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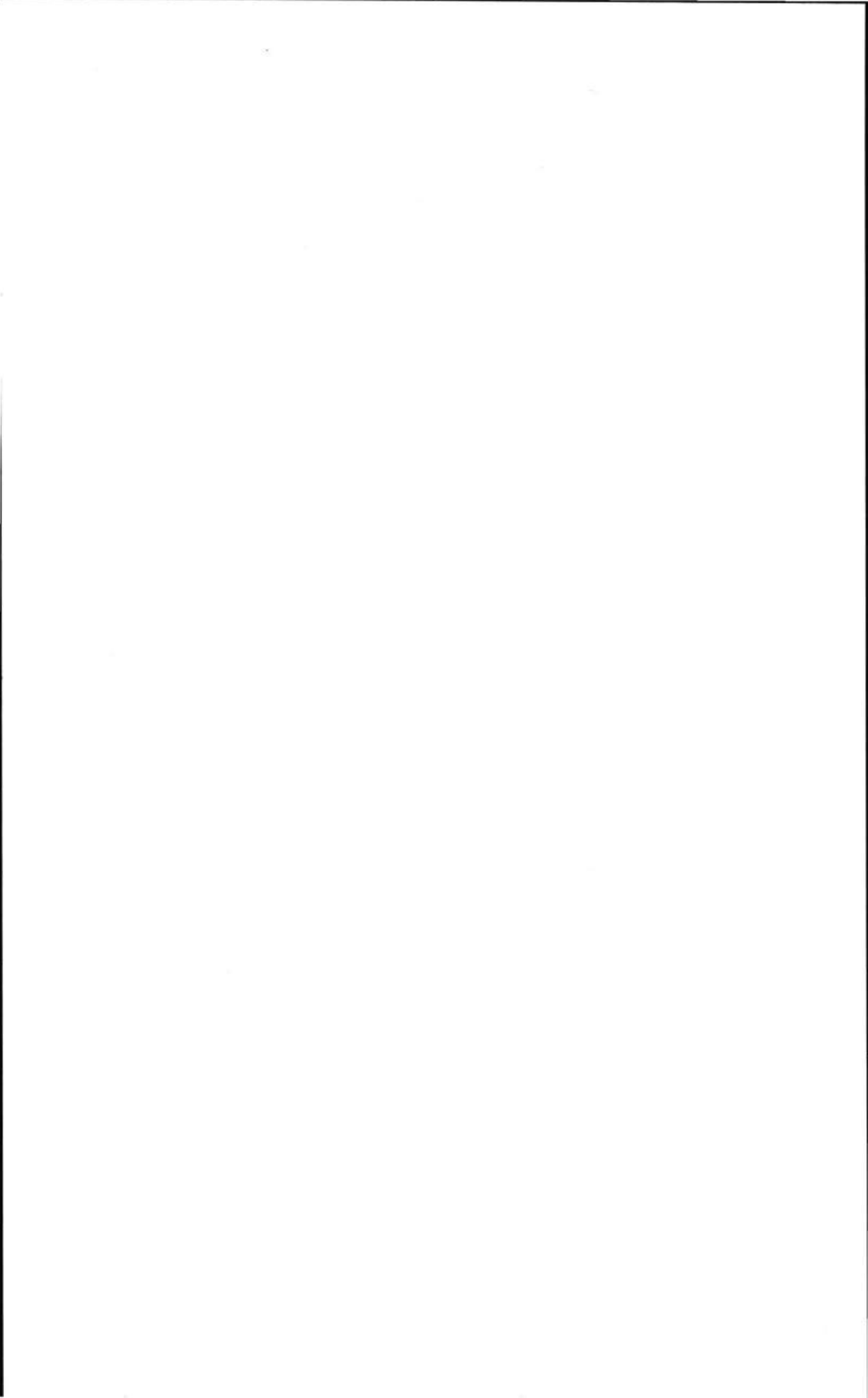
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9. 1909	Mrs. P. W. Godfrey	Sergeant Newton	Covington
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12. 1914-1916	*Mrs. Thaddeus C. Parker	Mary Hammond Washington	Macon
13. 1916-1918	*Mrs. Howard H. McCall	Atlanta	Atlanta
14. 1918-1920	*Mrs. James S. Wood	Savannah	Savannah
15. 1920-1922	Mrs. Max E. Land	Fort Early	Cordele
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20. 1930-1932	*Mrs. Bun Wylie	Atlanta	Atlanta
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22. 1934-1936	*Mrs. John W. Daniel	Savannah	Savannah
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24. 1938-1940	Mrs. W. Harrison Hightower	John Houston	Thomaston
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26. 1942-1944	Mrs. Stewart Colley	Arthur Fort	Grantville
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Georgia DAR Scholarship at Berry College—Mrs. Ben I. Thornton,
Tallulah Lodge

