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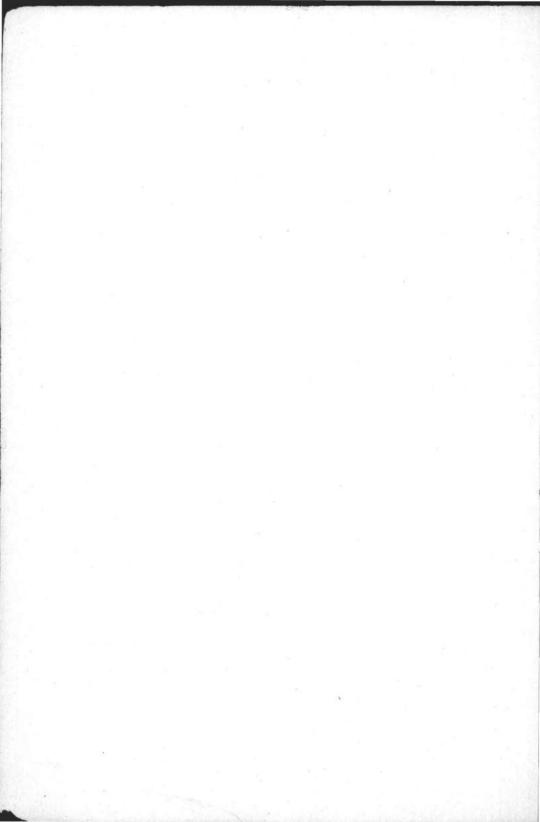
In Georgia



Held at Covington, Ga., November 4, 5 and 6, 1908

By Invitation of Sergeant Newton Chapter

MISS ANNA CAROLINE BENNING Regent MRS. C. M. CROSBY State Recording Secretary



Officers of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Georgia,

Since the Formation of the National Society in 1901.

- FIRST STATE REGENT—Mrs. Augustus Ramon Salas, Waynesboro, Ga., for the year 1891.
- SECOND STATE REGENT—Mrs. Harry Jackson, Atlanta, Ga., for the year 1892.
- THIRD STATE REGENT—Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, Savannah, Ga. Five consecutive years, viz: 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897.
- FOURTH STATE REGENT—Mrs. Porter King, Atlanta, Ga., for the year 1898.
- FIFTH STATE REGENT—Mrs. Robert Emory Park, Macon, Ga., for the years 1899, 1900, 1901, 1902.
- SIXTH STATE REGENT—Mrs. Ira Yale Sage, for the years 1903, 1904.
- SEVENTH STATE REGENT—Mrs. James A. Rounsaville, for the years 1905, 1906.
- EIGHTH STATE REGENT—Miss Anna Caroline Benning for the years 1907, 1908.

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Mrs. W. W. Gordon.

Miss Junia McKinley.

Mrs. Mary A. Washington.

Mrs. W. L. Peel.

Mrs. Harriet Gould Jefferies

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Mrs. Hugh Hagan, Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Albert Cox, Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Lizzie Hills Bailey, Griffin, Ga. Mrs. William M. Dickson, Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. William M. Dickson, Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Anna Caroline Benning, Columbus, Ga.

Mrs. Hoke Smith, Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, Savannah, Ga.

Mrs. Robert E. Park, Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. I. V. Sage, Atlanta, Ga.

State Officers for 1907, 1908.

State Regent—Miss Anna Caroline Benning, Columbus, Ga. First State Vice-Regent—Mrs. Edgar A. Ross, Macon, Ga. Second State Vice-Regent—Mrs. William Lee Ellis, Macon, Ga. State Recording Secretary—Mrs. C. M. Crosby, Marietta, Ga. State Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. W. W. Curtis, Columbus, Ga.

State Treasurer—Mrs. John M. Bryan, Savannah, Ga. State Historian—Mrs. A. McD. Wilson, Atlanta, Ga.

State Editor-Mrs. T. M. Green.

Assistant State Editors—Mrs. Joseph Harrison and Mrs. A. O. Harper.

PROGRAM

Of the Tenth Annual State Conference of the Georgia Chapters National Society of the Daughters of American Revolution held at Covington, November 4th, 5th and 6th, by invitation of Sergeant Newton Chapter. Methodist Church, 1908.

Wednesday 10:00 A. M.
Tenth Annual State Conference, N. S. D. A. R., called to order by State Regent
Invocation
Song
Words of Welcome to the Conference by State Regent. Miss Anna Caroline Benning
Song
Addresses of Welcome:—
In behalf of the City, Jas. M. Pace
President of Emory College, Dr. J. E. Dickey
Regent Sergeant Newton Chapter, D. A. R., Mrs. P. W. Godfrey
Greetings:—
From the President-General and National Society to the State Conference and Georgia Daughters, Mrs. I. Y. Sage, President U. D. C., President Woman's Club, President Memorial Association
Response
Music Fraternal
Greetings:— From the President Colonial Dames of Georgia, Mrs. Frank H. Orme President State Federation Woman's Club, Mrs. Hugh Willett President State U. D. C., Miss Alice Baxter
Responsive Greetings:—
Mrs. R, E, Park, Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan
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Treasurer Mrs. T. M. Bryan	n
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Compulsory Education, Mrs. Edgar Ross	
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Friday 10:00 A. M.

Conference called to order by State Regent	
Prayer	Mr. LePrade
Unfinished Business	
New Business	
Nomination and Election of Officers	
Report of Committee on Time and Place	
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Adjournment	
Luncheon	n Revolution

MINUTES.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH, 1908.

The Tenth Annual State Conference of the Georgia Chapters of the National Society of the Daughters of American Revolution was called to order in Covington at ten o'clock by Miss Anna Caroline Benning, State Regent.

The Conference was opened by a very effective prayer by Rev. H. M. Quillian, the resident Pastor of the Methodist Church.

A telegram was then read by the State Regent from Mrs. Donald McLain, President General of the D. A. R., sending greetings and regretting her inability to be present.

The Song of the Revolution, an especially appropriate song for the occasion, was given by the entire scholastic body of the High School, and as this beautiful song was written by Dr. Frank Orme, it was deemed entirely fitting that Mrs. Orme, who was on the Rostrum, be draped in a flag that was being displayed by the pupils of the school.

The State Regent then presented to the Conference the

officers, who were received with applause.

Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan being introduced, responded in a very much appreciated way. Mrs. James A. Rounsaville followed in a very happy manner.

America, that ever loved hymn, was then sung by the en-

tire audience.

A vote of appreciation was then made to the gentlemen on the musical program, Messrs. Corley, Wells and Thompson.

Captain Jas. M. Pace was then introduced, and made a most eloquent address of welcome to the city of Covington to the entire body, expressing a hope that they would consider it theirs for the time they were within its gates; also mentioning that Covington was quite an appropriate place for a D. A. R. meeting, in as much as one of the Revolutionary officers had given it her name.

Dr. Jas. E. Dickey, President of Emory College, was then introduced, and charmed the audience with a very entertaining account of the history of the Colonies, also explaining the great benefits derived from the great institutions of learning in the localities in which these colleges are, and deploring the lack of such great facilities in this great Southland of ours.

The Regent of the entertaining Chapter, Mrs. P. W.

Godfrey, in a very lovely manner offered the best the city afforded to every visiting delegate, expressing the highest appreciation of the honor paid her Chapter in being allowed the pleasure of entertaining this Conference.

The President of the Covington and Oxford Chapter of the U. D. C., Miss Sallie Mae Sockwell, welcomed the Conference to Covington on behalf of her Chapter, expressing great pleasure in the opportunity to be present at this Conference, as the object for which both orders are fighting are so similar, the upbuilding of the youth of the land, it could but be a double pleasure to meet so many earnest workers for the cause.

On behalf of the Woman's Club, Mrs. Chas. Sockwell, the president of the organization, welcomed the Conference to Covington in a most graceful address, to which Miss Benning, the State Regent, replied in behalf of the entire body.

Mrs. Jas. M. Pace, President of Memorial Association, also the founder and first Regent of the Sergeant Newton Chapter, D. A. R., was then introduced and responded happily.

Mrs. J. H. Redding, of Waycross, responded eloquently and appreciatively to the cordial welcome which had been accorded the Conference, after which, at the suggestion of Mrs. Rounsaville, the entire body united it singing Blest Be the Tie that Binds,

The Vice President of the Colonial Dames, Mrs. Frank H. Orme, was then introduced, and was met with much applause.

The President of the State U. D. C., Miss Baxter, was next on the program, and much regret was expressed that she was not able to be present.

Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan made a most earnest appeal in behalf of the North Georgia mountain children, showing their crying need of better educational facilities, with great applause from the entire house.

Mrs. Mitchell, of Anniston, Ala., a visiting Daughter, was introduced by the Chair and asked to give us a message from Georgia's beloved daughter State. She responded, saying she was a native Georgian, a member of Georgia U. D. C., but an Alabama Daughter, rejoiced to be with us, and cordially invited every member of this Conference to be present at the meeting of the Alabama State Conference in Anniston, December 2d, for which appreciation was expressed by the State Regent.

Mrs. Robt. E. Park and Mrs. Hugh Willett, next on the program, were unable to be present, on account of illness, much to the regret of the entire body.

The State Regent said she would be glad to entertain a

motion that a vote of thanks be extended Mr. Sain, who had so kindly furnished the buttons for the Conference, which motion was made and carried.

The Conference was then favored with a vocal solo by Miss

Ezzell, which was much enjoyed and warmly encored.

Mrs. Parker made an interesting talk in regard to free kindergarten conditions in Macon, and education of children in

general.

The morning session was then adjourned, and the entire Conference was entertained at luncheon by the Woman's Club at the home of Mrs. Henry Denton Terrell in a most enjoyable way.

WEDNESDAY-2:30 P. M.

The Conference was called to order by the State Regent for the resuming of business, Rev. Mr. Quillian opening the session with prayer.

The State Officers Present.

Miss A. C. Benning, Regent.

Mrs. Wm. Lee Ellis, Second Vice-Regent. Mrs. C. M. Crosby, Recording Secretary.

Mrs. W. W. Curtis, Corresponding Secretary.

Mrs. John M. Bryan, Treasurer. Mrs. T. M. Green, Historian.

Mrs. Jno. M. Graham, Editor. Mrs. J. H. Redding. Assistant Editor.

Mrs. A. O. Harper, Assistant Editor.

Report of the Credential Committee was made by the Chairman, Mrs. John M. Bryan, giving the following delegates as being present from the following Chapters:

Atlanta Chapter—Mrs. S. W. Foster, Regent; Mrs. Howard McCall, Miss Nellie Bowen, Mrs. Geo. M. Hope, Dele-

gates.

Augusta Chapter-Mrs. J. B. Cumming, Regent; Mrs. W.

C. Kellogg, Delegate.

Brunswick Chapter—Mrs. W. H. Devoe, Regent; Mrs. B. Whitfield, Delegate.

Button Gwinnett-Mrs. E. H. Epping, Regent; Miss M. L. Redd, Delegate.

Council of Safety—Mrs. Howell B. Simmons Regent; Mrs.

M. McC. Lowry, Delegate. Elijah Clarke—Mrs. J. Y. Carrithers, Regent; Mrs. John T.

Anderson, Delegate.

Fielding Lewis—Mrs. W. M. Everett. Regent: Mrs.

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George Walton—Miss Annie Mae Bruce, Regent; Mrs. B. H. Hardaway, Delegate.

Governor Truetlen-Mrs. Geo. T. Harris, Regent; Miss

A. B. Houser, Delegate.

Hannah Clarke—Miss Nonnie McCall, Delegate. Jonathan Bryan—Mrs. J. H. Redding, Regent.

Joseph Habersham-Mrs. W. L. Peel, Mrs. T. A. Murray,

Jr., Mrs. J. W. McArthur, Delegates.

Kettle Creek—Mrs. S. R. Dillard, Delegate. Lachlan McIntosh—Miss M. A. Cosens, Regent.

Lyman Hall—Not represented.

Mary Hammond Washington—Mrs. Flewellen Holt, Regent.

Nathaniel Macon—Mrs. T. C. Parker, Regent. Nancy Hart—Miss Mary E. Brooks, Delegate.

Oglethorpe—Mis. R. P. Spencer, Regent; Mrs. H. B. Crawford, Delegate.

Pulaski-Mrs. J. W. McWilliams, Delegate; Mrs. Roswell

Drake, Alternate.

Piedmont Continental-Mrs. L. D. Lowe, Regent; Mrs.

Stephen Dean, Delegate.
Sergeant Newton—Mrs. P. W. Godfrey, Regent; Mrs. W.
C. Clark. Alternate for Regent; Miss Flora Carr, Delegate.
Stephen Hopkins—Miss Frederick, Delegate.

Stephen Heard-Mrs. F. L. Bartow, Regent; Mrs. A. O.

Harper. Delegate.

Savannah—Mrs. J. T. Johnson, Delegate. Shadrack Inman—Mrs. V. I. Davis, Regent.

Sarah Dickinson—Mrs. R. B. Hardaway, Regent.

Sarah McIntosh—Mrs. John A. Perdue, Regent; Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Turner, Delegates.

Thomas Jefferson-Mrs. Robt. B. Toy, Regent.

Xavier—Mrs. Rounsaville, Regent; Mrs. F. E. Vaissiere, Delegate.

Honorary Officers.

Mrs. W. L. Peel, State Regent.

The National Officers, Ex-National Officers and Ex-State Officers, Honored Guests, to whom has been extended the privileges of the body—

Mrs. I. Y. Sage, Vice-President General and Ex-State

Regent.

Mrs. R. E. Park, Ex-Vice-President General and Ex-State

Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, Ex-Vice-President General and Ex-State Regent.

Mrs. F. H. Orme, Ex-Vice State Regent.

This report was accepted with the provision that new dele-

gates' names should be enrolled as they should come in.

A motion was made and carried whereby a telegram was to be sent to Mrs. Donald McLain, expressing regret that she could not be present, thanking her for her telegram, and expressing highest appreciation of her administration. Mrs. Wilson was asked to see that this telegram be sent.

The report of the Program Committee was read by Mrs. P. W. Godfrey, and the same was accepted with a vote of thanks.

A telegram was sent to Mrs. Park expressing regret that she

was unable to be present.

A vote of thanks was made to the Faculty of Emory College and their wives and to the Woman's Club of Oxford for their invitation for Thursday afternoon, which invitation was

accepted.

On motion of Mrs. W. C. Clark, Alt. Regent for Sergeant Newton, the entire Conference will attend a lecture to be given by Mr. Claude Bennett at Emory College on Thursday evening, the program previously arranged having to be left off on account of the absence of Mrs. Park.

The report of the Auditing Committee was made, showing that the books were found to be correct up to November 5th,

which report was accepted with thanks.

The report of the Recording Secretary was read by Mrs. C.

