, schools 200,

billboards 6, miscellaneous 31. Programs: chapters 32, schools 16, Scouts 1, service clubs 17, churches 111, others 5. 27 chapters purchased their materials from the National office. 8,078 pieces of patriotic literature were distributed. A Georgia Constitution Week scrapbook for display at Continental Congress was sent in October to National vice-chairman. The Georgia report was sent to her in November. The work of the Constitution Week chairman has been made a pleasure by the cooperation of our capable State Regent.

### **FRIENDS OF THE MUSEUM**

**Mrs. Claude E. Fitts**

Thank you, Chapters, for sending \$377.00 to Friends of the Museum.

The DAR Museum is one of the best in the nation. To keep it good, money is needed for repairs and additions.

Friends of the Museum needs the support of every Chapter. Keep the money coming!

### **INSIGNIA**

**Mrs. Joseph Hamilton Keels**

Letters with order blanks and price list were delivered to every chapter in the state at the District Meetings in August. Annual report forms were mailed to all chapters the last of December. Sixty one chapters reported a total value of \$8,298.20 for insignia purchased. Thank you, chapters. Mrs. Bahin, I have enjoyed serving as Insignia chairman.

### **SEIMES MICROFILM CENTER**

**Mrs. Sam Black**

Twenty Chapters reported on Seimes Microfilm Center. 93 Chapters sent money to State Treasurer totaling \$1,086.00. Twenty-three Chapters gave to filming and 82 to the Center General Fund. Chapters named "Sponsor" giving \$25.00 or more are, Commodore Richard Dale Chapter, Albany, LaGrange Chapter, LaGrange, Peter Early Chapter, Blakely, and William Marsh Chapter, LaFayette. Chapters named "Patrons" giving \$50.00 or more are, Joseph Habersham Chapter, Atlanta, and John Franklin Wren Chapter, Wrens. Baron DeKalb Chapter, Decatur, \$100.00 "Memorial Tribute" from Mrs. Gilbert R. Frith honoring her late husband, Col. Gilbert R. Frith. Joseph Habersham Chapter, Atlanta, \$100.00 Life Membership for Mrs. George E. Stratman. John Franklin Wren Chapter, Wrens, \$100.00 "Life Membership" for Dollye Wren Ward (Mrs. Jerido) and \$100.00 "Life Membership" for Mrs. Leonard M. Andrus.

The following Microfilm given Seimes Center by John Franklin Wren Chapter, Wrens:

#### **GEORGIA, JEFFERSON COUNTY, Taxation**

<b>Tax Digests</b>	<b>Cost</b>
Part 1, Tax Digests, 1796-1799, 1801-1804	\$10.00
Part 2, Tax Digests, 1805-1811	10.00

Part 3, Tax Digests, 1812-1818	10.00
Part 4, Tax Digests, 1819-1823	10.00
Part 5, Tax Digests, 1824-1828	10.00
Part 6, Tax Digests, 1829-1831, 1833-1834	10.00
Part 7, Tax Digests, 1835-1837, 1839-1840	10.00

#### GEORGIA, JEFFERSON COUNTY, Land & Property

##### Deeds and Mortgages

Part 1, General Index to Deeds & Mortgages, Grantees & Grantors, Vol. 1, 1888-1899	10.00
Part 2, General Index to Deeds & Mortgages, Grantees & Grantors, Vol. 2, 1900-1906	10.00
Part 3, General Index to Deeds & Mortgages, Grantees & Grantors, Vol. 3, 1907-1912	10.00
Part 4, General Index to Deeds Grantees "A-Z" 1865-1912	10.00
Part 5, General Index to Deeds Grantors "A-Z" 1865-1912	10.00
Part 6, Deeds, 1796-1798, Vol. E 1, 1803-1808	10.00
Part 7, Deeds & Mortgages, Vol. A, 1865-1869	10.00
Part 8, Deeds & Mortgages, Vol. B, 1869-1874	10.00
Part 9, Deeds & Mortgages, Vol. C, 1874-1877	10.00
Part 10, Deeds & Mortgages Vol. D, 1877-1880	10.00
Part 11, Deeds & Mortgages Vol. E, 1880-1882	10.00
Part 12, Deeds & Mortgages Vol. F, 1882-1884	10.00
Part 13, Deeds & Mortgages Vol. G, 1884-1885	10.00
Part 14, Deeds & Mortgages Vol. H, 1885-1886	10.00
Part 15, Deeds & Mortgages Vol. K, 1886-1887	10.00
Part 16, Deeds & Mortgages Vol. L, 1887-1888	10.00
Part 17, Deeds, Vol. AA 1888-1891	10.00
Part 18, Deeds, Vol. BB 1891-1894	10.00
Part 19, Deeds, Vol. CC 1894-1896	10.00
Total Reels of Microfilm - 26	\$260.00

#### U. S. A. BICENTENNIAL

**Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill**

**Vice Chairman, Mrs. Charles Usher**

Promotional letter and two questionnaires sent to regents, one for 1976-1977, the other for 1967-1977 which conformed to National. Early deadline stressed. Suggestions made at Board and District meetings. Congratulations on your reports which show varied and interesting projects and programs and an active community participation: 64 Bicentennial programs; 97 projects, 9,008 inches of publicity; 2,755 minutes of TV and Radio time. There have been 15 chapter publications this year: county histories, tombstone records, historic houses, marriage records, family and church records, streets and squares, and articles in the DAR Magazine.

ADAM BRINSON - Two family histories compiled and given to State and National Archives, libraries, family and friends, published five family history booklets (1,000). ALTAMAHA - compiled history of Chapter. ANDREW HOUSER-Exhibit of 18th century costumes, silver and furniture, etc. Featured was a mannequin costumed in replica of the gown worn by Mrs. Harrison, first President General, NSDAR. The chapter was requested to continue the exhibit for two more weeks.

ARCHIBALD BULLOCH-Program on the Revolution in Fiction and Poetry, 178 certificates and 13 medals awarded. AUGUSTA-restored the Victorian parlor in Meadow Garden; AUGUSTIN CLAYTON-sponsored Bicentennial Celebration, officially recognized. Patch contest, Art Department, Installation of Gas Light Memorial to two doctors, Hosted Heritage Train Parade. BAINBRIDGE-25 family histories researched and published in local paper, placed granite marker in park in memory of four Revolutionary patriots, descendants contributed the marker. 13 papers carried the story. BARNARD TRAIL-placed plaque for preservation of cornerstone first Worth County High School (cost \$342), replaced Thigpen Trail marker on new highway. DAR publication "North County History", Vol. II (Sold circa \$7,000 of these books). BARON DEKALB-Tribute to America was a "Liberty" luncheon, all programs were Bicentennial oriented, hosted the opening night of "Cry of Eagles", a drama based on life of DeKalb, an original program "America's Singing Heart" made available to schools and churches. JOHN BENSON-an audio history of Hart County. 37 interviews were taped and slides made which were placed in library. Historical markers of Revolutionary soldiers, presented narrated pageant at the close of historical parade of 24 organizations. BRIER CREEK-Restoration of the Seaborn-Goodall House (\$40,000), published "A Worthy House". BRUNSWICK-published "Streets and Squares of Olde Brunswick" and a map. BUTTON GWINNETT-Project Genealogical Room and sent 35 slides to National Chairman. CAPTAIN THOMAS COBB-made a survey of DAR grave markers. CHEROKEE-placed a 12 x 14 bronze plaque commemorating the Bicentennial in the entrance of the Hall of Fame, State Capitol where the busts of Georgia signers of the Declaration are placed, published in DAR Magazine "Declaration of Independence, a Family Affair", by Mrs. L. C. Buzzett; coverage by two TV stations, 18 minutes, 16 inches of newsprint. COLONEL DANIEL APPLING-located site of first courthouse in County and will place marker (\$750) before March. COLONEL JOHN McINTOSH-the Historical Society sponsored by the chapter restored old jail and railroad station, compiled histories of Rockdale and Conyers, compiled and printed 1,000 copies of all 65 churches. COLONEL WILLIAM CANDLER-initiated first official "Family Day", July 3 and 4 festival. COLONEL WILLIAM FEW-erected flag pole and furnished flags at Dodge County Hospital, two bronzed plaques placed, cooperated in placing a marker in memory of those lost in all wars. ELIJAH CLARKE-Certificates given members were deposited in bank for 100 years. ETOWAH-Revolutionary musical program. GENERAL DANIEL STEWART-contributed \$1,550 to Meadow Garden. GOVERNOR TREUTLEN-compiled History of Peach County, Weekly column in local papers. HANCOCK-A miniature drama centered around Eagle Tavern, an ancient land mark. HAWKINSVILLE-Gave two embossed Bicentennial Era iron benches to the city, a member served as President Pulaski Historical Commission, Inc., which was awarded \$3,000 Bicentennial Grant to apply to museum cases in Opera House, Butler Brown and four other artists contributed original water color paintings for the Bicentennial scrapbook of historic subjects including front piece. (Butler Brown has risen to international fame as President Jimmy Carter's favorite artist in Georgia.) JOHN BENNING-The chairman of Colquitt County Bicentennial celebration. JOHN CLARK-buried capsule on Court House lawn; JOHN LAURENS - restored old cemetery, marked grave of a real daughter. JOSEPH HABERSHAM-cooperated in project to move the Georgia Liberty Bell



to the Capitol Plaza Park and to place it on a cement stand. KETTLE CREEK-participated in Community July 4th celebration, antiques displayed. LYMAN HALL-gave a cabinet for the Library (\$275), famous flags presented to school, a roll call of ancestors of Chapter members from 1907-1972. MAJOR GENERAL JOHN TWIGGS-sponsored historical room in County library, published History of Twiggs County. MINERAL SPRINGS - Flags placed on Revolutionary soldiers graves and graves marked. NANCY HART-Restoration of Captain John Howard's grave, continuation of map of graves of Revolutionary soldiers, compiled histories of Revolutionary ancestors of members. NATHANIEL MACON-Hepplewhite chairs given Meadow Garden, 17 lectures by Sequin (in costume) on Continental Soldiers. OGLETHORPE-Genealogical room in library is a continuing project, program on the History of Church Squares. OLIVER MORTON-a restoration of historic home. PULASKI-In process of erecting a replica of Washington's monument in city park. ROANOKE - A symposium written by member set to patriotic music. ST. ANDREWS PARISH-County-wide essay contest using names of streets named for Revolutionary patriots. SAVANNAH-initiated the distribution of a Bicentennial plate with the scene of Tondee's Tavern depicted. The proceeds of the sale will be used to help furnish the new Georgia Room. An original play on "The Arrest of Governor James Wright" presented by C. A. R. members. A valuable project, the completion of seven volumes of Family and Church cemeteries was presented to the DAR Library and ten other libraries. THRONATEESKA-A monthly bulletin in local paper, co-sponsored float in July 4th parade. TOMOCHICHI-marked soldiers graves in Mt. Pleasant and Dillard, sketches of Revolutionary ancestors of members were carried in local paper, booth "America in Review" in County Fair (won second place), slide presentation of early Talbot County homes. VIDALIA-housed members of Freedom Train, "The South in 1776" by Mrs. Hugh R. Reid, in DAR Magazine, 12 tickets to five students from Youth Home for Georgia Heritage Train. XAVIER-Radio program on Bicentennial salutes, Early cemetery records of histories of Revolutionary Soldiers. WILLIAM McINTOSH-published County History, DAR booth at Fair.



# State Standing Committees

## COORDINATOR OF DISTRICTS

**Jessie J. Mize**

Four workshops were held for Georgia Daughters in August 1976 at the following locations: August 3, Holiday Inn, Cordele, Fort Early Chapter, Hostess; August 4, Holiday Inn, near Carrollton Abraham Baldwin Chapter, Hostess; August 5, Presbyterian Church, Washington, Kettle Creek Chapter, Hostess; August 6, Jesup Elementary School, Altamaha Chapter, Hostess. Local arrangements were coordinated by the respective four District Chairmen.

Three concurrent workshop sessions were held following an introductory assembly presided over by the State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin. The State Officers and State Chairmen presented the program in the workshop sessions which was repeated at the midway point. The topics were Patriotic Objectives, Mrs. Jonathan Fox, presiding; Educational Objectives, Mrs. Leonard G. DeLamar, presiding; Historical Objectives, Mrs. A. C. Earl Shepherd, presiding. Other topics such as National Honor Roll, USA Bicentennial and Resolutions were completed at luncheon.

Attendance was excellent and the participants expressed satisfaction in the format which permitted each person to attend two of three sessions and allowed small group participation for questions and answers.

## SOUTHWEST DISTRICT CHAIRMAN

**Mrs. Lewis B. Smyth**

This new position as liaison between the chapters and the State Society has been most interesting and rewarding, and has strengthened the work of the state and national societies in this district. Our District Meeting in Cordele, August 3, 1976 was quite a success. It was a pleasure to work with Mrs. Myrtle Lindeman, Regent, and the members of our hostess chapter, Ft. Early. Working with Dr. Jessie Mize in coordinating plans for the Workshop was also interesting and enlightening.

Each chapter in SW District was contacted by this director for the District Meeting, for completing the List of Lineage Researchers, and other DAR work. Several chapters have invited me to visit and to give programs; also I helped with delivering 14 boxes of clothing to Tamassee for one chapter. Many requests have been received for information.

It has been my privilege to attend all the District Meetings last summer, the State Conference in Augusta, and Continental Congress.

We look forward to our 1977 District Meeting and Workshop next August in Dawson. You all come!

Thank you, Madam State Regent, for this challenging opportunity to serve the State Society.

## **NORTHEAST DISTRICT CHAIRMAN**

**Miss Gladys Holcomb**

On August 5, 148 representatives from the 23 DAR chapters of the Northeast Georgia District attended the annual meeting held in Washington. For Kettle Creek Chapter to host the meeting in the beautiful historic Presbyterian Church as a Bicentennial observance was most appropriate. Wilkes County, the scene of the Battle of Kettle Creek, was Revolutionary Ground.

The State Regent, Mrs. Louis J. Bahin; Dr. Jessie J. Mize, Coordinator of Workshops; Mrs. John Boyd, Sr., Regent; Mrs. George O. Zane, General Chairman from Kettle Creek Chapter; and Miss Gladys Holcomb, Northeast Georgia District chairman, had planned with State officers and State chairmen for a three-session workshop on the Educational, Patriotic, and Historical objectives of the National Society. Each participant attended two sessions. The officers and chairmen served as leaders and consultants. Packets which consisted of materials and letters from state officers and chairmen on the 1976-77 program were distributed and used in the workshop groups.

Mrs. A. L. Kirk, Regent of the Col. William Candler chapter, Gainesville, extended an invitation for the August 1977 District meeting.

Another highlight with this meeting was the delightful reception given by the Captain John Wilson Chapter of Thomson, with Miss Louise Fluker as Regent, on Wednesday evening preceding the workshop. Guests included the state officers and chairmen, members from Kettle Creek Chapter and workshop representatives who had arrived.

The Northeast District Director is grateful to each DAR member who helped to make this meeting a success.

## **NORTHWEST DISTRICT CHAIRMAN**

**Mrs. John Inman Bell, Jr.**

Serving as chairman of this new committee has been a privilege and a pleasure. The primary function has been to assist the chapters in the Northwest District in any way possible and to act as a liaison between the chapters and the State Regent, thereby, hopefully, reducing certain demands made on the State Regent. I have had the opportunity of working with the Coordinator of Districts, Dr. Jessie Mize, and the Regent of Abraham Baldwin Chapter, Mrs. Jefferson C. Brock, in detailing the plans for the 1976 Northwest District Workshop and also have secured an invitation for the 1977 Workshop. Each chapter in this district has received a letter offering my help whenever needed. Volunteers to cover six additional counties in this district were obtained for the Lineage Research Committee. It was my pleasure to participate in Cherokee Chapter's United States Day Observance at the State Capitol and also to have been the guest of Colonel John McIntosh Chapter in Conyers. Numerous questions have been answered for many of the chapters in this district, particularly in the Atlanta metropolitan area.

## **SOUTHEAST DISTRICT CHAIRMAN**

**Mrs. William J. Summerall**

Altamaha Chapter in Jesup hosted the District Meeting on Friday, August 6, 1976. Twenty-three of the twenty-seven chapters in the District were represented with a total attendance of 121. Communications were sent to all chapters announcing the meeting and packets of materials mailed to those chapters not represented.

The Director visited the Brunswick Chapter in May and installed the new officers and again in December upon the occasion of the State Regent's visit.

She assisted the State Chairman of Lineage Research in securing volunteers in each County in the District for listing in the Blue Book.

The Director attended the District Meeting, the State Board of Management Meeting, State Conference and Continental Congress.

## **AMERICAN MERCHANT MARINE LIBRARY**

**Mrs. William J. Morton**

The American Merchant Marine Library Associated was shipped 85 books and sent \$118 through the State treasurer. Mail books to Merchant Marine Library, Section 24, Mandeville Street Wharf, New Orleans, La., 70134. Make cash donations through State treasurer.

## **COLLECTING AND PUBLISHING HISTORIES OF REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS**

**Mrs. John Singleton**

Preservation of the records of the many services of Revolutionary soldiers and patriots, and proof thereof, insures our eligibility as Daughters. In these preserved documents we have found they had unshaken faith in God, and courage and fortitude to bear hardships above and beyond the call of duty. They fought with devotion and were inspired by a desire for liberty.

This year 23 chapters reported, and of these, 15 chapters submitted a total of 1,680 pages of histories. These histories, which were submitted in triplicate, have been bound in three sets of two volumes each, the originals of which have been placed in the NSDAR Library, Washington, D. C. One set has been placed with the Georgia Department of Archives, Atlanta, Georgia, and the remaining set is in the Public Library, Macon, Georgia.

## **CONFERENCE CREDENTIALS**

**Mrs. Frank R. Radford**

The Chairman and two Vice Chairmen, Miss Louise Phillips and Mrs. Henry Taylor, attended the four district meetings, August 3-6, 1976, the Fall Board of Management Meeting October 27-28, 1976, and the Seventy-ninth State Conference March 8-10, 1977. Final report of regis-

tration without duplication for the State Conference: Chapters represented 75; State Officers and Parliamentarian, 13; National Officers, 2; National Chairmen and Vice Chairmen, 10 (reported elsewhere 10); Honorary State Regents, 11 (reported elsewhere 2); State Chairmen and Vice chairmen, 42 (reported elsewhere 17); Chapter Regents, 74; Delegates, 52; Alternates, 27; Chapter Vice-Regents, 4; Georgia Daughters, 82; Pages, 12; total registration without duplication, 300. Visiting dignitaries, special guests, musicians, other entertainers not counted in registration, 74. Fees collected for registration and sale of programs sent to State Treasurer, \$221.50.

## **COOPERATION OF DAR WITH S. A. R. AND S. R.**

**Mrs. Alvin G. Turley**

It is heartwarming to know that another fine S. A. R. Chapter has been organized and received its charter in Georgia. The newest one, Coweta Falls Chapter, held its Charter Presentation and Installation Banquet on October 23, 1976 in Columbus, with 63 charter members. This must be a record. The President of Coweta Falls Chapter acknowledged the fine assistance given by DAR members of Button Gwinnett, George Walton and Oglethorpe Chapters of Columbus. It was sad to note that Mr. Ben Holland, as President of the Georgia Society, S. A. R. drove himself relentlessly toward organization of the new chapter but did not live to present the charter. He passed away suddenly July 12, 1976. Augusta Chapter DAR has assisted greatly in the preliminary work to organize a S. A. R. Chapter in Augusta, which has selected the name George Walton. This State Chairman has attended the S. A. R. dinner meetings held in Atlanta and has contributed names of prospective S. A. R. members.

## **DAR BOOKPLATES**

**Mrs. Jack Kelt**

During the year 100 bookplates were sold at 5 cents each and a check for \$5 was sent to State Treasurer.

One thousand new bookplates have been ordered from J. P. Stevens Engraving Co. on gummed paper to be sold at 10c each. These cost \$81.25 plus tax.

## **DAR ROOM, RHODES MEMORIAL HALL**

**Mrs. Nathan M. Johnson**

By action of The Meadow Garden Board, photographs of former Presidents General, which have hung in Meadow Garden, were given to the chairman of the Rhodes DAR Room for display or be stored. These will be added to the Project of placing photographs of all the former State Regents in the room.

A very cordial invitation is extended to all DAR members to make reservations for use of the DAR Room at Rhodes Memorial Hall.

## **FINANCE**

**Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey**

The State Finance Committee met in Atlanta on May 26, 1976 as required by Section 11, Article VIII for the purpose of preparing a proposed Budget to be presented to the State Board of Management meeting held in Cartersville October 26, 1976.

The Board accepted the proposed Budget as a working basis for the 1976-1977 year and was approved as presented to the State Conference held in Augusta March 8, 1977.

The committee met at the request of the State Regent and all matters pertaining to the finances of the State were discussed and presented to the State Conference for action.

Your Chairman wishes to express her sincere thanks to the State Regent and to all of the members of the Finance Committee for their cooperation and attendance at the meetings.



**GEORGIA STATE ROOM, DAR MUSEUM,  
MEMORIAL CONTINENTAL HALL**

depicting the

**LONG ROOM OF TONDEE'S TAVERN, SAVANNAH (demolished)**

In the "Long Room" of Peter Tondee's Tavern in Savannah, 1770-1776, the Liberty Boys met to plot and plan actions of grievance in opposition to King George, III of England, and his treatment of the Colonists. It was there on January 23, 1775 that Peter Tondee and others were chosen delegates to the Continental Congress in Philadelphia. There, May 10, 1775, the decision was made to sever ties with England. It was in the Long Room that the Council of Safety was elected. June 21, 1775 the first "Liberty Flag" to fly in Georgia was raised in front of the tavern. On July 4, 1775 the first Provincial Congress of Georgia met there, and on August 10, 1776 Archibald Bulloch read the Declaration of Independence for the first time in Georgia, from the steps of Tondee's Tavern, to the people gathered there.

Perseverance of the State Chairman and her committee, with the enthusiastic cooperation of National Officers, and dedicated support of the Georgia Daughters throughout the years resulted in the formal opening and dedication of the room at 9:45 A. M. on April 18, 1977. State Chairman of the Georgia State Room, since 1964, Mrs. Hugh Peterson, Sr. Committee members: Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough, Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Mrs. T. Norvell Ashburn, Dr. Jessie Mize.

## **GEORGIA STATE ROOM DAR MUSEUM**

**Mrs. Hugh Peterson, Sr.**

The State Chairman Georgia Room DAR Museum, is happy to report that the work has been started on the Georgia Room, DAR Museum, to make the needed alterations so as to set it up to resemble, as near as possible the "Long Room" in Peter Tondée's Tavern, 1776, in Savannah, demolished.

It is hoped that this work will be completed by April and the room can be furnished and opened for Continental Congress. It is planned to feature this room at that time.

Donations are still needed. Also pieces of furniture, as mentioned in the list given to you last fall.

At this time the room will be furnished with furniture that the Museum will loan to Georgia. The built-in corner cupboards that are desired, will not be put in, unless the donations prove more than the contract to finish the floor and walls, call for. It is preferred that two antique corner cupboards of the era of 1760-1776 be donated, to be used. If a member knows of one, please get the information as to age, size, material and cost, and forward to the State Chairman.

The Georgia Members have done marvelously well with many generous donations, and the Chairman appreciates every effort put forth. You are going to be proud of the room, "Peter Tondée's Tavern". It is hoped that the members continue to support this as in the past.

### **MARKING REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS' GRAVES AND MARKING HISTORIC SPOTS**

**Mrs. Claude M. Hamrick, Jr.**

10 Chapters sent reports. 4 Chapters marked graves. Adam Brinson (1) - Twin City - Mark Phillips; Bainbridge (4) - Bainbridge - Joel Darsey, Thomas Fain, Jacob Harrell, and Zouth Spooner; Tomochichi (1) - Toccoa - John Dillard; George Walton (1) - Columbus - Benjamin Finney.

Our State Society DAR would like a complete file on all graves of Revolutionary War Soldiers and Patriots, which have been located and/or marked, not just this past year, but those located and/or marked previously to bring State file up to date.

All located graves have not been marked. Awards for this project to be made at State Conference 1978.

### **MEADOW GARDEN**

**Mrs. R. Hugh Reid**

With the help of a Grant from the Governor's Emergency Fund and the money approved for Meadow Garden from the Savings account of the Georgia State Society, we have been able to combine the contributions from Chapters and individuals to make remarkable progress at Meadow Garden and to its properties. Exterior painting remains a major project we hope to see complete in the coming year. Progress this year shows installed a new heat pump and humidifier at Meadow Garden, and major

restoration for the halls, the reception room downstairs, and the north-east bedroom upstairs. Of great pride to all who have worked toward the recognition for the past nine years, we are pleased to know that as of July 1976, Meadow Garden is now on the National Register of Historic Places. The caretaker's cottage has been completely re-done on the interior, with necessary exterior repairs completed. Details of the work are recorded in the minutes of the Meadow Garden Board. How soon we can complete the restoration and the furnishing of Meadow Garden will be determined by the continued support the Georgia Daughters give to this historic home which we as Georgia Daughters can be so proud to own. For the support, interest, efforts of so many, this State Chairman expresses gratitude, with special appreciation directed to our State Regent.

### MEADOW GARDEN BOARD

Meadow Garden Board met on May 17, 1976 at 10:30 a.m. at Meadow Garden with Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent, presiding. Those present were Mrs. Bahin, Mrs. L. M. Andrus, Mrs. Frank G. Binford, Mrs. Edward L. Pietrowski and Mrs. Luther L. Watson. Mrs. Bahin began the meeting with prayer. Mrs. Jonathan W. Fox was elected secretary to the Board. Mrs. Watson was asked to serve as secretary at this meeting. Mrs. L. M. Andrus was elected Chairman of Meadow Garden Committee.

Mrs. Bahin appointed and authorized the following to act in restoration process at Meadow Garden: Mrs. L. M. Andrus, Mrs. Edward L. Pietrowski and Mrs. Luther L. Watson.

Board voted to repair and replace roof on caretaker's cottage. There was discussion on replacing furnace and putting insulation in ceiling and under floor. Board voted to accept Olin Plunkett Co., Inc. bid of \$798.00 for heater; gas line to Meadow Garden will be an additional \$817.74, bringing cost total to \$1615.74. Restoration Committee to price insulation and make decision later.

Board recommended acknowledgement cards be sent by State Treasurer upon receipt of Patrons' money.

Mrs. Luther L. Watson, Acting Secretary

Approved: October 27, 1976

Mrs. Louis J. Bahin, State Regent

### MEADOW GARDEN BOARD

On August 13, 1976 the Meadow Garden Board met in Augusta with the following members present: Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent and Chairman of the Board; Mrs. R. Hugh Reid; Mrs. Edward L. Pietrowski; Mrs. Frank Binford.

Basic rules for the management of Meadow Garden were discussed and it was the consensus of those present that such rules should be drawn up for consideration and put into effect as soon as practicable, taking into consideration the activity of workmen during the period of restoration. Mrs. Reid was directed to compile said rules for the consideration of the Board, and upon final approval, to distribute to all Chapters. The Board also directed that a copy be given to the caretakers.



The recommendation of the auditor of the State Society's books concerning the accounts for Meadow Garden was discussed. Because of his suggestion that all monies should show on the books of the State Society, both income and disbursements, a motion was made by Mrs. Reid that the Board request the Meadow Garden Custodial Committee Treasurer to notify all creditors that bills should be sent direct either to the State Regent or to the State Treasurer and that the local account funds on hand from the quarterly payments made by the State Treasurer to the Custodial Committee be submitted to the State Treasurer for re-entry into the State Society's records and accounts. Said motion was seconded and carried unanimously. Mrs. Reid was directed to write Mrs. Henry, the Custodial Committee treasurer, of this action.

The Board members present agreed to ask the caretakers to be responsible for all monies received from tour visitors and to hold same until the State Chairman checked the records with the caretakers, at which time one half of said receipts would be given to the caretakers, and the remaining one half would be submitted to the State Treasurer.

Mr. Olin Plunkett met with the Board members to discuss the possibilities of replacing the oil furnace with a General Electric heat pump. Mr. Plunkett agreed to submit an itemized estimate for this, for proper insulation of Meadow Garden to be completed, and to submit an estimate for a gas furnace and insulation of the caretakers cottage. He was asked to include also the cost of a humidifier for Meadow Garden.

Mrs. Pietrowski was asked to contact Earl Babbitt to see if he would submit an itemized estimate for repairs to plumbing and pipes at Meadow Garden and at the caretakers cottage.

A highlight of the day was the interview conducted by Jim Davis of WJBF-TV with Mrs. Bahin and Mrs. Pietrowski which was shown on that evening's news in which Mrs. Bahin announced that Meadow Garden has been placed on the National Register of Historic Places.

Mrs. R. Hugh Reid, Acting Secretary  
Approved: October 27, 1976      Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent

### MEADOW GARDEN BOARD

The Meadow Garden Board convened at 3:00 p.m., October 27, 1976 at the Quality Inn, Cartersville, Ga. Present were Mesdames Louis J. Bahin, Chairman of the Board; R. Hugh Reid, Chairman of Meadow Garden; Jonathan W. Fox; Leonard Wallace; Frank Binford; Luther L. Watson.

Mrs. Bahin, presiding, opened the meeting with the Lord's Prayer. Mrs. Fox read the minutes of the May and August meetings. Approved. Formal announcement was made that Mrs. L. M. Andrus has moved out of the state. Mrs. R. Hugh Reid has been appointed the new Chairman of Meadow Garden.

Mrs. Reid reviewed the new list of rules for Meadow Garden. She then discussed the plans for renovation of Meadow Garden and the caretaker's cottage. As was authorized in the last meeting, after discussion with Mr. Plunkett on furnace and gas lines for Meadow Garden, it was decided to use a heat pump and humidifier for necessary temperature and humidity control for proper maintenance of house and furnishings.

Total cost \$3,771.67. The present heating system in the caretaker's cottage is also unsatisfactory and outmoded . . . total cost \$803.00. Plumbing repairs were the next item on the agenda. The plumbing company doing the work is Earl L. Babbit, Inc. Maintenance Fund will cover the cost of plumbing work.

Needed repairs to Meadow Garden have been discussed with Mr. John Adams and his son-in-law by Mrs. Reid. Mr. Adams will give separate estimates for outside and inside work.

Mrs. Luther Watson reported on the work done in the Augusta Chapter Room which that chapter is doing. It has been painted and repapered. The floor has not yet been refinished. Several pieces of furniture have been chosen to be reupholstered.

Mrs. Watson, Restoration Committee, presented a bill for \$10.00 to cover the expenses of worker who cleaned out from under the porch and the storage room. Left in the storage room are: 1 fairly good lawnmower, several tools, 3 blinds in fair condition, pieces of a spinning wheel placed on a plastic sheet in a dry place. Within Meadow Garden in upstairs storage room are: 33 chairs, 16 standards.

Mrs. Reid then moved to offer the pictures of the Presidents General which are at Meadow Garden to the Committee for the Georgia Room at Rhodes Memorial. Mrs. Watson seconded; motion passed.

Appreciation was expressed for the gifts given by Mrs. Frank Binford. He has made and installed appropriate locks for the doors and paneled shutters for the inside of the windows in the Best Room and Dining Room. A receipt acknowledging the value of the shutters to be \$600.00 was sent Mr. Binford.