Historical Scrapbook—Mrs. Jack Kelt, Vienna

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MEETINGS — 1961-1962

State Board of Management—October 26—Dempsey Motor Hotel,
Macon

State Conference—March 15, 16, 17, 1962—Dinkler Plaza Hotel,
Atlanta

District Meetings — 1961-1962

East District: McRae—Chairmen—Mrs. W. F. Whatley, McRae;
Mrs. John C. Peterson, Ailey

South District: Valdosta—Chairmen—Mrs. J. A. Durrenberger,
Valdosta; Mrs. J. C. Hunt, Valdosta

North District: Atlanta—Chairmen—Mrs. Lafayette Davis, 3048
Pine Valley Road, N.W., Atlanta 5; Miss Helen Estes, 403 N.
Green St., Gainesville

West District: Americus—Chairmen—Mrs. R. P. Moore, Americus;
Mrs. W. D. Harvey, Americus

Instruction Meeting—August 24, 1961, Berry College, Rome

State Executive Committee Meeting—August 23, 1961, Berry Col-
lege, Rome



In Memoriam

" . . . And I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, Write, Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit that they may rest from their labours; and their works do follow them."

—Revelation 14:13

- ALBANY—COMMODORE RICHARD DALE CHAPTER**
India Turner Bennet (Mrs. Samuel S.) April 28, 1960
Estelle Anderson Crouch (Mrs. John W.) October 15, 1960
- ALBANY—THRONATEESKA CHAPTER**
Irene Tift Woolfolk Jackson (Mrs. E. F.) November 21, 1960
Clara Belle Wilson Dougherty (Mrs. J. S.) December 29, 1960
- AMERICUS—COUNCIL OF SAFETY CHAPTER**
Ruby Westbrook Mabry (Mrs. T. F.) June 9, 1960
- ATLANTA—ATLANTA CHAPTER**
Etta M. Andrews Thompson (Mrs. W. A.) June 29, 1960
Macie Sitton Stephens (Mrs. John L.) July 1, 1960
Berma Daniel Klein (Mrs. E. W.) November 5, 1960
Belle Collins Hemphill (Mrs. William A.) November 22, 1960
Lula Dean Jones DuBose (Mrs. Beverly M.) January 15, 1961
- ATLANTA—CHEROKEE CHAPTER**
Elizabeth Mobley Greene Brown (Mrs. S. R.) October 19, 1960
- ATLANTA—JOSEPH HABERSHAM CHAPTER**
Lucile Matthews Daniels (Mrs. C. D.) March 20, 1960
Blanche Purcell Roberts (Mrs. C. W.) November 16, 1960
- AUGUSTA—AUGUSTA CHAPTER**
Rosa Garvin Brunkhurst (Mrs. Henry G.) April 18, 1960
- BAINBRIDGE—BAINBRIDGE CHAPTER**
Lulu Wise Battles (Mrs. George F.) August 3, 1960
Mary Sue Chambliss Lane (Mrs. Rufus) December 1, 1960
- BARNESVILLE—LAMAR-LaFAYETTE CHAPTER**
Elizabeth Harris Quinn (Mrs. John H.) August 21, 1960
- CARTERSVILLE—ETOWAH CHAPTER**
Sallie Mae Battle Renfroe (Mrs. Robert) April 15, 1960
- COLUMBUS—GEORGE WALTON CHAPTER**
Bessie B. Allen Smith (Mrs. Eugene M.) May 8, 1960
Reuben Adah Hoffman Knight (Mrs. James Bartow, Jr.) June 6,
1960
Ann Lee Cross Grimes (Mrs. Edwin Jessop) August 2, 1960
Kathryn Bryan Fowler (Mrs. Thomas Milton) November 16, 1960
Lucile Peacock McDuffie (Mrs. James H.) January 10, 1961