M. Crosby, and the same was accepted with thanks.

The report of the Corresponding Secretary was made by Mrs. W. W. Curtis, the same being accepted with a vote of thanks.

The report of the Treasurer was made by Mrs. John M. Bryan and was received with much satisfaction and a vote of thanks.

The Report of the Editor, Mrs. Jno. M. Graham, was made and accepted with thanks.

The report of the Historian, Mrs. T. M. Green, was read

and accepted with thanks.

A motion that a vote of thanks be sent from this body, the Tenth Annual Conference of D. A. R. in session, to Honorable Wm. A. Howard, Congressman from the Eighth District, for his successful efforts to have the U. S. Government erect a monument on the battle ground of Kettle Creek, was made by Mrs. J. T. Johnson, which motion was carried.

The Conference now took a recess until 10 o'clock Thurs-

day morning.

THURSDAY-10:00 A. M.

The body was called to order by the State Regent, the meeting being opened with prayer by the Reverend Mr. Quillian,

The minutes of the previous day were read, approved and

accepted.

The State Regent appointed the following members to serve on the Committee on Resolutions: Mrs. A. O. Harper, Chairman; Mrs. V. I. Davis, Mrs. Howell B. Simmons, Miss Nonnie McCall, Mrs. Chas. Willingham.

This being the 70th birthday of one of our veteran members, Mrs. Davis, Regent of Shadrach Inman Chapter, of Hepzibah, Georgia, she was extended the congratulations of the entire

body.

The report of the State Regent was next made, and the same was received with applause. Upon motion of Mrs. R. E. Park, a rising vote of thanks was made to the State Regent in recognition of the splendid work she has done for the cause.

A telegram was ordered by the body to be sent to Mrs. Edgar A. Ross expressing great sympathy for her suffering from serious burns, and regret that she was not able to meet with the Conference.

Next the reports of the various Chapters were listened to

and received with pleasure and appreciation.

Upon a motion made by Mrs. P W. Godfrey the privileges of the house were accorded to our former officers, Mrs. Park,

Mrs, Sage and Mrs S. B. C. Morgan.

Upon a suggestion of Mrs. I. Y. Sage it was agreed that the loving cup given annually as a prize to the successful student at the University of Georgia should be purchased early in the Autumn and displayed at the University for the remainder of the scholastic year. This motion was made by Mrs. Peel, received a second and was carried.

The report on Records was made by Mrs. R. E. Park, and

was accepted.

Report on Oglethorpe Monument was made by Miss Cosens, the same being approved and accepted.

Report on Georgia Day was made by Mrs. Graham, the

same being approved and accepted.

Report of Magazine Committee was read by Miss Redd,

Chairman, the same being accepted.

Mrs. Rounsaville requested meeting of Time and Place Committee directly after the close of afternoon session, asking that representatives from Chapters inviting the Conference for another year meet with this Committee.

The morning session was then adjourned, to be called together at 3 o'clock p. m., the entire body being entertained at luncheon by the Covington and Oxford Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, at the residence of Mrs. E. C. Lee.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON-3 o'clock.

The afternoon session of Thursday was called to order by the State Regent at three o'clock, and the business of the day resumed. In the absence of Mrs. Geo. J. Dexter, Chairman, her interesting report on Real Daughters was read by Mrs. Curtis, Corresponding Secretary, and was accepted by the house with thanks.

Upon motion of Mrs. W. L. Peel which was carried by the body, a letter of sympathy was ordered sent to Mrs. Dexter, deploring her illness and expressing great regret that she was unable to be present at the Conference, and trusting that she would soon be entirely well.

The report on Meadow Garden was read by Mrs. Cumming, and adopted by the house.

A supplementary report of the Credential Committee showed that a total of fifty ladies had qualified, the same being accepted as correct.

A report on Patriotic Education was given by the Ex-Vice-President General, Mrs. R. E. Park, the same being accepted by the body.

A motion was made by Mrs. J. M. Bryan, and carried by the body, to the effect that all Chapters be requested to allow, as near as possible, money donations to pass through the hands of the State Treasurer.

Mrs. Ellis being invited to take the chair, the State Regent made a report as to the progress of Continental Hall, stating that the President General had reported the promise of the contractor that the building would be completed by the 10th of April next; that the contractor was under a bond to this effect.

In the absence of Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Park reported as a member of the Committee on Compulsory Education that nothing had been done, the last session of the Legislature being such a strenuous one that it had been impossible to push this matter.

Upon a motion of Mrs. Rounsaville the body made the following Standing Rule: That all Ex-Vice President Generals shall be accorded the privileges of the floor at Conferences, the Rule being amended by Mrs. Johnson to include all Ex-State Regents of Georgia.

Report on Historic Spots was then read by Mrs. Redding, and accepted with thanks.

The body then adjourned to be called together for the resuming of business at 10 o'clock Friday morning.

FRIDAY-10:00 A. M.

The Friday Morning Session was called to order by the State Regent at ten o'clock, exercises being opened by Rev. W. H. LaPrade.

The minutes of the preceding day were read, approved and

adopted.

Much to the regret of the entire body, the State Editor, Mrs. John M. Graham, handed in her resignation, which after vigorous protest was accepted. In so doing, the entire house gave a rising vote of thanks to Mrs. Graham, expressing the highest appreciation of her work while in office.

Mrs. Morgan offered a resolution in regard to the Oglethorpe Monument Fund, and asked that same be signed by all Regents of Chapters, and all attending representatives, which motion was accepted and passed.

Mrs. John M. Graham made a motion that a vote of thanks be sent the Atlanta Constitution for the space so kindly given to the D. A. R. in its Sunday edition, which motion was made and carried.

Mrs. Parker read a telegram from Hon. DuPont Guerry, President of Wesleyn Female College, stating that this institution ranks second to none in educational facilities.

A motion was then made to pass to nomination of officers, said motion being carried, the following nominations being made:

State Regent, Mrs. P. W. Godfrey, Covington. Nomination made by Mrs. W. W. Curtis, seconded by Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Rounsaville. A motion was made that the nomination be unanimous, and that the recording secretary cast the ballot.

Mrs. Cumming was nominated as First State Vice Regent by Mrs. John M. Graham, but the nomination was declined

by Mrs. Cumming.

Mrs. John M. Graham was then nominated for First State Vice Regent by Mrs. Parker, seconded by Mrs. Dean, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. I. Y. Sage.

Mrs. J. A. Perdue was also nominated for this office by Mrs. Ellis, seconded by Mrs. W. L. Peel.

The nominations were then closed.

Mrs. Harris, of Fort Valley, was nominated by Mrs. Peel, seconded by Mrs. Ellis for Second State Vice Regent, which nomination Mrs. Harris declined.

Mrs. George M. Brown was nominated for this office by Mrs. Morgan, seconded by Mrs. McCall, Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Foster. Mrs. Bartow was also nominated for this office by Mrs. Willingham, but the nomination was declined by Mrs. Bartow.

The nomination was then closed.

For Recording Secretary Mrs. Howard McCall was nominated by Mrs. Perdue, seconded by Mrs. Rounsaville and Mrs. Hope. The election was unanimous, and the Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot, which was done.

For Corresponding Secretary Miss Flora Carr was nominated by Mrs. Spencer, seconded by Mrs. Rounsaville and Mrs. I. Y. Sage. The election was unanimous, and the Secretary was instruced to cast ballot, which was done.

For State Treasurer Miss Nonnie McCall was nominated by Mrs. Rounsaville, but Miss McCall declined the nomination.

Mrs. A. O. Harper was then nominated for this office by Miss Annie May Bruce, seconded by Mrs. Bryan, Mrs. I. Y. Sage, Mrs. Morgan. Mrs. Harper was unanimously elected, and the Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot, the same being done.

For State Historian Mrs. T. M. Green was nominated by Mrs. W. L. Peel, seconded by Mrs. Rounsaville, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Morgan. The election was unanimous, and the Secre-

tary was instructed to cast the ballot, which was done.

For State Editor Mrs. Curtis was nominated by Mrs. Vaissiere but the nomination was declined by Mrs. Curtis. Mrs. J. H. Redding was then nominated by Mrs. Sage, seconded by Mrs. Vaissiere, but Mrs. Redding declined the nomination. Mrs. W. C. Clark was nominated for this office by Mrs. Toy, seconded by Mrs. Vaissiere, Miss Cosens; Mrs. T. C. Parker was nominated by Mrs. Anderson, seconded by Mrs. Flewellen Holt, but the nomination was declined by Mrs. Parker. Mrs. Peel nominated Mrs. J M. Bryan, seconded by Mrs. Johnson, but Mrs. Bryan declined the nomination. Mrs. Vaissiere moved that the nomination of Mrs. W. C. Clark be made unanimous, and the Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot, the same being done.

For Assistant State Editors Mrs. Peel nominated Mrs. Scott Wilson, of Savannah, seconded by Mrs. I. Y. Sage,

Mrs. Toy, Mrs. Harper and Mrs. Bryan.

Mrs. Jos. Harrison was nominated by Mrs. Spencer, seconded by Mrs. Godfrey, Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Peel. Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Harrison were declared unanimously elected, and the Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot, the same being done.

Mrs. Harper, Assistant State Editor, resigns.

Recess for ten minutes.

Ballot for First Vice Regent taken, with result that out of

fifty-two votes cast, Mrs. John M. Graham was elected. Mrs. Perdue, the other candidate, made a motion that the election be considered unanimous, and that Mrs. Graham be told that her election was unanimous. A rising vote of thanks was made to Mrs. Perdue showing the apprecition of the house for her gracious suggestion.

Mrs. Morgan makes a strong appeal for the education of mountain boys and girls.

Mrs. Rounsaville made a motion that a committee of five be appointed to outline the duties of our State Historian, this committee to include our State Historian, and four of her predecessors in office, one of whom shall be our Regent, Miss Benning, who was the first Historian of our State Organization.

Mrs. Peel made a motion that the work of the State Historian for 1909 be a chronicle of the events of this conference including the work of chapters as embodied in the reports of the Regents, which was carried.

The State Regent appointed Mrs. Perdue, Mrs. Redding and Mrs. McCall as a committee to form resolutions on the death of Mrs. Gaillard.

Mrs. J. M. Bryan made a motion that the addresses of all State Officers and Chapter Regents be included in the minutes, which motion was carried by the house.

Mrs. Peel made a motion that we recommend that in making Chapter reports the Regents make them as concise as possible without leaving out anything of vital importance, either to the Chapters themselves or to the State Conference.

The Committee on Time and Place reported that they had very pressing invitations to hold the next meeting with both the Savannah and Brunswick Chapters, but that the Savannah Chapter withdrew in favor of the Brunswick Chapter, in view of the fact that within the past few years the Savannah Chapter had entertained the Conference, so it was decided that the next Conference be held with the Brunswick Chapter, the time to be as nearly as possible the first of November as was convenient for the entertaining Chapter. Mrs. DeVoe, Regent of Brunswick Chapter, stated that the reason for having the Conference at that early date was in order that the weather might be mild enough for a water trip to the historic spots, and she hoped the delegates would come prepared to remain a day after the adjournment of Conference.

Mrs. Graham made a motion that the Chapters represented at the Conference be called on for contributions for the purpose of continuing the next year the Junia McKinley Memorial Scholarship at the Martha Berry Boys' Industrial School,

the same being carried.

Mrs. Spencer made a motion that after the Junia McKinley Memorial is pledged that we give as many more scholarships as possible, the same being carried by the house-

The following contributions were pledged by the various

Chapters:

Fielding Lewis	550	00
George Walton		
Thomas Jefferson		00
Governor Truetlen	5	00
Piedmont Continental	5	00
Button Gwinnett		00
Elijah ClarkeXavier	5	00
	50	00
Stephen Heard	5	00
Nathaniel Macon	5	00
Kettle Creek	5	00
Hannah Clarke	5	00
Sarah Dickinson	5	00
Sergeant Newton	5	00
In honor Atlanta Chapter (Paid)	5	00
Oglethorpe	15	00
Lachlan McIntosh	5	00

The minutes of today's business not being ready, it was moved that the same be referred to a Minute Committee. Motion carried.

Mrs. Morgan made a motion to the effect that the Conference make an effort to prevent the waters of Tallulah Falls being diverted for commercial purposes, which motion was carried

The Committee on Resoltions made through their Chairman a report, thanking each and every one who has made their visit of the Conference to Covington one of unalloyed pleasure.

Thanks were made to Miss Benning for the most efficient and devoted manner in which she has performed the duties of

her office.

All business of the Conference having been completed, the session was closed with the singing of the Doxology by the

entire body.

The body then adjourned to be entertained at luncheon by Sergeant Newton Chapter, D. A. R., at the home of Mrs. J. M. Pace.

APPENDIX

Response to Address of Welcome-Mrs. J. H. Redding.

Vice President General, dear Regent, Daughters of the American Revolution and gracious Friends:

It is very delightful for the Georgia Division of our order, who have gathered from the mountains to the sea, in these old red hills of Georgia, to receive such a cordial welcome.

In this beautiful little city, near the classic shades of Oxford, the Tenth Annual Conference has assembled, not solely for pleasure, but for counsel and strength to meet the work that lies before us.

The men who made possible this Republic left footprints on the sands of time. It is our privilege to hear the call of the brave and perpetuate the principles to which they consecrated their lives; to mark the sacred spot where lay our sleeping heroes, and commemorate every dramatic incident in the struggle for American independence, is a part, but not the

Old England made a mighty effort to uplift humanity from the days of the great Alfred to the struggle for Magna Charter, and produced men who were heroes and martyrs. But the contest in the old world swayed in the balance, with love for power and dominion. Then there came to the hearts of men the consciousness that America was opportunity! And they sailed in frail ships across the great deep, willing to meet savages and the wild beasts of the forest to make for themselves homes in a wilderness, with consciences unfettered and freedom to worship God. Close to the heart of nature and nature's God they advanced in the development of a great race, in spite of superstitions and discouragements that from time to time arose among them.

To teach the youth of our land the heroic efforts of the past, to set the examples of love and devotion to principles is

our greatest work.

greatest work of our order.

Not magnificent cities, vast armies and navies, make a nation great, for time, accident and the elements destroy these : but to make our children understand that the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution framed by our fore-fathers gave this world a momentum it will never lose. We of the South believe, as all the world will some day, that Washington and Lee fought alike for constitutional republican liberty. Not

the old world idea that the object of good government should be to confer the greatest benefits upon the greatest number, but the greatest possible good upon every constituent member, without injury to one.

When we impress this faith upon the children of our country, and teach them to treasure their glorious heritage, they will understand why the hoary old empire of China is seeking constitutional rights, and the sick man of the East brought to know that the sole chance for his recovery lies in the same remedy. This is the divine call that has come to the patriotic societies of the women of America, and in answering it they raise a bulwark against the tide of so-called socialism and anarchy that is coming to our shores, and opens the highway for the triumphal march of Him for whom this world was made. And so, dear friends, we have come to you united in purpose, and by your gracious welcome we feel that we have come unto our own.