Mrs. Binford, Furnishings Committee, announced that there is some money for furnishings and purchases will be announced as made. Copies of the inventory of recent purchases were given to each Board member. Mrs. Bahin again thanked Mr. and Mrs. Binford for their generosity to Meadow Garden.

Mrs. Reid announced that the present caretakers, the Stoughs, are leaving at the end of October. The Medical College of Georgia has been contacted to see if a married student and family would like living accommodations in exchange for acting as caretakers.

Insurance coverage of property was the next item on the agenda. Discussed was the need to change the agent and company. The insurance coverage has been updated to fit today's values and changing status of Meadow Garden and the caretaker's cottage. Contingent upon the installation of smoke detectors, the board was presented the following policy for approval: Southern Finance Insurance Agency, Augusta, Ga. . . . Fireman's Fund . . . annual premium \$441.00. This includes a Fine Arts Coverage which will automatically rise as new purchases are made. Cost minimum. Motion made by Mrs. Binford, seconded by Mrs. Fox, to accept the chairman's report and also to accept decisions made as to contracts, insurance and method of payments. Passed.

New Business: Caretakers Cottage, soon to be empty for a time, needs major renovation to be livable and attractive. Resolution passed by Board to ask for up to \$5000.00 from State Society Savings Accounts to

do job properly, not piece-meal. Will include heating, insulation, scraping and painting outside, kitchen and other necessary repairs. Mrs. Reid moved, seconded by Mrs. Watson, that we present this resolution to Resolutions Committee for action at this State Board of Management meeting; passed.

Plans were then discussed for a Bicentennial Celebration to be held at Meadow Garden on the first day of the 1977 State Conference which will be in Augusta. Hopefully, work at Meadow Garden will be completed by then. Tentative plans are for Open House to begin at 10:30 a.m. with booths, band concert and basket lunch on the grounds.

As there was no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

Approved: March 7, 1977      Mrs. Jonathan W. Fox, Secretary  
Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent

### MEADOW GARDEN BOARD MINUTES

Meadow Garden Board meeting was held March 7, 1977 at 3:00 p.m. in the Apple Room of the Executive House, Augusta, Georgia. Present were Mrs. Louis J. Bahin, State Regent; Mrs. R. Hugh Reid, Chairman of Meadow Garden; Mrs. Luther L. Watson; Mrs. Frank J. Binford, Mrs. Edward L. Pietrowski and Mrs. Jonathan W. Fox. Mrs. Bahin presided. Mrs. Watson opened with prayer. Mrs. Fox, Secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting; approved.

Mrs. Reid gave the Chairman's report which consisted of the following: report on distribution of funds which will be shown in the State Treasurer's report. Insurance policy which had been discussed at last meeting has been finalized with the following changes: Coverage on contents now is \$5,000.00. The Fine Arts rider will cost \$8 per \$1000 of value. The total value of the furnishings is to be found in the State Regent's Meadow Garden file and in the State Treasurer's books.

Mrs. Reid expressed her deep personal disappointment that the work at Meadow Garden has not been completed in time for the opening of this state conference thus not allowing the festivities which had been tentatively planned in the fall. She announced that the paint and wallpaper had been obtained from Pittsburg Paint Co. at a discount. The painting and papering is now in progress. The plumbing work has been completed. Furnace and humidifier installed and insulation work completed. The inside of the caretaker's cottage has been completely refurbished; new self-cleaning range, frost-free refrigerator-freezer purchased from Georgia Power Co. at great savings—\$509.85 total. Outside of caretaker's cottage still to be painted. Mr. Adams is at work on structural repairs to Meadow Garden as outlined in October Board meeting. Wiring changes are completed. Smoke detectors will be installed after wallpaper is hung for they will be battery operated. Work completed has been paid for. Work still in progress has had some payment.

Motion was made and passed to sell old outside shutters for \$5.00 a pair as is.

During work, a leak at water meter on city side was discovered. We had been receiving free water. After notification of leak which is not yet fixed, city began charging us for water. Mrs. Reid wrote to city officials about this but we are still receiving bill.

New caretakers which have been employed since November 1, 1976 will leave April 1, 1977. This necessitates search for caretakers.

Mrs. Pietrowski was asked to check with Annis Exterminating Co. We cannot find a contract with them but receive a quarterly bill. We would like to investigate this coverage.

Meadow Garden will be open March 8 from 10:30 to 1:30 with members of John Franklin Wren acting as hostesses. Will try to have it open certain hours during conference for DAR members. No charge.

Mrs. Bahin thanked Mrs. Reid for all her efforts through trying circumstances and trying weather. Board members gave her a unanimous vote of thanks and encouragement to finish the projects in hand. Mrs. Binford reported several items on display are for sale. Governor George W. Towns Chapter gave a trivet. Mrs. Watson moved the Patron's Fund be used to purchase these items if no one else does. Passed.

Motion made and passed that Augusta Chapter be allowed to use Dorothy Walton tea service. Mrs. Binford authorized to take Glass dish for appraisal.

Mrs. Fox read letter from Meadow Garden C. A. R. Society asking permission for continuance of annual May Day visit and asked admittance fee be waived. Mrs. Reid moved that we grant their request but inform them all other rules must be observed. Mrs. Fox seconded. Mrs. Pietrowski told us of some of the activities of this day. Motion carried.

Mrs. Pietrowski raised question of Augusta Chapter members having to pay to see Meadow Garden. They have undertaken the renovation of Victorian Room. The Board feels that these members should have a free tour of completed home. Mrs. Pietrowski was authorized to set up one or more times for formal tours for Augusta Chapter members at no expense to them.

As there was no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

## **PARLIAMENTARIAN**

**Mrs. Hubert R. Martin**

Your parliamentarian has served in an advisory capacity whenever called upon by our capable State Regent. All inquiries from various chapters have been answered promptly. The District Workshops, Fall Board Meeting, State Conference and Continental Congress were attended.

## **PROCEEDINGS**

**Mrs. Arthur H. Waite**

The Proceedings Committee met at the home of Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Atlanta, on Monday, May 16, 1977, at 10 o'clock. The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. John F. Thigpen. The chairman welcomed the members and expressed regret that several could not be present. Attending were: Mesdames Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent; Mrs. John F. Thigpen; Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr.; Mrs. Jonathan W. Fox; Mrs. Leonard G. DeLamar. Absent were: Mrs. Henry Allan

Ironside and Mrs. Leonard D. Wallace. Mrs. Waite reported on her correspondence with Mr. George Wallis, president of the Brazelton-Wallis Printing Company of Rome, and Mr. C. D. Hollingsworth, Jr., Teleprint, Inc., Sylvania. Both bids were presented and the bid of Brazelton-Wallis Printing Company was accepted. The accepted bid was the same as for the 1976 Proceedings with the exception of the price of \$9.40 per page for 500 copies. The minutes of the Thursday morning, March 10, 1977 meeting of State conference were approved, the material for the printer reviewed and edited, and the compilation of the Proceedings checked. It was decided to carry the material to the printer at a later date. Mrs. Leonard G. DeLamar volunteered to type the mailing labels for which the State Society is responsible. The current mailing list will be as follows: Five copies to the State Regent and the State Recording Secretary; two copies to the immediate Past State Regent and the immediate Past State Recording Secretary; two copies to each Chapter Regent for use in the chapter, and one to each immediate Past Chapter Regent; one copy to each State Officer and to any immediate Past State Officer who is not currently serving; and one copy to each of the following: Honorary State Regents, State Chairmen of State and National Committees, also one to immediate Past State and National Chairmen who are not currently serving; one to the President and Recording Secretary of State Officers' Club; one to the President and Recording Secretary of Chapter Regents' Club; also, one to immediate Past President and Recording Secretary of each club (all without duplication); and one copy to each of the following six schools: Kate Duncan Smith DAR School, Grant, Ala. 35747; Tamassee DAR School, Tamassee, S. C. 29686; Berry Schools, Mount Berry, 30149; Crossnore School, Inc., Crossnore, N. C. 28616; Hillside School, Inc., Marlborough, Mass. 01952; Hindman Settlement School, Hindman, Ky. 41622. One copy to the President, General, Recording Secretary General, and Parliamentarian, NSDAR, 1776 D. Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20006; One copy to State President and Past State President, C. A. R. and to Senior State President and immediate Past Senior State Presidente, C. A. R.; and one copy to Senior Presidents of C. A. R. societies in Georgia. One copy to each of the following national headquarters: National Society S. A. R., 2412 Massachusetts Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20008; two copies to the State President of S. A. R., one for the Executive Secretary, one copy to the State President of S. R., Savannah. Two copies to Miss Carroll Hart, State Archivist, and one copy to Central Research Section, Department of Archives, attention: Miss Ruth Corry, 330 Capitol Avenue, S. E., Atlanta 30334. One copy to State Librarian, 310 Judicial Bldg., 40 Capitol Square, Atlanta 30334, and one copy to Georgia Department of Education, Public Library Unit, 156 Trinity Avenue, S. W., Atlanta, 30334. One copy to Washington Memorial Library, Genealogical Dept., 1180 Washington Avenue, Macon, and one copy to Columbus Library, W. C. Bradley Genealogical Room, Bradley Ave., Columbus, Ga. The remaining copies are to be sent to the State Recording Secretary to be sold for \$2.00 per copy plus 50 cents for postage.

## **PATRONS OF MEADOW GARDEN**

**Mrs. Luther L. Watson**

Appreciation goes to the twenty-six chapters who were responsible for donations totaling \$2509.00. This is the "extra mile" fund from which

period furnishings are purchased. This has been an outstanding year. Nine chapters becoming Patrons by contributing at least \$100.00 were: Augusta, Cherokee, George Walton, Gov. George W. Towns, John Floyd, John Houston, Joseph Habersham, Vidalia, and Nathaniel Macon. Barnard Trail Chapter was responsible for 2 banks becoming Patrons: Bank of Worth County and Sylvester Banking Co. Members listed with their chapters as becoming Patrons by contributing at least \$50.00 were: BARON DEKALB, Mrs. J. L. R. Boyd, J. H. McGarity Memorial by Mrs. A. C. Earl Shepherd, Col. Ralph L. Walker Memorial by Mrs. Ralph L. Walker, Col. Gilbert R. Frith Memorial by Mrs. Gilbert R. Frith, Mrs. Gilbert R. Frith, Mrs. Thad F. Blackstock honored by Chapter, Mrs. G. Eugene Ivey; BUTTON GWINETT, Mrs. Raiferd L. Drew; CAPTAIN THOMAS COBB, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin; GEN. DANIEL STEWART, Anne Bloodworth Mobley; HAWKINSVILLE, Mrs. Wallace L. Harris; JOHN FLOYD, Mrs. Clifford Huxley Smith honored as organizing regent, JOHN FRANKLIN WREN, Mrs. Leonard M. Andrus, Mrs. Nell Walden; JOHN HOUSTON, Mrs. Frank G. Binford, Mrs. Arlie New, Mrs. H. A. Ironside, Mrs. Nall Elliott, Mrs. Jere Greer, Mrs. Charlie E. Downs, Mrs. J. Morgan Kellum, Mrs. Howard Newton, Mrs. Samuel Y. Pruitt; JOSEPH HABERSHAM, Mrs. George E. Stratman; LYMAN HALL, Mrs. John H. King, Jr., Mrs. Cecil L. Spear, Mrs. Allen V. Kennedy; NATHANIEL MACON, Mrs. James T. Sanders; OLIVER MORTON, Mrs. Louise H. Morton; VIDALIA, Mrs. W. A. Chapman Memorial by Mrs. Roy Russell. Amounts less than \$50.00 necessary to become a Patron were contributed by four chapters. Special recognition goes to John Houston Chapter with 10 Patrons, including Mrs. Frank G. Binford who has been a Patron since 1968. The chapter with the greatest increase in number of Patrons is Baron DeKalb with eight. Also special appreciation goes to Barnard Trail Chapter for tapping resources of 2 local banks. It has been a pleasure working with Georgia Daughters and you, Madam State Regent.

### **RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE**

**Mrs. Thomas Knox Kendrick**

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### **SCRAPBOOK**

**Mrs. James L. Ham**

Forty-three chapters reported. Twenty-eight scrapbooks were received. Outstanding work was done by each chapter. A letter of instruction was sent to each chapter. A copy of all correspondence was sent to the State Regent and to the State Recording Secretary. The Scrapbook Chairman attended District and State Conferences.

### **TEXTBOOK STUDY COMMITTEE**

**Mrs. Dorris Wightman**

The reports received from chapters indicate there has been activity concerning subject matter in school textbooks throughout the state. Chapter chairmen have met with school committees to discuss the con-

tent of textbooks and to express the need of keeping American ideals and principles alive in the materials that school children are exposed to. In addition, many chapters have sent DAR magazine subscriptions and made gifts of other DAR materials to schools and libraries. Thus, through a concerted effort, the Georgia Society has made an impact on the patriotic climate of the schools in the state.



# Chapter Reports

## ABRAHAM BALDWIN CHAPTER, CARROLLTON

**Mrs. Jefferson C. Brock, Regent**

### **National Silver Honor Roll**

#### **State Honor Roll**

The Abraham Baldwin Chapter has completed a very good year. Membership shows a net increase of three new members. Two members were lost by death. The Chapter was represented at State, District and Continental Congress. Constitution week and American History month were observed with programs, spot announcements on radio, poster displays and distribution of leaflets. The President General's Message and National Defense Reports were given at each meeting. The annual Antique Show netted the Chapter \$694.35, which has been used for contributions to our DAR-owned schools, and to the Approved schools. Programs based on Historical, Educational and Patriotic Objectives were given at each meeting.

## ADAM BRINSON CHAPTER, TWIN CITY

**Mrs. Garnett C. Odum, Regent**

### **National Gold Honor Roll\*\***

#### **State Honor Roll**

Adam Brinson Chapter enjoyed a rewarding year - an atmosphere of pride sharing America's 200th birthday. Total goal - Cooperation with State and NSDAR Officers - Encouraged to perform for preservation of Home and Country-State and National Honor Rolls met. Programs varied using local and outside speakers. 66 members, 3 new, 2 deaths - Marking ceremonies for Revolutionary Soldier and deceased daughter. Contributed genealogical data to **Colemanac**, history of Johnathan Coleman, ancestor - cooperated in Emanuel County Bicentennial - members in costumes, furnishing memorabilia, photographs, facts, etc. Chapter history, Charter members' roll, photographs of first historian and organizing regent included in **EMANUEL MEMORIES**, 336 p. publication. Other highlights Bicentennial Community Tea, celebration of chapter's 46th birthday and Christmas luncheon honoring State Regent - dedication of Bicentennial Yearbook with picture of log cabin Chapter House on cover, pride of yearbook committee - Cover adopted, a contribution to Chapter Heritage - Pin and ink drawing of log cabin framed and presented to Chapter. Duplicate prints given to everyone attending birthday celebration. Awards to Good Citizens and history essay winners - 86 entries - 8 medals - American History Month and Constitution week observed. Clothing to 3 DAR schools - National Defense



report at all meetings and emphasis on resolutions - Period for showing favorite treasures and keepsakes - Stressing the NSDAR theme, the regent in New Years' Message charged members to consider themselves "Modern Minute Men and Paul Reveres, guarding our heritage and proclaiming liberty throughout the land."

### **ALTAMAHA CHAPTER, JESUP**

**Mrs. Daniel H. Alday, Regent**

#### **National Gold Honor Roll**

The Altamaha Chapter has had a rewarding year, having met all National Honor Roll requirements. We have a current membership of 56. The Chaplain opens all meetings with devotional and prayer, followed by Patriotic Exercises, President General's Message and National Defense Report. Outstanding programs have included Mrs. Luther L. Watson, "Landmarks of Georgia-Meadow Garden and The Georgia Room"; Mrs. R. Hugh Reid, "Patriot of 1776-Benjamin Franklin"; and many other interesting speakers. We had the pleasure to be hostess for Southeast District meeting here August 6. We were delighted to have this opportunity to entertain our State Officers and members of our Southeast District. We continued sponsorship of the Sansavilla Society C. A. R. Constitution Week was observed with newspaper coverage. American History Month was observed by cablevision spot announcements, newspaper articles and radio spot announcements. Several certificates and awards were given to students for outstanding essays during American History Month. Boxes of clothing were sent to Tamasee and Kate Duncan Smith Schools. We had our annual Christmas Tea, at which time we presented our Good Citizen Award to an outstanding senior. We also presented a Good Citizenship Award and ROTC Award.

### **ANDREW HOUSER CHAPTER, MARIETTA**

**Mrs. James J. Filbey, Regent**

#### **National Gold Honor Roll**

#### **State Honor Roll**

Our highlight of the year was our favorite project from **Gone With The Wind**. One of our members dressed a doll as Scarlet O'Hara and a friend dressed another doll to look like Rhett Butler for us to present to Big Shanty Museum in Kennesaw, Ga. on the 27 of June, 1976 in a ceremony by the Mayor of Kennesaw. A copy of the original book is also in the case at Big Shanty Museum with the dolls. We have had some interesting programs this year on American Heritage, DAR Schools, Tamasee and Kate Duncan Smith, by members who have been there this year. An interesting program on Conservation by a representative from the Georgia Power Company on Stretching The Electric Dollar was enjoyed.

Our program on Indians was about the Cherokee Indians by the author of **Cherokee Woman**, Mr. Francis M. Daves. He also played on his guitar some folk tunes that he composed. We had a most interesting program on National Defense in January and celebrated our 27th birthday. We participated in the Bicentennial by having a display in a local Bank of Marietta, old clothes, jewelry, china, furniture, silver, pictures, etc., things of our members. We had a Colonial Table setting at the Veterans Hospital, which consisted of Willowware china and old English silver, brass candlesticks and cross-stitch embroidered cloth and napkins. Members made wheelchair bags for patients at Christmas. We are looking forward to another good year in 1977. I hope I can be a better leader.

## **ARCHIBALD BULLOCH CHAPTER, STATESBORO**

**Frances E. Lamb, Regent**

### **National Silver Honor Roll**

#### **State Honor Roll**

Archibald Bulloch Chapter has 63 members, a gain of 5 members, 1 of which is a junior. We lost one member by death and held memorial services at graveside with a marker being placed. Met all requirements for state and national honor rolls and Hightower Award. 13 American History medals and 3 Good Citizen pins were given. Had 178 participants in essay contest from 6 area schools. Have 100% magazine subscription participation for the fifth year. Submitted \$825 in magazine ads. Excellent programs met objectives of Society. Constitution Week was observed by proclamation of Mayor, radio and newspaper coverage. Program on The Constitution given by C. A. R. members. Program on National Defense was given by Congressman Ronald "Bo" Ginn. Our State Regent was guest speaker at December meeting. Completed project of listing approximately 1800 graves in the old section of Eastside Cemetery, Statesboro, with genealogy section included. A member conducts genealogy workshops on a monthly basis. Had good attendance at all DAR meetings.

## **ATLANTA CHAPTER, ATLANTA**

**Mrs. Blanche Kell Hood, Regent**

The Atlanta Chapter had a star-spangled and bell-ringing 1976, commemorating the Bi-Centennial with speakers on "Georgia's Bi-Centennial Accomplishments," Georgia's Bi-Centennial Project - The Bartram Trail," and Georgia's Liberty Bell," as well as a musical program which portrayed the musical history of the United States 1776-1976. Highlighting our 85th birthday party was the lighting of a birthday candle by each of our former regents. Our new officers were installed in May in time to prepare for the 200th USA celebration. It was held on July 3rd with the Georgia State University Fife and Drum Corps providing colorful

costumes and inspiring music. We were honored to have present our State Regent, Mrs. Louis J. Bahin. We had Constitution Week proclaimed; donated clothing to KDS and Tamasee; presented medals and certificates to four Good Citizens; gave DAR awards to JAC Bi-Centennial essay winners; provided musical program and Christmas party for VA patients; cooperated with S. A. R. and represented at their functions. Chapter was present at all State meetings and Continental Congress. To encourage new members, a Mother-Daughter tea was held during the holidays. We have continued to work on our Chapter house. The sale of Menaboni prints of the American Bald Eagle was our special Bi-Centennial project. Throughout the year members participated in work at the VA Hospital with a special DAR exhibit there. Climaxing this year will be our annual George Washington's birthday celebration with a historian speaking on this era.

## **AUGUSTA CHAPTER, AUGUSTA**

**Mrs. Edward L. Pietrowski, Regent**

### **National Gold Honor Roll\*\***

#### **State Honor Roll**

Augusta Chapter in its 85th year has 136 members, 14 juniors. Programs and contributions met and exceeded DAR requirements for Hightower Award, State and National Gold Honor Roll; e. g. \$136.00 love gift, 2 gold key contributions to Tamasee; 100% participation President General's Project and project honoring State Regent; Meadow Garden Patron; ad in DAR Magazine; Constitution Week observed by program, proclamation by Mayor, excellent coverage by television, radio and newspapers, information to schools, City Council, library; Mother's Day party for 200 at USO; Christmas gifts to veteran-patients at 3 military hospitals, coffee and cookies served Mondays Forest Hills Division Veterans Hospital; presented 4 history essay medals, 12 certificates of award, 167 appreciation for participation certificates, 7 Good Citizens pins, 7 ROTC medals, 1 Medal of Honor; 2 books presented to Augusta-Richmond County Library; 19 pages genealogical data placed in Augusta College Library, Augusta-Richmond County Libraries, Georgia Archives, NSDAR Library; wreaths placed Veterans Day, Memorial Day on Veterans Monument; special Bicentennial Ceremony Signers' Monument July 5th. Attendance District Meeting 10, State Conference 8, Continental Congress 6. Co-hosted C. A. R. State Workshop; instrumental in organizing S. A. R. Chapter to be chartered at an early date; hostess for 79th State Conference. Outstanding programs Constitution Week - Frank Blair, speaker, over 300 present; Indian luncheon complete with theme, decorations, artifacts. Speaker - SFC Harold B. Thomas, full blooded American Indian from Oklahoma, members in colonial costume. Invitation extended to 4 South Carolina Chapters, 5 in Georgia. Chapter presented its first DAR Medal of Honor to John L. Barnes. Restoration continues on Victorian Parlor to be known as "The Augusta Chapter Room" at Meadow Garden and progress is being made on publishing Richmond County Marriage Records, Bicentennial Projects.

## **AUGUSTIN CLAYTON CHAPTER, JONESBORO**

**Mrs. Clarence E. Lamb, Regent**

### **National Silver Honor Roll**

#### **State Honor Roll**

Augustin Clayton Chapter has a membership of 31, 4 being Juniors, 3 applications are pending. We have met requirements for State and National Honor Rolls and Hightower Award. Chapter has been represented at State and District meetings. Program requirements have been met. Constitution Week activities included a Proclamation by the Mayor and special emphasis on flying the American Flag during the week. Approximately 100 pounds of clothing sent to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith Schools. We awarded 6 Good Citizenship medals and 12 ROTC medals. A cash contribution was made to VA Hospital, Jewelart jewelry was sold and \$108.40 sent to Helen Pouch Fund. Two American Flags have been presented-one to a youth group and one to an adult organization. An outstanding activity of the year was our participation in Jonesboro's Bicentennial Celebration. The Regent served as Chairman. Activities included installation and dedication of a Gas Light, adoption of an official Bicentennial Patch and hosting the Heritage Train for a week, climaxed with a parade. Congressman John J. Flynt, Jr. served as Grand Marshall and State, County and City officials participated. The Regent officiated at the program at the City Hall.

## **BAINBRIDGE CHAPTER, BAINBRIDGE**

**Mrs. John J. Cummings, Regent**

### **National Silver Honor Roll**

#### **State Honor Roll**

Bainbridge Chapter has had an exciting year. Our Bicentennial project was to research the families of the early settlers of Decatur County. We completed twenty-five families, which were published in the local paper, beginning in April and continuing into December. Four of the families descended from Revolutionary soldiers who moved into the county quite early. On July 3rd we unveiled a monument in memory of these patriots, in Willis Park in the center of Bainbridge and over 175 friends and descendants attended, some coming from states far away. The granite monument was erected at the cost of \$400 and with the help of descendants was completely paid for before the unveiling. It was a most successful project and revived a great interest in the history of Decatur County. We had two delegates at State Conference, one delegate at Continental Congress and five at the Southwest District Meeting in Cordele. We gave three Good Citizens Awards and ten History Awards. We have lost two members by transfer and one dear friend by death but through the year of research, have four new members, a total of 65. Our meetings have been well attended and we have met all requirements.

## **BARNARD TRAIL CHAPTER, SYLVESTER**

**Marjorie Combs, Regent**

### **State Honor Roll**

Barnard Trail Chapter has 44 members of whom 5 are new. In addition, there are 5 applications pending. The Chapter was represented at Continental Congress, State Conference and the District meeting. Twenty-five per cent of membership subscribes to DAR Magazine. American History month and Constitution Week were observed. A boy and a girl were chosen as Good Citizens from both private and county high school. Four Bicentennial projects were completed, and the Chapter entered a float in the Bicentennial parade. Copies of the **History of Worth County** Vol. II 1934-1974, edited and published by the Chapter, were given to the County school libraries. Programs have followed the suggested theme of the National Society. National Defense reports were made at each meeting. One minute reports on Meadow Garden and the National Society were given at each meeting.

## **BARON DEKALB CHAPTER, DECATUR**

**Mrs. Thad F. Blackstock, Regent**

### **National Gold Honor Roll**

#### **State Honor Roll**

Baron DeKalb Chapter has a membership of 230, an increase of 20. 23 junior members. Member presented 50-year membership certificate; ad in DAR Magazine honoring her. Met all honor roll requirements. Emphasis on projects in local schools, presenting 89 Good Citizenship medals, 1 ROTC medal, 10 silver American History medals, 3 bronze American History medals, 15 Good Citizen pins, and sponsoring 400 JAC Clubs, with 7,198 members. Had outstanding programs, emphasizing Bicentennial and NSDAR Theme. Over 2,000 inches publicity, including 40 pictures. Was co-sponsor of Armed Forces Week luncheon. Participated in NAVS 30th Anniversary program. Assisted in production of "A Cry of Eagles," drama depicting life of Revolutionary war hero, Baron DeKalb, by attending and ushering opening night. Had biennial luncheon honoring State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, 100 attending, including 10 past Chapter Regents. At Spend-the-Day Party, members learned about DAR work, contributed money for all projects and clothes for DAR SCHOOLS AND Indian schools. Special Bicentennial celebration was "Liberty" luncheon, commemorating first public reading of the Declaration of Independence of July 8, 1776 in Philadelphia. The Declaration of Independence was read at the luncheon, 200 years from the date of its first reading; authentic early American music was sung, and each guest toasted a Revolutionary patriot ancestor. Program closed with a prayer offered in 1774 at first meeting of first Continental Congress, Carpenter's Hall, Philadelphia. With support of past regents, officers, chairmen, and all members, Baron DeKalb Chapter continues to grow.

## **BIRDSVILLE CHAPTER, MILLEN**

**Mrs. Ida Grizzard, Regent**

### **State Honor Roll**

Birdsville Chapter has 29 members. Three attended District Workshop; 3 attended State Conference. Meetings are opened with the DAR Ritual, the President General's Message and a National Defense Report of 10 minutes. Three Georgia Southern College Professors spoke on "American Flags", "American Indians", and "The Bicentennial". Mrs. Edwin Johnson of Augusta Chapter and an Ex-Regent spoke on "The DAR Continental Congress Of 1976". Mrs. H. W. Lively of Wrens gave an inspiring talk on "Americanism". "The Songs We Sang" was presented by the members. In celebration of our Nation's Bicentennial we honored 5 Vietnam casualties by placing a plaque in the Jenkins County Hospital. An impressive dedication ceremony was held on May 2, 1976. 25% of the members subscribe to the DAR magazine. Donations were made to all required projects sponsored by NSDAR. Three attended a tea, hosted by the Augusta DAR Chapter, and heard Frank Blair's speech on "The Constitution". Four attended a luncheon, hosted by the Augusta Chapter, and heard An American Indian speak. 2 American History medals given; 2 Good Citizenship medals given; 2 Good Citizen medals given, and also 2 Good Citizen certificates were given.

## **BONAVENTURE CHAPTER, SAVANNAH**

**Mrs. Robert G. Fountain, Regent**

### **National Gold Honor Roll\***

### **State Honor Roll**

Lost member by death and one by resignation. Papers of four pending new members sent to Washington. Met requirements for Hightower Award, State Honor Roll and National Silver Honor Roll. Joint meeting held by Bonaventure, Lachlan McIntosh, Savannah Chapter in observance of Constitution Week. TV-Radio Spot Announcements and posters displayed. DAR School Chairman, Mrs. R. V. Burgess visited Tamasee, carried boxes of clothing. Clothing sent KDS School. 100% \$1.00 per member given for President General's Project (Murals, U. S. Capitol) and contribution to Georgia Room. Chapter invited Henry Lee Society, N.S.C.A.R. to attend December meeting. Regent attended Ga. State Society C. A. R. Workshop in Augusta. DAR Good Citizen pin awarded to High School senior. Two American History Certificates Awarded and students receiving them invited to February meeting. American flag presented to a U. of Ga. Extension Homemakers Club. Our bicentennial project was the Revolutionary Battle Park in Savannah. Participated with Lachlan McIntosh, Savannah Chapter in giving a reception in October commemorating the siege of Savannah and work on the Revolutionary Battle Park. NSDAR objectives carried out. Three fifty-year pins presented members. Quilt squares made for quilts.

Magazine quota met. 50c per member to Meadow Garden. Monthly meetings were conducted according to DAR procedure with ritual, etc.

## **BRIER CREEK CHAPTER, SYLVANIA**

**Mrs. Harold Hollingsworth, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll\*\*\***

**State Honor Roll**

The 54-member Chapter has had a very successful year, meeting all the requirements for the National and State Honor roll. The completion of the Bicentennial project, the restoration of an 1810 Screven County House at the cost of \$40,000, has kept the members busy with many projects trying to raise the money to pay for this work. All but \$7,000.00 has been paid. Furniture has been donated and the house has been opened for various groups several times. A pamphlet has been published to give visitors explaining the history of the house. Some of the fund raising projects have been; 48 Bicentennial dolls were dressed by the members and sold which brought in \$420.00; Bicentennial Jewelry sold netted \$71.00; Annual Attic Sale netted \$500.00; A play written by a local historian was produced by local people on the Goodall House which raised \$1,000.00; A Fair on the Square netted \$1,000.00 toward the debt also. There has been a series of articles in the local papers about the ancestors of our members and also a Bicentennial Focus Column with a total of 1187 inches. A grand total of 3700 inches publicity with numerous articles and pictures. A booth was set up at the Georgia Heritage Train for five days which served as a monetary and public relations gain. A float was entered in the Livestock Parade. We had 98 entries in the History Essay Contest and two hours radio time with eighteen minutes television coverage. Mrs. Alex Boyer, Jr., a State Officer, was chosen "Citizen of the Year", the first woman to be so honored by the Sylvania Rotary Club.