- COLUMBUS—OGLETHORPE CHAPTER**
 Isabelle McKee Lewis (Mrs. Robert M.) May 5, 1960
- COMMERCE—JAMES PITTMAN CHAPTER**
 Susan Katherine Arendall Barber (Mrs. W. L.) January 25, 1961
- CORDELE—FORT EARLY CHAPTER**
 Alice Feagin Whipple (Mrs. W. V., Sr.) April 25, 1960
 Wilma George King (Mrs. J. N.) July 11, 1960
 Mary Lou Fisher Diffie (Mrs. James M.) October 23, 1960
 Frances Evelyn Bulloch Jeter (Mrs. Earl) February 5, 1961
- COVINGTON—SERGEANT NEWTON CHAPTER**
 Elizabeth Todd Porter (Mrs. O. W.) April 5, 1960
 Carrie Sockwell Mobley (Mrs. R. M.) October 10, 1960
- CUTHBERT—BENJAMIN HAWKINS CHAPTER**
 Marietta Redding Sealy (Mrs. Edward T.) October 22, 1960
- DAWSON—DOROTHY WALTON CHAPTER**
 Ada Brown Davis (Mrs. S. Percy) March 18, 1960
 Mattie Ramsey Jay (Mrs. W. W.) July 2, 1960
 Ann Gordon Wellborn Irwin (Mrs. John R., III) July 28, 1960
- DECATUR—BARON DeKALB CHAPTER**
 Wilberth Mills Newborn (Mrs. Fay E.) March 15, 1960
 Lucy Jernigan Cunyus (Mrs. John W.) March 20, 1960
 Pearl Hodges Wade (Mrs. Andrew Lee) May 21, 1960
 Elizabeth Eubanks Bachman (Mrs. James R.) August 8, 1960
 Elizabeth Reid Webb (Mrs. James M.) December 12, 1960
- FITZGERALD—NATHANIEL ABNEY CHAPTER**
 Maude Stewart Gelders (Mrs. Isidor) June 4, 1960
 Merry Orlie Harrell Humphreys (Mrs. J. D.) August 30, 1960
- GRIFFIN—PULASKI CHAPTER**
 Betty Render Parham (Mrs. Robert S.) October 28, 1960
 Florine Goode Dozier Gibson (Mrs. Lawrence Eugene) December
 25, 1960
- HARTWELL—JOHN BENSON CHAPTER**
 Patricia Griffith (Mrs. Edward K.) July 13, 1960
- LaFAYETTE—WILLIAM MARSH CHAPTER**
 Marion Augusta Kremkau (Miss) January 23, 1961
- LaGRANGE—LaGRANGE CHAPTER**
 Leona Tarpley Daniel (Mrs. George G.) September 9, 1960
- MACON—MARY HAMMOND WASHINGTON CHAPTER**
 Mary Dews Rees Mitchell (Mrs. Donald) September 8, 1960
- MACON—NATHANIEL MACON CHAPTER**
 Mary Laetitia Buford (Miss) June 12, 1960
 Annie Moore Davis Smith (Mrs. Mark A.) November 1, 1960
- MARIETTA—ANDREW HOUSER CHAPTER**
 Mary Ernestine Isbell Shaw (Mrs. Raymond M.) August 7, 1960
- MONTICELLO—ELIZABETH MARLOW CHAPTER**
 Ida Lancaster Lancaster (Mrs. Oscar E.) April 8, 1960