Letter From First Vice-Regent.

Macon, Ga., Nov. 2, 1908

Dear Madam Regent and Members of the Conference of 1908, Greeting:

I had hoped to be with you at this gathering and applaud its proceedings, but an ignorant practitioner did snatch from science its deadliest ray with the result of fiery pain and suffering to me, hence my hands cannot be used for applause or any other purpose for some months to come.

In Washington last spring our state meeting had decided to send out sixty days notice before this conference convened that a vote would be taken to change the limit of the State Regents term of office. When it was nearly time to send these notices requests were made by three of the Chapters not to do this, and fearing that hard feelings might result from putting this resolution into effect, just at this time the notices were withheld. We therefore hope that this conference will pardon the failure to carry into effect the mandate of the Washington meeting, as it was in the interest of harmony. Nothing can be done now to change the term of the Regents' incumbency, because the Rule requires sixty days notice before such change can be made in the Constitution and By-laws. In further explanation of the Committee's failure to act as above mentioned, it must be plead that that they were in ignorance of the fact they were out of order in deviating from their instructions, but, after it was too late, the Committee did realize that they should not have departed from these instructions, nor should these Chapters have preferred their request for them to do so.

Trusting that this may prove a harmonious and profitable

meeting, I am

Yours sincerely,

MRS. EDGAR A. Ross, First Vice-Regent D. A. R. of Ga.

Report of State Regent.

Members in State admitted since April, 1907, 236.

Total membership October 7th, 1,307. Others will be ad-

mitted today.

Number of Chapters in good standing in April, 1907, 23. Number paying arrears since April, 1907, 1. New Chapters, 6. Total, 30.

Number of State Officers, 11. Number of Chapter Regents commissioned, 9. Another (Mrs. McFadden) will be commissioned today.

Number who have been approached with a view of forming

Chapters, 34.

Congresses attended, 1. Board meetings, 5. Memorial Continental Hall Committee meetings, 5.

Trips to Washington, 4; in the State for Chapter exten-

sion and D. A. R. work, 10.

Time spent in Norfolk on account of articles loaned for Jamestown Historic Building, 8 1-2 months.

New Chapters—Lyman Hall, Mrs. E. A. Pound, Regent; Governor Treutlen, Mrs. Geo. T. Harris, Regent; Button Gwinnett, Mrs. E. H. Epping, Regent; Hannah Clark, Mrs. Lula Hitch Chapman, Regent; Council of Safety, Mrs. Howell B. Simmons, Regent; General James Jackson, Mrs. W. T. Elder, Regent.

Chapters Not Quite Ready for Organization—Archibald Bulloch, Mrs Oscar McKenzie, Regent; General Francis Marion, Mrs F M King, Regent; Clarksville, Miss Addie G.

Bass, Regent.

Regents Commissioned—Mrs Warren Toole, Winder; Mrs. J B S Holmes, Valdosta. Mrs Holmes recently resigned and Mrs W T Elder was then commissioned. Mrs Stanley Mc-Fadden, Fitzgerald, will be commissioned by the National Board today. *

Mrs T C Parker is Director of the Children of the Ameri-

can Revolution,

The correspondence has been heavy.

^{*} Mrs. Oscar T. Peeples was commissioned Feby, 3rd, 1909.

The Minutes were published with the collaboration of Mrs. Crosby, Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Curtis.

The University Prize has been delivered.

The money pledged has been forwarded for the Berry School Scholarship, but all the Chapters did not, as requested, pay their pledges through the State Treasurer. The Berry School is much in need of further assistance.

An unsuccessful effort has been made to obtain a reduction

of railroad fare.

You are urged to send a Smithsonian Report to Mrs. Bowron, Assistant Historian General.

The work of marking historic spots and the graves of Revolutionary soldiers is commended to your loving attention.

Mrs. Chas. Murphy, former Vice President General, from Ohio, solicits your consideration for the children of the Republic.

The hundreds of valuable relics loaned for the Jamestown Ter-Centennial Exposition have been safely returned; the display of old silver, documents and fire arms was exceptionally fine.

Through the courtesy of the Atlanta Constitution, the Society has a weekly publication on the "Club Woman's Page" of the Sunday issue. This department is conducted by the State Editor and two Assistant State Editors, with contributions of Historical, Biographical, Genealogical and Chapter Sketches.

The Press throughout the State is most generous and courteous in their treatment of the D. A. R.

The work near the heart of the present State Regent is the locating and marking of the Indian Warpath traversed by General Oglethorpe in 1739, when, with a small escort, he made the memorable trip to Coweta Town, a few miles west of what is now Columbus, to meet and treat with the Great Council of Creek Indians. The treaty was concluded August 21st, 1739. It preserved peace between white and red men until the war of the Revolution, when the Mother County armed and incited the Savages to murder her own children. The alliance secured, Oglethorpe went back to Savannah by way of Augusta, having made a circuit of many hundreds of miles.

He returned in time to pay the last sad rites to the remains of Tomochichi, the Mico of the Yamacraws and his beloved Counselor. According to Tomochichi's request he was buried in Savannah amid the homes of his white brethren.

The Officers, Regents and members throughout the State

have been most courteous, efficient and zealous. We thank them with all our heart, and will love them with the best love of that heart until it ceases to beat.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA CAROLINE BENNING.

Report of Corresponding Secretary.

Letters written	83
Postals written	83 58
	35
Minutes mailed to State Officers	
Postage for same\$2	
Express on Cuts to Berry School	
Stationery I	
Received payment in full from State Treasurer.	

Respectfully submitted,

MARY L. CURTIS, State Cor. Sec'y. D. A. R.

Report of Treasurer D. A. R. of Georgia.

Mrs. John M. Bryan, In account with Daughters of the American Revolution, State of Georgia.

1907. —DR—	
October 22, Balance on hand as per report to Convention held in Rome, Ga\$506 79	
1908.	
November 1, Received since as follows:	
Dues for account 1907 47 70	
Dues for account 1908	
Donations from Chapters as follows for Junia McKinley Memorial:	
Atlanta Chapter 10 00	
George Walton Chapter 5 00	
Joseph Habersham Chapter 10 00	
Lachlan McIntosh Chapter 10 00	
Mary Hammond Washingtou Chapter 5 00	
Piedmont Continental Chapter 5 00	
Savannah Chapter 5 00	
Savah Melatech Chapter	
Sarah McIntosh Chapter 2 00—\$ 52 00	
Donations from Chapters for Meadow Garden	
George Walton Chapter 15 00 Piedmont Continental Chapter 5 00—\$ 20 00	
Piedmont Continental Chapter 5 00—\$ 20 00	
Donations from Chapters for Oglethorpe Monument:	
Pulaski Chapter 3 00 Donations for "Loving Cup;" Mrs. Robert Emory Park 1 25	
Donations for "Loving Cup;"	
Mrs. Robert Emory Park 1 25	
Miss Anna C, Benning 1 25-\$ 2 50	
Interest from Savings Bank 12 78-\$757 9	,
(Total receipts for the year \$251 18)	
CR.	
CR.	

Paid to Mrs. J. S. Harrison, for stamps, stationery, etc. \$ 4 00

Paid to Mrs. J. S. Harrison, for printing proceedings		11.6		
(500 copies) Columbus Convention	72	00		
Paid to D. A. R. Scholarship, Berry School	50	00		
Paid to Mrs. R. E. Park for printing Compulsory Ed-				
ucation matters	2	50	114	
Paid to Mrs. Jefferies for Meadow Garden		00	100	
Paid to Miss Berry for Junia McKinley Memorial	50	00		
Paid to Mrs. Crosby for stamps, etc.		06		
Paid to Mrs. Curtis for postage, etc	4	69		
Paid to Mrs. Robertson for "Coat of Arms"		00		
Paid to Walton Printing Co. for printing proceedings	-			
(500 copies) Rome Conference	57	25		
(500 copies) Rome Conference Paid to Maier & Berkele for "Loving Cup"	27			
Paid to Miss Benning, printing, etc.		08		
Paid to Mrs. Bryan, Treas, for postage, books, etc	3	50		
Paid to Printing Credential Blanks, etc		25		
Total expenditures for the year \$221 021	100			
Balance on hand	426	14-	-\$757	97
Balance on hand per report as follows,	-		1,3,	-
Oglethorpe Monument Fund	235	70		
Nancy Hart Fund	-33	00		
Nancy Hart Fund Georgia Day Fund	17			
Meadow Garden Fund	- 5	00		
Junia McKinley Memorial	2	00		
General Purposes	155		-\$426	14
D	-33	-1	* 1	-4

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. JOHN M. BRYAN,
Treas. D. A. R. State of Georgia.

Report of the State Historian.

The National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, was organized in Washington, D. C., October 11th, 1890. Six months later, April 15th, 1891, in the Capitol City of Georgia, the first individual Chapter was formed. Four days after this, the second Chapter was formed, in New York City. Out of the first five, Georgia claims two.

Strange to say, Massachusetts, Connecticut and other New England States did not organize Chapters until a year later,

in 1892.

The first Georgia State Conference was held in Atlanta, May 23d and 24th, 1899, Mrs. Robert E. Park State Regent. It is true, an informal gathering of D. A. R. was held at the State Fair in Atlanta in 1895, but the first regularly organized State Conference, with official records, is the one named above. At that meeting there were 13 Chapters; today there are 30.

At that first meeting the subject of the preservation of State and county record was taken up. A committee was appointed and circulars sent out. From that small beginning has grown a State compiler of records, and the foundation laid for a De-

partment of History.

checago chacado chacatante them works While on the subject of records, I want to speak of Miss Prescott's work. From the historian's standpoint, it is the most important event of the year. Miss Prescott has gone to the heart of things. She has done what the States should have done ages ago. She visited all the older counties of the State and remote country towns, went through their records, made lists, took notes and inventories. Later on I believe her Chapter intends to publish the result in book form. This, however, is not my story. The Regent of Joseph Habersham Chapter, under whose auspices the work was done, will give it in full and in detail. I speak from the historian's standpoint only, and the value of this work to students, lawyers, biographers and genealogists can hardly be overestimated.

As Historian of the Daughters of the American Revolution, I want to suggest that a bill be put before the Legislature, or some steps be taken requiring the clerks and ordinaries of each county to list and index all the records in their keeping. Say in one book a list of wills, in another marriages, another deeds, and so on.

As matters now stand, it is well nigh impossible to find what you want, without pulling down every volume in the office and going through them page by page. Besides the time and labor spent, the volumes become torn and defaced from such constant and unnecessary handling. I myself have seen among the records of Wilkes county places where several pages had been torn from priceless old volumes.

If the records were indexed, no volume would be handled except the one containing the record wanted.

If in two months time Miss Prescott could visit 30 counties and index the wills, deeds and marriage licenses, it would seem quite possible for the clerks and ordinaries to list and index the records in one office.

I want to illustrate—with a single instance, the finding of Elijah Clarke's will—the practical value of this work. For a hundred and fourteen years, that is, since 1794, when he was arrested for insurrection and treason against the State, history has been silent regarding this famous old chieftan. The last years of his life were spent in seclusion; mystery veiled his declining days. Historians, biographers and genealogists have searched in vain for his will, or some record of his last years. Even those claiming lineal descent from him do not know where he died, nor where he is buried.

Now comes along a little woman, a Daughter of the American Revolution, searching the byways and secret places for hidden treasures. The will of Elijah Clarke she found among

the moth eaten records of a little country court house in

Lincoln county, twenty miles from everywhere.

During the past year your historian undertook to verify the tradition that Elijah Clarke is buried on the old Jordan place in Wilkes county. People living only a few years ago had seen the tombstone, with his name upon it. One old gentleman very kindly went to the place, pointed out the spot and marked it, at the same time telling the fate of the marble slab which had once covered it. Negroes, he said, had taken it to a near by orchard and used it to dry peaches on, and thus it had been lost or broken.

Your historian, wishing if possible to find some written proof of these things, went to the court house and traced the deeds of the old Jordan place back to the time when it passed out of the Clarke family. After going through many musty old volumes the deed was found—conveying the place from John Clarke, the son of Elijah, to Wylie Hill, date, 1806. In this record John Clarke reserves a spot of ground, 20 feet square, where his two children are buried. This explained the whole thing—one child was George Walton Clarke, whose tombstone remains intact today, and the other was Elijah Clarke, not the old General, but his grandson. The value of records is too apparent to comment on.

The grave of Gen. Elijah Clarke has not yet been located, but with the finding of his will so much light has been thrown on the subject that there can be little doubt but that it will,

soon or late, be found.

But enough of records. Here is something more cheerful and encouraging. In speaking of it, however, I am anticipating history, rather than recording it. I refer to the monument for Kettle Creek. There is every reason to believe that it will be erected in the near future by the United States government.

The Hon. Wm. M. Howard, Congressman from the Eighth District, where the battlefield is situated, has interested himself in the matter, and introduced a bill before Congress asking for an appropriation for this purpose. The United States has marked other historic spots, has erected monuments on other battle fields; why not this?

Mr. Howard did this for us voluntarily and without solicitation. Though a man of quiet and unostentatious manners, yet of so much force and intelligence, that he has won a place in Congress where his wishes and suggestions are always listened to with attention and respect. The D. A. R. may therefore feel a very reasonable hope that this matter will be favorably acted upon. But, in any event, we owe him a debt of

gratitude for his efforts in our behalf, as well as for his watchful care of the interests of the State and her people. I move that this Conference send him a vote of thanks.

One last word, and I am through. The raising of the National flag over the public schools is an event worth while. Before another generation passes, this country may be so overrun with peoples foreign to her soil, and foreign to her principles, that the children of the founder of this great nation may be pushed to the wall. It takes two generations to make a genuine American. It takes but five years to make a voter. It will be a sad day when the voters, mere voters, out-number the children of the soil. Keep the flag before the children of the land.

Mrs. T. M. Green,

State Historian.

Report of the State Editor.

The State Editor's work in the newspaper speaks for itself, and is supposed to be known to the members of the Conference. But the Editor needs help. She needs better cooperation on the part of members of the Society; and it may be well to say something with a view to securing such co-operation.

As I am about to retire from office, I am speaking for the

benefit of my successor and of the work itself.