## **BRUNSWICK CHAPTER, BRUNSWICK**

**Mrs. D. Lee Krauss, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

The National theme was used in all programs and in the yearbook. Honor roll requirements of State and National were met. A "Moment from the Colonial History of Georgia" was read at each meeting. The Bicentennial Committee presented a worship service "God of Our Fathers" conducted by Dr. Junius Martin at Christ Church Frederica and invited the Fort Frederica and Mineral Springs Chapters. The maps and booklets "Streets and Squares of Old Brunswick" are enjoying a brisk



sale. Medals were presented to winners of American History essays, ROTC, and Good Citizens winners. Brunswick Chapter sponsors the Brunswick Society of C. A. R. and is proud that one of our members, Mrs. B. A. Russell, is serving as Senior State President. Our State Regent was guest speaker at the December meeting. The Chapter hosted a reception for 15 naturalized new citizens following the ceremony in Federal Court. The families and friends of these new citizens attended the reception and a booklet "The History of Our Flag" was presented to each. On February 12, 1977, the First Vice Regent, Mrs. A. H. Reu, gave a tea at her home honoring Miss Martha Cooper. The Fort Frederica, Earl of Camden, St. Andrews Parish and Mineral Springs chapter members were invited.

### **BURKHALTER CHAPTER, WARRENTON**

**Mrs. A. W. Quast, Regent**

Burkhalter Chapter has a membership of 32 with 2 new members and a loss of 1 by resignation. The Chapter programs have been most interesting carrying out the objectives of the National Society. Devotions, the President General's message and a report on National Defense are a part of every program. Constitution Week was observed with a proclamation by the mayor, newspaper article and a program at meeting. Good Citizen pin, Good Citizenship and History Medals are given to students at our private school. Contributions were made to Kate Duncan Smith, Tamasee, Berry and Crossnore Schools. \$20 was given to Meadow Garden and \$5 to the Georgia Room at the NSDAR Museum. \$25 was donated to the Warren County Bicentennial Committee. Two Chapter members assisted in updating the History of Warren County in which there appears a history of Burkhalter Chapter since its organization 56 years ago. 25% of members subscribe to the DAR Magazine. Shut-in members are sent gifts at Christmas. Regent and Vice-regent attended the workshop in Washington in August. Members served coffee and cookies to veteran-patients at the hospital in Augusta. Highlight of the year was a luncheon meeting with a chaplain from Fort Gordon as guest speaker. Meetings are well attended.

### **BUTTON GWINNETT CHAPTER, COLUMBUS**

**Mrs. James L. Ham, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Membership-105. In September, there was a membership tea at the regent's home. 1776 was the theme as well as the costume. Constitution Week and Naturalization Court were observed in September. The local DAR chapters placed a boxwood wreath on the grave of John O'Quin, a revolutionary soldier! Mrs. Louis J. Bahin, State Regent, spoke to us in



November about "Up To The Minute News on DAR Schools". Mrs. Jonathan Fox, State First Vice Regent, gave our January talk, "Relationship of DAR to National Defense". The local chapters presented a gavel to the local C. A. R. society. Button Gwinnett contributed 154 pounds of clothing and \$115 in scholarships to NSDAR schools. \$55 was contributed to Indian schools. Mrs. Fred Jordan, DAR schools chairman, attended the Dedication Day Services at Kate Duncan Smith. We have contributed \$100 to Meadow Garden and \$50 to the Georgia Room. We received an award from the Columbus Bicentennial Committee for our outstanding services. **Highlight:** "Victory or Death" was our outstanding program presented by Mrs. Raiferd L. Drew, Georgia State Organizing Secretary. We had 31 magazine subscriptions. 3 of our chapter officers are junior members, and 6 juniors serve as chapter chairmen.

## **CAPTAIN JOHN WILSON CHAPTER, THOMSON**

**S. Louise Fluker, Regent**

### **National Silver Honor Roll**

Working to emphasize Historic, Educational, and Patriotic objectives in the spirit of the Bicentennial, Chapter has made appeal to youth. Evening before August District meeting, state officers and officers of Kettle Creek Chapter given reception in Thomson. Following day 5 members attended District meeting in Washington. Regent sponsored historical trip for 30 public school children. Visited 18th century graves; log houses? one original, one restored; old church; county's Historic Half-way House; site of two gold mines in county - one operated before 1860. Constitution Week observed placing posters and reading material for students in seven schools; posters in Court House, City Hall. Mayor passed Constitution Week Proclamation; pictures made and published; U. S. Constitution editorial written by Regent published in local newspaper; prominent citizen gave excellent research address on Constitution at chapter meeting. Chapter officers hostesses at City Hall for historical tour of homes. Contributed to DAR magazine for support given state candidate, national office. Committee visited four days and served patients at Veteran's Hospital, Augusta. Boxes sent to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith; Value \$150.00. Good Citizenship medals awarded students two schools. Recognition; 1 medal, 14 certificates, \$20 in cash awards for first second and third place winners, and three programs in schools observing History Month; 29 essays in two schools; radio spot announcements; posters by one class, first place essay published with picture of winner; essay read by winner at Chapter meeting.

## **CAPTAIN THOMAS COBB CHAPTER, COLLEGE PARK**

**Mrs. G. Leslie Burnett, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll\*\*\*\*\***

**State Honor Roll**

Serving as Regent of Captain Thomas Cobb Chapter has been a valuable and rewarding experience for me. Every member asked to serve as an officer or committee chairman accepted most graciously. The chapter has been especially proud to have its Organizing Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, serve as State Regent. Each regular meeting included Devotion, Patriotic Exercises, Message from the President General and five minutes of National Defense. Our chapter membership is now 75 of which 10 are Juniors. Chapter was represented at all State and District Meetings and Continental Congress. All program requirements were met. Our Junior Membership Chairman did an excellent work with the displays of jewelry and stationery and contributed \$50.00 to the Helen Pouch Memorial Fund. Two members made the trip to Tamasee and the Chapter Schools Chairman and her husband, by plane, carried 500 pounds of clothing to the DAR Schools. A generous cash contribution was made also. 37 subscriptions to the DAR Magazine. 1 Meadow Garden Patron. A beautiful Christmas Wreath of all natural materials was sent to be used at Meadow Garden. 9 Good Citizens Pins. 18 Good Citizenship Medals. 1 ROTC Medal. 3 DAR Manuals for Citizenship distributed. This summer the chapter marked a devoted member's grave with the suitable DAR Insignia. Our U. S. A. Bicentennia Program had a local flavor and stressed our 1976-77 NSDAR Theme: "Remove Not The Ancient Landmarks, Which Thy Fathers Have Set." Prov. 22:28.

## **CHEROKEE CHAPTER, ATLANTA**

**Mrs. A. C. Rogers, Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Cherokee Chapter provided continuing interest in and support of DAR Schools, contributing clothes and gifts to Tamasee and KDS. All schools, including Indian Schools, received Scholarship funds. Program requirements - Historical, Educational and Patriotic met. Outstanding address on National Defense given by Brig. Gen. Harold A. Dye. Georgia & NSDAR accounts supported Meadow Garden, Libraries, NSDAR Museum, State and President General's Projects. The second observance of United States Day in rotunda, State Capitol, proved valuable rebuttal to proponents of United Nations philosophy. Should the National Defense Committee approve speech by Mr. Jimmy Bridges, everyone will benefit from its patriotic American flavor in DAR Magazine. Interest in Genealogical Records renewed. Workshop produced many Grandparent forms. Lineage Workshop by Mrs. E. Lee Stephen-

son and Film-Talk meeting at VA Hospital, when area Regents and mentioned Committee Chairmen invited, brought valuable information and possibilities for volunteer service. DAR Day at VA - 6 Chapters participating - Bicentennial success. Junior members, meeting monthly, getting better acquainted, accomplish more by exploring DAR work and preparing items for State Conference and Continental Congress. 8 new Juniors. Juniors also provided help at Vinings Fair - manning Food Booth - helping "stage" dealer's spaces. Good Citizens, Good Citizenship medals, American History Certificates of Appreciation presented to deserving students. Essay participation excellent. March 9th presentation of Bicentennial Plaque to State Capitol brought distinguished visitors to hear address by Sec. of State Ben Fortson. Cherokee, membership 211, including 34 Juniors, will continue support of and achievement in NSDAR work. Cooperation - the key - enthusiasm - the impetus!

### **COLLEGE HILL CHAPTER, AUGUSTA**

**Mrs. Herman Pfadenhauer, Regent**

This chapter was organized in October, 1976, and has 37 members, 31 of whom are new DAR, 6 transfers and 10 Juniors. We contributed \$5 to Meadow Garden fund; \$5 to Georgia Room; and \$15 toward the State Regent's special projects — Schools.

### **COLONEL DANIEL APPLING CHAPTER, BAXLEY**

**Mrs. Freddie S. Strickland, Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

The Colonel Daniel Appling Chapter had a good year with 34 members and 3 pending. The Chapter was represented at State Conference, District Meeting and Continental Congress. All requirements for Hightower Award and State Honor Roll were met. Subscriptions to DAR Magazine 100 percent, with a full page advertisement in August. Excellent programs met requirements for Patriotic, Historical and Educational objectives as outlined by NSDAR Yearbook mailed to State and National Chairman. Constitution Week was observed with a program and proclamation by Mayor. American Heritage Programs presented by Dr. Warren Fields, Ms. Cindy Thomas and Ms. Charlotte Ford of Georgia Southern College. Clothing and money sent to DAR schools. Six thousand ounces of cancelled stamps collected for Veterans. History Awards given and nine National Defense Awards given. Work is continuing on the marking of the first Courthouse site in Appling County. Six C. A. R. applications have been approved and the Organization Meeting of the Rebecca Carter Appling Society has been set for Feb. 6, 1977.

## **COLONEL JOHN MCINTOSH CHAPTER, CONYERS**

**Mrs. William M. Johnston, Regent**

### **National Gold Honor Roll\***

#### **State Honor Roll**

The Col. John McIntosh Chapter has a membership of 36, including 10 Juniors, who actively participate; holding two offices and four committee chairmanships. Eight meetings were held in the homes of members. One workshop was held to fill out all committee reports. All meetings opened with the Ritual. The President General's Message and National Defense Report were given at each meeting. The programs have been interesting and varied: satisfying the historical, patriotic and educational objectives of the NSDAR. One hundred ten pounds of clothing were packed and personally delivered to Kate Duncan Smith School and Tamassee School. 25% of the chapter have subscribed to the magazine. Constitution Week and American History Month were observed with publicity, programs, and the flying of flags. One DAR Manual for Citizenship was presented to a prospective American citizen. One DAR Good Citizen pin, one ROTC medal, and 3 American History medals were awarded by this chapter. Our chapter has completed all Bicentennial projects attempted; beginning in 1972 with founding an Historical Society of Rockdale County, a quilt exhibit at the Library which included active quilting, paving with old sidewalk octagons around the Hightower Trail Marker, and researching the history of 63 Rockdale Churches. This was printed for us by a local bank and given to the public. We are now waiting for the second edition to be printed. We presented a ceremonial American flag and an antique staff to the Historical Society to be used in their new headquarters, the renovated old county jail.

## **COL. WILLIAM CANDLER CHAPTER, GAINESVILLE**

**Mrs. L. A. Kirk, Regent**

### **National Honorable Mention**

The highlight of Col. William Candler Chapter of 1976 was our celebration of our glorious fourth of July. Every church and many civic organizations in Hall and Lumpkin Counties were invited to ring bells or recognize the fourth simultaneously at 12:02 noon. The results were gratifying. Our Constitution Week emphasis included five shopping centers, radios, newspapers, and flash board. Programs were planned to promote objectives of NSDAR action; every meeting included devotional, flag pledge, American Creed, Presidents Generals Message and National defense, cash gifts were given to DAR sponsored schools and projects. Medals were given to winning school children from several different schools, a Gold Medal to an outstanding Cadet at N. G. C. We participated in their Honors day and parades, we helped sponsor a float in our town's X-mas parade, a grand daughter of a past Regent riding on it, attendance of our 79 membership was good, pleasant fellowship and

we were represented at State Meeting, Summer Workshop also plan to be at the Continental Congress, our contact with the Vet. hospital has been constant. We are happy with pride that Ga. is sending a man to be President of our Country. We pledge to him, his family and other Georgians serving our Country our support and prayers.

### **COLONEL WILLIAM FEW CHAPTER, EASTMAN**

**Mrs. Fred A. Miller, Jr., Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll\***

**State Honor Roll**

Colonel William Few Chapter, now in its 64th year, has a membership of 76 including 2 new members, with 6 pending. We have met all requirements for National Gold Honor Roll and State Honor Roll. Our main project this year has been our local DAR Library. A custom-made bookcase, 31 research books and 54 rolls of microfilm have been housed in the local library. These are valued at \$1700. Each week in our local newspaper we feature a "History of Our Revolutionary Ancestor". Chapter honored Mrs. D. M. Bussey with a 50 year pin and Regent with a life membership-Friends of the Museum. Shut-in members were remembered on their birthdays. Mrs. Louis J. Bahin, State Regent, was honored guest and speaker at our November luncheon. Members from Fort Frederica, Oconee, Hawkinsville, General Daniel Stewart and Atlanta Chapters were also guests. 45 large classroom flags and metal holders and 172 flag booklets were presented to city and county schools. A bronze plaque was unveiled commemorating our chapter erecting the flag pole at the court house. Books, magazines and handmade Christmas tray favors were carried to the VA Hospital in Dublin. 125 American History essays were written and medals were presented to the winners. Other awards were 2 Good Citizen pins and certificates and 1 History medal. Members attended Fort Frederica's Flag Day Luncheon, General Daniel Stewart's Christmas Luncheon, District Meeting, Fall Board, State Conference and Continental Congress. Our chapter had a rewarding year telling and doing the work of DAR.

### **COMMODORE RICHARD DALE CHAPTER, ALBANY**

**Mrs. Edward D. Dunn, Jr., Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Commodore Richard Dale Chapter with 57 members has emphasized the historical, educational and patriotic objectives of the DAR. Our Chapter was represented at the District Meeting, the Fall Board of Management, State Conference and Continental Congress. Independence Day was celebrated with a Betsy Ross DAR parade float

co-sponsored with Thronateeska and Peter Early Chapters. Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, Georgia State Regent, was honored by a Constitution Day luncheon co-sponsored by Thronateeska Chapter with 12 chapters attending. Included in our work: 4 American History medals were awarded, 124 lbs. of clothes sent to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee Schools, 125 lbs. of clothes sent to St. Mary's School for Indian Girls, 2 Good Citizen and 30 Good Citizenship pins were awarded as well as 2 ROTC medals. 2 members wrote a weekly genealogical column for a local newspaper. National Defense programs and work have been emphasized throughout the year, with members concentrating on working to defeat the "Equal Rights" Amendment.

### **COUNCIL OF SAFETY CHAPTER, AMERICUS**

**Mrs. George Ellis, Regent**

**National Honorable Mention**

Our Bicentennial year has been most rewarding. Interesting and unusual programs have increased meeting attendance. Our beautiful house in the Historic District is in good condition thanks to our active chapter and memorial gifts. We began the year by sponsoring booth at Sumter County Fair stressing DAR Schools using 3 dimensional drawings and winning prize. During Schley County Bicentennial Festival we placed Bronze Marker on grave of Elizabeth Burton, daughter of William Denmark, Revolutionary soldier; also had Flea-market. Honored 50 year members at Annual Tea. Interesting program on Meadow Garden. All members donated 50c. Constitution Week Proclamation by Mayor, good press coverage, fine program. Enjoyable Field trip to Andersonville National Historic Site ending with picnic. November meeting carried out Bicentennial theme "Proclaim Liberty throughout the Land" with members dressed in Colonial costume. In December we celebrated Christmas with a luncheon and an "Old Fashion Christmas" program. The luncheon in Albany honoring State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, attended by 18 members. State Conference represented by Regent, Vice-Regent and 2 members. Delegate 85th Continental Congress Washington. Members attended Southwest District Meeting. 4 Good Citizens pins, 3 History Medals, 2 Good Citizenship Medals given. Community observed Flag Day; American Flag given Boy Scouts; Large American Flag given Neighborhood Restoration Association. "Washington Landmarks" presented Newspaper Editor. Program requirements met. Collection of portraits of Past Regents since organization of Chapter in 1909 completed as 2 year Bicentennial Project. They look beautiful in the entrance hall of our house. Honored to have Mrs. Leonard DeLamar, State 2nd Vice-Regent as speaker in January. It has been a happy year.

## **DOROTHY WALTON CHAPTER, DAWSON**

**Mrs. James Ernest King, Regent**

**National Honorable Mention**

The Dorothy Walton Chapter has 58 Members. All meetings were opened according to NSDAR Procedure and were well attended. Constitution week and American History Month were observed and a proclamation was made by the Mayor. Through the local newspaper, and radio, the public has been informed about meetings, special guests and the celebration of events of special importance. Boxes of clothing were sent to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee Schools. Our chapter was represented at Fall Board of Management, State Conference and the District meeting. Awarded 7 DAR Good Citizenship medals. Three American History Medals were given for best essays. Programs were given under the leadership of Mrs. Edgar Duskin, carrying out Historical, Educational and Patriotic objectives of NSDAR. Yearbook dedicated to the memory of daughters who died last year. Followed National outline and suggested themes.

## **EARL OF CAMDEN, CAMDEN COUNTY**

**Mrs. Lucius Proctor, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll\*\*\***

**State Honor Roll**

Earl of Camden Chapter has a membership of 54, ten of whom are Juniors. Eight meetings were held during the year with programs covering historical, educational and patriotic topics. All committee chairman were active in promoting the goals of NSDAR. Mrs. Hugh Peterson, chairman of the Georgia State Room DAR Museum, was the guest speaker at the September dinner meeting. American History Month was observed in February by inviting all award winners and their families to an open meeting, at which time 8 Good Citizenship Medals, 6 American History Medals and 1 DAR Good Citizens Pin were presented. Thirty-eight members went on the DAR Historical tour to Savannah. Members of the chapter have worked with the Bicentennial Commission and service clubs in finishing the Bicentennial celebration. In this project was included an up to date history of Camden County called "**Camden's Challenge**". A copy has been presented by our Chapter to the Georgia Society NSDAR library. The chapter was represented at the District Workshop, the Fall Board of Management, the State Conference and the Continental Congress.



## **EDMUND BURKE CHAPTER**

**Mrs. Charles L. Wallace, Regent**

**National Honorable Mention**

**State Honor Roll**

The Edmund Burke Chapter has 40 members. We lost one member by death this past year and gained a member who previously had been a member at-large. Constitution Week and American History Month, both observed with program, proclamation, spot announcements and displays. All other National requirements were met. Received the silver award at National Congress. Our chapter was represented at National Congress, State Conference and District Work Shop. A ten minute report on National Defense was given at each meeting by our most efficient chairman. Other programs followed National procedure. Grandparent records were presented to the local library. Biographies and Georgia Registry were also presented. 25% of membership subscribing to DAR magazine. Sponsored each week in local paper "Bicentennial Briefs" honoring Edmund Burke membership. Clothing sent DAR schools and Veteran's hospital. Cash donations to all agencies named on National report. Approximately 40 hours given to Forest Hills Veterans Hospital in Augusta. Mrs. Hugh Peterson was guest speaker at our May meeting speaking on the "Georgia Room". A roadside marker, marking the site of Lyman Hall's plantation, "Montville", at Shell Bluff in Burke County has recently been approved by the Historian General. This project began as a Bicentennial project and will be dedicated in late spring.

## **ELIJAH CLARKE CHAPTER, ATHENS**

**Catherine L. Newton (Miss), Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

The focus of our work this year has been the Bicentennial of our nation. Early in the year we had the privilege of recommending Mrs. May Erwin Talmadge as a historic mother to the Georgia Mothers' Association. She had been our chapter's regent, 1916-1919 and President General of the NSDAR, 1944-1947. On April 29th we had a special meeting in Bishop Park (named for our past mayor of Athens) to dedicate our gift to the city of a number of trees including red buds, persimmon, ash, sour wood, magnolias and hawthorns. The city park administrators had planted these along a pathway marked to show that they were donated by our chapter. Eleven members of our chapter participated in the District Work Shop in Washington, Georgia, in August. Dr. Albert Saye, Distinguished Professor of Political Science at the University, gave a stimulating address in September on "The Framing of the Federal Constitution and the Meaning of the Document



Today." We stressed conservation in October with Dr. Charles B. Aguar giving an informal talk illustrated with colored slides on "The Oconee River Greenway." The November meeting took us back in history to colonial days. Mrs. Hugh Peterson gave us a real appreciation of our Georgia Room in the Museum. We wish to have a part in making this room a replica of the Long Room in Tondee's Tavern. For the second year our chapter has contributed approximately \$5.00 per member toward this goal. Our work in the schools has been stimulating and productive. Over 200 children from the four middle schools have won certificates for history essays. Three bronze medals have been awarded for the top papers in each of the three grades (6th, 7th and 8th). Good citizen pins and certificates were given to winners in each of the five high schools in Clarke and Oconee counties. Two gold ROTC medals were given to the outstanding University students and two bronze medals to high school winners. We have contributed to scholarships in the DAR schools and have sent clothing to Tamassee for sale in the thrift shop, and some valuable pieces of furniture to be used in the cottages. The year has been an interesting and happy one. May the coming year be even more fruitful.

## ETOWAH CHAPTER, CARTERSVILLE

**Mrs. Florrie W. Dillard, Regent**

The Etowah Chapter has fifty members, one new member and four junior members, we lost one member by transfer. Eight monthly meetings were held in the homes of our members. The DAR ritual, the pledge to the Flag of The United States, and the American Creed were given in unison at each meeting. Programs were based on historical, educational and patriotic objectives. The President General's letters and "National Defense News" from the **National Defender Magazine** were given at each meeting. The regular meetings were planned to emphasize the Bicentennial Celebration. In April, the chapter held a Silver Tea at the ancestral home of one of our members. Our May program, presented by high school groups, was music honoring the Bicentennial. On August 4, 1976, eight members attended the Northwest District meeting in Carrollton, Georgia. Our Mayor signed a proclamation designating the week of September 17 thru 23 as Constitution Week. During this week spot announcements were made on WBHF radio three times daily, and an article on our Constitution, written by one of our members, appeared on the editorial page of the Daily Tribune News. The September meeting was most interesting, the President of the C & S Bank spoke on the Declaration of Independence as a "Landmark of our Nation." On October 27 and 28, we were host to the State Board of Management's fall meeting with 112 members attending; also on October 27 we were host to a buffet supper for the visitors. October and November continued with Bicentennial programs. Dr. Charles Johnson, Curriculum Advisor for Cartersville Schools, brought us a most interesting, educational program entitled "Thanksgiving and Christmas Before 1776." Advertisements that were sent to the magazine appeared in the September issue. The winners received awards for "Good Citizens" and "American History." Money was contributed to DAR schools, a special contribution of \$52 to Tamassee, and a contribution to \$52 to the Presi-

dent General's request for a mural in the National Capitol Building in Washington, D. C. The Etowah Chapter has enjoyed good attendance at every meeting, and we have had a successful year.

### **FIELDING LEWIS CHAPTER, MARIETTA**

**Mrs. Claude M. Hamrick, Jr., Regent**

#### **National Honorable Mention**

Fielding Lewis membership - 90 members, 10 junior members, 3 transfers to Chapter, 1 transfer from Chapter, 1 reinstatement, 1 member lost by death. Meetings followed opening NSDAR procedures. Programs promoted Historic, Patriotic and Educational objectives of NSDAR. "Making Local History Live" and the DAR story promoted through Bicentennial Action Programs suggested in "Focus - 1976". "Washington Landmark" presented to non-member for service to Chapter, and DAR Good Citizen. 6 members attended District Meeting. Report on Continental Congress and Resolutions adopted given at Chapter meeting. Constitution Week observed - Vietnam War prisoner of 7-1/2 years as speaker. Observance of American History Month. February program "Mount Vernon - the Home of the First President". 25% of membership subscribe to DAR magazine. Ancestor Roll and 3 ads secured for DAR magazine. Chapter observed 72nd anniversary in April. 1 charter member living - her portrait presented to school bearing her late husband's name, by the Chapter. Medals given - 3 Good Citizenship, 1 ROTC (girl) and 1 Citizenship Plaque. Flags of USA presented Girl Scout and Cub Scout troops. By-laws revised and reviewed by State Parliamentarian. Contributions to DAR Schools: Boxes of clothing KDS - \$60.00 - Tamassee - \$45.00; Crossnore - clothing - \$50.00, gift - \$100.00; Bacone College - \$50.00 for NSDAR project; St. Mary's School - \$50.00 for NSDAR project, box of jewelry value - \$85.00. Project completed - "Bicentennial Reading Group" at Smyrna Public Library for grades 3-9. 5 students reading required historical material read 554 books. Monetary gift and certificate presented each student. 25 Manuals for Citizenship given to immigrants.

### **FORT EARLY CHAPTER, CORDELE**

**Mrs. Myrtle M. Lindeman, Regent**

#### **National Gold Honor Roll\***

#### **State Honor Roll**

Fort Early Chapter's 64 enrollment represents 7 new members and loss by death of two members. Highlight of year was this membership increase, two of whom are new Junior members. We have met all requirements necessary for National and State Honor Rolls, and made all required contributions to NSDAR and Georgia accounts. Four Good Citizenship medals were awarded to senior girls in two high schools and

two private academies. Four American History medals were awarded in high schools and two Good Citizen medals in junior high schools. Members attended Fall Board of Management at Cartersville and report was made to the chapter on resolutions and press releases at Continental Congress. Chapter was well represented at the State Regents' Luncheon in Albany, Georgia. Chapter gave a Memorial gift to purchase genealogical books in memory of the late Mr. Jimmy Page who organized Col. John Dooly Chapter, SAR. This chapter had been assisted by Fort Early chapter in acquiring its charter. Chapter meetings are always opened with the DAR ritual and pledges to the American and Georgia Flags. National Defense news, the President General's message, and American music is always a part of each program. S. W. District Workshop in Cordele August 3rd had the largest attendance of any district.

## **FORT FREDERICA CHAPTER, ST. SIMONS ISLAND**

**Mrs. Marion F. Martin, Jr., Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll\*\*\*\*\***

**State Honor Roll**

Fort Frederica Chapter has had a full and fruitful year. 9 new members added including 1 Junior. 3 members lost by death. Total membership 131. 26 students from Frederica Academy competed in essay contest. 1st and 2nd place winners awarded medals and read essays at American History Month meeting. Certificates awarded to all. Chapter represented at State Conference at Macon in March. Program on Continental Congress and Resolutions in May. 8 members attended District Meeting in Jesup in August. Chapter hosted 3 other Chapters at Flag Day Luncheon in June. Mr. Tom Caffey, an S. A. R. member, spoke on History of the Flag. Constitution Week marked by Mayor's Proclamation, displays in shop window, and flags flying. A speech on the Constitution at September meeting. Program requirements were met. Highlight of programs was talk on "DAR Alive in Georgia - DAR Schools," by State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin. An excellent program on "National Defense - What Price" by a member. 2 programs on Bicentennial. "A Salute to the Bicentennial Banner" by its author, Mrs. Marvin Strickland. Bicentennial Pilgrimage to Fort McAlister and Midway in March. \$50 and 36 lbs. of clothing sent to KDS. \$50 and 36 lbs. of clothing to Tamasssee. A box of jewelry and \$10 to Bacone College. \$10 to St. Marys School, and \$25 to Bus Fund at same. 1 member attended Naturalization Court in Brunswick, January 21, '77 and greeted new citizens.

## **FORT PEACHTREE, ATLANTA**

**Mrs. Carroll Logan Crowther, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll\*\*\***

**State Honor Roll**

Our Chapter has an active membership of 86 with 25 Juniors, and one Junior Associate, which represents an increase of 6 members. Our committee chairmen were guided by all Honor Roll requirements in their year's work. American History Month and Constitution Week were observed by our chapter and in our local schools. The DAR Ritual, the President General's Message and National Defense reports were given at each meeting. Attendance at our meetings has been good, and all programs have met the Historical, Educational, and Patriotic goals of DAR. Christmas stockings and other gifts were given at the VA Hospital; contributions were sent to State and National projects and accounts; a ROTC medal, 2 Good Citizen pins and 2 Good Citizenship awards were presented; boxes of clothing and a special Christmas gift were sent to Tamassee. We participated in the Bicentennial Observance at the VA Hospital in May. Our members have spent time at the Archives on the State Library project of indexing materials. The Chapter sponsors a C. A. R. Society, The Glass Brothers, and provides leadership to the State C. A. R. We were represented at District workshop and Continental Congress. We received a tri-colored ribbon for our yearbook. Chapter has applied for State and National Honor Rolls and the Hightower Award. We have had an outstanding year thanks to all of our members and their good works.

## **GENERAL DANIEL STEWART, PERRY**

**Mrs. Heyward Boyette, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll\*\*\***

**State Honor Roll**

Chapter has 80 members, including 7 new members and 3 resignations, 11 are junior members. Chapter has 2 vice chairman of a national committee, 2 state chairmen, 2 VAAS representatives, a Trustee of Tamassee, and a Commissioner of Meadow Garden. The outstanding event of the year was a trip to Sea Island, coordinated by the transportation, historical and fund raising committees. A chartered bus carried a group of members and husbands for 2 nights at the Cloister and a historical sight seeing trip over two islands. The chapter honored Miss Clair Smyth, First Vice President of the National Society of the Children of the American Revolution, with a tea. A junior member was named winner of the district DAR Good Citizen. A group of members met with their sewing machines and made lap robes for disabled veterans in Veteran hospital. Chapter had two Patrons of Meadow Garden. Awards

were presented to five citizens for their outstanding work for the Bicentennial. Other presentations included 13 certificates and gifts for American History essays, 2 American History medals, 4 Good Citizenship medals, 2 Good Citizen Pins and 1 R. O. T. C. medal. The chapter was represented at all District and State meetings and Continental Congress, and has applied for State and National honor rolls and the Hightower award.

### **GENERAL DAVID BLACKSHEAR CHAPTER, ROCHELLE**

**Mrs. Ernest Braziel, Jr., Regent**

General David Blackshear Chapter has 43 members; four are juniors; lost one by resignation and one by death. The meetings were opened with the Ritual followed by the pledge to the Flag, Americans Creed, patriotic music, President General's message, and National Defense report. A bicentennial report was given at six meetings. Interesting and informative programs following the objectives of the National Society were given at each meeting. Patriotic days, Constitution Week, and American History month were observed. The chapter cooperated with other patriotic clubs of Wilcox County in selecting a Wilcox County Woman of the Year. The chapter entertained the Woman of the Year, Mrs. Adelaide Carswell, with a tea and presented her with a plaque and corsage. The chapter continued the sponsorship of the Wilcox County Bicentennial celebration. A Good Citizen pin and certificate and an American history medal and certificate were presented to two seniors in the Wilcox County High School.

### **GENERAL JAMES JACKSON CHAPTER, VALDOSTA**

**Mrs. Robert L. Cork, Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Our chapter had a good year, and enjoyed two significant highlights. One was our enjoyable participation in the Bicentennial Celebration of our community and the other was our major fund raising project of an Antique Show. DAR members led the way with a luncheon in colonial costume, a historic extravaganza, and a prayer chain on the Fourth of July. Not only did all of our members participate (including the ones in nursing homes) but our friends as well. The Antique Show netted us almost \$2,000.00 and we have already sent \$1,000.00 to our State Treasurer for the Georgia Room. With the remaining \$1,000.00 plus a \$700.00 fund previously set up for the Georgia Room, we hope to find a good Georgia colonial period piece. We awarded ROTC medals to all schools participating in the ROTC program, including Lowndes High School, Valdosta High School, and Valdosta State College, 2 Good Citizens Citizens pins and certificates, and 2 American History pins. We

stressed "Sharing" at each meeting. Last year we stressed "Show and Tell". Lest you think we are small children, let me tell you we shared our food at picnics, our rides to meetings, our plants and trees during conservation month and our historical American glass at another. Most of all, we shared our love for each other and work of the DAR.