In the Sunday Constitution, the Daughters of the American Revolution in Georgia have been given an official organ of large circulation, without cost to the Society, and at small cost to members who subscribe to it. I am not urging members to subscribe to it, and do not intend this as an advertisement of the Constitution, though I think there should be some recognition of our obligations to that newspaper. But I do urge that each Chapter make use of its official organ to the extent of furnishing it with some information as to Chapter work. The official organ should contain a current history of the work of the Society throughout the State, in which Chapters and members may get due credit for the work they are doing, and may keep in touch with the work of other Chapters and may get ideas which will be helpful in making plans for work or for entertainment. An Editor elected by the State Conference gives time, thought and labor weekly to the performance of her duties. Her work does not wait on her convenience or her inclination, and must often be done at very inconvenient times. It is too much to expect that in addition to the work of editing, she shall write letters to officers of the various Chapters in order to obtain matter for publication. But there is no rule making it the duty of any Chapter officer to furnish such matter to the Editor. So we have an illustration of the saying that "what is everybody's business is nobody's business." Why not have a rule that each Chapter Regent, or some officer designated by her, shall send to the Editor reports of Chapter meetings, lists of officers and delegates elected, accounts of work done and entertainments given, etc.? This is not suggested in order to force officers to do something they do not wish to do; many would be willing to do this if they considered it a part of their official duty. A few lines on a postal card, or a newspaper clipping, would often be sufficient.

Do not blame the Editor if more space in the newspaper has been given to work of Chapters in her own locality than to that of others, and if she has made no reference to the work of some. All Chapter news received by her has been published, except certain items received a few days ago, which she sent to the newspaper, but which, for want of space, were omitted from the last issue.

Most of the Chapter news published has been obtained by personal solicitation or by hunting for it in newspapers,

The State Editor's Department can be of great assistance in the work of the Society. It enables us to bring matters of importance to the attention of members throughout the State. It tends not only to keep up their interest, but to interest others in the objects and aims of the Society, to bring to it new members, to cause the forming of new Chapters, and to popularize the Society with those whose aid we need in various ways. I appeal to you to aid the Editor to make this department what it should be.

Respectfully submitted,

AUGUSTA S. GRAHAM.

Report of Committee on Patriotic Education-Mrs. R. E. Park.

It is the pleasant duty of the Committee to report that more interest in patriotic education is manifested by the Daughters of the American Revolution than ever before.

In addition to the University Prize bestowed by the State D. A. R., and the prizes and medals offered by the different Chapters, a number of scholarships are now given by the Society. We recall vividly the intense interest aroused in the members of the State Conference by the visit to the Berry Industrial School last year at Rome. Four scholarships resulted from the enthusiasm engendered by the sight of the admirable training of our brave mountain boys in that splendid school. The Fielding Lewis Chapter, of Marietta, raised the money for an entire scholarship immediately on returning

home. They have since provided the fund for another year. The Elijah Clark, Athens, maintains a scholarship at the State Normal School. The Atlanta Chapter has a scholarship in the Washington Seminary, the gift of its lamented Principal. Some of the Chapters have doubtless contributed to the Rabun Gap School, and many individual members to

the Model School being built a Tallulah.

Let us stimulate by every means an increasing interest in the vital work of educating our mountain boys and girls. There is no higher missionary work for the D. A. R. than to give these "shut-ins"—many of them descendants of Revolutionary sires—a wider outlook on life. Let us stand shoulder to shoulder with sister organizations in bringing light into the dark places of our beloved State. Every dollar contributed to the education of our people yields a manifold harvest of blessings that increase with increasing years, Let us see to it that education be not mere text-book knowledge, but that the child be fitted for his environment and trained to be an unselfish patriot and Christian citizen.

Report on Memorial Continental Hall.

Georgia Chapters in account with Memorial Co Hall.	ntinental
Contributions to Building Fund before the Columns were considered as representative of the thirteen	
Colonial States	\$1,861 96
For the Column up to April, 1907	2,246 74
Since April 1907—	
Atlanta Chapter	25 00
Brunswick Chapter	25 00
Mr. Hugh V. Washington and Mrs. Ella W. Bel-	
lamy Memorial to Mary Hammond Washington	5 00
Jonathan Bryan Chapter	20 00
Lyman Hall Chapter	5 00
Mary Hammond Washington and Nathaniel Macon	
Chapters	51 25
Piedmont Continental Chapter	33 00
Shadrach Inman Chapter	15 00
Stephen Hopkins Chapter	2 50
Xavier Chapter	20 00
Pulaski Chapter	5 00
Thomas Jefferson Chapter	10 00
Total	54,325 45

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA CAROLINE BENNING, Chairman Memorial Continental Hall Committee.

Report of the Records Committee.

As soon as Governor Candler's report appeared, stating that his task of compiling the Colonial and Revolutionary Records of the State was nearly completed, your committee decided that the "psychological moment" had arrived for them to approach the Legislature on the subject of the county records. After consultation with Governor Candler the accompanying bill was drawn up for presentation to the General Assembly. Just at this juncture a bombshell exploded in our midst. Mr. Felder, of Bibb, introduced a bill to abollish the office of Compiler of Records! Consternation is a mild word to express our dismay. Your committee buckled on their swords, i. e., their pens, and rushed into the fray. Communications from the "Daughters" appeared in the public press, with favorable editorial comment. Numerous letters were sent to members of the House and Senate begging them to defeat the Felder bill. Your State Regent took an active interest. And the bill was defeated, to our great joy. great historical work of the Compiler of Records, for whose appointment we labored so long, can now continue. But after this "coup" at retrenchment was struck, we were advised to hold our bill, as it would have no chance of passing and might jeopardize the office of Compiler. We listened to this sage advice.

The Daughter of the American Revolution to whom allusion is made in the bill is Miss Helen Prescott. We did not then know that Miss Prescott had started on her tour of investigation through the old counties, at the initiative and expense of the Joseph Habersham Chapter. The enterprise of the Chapter in undertaking the work and the zeal, patience and tireless persistence of Miss Prescott in prosecuting it, are worthy of all praise in the line of historical research. The following is the text of the bill, with minor changes to be

made and amounts of compensation to be supplied:

MRS. R. E. PARK, Chairman.

Resolutions on Preservation of Records.

Whereas, the State is composed of Counties, so the history of the State, so far especially as its settlement and citizenship and the development of its resources are concerned, is the history of its component parts, the Counties. And

Whereas, the ancient records or many of these Counties have been destroyed by fire, the ravages of war, Time's obliterating touch, and the neglect of former County officials,

and

Whereas, longer delay will cause greater destruction and

render it impossible to obtain these valuable foundation stones in the State's structure.

Be it resolved, that the Daughters of the American Revolution hereby petition the General Assembly to make an appropriation for the copying and preservation of such records found in each of the oldest Counties as are important to complete the early history of Georgia and her people. And they the Daughters of the American Revolution, in consideration of the services which their Society has rendered in preserving the Records of the State, recommend that a member of their order, skilled in historical research and thoroughly competent, be appointed to do this important work, and that the results of these transcriptions be turned over to the Compiler of State Records for publication in the State Archives.

Be it enacted that a sum of \$ ______ be appropriated to be expended judiciously in copying County records at the rate of not more than _____ cents per hundred words, and that a sum of \$ _____ per month be paid to the compiler appointed to superintend the work, while the work is actually in progress.

Report of the "Georgia Day" Committee.

The "Georgia Day" Committee reports as follows:

The bill providing for the observance of "Georgia Day" in the public schools, which was introduced in the Legislature at the request of your "Georgia Day" Committee, received a favorable report from the Committee on Education, but was not reached for a third reading. Hon. John M. Slaton has promised to introduce the bill in the Senate at its next session, if approved by the State School Commissioner; and the Chairman of your Committee has a letter from Hon. Jere M. Pound, the State School Commissioner, expressing his approval of the measure. A copy of the bill accompanies this report.

The custom of celebrating "Georgia Day" is becoming more general in our schools. This year State School Commissioner Merritt issued a circular to the teachers, requesting the observance of the day, and in a pamphlet gave an account of the origin of these celebrations, with patriotic songs and poems and suggestions for appropriate exercises. Since this custom was inaugurated, the Legislature of Maryland has provided for "Maryland Day" exercises in the schools of that State. Other States have similar celebrations. We hope and believe that the Georgia Day Bill will soon become a law.

AUGUSTA S. GRAHAM, Chairman. A Bill to be entitled at Act to provide that the twelfth day of February of each year shall be observed in the Public Schools of this State, under the name of "Georgia Day," by appropriate exercises; and for other purposes.

Section I. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, That the twelfth day of February in each year shall be observed in the public schools of this State, under the name of "Georgia Day," as the anniversary of the landing of the first colonists in Georgia under Oglethorpe; and that it shall be the duty of the State School Commissioner, through the County School Commissioners, annually to cause the teachers of the schools under their supervision to conduct on that day exercises in which the pupils shall take part, consisting of written compositions, readings, recitations, addresses, or other exercises, relating to this State and its history and to the lives of distinguished Georgians. When said day falls on Sunday, it shall be observed on the following Monday.

Section II. Be it further enacted, That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act be and the same are hereby repealed.

Report of Committee on Real Daughters-Mrs. Geo. Dexter, Chairman.

Madam Regent and Daughters:

The Committee on Real Daughters appointed by our Regent is: Mrs. Geo. J. Dexter, Chairman; Mrs. W. L. Ellis, Macon; Mrs. John A. Perdue, Atlanta; Mrs. Courtland Symmes, Brunswick; Mrs. J. H. Morgan, Atlanta; Mrs. R. P. Spencer, Columbus; Mrs. R. B. Hardaway, Newnan; Mrs. Porter King, Atlanta.

It is a difficult matter to get information in regard to our Real Daughters. It seems that only by a visitation from shrine to shrine could we get such bits of history of and from them,

that we so much wish.

The Treasurer-General kindly sent me a list of ten names of Real Daughters thought to be living, and in Georgia, nine of whom were members of Joseph Habersham Chapter, but

upon investigation I found three had died.

I thought perhaps a list of their names would be of interest: Living—Elizabeth Bass, Jefferson; Mary C. Griffin, Blaine; Ruth Maddox, Flowery Branch; Sarah D. Matthews, Columbus; A. M. Redding, Milledgeville; Martha E. Rogers, Monticello; Olive T. Way, Walthourville.

Dead—Eliza Carleton, Newnan; Sarah Hall, Albany;

Mary McNeely, Sugar Valley.

Twenty-seven Real Daughters are now pensioned by the

National Society, of whom one is a resident of Georgia, Mrs. A. M. Redding.

Twenty-one died during the year, five of whom were pen-

sioned by the National Society.

Of the entire list of Real Daughters twenty-five have entered

from Georgia.

We are greatly indebted to Mrs. R. B. Hardaway for two most interesting papers—one on Mary McBride Thompson Storey, who died October 2d, 1902, and the other on Eliza Majors Carleton, who died October 8th, 1906.

The two ladies mentioned belonged to Joseph Habersham Chapter.

MARY McBRIDE THOMPSON STOREY.

(Real Daughter-No. 35757)

Mary McBride Thompson Story, daughter of Andrew Thompson and his wife, Mary McBride, was born in Union District of South Carolina, November 30th, 1807, and died in Newnan, Georgia, October 2d, 1902. Was buried October 3d, the seventy-fifth anniversary of her union with the Presbyterian Church of Newnan, being the last of the Charter Members to depart. In her ninety-second year she planted a peach seed, saying it would bear fruit for others if not for herself. On the mantel of the room in which she lay in her long last sleep was a beautiful red and yellow peach from that tree. It was typical of her life-sowing that others might reap. Sorrow had touched her and made her a fountain of sympathy. She loved all creatures weak and small. She held the writer to her heart in infancy and in turn her children and grandchildren. But to no one could she be what she was to her own granddaughter, born after her father's death.

Her son, Lieutenant Madison Storey, wore the "Gray" and was killed at Gettysburg. Her one daughter and eleven great-grand children survive her.

Her claim to real daughtership was through the suffering of her father as a captive of the British when only ten years old. This boy's father had died in captivity of smallpox, and the mother had only two little boys for protection, eight and ten years old. On the eve of the battle of the Cowpens her father, Andrew Thompson, was sent on a horse with a bag of corn to be ground at a mill. The British took his horse and corn and beside whipping him held him captive. The boy failed to return when expected and as the mother heard the noise of the battle she went in search of him. She obtained

his release and carried the little boy home. Andrew and his

brother John were afterwards whipped by Tories.

In the whole neighborhood there was only one needle, which was sent around with great care in a little box. I wonder who lost it, or did it remain in use to see its successors, forerunners of the many, many needles that have since come into the Palmetto State.

So lived and so died this lovely woman, full of years and

with love of all she touched.

Submitted by

Isora B. Hardaway, Sarah Dickinson Chapter, D. A. R.. Newnan, Ga.

ELIZA MAJORS CARLETON.

(Real Daughter-No. 37544)

Eliza, daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth Majors, was born in Halifax county, Virginia, December 25th, 1806. Her mother was Elizabeth Green, from Lunenburg county, Virginia. Her father, Samuel Majors, served in the Continental Army during the Revolution. He died while she was quite young, so that the daughter knew little of his service except that she remembers seeing a coat they said he wore in that At nineteen Eliza Majors was married to Mr. Samuel Carleton and came almost immediately to Georgia, first to Oglethorpe county and later to Coweta. There were born to them four sons and ten daughters. Of these children four daughters and two sons survive. There is also a large family of grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Mrs. Carleton retained her faculties in a great degree till within about two years of her death. She had the comfort of Christian faith, having been a Baptist church member many years.

She is buried in Senoia, Coweta county, this State, where she died October 8th, 1906, almost one hundred years old.

Submitted by

ISORA B. HARDAWAY, Sarah Dickinson Chapter, D. A. R., Newnan, Ga.

Report of the American Monthly Magazine Committee.

Madam Regent .

We have no formal report to make, but would like to say a word in the interest of the "American Monthly." To those assembled who are subscribers to the Magazine, there is little need of words, as they all know how much pleasure and profit they derive from it, and how it keeps them in touch with the works of the organization, but we would urge that each Chapter Regent, especially Regents of new Chapters, should impress the fact upon her members of the importance of subscribing to this magazine, which is one of great value—not only as a record from month to month of the work accomplished by the society, but as a means of historical information, for information derived from this source is authentic, as no material is published until it has been verified.

It is not alone to the fact that it is the official organ of the society that it owes its popularity, but as a magazine of pleasure it ranks high for its entertaining and instructive reading. Again we urge each Regent and Chapter representative to impress the importance of the benefit to be derived from the magazine on the members of her Chapter and see if Georgia cannot materially swell her subscription list for the next year.

MISS MARY LEWIS REDD, Chairman. MRS. T. C. PARKER, MRS. W. H. DEVOE, MRS. H. H. MCCALL, MRS. WILLINGHAM.

OGLETHORPE MONUMENT FUND.

MADAM REGENT:—We your Committee find after diligent search that there has been very little done in the interest of the Oglethorpe Monument Fund during the past year. We hear they have selected a spot for the Monument and the corner stone will be laid sometime during the winter. A committee of gentlemen have been selected by the Colonial Dames to interest the public generally in assisting to raise funds for this object.

Respectfully submitted,
MARGARET A. Cosens, Chairman.

Resolutions on Oglethorpe Monument.

Whereas, the D. A. R.'s were the pioneers in the effort to build a monument to Oglethorpe, and have labored with unremitting zeal to accumulate money for this purpose by private contribution and through Chapter work, and have so agitated the subject as to greatly promote general interest in the object so near our hearts, and whereas, the D. A. R.'s in the State desire to add these funds gathered for this purpose to the sum appropriated by the Legislature to build the monument; be it

Resolved by the D. A. R.'s of Georgia in Conference assembled, That it is the sense of this body that this Society should have representation in the erecting of this monument

to our founder; and be it further

Resolved, That a committee be appointed, and that the State Regent is hereby authorized to appoint this committee, of which she shall be a member, to wait on the Governor of the State and ask that a member or members of this Society in Georgia be added to the committee appointed by him to see to the erecting of this monument to Oglethorpe.

Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, Mover of Resolution, Anna Caroline Benning, State Regent. Mrs Ira Yale Sage, V. P. Gen'l U. S. D. A. R. Mrs. Wm. Lee Ellis, V. S. R.

Mrs. F. E. Orme
Mrs. Walter Curtis
Mrs. Jno. A. Perdue
Mrs. T. C. Parker
Mrs. C. M. Beasley
Mrs. J. H. Redding
Mrs. W. L. Peel
Mrs. W. C. Clark
Mrs. Jno. M. Bryan
Mrs. J. B. Cumming
Miss A. M. Bruce
Mrs. F. L. Bartow
Mrs. P. W. Godfrey
Mrs. Geo. T. Harris
Mrs. R. P. Spencer

Miss Margaret A. Cosens
Mrs. E. H. Epping
Mrs. Lewis D. Lowe
Mrs. W. H. DeVoe
Mrs. Willis M. Everett
Mrs. S. R. Dillard
Miss Nonnie McCall
Mrs. J. Y. Carithers
Mrs. J. T. Johnson
Mrs. R. H. Hardaway
Mrs. Robt. B. Toy
Mrs. Jas. A. Rounsaville,
Mrs. S. W. Foster
Mrs. Howell Simmons

Mrs. V. I. Davis

Report of Committee on Resolutions.

We, the Committee on Resolutions, beg to submit the following:

Covington, with the spirit of the old South, in a most generous manner welcomed us, Daughters of the American Revolution, to her hearts and homes, where we have been the recipients of such lavish hospitality, we are at a loss for fitting words, and where to begin and when to end.

Be it resolved, therefore, that the thanks of the Conference be given the Committee who welcomed us so cordially at the train, especially the gentlemen who left their business to

greet us.

To the hosts and hostesses, words are too feeble to express the appreciation we feel for the charming hospitality which has been dispensed to this body so lavishly and unselfishly.

To the Stewards and beloved Minister (Dr. Quillian) of the Methodist church, who have accorded us the privilege of using, for the meetings, their large and comfortable church.

To those who welcomed us in behalf of the city, Emory College, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Memorial Association and last, but by no means least, the Sergeant New-

ton Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution.

To the musicians who added their note of charm to the welcoming exercises of the Conference, particularly the gentlemen who so courteously contributed to our entertainment, also to the beautiful soloist, Miss Ezzell.

To the children of the public school, who so wonderfully rendered the patriotic song written by Dr. Orme, of Atlanta.

To the jeweler, Mr. Sain, who thoughtfully remembered us by the gift of the appropriate buttons.

To the press for courtesies rendered,

To the pretty pages for their efficient and untiring service

throughout the Conference.

The social side of the Convention was of the greatest pleasure and delight. The beautiful reception given by Mrs. P. W. Godfrey, Regent of the Sergeant Newton Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, was a most charming feature of the many delightful social functions. The gorgeous decorations, the receiving line of the officers and guests, with the assisting party and the delicious refreshments made the evening one of delight.

To the orders, Woman's Club, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Memorial Association, Daughters of American Revolution, who have given of their best, in the brilliant and perfectly appointed luncheons, we give unstinted praise and

heartfelt thanks.

Long will live in our memories the elegance and freedom of the beautiful homes that were used for this purpose. To the faculty of Emory College and Woman's Club of Oxford, for the privilege of a visit to the historic college at Oxford.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. O. A. HARPER, Chairman, MRS. C. B. WILLINGHAM. MRS. HOWELL SIMMONS, MRS. V. INMAN DAVIS. MISS NONNIE McCALL,

Committee.

Chapter Reports.

Atlanta Chapter-Atlanta.

Madam Regent and Daughters of the American Revolution:
From the Atlanta Chapter I have the honor of bringing you

most cordial greetings.

It is my privilege to report a most prosperous and satisfactory year. This Chapter now has an enrollment of 219 members—having been received in our Chapter since last meeting 20 members and three by transfer—total 23. Two of our members, Mrs. James W. Dawes and Mrs. Mary Rucker, have passed into the Great Beyond. Three have resigned, three have been transferred to distant Chapters, and we were compelled to place three on the list of membership at large by a ruling of the National Society, for non-payment of dues.

We have held monthly meetings, having most interesting programs, and an average attendance of 75, adjourning for the summer until September. We celebrated George Washington's birthday with a Colonial Tea at the residence of Mrs. Charlie Rice, Chairman of Board. Flag Day was observed by the Chapter at our home, Craigie House. Paper on "The Evolution of the Flag," read by Mrs. Jno. M. Slaton. Clippings on the oldest American Flag, Mrs. David Woodward. Patriotic address by Mr. F. C. Foster. Music rendered by Buchanan's orchestra.

Our Chapter was the guest of Sarah McIntosh Chapter, at

the celebration of July 4th.

In loving memory of Mrs. Alice Chandler, one of our members, we have given the graduating class of Washington Seminary a medal for the best essay on "Women of the American Revolution," medal won by Miss Eakes. Our Chapter has a scholarship each year at Washington Seminary; young lady selected by a committee appointed by the Regent.

As a Chapter, we have contributed \$10.00 to Miss Berry's school in Rome, \$25.00 to Continental Hall. We have made efforts to secure appropriations from the State for the preservation of the State, county, Colonial, Revolutionary and Confederate records. We have met all our obligations for the

year.

Dear to the hearts of every member of the Atlanta Chapter is Craigie House, our home, which was the Massachusetts Building at the Exposition in Atlanta in 1895, and given to us after said Exposition by an act of the Legislature of the

State of Massachusetts. This building is located on the property belonging to the city of Atlanta. The Chapter owns a beautiful lot on Piedmont avenue, opposite the Driving Club, given by the late Geo. W. Collier. It is our intention to have our building on our own lot; therefore, we have been untiring in our efforts to raise money for this purpose. It is my pleasure to report that we have raised since January 15th, 1908, by benefit performances, bazaars, restaurants, lawn parties, hat sales, rummage and committee work, \$1,005 for Craigie Home Building Fund.

As our time is limited to three minutes, I herewith attach a

detailed report of our exhibit at Jamestown Exposition.

Respectfully submitted,

SOPHIE LEE FOSTER,
(Mrs. S. W. Foster)

Regent Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

Atlanta, Georgia, October 11th, 1908.

Exhibit of the Atlanta Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, at the Jamestown Exposition.

r. This Fife was played in the American Revolution by William Norris, and loaned by Mrs. J. D. Frazier, 342 Gordon street, to Atlanta Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution,

2. Spoon once the property of Anthony Walke, husband Jane Randolph, 1720. Owned by Randolph Walke McCandlish. Loaned by Mrs. Chas. Shield McCandlish, 571 N.

Boulevard, to the Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

3. Button cut from white satin court suit of LaFayette and given by him to Mrs. Cook of Virginia, afterwards Mrs. Maria Hull of Athens, Ga. Loaned by Mrs. Chas. Shield McCandlish, 571 North Boulevard, to the Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

4. Scales used by Capt. Peter Finch during the American Revolution to weigh the gold paid the men of his company. Loaned by Mrs. Elijah M. Williams, 97 Ivy street, to the Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

 Poster used in Philadelphia when LaFayette visited that city. Loaned by Miss S. F. McGlunn to Atlanta Chapter,

D. A. R.

6. LaFayette Badge worn by Peter Gompe, Pennsylvania Regiment, when LaFayette visited Philadelphia. Loaned by Miss S. F. McGlunn to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

7. Signature of Richard Henry Lee, the proposer of the Declaration of Independence, on the title page of Roscom-

mon's Poems. Loaned by Chas. H. Beazley, Leesburg, Ga.,

to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

8. Knee breeches worn by Samuel Follett, of Worlington, Mass., at the Battle of Bunker Hill, June 16th, 1775. Loaned by Mr. Parish Stone, Nassau, N. P. Bahamas, to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

 Two pewter porringers used before and during the American Revolution. Loaned by Mrs. David Woodward to

Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

- ro. (Too frail to send—not shipped)—Four wine bottles owned by Thomas M. Matthews, of Charleston. S. C., many years before the American Revolution. Loaned by Mrs. Chas. Graves Matthews to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.
- 11. A piece of ribbon, from Dolly Madison's hat given by her to Mrs. Deblois. Loaned by Mrs. Edward White, Oakland City, to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

12. A pair of shoe buckles worn by Tristram Dalton, Esq., during the American Revolution. Loaned by Mrs. Edward

White, Oakland City, to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

13. Piece of dress worn by Mrs. Tristram Dalton at the Inaugural Ball given to President George Washington. Loaned by Mrs. Edward White, Oakland City, to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

14. Knee buckle worn by Tristram Dalton, Esq., during the American Revolution. Loaned by Mrs. Edward White,

Oakland City, to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

15. Three letters from Dolly Madison to Mrs. Deblois. Loaned by Mrs. Edward White, Oakland City, to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

16. Two letters from President James Madison to Lewis Deblois, Esq. Loaned by Mrs. Edward White, Oakland City,

to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

17. One letter from President John Adams to Tristram Dalton, Esq. Loaned by Mrs. Edward White, Oakland City,

to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

18. One brass candle-stick brought to this country by an ancestor of Mr. O. L. Cloud, who came to America with William Penn. Loaned by Mrs. O. L. Cloud, 55 West Fifth street, to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

19. Silver candle-stick over two hundred years old. Loaned by Mrs. O. L. Cloud, 55 West Fifth street, to Atlanta

Chapter D. A. R.

20. The Charter granted by His Majesty, King Charles II., to the Governor and Company of the English Colony of Connecticutt in New England in America (the Blue Laws of Connecticutt). First owned by C. J. Gilbert, now the prop-

erty of Mr, Thomas H, Morgan. Loaned by him to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

21. Letter from LaFayette. Loaned by Mrs. Thomas H. Morgan, 783 Peachtree street, to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

- 22. Two letters from Daniel Webster to Hon. David A. Russell. Loaned by Mrs. Thomas H. Morgan, 783 Peachtree street, to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.
- 23. Gavel made from the tree which grew over the spring where Nancy Hart drew the water for the British soldiers. Loaned to the Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

24. Gavel made from the tree that grew over the grave of Patrick Henry. Loaned by the Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

- 25. A colonial tea pot which belonged to the Lansings for whom Lansingburg, N. Y., is named. Loaned by Mrs. Thomas H. Morgan, 783 Peachtree street, to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.
- 26. Three buttons worn by United States soldiers in 1814. Loaned by B. H. Worthen, 2 1-2 Walton street, to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

27. Description of Nancy Hart's Spinning Wheel. Loaned by Mr. J. L. Patrick, 636 South Pryor street, to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

28. Nancy Hart's Spinning Wheel. Loaned by Mr. J. L. Patrick, 636 South Pryor street, to Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.

Official list of the articles loaned to the Jamestown Exposition by the Atlanta Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution,

Augusta Chapter—Augusta. Madam Regent and Daughters of the American Revolution:

The Augusta Chapter now numbers 89 members. We have lost two the past year. One by death and one by transfer. We have eight newly elected members, who have not yet presented their papers. Eight monthly meetings have been held during the year, with an average attendance of ten. About one-fourth of our members live out of Augusta. So the contingent we have to call upon is about 60, and all of them are not by any means active members. I think it is the few rather than the many who do the work in almost all Chapters. We have opened Meedow Carden three times the past year for

than the many who do the work in almost all Chapters. We have opened Meadow Garden three times the past year for special receptions: Last November as a courtesy to the U. D. C., whose Annual State Convention met here, and in April for the King's Daughters on a similar occasion. In May, as a special attention to Dr. Teague, who had been a friend and patron of Meadow Garden and who asked for the privilege, we received the members of a Dentists' Convention. Our

usual Monday opening during four months of the season for the tourist class did not bring in the usual revenue. Several of the appointed days the weather was most inclement, which may account for the decrease in the number of visitors. We celebrated Washington's Birthday there by a reception and "Concert of Old Songs." At the National Congress in Washington our Chapter was represented by its regent only. The expense of the trip to Washington is a great deterrent to many a zealous "daughter," who otherwise would gladly take the trip, and represent her Chapter in a most efficient way. We need such delegates, and I would suggest that any one who can afford to go and who cannot or will not go, pay the expenses of a substitute. The small representation from Georgia must be embarrassing to its regent.

Now as to Meadow Garden: It is somewhat humiliating to appear at our State Conferences always in the role of a mendicant, but the needs of the old Signer's home do not grow less, and it devolves upon me to call, or recall, your attention to them. To those chapters in the State who have sent their yearly contribution, we are most grateful. But would like to have reason to thank all of them—no matter how small the remembrance. Our own limited income is inadequate to keep the house in repair, and in a presentable appearance—as yet we do not attempt to beautify, as we can not afford it. Taxes, insurance, care of the grounds in addition are quite a burden on one Chapter. Meadow Garden should not be the object of pride and interest for the local Chapter alone but also for all the Chapters in the State.

In consequence of these expenses which we have to meet, we cannot broaden our work as we would wish, or respond to various calls, both State and National. And THIS year THIS Fall the house and fences have to be painted for preservation.

The bids for the work range from \$130 to \$190. The plastering has also fallen in one room, which means the expenditure of more money. And all that we have succeeded in raising, aside from current expenses, is just \$100. I submit this easy sum in subtraction to you, and leave you to decide from where the deficit is to come.

Respectfully submitted,
KATHARINE H. CUMMING.

Brunswick Chapter-Brunswick.

Membership 26, an increase of nine since January. After covering itself with glory in erecting the first Monument in

Georgia to Oglethorpe and planting the Liberty Tree this little Chapter has somewhat rested on its laurels. However, during the past year we have given a medal to the high school for the pupil who wrote the best essay on Georgia, studied American history, contributed \$25 for Ga. Column Continental Hall, gave a Colonial Tea on Washington's birthday, and in March gave a ball to raise funds for D. A. R. purposes. Besides this we have extended a helping hand to the Joseph Habersham Chapter, of Atlanta, in its work of examining the old Georgia County Records and are in line for civic work of great importance.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. W. H. DEVOE, Regent Brunswick Chapter.