### **GEORGE WALTON CHAPTER**

**Mrs. J. Charles Rogers, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll\*\*\*\***

**State Honor Roll**

Chapter has 116 members, five of the new members are Junior members. All requirements for State and National honor rolls met. Requirements for Hightower awards met also. Chapter is patron of Meadow Garden, \$5.00 sent in memory of deceased member. Magazine subscriptions over 25% of membership. During Constitution Week the Columbus newspapers carried color pictures of some members of the three chapters in colonial costumes and recipes of favorite dishes. Books valued at over \$1,000 was given by a Chapter member to Genealogical and Historical Room, Bradley Memorial Library. Members of the three Chapters serve as volunteer workers in Genealogical Room. The grave of a Revolutionary Soldier, Benjamin Finney, an ancestor of a Chapter member was marked by George Walton Chapter. Members of four DAR Chapters were present at ceremony. The event was covered by four newspapers, from Macon, Columbus and Gray. Two T. V. Stations carried account of the program. The marching band of Gray High School played the National Anthem and Taps. The State Regent was guest speaker for the December joint luncheon meeting of the three Chapters. In January the State First Vice-Regent brought a National Defense program at a luncheon meeting of the three Columbus Chapters. Several Chapter members assisted in a genealogical workshop sponsored by Columbus Chapters in which 42 beginners registered.

### **GOVERNOR DAVID EMANUEL CHAPTER, SWAINSBORO**

**Mrs. Felix Williams, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Enthusiasm, energy, cooperation of Governor David Emanuel's 56 members resulted in year of outstanding work. All requirements for Hightower Award, State and National Honor Roll fulfilled. Eight Good Citizenship Medals, 2 Good Citizen Pins, 2 American History Medals presented. Bicentennial activities, outstanding publicity to tell the DAR story, excellent programs were outstanding features of year's work.

Chapter cooperated with VFW, Exchange Club, Agribusiness Council in Bicentennial Celebrations. Members in colonial costume participated in "Heritage 76," a county-wide celebration. Substantial contribution made to VFW for erection of "Eternal Flame." Advertisements, pictures, news articles were contributions to two county Bicentennial publications, **Emanuel Memories, Heritage 76**. Copy **Emanuel Memories** sent to NSDAR library. Special Bicentennial yearbook dedicated to Mrs. Robert Humphrey, Honorary State Regent, Past Vice President General. Chapter received first place in State Yearbook competition, 1976, submitted yearbook for state and national competition 1976-1978. Chapter set record in publicity efforts: Advertisement in DAR magazine; 2224 inches in local and other newspapers; 21 pictures 5" x 7" or larger; 15 radio spots. Outstanding programs: "National Defense," Major Felix Moring; tour of Milledgeville's oldest, most beautiful homes; "Ben Franklin," character impersonation by Dr. Fielding Russell, Georgia Southern College; "Bartram Trail," Dr. George Rogers, Georgia Southern College; "Meadow Garden," Mrs. Luther Watson; Christmas tea honoring Mrs. Louis J. Bahin, State Regent; dedication of bronze plaque bearing names of Revolutionary Soldiers buried in Emanuel County, highlight of July Fourth ceremony. Proceeds from Christmas Tour of Homes funded Bicentennial activities and made possible a substantial increase in contributions to DAR projects.

## **GOVERNOR GEORGE W. TOWNS, TALBOTTON**

**Mrs. Marvin V. Enquist, Regent**

### **National Honorable Mention**

Governor George W. Towns Chapter has 33 members, one gained during the year. The Bicentennial was emphasized with chapter programs, including "Making Local History live Through the Study of Early Homes of Talbot County"; "Philadelphia: the Birthplace of our Freedom", and an original skit on lineage research for those who helped sound the note of freedom. At the Meriwether County Bicentennial observance in May, the chapter earned recognition for its display emphasizing "America in Review Through Family Records". A list of members and their Revolutionary ancestors were highlights of the display. Sources for records were listed with examples of each. Thumbnail sketches of the Revolutionary ancestors of members of the chapter were published in several issues of county newspapers. Included in the sketches were names of descendants now residing in the local area. An article was published in the November 1976 DAR Magazine. Members also participated in the Bicentennial celebration in Talbot County. Good Citizens pins were awarded to students in area high schools. The chapter became a Chapter Patron through a special contribution to Meadow Garden. Supplies were sent to Dublin VA Hospital. There were 15 participants in the American History essay contest. Four members attended the district workshop in Cordele in August. Seven members were guests of the John Houstoun Chapter, Thomaston, at their November luncheon meeting.



## **GOVERNOR JARED IRWIN CHAPTER, SANDERSVILLE**

**Mrs. Paul M. Mayo, Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

The Governor Jared Irwin Chapter has a membership of 43, having gained one new member, with a transfer and two names in process. All meetings opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the U. S. Flag, American's Creed, and the DAR Ritual, followed with prayer by the Chaplain. The President General's Message, and National Defense report. One full program on National Defense was presented by a former Serviceman. Constitution Week was observed. American History month was a thrill to our Chapter, as the program was the reading of the 1976 State Winning Essay, written on the Signers of the Declaration of Independence by our very own student. The Chapter was represented by two members at last Continental Congress, by three members at District Workshop. Two Good Citizen Pins and Certificates of award were given, One Senior Boy, One Senior Girl. One certificate of award to the winner in our Chapter, and 20 of Appreciation were awarded the entries in the American History Essay Contest. A ROTC medal was presented at Honor's Day. Our donations of clothing, books, an ad of \$10.00 to the National Magazine, and contributions were met, with all reports and duties completed by deadlines. Our Programs were good, some originals, with slides and two manuscripts ordered from National Program Committee. One of the original programs was a symposium, written by a DAR member reading letters of Tribute to America, from our State Regent, Mrs. Watson, Sec. of State Ben Fortson, friends and members of the Chapter, this was set to patriotic organ music, and taped. Another original program was written, presented, and later published, on Lost towns and areas in Washington County as they were in the 1700's.

## **GOVERNOR TREUTLEN CHAPTER, FORT VALLEY**

**Mrs. Voris F. McFall, Regent**

**National Honorable Mention**

**State Honor Roll**

Governor Treutlen Chapter has 52 members including 7 juniors. The chapter gained 2 new members but lost 1 member by death, 1 by resignation and 1 was dropped. Chapter was represented at State Conference and Fall Board of Management meeting. Programs were selected to carry out historical, patriotic, and educational objectives of DAR. The President Generals' message and National Defense Report were given at each meeting. Constitution Week and American History Month was observed through programs, displays, press and radio. Good Citizen pin and certificate was presented to Good Citizen at Peach County High School. Excellent newspaper coverage was given this event. Students were recognized for excellence in American History. 12 requests were



sent to Congressman urging legislation to permanently designate February as American History Month. All financial obligations were met. Boxes of clothing were sent to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee Schools. Mrs. Cornelia Nichols continued weekly articles, Bicentennial Update, on the editorial page of the local newspaper. Mrs. C. E. George completed **Tombstone Inscriptions, Peach and Crawford County, Georgia**. Bound copies were presented to the local library and Clerk of the Court, Peach County. Miss Harriett Flournoy compiled **Legal Notices, Macon Daily Telegraph**, Feb. 1, 1860 - Dec. 31, 1862.

## **HANCOCK CHAPTER, SPARTA**

**Mrs. Clifford D. White, Regent**

### **National Honorable Mention**

Hancock Chapter gained two new members and one transfer last year, making a total of 28. Since September we have two new applications and one reinstatement. We regret to report the death of Mrs. Terrell Moore in December. Attendance was excellent at meetings. Other prospective members have been our guests and we hope their papers will be completed this year. Programs, based on 1976-1977 Theme, were good. Handbooks were entered in contest. Five members attended District Workshop and one attended Fall Board Meeting. Medals were given for themes in American History. Boxes of clothing were sent to Kate Duncan Smith School and to Tamassee, and a personal donation to Crossnore. Four Good Citizenship pins were given to seniors through National Defense. All meetings were opened with The DAR Ritual followed by The Pledge to The US Flag, The American's Creed, President General's Message and The National Defense report. The National Defense program, "Defense of Our National Landmarks", by Gen. Eugene Salet, President of GMC, was one of our highlights. A meeting with a member in Augusta gave us an opportunity to visit "Meadow Garden". Contributions were made to projects of The State Regent and The President General, also to the "Georgia Room".

## **HAWKINSVILLE CHAPTER, HAWKINSVILLE**

**Mrs. William F. Daniels, Regent**

### **National Gold Honor Roll\*\***

#### **State Honor Roll**

Hawkinsville Chapter has 79 members, 2 new, 1 reinstated. Lost three members by death, 3 transferred out of chapter, 4 resigned, 9 applications for membership at National. Programs adhered to NSDAR Educational, Historical, and Patriotic categories. Highlights included "Some Thoughts about the Constitution", Dr. H. William Perry; "America's World Position", Mrs. C. T. Kimberly, Jr.; "Our DAR Schools", Miss Martha Ansley Cooper; "DAR, Alive in Georgia", Mrs. Louis Joseph

Bahin, Georgia State Regent, NSDAR; and "Proclaim Liberty Throughout the Land" by Mrs. Herman Richardson, Registrar General, NSDAR. Junior member Mary Elizabeth Lankford Phillips Shumacher voted 1976 National Outstanding Junior Member, NSDAR. Requirements met for Hightower Award. Contributions to Bacone and St. Mary's Indian Schools. 1 Meadow Garden Patron. 3 Good Citizen Awards, 3 Citizenship medals, 1 ROTC Jr. College Medal, and 5 American History Awards given. Bicentennial Certificates of appreciation were presented to "Honorees" at Chapter Birthday Banquet in April. Chapter represented at District Meeting, Fall Board, State Conference and Continental Congress. Historical data related to the Hawkinsville Chapter DAR, Pulaski and Bleckley Counties Georgia, was placed by our chapter, in the Bicentennial time vaults which were buried on the courthouse lawns of both Hawkinsville and Cochran, Georgia. The material included copies of History Books published by the Chapter. The packages of data were willed to Hawkinsville Chapter DAR of the year 2076.

### **HAWTHORNE TRAIL, CAMILLA**

**Mrs. J. H. McIlvaine, Regent**

Our Chapter has 25 members. The resident ones have been loyal in attendance. Meetings have been according to NSDAR procedure. Resolutions of NSDAR read and studied. National Defense report at each meeting. Programs have met Historical, Educational and Patriotic objectives. Contributions and boxes valued at \$250.00 sent to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith. A family genealogy offered to NSDAR Library, but rejected as identical copy in their possession. Due to circumstances beyond our control, we will not be represented at State Conference. We wish you a very successful one.

### **HENRY WALTON CHAPTER, MADISON**

**Dr. Josephine H. Brandon, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Henry Walton's membership remained the same at 46 members. Met State and National Honor Roll requirements. Programs included historical, educational, patriotic NSDAR themes. American Heritage program given by a member, Druellen Walker, co-author of "Sketches from the History of the Madison Baptist Church." Programs devoted to the Constitution, NSDAR Museum, lineage research, national defense. Program of heritage music presented by a talented member, Gloria Buchanan aided by Steve Collins. Meadow Garden and DAR schools program presented by Mrs. Leonard D. Wallace, Honorary State Regent. Joint luncheon with Morgan County AAUW was Christmas highlight. State Archivist Carroll Hart, a chapter member, made talks on genealogical

research throughout Georgia. Chapter member sponsored junior high school history fair in cooperation with local Bi-Centennial Committee. Rebecca Ridgway made DAR emblem square for Bi-Centennial quilt now displayed in Morgan County Cultural Center museum. Clothes sent to DAR schools. Flags presented to junior high school. Tree to be planted on Arbor Day in historic district.

### **JAMES PITTMAN CHAPTER, COMMERCE**

**Mrs. W. M. Barnett, Jr., Regent**

The James Pittman Chapter has experienced a most rewarding year with an increase of 2 in membership, with 4 prospective members engaged in genealogical research. All meetings were conducted according to accepted DAR form and ritual and programs were planned in keeping with the national theme with adequate time given to National Defense News. In addition to the placing of Defense News bulletins in the City Library, the chapter also presented a year's subscription to DAR magazine. Constitution Week and American History Month were effectively promoted through press, radio, library, and schools. At the February meeting, medals, certificates, and \$5.00 cash awards were presented to 3 Good Citizens, who delighted the group with their presentation of "Citizenship Responsibilities." During the year, a number of our members were actively engaged in Bicentennial activities — contributing toward research into archives and history, community beautification, and participation in study groups in various civic organizations. Cash donations were made to C. A. R. work, Tamassee Schools, and Meadow Garden. Meetings have proved interesting and varied including a program of special interest during Constitution Week. During February, American History Month was promoted through the schools, press and radio. One of the highlights of the year was a Bi-Centennial Tea, celebrating the sixtieth anniversary of the Chapter. We regret the death of a Charter member, Mrs. C. C. Ward, whose grave will be marked with appropriate marker and ceremonies in May.

### **JOHN BALL CHAPTER, IRWINTON**

**Mrs. Ira Pickens Holliman, Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Membership is 21, 2 Junior, 1 Associate, 1 Deceased. Plans are being made for memorial service and erection of marker. Two pending includes 1 Junior; 4 in process. Chapter represented at State and District Meetings. Chapter programs projected Historical, Educational and Patriotic Objectives. September, Constitution Week was emphasized, proclamation issued by Mayors, flags flown by business houses and Chapter members, daily Spot Announcements through WKOG Radio Station, Chapter

program on "Origin of Constitution". October, Conservation - Program "Preserving Old Land Marks", plans are to submit this unusual paper. November, Meadow Gardens and Nation's Indians, guest speaker native Cherokee. December, "Preservation of Everlasting Values". January, Awarding Good Citizens Medal and projecting "Our Nation's Future in the Next 100 Years". February, emphasized History Month, special program in public school, awarded 3 History Medals, daily spot announcements through WKOG Radio Station. March, "We May Prevent Crime" Mr. Gerald Johnson, Crime Prevention Bureau. April, Special program on BiCentennial; American Music Chairman cooperated with public school in presentation of American Music Program. June, Highlights of 85th Continental Congress and Resolutions, "Overview of National Defense", and "Our Flag, Let's See It Wave!" Boxes Clothing and Contribution sent KDS, Tamassee, and Bacone. Contribution sent St. Marys. 60% Membership subscribed DAR Magazine. Contributed to Miss Martha Cooper's candidacy Librarian General. 20 books contributed to Veteran patients. Maintain a Victor Davidson Scholarship Loan Fund at the Walter F. George School of Law, Mercer University.

### **JOHN BENNING CHAPTER, MOULTRIE**

**Mrs. J. B. Godard, Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

John Benning Chapter has 97 members, a net increase of one member since last year. Enrolled 3 Junior members during the year. Tried to meet all requirements necessary for National and State Honor Rolls; made all required contributions to Georgia and NSDAR accounts. One Good Citizen Award and two American History Awards were given to students in the local high school. Chapter was well represented at District Meeting and State Conference. Miss Martha Cooper brought a report on Continental Congress, including resolutions. Meetings are always opened with DAR ritual and pledge to United States of America flag. At each meeting, five or more minutes of National Defense news was given, as was the President General's message. Juniors made and sold a Bicentennial Quilt. Special recognition was given to two chapter members, each of whose DAR service exceeds 60 years. Chapter member served as Chairman, Colquitt County Bicentennial Committee. She also presented the chapter's Bicentennial program.

### **JOHN BENSON, HARTWELL**

**Mrs. Robert L. Hunter, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll\*\*\***

**State Honor Roll**

We've had a marvelous Bicentennial year! Have 81 members - an increase of 1. Gained 4 new members including 2 Juniors, lost 1 by death, 1

by transfer, 1 by resignation. All requirements, including observance of Constitution Week and American History Month, have been met for State Honor Roll, National Gold Honor Roll and Hightower Award. State Conference attended by 2 members, District Meeting by 8, 85th Continental Congress by 2, Tamassee Founders Day by 4. 210 pounds clothing collected for Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith. 40 gifts carried Veteran patients, Augusta, for Christmas parties. Presented 2 books to NSDAR Library, **History Of The Hall-Ayers-Holland Family** and **History Of The Allen Shadrack Turner Family**. A local resident was recognized at February meeting for having attained American Citizenship. "Then and Now" Exhibit placed in Elberton and Hartwell Fairs, receiving \$40.00 and newspaper publicity. Co-sponsored "Operation Awareness" to identify needs in Hart County and set goals for future. Resulting Town Hall Meeting held Sept. 30 with workshops on Governmental Affairs, Economic Concerns, Community Facilities and Services, and Educational and Cultural Affairs. Highlight of year was dedication of Historical Marker erected on Chandlers Ferry Road pointing to Old Reed Creek Cemetery, burial place of Revolutionary Soldier Moses Ayers. Assisting 4 DAR members in the colorful ceremony were Color Guard furnished by Army National Guard, 2 high school trumpet players, and 2 descendants of Moses Ayers who unveiled the marker.

#### **JOHN CLARKE CHAPTER, SOCIAL CIRCLE**

**Mrs. P. I. Dixon, Acting Regent**

##### **National Gold Honor Roll**

The John Clarke Chapter now has a membership of 58 with Two new members pending. Four Junior members. Through a Law suit we lost our Club House and have been meeting in Homes of members. The meetings have been well attended with interesting Programs following the outline of Historical, Educational and Patriotic endeavor as given in the NSDAR out line. At every meeting the United States flag was used. The Pledge, the Creed, the President General's message, National Defense and prayer were given. Entire programs were devoted to DAR Schools, National Defense, Bicentennial, our Revolutionary Soldier Heritage and American Heritage, Meadow Garden and The Constitution of the United States. The Regent thanks the members for their cooperation and assistance. They have made the year successful and rewarding.

#### **JOHN FLOYD CHAPTER, HOMERVILLE**

**Edwina W. Corbitt, Regent**

##### **National Honorable Mention**

##### **State Honor Roll**

John Floyd Chapter, 214 members, 1 new Junior, enjoyed an excellent year. Programs followed NSDAR guidelines and were interesting and

informative. One member wrote an original playlet entitled "Our Constitution, A Landmark In Self-Government", which was presented at September meeting. Eleven Daughters attended District Meeting and three attended Fall Board. Members participated in the Bicentennial celebrations of 5 area counties by entering floats and having an active part on the programs. We enjoyed Bicentennial displays at each meeting in 1976, these included handwork, pictures, tools, china and glass. Flag Chairman presented flags that had flown over Capitol to cities of Pearson and Douglas. Chapter donated \$100.00 to Meadow Garden honoring our Organizing Regent, Clifford Huxford Smith, total donated to Meadow Garden \$207.00. Contributed \$219.00 to President General's Project; \$225 to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee plus clothing and money to 7 other schools. Entertained Good Citizens at our January meeting and presented 18 Pins and Certificates of Award plus 18 copies of WASHINGTON LANDMARK. We are very proud of our Junior members who are beginning to take an active roll in DAR and are working toward a large contribution to Helen Pouch Memorial Fund by the end of 1977. Our Bicentennial Cookbook, compiled by John Floyd Daughters, has been an amazing success, 500 copies have been sold.

## **JOHN FRANKLIN WREN CHAPTER, WRENS**

**Mrs. James W. Walden, Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Our Chapter continues to be active with enthusiastic members working to carry out the objects of the Organization and meeting the goals set by the National Society. We successfully completed our Bicentennial projects which were presenting flagpole and American Flag to the city of Wrens along with a patriotic ceremony, placing markers at the site of the first school and the first church in Jefferson County, and sending 26 rolls of Seimes Microfilm to the Microfilm Center. The Chapter has donated \$203.00 to the Georgia Room in honor of Mrs. Leonard Andrus. The annual Bazaar was a great success. Funds raised through this vital committee are used to carry out worthwhile projects. National Defense Chairman, Mrs. Walter Atwell, does an excellent work in this important part of our organization. We were honored to have our State Vice-Regent, Mrs. Jonathan Fox, bring us a program in May on the Resolutions and install the new officers. Among our outstanding speakers was Mrs. Luther Watson who brought an interesting program on Meadow Garden, home of George Walton. Our Chapter has given \$300.00 to Meadow Garden in honor of Mrs. Leonard Andrus. A project of our Junior Membership Committee was giving an 18th century Windsor Chair to Meadow Garden in honor of our out-going Regent, Mrs. Jerido Ward. Our Christmas program entitled **The Sounds of Christmas**, presented by the Rev. Charles Jones, was inspiring and brought into focus the true meaning of Christmas. This Regent appreciates the cooperation of the membership.

## **JOHN HOUSTOUN CHAPTER, THOMASTON**

**Mrs. Samuel Y. Pruitt, Jr., Regent**

### **National Gold Honor Roll**

#### **State Honor Roll**

John Hustoun Chapter ended its 65th year with a membership of 93, 3 new members (all Juniors) being admitted. We were saddened by the death of Caroline Ellington New (Mrs. Arlie M.) on December 31, 1976. Programs were planned to carry out the Historical, Educational, and Patriotic objects of the Society. Our Junior Honor Roll chairman complied with all requirements. Constitution Week was observed by coverage on two radio stations, with a speech by a Junior at the September meeting, the Mayor's Proclamation was witnessed in a newspaper picture by two Junior members. \$1,155.00 and 6 boxes of clothing were sent to Tamasee, Kate Duncan Smith, Berry, Crossnore, Bacone, and Hindman Schools, also St. Marys. A tea service was given for Meadow Garden along with \$613.00. The ten Meadow Garden patrons were Mrs. Frank G. Binford, Mrs. Arlie M. New, Mrs. H. A. Ironside, Mrs. Nall Elliott, Mrs. Jere Greer, Mrs. Charles E. Downs, Mrs. J. Morgan Kellum, Mrs. Howard Newton, Mrs. Samuel Y. Pruitt, Jr., and John Hustoun Chapter. 49 American History essays were sent in by the local schools. \$94.00 was sent for the President General's Project, \$110.00 for the Georgia Room. We were delighted to have Mrs. Bahin, State Regent, as our guest speaker at our annual luncheon meeting, with representatives from Governor George W. Towns and Lamar-LaFayette Chapters. Mrs. Hugh Reid was our excellent speaker on Meadow Garden in October. A box of books was sent to Merchant Marine Library. Chapter represented at State Conference, Continental Congress, Fall Board of Management, and District Workshop.

## **JOHN LAURENS CHAPTER, DUBLIN**

**Mrs. E. B. Claxton, Jr., Regent**

### **National Gold Honor Roll**

#### **State Honor Roll**

Still in the Bicentennial spirit, we have so related our programs and projects. A knowledge of local history, the practice of personal patriotism, the preservation of old homes, an understanding of the Constitution, an evaluation of DAR schools, a consideration of pioneer women, an appreciation of American music, the necessity of national defense, and the highlights of Continental Congress received emphasis. American History Month was appropriately spotlighted with student essays and library exhibits. A Bicentennial entry was part of the St. Patrick's Day Parade. A marker honoring a Revolutionary War Colonel, James McCall, was unveiled with ceremony. A "Boston Tea Party" was held featuring American food, music, and table arrangements. Constitution



Week was proclaimed by local students, as well as the mayor and news media. Four Good Citizenship medals were awarded. NSDAR projects were supported; the district meeting, State Conference, and Continental Congress were attended. Monthly ward parties were held at the Dublin VA Center with 100% participation by the Chapter. A weekly feature article on the history of local churches appeared in the newspaper. Projects are underway of restoring old graves in an abandoned cemetery in which are several Revolutionary War soldiers' graves and our Real Daughter's grave, of replacing a marker (removed by the highway department on a road project) designating the site of Governor George M. Troup's home, "Vallambrosa," of presenting a flag to an elementary school, and of a special tree planting memorial ceremony.

## **JOSEPH HABERSHAM, ATLANTA**

**Mrs. George E. Stratman, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Joseph Habersham had a good year with program highlight visits from our State Regent, Mrs. Louis Bahin (Georgia Landmarks), State Second Vice Regent, Mrs. Leonard DeLamar (DAR Schools Today). Inspiring programs, Col. Arthur Wells, Ft. McPherson (Many Facets of National Defense), Miss Cathy Bowen, Miss Metro Atlanta (What's Right with America). Flag (4 x 6), pictures, literature, given Brookhaven Library for 25th anniversary. **Washington Landmark** given guest speakers. Spots on TV, Constitution Week emphasis. Bicentennial action, gift of \$100 for relocation of Georgia Liberty Bell Replica to Capitol Plaza Park, patriotic tourist attraction. \$1000.00 gift for Georgia room presented 1976 Conference. \$200 given Microfilm Fund, \$100 given Seimes Center for Life Membership honoring Regent. Clothes sent Tamasese and KDS. Mrs. Madison Bell Scholarship Fund \$1558.00 given Tamasee and KDS. Approved schools including State Regent's projects at Berry, Tamasee and KDS, \$1520.00. 8 schools in history essay contest, 5 medals, 1 ROTC medal, 5 Good Citizen pins and certificates. 978 pages genealogical records sent. 211 pages plus index Histories Revolutionary Soldiers sent. 2 books compiled, published and given by Mrs. George Booser-one accepted NSDAR Library, 1 by Joseph Habersham Library. Chapter met historical, educational, patriotic goals set by NSDAR WITH generous money support on all accounts with good representation at District, Fall Board, State Conference and Continental Congress.



## **KETTLE CREEK CHAPTER, WASHINGTON**

**Mrs. John W. Boyd, Sr., Regent**

### **National Gold Honor Roll\***

### **State Honor Roll**

Kettle Creek Chapter has gained 4 new members and now has 52. We have met requirements for National and State Honor Rolls. We presented 6 DAR Good Citizenship medals, 2 DAR Good Citizens Medals and 4 copies of "**Washington-Wilkes Landmarks**". 93 contestants from 3 local schools participated in American History Month with 2 bronze medals and 2 silver medals being presented. Our Mayor proclaimed Constitution Week with 2 schools participating in making 275 posters. Six First, Second and Third place awards were given participating students and their posters were locally displayed. Two flags were presented locally. Local merchants advertised in our National DAR magazine to which 24 of our members subscribe. Publicity in local newspapers was 1215 inches, 23 pictures and 50 articles. There were 21 "spot" announcements and 34 minutes of local radio publicity. Three Revolutionary Soldier's graves were marked. Our Bicentennial Chairman has kept our heritage before us with a July 4th parade and a program at which time 100 to 200 years old items were displayed. One of our members wrote a Bicentennial History in play form that was performed by the Independence United Methodist Church, Tignall, Georgia and a copy of this play will be presented to the University of Georgia. Georgia's Secretary of State, Hon. Ben W. Fortson, Jr., gave a program on National Defense stressing our heritage and how we must defend it. Another one of our "highlights" was our being hostess to the State Northeast District Workshop meeting in August, 1976.

## **KNOX-CONWAY CHAPTER, ASHBURN**

**Mrs. Sam C. Rouse, Regent**

Knox-Conway chapter has 32 members. All monthly meetings opened with a Devotional, The Pledge of Allegiance, the American's Creed and the DAR Ritual, followed by the President General's Message and the National Defense Report. The programs have met Historical, Educational and Patriotic objectives with special emphasis on the Bicentennial theme. The chapter was active in the County's Bicentennial Observance with special participation in the Parade, The Avenue of Flags and Open House at the Public Library. Clothing and money were sent both to DAR and Indian schools. we had 100% member contribution to the Georgia Room, DAR museum in Washington. 50c per member to Meadow Garden. 25% of members have subscribed to DAR magazine. All requirements have been met for both State and National Honor rolls. Our District Chairman, Mrs. Louis Smythe, was our guest speaker at our Christmas luncheon. At the request of a neighboring chapter, Fort Frederica, St. Simons Island, we placed a marker at the grave of one of

their members who was buried in our area. Constitution Week and History Month were observed with special programs, T. V. and newspaper publicity. The chapter has had excellent representation at all state and district meetings with 15 members attending the Luncheon for State Regent in Albany in the fall. Monthly meetings are held in the homes of members with good attendance and exceptional interest in the work of the Society.

### **LACHLAN MCINTOSH CHAPTER, SAVANNAH**

**Mrs. Gerald G. Fling, Regent**

Lachlan McIntosh Chapter has 64 members, 2 new members, both Juniors. 2 applications pending, both Juniors. Lost one member by death. DAR Ritual at all meetings; President General's message read; National Defense report given. Georgia Day activities included wreath-laying at Oglethorpe's Bench during Procession and members taking part in Pageant. Chapter's 75th Anniversary celebrated in May with a reception honoring our State Regent, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin. Flag Day luncheon was held with program on "The Tall Ships". Constitution Week celebrated jointly with other local Chapters, Bonaventure and Savannah, plus Edward Telfair Chapter, S. A. R. and Colonel Henry Lee Society, C. A. R. Representative Herb Jones speaker at Luncheon; Proclamation signed by Mayor; Chapter member Phyllis Farrell on 10 minute TV program. Chapter sponsors Colonel Henry Lee Society, C. A. R. 3 members on Senior State C. A. R. Board. Jointly hosted Reception for French Ambassador on Anniversary of Battle of Savannah. 2 ROTC medals awarded. Regent visited Tamassee; carried boxes of clothing. Gifts sent to VA Hospital in Dublin. 2 members serve on Genealogical Committee of Georgia Historical Society, work each Saturday, assisting all interested in genealogical research. Bicentennial joint program at grave of Button Gwinnett, (one of Georgia's three Signers) on July 4th. Represented at State Conference, District Meeting, Fall Board. All financial obligations met.

### **LADY HUNTINGDON CHAPTER, OXFORD**

**Mrs. James Wimberly Watterson, Regent**

With 74% of our members as new DAR members, we had much to learn of the DAR work. Our Regent has spent the year moving and restoring an ancient landmark house from Covington to Oxford. So our theme for the year has really come home to her. In the Bicentennial year, we were honored to become the 100th DAR Chapter in Georgia. We placed displays of political items in our local schools to make students aware of the presidential race, including inaugural invitation, campaign buttons, official papers, and a bag of genuine Carter peanuts distributed during his campaign, as current historical items. Constitution Week was proclaimed by the Mayor. All Patriotic Holidays were observed. 23 flags were flown. Seven of fifteen members read the DAR Magazine. National

Defense emphasis was given at each meeting. Contributions to C.A.R.; Meadow Garden; American Indian "Bus Fund" and boxes of clothing to DAR Schools. We attended summer workshop, fall board meetings, and three members will attend Continental Congress. Our town of Oxford is the 17th Methodist Shrine in the United States. Our members assisted as hostesses in colonial costumes at the Bicentennial Tour of Homes and Historic Sites in Oxford in April. Two new members have been added, with papers pending for a third. We have researched our LADY HUNTINGDON, and just learned from England that she was related to GEORGE WASHINGTON!

## **LAGRANGE CHAPTER, LAGRANGE**

**Mrs. Grady Jones, Regent**

**National Honorable Mention**

**State Honor Roll**

Chapter has welcomed 11 additional members including one Junior member. Four applications are pending, two of which are Junior members. Aims and programs followed Honor Roll requirements. Total membership 100. LaGrange Bicentennial Commission sponsored an "I Love America Day" parade. LaGrange Chapter entered a float. It was an authentic, colonial kitchen complete with fireplace and spinning wheel. In costume five children sat on benches around an Early American table eating a meal. Also in costume, one mother served food, while four other ladies sat around fireplace quilting and spinning yarn. The American and DAR flags were used on the float. Constitution Week and American History Month were observed. Certificates of Appreciation were given 167 children in four schools for writing American History Essays. Also six silver and six bronze medals were awarded. Two Good Citizenship Medals were given outstanding senior girls in 2 high schools. Two ROTC Medals were awarded through Mrs. Calvin E. Johnson, Sr., coordinator for Fulton County school system. Chapter was represented at District Meeting in Bremen, State Conference in Macon, and Continental Congress in Washington. Sent \$50.00 to Meadow Garden and \$50.00 for Georgia Room. 25% of members subscribed to DAR Magazine. Received Hightower Award. Made contribution to President General's Project and all other national and state Honor Roll requirements. Boxes of clothing sent Tamasee and KDS along with money donations. Luncheon meeting in January heard Mrs. Jonathan W. Fox speak on National Defense.

## **LAMAR-LAFAYETTE CHAPTER, BARNESVILLE**

**Mrs. Hoyt B. Barrett, Regent**

**National Honorable Mention**

**State Honor Roll**

The Lamar-Lafayette Chapter has a membership of 42. Chapter programs for the year were based on patriotic, educational and historical objectives, and all meetings met the required phases of NSDAR; DAR Ritual, the President General's message and National Defense report. Barnesville Academy received 2 Good Citizenship Medals and 1 History Medal. The Lamar County Comprehensive High School also received 2 Good Citizenship Medals and 1 History Medal. Our Chapter was represented at District and State meetings, and also at a luncheon for the State Regent, Mrs. Louis J. Bahin, in Thomaston, in November. Our last year's insert and this year's new yearbook tell of much of our work. We observed Constitution Week with a Proclamation signed by the Mayor; also observed American History Month. Over 25% of membership subscribe to the DAR Magazine; contributions were made to the President General's Project, the NSDAR American History Scholarship Fund; the Investment Trust Fund; the Seimes Microfilm Center; the Cataloging Museum and Period Room Collections; the Helen Pouch Memorial Fund and Occupational Therapy and Medical Scholarships; also the Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee Schools. The DAR Magazine was placed in the Public Library. We have welcomed 2 new members, regret the loss of 2 by transfer and the death of one faithful member.

## **LYMAN HALL CHAPTER, WAYCROSS**

**Mrs. William J. Summerall, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Membership — 141, 12 new, 3 Jrs., net gain 6. Highlights — Placed cabinet-bookcase in local library as memorial to Mrs. Isabella Remshart Redding, founder in 1900 of first Waycross DAR Chapter. Six members of her family attended dedication service. \$270 contributed for cabinet, 17 books, pamphlets, tapes, in DAR Section. 2 gift books to Library Collection. 1 gift book and \$25 to State and National Libraries. \$225 for Meadow Garden, 3 new patrons. Schools — \$37 for St. Mary's bus, 223 lbs. clothing and \$145 to other schools. \$600 for Magazine Advertising. \$60.00 for Georgia Room. District Winner DAR Good Citizen. Scrapbook second place. Yearbook tri-color award. Met all Honor Roll requirements. Excellent attendance at meetings. Program Theme; "Landmarks." Mrs. Jonathan Fox guest for one. Achievement — 48 magazine subscriptions, 5 essays, 6 Good Citizens. 694¼ inches publicity, 61 articles, 1 feature article, 18 pictures. All clippings to Press Book. 21 Jr. members, Helen Pouch sales. 2 ROTC Medals. Citizenship Manuals

to Naturalization Court. 3 Flags presented to Schools and Heritage Center. 4 pages genealogical records. 5 trees planted, birds and wild life fed. Veteran Patients — \$25 for party, 41 hand-made items, value \$81, 160 canteen books, 3 oz. cancelled stamps. Comprehensive observance Constitution Week and American History Month; Proclamation, Community and School participation, patriotic literature placed, TV announcements, radio programs, posters, bulletin boards, flags presented in ceremonies, Constitutional Convention re-enacted by one History Class. Cooperation for better movies and TV. Representation Congress, State Conference, District and Board of Management Meetings.

## **MAJOR GENERAL JOHN TWIGGS CHAPTER, JEFFERSONVILLE**

**Mrs. Charles C. Gleeson, Regent**

### **National Gold Honor Roll**

### **State Honor Roll**

Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent, was honor guest and speaker at our May 1976 Meeting. She installed the new Chapter officers for the Term 1976-1978. Prior to the afternoon meeting, Mrs. Bahin was special guest at a luncheon hosted by the Regent, Mrs. Hugh Lawson Faulk, Mrs. V. Kendrick Pierce, Mrs. John T. McCormick. Membership: 42 members, one Junior member admitted, one deceased. A Memorial service was held at our October Meeting for Mrs. Clara Bradley (J. P., Jr.) Porter who was a faithful daughter over 48 years. Visitors attending included her son, sister, friend, Honorable Ben W. Fortson, Jr., Secretary of State. The programs followed National Society's objectives, Historical-Educational-Patriotic, and planned around the National Theme for 1976-1977: "Remove not the ancient landmark, which thy fathers have set", Proverbs 22:28. Observed: Constitution Week and History Month. Contributions made to all accounts of National Society and State Society. Chapter members (dressed in period costumes) participated in the County Bicentennial Celebration with displays at our booth, early relics, historical diorama, and material to tell the 'DAR Story'. Five members assisted librarian at Twiggs County Library with books in Historical room. Bicentennial Committee Chairman presented our Chapter a bound scrapbook on Bicentennial activities and a hard back bound copy of the BICENTENNIAL JULY 1976 issue of the DAR MAGAZINE. Both on loan to local library. My sincere thanks to every member for your cooperation this year.

## **MARY HAMMOND WASHINGTON CHAPTER, MACON**

**Mrs. Dennis J. F. Beall, Regent**

### **National Gold Honor Roll\***

#### **State Honor Roll**

Mary Hammond Washington Chapter closes this year with 208 members, 2 new Juniors and 1 C. A. R. transfer. Program outline followed and all NSDAR requirements met. Presented 1 ROTC gold medal, 3 silver American History Essay medals, 3 bronze American History Essay Medals, 14 American History Essay Certificates of Appreciation, 1 Bronze American History Medal, 2 DAR Good Citizens Pins and J. W. Adams, III was presented Medal of Honor at State Conference. \$2,000.60 was given to Washington Memorial Library for books, magazines and microfilm plus 111 pages of unpublished material to the Library, Georgia Archives and NSDAR. Clothing and money sent to Indian Schools and DAR approved schools. Constitution Week and American History Month was observed with Mayor's Proclamation and displays in schools and libraries. American History and patriotic literature distributed to schools and naturalized citizens. Chapter sponsors Benjamin Hawkins Society C. A. R. and works actively with them. The highlight of our year was a visit by gracious State Regent, Mrs. Bahin, in September. She spoke to us on national defense and some of the projects and goals of NSDAR. For our American History celebration a very informative program was given on Mary Hammond Washington, a real daughter and chapter member of NSDAR, for whom our chapter was named.

## **MATTHEW TALBOT CHAPTER, MONROE**

**Mrs. John R. Laseter, Regent**

Matthew Talbot Chapter has 22 members. This year we have three new members, two juniors (one new and one by transfer) and one member has been reinstated. We have lost one member due to death. A DAR marker has been placed upon this grave. Six meetings were held, all conducted according to DAR form and ritual. All Patriotic Holidays were observed and publicity given in the local newspaper. Spot announcements were made for Flag Day, Constitution Week and American History Month. Donations were made to DAR Schools and clothing was given to a local service center. An American History medal and Citizenship medals were awarded. The American History Contest was stressed again this year with a good number of entrys. Publicity was given in the local papers and certificates were presented to the winners. The Bicentennial Theme was continued for this year in the programs. The highlight of the year was the presentation of Matthew Talbot's ancestry to the chapter by one of his direct descendants. The booklet has been placed in the local library.

## **METTER CHAPTER, METTER**

**Mrs. W. L. Brannen, Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Metter chapter now has 26 members, having lost 2 by death and 2 by resignation; one application is pending. We have had very interesting programs covering necessary phases of DAR objectives. The chapter participated in the County Bicentennial celebration on July 4, all members dressed in colonial attire riding in the parade, presiding at the booth exhibits and other emphases of the day's celebration; also took part in the guided tour of historic homes and sites of the county. Served as hostess at the breakfast honoring the out-of-town Arts and Crafts exhibitors and judges. An outstanding and much appreciated program was enjoyed by members and guests on October 7 when Dr. Robert L. Martin, Executive Director of Crossnore School, Inc. of Crossnore, N.S., spoke and displayed arts and crafts made by students of the school. Many purchases were made and orders given for future delivery. In December, Metter Chapter entertained our State Regent, Mrs. Bahin, at a luncheon at the Paragon Restaurant in Statesboro as co-hostess with the Brier Creek Chapter of Sylvania.

## **MINERAL SPRINGS, NAHUNTA**

**Mrs. Gordon A. Mitchell, Regent**

**National Honorable Mention**

Mineral Springs Chapter has a membership of 21, 10 of whom are Juniors. Nine meetings were held during the year with programs covering historical, educational and patriotic topics. Constitution Week was observed with displays on bulletin boards in our public schools. Flags were placed on graves of Revolutionary Soldiers and veterans in our locality. A Tea was held in honor of the DAR Good Citizen. One DAR Good Citizen and one American History Award was given at Brantley County High School on Honor's Day. 25% of members subscribe to the magazine. The grave of R. S., West Sheffield was marked in November as a Bicentennial project, Earl of Camden and Regent of Mary Hammond Washington Chapter were guests and participated in ceremony. Chapter members participated in a Bicentennial Parade dressed in Colonial clothes, the float won 3rd place. The State and National financial obligations and requirements were met. Excellent programs have been presented on all topics. Appreciation is given to the Chapter members for their participation in all projects and their fine support of the chapter and it's leadership. We met the requirement and were awarded the Gold Honor Roll last year. We feel this was a fine accomplishment and honor.



## **NANCY HART CHAPTER, MILLEDGEVILLE**

**Mrs. Charles W. Ennis, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll\*\*\***

**State Honor Roll**

Nancy Hart Chapter has had an interesting year and has worked hard to meet NSDAR objectives in outstanding programs and committee activities and to achieve the Hightower Award. Two of our programs gave us a glimpse of our Heritage. A copy of an authentic Revolutionary uniform was modeled, and purpose of each item described, by a young man from Macon. He also displayed personal effects a soldier took into battle. The following program gave a History of America through music. Another program, Preserving Our Ancient Landmarks, brought a personal view of our DAR schools through slides and letters from students telling what the schools mean to them. Constitution Week was observed with a proclamation by the Mayor, cooperation of TV, radio, and press. Emphasis was placed on Flying the Flag. We were honored to have our State Regent as guest speaker in November. At this time she presented 50-year certificates to two members. JAC clubs were formed and students from two schools submitted essays in American History contest. Presidential Signature scarves were sold for Pouch Memorial Fund and two copies of **Washington Landmark** presented. As a special project, voices were sold on an afghan donated by a member, proceeds contributed to St. Mary's school bus fund. Our Veteran Patient chairman promoted a collection of needed items for the hospital here. We were represented at State Conference, Continental Congress, District meetings, and Fall Board of Management.

## **NATHANIEL ABNEY CHAPTER, FITZGERALD**

**Mrs. J. Wilmer Dorminy, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Nathaniel Abney Chapter with 31 members, 2 new, 1 transfer, 1 Junior, enjoyed outstanding Historical, Patriotic, and Educational meetings in members homes. Regent opened meetings with Opening Ritual and Chaplain assisted. All sang The Star Spangled Banner; American Creed, President-General's message, National Defense reports were read. Constitution Week proclaimed by Mayor. Area schools participated by making posters, writing plays. Spots given on radio, in newspapers and over school intercoms. All encouraged to fly flags every day. Participated in Fitzgerald's Bicentennial program, entering float in parade. Mrs. Jonathan Fox, State Vice-Regent, was speaker and luncheon guest when she talked on "Our DAR Story". Memorial Day observed with Regent placing wreath at joint service of patriotic organiza-



tions. We were represented at District meeting and State Conference. American History Month publicized and Good Citizenship medals were given to students in county schools. History award given to High School student having highest average in American History. Feeding bibs, cards, gifts collected for Veteran's hospital. Members (25%) subscribed to magazine, 2 sent to High School and city Library. Ads honoring 50 year members and Medal of Honor recipient were in Georgia issue. Local newspapers, Senators and Representatives were contacted concerning legislation. American Flag was presented to local Chamber of Commerce. One donated to Brownie troop. Boxes of clothing and cash contributions were sent to DAR schools. Received award for yearbook. All requirements met for State and National Gold Honor Roll.

## **NATHANIEL MACON CHAPTER, MACON**

**Mrs. James T. Sanders, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Nine of Nathaniel Macon Chapters 105 members are Juniors. Six new members were admitted during the year. Markers were placed at the graves of 3 deceased members and appropriate memorial services were held. Miss Ruth Allen been a member for 60 years. Programs following the National and State Society guidelines were outstanding and mainly historical in content. American Heritage displays of early American furnished by chapter members. The Mayor proclaimed Constitution Week which was also observed in the schools. Three private schools participated in the American History Essay Contest. Medals and Certificates of Appreciation will be presented. Good Citizen Pins and Good Citizenship Medals are presented annually. With the chapter furnishing terry cloth at a cost of \$44.03, one member made 86 large bibs for Veteran patients at Dublin Hospital. Members planted trees, subscribed 25% to the magazine, collected clothing for the schools and presented books and microfilm to the Historical Room, Washington Memorial Library. DAR Manuals were placed at the Federal Court House; Flag Code leaflets were presented to Bibb County Schools. Scrapbook maintained outlining DAR activities. In honor of the Regent, the chapter purchased for the Best Room at Meadow Garden a mahogany Hepplewhite side chair, circa 1790. She was also honored with a beautiful Bicentennial Christmas Tea given by Mrs. William K. Jordan. State dignitaries were invited. The Regent and chapter members enjoyed serving as co-hosts for the 78th State Conference, March 1976. Represented at Continental Congress, District Meeting and Fall Board.

## **NOBLE WIMBERLY JONES CHAPTER, SHELLMAN**

**Mrs. J. E. McGlaun, Regent**

The Noble Wimberly Jones Chapter has a membership of 26, six of whom are Juniors. Two records are being prepared for the next board meeting. Meetings are opened with the DAR Ritual and prayer by the Chaplain, followed with the Pledge to the Flag and American Creed. Presidents General letters are read and the National Defense News is given at all meetings with one full program on National Defense. Nine meetings were held, seven in the homes of members, and two luncheon meetings at a restaurant in a nearby town. A splendid Bicentennial meeting with appropriate programs was also held. All chapter programs followed educational, patriotic, and historical aims of the National Society, with much information taken from the DAR magazine. Boxes of clothes were sent to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee schools, each valued at \$100.00. Twenty-eight ounces of precancelled stamps were sent to the disabled veterans in Washington D. C. Dues were paid and generous contributions were made to suggested projects. 25% of our members subscribe to the DAR magazine. Regent and 3 members attended the board meeting in Cordele, and several members attended the meeting in Albany. The Regent regrets that it was impossible for the Chapter to be represented at the State Conference and at the Continental Congress. The National Defense Magazine was placed in the school libraries, and Constitution Week and History Month was also observed in the local schools. Good publicity was given to the Chapter meetings in the county newspaper. Flags were displayed on special days. I would also like to express my sincere thanks to those members who helped to make this year successful.

## **OCONEE CHAPTER, MCRAE**

**Mrs. Mary Will Clements, Regent**

Oconee chapter has a membership of 35. Nine monthly meetings were held. The DAR Ritual, Pledge of Allegiance and the Americans Creed given in unison at each meeting. The President Generals message is read at each meeting, also the National Defense News, given from the "National Defender" magazine. The regular meetings were planned to emphasize Educational, Historical and Patriotic themes. Observance of "Constitutional Week" included a Mayor's Proclamation and flags were displayed in the streets of McRae, also noted in the churches. Boxes of clothing were sent to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee schools. The chapter sponsored a "Good Citizen Award, a Telfair County High School Senior received the award and was presented a "Good Citizen" pin. Mrs. Maurice A. Cameron represented the chapter at the State Conference. The DAR Magazine is placed in the public and school libraries. 50% of the members subscribe to the DAR magazine. American History month was observed, the students in all schools were urged to write essays on Historical subjects, the winners receiving awards. The December Tea carried out "Colonial Themes" in decorations and refreshments. The members were dressed in Colonial costume.

## **OGLETHORPE CHAPTER, COLUMBUS**

**Mrs. Robert L. Loflin, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Membership 105. 6 new, including 1 Junior; 1 reinstated, 3 deaths, 1 resignation, 1 transfer. National and State Honor Roll, Hightower Award requirements met. State Regent, Mrs. Bahin, and State Vice Regent, Mrs. Fox, addressed Columbus chapters' combined meetings. American Heritage program - members shared heirloom and contemporary handwork. Member in costume presented "Christmas at Meadow Garden". Member presented Panama Canal program - material from her uncle, engineer who designed electrical locks. Bicentennial programs: Columbus Church Squares and Bradley Library Genealogy Room. Latter is Bicentennial project of 3 chapters - tremendous success. Chapter gave \$375.00 cash and books, 1097 hours; member chairman book selection committee. Bicentennial chairman received DAR Bicentennial pin for designing and cutting colonial costumes for 32 dolls sold; members helping received Certificates. Chapter received Certificate of Appreciation from Columbus Area Bicentennial Commission. 4 members assisted DAR sponsored Genealogy Workshop; 2 conducted sessions. DAR American History Medals presented in 9 high schools. Member is Senior President, Lucy Spell Raiford Society C. A. R. Member gave \$25.00 Indian scholarship. Member gave \$25.00 "Dollars for Defense". Member spent \$3500.00 for plants, trees for park, school garden. Books, Christmas cards to Veteran-Patients. Columbus chapters' joint work - Constitution Week; History month; 9 Good Citizen pins; 1 gold, 7 bronze ROTC medals; provide Manuals for Citizenship; attend Naturalization Ceremonies. Assisted S. A. R. - Coweta Falls Chapter chartered, 63 members, October, 1976. Placed wreath at grave Revolutionary soldier, John O'Quinn, at Fort Benning, July, 1976. Regent deeply appreciates loyalty and cooperation of chapter officers, chairmen, and members.

## **OLIVER MORTON CHAPTER, GRAY**

**Mrs. W. J. Morton, Regent**

**National Honorable Mention**

**State Honor Roll**

Oliver Morton Chapter has met Honor Roll requirements for the State and recognition from National. The only point we failed was membership. We lost 5 members by death and 1 by default. We added 3 new members, thereby losing a membership gain. We have 1 paper in Washington and 5 in preparation. The past year 5 college scholarships were given from a trust fund left by our founding Regent; one member became a Patron of Meadow Garden. We qualified for the Hightower

Award and ordered insignia valued at \$585. We contributed to the fund for the Georgia room in Continental Hall. Mrs. Louis J. Bahin, State Regent, visited our chapter in January and Mrs. Leonard DeLamar, second vice-regent, was our guest in December.

### **OOTHCALOGA CHAPTER, ADAIRSVILLE**

**Mrs. Alice Butler Howard, Regent**

Oothcaloga Chapter held 9 regular meetings. The members of the chapter were honored with a Christmas luncheon by Mrs. Joseph J. Dixon, whose application papers are pending. The chapter gained two new members, lost two by death and one by transfer; two papers are pending. Luncheon meetings were held in the Harriet Gold Room of Holiday Inn, Calhoun with guest speakers. The subjects included Columbus, LaFayette, Jefferson, Women of the Revolution, the Constitution, research, the DAR approved schools and patriotic events. The chapter sent a gift of \$25 to St. Mary's bus fund and small gifts to other schools. Constitution week was proclaimed by the mayor and spot announcements were published in two newspapers. Two members are listed in The Hereditary Register of the United States. The graves of two members were marked with bronze DAR insignia. A history medal and Good Citizenship medals were awarded in the local school. Oothcaloga Chapter is entering its 53rd year with the regent as the only surviving charter member.

### **PETER EARLY CHAPTER, BLAKELY**

**Mrs. W. M. Barksdale, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll\*\*\*\*\***

**State Honor Roll**

Our Chapter has met requirements for State and National Honor Roll for 18 consecutive years. Chapter represented at all State, District meetings and Continental Congress, has 88 members, 1 the National Registrar, Mrs. Herman Richardson, 1 State Chairman, five 50-year members, 2 new junior members, one junior member lives in the White House, Mrs. Jeffery Carter, whose husband, attending college, is on the President's Staff; increase of three. Highlight of year, Constitution Week Luncheon, honoring Mrs. Bahin who spoke on this document; 78 members of 3 chapters attended, junior member, chairman. Publicity, 7 newspapers. PR for year 1350 inches. Outstanding programs: National Defense, DAR Schools by State Vice Regents; American Heritage (Music), Blakely's MOTY; 3 Bicentennial programs, 1 tea, all in costumes, "Sing Out '76", Early Blakely, both original; Fashion Show-1776, "Georgia's First Colonial Governor," descendant of Treutlen was guest. Yearbook cover featured covered bridge, named to National Register, July '76. Chapter custodians of bridge since 1957. Completed President General's project and School Bus Seat, all members partic-

ipating. Sent 122 pounds clothing, DAR Schools; 104 to Indian Schools; \$93 approved schools. Presented Tomb Index of Black Citizens to State Archives (first in Georgia.) Awarded medals: 1 Good Citizen, 3 Good Citizenship, 1 National Defense, organized 2 new JAC Clubs, 63 members. Subscriptions, DAR Magazine over 25% ; \$265 advertisement in July issue honoring Revolutionary ancestors. Wreath placed on Revolutionary soldier's grave, July 4 with ceremony. Chapter has \$10,000 Scholarship Loan Fund available to worthy students.

### **PULASKI CHAPTER, GRIFFIN**

**Mrs. Richard O. Campbell, Regent**

#### **National Gold Honor Roll**

#### **State Honor Roll**

Our membership has increased from 74 to 78 in spite of 3 deaths in the Chapter. There are 5 new member applications in Washington. We have a new junior member which makes a 5 total junior membership. The DAR magazine was subscribed to with a high increase from 21 to 28. All awards were presented on Honor's Day in April. The May meeting was a luncheon fashion show - "What our Bi-Centennial Lady Will Wear." **Washington Landmark** along with an American Flag were ceremonially presented to the Flint River Regional Library. A DAR "Manual for Citizenship" was given to a Chinese nurse who has made her home here. All monies required were sent to State - National - \$25.00 to Tamassee - \$25.00 K. D. S. - \$10.00 to Bacone - \$10.00 to St. Mary's - Boxes of clothes were delivered to Crossnores by Mrs. R. P. Shapard, Jr. - Pulaski member. The Bi-Centennial Committee, discovered there was no monument to our Revolutionary Soldier in our Memorial Park. We tried but received no Bi-Centennial monies for this project. Undaunted, Patrons were solicited, fruit cakes sold and other donations made. A memorial was OKed at our December meeting. It will be an 11 foot-high replica of the Washington Monument - on a three-tiered base. The DAR insignia will be properly engraved on the monument under which will be engraved "In Memory of Revolutionary Soldiers" Placed by Pulaski Chapter NSDAR 1976.

Cherry trees have been planted by our Conservation Committee to enhance our Memorial Park.

### **ROANOKE CHAPTER, RICHLAND**

**Mrs. B. W. Mayo, Regent**

Roanoke Chapter has 49 members. We lost one from non payment of dues and another by resignation. We had nine meetings during the year, on the first Tuesday of each month, September through May. In accordance with the appropriate themes we have had interesting and informative programs each meeting. In February, we held our annual

George Washington luncheon. Constitution Week and American History month were observed with news publicity comments appearing in the local paper. The December meeting was a Christmas party for the veterans. Clothes valued at \$250 were sent to DAR schools. A Good Citizen pin, Good Citizenship medal and an American History medal were awarded. All financial obligations have been met. Roanoke Chapter members look forward to a good year.

## **ST. ANDREWS PARISH CHAPTER, DARIEN**

**Mrs. Laurence M. Scoville, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

We celebrated our 20th Anniversary February 1976. Mrs. Thomas Hopkins was Organizing Regent. We were honored to have our Registrar General, Mrs. Richardson, as speaker. We have seven new members, and three membership applications pending. We lost one member by death, one by resignation, and one transfer to Member at Large. We had our first Page at Continental Congress. Sold our first \$200 advertisement for NSDAR magazine. Gave one Good Citizens' Pin, awarded 36 History Certificates and 8 Medals. Constitution Week and American History Week were observed. We sponsored a Bicentennial Contest, subjects of the Essays being restricted to Revolutionary Patriots whose names were used to mark streets and squares of Darien. The Darien Bank awarded Georgia Bicentennial Medals to winners in adult and youth categories. We donated flags to a Boy Scout Troop, and the Lions Club. Miss Bessie Lewis' book, "**They Called Their Town Darien**", was accepted by NSDAR Library. Ten members attended Southeast District Meeting, in Jesup. Gave funds to Meadow Garden, Tondee's Tavern, and funds and clothes to Kate Duncan Smith, Tamasee, Bacone, St. Marys, Crossnore and Hineman Settlement. Miss Eliza Martin received the NSDAR Medal, for outstanding work in Conservation. Received National Recognition and Certificate of Merit for Outstanding Yearbook. Mrs. Bahin, our State Regent, was guest speaker for our Christmas Party, giving an excellent talk on State DAR and Meadow Garden. Attended Continental Congress, State Conference and District Meetings. Fulfilled all requirements for Honor Roll.

## **SAVANNAH CHAPTER, SAVANNAH**

**Mrs. Lawrence M. Edwards, Regent**

**National Honorable Mention**

Membership 259. Met requirements Hightower Award. Contributed \$1.00 per member President General's Project. Active participation Georgia Week and American History Month. Junior members, dressed in colonial costumes, placed wreath General Oglethorpe's monument.

Members participated in pageant and attended luncheon - other functions. Presented American History, Good Citizens, Good Citizenship, ROTC medals and certificates. One fifty-year pin. Flag Day observed. Constitution Week observed 3 chapters in Savannah. Representative Herbert Jones, speaker. Junior, Mrs. Roy Wise, 15 minute TV program. National Defense speaker November. December, State Regent, Mrs. Louis J. Bahin, chapter guest. Gave latest information DAR Schools and Meadow Garden. Christmas message by Rev. Roy Wise. Highlights 1976 Bicentennial activity: July 4, 1976 attended Bicentennial patriotic service Christ Church; held ceremony and placed wreath tomb of Button Gwinnett; Rang bell at historic Massie School. Bicentennial certificates or medals presented to Mrs. Blair Davis - painting Bicentennial plate depicting Tondee's Tavern; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence M. Edwards - 7 volumes cemetery records, including Revolutionary soldiers; Mr. William Whitten - newspaper series of Bicentennial articles; Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill - served as State chairman Bicentennial committee seven years; Colonel Henry Lee Society C. A. R. - outstanding contribution during Bicentennial years; Glenn Fling, president Colonel Henry Lee Society C. A. R. October 9 three Savannah Chapters gave beautiful reception for His Excellency The Ambassador of France and Madame Jacques Kosciusko who were in Savannah to celebrate anniversary of Siege of Savannah and to stimulate interest in Battlepark. Completed Bicentennial project selling plates - profit for furnishings Georgia State Room Continental Memorial Hall.

## **SERGEANT NEWTON CHAPTER, COVINGTON**

**Mrs. Parepa M. Aiken, Regent**

### **National Gold Honor Roll**

### **State Honor Roll**

We have four new members, one a Junior; two papers pending. Programs were on Historic, Patriotic and Educational topics. Speakers were given Georgia Bicentennial Medals. We co-operated with the county Bicentennial Committee in 4th of July Parade; with Oxford Shrine Society in Spring Tour of Homes & Historic Sites and Cemeteries, acting as hostesses & guides in colonial costume. Constitution Week was observed with a Proclamation by the Mayor. Service for Veteran-Patients included making wheelchair bags, and gifts at Christmas. Youth Work included Senior leadership for our C. A. R. Chapter, (which gained two new members); & sponsored a J. A. C. Club. Four Good Citizenship Medals, 2 Good Citizen Pins and 2 History Award Medals were given. American History Month was observed with contests for Essay Awards in four county schools. Members visited Tamassee and KDS, and took three carloads of clothing, including toys, games and antique dolls. We cooperated with a countywide Beautification Project, planting flowers on the city square park, and in a Memorial Garden. Many trees were planted and school-grounds beautified. Almost a full-page article with pictures was carried in the Bicentennial 4th of July issue of THE COVINGTON NEWS, giving history of NSDAR, and work of the various committees.



## **STEPHEN HEARD CHAPTER, ELBERTON**

**Mrs. L. L. Stovall, Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Stephen Heard Chapter will celebrate its 75th anniversary in June, has 69 members 1 new member, 1 junior, 1 transfer, 1 resignation and lost 1 by death. Have worked to meet requirements for State and National Honor Roll. 11 attended State Conference and 6 for District meeting. Programs centered around the National Motto: For Home and Country and observing Bicentennial. Radio chairman had outstanding programs on station WSGC. Excellent programs on Meadow Garden and American pottery, enhanced by a display, other outstanding programs were, The Patch work quilt and Sunday coverlets, National Defense and Footsteps into History. Constitution week observed with window display and proclamation in local newspaper, also a timely program on Conservation, the speaker using her farm as many experiments. Chapter Regent accepted keys to Nancy Hart Park from County Commissioner. Awarded 2 Good Citizenship medals to selected boy and girl in High school also 5 certificates given in DAR essay contest at Honors Day exercise. Large boxes of clothing were sent to Tamassee and KDS schools A Founders Day program. 23 magazines subscriptions and \$10.00 ad. 16 laprobes and bibs sent to Veteran's Hospital, box of jewelry mailed to Bacone Indian school an excellent program on Indian schools. Chapter presented 12 certificates of appreciation to leaders of the community who participated in the Bicentennial Memorial fountain erected on the Elberton city square.

## **STONE CASTLE CHAPTER, DAWSON**

**Mrs. William L. Wall, Sr., Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Stone Castle Chapter gained one new member, lost one member by death and one by resignation giving us 44 members, including 2 Junior members. Each meeting was opened with The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States, The American's Creed and the singing of The Star Spangled Banner. The President General's Message and The National Defense Report were given at each meeting. The chapter was represented at District Meeting, Fall Board Meeting, State Conference and Continental Congress. Requirements for State Honor Roll and The Hightower Award have been met. American History month was observed, as was Constitution Week with a proclamation from the Mayor, spot announcements on radio and attendance at a luncheon given by the Albany Chapters. With The Dorothy Walton Chapter a program on DAR was presented to a Civic Club and a radio program was given on



Thanksgiving Day. A book "The Fledgling Province", by Harold Davis, was presented to The Kinchofoonee Regional Library in the name of our chapter, by his mother, Mrs. Fred Davis, one of our members. A cash award to the student with the highest average in American History, three American History Medals, two Good Citizen Awards and three Good Citizenship Medals were presented. Programs were outstanding, carrying our Historical, Educational and Patriotic objectives of NSDAR. Among the speakers were Mrs. Jonathan Fox, first Vice Regent, Mrs. Leonard DeLamar, Second Vice Regent, and Mrs. Raiferd L. Drew, Organizing Secretary.