Button Gwinnett Chapter-Columbus.

Madam Regent and Daughters of the American Revolution in Georgia:

The eight months old Chapter, The Button Gwinnett, sends greetings and begs to be given a place in the ranks of this great organization in whose interest we are assembled to-day.

We haven't much to report, for as a Chapter we only date back to March 13th, on which day we organized with thirteen resident, and one non-resident member. In connection with the program on that occasion it was remarked that the number 13 had played an important part in the organization of the Chapter, and one of the members read the following from the Taylor-Trotwood Magazine, which was quite apropos:

"All things considered, we may be justified in saying that our great, glorious and ever-soaring king of the air, the American Eagle, was born not quite one hundred and twenty-six years ago, and is a "hoodoo" or "mascot" as we care to view the number "13." The American Eagle requires thirteen letters to spell it, as does the motto of our seal, E Pluribus Unum, and that of the great seal of the United States, Annuit Coeptis."

"Above the head of the Eagle are thirteen stars, and the olive branch has thirteen leaves, while the thunder bolts also number thirteen."

"On the eagle's breast is the shield that has thirteen bars,

and each wing has thirteen feathers."

"The number thirteen is distinctly American. There were thirteen colonies, and America was discovered on the eve of the thirteenth day of the month. The first official stars and stripes, adopted June 14, 1777, had thirteen stars and thirteen stripes."

"The war of 1776 was called 'Revolutionary,' and though it took the unlucky number of thirteen letters to spell it, it was successful. Our flag was saluted by thirteen guns when

Washington raised it, and by thirteen cheers as well."

"The American Navy had just thirteen vessels at the outset, no more, and the founder of it, John Paul Jones, was not a "hoodoo" as a naval officer, although his name is composed of thirteen letters. He was exactly thirteen years old when he first came to America, and was the first to carry the thirteen starred flag to glory and victory, and to have it saluted by a foreign power on the thirteenth day of the month."

"Perry's great victory on Lake Erie was won on the thirteenth day of the month, and the stars and stripes were raised

over Fort Sumter on the thirteenth."

"The first word to pass over the Atlantic cable was sent on the thirteenth day of the month, and on Friday at that."

Since that time, however, we have added to our membership two new members and five application papers in Washington to be approved. We have four subscribers to the American Monthly. Have held four regular and one called meeting. All dues have been paid, and we hope by the united efforts of officers and members to accomplish much good work.

This report, Madam Regent, I respectfully submit,

MRS. EARLY HURT EPPING, Regent Button Gwinnett Chapter.

Council of Safety Chapter-Americus.

Early in September a meeting was called by Mrs. Howell B. Simmons for the purpose of organizing and naming the Americus Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Sixteen members were eligible for confirmation and the Chapter was organized and named "Council of Safety."

This was accomplished in two months in a town where

there was no other Chapter to consult.

Nothing was done until the late Spring, when three papers were passed through the Joseph Habersham Chapter, and five more went through after the June meeting.

Miss Benning, the State Regent, requested Mrs. Simmons to take the regency, and, by her kind assistance, enabled us

to get in working order this Fall.

Mrs. Simmons having received her commission as Regent, a meeting was called for the election of officers on the 20th of October, and the members responded and held an enthusiastic meeting.

The work for the year has not yet been decided upon, as some of the officers have been out of town and there has been illness among the members.

The Council of Safety Chapter expects to enroll a large

membership.

List of Officers of Council of Safety Chapter, D. A. R., Americus, Ga.—Mrs. Howell B. Simmons, Regent; Mrs. W. K. Bell, Vice Regent; Mrs. William A. Dodson, Treasurer; Mrs. James Taylor, Recording Secretary; Miss W. M. Rutherford, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. M. Lowery,

Registrar; Mrs. H. B. Allen, Historian.

List of Members of Council of Safety—Mrs. Howell Simmons, Miss Constance Holt, Mrs. H. B. Allen, Mrs. Z. A. Littlejohn, Mrs. W. K. Bell, Mrs. Roy Bell, Miss Annie May Bell, Mrs. Charles Fricker, Miss Rutherford, Mrs. M. Lowery, Mrs. James Taylor, Mrs. W. A. Dodson, Mrs. Snead (of Grantville, Ga.), Mrs. Macon Dudley, Mrs. W. D. Bailey, Mrs. D. R. Andrews.

Elijah Clarke Chapter-Athens.

Elijah Clarke Chapter has had a pleasant and profitable year; each month has brought us something of benefit, and our social intercourse has been inspiring throughout. We have had many interesting papers read and topics of interest discussed, thanks to our able Year Book Committee for arranging such a beautiful program for us.

We offer annually a prize of \$5.00 in gold to the Senior class of the High School for the best essay on Colonial History. This year the prize was won by Walter B. Hill, son of the late Chancellor Walter B. Hill, of the University of

Georgia.

We sent \$5.00, promised at the Rome Conference, for the Junia McKinley Scholarship to Miss Berry's Industrial School, But our greatest effort has been to establish a Scholarship at our own State Normal School. We have raised the money—\$50.00—for this year, and the scholarship has been given to a very worthy young woman of Clarke county—and just here I want to tell you that it was through the untiring energy and determination of Miss Mary Lyndon, one of Elijah Clarke's most loyal members, that this money was raised.

Recently we conducted a Tea Room for two days, from which we realized \$25.00, making a nice little nucleus for our

scholarship.

Our second Year Book has just been issued and presents an interesting program for our winter's work, We are gradually climbing up in numbers, having 26 members enrolled, with

three awaiting verification, and the promise of four others to join at our next meeting.

Mrs. J. V. Carithers, Regent.

Fielding Lewis Chapter-Marietta.

Madam Regent and Daughters of the American Revolution:

Our Chapter now has a membership of 38, with 26 resident and 12 non-resident members. Our regular monthly meetings are well attended with an average of 16. The Year Book is so arranged that five meetings are devoted to business and four to literary program, each followed with a social half hour and refreshments. This plan has worked exceedingly well, as in a combination meeting the business frequently encroaches upon the time of the literary program.

Washington's birthday and Flag Day were appropriately

observed with splendid programs.

We have several subscribers to the American Monthly Magazine.

The Scholarship for Miss Berry's School which we pledged at the State Conference in Rome was promptly paid upon our return home, with an additional \$10, making \$60 in all.

Last month the Chapter gave an amateur vaudeville under the able and efficient management of our associate member, Miss Vivian Strong. The object of the entertainment was to secure funds for a scholarship which we voted to make permanent. Our efforts were successful and \$193.81 was placed in the treasury. No work our Chapter has undertaken has given us more pleasure, our scholarship being the first in our State taken by an individual Chapter.

Contributions to other causes which have been presented to

our Chapter have been promptly paid.

MRS. WILLIS M. EVERETT, Regent.

George Walton Chapter-Columbus.

George Walton Chapter, D. A. R., has twenty members at present; during the year has had two transfers and ten resignations. Has had monthly meetings and regular programs carried out. Has contributed \$5.00 to Meadow Garden and \$5.00 to Miss Berry's School. Has received three new members since last Conference. The ten who resigned have formed themselves into another Chapter.

Respectfully submitted,

MISS ANNIE MAY BRUCE,

Regent.

Governor Treutlen Chapter-Fort Valley.

Madam Vice-President General, Madam Regent and Daughters of the American Revolution:

The "Governor Treutlen" Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution of Fort Valley sends greetings to you

and submits the following report .

Since our organization, one year ago, we have gained three members, and transferred one, leaving us 16 members at this writing. There are six applicants awaiting the verification of their papers in Washington.

We meet monthly at the homes of the members, when a profitable and pleasant program, consisting of Georgia His-

tory, music, essays, etc, is enjoyed.

Our National and State dues have been paid. We have contributed \$5.00 to the Berry School at Rome. The Chapter subscribes to the American Monthly Magazine.

We shall at Commencement confer a gold medal upon that pupil of the High School at this place who shall write the best

essay upon some historical subject, not yet decided on.

Our Chapter gave recently, at the home of the Regent, a pleasant, instructive and profitable parlor entertainment in the nature of a County contest. A series of clever and witty questions were answered by the names of the counties of our State. Quite a good sum was raised, which will be given to the Memorial Continental Hall fund.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. ANNIE C. W. HARRIS, Regent.
MRS. CORNELIA H. BROWN, Vice Regent.
MRS. CAROLINE W. H. HAFER, Registrar.
MRS. ANNIE A. GREEN, Treasurer.
MRS. LULA F. RILEY, Recording Secretary.
MISS. MAUDE H. SLAPPEY, Cor. Sec'y.
MRS. ELIZABETH W. STEPHENS, Historian,

Hannah Clark Chapter-Quitman.

Dear Miss Benning:

I have been requested to write a report of our D. A. R. Chapter, but I assure you there is not a very large amount to be written, for as you know we are a tinv bit young yet and have not done any startling things, though we are truly alive

and our meetings are full of interest.

We were organized on April 18th, 1908, with seventeen (17) members. We now have twenty-two (22). Our State dues have been paid and we are entering into several small ways of making money, such as a candy sale on November 17th, a humorous little play some time before Christmas, also

a doll sale, and we hope by another year we can stand on our feet and march along with our sister Chapters.

Our Regent, Mrs. L. H. Chapman; Vice Regent, Mrs. Minnie Lewis Rountree; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Eddie McCall Tidwell; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Grace Lee Gibson; Treasurer, Mrs. Mary M. Williams; Registrar, Miss Kate Oglesby; Historian, Mrs. J. Lee Davidson.

My sister, Miss Nonnie McCall, who represented our Chapter at the Convention in Covington, reports a most glorious time. She is enthusiastic over the work and I believe will stimulate us in our efforts (since the meeting).

Most sincerely,

MRS. EDDIE McCALL TIDWELL, Secretary of Hannah Clark Chapter, D. A. R., Quitman, Ga.

Jonathan Bryan Chapter-Waycross.

To the Vice Regent General, State Regent of Georgia and Daughters of the American Revolution:

The Jonathan Bryan Chapter sends greetings. The Chapter was represented at our National Congress, and sent \$20 to Memorial Hall Fund.

The meetings of the Chapter each month have been occasions of interest to the members, both socially and from a literary standpoint, and greater interest manifested in historic study and the work of our order than usual. We have but 21 members now, two having been transferred—Mrs. A. C. Snowdon to the Atlanta Chapter and Mrs. B. F. Bullard to the Savannah Chapter.

Application papers are ready for four new members.

We have one life member and three subscribers to the American Monthly Magazine.

Our appropriations for the present year are:

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For prize offered Presbyterian Institute at Backshear for the best composition on the subject. "Causes	
that led to the American Revolution"\$ 5	00
State dues2	
Meadow Garden 2	00
Kettle Creek Monument	00
Memorial Hall 2	00
¢or.	10

Earnest efforts have been made through the press and members of our Legislature for an appropriation for the preservation and publication of Colonial, Revolutionary and Confederate records, and we are glad to know that our representatives cast their ballots for the measure.

Respectfully submitted,

MINNIE R. LEE, Secretary.

(Address Mrs. R. O. Lee.)

Joseph Habersham Chapter-Atlanta

The work for 1908 consists in the collection of wills and marriages in all counties in Georgia that were formed before 1820. This material with other miscellaneous original documents will shortly be published as volume III of the Joseph Habersham Historical Collections. The contents of volumes I and II which take front rank as reference books and are to be found on the shelves of all leading Libraries, consist of rosters, lists of emigrants, early Huguenots, marriage bonds, death notices and all kinds of court records and family sketches and pedigrees. These books are invaluable to the student of Southern History, and especially to those interested in the early history of our own State.

Kettle Creek Chapter-Washington

Kettle Creek Chapter has done but little active work in 1908. We have added five new names to the roll, giving a membership of twenty-five. One member was transferred to the Milledgeville Chapter. We sent some valuable colonial relics from Wilkes county to the Jamestown Exposition, and as they were not returned until Dec. 1907, report of this has not been made before. We contributed \$25 to the Continental Memorial Hall, this making the entire amount contributed by the Chapter \$40. We subscribed \$5 for Mrs. Maria Redding, this has not been paid as I did'nt know where to send it, but it is subject to order. We contributed \$4 towards the Loving Cup for Mrs. R. E. Park, and \$1.50 for one for Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan.

I have found it very hard to get full meetings and hope my

successor will be more fortunate in this respect.

HATTIE CHASE KEMME, Regent Kettle Creek Chapter D. A. R.

Lachlan McIntosh Chapter—Savannah

Madam Regent, Members of the Sergeant Newton Chapter and Daughters, the Lachlan McIntosh Chapter sends greetings to the Tenth Annual Conference.

We held our first meeting on October 15, when plans were made for our winter work, and delegates were elected to the Conference. The Chapter has made two donations during the year. Ten dollars to Miss Berry's School for the Junia McKinley Memorial, and five dollars to Mrs. Jeffery's fund.

It was decided to hold our annual sale on Georgia Day, February 12; and on February 22, Washington's Birthday a social function of some kind.

We have added three new members to our membership.

Our officers are:—Regent, Miss Margaret A. Cosens; Vice-Regent, Mrs. Wm. Harden; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Sarah Boyd; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Augustus Kelly; Treasurer, Miss Nannie Bradley; Registrar, Mrs. George Garmany; Historian, Mrs. W. T. Prichard.

Hoping we may have the pleasure of entertaining the Con-

ference in Savannah next year, this is

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH T. BOYD,

Recording Secretary.

Lyman Hall Chapter-Waycross.

Lyman Hall Chapter. D. A. R., of Waycross, extends cordial greeting to the Tenth Annual State Convention conven-

ing at Covington.

Our Chapter was just one year old on the 5th of June, 1908. We have already discarded our swaddling clothes and with the help of the guiding hand of our efficient and enthusiastic State Regent our toddling steps have assumed a more steady and certain gait, and we are ready to take our place beside

our grown up sisters.

Our membership has increased from twelve (12) charter members to seventeen (17). Other papers are now being made out for admission to our Chapter. Our State and National dues are paid. We have made a contribution of \$5.00 to Continental Hall, \$5.00 to the Meadow Garden fund, \$5.00 for our charter and contributed \$1.00 to the fund to purchase remembrance for Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan.

Our meetings have been thus far of a business nature, but during the winter we expect to take up a course of study.

During the coming year we hope to make a contribution to the Oglethorpe monument fund, towards the completion of which every Chapter in the State should bend its energies.

Our officers are the same as for the preceding year, with the exception of Treasurer. Mrs. Albertson having moved away, Miss Rachael Crook was elected as her successor.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. E. A. Pound, Regent Lyman Hall Chapter.