### **SUNBURY CHAPTER, WINDER**

**Mrs. Addie Mae Pinkston, Regent**

#### **State Honor Roll**

Sunbury Chapter has 40 members including 1 Junior. Constitution Week was observed by the Mayor's Proclamation, newspaper publicity, daily radio spot announcements, and displays in public library. American History Month was observed with 36 school essays judge, awards given; Good Citizens and Citizenship medals presented; 15 spot announcements, and Regent and Chairman interviewed on American History over radio station; local banks cooperated, one had outdoor electric sign calling attention to History Month, another displayed "American History Month" on outside bulletin board. Newspaper publicity on all DAR meetings held. 12 DAR magazine subscriptions. Money and 2 pieces of pewter donated to DAR Museum. Special program given on National Defense with Mrs. Louis Bahin, speaker. Monthly report of 15 minutes given by National Defense chairman. Clothing, shoes and money donated to DAR and Indian Schools. Donation sent to building fund to Tamasee in memory of deceased member. Printed yearbook. Scrapbook being completed. Contributed leadership and finances to Georgia and James Watson Society, C. A. R. Bicentennial events our members participated in cooperation with other organizations of Winder were: "Bicentennial Salute to Georgia Women"; 4th of July parade and service titled "First Mile for God into 3rd Century"; Tree display "Old Treasures from Barrow Homes"; Tour of historic homes. Sunbury placed and dedicated a marble marker of the American Flag as a Bicentennial activity on the grounds of the U. S. Post Office. Face of marker showing flag in color, other side "Dedicated by Sunbury Chapter DAR and City of Winder.

### **TALLASSEE CHAPTER, TIFTON**

**Mrs. Cecilia T. Smith, Regent**

Tallassee Chapter had during 1976 superior meetings as to being informative about colonial history. Our Defense Reports were excellent, and kept the members abreast of national affairs. The meetings were

well attended; and although we had one resign in good standing due to poor health, we gained new members. News coverage was very good. Our Bicentennial effort was in selling automobile and bicycle tags. We profited sufficiently to feel free to do extra things this year. Two of our members attended the district meeting. Local interest has increased in our chapter. There are several ladies trying to work on their papers. We are hopeful of several new applicants soon.

## **THOMASVILLE CHAPTER, THOMASVILLE**

**Mrs. Charles R. Simmons, Jr., Regent**

### **National Honorable Mention**

#### **State Honor Roll**

"Love and Pride of Country" rang out over Thomasville with Thomasville Chapter's 90 members arranging for band, chorus and speeches. The Bicentennial year was kicked off with a program, "Rendezvous Americana", which was staged, organized and directed by Bicentennial Committee; culminating 18 months of work and planning. A total of 265 participants, representing 28 groups throughout city and county, presented an evening of patriotic entertainment of music, drama, history and dance — A real community effort. May 1st this committee also directed a program of colonial entertainment: band concert, speeches, colorful May Pole dance, lemonade and cookies at the Big Oak — a tree standing 90 years before Declaration of Independence. At this occasion awards were given for a contest opened to all ages and races which represented four divisions of art relating to the Revolution. On July 4th this committee dressed in period costume served as hostess at the historic Lapham-Patterson House — 3,000 attended. Constitution Week was observed in city by proclamation of Mayor, highlighting American History Month was Washington Birthday Luncheon, using the news media affirming the importance of the month. Cash and clothing were sent DAR schools.

Received first place in state and nation for History Essay Contest. 5 Good Citizens received medal and certificate. 5 History Essay winners. 4 attended state conference. 5 attended District Workshop. Marked the grave of a revolutionary soldier. State winner for largest increase in JAC Clubs. Credit for this report goes to cooperation of members.

## **THRONATEESKA CHAPTER, ALBANY**

**Mrs. Gordon W. Kilgore, Regent**

### **National Gold Honor Roll**

#### **State Honor Roll**

Worked hard to meet all honor roll requirements. Enrollment Feb. 1, 1976 was 86; three lost by death, one resignation; gained 6 new members

(two were Juniors) in 1976. Lost one by death January 1977. Membership February 1, 1977 is 87, a gain of one. Plan to aggressively recruit new members, especially Juniors. Regent attended State Conference, Continental Congress, District and Fall Board. Sent six large boxes clothing, contributed funds and enjoyed DAR School programs. Constitution Week especially enjoyable with State Regent present; luncheon jointly with sister Albany Chapter. Participated in Good Citizen program, American History Month and JAC program in which every elementary school; in county covered by chapter. Provided leadership in our C. A. R. chapter with programs, training in speech and parliamentary procedures. Donated Bicentennial Mural "We the People" to Thronateeska Heritage Foundation to be permanently housed in Albany museum. This has hung in State Capitol almost one year. Two \$100 scholarships awarded to students at Albany Junior College in recognition of work on Mural. Participated jointly with other Southwest Georgia chapters in Bicentennial celebration and parade July 3 sponsoring float "Our First Flag." Program chairman provided excellent program on DAR objectives given to bring old members up-to-date and inform new members. Submitted 37 Revolutionary ancestors histories to complete all for chapter, total 222 now on file. News coverage excellent and much appreciated. A good rewarding year - and fun.

### **TOCCOA CHAPTER, TOCCOA**

**Mrs. Wallace B. Bruce, Regent**

**National Honorable Mention**

**State Honor Roll**

Toccoa Chapter has 58 members, including three new members, one of whom is a Junior Member. All meetings opened with DAR Ritual. Press coverings by local paper, The Toccoa Record and radio stations WNEG and WLET excellent. Contributions made to national, State and local projects of DAR work and objectives. Constitution week and American History Month observed. Three area good citizens and their mothers were guests at February luncheon. A marker valued at \$450.00 was placed on Courthouse Square with names of Revolutionary Soldiers buried in Stephens County as a Bi-Centennial project. CAR members gave May program. American History Awards Certificates were presented on Honors Day. Subscriptions to DAR Magazine given to three area high school libraries. Clothing valued at \$1,000.00 sent to Tamassee.

## **TOMOCHICHI CHAPTER, CLARKESVILLE**

**Mrs. Walter C. Gemperline, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll\*\***

**State Honor Roll**

This has been a year of growth for our Chapter and we now have 66 members, eight of whom are Juniors. We proudly added one this year. Some, being out-of-town members, cannot be active in the work of the Chapter, but others are taking responsible positions and one is a State Vice Chairman. Again our Bicentennial project was the marking of a Revolutionary Patriot's grave and the grave of Lieut. John Dillard was marked with much ceremony at the Head of Tenn. Baptist Church at Dillard, Rabun County, Georgia on September 11th. An article on this will appear in the DAR magazine. Five Good Citizen pins and twelve Good Citizenship medals were presented and American History Month medals and certificates will be presented at Honors Day. Excellent press and radio coverage was obtained for both Constitution Week and American History Month. Members toured Tamassee School and took boxes of clothing, and a program was given to the Chapter on Tamassee and the new Smith-Mettetal Building. Our Genealogical Records Chairman, Mrs. Luther Shore, presented books she had compiled to the local libraries and to the State Archives. The Chapter was represented at State Conference, Continental Congress and the District meeting at Washington, Ga. Fine programs and National Defense reports have been enjoyed and have followed DAR guidelines. Members have been wonderfully cooperative and any credit due must go to them.

## **VIDALIA CHAPTER, VIDALIA**

**Mrs. Ned L. Shuman, Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

Vidalia Chapter DAR with 102 members has met requirements for National Honor Roll, State Honor Roll, and Hightower Award. Highlights in the year of our Nation's Bicentennial include the presentation of a Medal of Honor to Mr. G. H. Achenbach for being an outstanding native-born American; sponsoring an American Issues Forum with Mr. Jim Davis of WJBF-TV as guest speaker; having an award's program honoring the winners of the DAR American History Essay Contest, recipients of the DAR Good Citizens Medal, and winners of the DAR Good Citizenship Contest; and outstanding programs including guest speaker Mrs. Luther Watson, State Regent, Georgia Society NSDAR. Chapter was represented at all four District Workshops, Fall Board of Management, State Conference, and Continental Congress.

## **WHITEHALL INN CHAPTER, ATLANTA**

**Mrs. Roy W. Weaver, Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

Whitehall Inn has shown much interest this year. Membership is 25, two deceased. State dues sent to the State Treasurer. Conference Fee sent. Fifty cents per member sent to "Meadow Garden" Twenty-five per cent subscriptions to the DAR Magazine. Desired number of programs given on specific DAR work. Contributions to approved schools. Publicity in newspapers. My sincere thanks to those members who helped make this year a success.

## **WILLIAM MCINTOSH CHAPTER, JACKSON**

**Annadawn W. Edwards, Regent**

**National Gold Honor Roll\***

William McIntosh Chapter has a current membership of 71, including 8 junior members, for a net gain of 3. We recognized three 50-year members at May luncheon. DAR Magazine given to 3 local schools and public library. Met Hightower Award requirements. Met Honor Roll requirements. In cooperation with county bicentennial celebration, held open house at DAR Clubhouse on July 10 displaying antiques. Participated in bicentennial parade using covered wagon with DAR member and 2 children in appropriate costume. Regent monthly gave radio talks on some phase of DAR objectives. NSDAR materials used on local radio reports. Presented lap robes and socks to all veterans at local nursing homes. Regent attended state conference, regent and 4 members district conference, and regent and 2 members fall workshop. School students awarded 6 medals and 6 certificates. Meadow Garden donation \$35.50. President-General's project contribution \$76.00. Excellent coverage of meetings and activities in local newspaper. Progress made on county history with 7 chapters ready for typing. Chapter owned and maintained clubhouse shared for a nominal fee with other clubs and organizations. Using DAR objectives as theme, placed second with booth at county fair. Outstanding flag program with display at high school and distribution of NSDAR pamphlets. President of Georgia Genealogical Society presented a program explaining ancestor research and distributed charts for doing same.

## **WILLIAM MARSH CHAPTER, LAFAYETTE**

**Mrs. Denny A. Snow, Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

**State Honor Roll**

William Marsh Chapter participated in several Bicentennial events-a colorful and interesting dedication of a flag pole and marker honoring the military people and patriots of the American Revolution, a salute to Revolutionary ancestors of all chapter members which The Walker County Messenger published, a dawn prayer service and flag raising on the grounds of Gordon Hall July 4th, later the same day wreaths were laid and flags placed on graves of the three known men of the Revolution interred in this county. DAR float in Independence Day Parade featured Marquis deLaFayette for whom town is named. Chapter observed its 65th anniversary in April with a tea and review of its first year. Constitution Week and American History Month received good coverage in press and radio. Pins and Certificates awarded Good Citizens of the three area high schools. Chapter co-sponsored two lecture series on American Heritage at Cherokee Regional Library. Mary Ball Washington's LaFayette Gingerbread was again chapter feature at community bazaar. Eleven volumes placed in Library's Genealogy Room. Ft. Cummings' markers to be relocated on site due to present inaccessibility, ceremony scheduled Feb. 27. Area Cherokee were held here before the march westward. An ongoing chapter project involves microfilming The Walker County Messenger in co-operation with the University of Georgia, Athens.

## **WILLIAM WITCHER CHAPTER, CEDARTOWN**

**Mrs. Stephen A. Pettis, Regent**

**National Silver Honor Roll**

Our membership of 62 is drawn from seven towns in the area. Eight members were added this year, three applications are being processed. Much public interest was evinced in Bicentennial Project, **Making Local History Live**. The first of 52 radio programs told the NSDAR story, its founding, objectives and activities. All tapes and newspaper articles used in the project are on file in the Cedartown Library. Outstanding programs were presented in all required categories. Dr. Inez Henry, (Emeritus Assistant to President of Berry School) gave a report on Resolutions adopted by 1976 Continental Congress. Mrs. Joe Franklin, collateral descendant of Georgia Walton, was guest at May luncheon, and spoke on Meadow Garden. Good Citizen, Good Citizenship, and American History pins and medals were given to students in Rockmart and Cedartown schools. ROTC medal was awarded to a student at Cedartown Comprehensive High School. DAR magazine subscriptions were given to public libraries in Rockmart and Cedartown. Ad was placed in magazine. Regent and/or members visited KDS and Tamassee

and delivered about 500 pounds of salable items, luncheon was given for 28 prospective members of SAR. Assistance is being given in completing applications. Rockmart, Cedartown, and Cave Spring participated in meaningful observance of Constitution Week. All requirements were met for Hightower Award and National Gold Honor Roll.

## **XAVIER CHAPTER, ROME**

**Mrs. Robert E. Sachs, Regent**

### **National Gold Honor Roll**

### **State Honor Roll**

November 11, 1976, the graves of all past regents and charter members were marked in connection with Veterans Day observances. This Bicentennial project was to honor those who founded the 2nd chapter in Georgia and the 7th chapter in the nation. July 4th the S. A. R. and DAR chapters joined together in the Parade and dedication of Heritage Park. The final program in the 2 year series "Bicentennial Salutes" was given. Our heritage was the theme for our programs. A skit on the Georgia Signers of the Constitution by Berry Students was featured, as well as our musical heritage during the Tea for DAR Schools. March brought reports from State Conference and a program on Colonial Herbs. Fashions from Colonial Times to the 20th Century was presented by the 4-H Clubs in May. Dr. Inez Henry made the Continental Congress come alive before our eyes with her report. Slides of the State Rooms concluded the program. A beautiful Indian summer day brought us to "Chieftains" for a tour and stories about the wives of John Ridge and Elias Boudinot. Dr. G. D. Wilson analyzed the election in November. "Colonial Churches", a slide presentation by Rev. R. A. Beeland will complete our year. Our attendance reflects the outstanding programs. All committees are active and each month several are highlighted and give brief reports. All Honor Roll requirements have been met.

# ByLaws

## **BYLAWS OF THE GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

### **Article I NAME**

The name of this organization shall be the Georgia State Society of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

### **Article II OBJECTS**

The objects of the Georgia State Society of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution shall be: to promote the aims set forth in the Bylaws of the National Society; 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 of the Daughters of the American Revolution located within the State of Georgia shall be members of this organization.

### **Article IV OFFICERS**

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 Organizing Secretary, a State 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 and who shall, at the request of the State Regent, attend any meeting.

### **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 election of the State Regent and of the State First 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 five 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 the State office shall be deemed to have served a term. Any member holding active membership in a Chapter in the Georgia State Society shall be eligible to hold a State office, provided she has been a member of a Chapter in this State for at least five years.

Section 4. Nominations of candidates for office shall be from the floor. The election shall be held by ballot. A majority of the votes cast by the voting members of the State Conference shall elect.

Section 5. Should the office of 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 or by the Continental Congress. A vacancy in any other State office between annual meetings shall be filled by appointment 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 State 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 shall be endorsed by a majority of the members of the State Conference present and voting by ballot. The Continental Congress for this election shall be designated in the motion for endorsement and the endorsement shall not be made more than fifteen months in advance of the Continental Congress so designated.

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 shall be sent immediately to the Recording Secretary General. The endorsement of a candidate for Vice President General shall be certified by the candidate and by the State Recording Secretary and sent to the Recording Secretary General at least two weeks prior to Continental Congress.

## **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 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 Society. She shall be ex-officio a member of all committees.

Section 2. In the absence of the State Regent from any meeting 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 du-

ties as may be requested by the State Regent.

Section 3. The State Chaplain shall open all meetings of the State Conference and of the 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 of 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 Society. She shall receive 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 of the State Society. 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 a member of the Credentials Committee.

Section 7. The State Organizing Secretary shall assist the State Regent in the preliminary work of organizing new Chapters.

Section 8. The State 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 those 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 NSDAR Library and in the Georgia DAR Collections in the State Department of Archives and History. She shall endeavor to obtain the books on the wanted list of the Librarian General for the Georgia Section in the NSDAR Library and is authorized to solicit contributions from the Chapters for the purchase of the same. She shall have custody and super-

vision of the DAR Genealogical and Historical Collections of the State Department of Archives and History.

Section 11. The State Curator shall receive and be responsible for all gifts of Revolutionary relics to the Museum of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution. She shall be the custodian of the conference properties and shall have them properly stored, insured and made ready for use at 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, but shall not 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 meeting and credential blanks to the Chapters not less than sixty days before the time of the State Conference.

Section 3. The voting members of the State Conference shall be State Officers, the officers of the National Society whose membership is within the state, the Honorary State Regents, the Chapter Regents, or in their absence, the First Vice Regent or alternate, 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 Bylaws.

Section 4. A member shall 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 the privileges of the floor shall be accorded to the State Chairmen with the exception that they may not vote unless they are duly elected delegates or their alternates 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 one dollar for each member of the Chapter, to be paid to the State Treasurer on or before February 1. Seventy cents of this amount

shall be allocated to the general State Dues Fund and thirty cents shall be used to cover all State required per capita assessments. No Chapter shall be entitled to representation at the annual State Conference until the State dues are paid.

Section 2. The Finance Committee, appointed by the State Regent, shall be composed of seven members, to include the State First Vice Regent, the State Treasurer, the immediate past State Treasurer, two Honorary State Regents, one active Chapter Regent, and one active Chapter member. This committee shall also serve as a Budget Committee to recommend to the State Board of Management the allocation of the State Dues Fund.

Section 3. Each Chapter shall send to the State Treasurer, with the State Dues, a Conference registration fee of \$3.00 for each voter to which the Chapter is entitled under the Bylaws.

Section 4. State Officers and Honorary State Regents shall pay the \$3.00 Conference fee at the time of registration. Other members of the Georgia State Society, Daughters of the American Revolution who are not duly elected voters from their respective chapters shall pay a \$1.00 Conference fee at the time of registration.

## **Article IX EXPENSES**

Section 1. One thousand 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 administrative expenses of the State Regent shall be paid by the State Treasurer from the State Dues Fund.

## **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 State Board of Management shall hold a regular meeting in the Fall, following the regular meeting of the National Board. It may meet whenever called by the State Regent.

Section 3. Ten members shall constitute a quorum of the State Board of Management.

Section 4. 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.

Section 5. State Chairmen, Vice Chairmen and Committee Members of National and Standing Committees shall attend the meetings of the State Board of Management and shall be granted the privileges of the floor, but may not vote.

Section 6. The Parliamentarian shall attend the meetings of the State Board of Management, but may not vote.

## **Article XI EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

Section 1. The officers of the Georgia State Society shall constitute an Executive Committee. The Parliamentarian, at the request of the State Regent, attends the meetings of the Executive Committee, but may not vote. This Committee performs such duties of the Board between its meetings as may from time to time seem expedient. The Executive Committee shall meet 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 no later than April or May. The Chapter Regent shall report the names 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 250 words in length, for publication in the Proceedings shall be furnished the State Recording Secretary before the State Conference.

## **Article XIII AMENDMENTS**

Section 1. The Bylaws 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. The State Regent shall send a copy to each Chapter and each voting member, at least sixty days prior to State Conference, with her message carrying the call to Conference.

Section 2. Unless otherwise provided prior to its adoption or in motion to adopt, an amendment to these Bylaws shall take effect at the close of the State Conference at which it is so adopted.

## **Article XIV RULES OF ORDER**

Section 1. Robert's Rules of Order, Newly Revised, shall be the governing authority in Parliamentary Law for the State Conference in matters not covered by the Bylaws.

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 Bylaws.

# 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. Bylaws 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 Conference in the Spring not to interfere with Lent." (Minutes, p. 211).

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 Conferences 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 8-9-10-11-12, 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) Thomaston, 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. (56) Atlanta, March 10-11-12, 1954. (57) Augusta, March 9-10-11, 1955. (58) Atlanta, March 1-2-3, 1956. (59) Savannah, March 11-12-13, 1957. (60) Athens, March 11-12-13, 1958. (61) Atlanta, March 12-13-14, 1959. (62) Savannah, March 24-25-26, 1960. (63)

Albany, March 6-7-8, 1961. (64) Atlanta, March 15-16-17, 1962. (65) Columbus, March 14-15-16, 1963. (66) Jekyll Island, March 17-18-19, 1964. (67) Augusta, March 18-19-20, 1965. (68) Atlanta, March 17-18-19, 1966. (69) Macon, March 9-10-11, 1967. (70) Savannah, March 5-6-7, 1968. (71) Augusta, March 20-21-22, 1969. (72) Atlanta, March 12-13-14, 1970. (73) Macon, March 18-19-20, 1971. (74) Columbus, March 23-24-25, 1972. (75) Savannah, March 6-7-8, 1973. (76) Atlanta, March 7-8-9, 1974. (77) Athens, March 13-14-15, 1975. (78) Macon, March 16-17-18, 1976. (79) Augusta, March 8-9-10, 1977.



# Items of Information

## ACT OF INCORPORATION

See pages 178-182 in 1962-1963 State Proceedings for the Act of Incorporation Document of the Georgia State Society, NSDAR.

### Awards

All chapters competing for awards must send reports to the respective chairmen by February 1, 1978.

All reports for awards are based on membership confirmed by the National Society as of February 1 of preceding year (1977). SEE FIGURE BESIDE CHAPTER NAME IN CHAPTER REGENTS DIRECTORY.

### Bylaws

Chapter Bylaws MUST NOT conflict with the National and State Bylaws.

### Change of Address

Notice of change of address of members shall be sent to the Organizing Secretary General, Treasurer General, State Regent and State Registrar.

### Change of Name

Notice of change of name of members shall be promptly reported to State Registrar, Treasurer General and State Regent.

### Chapter Elections

Chapter elections shall be held preferably in April or early May and names of officers shall be promptly reported to the Organizing Secretary General, Administration Building, 1776 D Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20006, to the State Regent, and to the Recording Secretary. The full Christian name of Chapter officers shall be given together with her husband's given name or initials, address and zip code.

### Dues

Pay to State Treasurer State Dues of \$1.00 per member before December 1. State dues shall immediately be paid on all new members accepted at the February 1 and two April Board meetings of the National Society. National Dues of \$7.00 per member sent to the Treasurer-General, 1776 D Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20006 before December 1, 1977.



## **Conference Registration Fee**

Each chapter shall send to the State Treasurer with the State dues on or before December 1, \$3.00 for each voter to which the chapter is entitled under the Bylaws.

Rules for representation of chapters at Continental Congress:

"Chapters having less than 50 paid members on February 1 are entitled to be represented by the Regent or in her absence the Vice Regent or alternate; chapters having 50 to 199 paid members on February 1, one delegate in addition to the Regent; chapters having 200 to 299 paid members on February 1, two delegates in addition to the Regent, and for each additional 100 members one additional delegate." (Article XIII, Section 3-C, National Bylaws).

State Officers and Honorary State Regents shall pay the \$3.00 Conference fee at the time of registration. Other members of the Georgia State Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, who are not duly elected voters from their respective chapters shall pay a \$1.00 Conference Fee at the time of registration. (Article VIII, Section 4, of the State Bylaws).

## **Contributions**

All contributions by Chapters for State and National work shall be made through the State Treasurer.

## **Deceased Members**

Deaths shall be reported promptly to Treasurer General and State Chaplain. Complete list of deceased members giving Christian name, husband's name and a 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.

## **Georgia Hospitality Fund**

The following resolution which applies to the Georgia Hospitality Fund appears in the Proceedings for 1955:

"WHEREAS, The Georgia State Society, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, holds an annual dinner in Washington each year during Continental Congress, which necessitates expenditures for decorations and guests invited by the Georgia Society.

"THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Georgia State Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, establish a Georgia Hospitality Fund, not to exceed \$100.00 per year, to be used for the above purposes.

"BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this fund shall not be cumulative. Adopted."

## **General New Regime Fund Balance \$2,500**

The following resolution which applies to the General New Regime Fund Balance of \$2,500.00 appears in the Proceedings for 1959-1960, page 41:

"RESOLVED, That at the end of each regime all money in the General Fund above \$2,500.00 be transferred to the Savings Account; when the Supplemental Audit Report is made as of June 1 every two years before the Auditors close out the books this transaction be handled in order to show in this Audit, thus making the General Fund show the same

balance of \$2,500.00 at the beginning of each new regime. ADOPTED."

### **Procedure Book of Instructions for Officers and State Chairmen**

The following resolution which applies to a Procedure Book of Instruction for Officers and State Chairmen appears in the Proceedings for 1959-1960, Page 41.

"RESOLVED, That all Officers and State Chairmen keep a Procedure Book of Instructions and helpful suggestions and recommendations to be turned over to the new Officer and Chairmen to facilitate their responsibilities thus providing a continuing continuity of DAR work, ADOPTED.

### **Genealogical Records**

To insure uniformity and convenience in binding, all records shall be typewritten on one side of paper, 8½ by 11 inches, with 1½ to 2 inch margin on left side, 1½ inches at top and 1 inch on right side and at bottom. Three copies shall be sent to State Chairman of Genealogical Records.

### **Information for Chapter Regents**

1. 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.

2. Please follow Resolution No. 11, adopted at 61st Georgia Society State Conference, as follows: "Resolved, That a closing date of February 1 be established for all reports, and all reports be given from February 1 to February 1, regardless of a change of regime or Regent." All awards will be made on this date basis.

### **Information for State Officers and State Chairmen**

State Officers and State Chairmen shall send to the State Regent and to the State Treasurer a copy of any instruction letter mailed to chapters.

### **List of DAR Schools**

Kate Duncan Smith DAR School, Grant, Ala. 35747; Tamassee DAR School, Tamassee, S. C. 29686; Berry Schools, Mt. Berry, Ga. 30149; Crossnore School, Inc., Crossnore, N. C. 28616; Hillside School, Inc., Marlborough, Mass. 01752; Hindman Settlement School, Hindman, Ky. 41822.

### **Meadow Garden**

The deed to Meadow Garden property from the National Society, DAR, is in the possession of the State Regent and is also recorded in the Richmond County Courthouse, Augusta, Georgia.

### **Nominations**

The following resolution which applies to the announcement of the candidacy for State Regent appears in the Proceedings of the Twentieth State Conference, 1918:

"Resolved, that it is the judgment of the Executive Board that announcements for State Regent should not be made . . . earlier than three months prior to the meeting of the Conference and they shall be furnished to the Press for publication."

## **Proceedings**

Two copies of the Proceedings will be sent to each Chapter. One copy to be retained by Regent, one copy given to the Chapter Treasurer. Additional copies, if available, must be secured from the State Recording Secretary at \$2.00 per copy, plus 45 cents for postage if to be mailed.

## **Reports for Proceedings**

State Officers', State Chairmen's and Chapter Regents' reports for Proceedings shall be as concise as possible-not to exceed 250 words-type-written (DOUBLE SPACED) upon one side of three-hole punched, unruled paper, 8½ by 11 inches, and shall be sent to the State Regent and to the State Recording Secretary on or before February 15, the ORIGINAL being sent to the Secretary for the Proceedings, CHAPTERS COMPETING FOR THE HONOR ROLL, BY FEBRUARY 1.

A standard HEADING of ALL reports must conform to the Headings found in the Proceedings and must start at least 1½ inches from top of sheet of paper. Leave 1 inch between bottom of Heading and start of report. LEFT MARGIN of report must be 1 inch minimum. Please check previous Proceedings for correct heading. Winners of awards of State Officers and State Chairmen shall be listed on a SEPARATE sheet of paper. State Officers and State Chairmen send to the State Recording Secretary and the State Regent, the awards to be given next year on a SEPARATE sheet of paper-exactly as it is to be printed in the Proceedings.

## **Resolutions**

Resolutions to be considered by the Committee shall be typed, with a heading giving subject of the resolution, signed, and sent to the Chairman of the Resolutions Committee two weeks before the date of the State Conference.

# GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY, NSDAR

## TENTATIVE BUDGET 1976-1977

(Based on Income from Dues of 7,000 Members)

*Berry College (.04 per capita) .....	\$ 280.00	
*Kate Duncan Smith DAR School (.07 per capita) ..	490.00	
*Lucy Cook Peel Fund (.01 per capita) .....	70.00	
*McCall Genealogical Fund (.03 per capita) .....	210.00	
*Meadow Garden for Maintenance (.08 per capita) ..	560.00	
*Tamassee DAR School (.07 per capita) .....	490.00	
		\$2,100.00
Administrative Operating Expense .....	\$ 800.00	
Audit of State Treasurer's Books .....	350.00	
Continental Congress Hospitality Fund .....	100.00	
Good Citizen Awards for Four District Winners ..	20.00	
Printing of State Proceedings .....	2,300.00	
State Conference Expenses .....	330.00	
State Regent's Travel Allowance .....	1,000.00	
		<u>4,900.00</u>
		<u>\$7,000.00</u>

\*NOTE: Thirty cents (30c) per capita requirements as set forth in State Bylaws.

Signed: Helen McDorman Bahin  
State Regent

Josibel Christopher Humphrey  
Finance Chairman

## STATE HONOR ROLL

1977-1978

1. State dues of \$1.00 per member sent to the State Treasurer, Mrs. Louis C. Alderman, Jr., Old Chester Rd., Cochran 31014, before December 1, 1977.
2. Conference Registration Fee of \$3.00 for each representative to which the chapter is entitled sent with State Dues to State Treasurer before December 1, 1977. Representation to State Conference is based on the February 1, 1977 membership count.
3. A minimum contribution averaging 50 cents per member sent to the State Treasurer for Meadow Garden and a report to the Chapter on Meadow Garden, home of George Walton, signer of the Declaration of Independence, of not less than 10 minutes. This does not have to be an entire program.

4. Representation at business session of previous State Conference.
5. Either (a) or (b) may be answered in the affirmative.
  - (a) Representation at District Meeting
  - (b) Fall State Board of Management Meeting attended by Regent or Vice Regent.
6. Twenty-five per cent of members, based on February 1, 1977 membership, subscribe to DAR Magazine.
7. Provide Senior leadership and/or a contribution to C. A. R. sent through the State Treasurer and designated for the State C. A. R. work.
8. Minimum of four chapter programs on specific DAR work, such as American History; Lineage Research; DAR Schools; American Indians; Conservation; DAR National Defense Work; Resolutions; etc.
9. Typed Chapter Regent's Report, per instructions (see Reports under "Items of Information") sent to the State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Alex S. Boyer, Jr., P. O. Box 378, Sylvania 30467, postmarked not later than February 1, 1978.
10. This report mailed to the State Treasurer by February 1, 1978.

#### 1977-1978 NSDAR NATIONAL HONOR ROLL QUESTIONNAIRE

1. TOTAL MEMBERSHIP/NATIONAL DUES:
  - A. Based on National figures of February, 1, 1977, did your Chapter have a net increase in membership through February 3, 1978? Give 2/3/78 membership for your Chapter.....Deaths occurring between Dec. 1 and Feb. 3, do not count. Transfers in or out of a Chapter occurring during the same period shall not count for Honor Roll credit.
  - B. Were National dues for **all** Chapter members received in the Treasurer General's office **before** Dec. 1, 1977? (Mmbers admitted or reistated after May 1, 1977, are exempt.)
2. JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP: (Either A or B may be answered in the affirmative to qualify.) Did your Chapter:
  - ...A. Admit by application at least one Junior member (age 18 through 35) after February 1, 1977 and including February 3, 1978 National Board meeting?
  - ...B. Sell National Junior Membership products submitting a minimum of \$5.00 profit through your State Treasurer to the Helen Pouch Memorial Fund?
3. CHAPTER REPRESENTATION: Was your Chapter:
  - ...A. Represented at Continental Congress in 1977 OR did it have a program on the Congress, including the Resolutions adopted?
  - ...B. Represented at your State Conference and/or District or Area State meeting during the past year?
4. NATIONAL DEFENSE: Did your Chapter:
  - ...A. Using **only** NSDAR material, devote at least five minutes to a report on National Defense at each regular meeting?
  - ...B. Have one full program on National Defense? (Outsiders speaking on National Defense of the U. S. A. are acceptable.)

5. DAR OWNED SCHOOLS: List total amounts of money contributed and/or other gifts.  
A. \$\_\_\_\_\_ Kate Duncan Smith?      B. \$\_\_\_\_\_ Tamasee?
6. DAR MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTIONS: Do the subscriptions to the DAR Magazine through your Chapter **total 25% of your 2/3/78 membership, including subscriptions to public, church and school libraries, doctors' offices, etc.?**
7. DAR MAGAZINE ADVERTISING: Did your Chapter send at least one advertisement to the DAR Magazine between February 1, 1977 and February 3, 1978? (Minimum of \$15.00 whether sent individually or as part of a group sponsored ad.)
8. CHAPTER PROGRAMS: Did your Chapter programs include a program on at least one subject in each of the following categories:
 

Historical	Educational	Patriotic
...American History	...American Heritage	...*Americanism
...NSDAR Museum	...American Indians	...*Conservation
...Lineage Research	...DAR Library	...*The Flag of the
...Placing Historical	...DAR Schools	USA
Marker	...Transportation	... The Constitution

\*Qualifies once under Educational or Patriotic.
9. YOUTH WORK: (must check 5 out of 8) Did your Chapter:
  - ...Provide Senior Leadership and/or contribute to C. A. R.?
  - ...Sponsor Junior American Citizens Clubs or contribute to the National JAC Prize Fund?
  - ...Give Good Citizenship Medals (through National Defense Committee)?
  - ...Present a Flag of the United States of America to a youth group such as C. A. R., Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Campfire Girls, 4-H Club, schools, etc.?
  - ...Promote the DAR Good Citizens Program (through DAR Good Citizens Committee)?
  - ...Give ROTC Awards or make a cooperative donation with other Chapters in giving ROTC awards?
  - ...Promote interest in American History in your schools?
  - ...Send aid of any kind to Bacone College and/or St. Mary's School for Girls?
10. CHAPTER CONTRIBUTIONS TO NSDAR FUNDS: (Contributions must be made to all.)
  - \$\_\_\_\_\_ NSDAR American History Scholarship Fund.
  - \$\_\_\_\_\_ Investment Trust Fund.
  - \$\_\_\_\_\_ Contribution to Seimes Microfilm Center.
  - \$\_\_\_\_\_ Cataloguing Museum and Period Rooms Collections.
  - \$\_\_\_\_\_ Occupational Therapy and Medical Scholarships.
11. SERVICE RENDERED BY CHAPTER: (Must check 7 out of 9). Did your Chapter:
  - ...Tell the DAR story through press, radio and/or TV?
  - ...Give "Washington Landmark" to A. . . DAR Good Citizens?  
B. . . Press, radio, TV, or non-members? (Either A or B may be answered in the affirmative to qualify).
  - ...A. . . Contribute at least 5 typed original pages of Genealogical source records to your National Chairman? B. . . Donate to the National Genealogical Records Binding Fund? (Either A or B may be answered in the affirmative to qualify.)
  - ...Present DAR Manual for Citizenship to someone studying for American Citizenship?

- ...Work with Lineage Research Committee to assist new members?
  - ...Encourage the showing of good motion pictures in your community?
  - ...Present a Flag of the United States of America to an historic site, public place, or any other adult organization? (Historical flags will not qualify).
  - ...Contribute approved material to the DAR Library?
  - ...Promote DAR service for Veteran-Patients?
12. NSDAR-SPONSORED SPECIAL OBSERVANCES: Did your Chapter promote and report to your State Chairman observance of:
- A. . . . Constitution Week?
  - B. . . . American History Month?
- GOLD HONOR ROLL: A confirmed "YES" to all questions entitles Chapter to Honor Roll Certificate with a 1978 Gold Ribbon.
- SILVER HONOR ROLL: A confirmed "YES" to 11 questions entitles Chapter to Honor Roll Certificate with a 1978 Silver Ribbon (#10 must be answered "Yes" with amounts listed)
- HONORABLE MENTION: A confirmed "YES" to 10 questions entitles Chapter to Honorable Mention Certificate (#10 must be answered "Yes" with amounts listed)

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The Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund

**Membership Roll and Register of Ancestors, Georgia Society, DAR** compiled by Mrs. James N. Brawner as Consulting Registrar and published in 1946; complete index of ancestors. (Supply exhausted).

**Supplement to Membership Roll and Register of Ancestors, Georgia Society, DAR**, compiled by Mrs. Carter Shepherd, Sr.; State Consulting Registrar and published in 1956. (Supply exhausted).

**Supplement of Membership Roll and Register of Ancestors, Georgia Society, DAR**, compiled by Mrs. Claude E. Fitts, State Consulting Registrar and published in 1966. Price \$5.00, plus 40 cents mailing charges.

**Membership Roll and Register of Ancestors, Georgia Society, NSDAR**, compiled by Mrs. Raiferd L. Drew, State Registrar and published in 1976. Price \$10.00, plus 50 cents mailing charges. Send orders for 1966 and 1976 books to: Mrs. W. A. Armistead, 5116 Powers Ferry Road, NW, Atlanta, Ga. 30327.

## 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 DAR in memory of Mrs. William Lawson Peel, Past Vice President General. Other books to be published later.

**The Augusta Strong Graham Memorial** — In 1926, bound copies of a complete set of the Proceedings of the Georgia DAR were presented to the Georgia DAR 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 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 and Past Vice President General.

#### **STATE DAR STUDENT LOAN FUND**

World War Memorial Student Loan Fund, established in 1919, placed at the University of Georgia.

May Erwin Talmadge DAR Loan Fund, established in 1940, placed at the University of Georgia.

Claude Davis Ingram Student Loan Fund, established in 1940, placed at Georgia State Woman's College, Valdosta, Ga.

Fannie Trammell Memorial Loan Fund, established in 1940, placed at Georgia State College for Women, Milledgeville, Ga.

#### **TAMASSEE MEMORIALS AND ENDOWMENTS**

The Sarah Berrien Casey Morgan Memorial Fund, Tamassee DAR School in memory of Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan who was State Regent, Vice President General, NSDAR, and charter member of the National Society.

Marian Sibley Wylie Endowment Fund — (\$5,000.00) completed in 1956, given in honor of Marian Sibley (Mrs. Bun) Wylie, Honorary State Regent; placed at Tamassee DAR School.

Ethel Pritchett Thigpen Endowment Fund — (\$5,000.00) invested for the Endowment Fund, Tamassee DAR School. Completed 1959.

Hightower Memorial Endowment Fund — (\$10,000.00) given to Tamassee DAR School, 1960, by Mrs. Henry Allan Ironside.

Katherine Clarke Daniel Memorial Endowment Fund — (\$5,000.00) in memory of Mrs. John W. Daniel, Sr., Honorary State Regent, completed in 1962.

#### **BERRY COLLEGE ENDOWMENT**

The Georgia DAR Scholarship at Berry College — (\$7,640.12) honoring the State Regent, Mrs. Samuel M. Merritt. Completed 1962. For Berry College Agreement see 1963 1964 State Proceedings, page 85.

The Edna DeLamar Kendrick Endowment Scholarship Fund at Berry College (\$12,138.43) honoring the State Regent, Mrs. Thomas Knox Kendrick. Completed 1964. For Berry College Agreement see 1964-1965 State Proceedings, page 103.



# Awards

## STATE HISTORIAN

Mrs. A. C. Earl Shepherd, State Historian, offers an award of \$5 for best overall report in each of three membership categories: chapter membership up to 50; chapter membership 50 through 100 and chapter membership 101 and above.

## STATE LIBRARIAN

Dr. Jessie Mize, State Librarian, offers a \$5.00 award for the best over-all report for national, state and local library work, \$3.00 for second place, \$2.00 for third place.

## AMERICAN HERITAGE

Mrs. Gilbert R. Frith, State Chairman, again offers an award of \$5.00 to the Chapter in each membership group: 1-50, 51-100 and 101 and up, submitting the best over-all report of stimulated interest and accomplishment in this field. An additional award of \$5.00 to the Chapter submitting the greatest number of family heirloom histories or legendary anecdotes for the State Heirloom Booklet.

## AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH

Mrs. Robert G. Fountain, State Chairman, offers \$5.00 award for the best over all report; \$3.00 for second place; \$2.00 for third place.

## COLLECTING AND PUBLISHING HISTORIES OF REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS

Mrs. John Singleton, State Chairman, offers the following awards for the greatest number of histories or stories of Revolutionary soldiers or patriots: \$5.00 to chapter with membership 1 to 44; \$5.00 to chapter with membership 45 to 69; \$5.00 to chapter with membership 70 and over. To the chapter with the most interesting history or story submitted on a Revolutionary soldier or patriot who was an ancestor of a member an award of \$5.00.

## CONSERVATION

Mrs. Julius B. Dodd, Jr., State Chairman, offers an award of \$5.00 for best overall report in each of three membership categories: chapters with membership up to 50; membership 50 to 100; and membership 100 and above.

## CONSTITUTION WEEK

Mrs. Will D. Newton, State chairman, offers an award of \$6.00 to chapters working together; \$5.00 to chapters with more than 50 members; \$5.00 to chapters with less than 50 members. Awards are for outstanding overall reports.

## **COOPERATION OF DAR WITH S. A. R. AND S. R.**

State Chairman offers an award of \$5.00 for the best report on activities and assistance to S. A. R. and S. R. chapters.

### **DAR MAGAZINE**

Mrs. T. Norvell Ashburn, State Chairman, offers the following awards: \$5.00 to the chapter with the greatest overall percentage increase over last year's subscriptions. \$5.00 to the chapters with the greatest percentage increase over last year's subscriptions in each of the three membership categories: Chapter membership up to 50; chapter membership 50 through 100; and chapter membership above 100.

### **NSDAR MAGAZINE ADVERTISING**

\$5.00 to the Chapter sending the greatest amount of advertising; \$5.00 to the second and \$5.00 to the third place Chapters.

### **DAR MUSEUM**

Mrs. Allen L. Brewer, State Chairman, offers the following awards to chapters making the largest per capita contribution to the general funds of the museum: \$5.00 for largest, \$3.00 for second and \$2.00 for third.

### **HIGHTOWER AWARD**

To be eligible for this award, a chapter must contribute not less than \$1.00 per member, (based on the membership count in Chapter Regents Directory), to DAR Schools. Valuation of boxes will NOT be considered in the minimum requirement. Five dollars to each chapter meeting the following requirements:

1. Cash contributions and box to:
  - (a) Kate Duncan Smith DAR School, Grant, Ala. 35747  
(Express or freight address, Guntersville, Ala.)
  - (b) Tamassee DAR School, Tamassee, S. C. 29686  
(Express or freight address, Walhalla, S. C.)
2. Cash contributions to the Berry Schools, Mt. Berry, Georgia 30149.
3. Contributions to two schools, approved by the DAR, outside of the State (Exclusive of Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith. Indian schools not included.)
4. DAR Schools presented on one chapter program.
5. Report must be signed by the Chapter Chairman and Chapter Treasurer, and must be sent to the State Chairman of DAR Schools and to the State Treasurer on or before February 1.

No report will be considered for this award after February 1. An additional \$5.00 will be given to the two chapters making the most outstanding contributions on a per capita basis to the DAR Schools.

### **LIST OF DAR SCHOOLS**

Kate Duncan Smith DAR School, Grant, Ala. 35747; Tamassee DAR School, Tamassee, S. C. 29686; Berry Schools, Mt. Berry, Ga. 30149; Crossnore School, Inc., Crossnore, N. C. 28616; Hillside School, Inc.,

Marlborough, Mass. 01752; Hindman Settlement School, Hindman, Ky. 41822.

### **FRIENDS OF THE MUSEUM**

Mrs. Claude E. Fitts, State Chairman, offers \$5.00 to the Chapter presenting the best overall program on Museum, and \$5.00 to Chapter contributing the largest amount of money to Friends of the Museum.

### **GENEALOGICAL RECORDS**

Mrs. James Joseph Muldrow, State Chairman, offers the following awards for the best typed, indexed genealogical records which have not been submitted previously: \$5.00 to chapter with membership of 50 and under; \$5.00 to chapter with membership of 51 through 100; \$5.00 to chapter with membership over 100. Three (3) copies must be sent to the State Chairman by the first week in January.

### **GEORGIA STATE ROOM DAR MUSEUM**

Awards offered by Mrs. Hugh Peterson, State Chairman; Contributions to Fund on per capita basis. \$5.00 Award to Chapter membership over 100. \$5.00 Award to Chapter membership 50 through 99. \$5.00 to Chapter with membership under 50.

### **INSIGNIA**

Mrs. J. H. Keels, State Chairman offers a \$5.00 award in each of the following categories for the chapter purchasing the most insignia dollar value: membership 1 through 50; 51 through 100; and those with membership over 100.

### **MEADOW GARDEN**

Mrs. R. Hugh Reid, State Chairman, offers the following Awards for presentation at the 1978 State Conference, judging to be based on work done by Chapters reporting to the State Chairman and based on per capita contributions as well as programs, publicity, member interest, and contributions other than money. For best Meadow Garden report: first place, \$5.00; second place, \$3.00; third place, \$2.00.

### **MEMBERSHIP COMMISSION**

Mrs. E. Lee Stephenson, State Chairman, offers \$5.00 to the chapters showing greatest gain in membership without regard to losses from resignation, transfer, or death; in 3 categories: chapters having membership 1-50; 51-100; and over 100. A special award is offered to the chapter showing largest gain in Junior members, regardless of size of chapter.

### **MOTION PICTURE AND TELEVISION**

Miss Leila Summerall, State Chairman, offers a first place award of \$10.00 for the best report on Motion Picture and Television; \$5.00 for second place.

## **NATIONAL DEFENSE**

Mrs. Jonathan W. Fox, State Chairman, offers three awards of \$5.00 each to the three chapters with the most comprehensive program of activity in all phases of DAR National Defense Work.

### **PRESS BOOK**

Mrs. Robert W. Harrison, Jr. offers \$5.00 for first place; \$3.00 for second place; and \$2.00 for third place, based on the quality and quantity of the press clippings received.

### **PROGRAM**

Mrs. Denny A. Snow, State Chairman, offers these awards: Ribbons, Mini-ribbons for Yearbooks, Supplements, Inserts. \$5.00 for Best Outline of Year's Programs; \$5.00 for Best Original Script; \$5.00 for Best Original Slide Program; \$5.00 for State Award-Winning Script or Slide Program accepted by National Program Committee.

### **PUBLIC RELATIONS**

Mrs. Robert H. Brown, State Chairman, offers \$5.00 to chapter with membership 10-50; \$5.00 to chapter with membership 51-100; \$5.00 to chapter with membership 101 and over, having the greatest number of inches of publicity. A \$3.00 award will be given the chapter submitting the best Feature Story and a \$3.00 will be given for the most creative article with pictures suitable for the National bulletin board.

### **RADIO-TELEVISION**

Mrs. Heyward Boyette, Radio-Television chairman, offers a \$5 award to the chapter which plans and carries out a series of programs that best tells the DAR story on radio and/or television.

### **SCRAPBOOK**

Mrs. James L. Ham, state scrapbook chairman, offers \$5.00 award to the chapter with the best scrapbook in the following divisions: (A) membership 0-45; (B) membership 46-75; (C) membership 75 and over. The scrapbooks will be judged at state conference.

### **SEIMES MICROFILM CENTER**

Mrs. Sam Black, State Chairman, offers an award of \$5.00 to Chapter with membership up to 100, and \$5.00 to Chapter with membership over 100 contributing the most to the Center.

### **STUDENT LOAN AND SCHOLARSHIP**

Mrs. Hubert Farr, State Chairman, offers an award of \$5.00 to the chapter with the best report.

## **THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

Mrs. Charles Radford, Jr., State Chairman, offers the following award for the most outstanding reports on the Flag of the United States of America: \$5.00 to chapter with membership 1-50; \$5.00 to membership 51-100; \$5.00 to chapter with membership 101-over.

# Winners of Awards 1976-1977

## STATE HISTORIAN

Winner of award for best overall report from chapters with membership less than 50, Captain John Wilson; from Chapters with membership 51 through 100, Brier Creek; from chapters with membership 101 and above, Savannah with Honorable Mention to Cherokee.

## STATE LIBRARIAN

First place winner for best over-all report for national, state and local library work, \$5.00 to Mary Hammond Washington Chapter; second place, \$3.00 to Lyman Hall Chapter; third place, \$2.00 to Baron DeKalb Chapter.

## AMERICAN HERITAGE

State Chairman's awards-membership 1-50, Brier Creek Chapter \$5.00; membership 51-100, John Benning Chapter \$5.00, and membership 101 and up a tie: Augusta Chapter \$5.00 and Baron DeKalb \$5.00. American Heritage Certificate for outstanding achievement to Brier Creek Chapter.

## AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH

Best overall chapter report, Xavier Chapter, \$5; second place, Captain John Wilson Chapter, \$3; third place, John Houstoun Chapter, \$2.

### American History Essay Contest - District Winners

#### 5th grade

- Southwest: Kelly Renee Hall, 2509 1st Ave., Columbus, Bibb Elementary School, George Walton Chapter  
Southeast: Bess Brown, The Ridge, P. O. Box 723, Darien, Oglethorpe Christian Academy, St. Andrew's Parish Chapter  
Northwest: Andy Martin, 1876 Young Rd., Lithonia, Stone Mountain Christian School, Cherokee Chapter  
Northeast: Rae E. Ayers, Rt. 3, Hartwel Elementary School, John Benson Chapter

#### 6th grade

- Southwest: Debbie Inferrers, 417 Edgewood Lane, Albany, St. Teresa's School, Commodore Richard Dale Chapter  
Southeast: Jennifer Tiller, 311 Pinewood Drive, Statesboro, Julia Pearl Bryant School, Archibald Bulloch Chapter  
Northwest: Pam Shelnutt, New Franklin Rd., LaGrange, Hillcrest Elementary School, LaGrange Chapter  
Northeast: Bill Jones, Rt. 1, Box 35A, Augusta, Hephzibah Elementary School, Augusta Chapter

### **7th grade**

- Southwest: Jennifer Howard, Rt. 2, Box 90, Juniper, South Talbot Elementary School, Gov. George W. Towns Chapter  
Southeast: Jay Wells, 102 Windsor Way, Statesboro, Northside School, Archibald Bulloch Chapter  
Northwest: Suzanne Franks, 809 Lakewood Dr., LaGrange, East Side Girls Junior High, LaGrange Chapter  
Northeast: Kim Charline Murphy, 3409 Rushing Rd., Roy E. Rollins School, Augusta Chapter

### **8th grade**

- Southwest: Karen White, Rt. 1, Montrose, B. C. E. School, Hawkinsville Chapter  
Southeast: Lynn Meadows, 33 Broadway, St. Simons, Glynn Middle School, Brunswick Chapter  
Northwest: Virginia Claire Coleman, 4524 Mystic Dr., N. E., Mount Vernon Christian Academy, Cherokee Chapter  
Northeast: Lisa Karen Ahl, 295 Segrest Circle, Hilman Middle School, Elijah Clarke Chapter

**Award:** 8" x 12" U. S. Flag with base (one to each District Winner)  
Total 16 Flags

## **COLLECTING AND PUBLISHING HISTORIES OF REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS**

First place, chapters with membership over 70, Savannah, \$5; honorable mention, Joseph Habersham chapter. First place, chapters with membership 45-69, Brier Creek, \$5; first place chapters with membership 1-44, St. Andrews Parish, \$5. Best story of the Life of a Revolutionary Patriot, Baron DeKalb, \$5; story written by Mrs. Lillian Webster Frith.

## **CONSERVATION**

State Chairman presents \$5.00 award to Sunbury Chapter for membership 1-50; \$5.00 award to Peter Early Chapter for membership 50-100; \$5.00 award to Savannah Chapter with membership 100 and above. Honorable mention goes to St. Andrews Chapter; Ft. Peachtree Chapter; Elijah Clarke Chapter.

## **CONSTITUTION WEEK**

Winner of award for best overall report from chapters with membership up to 50, Major General John Twiggs, with Honorable Mention to Andrew Houser; from chapters 50 through 100, Brier Creek, with Honorable Mention to Nancy Hart and Peter Early; from chapters memberships 101 and above Lyman Hall, Honorable Mention to Augusta, and to three chapters working together, Oglethorpe, George Walton and Button Gwinnett.

## COOPERATION OF DAR WITH S. A. R. AND S. R.

State Chairman's award of \$5.00 to Button Gwinnett Chapter for the best report on activities and assistance to S. R. and S. A. R. chapters.

## DAR MAGAZINE

Winners of Awards: Chapter with the greatest overall percentage increase over last year's subscriptions - \$5.00 to Hancock Chapter, Sparta - 77.77%. Chapters with the greatest percentage increase over last year's subscriptions in each of the three membership categories: \$5.00 to chapter with membership of 1 to 44 - Hancock Chapter, Sparta - 77.77%. \$5.00 to chapter with membership of 45 to 69 - Oliver Morton, Gray - 31.25%. \$5.00 to chapter with membership of 70/over - Tie - Council of Safety, Americus - 66.66%; LaGrange, LaGrange - 66.66%.

## DAR MAGAZINE ADVERTISING

1st place - Archibald Bulloch Chapter, Statesboro \$5.00; 2nd place - Lyman Hall Chapter, Waycross \$5.00; 3rd place - Andrew Houser Chapter, Marietta \$5.00.

## DAR MUSEUM

Award of \$5.00 for the largest per capita contribution to the general support of the Museum was given to the Colonel Daniel Appling Chapter. Second place award of \$3.00 went to the Joseph Habersham Chapter and third place winner of \$2.00 was the LaGrange Chapter.

This competition did not include funds given for Friends of the Museum or the Georgia State Room.

## DAR SCHOOLS

The State Chairmans award for best all over work reported: 1st Cherokee, \$5.00; 2nd Hawkinsville \$2.00. 55 chapters received the Hightower Award of \$5.00 each:

Abraham Baldwin	Hancock
Altamaha	Hawkinsville
Andrew Houser	John Benson
Archibald Bulloch	John Clarke
Atlanta	John Floyd
Augusta	John Houstoun
Augustin Clayton	Joseph Habersham
Bainbridge	Lyman Hall
Baron DeKalb	Mary Hammond Washington
Bonaventure	Nancy Hart
Brier Creek	Oglethorpe
Brunswick	Oliver Morton
Button Gwinnett	Peter Early
Captain Thomas Cobb	St. Andrews Parish
Cherokee	Savannah
Colonel Daniel Appling	Sergeant Newton
Colonel John McIntosh	Stone Castle



Commodore Richard Dale  
Earl of Camden  
Elijah Clarke  
Fielding Lewis  
Fort Frederica  
Fort Early  
Fort Peachtree  
General Daniel Stewart  
George Walton  
Governor David Emanuel  
Governor George W. Towns

Sunbury  
Thomasville  
Thornateeska  
Toccoa  
Tomochichi  
Vidalia  
William Marsh  
William McIntosh  
William Witcher  
Xavier

Chapters with largest per capita gifts of money winning \$5.00 each were Hawkinsville and John Houstoun.

### **DAR SERVICE TO VETERAN-PATIENTS**

First Place: Tie: Augusta Chapter, \$2.50 and John Laurens, \$2.50.  
Honorable Mention: Cherokee and Brunswick.

### **GENEALOGICAL RECORDS**

Mrs. James J. Muldrow made the following awards: Best typed and indexed records for chapters with membership under 50, \$5 to Governor Geo. W. Towns; for chapters with membership 50-100, tie between Governor Treutlen and Archibald Bulloch, each \$5.00; for chapters with membership over 100, \$5 to Savannah.

### **GEORGIA STATE ROOM DAR MUSEUM**

The State Chairman's Awards to Chapters contributing the largest amount, per capita, to fund; Membership over 100: General James Jackson, \$9.99 per member. \$5.00. Honorable Mention: Savannah, \$5.74, per member. Elijah Clarke, \$5.33, per member. Membership 50 through 99: John Franklin Wren, \$2.25 per. \$5.00. Honorable Mention: Captain Thomas Cobb, \$1.76, per. Governor David Emanuel, \$1.58, per. Membership under 50: Sunbury, \$12.50, per. \$5.00. Honorable Mention: St. Andrews Parish: \$1.18 per member. Hancock: \$.80 per member.

### **INSIGNIA**

Awards based on value of purchases category 1-50, Augustin Clayton, \$5; value of purchases, \$700; category 51-100, Col. William Few, \$5, value of purchases, \$712; category 101 and over, Augusta, \$5, value of purchases, \$885.

### **JUNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS**

Baron DeKalb for the most JAC clubs, \$5 and tie for most activity in JAC clubs, \$3; Thomasville chapter tie for most activity in JAC, \$3; Peter Early \$2 for most JAC publicity.

### **MEADOW GARDEN**

These awards, donated by Mrs. L. M. Andrus, are awarded according to Chapter reports received by the State Chairman, and are as follows:

\$5.00 for best over-all report to Baron DeKalb Chapter; \$3.00 to Vidalia Chapter; and \$2.00 to Hawkinsville Chapter.

### **MEMBERSHIP COMMISSION**

AWARD of \$5.00 each to chapters having most new members: with membership 1-50: COLONEL DANIEL APPLING; membership 50-100: LA GRANGE; membership over 100: BARON DEKALB; most new junior members, regardless of size of chapter: a tie between BARON DEKALB and CHEROKEE.

HONORABLE MENTION TO COLLEGE HILL; ROBERT LOUGHRIDGE; LADY HUNTINGDON; MINERAL SPRINGS; XAVIER; THOMASVILLE; OLIVER MORTON and JAMES PITTMAN.

### **MOTION PICTURE AND TELEVISION**

First Place - Baron DeKalb Chapter, \$10.00; Second Place — Lyman Hall Chapter, \$5.00; Honorable Mention — Augusta Chapter, Cherokee Chapter, Peter Early Chapter, Savannah Chapter.

### **NATIONAL DEFENSE**

The State Chairman's award of \$5.00 each goes to Cherokee Chapter, Commodore Richard Dale Chapter and Augustin Clayton Chapter.

### **PRESS BOOK**

State Chairman award of \$5.00 for the greatest number of inches of publicity was presented to Baron DeKalb Chapter, \$3.00 to Brier Creek Chapter and \$2.00 to Vidalia Chapter.

### **PROGRAM**

The State Chairman awards \$5.00 to Nancy Hart Chapter for Best Program Outline for Year and \$5.00 to Button Gwinnett Chapter for Best Original Script. No entries received in other two categories.

### **PUBLIC RELATIONS**

Awards of \$5.00 each for the greatest number of inches of publicity went to John Laurens, chapter membership 1-50; Brier Creek, membership 51-100; and Baron DeKalb, membership 101 and over. Honorable mention awards of \$1.00 each went to additional chapters with over 1,000 inches of publicity. These were William Witcher, Gov. David Emmanuel, Peter Early, Archibald Bulloch, Kettle Creek and Vidalia. Awards of \$3.00 for feature story winners went to Baron DeKalb, Bainbridge, Kettle Creek and John Laurens Chapters. Bulletin Board awards of \$1.00 each went to Button Gwinnett, George Walton, Oglethorpe, Colonel William Few and Pulaski Chapters.

## **SCRAPBOOK**

Award Winners: Class A, St. Andrew's Parish Chapter; Honorable Mention, Mineral Springs; Class B, Brier Creek Chapter; Class C, Hawkinsville Chapter, Cherokee and Savannah tied for second place. Honorable mention, Brunswick. Sweepstakes Award, Brier Creek.

### **SEIMES MICROFILM CENTER**

First place to Chapter with membership up to 100, \$5.00 John Franklin Wren Chapter, with best report and gift of microfilm and cash. Also, Life Memberships for Dollye Wren Ward (Mrs. Jerido) and Mrs. Leonard M. Andrus. First place to Chapter with membership over 100, \$5.00 to Joseph Habersham Chapter, with best report and gift of cash to microfilm fund and Life Membership for Mrs. George E. Stratman.

### **THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

For a most outstanding report on the Flag of the United States of America to a chapter with a membership 1 to 50 \$5.00 to Sunbury; with membership 51 to 100 \$5.00 to Col. William Few; with membership over 100 \$5.00 to Cherokee and \$5.00 to Augusta - a tie.

# Calendar of Information for State Chairmen and Chapter Regents, 1977-1978

**THEME:** "The way of the Lord is strength to the upright . . ."

Proverbs 10:29

## JULY

### **Chapter Regents:**

Mail card to State Officers, giving name, address, and zip code of CORRESPONDING CHAPTER OFFICERS. Do NOT send this information to the National Society.

Members who have been delinquent in the payment of dues since December 1 are removed from the membership roll by the National Society on July 1 and are no longer members.

## AUGUST

### **State Chairmen:**

Send your letters of instruction to the Chapter Chairmen and Chapter Regents, with a copy of each to be sent to the State Regent and to the State Treasurer.

### **Chapter Regents:**

WHEN State and National Chairmen's letters arrive, read each carefully and send one copy to your Chapter Chairman.

Send to the STATE National Defense Chairman the name, address and zip code of your Chapter Chairman of National Defense. This information MUST be sent by each STATE Chairman of National Defense to the National Chairman of National Defense, and the information is ONLY accepted through the State Chairman. Do NOT send this name and address to the National Society.

Plan Yearbooks.

Plan budget for the year.

District meetings of the Georgia Society, NSDAR — all chapter members are urged to attend the meeting in their district.

Application papers to be passed on at the October 14 National Board meeting must be in the office of the Treasurer General 6 WEEKS IN ADVANCE.

## SEPTEMBER

### **CONSTITUTION WEEK: September 17-23**

### **Chapter Regents:**

Mail notices for dues to members.

Study Honor Roll Requirements in current proceedings.

Plan to make both State and National Honor Rolls and Hightower Award.

Organize JAC Clubs in schools and youth organizations.  
Contact both PUBLIC AND PRIVATE accredited high schools relative to the DAR Good Citizens program.

Contact schools relative to the DAR Good Citizenship Medals for boys and girls in elementary, junior and senior high schools. This medal is sponsored by the National Defense Committee.

## OCTOBER

October 14: National Board of Management Meeting

October 16: Tamassee Founder's Day

October 18: Kate Duncan Smith Dedication Exercises

October 26: State Board of Management Meeting, St. Simons Island

Application papers to be passed at December Special Board of Management Meeting of the National Society must be in the office of the Treasurer General 6 WEEKS IN ADVANCE.

## NOVEMBER

Election Day — Duty of all citizens to exercise the privilege of voting!