Mary Hammond Washington Chapter-Macon.

We are delighted to report an energetic Chapter consisting of seventy-three members, two of whom are life members, five of this seventy-three having been accepted this year, with but three transfers requested and granted, and one death.

The year just past has been one of life and labor, the outcome of which has been the realization of many undertakings and the birth of many new ideas looking to the promotion of our D. A. R.

It has been our custom to hold our monthly meetings at the home of some of the members of the Chapter, and so on throughout the year. These meetings are gratifyingly attended and are very interesting, as full reports of the previous month's work are heard with an additional historical or musical feature.

As regards finance, we annually contribute \$2.50 to the preservation of Meadow Garden, the home of George Walton, one of Georgia's signers of the Declaration of Independence, at Augusta, Georgia.

A \$25.00 contribution has been made annually to the Oglethorpe Memorial up to two years ago, since which time local liabilities have rendered such a step prohibitive.

A contribution of \$5.00 towards the maintenance of Miss Berry's School for Boys, near Rome Georgia, has been made. It has, also, been our pleasure and honor to contribute \$5.00 to the support of a "Real Daughter" of the Revolution residing near Griffin, Georgia.

On occasions we have distributed magazines through rural

districts.

In February the Nathaniel Macon Chapter joined us in efforts the outcome of which was our delightful and successful colonial tea, the \$51.25 proceeds of which were applied to the Georgia column of the Continental Hall.

The two Chapters are now bending all their energies to the formulation of plans for a Chapter house—a permanent club house and relic room. This, however, is an edifice of to-day's future.

We have paid the Treasurer General since February first \$76.00 in fees and dues, and to this may be added \$7.30 for State dues.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Flewellyn Holt, Regent. Mrs. Sarah Davis Aperman, Recording Secretary.

Nancy Hart Chapter-Milledgeville.

Madam State Regent and Daughters of the American Revolution:

I have the honor to report for the Nancy Hart Chapter, N. S. D. A. R., organized February 7, 1900, a membership of Since its organization we have numbered 27 members; of these four have been transferred to other Chapters and four resigned. Death has been busy in our midst, in a little over a year three members having been called away. Among those our honored Treasurer, Mrs. Elizabeth Buford Richardson, a charter member, whose beautiful Christian life and uprightness and integrity of character have passed into a proverb among us. Of the work of the Chapter for the year, \$10 was subscribed to the support of a Real Daughter, a native of our county, Baldwin, and now residing there. We own, in conjunction with the Stephen Heard Chapter of Elberton, the site of Nancy Hart's home, and we hope, together with the Elberton Chapter, some day to place a memorial to this magnificently brave woman and true patriot, who won and richly deserved the title, "The War Woman of Georgia." For this purpose we have a fund started, to which we shall add from year to year until the memorial is an accomplished fact.

The Treasurer reports all debts paid and no members in arrears for annual dues. The regular monthly meetings are well attended, and much interest shown. Application papers

are being made out for two new members.

Officers of the Chapter: Mrs. Mary Howell Scott, Regent; Mrs. Anna M. Cook, Vice Regent; Mrs. Jeanette Harvie Cone, Treasurer; Miss Mary Lee Brooks, Secretary; Mrs. Leola Selman Beeson, Registrar; Mrs. Ada Byrd Atkinson, Historian.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. MARY HOWELL SCOTT, Regent.

Oglethorpe Chapter-Columbus.

Madam Vice President General, Madam Regent and Members of the Convention:

I am very happy to say that the Oglethorpe Chapter has enjoyed a very prosperous year. We have 50 members—two new ones—and have transferred four, and lost one. Have a number of papers out now to be passed on at the November meeting. We have recently revised our By-Laws and Constitution. Our meetings are held at the homes of the members on the first Thursday of every month.

Recently we have added to our pleasure and instruction a

question box. At each meeting 12 questions about Revolutionary days are given out to be answered at the next meet-

ing.

We have given \$5.00 towards Mrs. Redding's support and \$5.00 to the Junia McKinley fund, which by the way I am sorry to say went to Miss Berry direct instead of through the ordinary channel, and we have never received credit for it.

Piedmont Continental Chapter-Atlanta.

Vice-President General, State Regent, Officers and Daughters of the American Revolution in conference assembled:

With cordial greetings from the Piedmont Continental Chapter, I submit the report of our work during the past year.

The officers of the Chapter are:

Regent, Mrs. Lewis D. Lowe; Vice-Regent, Miss Ruby Felder Ray; Recording Secretary, Miss Lucy Hines; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. W. C. Harper, Treasurer, Mrs. Brooks; Auditor, Mrs. D. B. Bullard; Registrar, Mrs. Hardin; Historian, Miss Nolan; Chairman of Board of Management, Mrs,

Dean, Chaplain, Dr. J. W. Lee.

The Piedmont Continental is in the eleventh year of its charter existence. The past years have not been years of inertia, but of intense activity, broadening the field of D. A. R. work by furnishing a portion of the material for the foundation of two or three other Chapters. During the past year, we have granted one transfer, gained seven new members, and the roll call shows sixty-one (61) names.

The regular monthly meetings have been well attended and have been enjoyable both in a literary and a social way. Well arranged programs consisting of patriotic readings, music, and from time to time some splendid papers have been prepared.

On February 22, at the home of the Regent, Mrs. Lewis D. Lowe, a "Washington Party" was given to raise funds for the Georgia Column. It proved a social as well as a financial success, thirty-three dollars being the amount raised.

Our Chapter was entitled to a delegate to the National Congress in April, and both its Regent and delegate attended.

In June, Mrs. S. M. Dean, our ex-regent, extended to the Piedmont Continental Chapter the hospitality of her beautiful colonial home. Besides enjoying the pleasant outing, our Chapter celebrated "Flag Day" with an appropriate and patriotic program arranged for the occasion.

Although we have no large accomplished work of special character to report, our interest along patriotic and educational activity is deep and earnest. We added six more volumes of Lineage Books to the Carnegie Library in Atlanta, this making

the third donation from the Piedmont. We have contributed to the support of a real daughter, given \$5 to Meadow Garden, \$5 to Martha Berry Scholarship, \$33 to the Georgia Column, \$5 to the Confederate Monument at Decatur, \$10 to a Loving Cup, and offered \$10 in gold as a prize to Miss Martha Berry's School for the best historical essay, subject to be selected by a committee composed of Miss Lucile Nolan and Mrs. W. E. Austin from our Chapter.

Respectfully submitted, MRS. LEWIS D. LOWE, Regent.

Pulaski Chapter-Griffin.

To the Vice President General, State Regent and D. A. R.'s

of Georgia;

Pulaski Chapter, Griffin, Ga., sends greetings to the Conference and respectfully reports three transfers and six new members in 1908, making a total membership of 25, and two papers out. Have had regular monthly meetings at the home of the Regent, which were well attended and very interesting and instructive. Georgia Day was also observed.

Our annual prize, a \$5.00 gold piece for the best High School essay on a Revolutionary character, was won by Miss Garland this year. As usual we have contributed to Meadow Garden \$2.00; Continental Hall \$5.00; Oglethorpe Monument \$3.00, and \$39 subscribed by the Georgia Chapters to Mrs. Redding. Our Chapter subscribes to the American Monthly Magazine.

Present officers are: Mrs. Ernest F. Carlisle, Regent; Mrs. Nicholas B. Drewry, Vice Regent; Mrs. Roswell H. Drake, Registrar; Mrs. Sarah H. Martin, Treasurer; Miss Sara T.

Malone, Secretary.

In behalf of my Chapter, I extend greetings to sister Chapters and wish for them much pleasure and success.

Respectfully submitted,

SARA TABITHA MALONE, Sec'y.

Sarah Dickinson Chapter-Newman.

Dear Madam Regent and Ladies of the Conference:

We have done nothing this year and hence have nothing to report. Only one member this year, and our entire Chapter numbers fourteen. Our intentions have been so good we fear we have laid some of the traditional paving stones. We hope to do better work next year.

Respectfully submitted,

ISORA B. HARDAWAY,

Regent Sarah Dickinson Chapter, D. A. R., Newnan, Ga. November 3d, 1908,

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Members and Officers of the Sarah Dickinson Chapter, D. A. R.

Nat. No.

32399—Kate Milner Brown (Mrs. Jas. E.), Cor. Sec'y.

47550-Mary Stewart Cole (Mrs. M. F.)

42189—Minerva Fort Hunter Cole (Mrs. E. Guy).

42185—Pauline Faver Camp (Mrs. T. L.)

42186-Miss Kate Faver, Treasurer.

47551—Louise Miller Fisher (Mrs. H. C.) 42187—Corille Hardaway Fisher (Mrs. T. J.)

42187—Corille Hardaway Fisher (Mrs. T. J.)

42188—Rebecca Burch Hunter (Mrs. J. A.), Vice-Regent. 39893—Isora Burch Hardaway (Mrs. R. H.), Regent.

40241—Miss Ina Kirby, Registrar.

22626—Miss Martha Reid Robinson.

42191—Isadore Burch Robinson (Mrs. J. E.)

42192-Nell Faver Turner (Mrs. L.)

62915-Willie Williams Watt (Mrs. John).

Sarah McIntosh Chapter-Atlanta.

Madam Regent, Officers and Daughters of the American Revolution:

In a recent letter from our State Treasurer, Mrs. John M. Bryan, she requested that without fail we be in attendance at this gathering with our usual "breezy report." Now just the nature of the breeze she expects us to blow we are in doubt about. However, we trust that during our talk some thought may be wafted to some one that will redound to good for other Chapters. It is a pleasure for the members of Sarah McIntosh Chapter to send fraternal greetings of the strongest type to each Daughter here assembled. Our membership roll calls for thirty, yet those who have paid up in full (only twenty-six) cannot report such gigantic strides in financial work this year as other Chapters, yet we have not been idle, or slothful to duty. Net earnings since last November \$136 one hundred and thirty-six dollars), besides the gleanings of three years' hard work tied up in the Neal Bank failure. Alas, failures come to each and all some time—some when in life—but sad to know that we had to contend with a financial failure in our infancy. We have contributed to all National, State and local obligations.

Is there one present who can give the experience of a candidate in a newspaper contest? It is beyond describing, and can only be realized by those who for three months worked from early morn until dark soliciting subscriptions from your friends, acquaintances, and even strangers, at their homes, on the streets, in their offices, climbing back stairways to catch the man in charge of Masonic Temple, waiting in front that

the president of banks can be seen when not busy, and myriads of ways known only to a candidate who is so anxious to secure the great first prize—a twenty-five hundred dollar automobile, or a thousand gold dollars. Sarah McIntosh tried for this. Whilst our dreams did not come true, yet we secured a beautiful upright mahogany Kingsbury, Style T, sweet-toned piano, which cost four hundred and fifty dollars. We are so proud, for it is just the thing we will need in our new Chapter house, for at the completion you know we would not be able to buy a piano then.

Our birthday was celebrated with a reunion of the entire membership at the home of our Regent, as well as Flag Day, with appropriate ceremonies, "et cetera," which means refreshments. George Washington's birthday was made glad by a card party, from which we cleared twenty-two dollars. A luncheon at the Country Club, given by Mrs. Frances

Knauff, was the "gala" event of the year socially.

Our Board meets regularly the first Tuesday in each month, when all business is transacted, leaving the Chapter meeting on the fifteenth for historical study, music and personal acquaintance of each other. Our course of study this year is

"Georgia in her early days."

Have had six new members during the year and four applications on file. Have contributed to all calls and demands that pertain to the upbuilding and perfecting of the cause of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mrs. John A. Perdue, Regent.
Mrs. C. H. Ashford, Vice-Regent.
Mrs. T. H. Knauff, Rec. Sec'y.
Mrs. Oscar Ragland, Cor. Sec'y.
Mrs. B. B. Turner, Treasurer.
Mrs. Jno. T. Moody, Registrar,
Mrs. Benning, Historian.
Dr. Rebecca Brannon, Auditor,
Mrs. W. A. Neal, Chairman Board.

Savannah Chapter-Savannah.

Madam Regent, Officers and Daughters of the American Revolution:

Savannah Chapter, during the past year, has been so engrossed in the work it has undertaken, that of building an arch in the Colonial Cemetery to the memory of all the Revolutionary soldiers and sailors buried there, that it has done little outside work and has made few small contributions, feeling that this work demanded all our money, as well as energy; consequently we have little to report to this Conference.

New members gained 4; gained by transfer 2; total 6; transferred 1. Present number on Treasurer's book 61.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNE C. S. WINBURN, Regent.

Sergeant Newton Chapter-Covington.

Ever since our connection with Sergeant Newton Chapter, D. A. R., she has ever evinced a deeply loyal and patriotic interest in all that has pertained to the work of the order, but we are glad to report even greater activity than usual, from a

local standpoint, during the years of 1907 and 1908.

First, in order to place in a more flourishing condition a somewhat depleted treasury, we gave a dramatic entertainment which netted us between ninety and one hundred dollars. Of this amount, ten dollars was remitted to the National Society towards the column in the Continental Hall at Washington, and five dollars was given on the History medal offered by the State organization to competing students at the University. An oyster supper netted us a neat sum and a Christmas bazaar, from which we realized sixty dollars more, placed our exchequer beyond the possibility of immediate financial stress, even in the face of a threatened Wall Street panic.

Of our increased membership, we feel that we have a right to be especially proud, as our numerical strength has nearly trebled itself since the beginning of the present year—this notwithstanding the fact that we have lost several members by removal to other localities, and still others withdrew for the laudable purpose of forming another Chapter—the one at

Valdosta

The Valdosta Chapter is the second child of Sergeant Newton, as the nucleus of the one at Hepzibah was also cradled by

our Chapter.

We cannot speak in terms of commendation too high of the zeal and enthusiasm of our Regent, Mrs. P. W. Godfrey, for to her energy and never flagging interest in the work has our prosperity been largely due.

SARAH B. FOSTER,
Sec'y Sergeant Newton Chapter, D. A. R.
MRS. W. C. CLARK,
Delegate.

Shadrach Inman Chapter-Hepzibah.

Our Chapter this year must report the first marriage, and the first death. We have had both joy and sorrow. Our beloved Historian, Miss M. Eliza Carswell, was married to Dr. Bryant J. Smith, of Waycross, Ga., June 17th, 1908, and we rejoiced in her happiness; but our joy was soon turned to

sorrow. Just one week from the wedding day Dr. Smith lost his life by a most heart rending accident.

We have succeed in getting headstones for three graves of Revolutionary soldiers, and we are trying to locate other graves and have them marked as soon as we can do so.

Our Chapter made a small contribution of \$5.00 to the Berry School, also \$15.00 to the Georgia column in Conti-

nental Hall.