### Chapter Regents:

Send boxes of clothing to DAR Schools and to Indian Schools.

Send \$7.00 National dues for each member to the Treasurer General BEFORE December 1.

Members whose dues are not paid by December 1 are considered delinquent.

Send \$1.00 State dues for each member to the State Treasurer and also \$3.00 for each representative to which chapter is entitled for State Conference.

## DECEMBER

Special Board of Management meeting of the National Society.

Application papers to be passed on at February National Board of Management meeting must be in the office of the Treasurer General 6 WEEKS IN ADVANCE.

## JANUARY

Elect delegates and alternates to Continental Congress and to State Conference.

Send State Conference Credentials Forms, with names of delegates and alternates, to the State Regent, the Conference Chairman of Credentials and the State Treasurer.

Send Credentials Blanks for Continental Congress, properly filled out, to the State Regent and to the National Chairman of Credentials.

### Chapter Regents:

All chapters competing for Awards MUST send reports to the respective State Chairmen BY February 1. This includes reports for State Honor Roll. Reports received after the February 1 deadline re ineligible for Awards Consideration.

The original copy of the Chapter Regent's report MUST be sent to the State Recording Secretary by FEBRUARY 1 to QUALIFY FOR STATE HONOR ROLL, and must be sent to the State Recording Secretary in

any case by February 15 (final deadline) for the Proceedings. See detailed instructions under "Report" in the Proceedings. Send a duplicate copy of your report to the State Regent by FEBRUARY 15.

All chapter committee reports must be sent in to the respective State Chairmen by FEBRUARY 1.

ALL reports are due no later than February 15. Reports to be considered for awards are due by FEBRUARY 1.

## **FEBRUARY**

February 1: National Board of Management Meeting

February 1: State Treasurer's Books CLOSED.

### **State Chairmen:**

Send ORIGINAL copy of your report to the State Recording Secretary and a duplicate copy of the report to the State Regent by February 15. See detailed instruction under "Report" in the Proceedings.

Application papers to be passed on at April National Board of Management meeting must be in the office of the Treasurer General 6 WEEKS IN ADVANCE.

## **MARCH**

March 16, 17, 18, 1978 Eightieth State Conference, Rome

## **APRIL**

April 15: National Board of Management meeting

April 16-21: Eighty sixth Continental Congress

Application papers to be passed on at June National Board of Management meeting MUST be in the office of the Treasurer General 6 WEEKS IN ADVANCE.

## **MAY**

Install new chapter officers.

Have report on Continental Congress.

Send LIST of Chapter Officers (whether newly elected or holdovers), with addresses and zip codes, to the State Regent, State Recording Secretary, and Organizing Secretary General on blanks sent out by State Regent. These blanks MUST be returned by May 15.

Begin soliciting ads for DAR Magazine.

## **JUNE**

National Board of Management meeting.

Solicit ads for the AUGUST-SEPTEMBER issue of DAR Magazine. These MUST BE IN BEFORE JUNE 1st. Make checks payable to Treasurer General, NSDAR, but mail to DAR Magazine office.

## DAYS TO OBSERVE

Citizenship Day (Constitution Day).....	September 17
Anniversary of the Founding of the National Society,	
Daughters of the American Revolution.....	October 11
Columbus Day.....	October 12
United States Day.....	October 23
Veterans' Day.....	November 11
Bill of Rights Day.....	December 15
Georgia Day.....	February 12
Washington's Birthday.....	3rd Monday of February
American's Creed Day.....	April 3
Battle of Lexington.....	April 19
Armed Forces Day — usually 3rd Saturday in May	
Memorial Day.....	4th Monday of May
Flag Day.....	June 14
Independence Day.....	July 4
Thanksgiving Day in November, Christmas Day in December; New Year's Day in January; Easter in March.	

# Georgia State Officers Club

## NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

### OFFICERS 1976-1978

President.....	Mrs. John F. Thigpen
First Vice President.....	Mrs. Claude E. Fitts
Second Vice President.....	Mrs. Thomas Knox Kendrick
Third Vice President.....	Mrs. Wallace S. Crouch
Chaplain.....	Mrs. R. Hugh Reid
Recording Secretary.....	Mrs. Carl F. Wagner
Corresponding Secretary.....	Mrs. R. T. Ragan
Treasurer.....	Mrs. John Inman Bell
Historian.....	Mrs. Henry W. Lively
Auditor.....	Mrs. W. G. Evans

### MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING

MARCH 8, 1977

The annual luncheon meeting of the Georgia State Officers Club of the Georgia Society, NSDAR, was held on March 8, 1977, in the Spanish Room of the Executive House in Augusta, Georgia, with the president, Mrs. John F. Thigpen, presiding.

The blessing was given by the chaplain, Mrs. R. Hugh Reid.

Mrs. Hubert R. Martin, Parliamentarian, made a motion that the 1933 resolution, amended in 1973, which requires members to address each other by given names or pay a fine of 25 cents, be made a **Standing Rule**. The motion was seconded and passed.

Mrs. Thigpen welcomed the members and introduced and thanked Mrs. Edwin Pietrowski, regent of the Augusta Chapter, hostess chapter to the State Conference. The following distinguished members and guest of the State Regent were presented as follows: Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin, State Regent; Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Registrar General; Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Vice President General; and Mrs. C. Edwin Carlson, Connecticut State Regent; Mrs. John Kennedy Kinkaid, Illinois State Regent; and Mrs. Henry B. Wallace, Iowa State Regent. Past presidents of the Officers Club presented were Mrs. Leonard D. Wallace, Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough and Mrs. Emory P. Cary. Regret was expressed that Mrs. Henry Allan Ironside, Honorary President of the Club, was unable to attend due to illness. New members recognized were Mrs. Donald Hankinson, Mrs. James J. Leitch, Dr. Jessie Mize and Mrs. A. C. Earl Shepherd.

A drawing of prizes was conducted by Mrs. Fitts, who sold chances on an attractive box of pecans, shelled and processed by the Tracy-Luckey Co. of Harlem, Ga. and donated as a door prize, was won by Mrs. Thigpen. Proceeds were turned over to the treasury of the club. The gold acorn pin donated by Miss Martha Cooper was won by Mrs. Richardson, and a cookbook of some old Southern recipes recently pub-



lished by two Atlantans and well received at a demonstration in New York was donated by Frances Arrington Elyea, editor, and won by Mrs. Humphrey. Miss Cooper won a prize donated by Mrs. Ragan.

A skit on Parliamentary Procedure was given by Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Leitch, which was not only entertaining but included worthwhile information on conducting a meeting.

Mrs. Thigpen presented officers of the club who were present and thanked them for their support. She expressed regret that Mrs. Ragan, Corresponding Secretary, was unable to attend due to the serious illness of her husband. Other officers absent were Mrs. Crouch, Mrs. Bell and Mrs. Lively. Mrs. Evans, Auditor, reported that the treasurer's books had been examined and were found to be in order.

Mrs. Reid conducted a Memorial Service for two deceased members, namely, Mrs. James B. Key of Oglethorpe Chapter and Mrs. Arthur E. Mallory, Sr. of LaGrange Chapter.

It was announced that Mrs. Louis C. Alderman, Jr., State Treasurer, has been chosen Georgia Mother of the Year.

The nominating committee elected was: Mrs. Kendrick, Mrs. Peterson, Mrs. Humphrey, Mrs. DeLamar and Mrs. Wysong.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Ethel P. Thigpen  
President

Dorothy S. Wagner  
Recording Secretary

**STATE OFFICERS CLUB**  
**Georgia State Society, NSDAR**  
**April 30, 1976 to April 30, 1977**

**RECEIPTS:**

Balance brought forward from C & S Bank of Milledgeville	\$ 370.77
Dues of current year (68 members) \$2.00 ea. (Current dues of 2 members paid last year)	136.00
Dues and Initiation Fees (4 new members) \$3.00 ea.	12.00
Luncheon Reservations (35 members) \$6.50 ea.	227.50
Chances on Nuts	<u>12.50</u>
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$ 758.77</b>

**DISBURSEMENTS:**

Postage, Dues Notices	\$ 6.30
State Treasurer (Proceedings)	26.85
Luncheon Invitations and Postage	42.97
Executive House Augusta (36 luncheons)	198.05
Luncheon Refunds (3 members) \$6.50 ea.	19.50
George H. Newman Printing (100 directories)	<u>49.65</u>
<b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b>	<b>\$ 343.32</b>

Balance on deposit as of April 30, 1977	\$ 415.45
Trust Company Bank, Atlanta, Ga. Account Number 1-92-79-9	
Savings Account, Atlanta Federal Savings and Loan Association, interest to March 28, 1977	\$ 569.78
Account Number 14-011119-59	

Ethel Thigpen  
President  
  
Rose Bell  
Treasurer

# Georgia Chapter Regents' Club National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution

## OFFICERS 1976-1978

President: Mrs. Edwin J. Grimes, 2230 Cherokee Ave., Apt. 28,  
Columbus, 31906 (George Walton)  
Vice President: Mrs. Joseph N. Franklin, 410 3rd Ave., Rome, 30161  
(Xavier Chapter)  
Secretary: Mrs. Robert H. Brown, 748 Ivywood Dr., Athens, 30606  
(Elijah Clarke Chapter)  
Treasurer: Mrs. T. Edwin Bloodworth, 202 Hooks St., Box 5, Gordon,  
31031 (John Ball)

The Georgia Chapter Regents' Club NSDAR held their twentieth meeting on March 8, 1977 at 12:00 noon in the Italian Room of the Executive House, Augusta, with the President Mrs. Edwin J. Grimes presiding. The invocation was given by Mrs. J. Charles Rogers, Regent, George Walton Chapter and Mrs. Robert L. Smith welcomed the group to the Seventy-ninth State Conference. Mrs. Grimes thanked the Augusta Chapter members for the lovely fresh flower arrangements and the net corsages placed on the tables for the members and guests. A delightful musical program was presented by Mrs. Radferd Drew accompanied by Lois Williamson. The nine solo selections were chosen to depict the history of our country through the years. The minutes of the 1976 meeting were read and approved and the treasurer reported the following:

Balance brought forward .....	\$ 392.33
Luncheon receipts and dues .....	787.50
Disbursements .....	26.67
Balance on hand March 4 .....	\$1,153.16

A membership committee consisting of Mrs. Joseph W. Stephens, Mrs. Hugh Faulk, Mrs. T. Edwin Bloodworth and Mrs. Robert H. Brown was announced and asked to present the current roster as a handbook for the 1978 meeting. The nominating committee for 1978 officers is: Chairman: Mrs. Dennis Beall, Mary Hammond Washington; Miss Catherine L. Newton, Elijah Clarke; Mrs. Fred Jordon, Button Gwinnett; Mrs. Ira Pickens Holliman, John Ball; Mrs. William J. Summerall, Lyman Hall. Mrs. Robert L. Smith was appointed to bring recommendations on proposed changes in the by-laws. The meeting was dismissed with prayer by Past President Miss Bertha Freeman.

Mrs. Edwin J. Grimes  
President

Mrs. Robert H. Brown  
Secretary



## Georgia State Society of the National Society, Children of the American Revolution

National Founder .....	Mrs. Harriet M. Lothrop
National President .....	Holly Humphrey Wisconsin
Senior National President .....	Mrs. Charles M. Scheer District of Columbia
National Vice President, Southeast Region .....	Kathleen Grant North Carolina
Senior National Vice President, Southeast Region ..	Mrs. Gerald G. Fling Georgia
Honorary Senior National Vice President .....	Mrs. Enver B. Hoff (term expires April, 1978) Georgia
Honorary Senior National Vice President .....	Mr. Wayne D. Seaman (term expires April, 1978) Georgia
C. A. R. National Headquarters .....	1776 D Street, N. W. Washington, D. C. 20006

### STATE PRESIDENT — 1977-1978

Carol-King Russell .....	Incachee Plantation Waverly, Georgia 31565
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### SENIOR STATE PRESIDENT — 1976-1978

Mrs. Burwell Atkinson Russell .....	Incachee Plantation Waverly, Georgia 31565
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### STATE OFFICERS — 1977-1978

President — Carol-King Russell, Incachee Plantation, Waverly 31565
First Vice President — Herbert Miller, 4209 13th Street, E. Beach, St. Simons Island 31522
Second Vice President — Edith Newton, 781 Downing Street, Macon 31204
Chaplain — Mary Sawyer, 2332 Ocean Road, St. Simons Island 31522

Recording Secretary — Carla Ditrick, 116 Winchester Drive, Savannah 31410  
 Organizing Secretary — Lynn Willingham, 4323 16th Street, St. Simons Island 31522  
 Corresponding Secretary — Ann Adams, Rt. 5, Forrest Pines Drive, Statesboro 30458  
 Treasurer — Patrice Wade, 19 Sulgrave Road, Savannah 31406  
 Registrar — Jonathan Alderman, Old Chester Road, Cochran 31014  
 Historian — Curt McMillen, 4439 Palm Springs Drive, East Point 30344  
 Librarian-Curator — Chris Robertson, 5518 Habersham Street, Savannah 31405

## HONORARY STATE PRESIDENTS

Josephine Bone, Milledgeville	1935-1936
Sara Handly, LaGrange	1936-1937
Elizabeth Chandler, Milledgeville	1937-1938
Rosa Lee Jones, Macon	1938-1939
Lindsay P. Henderson, Jr., Savannah	1939-1941
Mary Alice McDonald, Columbus	1941-1942
Ann Wallace, Madison	1942-1945
Rachel Mallory, LaGrange	1945-1948
Margaret Ann Ford, Atlanta (Habersham Society)	1948-1949
Carter Maddox, Rochelle	1949-1950
Bruce Shaefer, Jr., Toccoa	1950-1951
Jane Robinson, Rochelle	1951-1952
Harriette Wadsworth, Columbus	1952-1953
Caroline Edwards, Savannah	1953-1954
Ellen Peniston, Atlanta (Habersham Society)	1954-1955
John Corbett, Pearson	1955-1956
Olivia Jean Wright, Toccoa	1956-1957
William H. Christian, III, Atlanta (Dolly Madison Society)	1957-1958
Lynda Worley, Macon	1958-1959
Alling Jones, Milledgeville	1959-1960
Candice Alexander, Atlanta (Habersham Society)	1960-1961
Somers Miller, Savannah	1961-1962
Lynn Baell, Moultrie	1962-1963
Durwood Thomas Pye, III, Atlanta (Habersham Society)	1963-1964
Janice Childs, Gray	1964-1965
Jerome Brown Doster, Rochelle	1965-1966
Irene (Nicky) Nichols, Atlanta (Habersham Society)	1966-1967
Ralph Hamilton Lankford, Jr., Lyons	1967-1968
William DeCarr Sims, Jr., Waycross	1968-1969
Thomas Scott Key, Atlanta (Cherokee Rose Society)	1969-1970
Laura Marcella Reid, Vidalia	1970-1971
Lewis Blake Smyth, Jr., Perry	1971-1972
Jacob Elijah Varn, Jr., Waycross	1972-1973
Catherine Courtenay Derst, Savannah	1973-1974
Marion Stuart Dantzler, Macon	1974-1975
Francis Malvin Pruet, Waycross	1975-1976
Harland Franklin Fling, Savannah	1976-1977

## SENIOR STATE OFFICERS

- Senior President — Mrs. Burwell A. Russell, Incachee Plantation, Waverly 31565
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- Senior Second Vice President — Mrs. Mary T. Willingham, 4323 16th Street, E. Beach, St. Simons Island, 31522
- Senior Chaplain — Mr. G. Glenn Fling, Jr., 512 Barberry Road, Savannah 31406
- Senior Recording Secretary — Mrs. William A. Lee, Jr., 3982 Bonnington Court, N. E., Atlanta 30341
- Senior Organizing Secretary — Miss Catherine C. Derst, 258 Varn Drive, Savannah 31405
- Senior Corresponding Secretary — Mrs. Kendall J. Zeliff, 128 Military Road, St. Simons Island 41522
- Senior Treasurer — Mr. Gerald G. Fling, 512 Barberry Road, Savannah 31406
- Senior Registrar — Mrs. Wayne D. Seaman, P. O. Box 157, Waycross 31501
- Senior Historian — Mr. Lewis B. Smyth, 1403 Kenwood Drive, Perry 31069
- Senior Librarian-Curator — Mrs. Amos E. Daniel, Airport Road, Cochran 31014
- Senior Parliamentarian — Mrs. Gerald G. Fling, 512 Barberry Road, Savannah 31406

## HONORARY SENIOR STATE PRESIDENTS

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| * Mrs. Loulie M. Gordon, Atlanta .....             | 1903-1905 |
| * Mrs. T. G. Parker, Macon .....                   | 1905-1909 |
| * Mrs. Charles F. Rice, Atlanta .....              |           |
| * Mrs. Bernice F. Bullard, Savannah .....          | 1920-1922 |
| * Mrs. John G. Sage, Atlanta .....                 | 1922-1928 |
| * Mrs. Thomas Coke Mell, Atlanta .....             | 1928-1930 |
| Mrs. Young Harris Yarbrough .....                  | 1930-1934 |
| * Mrs. Mark Smith, Macon .....                     | 1934-1938 |
| Mrs. Leonard D. Wallace, Madison .....             | 1938-1942 |
| * Mrs. Henry Reid, Athens .....                    | 1942-1944 |
| * Mrs. Herbert Fay Gaffney, Columbus .....         | 1944-1946 |
| * Mrs. Rosser A. Malone, Columbus .....            | 1946-1948 |
| Mrs. Frederic Clinton Rice, Atlanta .....          | 1948-1950 |
| Mrs. Arthur E. Mallory LaGrange .....              | 1950-1952 |
| Mrs. George Herman Connell, Atlanta .....          | 1952-1954 |
| Mrs. Larry Lucian Allgood, Toccoa .....            | 1954-1956 |
| * Mrs. Francis B. Elmore, Sr., Savannah .....      | 1956-1958 |
| Mrs. Ralph A. Lovelace, Macon .....                | 1958-1960 |
| Mrs. Dauphin Vesro Childs, Jr., Gray .....         | 1960-1964 |
| Mrs. C. Ellis McDonald, Rochelle .....             | 1964-1965 |
| Mrs. Norman Brown Doster, Rochelle .....           | 1965-1966 |
| Mrs. John Frederic Thigpen, Atlanta .....          | 1966-1968 |
| Mrs. Wayne DeWitt Seaman, Waycross .....           | 1968-1970 |
| Mrs. Carlyle Mumford Ward, St. Simons Island ..... | 1970-1972 |
| Mrs. Gerald G. Fling, Savannah .....               | 1972-1976 |
- \* Deceased

## THIRTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE

DeSoto Hilton Hotel

Savannah

February 25, 26, 27, 1977

### TROPHIES AWARDED

- ADMISSIONS FROM C. A. R. TO DAR, S. A. R. AND S. R. — Ethel Pritchett Thigpen - Colonel Henry Lee Society
- AMERICAN ART — Ellen Varn — Uchee Trail Society
- AMERICAN INDIAN — Penelope Evans Varn — Commodore Perry Society
- AMERICAN LITERATURE — Wayne D. Seaman — Martha Stewart Bulloch Society
- AMERICAN MUSIC — Mary Lou Laidler McDonald — Commodore Perry Society
- BEST SINGLE PROGRAM — Helen Wade Dantzler — Benjamin Hawkins Society
- BEST SOCIETY SCRAPBOOK — Geraldine Gerald Bush — Commodore Perry Society
- BEST SOCIETY PRESIDENT'S REPORT — Jacob E. Varn, Jr. — Kathleen Robertson, Colonel Henry Lee Society
- BEST YEAR'S PROGRAM — Mrs. Lewis Blake Smyth, Sr. — Allen Howard Society
- C. A. R. BAND — H. Franklin Fling — Colonel Henry Lee Society
- C. A. R. - D. A. R. — Eugenia Stevens Smith — Commodore Perry Society
- CONSERVATION — Kennard Seforth Varn — Commodore Perry Society
- ENDOWMENT FUND — Mrs. Jack Ladson — Fort Frederica Society
- FIRST TO PAY STATE DUES — Mrs. Carlyle Mumford Ward — Uchee Trail Society
- GENERAL EXCELLENCE — Ann Louis Allgood — Uchee Trail Society
- GEORGIA STATE PATRIOTS — Hallie Lancaster Fling — Uchee Trail Society
- GOVERNMENT STUDIES — Blake Smyth — Commodore Perry Society
- LARGEST DELEGATION TO STATE CONFERENCE — Altama Society — Sergeant Newton, Jr., Society
- MEMBERSHIP GAIN — Miriam DuBose Elmore — Fort Frederica Society
- MOUNTAIN SCHOOLS — Cecile Moore Mallory — Commodore Perry Society
- NATIONAL CONVENTION DELEGATION 1976 — Mrs. D. V. Childs, Jr. — Colonel Henry Lee Society
- NATIONAL PROJECTS — Robert Rogers Durrett — Tie: Commodore Perry Society, Sansavilla Society
- NEW MALE MEMBERS — Georgia Society S. A. R. — Tie: Fort Frederica Society, Commodore Perry Society
- PATRIOTIC EDUCATION YEAR — Lamarr Lowe Connell — Commodore Perry Society
- PROGRAM MATERIAL — Laura Marcella Reid — Benjamin Hawkins Society
- PUBLICITY — Winona Society — Fort Frederica Society

SENIOR STATE HISTORIAN — R. H. Lankford, Sr. — James Watson Society  
 SENIOR STATE LIBRARIAN — Lanette Haar Reid — Uchee Trail Society  
 SENIOR STATE REGISTRAR — Lucile Shealy Cotton — Tie: Colonel Henry Lee Society, Commodore Perry Society, Fort Frederica Society  
 SENIOR STATE TREASURER — Mr. Gerald G. Fling — Miss Jane Jackson, Treasurer of James Watson Society  
 SOCIETY NEWS SHEET — Gladys Dunnaway Cannon — Allen Howard Society  
 STATE NEWS SHEET COOPERATION — Lilly Crum Doster — James Watson Society  
 STATE PROMOTERS — Sara Lounsberry Rice — Fort Frederica Society  
 TOMB OF THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION — Commodore Perry Society Tie: Colonel Henry Lee Society, The Glass Brothers Society  
 U. S. A. BICENTENNIAL — Mr. and Mrs. Gerald G. Fling — Tie: Martha Stewart Bulloch Society, Commodore Perry Society  
 YEARBOOK — Alice Walker Lovelace — Uchee Trail Society

### SPECIAL AWARDS

STATE NEWS SHEET AWARD BY THE EDITOR, CAROL-KING RUSSELL, FOR THE MOST CREATIVE ARTICLE SUBMITTED FOR PUBLICATION IN GEORGIA CARGOES — Peggy Somers, Altama Society  
 MOST S. A. R. STATE PATRIOTS — Colonel Henry Lee Society

### CASH AWARDS

BEST C. A. R. - S. A. R. PARTICIPATION — Allen Howard Society  
 LONGEST DISTANCE TRAVELED TO CONFERENCE — Lucy Spell Raiford Society  
 NATIONAL HERITAGE — Allen Howard Society  
 STATE PRESIDENT'S PROJECT — Allen Howard Society

### STATE STANDARD OF EXCELLENCE

HIGHEST AWARD PRESENTED BY THE GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY; THE CLARE B. SMYTH TROPHY — Fort Frederica Society  
 TRI-COLOR RIBBON — Fort Frederica Society, Uchee Trail Society, Commodore Perry Society, Winona Society, The Glass Brothers Society  
 GOLD RIBBON: Brunswick Society, Colonel Henry Lee Society, Allen Howard Society, Meadow Garden Society, James Watson Society  
 BLUE RIBBON: Benjamin Hawkins Society, Martha Stewart Bulloch Society



## AWARDS AT NATIONAL CONVENTION — 1977

STATE PRESIDENTS' AWARD ON ACTIVITY GUIDELINE  
QUESTIONS — Yes to all questions: GOLD RIBBON — H. Franklin  
Fling  
NATIONAL MERIT AWARD — GOLD RIBBON CERTIFICATE —  
Fort Frederica Society, Uchee Trail Society

## 1977 C. A. R. NATIONAL CONVENTION CHAIRMAN

CANDIDATES CAMPAIGN PARTY — Carol-King Russell

## LOCAL SOCIETIES AND SENIOR SOCIETY PRESIDENTS — 1977

ALLEN HOWARD: Mrs. James R. McMillen, 4439 Palm Springs Drive,  
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Macon 30204  
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Island 31522  
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Perry 31069  
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Island 31522  
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ville 30245  
HOWELL COBB: Mrs. Joseph Brooks, 5096 Willow Point Parkway,  
Marietta 30062  
JAMES WATSON: Mrs. Albert Williams, 125 East High Street, Winder  
30680  
LUCY SPELL RAIFORD: Mrs. Charles Q. Hall, 8181 River Road,  
Columbus 31904  
MARTHA STEWART BULLOCH: Mrs. Sterling E. Skinner, 201  
Pinewood Drive, Statesboro 30458  
MEADOW GARDEN: Mrs. Robert L. Smith, 203 Martintown Road,  
North Augusta, S. C. 29841  
REBECCA CARTER APPLING: Mrs. Fred Strickland, Tollison Street,  
Baxley 31513  
SANSAVILLA: Mrs. Tommie J. Dent, Rt. 3, Box 118, Jesup 31545  
SERGEANT NEWTON, JR.: Mrs. Philip Cohen, 3127 South Mill Street,  
Covington 30209  
THE GLASS BROTHERS: Mrs. Christopher Carson, 4845 Woodvale  
Drive, N. W., Atlanta 30327  
THRONATEESKA: Mrs. Eugene Crowe, 1811 Lullwater Road, Albany  
31701  
UCHEE TRAIL: Mrs. Amos E. Daniel, Airport Road, Cochran 31014  
WINONA: Mrs. Wayne D. Seaman, P. O. Box 157, Waycross 31501

## **CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

**Mrs. Burwell Atkinson Russell**  
**Senior State President**

The Georgia State Society, Children of the American Revolution, has had another great year with the superior leadership of our President, Harland Franklin Fling.

The Thirty-Seventh Annual State Conference was held in Statesboro, at Georgia Southern College, on February 27, 28, 29, 1976. Two hundred members and seniors were in attendance. Georgia was deeply honored to have the National President, Michelle B. Loughery, with us. Martha Stewart Bulloch Society hosted the Conference.

The C. A. R. National Convention in April, 1976, was well attended by Georgians. A chartered bus, filled with enthusiastic members and seniors drove to Washington. On the way to the convention, we made stops in Philadelphia, Valley Forge and Annapolis. Our Bus Committee Chairman, Mr. Gerald G. Fling, and his Co-Chairman, Mr. G. Glenn Fling, Jr. always have a well planned historical tour for the Georgia C. A. R. bus.

Our State President, Francis Malvin Pruet, won first place in the State President's Awards. Many other awards were proudly accepted by the Georgia State Society.

Georgia was proud of her members who served as National Convention Chairmen. H. Franklin Fling, Colonel Henry Lee Society, served again as National Band Director, with Fielding and Jonathan Alderman, Uchee Trail Society and Carol-King Russell, Brunswick Society, playing in the National band. Peggy Somers, Altama Society, served as chairman of the National Nominating Committee.

Harland Franklin Fling was installed as the new State President. Also installed at Mount Vernon in April, 1976 were three National Officers from Georgia. They were Clare B. Smyth, National First Vice President, Peggy Somers, National Recording Secretary and Francis Malvin Pruet, National Organizing Secretary.

My installation in April, 1976 as Senior State President of the Georgia State Society began one of the most interesting and rewarding years of my life.

By the end of May I had my Senior State Board together; and, H. Franklin Fling, State President, and I worked closely together while appointing the State Chairmen. Problems were out, we simply refused to have them. We reached full agreement on all decisions. We are good friends. Also in May I performed my first official act as Senior State President — the installation of new officers of the Sansavilla Society, in Jesup and presenting Jody Powers, Organizing President, an Endowment Fund Pin. May was a working and visiting month.

June was cold and rainy when I returned to Washington to attend my first National Board meeting. It was an exciting experience and a happy one. The remainder of the month was spent in Georgia attending installation banquets and just visiting societies.

July brought the gathering together again of the Georgia State Society-Southeastern Regional in Charleston, S. C. There were seventy-six Georgians, including our State Regent, Mrs. Louis J. Bahin, largest delegation present. Mrs. Gerald G. Fling, Georgia's own, is the Senior National Vice President of the Southeastern Region. We were there to better understand the 1976 program of our National President, Stephen Scott Miller.

We had a splendid State Workshop in Augusta, hosted by the Meadow Garden Society, in August, 1976, with one hundred attending. The State Chairmen had sheets prepared for the state information packet which were given to member and senior chairmen as well as member and senior society presidents. The panel discussion was informative and those attending the workshop left feeling as if the working year would be a good one. During this same weekend we had our first Annual Heritage Tour. Augusta, with so much history, was an excellent location to begin this annual event. At the banquet that night the guest speaker was Dr. Helen Callahan, History Professor at Augusta College.

Government Studies Seminar was in Macon in October. Edith Newton, State Chairman and her senior, Mrs. J. L. Dantzler are to be commended for the excellent planning put into the day. Dr. Spencer B. King, noted author, speaker and teacher at Mercer University gave a most interesting address on "The Evolution Of Human Rights". Later that afternoon we attended a Bicentennial Tea given by the Benjamin Hawkins Society in the Sidney Lanier Cottage in honor of the State President and the Senior State President.

November arrived and so did our State Presidents Project 'Trip To Tamassee'. Those who missed the trip to the mountains of South Carolina and the mountain school really missed an important part of our year. 'Trip To Tamassee' was truly a learning experience.

December was a very busy month. I had to turn my attention to family; but, I assure you, C. A. R. kept in the foreground as usual.

January; I began to return to C. A. R. duties completely and never, never did I realize before just what went into planning a State Conference.

On the sixth of February, 1977, our newest society held their organizational meeting, the Rebecca Carter Appling Society in Baxley. This meeting was well attended by members and seniors from all over the state. A lovely reception was given afterwards by the society.

Societies continue to work together, and this is the basis for a unified State Society, one of which we are all proud. We continue to have wonderful C.A.R. boosters in the Georgia State Patriots, Georgia State Promoters, National Promoters, and Life Promoters. Membership in the Georgia State Society is now over five hundred, with a gain of one hundred and one new members. A membership drive is already underway throughout the state. We are still growing. To date we have twenty-two active societies and we hope to organize more this year with the help of our many DAR Chapters in the state. The Georgia CAR goes remain one of the outstanding news sheets in the nation and is a must in every Georgia C.A.R. home.

I must tell you that nothing could have been possible without the hard work and dedication of every member and senior of the Georgia State Society. My family must be recognized for their love and understanding behind the scene, they are great.

Our young people are our future. THEY are the Leaders - the DOers — the Pacers and Advancers of civilization. We owe our children a continued chain of quality leadership in dedication to God — Country — and Society.

The Thirty-Eighth Annual State Conference was held on February 25, 26, 27, 1977, in Savannah, hosted by the Colonel Henry Lee Society. Two hundred members and seniors attended. The conference was most successful and Georgia was honored to have the National President, Stephen Scott Miller, with us. Carol-King Russell was elected State President.

Our State Regent, Mrs. Louis J. Bahin, has been an inspiration. Her interest and love will always be remembered by the Georgia State Society, Children Of The American Revolution.