Our membership has gained five since our last report and lost one by the death of our sister, Mrs. Annie Evans, of Wadley, Ga. It is with great sorrow we report the death of this sister. We enclose the resolutions adopted by the Chapter after her death, also In Memoriam by Col. H. S. Jones.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. VIRGINIA INMAN DAVIS, Regent. EMILY G. KILPATRICK, Secretary.

MRS. ANNIE EVANS.

Daughters of the Revolution, Weep for your departed sister! Gone to rest has Annie Evans-Gone to join her soldier fathers, Who for holy cause of freedom Nobly fought our country's battles. Gone has she from loving sisters, Gone from Shadrach Inman Chapter, Gone to join the ranks immortal, Where there's parting nevermore. In all relations she was faithful-Faithful friend and faithful Christian, Faithful to her home and loved ones. Faithful to her duties ever. So we write upon our Minutes This the token of our sorrow, Striving ever to be like her. As she, faithful, lived and died.

H. H. Jones.

Shadrach Inman Chapter adopted the following resolutions:

Whereas, our Heavenly Father in His divine wisdom has seen fit to remove from our midst our beloved sister, Mrs. Annie Evans, therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the Daughters of the Shadrach Inman Chapter, do keenly feel the loss of our dearly beloved sister and mourn that we shall be deprived of her sweet Christian influence. Her gentle nature was always an inspiration to those with whom she was associated.

We extend to her family and loved ones our deepest heartfelt sympathy. Mrs. Ella Saller, Chairman,

> Mrs. Virginia Inman Davis, Regent. Miss Annie Palmer.

Stephen Heard Chapter-Elberton.

Madam Regent, Officers and Daughters of the American Revolution:

Stephen Heard Chapter, of Elberton, is pleased to state a steady increase of membership. We have eighteen (18) enthusiastic workers, having gained three new members in the past year. It is gratifying to report that our Chapter responds readily to every patriotic cause.

Regular meetings are held on the 15th of each month. We open with a National hymn. Prepared programs are rendered, the study for the year being the Revolutionary period.

Our Chapter owns ten acres of land surrounding the burial place of Governor Stephen Heard, our patron saint. We intend beautifying this spot and keeping his grave in repair. There is an acre reserved for church purposes. We hope to erect thereon a chapel at an early date. This historic spot is west of Heardmont station, the old home of Gov. Heard, and was the generous gift of Col. John McCalla to our Chapter.

Nancy Hart's home place is owned jointly by Stephen Heard Chapter and the Nancy Hart, of Milledgeville. A monument will be erected to her memory in Elberton, our home town, as it is thought the development of Anthony Shoals may submerge the Hart home site.

Many Revolutionary soldiers are buried in our county. We are searching diligently for their graves and will secure headstones from the Government for those that are not marked.

A committee of three was appointed to copy County, Colonial and Revolutionary records to be placed in the State Library.

The Treasurer reports all debts paid and only one member in arrears for annual dues.

Mrs. Zach W. Copeland, Secretary. Mrs. Florence Long Bartow, Regent.

Stephen Hopkins Chapter-Marshallville.

With cordial feelings to the D. A. R. of Georgia in Conference assembled, Stephen Hopkins Chapter submits the following report:

We have recently lost four of our members by transfer to

the Chapter forming at Montezuma, and come with an enrollment of twenty, while several others are engaged in perfecting their records, and will soon identify themselves with the D. A. R. work.

Stephen Hopkins Chapter has the proud position of mother of Chapters. Mrs. E. A. Ross, our beloved first Regent, organized the Nathaniel Macon; Mrs. George T. Harris installed the Chapter at Fort Valley that bears the name of her illustrious ancestor, Governor Treutlen, and Montezuma has just asked for Mrs. Oscar McKenzie, one of our charter members and a resident of that town.

Meetings are held monthly at the homes of members from September until May. Besides the transaction of business we have the literary program arranged by a committee appointed by the Regent. At the close of the sessions refreshments are served by the hostess of the day. The Chapter was entertained by the Regent at a Colonial Tea in March. We had the honor and pleasure of having with us at our September meeting Miss Benning, who addressed us in her usual charming manner.

Georgia day was appropriately observed, and arrangements are being made to mark the grave of a revolutionary soldier, William Stewart, the grandfather of Mrs. Jerome Stewart

Slappey, one of our charter members.

The Treasurer's report shows the Chapter in good financial condition. We have contributed liberally to the Continental Hall fund, Miss Berry's Industrial School for boys and to the

support of a Real Daughter, Mrs. Redding.

Officers—Mrs. G. R. Slappey, Regent; Mrs. M. S. Ware, Vice-Regent; Mrs. J. D. Wade, Treasurer; Mrs. A. B. Slappey, Registrar; Mrs. Marshall Timberlake, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. F. J. Frederick, Recording Secretary.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. G. R. SLAPPEY, Regent.

Thomas Jefferson Chapter-Atlanta.

At this, the Tenth Annual State Conference, the Regent of the Thomas Jefferson Chapter, D. A. R., Atlanta, brings greetings to this Conference assembled in the hospitable city of Covington. This Chapter has thirty-six members, twenty-six of whom have paid dues for 1908. Our main work this year will be to increase the membership of the Chapter, and we have now several papers in preparation.

A good contribution was made to Continental Memorial Hall. The birthday of Thomas Jefferson, Flag Day and other

patriotic occasions were appropriately observed.

Regent, Mrs. Robert B. Toy; Vice-Regent, Mrs. Susan B.

Gardner; Treasurer, Mrs. Herbert Manson; Corresponding Secretary. Mrs. H. O. Foster; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Howell Cloud; Registrar, Miss Edith Fisher.

State Officers for 1908, 1909.

State Regent—Miss Anna Caroline Benning, Columbus, Ga. First State Vice-Regent—Mrs. Edgar A. Ross, Macon, Ga. Second State Vice-Regent—Mrs. William Lee Ellis, Macon, Ga. State Recording Secretary—Mrs. C. M. Crosby, Marietta, Ga. State Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. W. W. Curtis, Columbus, Ga.

State Treasurer—Mrs. Jno. M. Bryan, Savannah, Ga. State Historian—Mrs. T. M. Green, Washington, Ga. State Editor—Mrs. John M. Graham, Marietta, Ga.

Assistant State Editors—Mrs. A. O. Harper, Elberton, Ga.; Mrs. J. H. Redding, Waycross, Ga.

Committees for 1908.

Place—Mrs. James A. Rounsaville, Chairman; Mrs. W. H. DeVoe, Mrs. Robert Slappey, Mrs. Flewellyn Holt, Mrs. George T. Harris.

Historic Sites and Monuments—Mrs. J. H. Redding, Chairman; Mrs. James A. Rounsaville, Mrs. H. B. Kemme, Mrs. Lewis D. Lowe, Mrs. S. W. Foster, Mrs. R. P. Spencer, Mrs. O. M. Cone.

Records—Mrs. R. E. Park, Chairman; Mrs. E. A. Ross, Mrs. J. H. Redding; Mrs. E. F. Coney, Mrs. E. H. Epping, Mrs. J. S. Harrison, Miss Helen Prescott, Miss Annie Lane, Mrs. W. P. Patillo.

Programme—Mrs. P. W. Godfrey, Chairman; Miss A. C. Benning, Mrs. W. C. Clark, Mrs. E. A. Ross, Miss Flora Carr, Mrs. I. Y. Sage, Mrs. A. B. Hull, Mrs. R. P. Spencer, Mrs. R. E. Park.

Auditing Committee appointed at request of the Treasurer—Mrs. Flewellen Holt, Chairman; Mrs. W. W. Curtis, Mrs. I. Y. Sage, Mrs. Jas. A. Rounsaville.

Credentials—Mrs. John M. Bryan, Chairman; Mrs. W. W. Curtis. Mrs. James A. Rounsaville, Mrs. I. Y. Sage, Mrs. Flewellyn Holt.

Committee on Resolutions—Mrs. A. O. Harper, Chairman: Mrs. V. I. Davis, Mrs. Howell B. Simmons, Miss Nonnie McCall, Mrs. Chas. Willingham.

Memorial Continental Hall—Miss Anna Caroline Benning, Chairman; Mrs. S. W. Foster, Mrs. R. E. Park, Mrs. Jos. B. Cumming, Mrs. William Lee Ellis, Mrs. John M. Bryan, Mrs. E. A. Ross, Mrs. J. Y. Carithers, Mrs. I. Y. Sage, Mrs. W. M. Everett, Mrs. A. McD. Wilson, Mrs. W. L. Peel, Mrs. C. M. Crosby, Mrs. William P. Harrison, Mrs. T. M. Green, Mrs.

W. H. DeVoe, Mrs. W. W. Curtis, Mrs. George T. Harris, Mrs. W. E. Jones, Mrs. John M. Graham, Mrs. J. H. Redding, Mrs. Joseph S. Harrison, Mrs. H. B. Kemme, Mrs. A. O. Harper, Miss M. A. Cosens, Mrs. E. A. Pound, Mrs. A. Flewellyn Holt, Mrs. J. M. Beeson, Mrs. T. C. Parker, Mrs. James A. Rounsaville, Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, Mrs. Richard P. Spencer, Mrs. Porter King, Mrs. Lewis D. Lowe, Mrs. Robert Hardaway, Mrs. Albert Cox, Mrs. E. A. Carlisle, Mrs. John A. Perdue, Mrs. W. A. Winburn, Mrs. P. W. Godfrey, Mrs. V. I. Davis, Mrs. Robert Slappey, Mrs. R. B. Toy, Mrs. E. H. Epping, Mrs. A. W. Willingham, Mrs. J. H. Morgan, Mrs. Leonard Welch, Mrs. S. M. Dean, Mrs. Florence L. Bartow, Mrs. L. H. Chapman, Mrs. F. M. King, Miss Annie Mae Bruce, Miss Fannie Glover.

Oglethorpe Monument—Miss M. A. Cosens, Chairman; Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, Mrs. M. A. Lipscomb, Mrs. John M. Bryan, Mrs. F. L. Bartow, Mrs. Wm. P. Lamar, Mrs. William Lee Ellis, Mrs. William B. Hutchins, Mrs. F. H. Orme.

Meadow Garden—Mrs. H. G. Jefferies, Chairman; Mrs. J. B. Cumming, Mrs. E. A. Pound, Mrs. Robert B. Toy, Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, Miss Annie Mae Bruce.

Georgia Day—Mrs. John M. Graham, Chairman: Mrs. J. M. Beeson, Mrs. Hugh Starnes, Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, Mrs. William P. Harrison, Mrs. J. Y. Carithers, Mrs. William B. Slade, Mrs. Ralph Van Landingham, Mrs. W. H. DeVoe, Mrs. E. A. Carlisle, Mrs. T. C. Parker, Mrs. Robert Brooks, Miss Nina Hornady, Miss Mildred Rutherford, Miss Ruby Ray.

Patriotic Education—Mrs. R. E. Park, Chairman; Mrs. E. A. Ross, Mrs. W. M. Everett, Mrs. James A. Rounsaville,

Mrs. F. L. Bartow, Miss Agnes Godfrey.

Committee on Compulsory Education—Mrs. Edgar A. Ross, Chairman; Mrs. R. E. Park, Mrs. I. Y. Sage, Mrs. T. M. Green, Mrs. A. McD. Wilson, Mrs. P. W. Godfrey, Mrs. Thos. H. Morgan, Mrs. M. A. Lipscomb, Mrs. J. S. Wood, Miss Martha Berry, Mrs. John E. Donaldson, Mrs. E. H. Epping, Mrs. W. A. Winburn.

State Badge—Mrs. E. A. Ross, Chairman; Mrs. A. McD. Wilson, Mrs. W. W. Curtis, Miss A. C. Benning, Miss. L. C.

Wescott.

Real Daughters—Mrs. George J. Dexter, Chairman; Mrs. William Lee Ellis, Mrs. John A. Perdue, Mrs. Courtland Symmes, Mrs. J. H. Morgan, Mrs. Richard P. Spencer, Mrs. R. B. Hardaway, Mrs. Porter King.

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Rules of the Conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution of the State of Georgia.

ARTICLE I.-TITLE.

This Association shall be known as the Conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution of the State of Georgia.

ARTICLE II.-OBJECTS

Its objects shall be to bring into closer relation the several Chapters of the D. A. R., for the purpose of increasing the interest in the National Society and to enable us to extend the influence of the Society throughout the State of Georgia.

ARTICLE III.-OFFICERS.

The officers shall consist of the State Regent, who shall be the presiding officer; a Vice-Regent, two Secretaries, a Treasurer and Historian. These officers shall constitute an Executive Committee to transact routine business and act in emergencies.

By-Laws.

MEETINGS.

I. The time and place of the meeting shall be decided by a committee appointed by the State Regent at each Conference, said time and place to be changed during the year if necessary, at the discretion of the State Board.

II. To secure suitable arrangements for each meeting, a local committee from the place of meeting shall be appointed to act in concert with the Executive Committee in arranging for the conduct and general interest of the Association.

REPRESENTATION.

Each Chapter shall be represented by its Regent and delegates in ratio to its membership, as the State Regent shall direct.

ELECTIONS.

I. The Secretaries, Vice-Regent and Treasurer shall be elected annually.

II. A majority vote of those present entitled to vote shall constitute an election.

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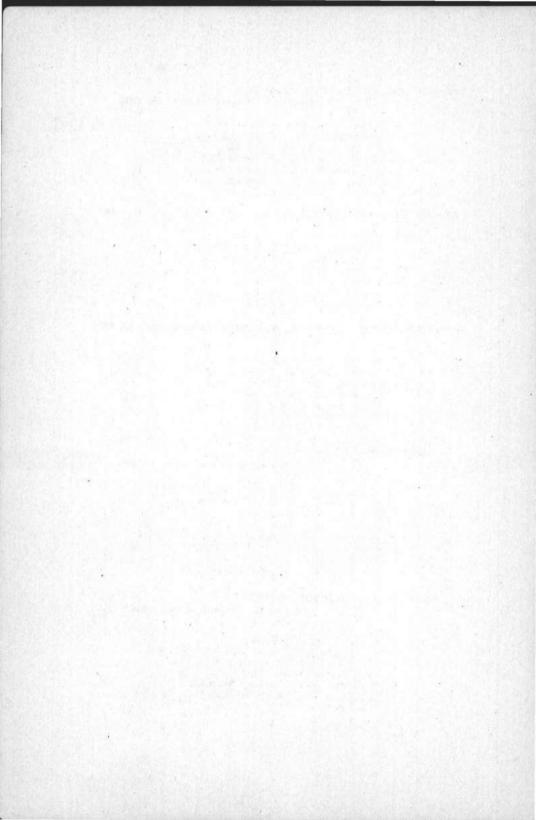
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