- MOULTRIE—JOHN BENNING CHAPTER**
 Freddie George Arnold (Mrs. W. R.) June 24, 1960
- QUITMAN—HANNAH CLARKE CHAPTER**
 Sample Snead Young (Mrs. H. S.) May 24, 1960
 Mary Rebecca Mabbett Bowman (Miss) May 27, 1960
 Gladys Cardin Glausier (Mrs. C. E.) July 31, 1960
- ROCHELLE—GENERAL DAVID BLACKSHEAR CHAPTER**
 Alberta Rickey Crummery (Mrs. Cecil D.) April 16, 1960
- SAVANNAH—BONAVENTURE CHAPTER**
 Georgie Belle Ulmo Righton (Mrs. J. M.) April 15, 1960
- SAVANNAH—LACHLAN McINTOSH CHAPTER**
 Virginia Footman Davant (Mrs. R. J.) March 28, 1960
 Mary Hamilton Haile (Mrs. Withers Allen) September 24, 1960
- SAVANNAH—SAVANNAH CHAPTER**
 Annie Turner Lockhart (Mrs. Robert S.) November 29, 1960
 Marion Zitterouer (Miss) February 6, 1961
- SHELLMAN—NOBLE WIMBERLY JONES CHAPTER**
 Anna Curry Dennis (Mrs. J. B.) June 16, 1960
- SOCIAL CIRCLE—JOHN CLARKE CHAPTER**
 Callie Freeman Woodall (Mrs.) January 1, 1961
- SYLVANIA—BRIER CREEK**
 Lucy Garnett Overstreet (Mrs. E. K.) December 28, 1960
- SYLVESTER—BARNARD TRAIL CHAPTER**
 Mattie Blanch Alford Gully (Mrs. E. R.) July 13, 1960
- THOMASVILLE—THOMASVILLE CHAPTER**
 Lila Burch Hargrove (Mrs. Walter D.) April 3, 1960
- TOCCOA—TOCCOA CHAPTER**
 Lula Cooper (Miss) September 17, 1960
 Josephine Stevenson Cheek (Mrs. Ben F., Sr.) November 21, 1960
- WARRENTON—BURKHALTER CHAPTER**
 Fannie Hubert DeBeaugrine (Mrs. Warren) April 19, 1960
 Mattie Anderson Sisson (Mrs. Sam G.) August 5, 1960
 Susan Bell Silvey Lunceford (Mrs. A. M., Sr.) October 16, 1960
- WAYNESBORO—EDMUND BURKE CHAPTER**
 Haidee Routzhan McElmurray (Mrs. Judson Sapp) September 24,
 1960
- WINDER—SUNBURY CHAPTER**
 Rubye Carithers Flanigan (Mrs. Hiram Tilden) March 20, 1960

MINUTES

**MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT
GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY
DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION
ST. SIMONS ISLAND, GEORGIA
OCTOBER 27, 1960**

The regular Fall meeting of the State Board of Management, Georgia Society of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, held Thursday, October 27, 1960, at the King and Prince Hotel, St. Simons Island, Georgia, was called to order at 10:30 a.m., the State Regent, Mrs. Samuel M. Merritt, presiding. The State Chaplain, Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, gave the scriptural reading and offered prayer. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by the State Chairman, Mrs. Frank J. Campbell, and the American's Creed by the State Chairman, Mrs. Maurice A. Cameron. The assemblage sang one stanza of the National Anthem, led by Mrs. Robert H. Perkins, accompanied by Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey.

The State Regent expressed the regret of the assemblage that our Honorary President General, Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, was unable to be with us; and then presented the Chaplain General, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, and the new Vice President General from Georgia, Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill. After the presentation of the Honorary State Regents by the State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Thomas Knox Kendrick, the State Regent introduced the State Officers, and stated that Mrs. Henry Allan Ironside, State Co-Parliamentarian, would act as Parliamentarian in the absence of Mrs. Yarbrough.

The State Regent thanked Mrs. E. W. Ellis, Regent of the Fort Frederica Chapter, and Chairman of Arrangements for this meeting, the members of her committees, the two pages, Miss Merry Odell and Miss Mary Alice Bradford, and Mrs. F. M. Martin, Jr., for the delightful tea; and a rising vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Margaret Davis Cates for bringing the Sea Island singers with their plantation songs and chants for the after dinner entertainment. Mrs. Cameron and Mrs. Estes were thanked again at this time for the smooth running of the District meetings respectively at McRae, August 30, and Valdosta, August 31, 1960, with a delightful evening reception at each.

The State Regent asked the State Recording Secretary to read the minutes of the Executive Committee of the State Board held June 14, 1960 in Perry. Mrs. Merritt requested a rising vote of the members of the Georgia State Board of Management to reaffirm the action of the Executive Committee on its endorsement of Mrs. Henry Allan Ironside as a candidate for election as Honorary Vice President General at Continental Congress, 1961, which vote was unanimous.

With the State First Vice Regent in the Chair, the State Regent touched briefly on certain points of the October National Board Meeting: recommendation for raising the dues of members-at-large from \$5.00 to \$7.00; various repairs made to our National Headquarters; pertinent to repairs, Mrs. Merritt thanked the 1960 State Conference for voting to replace the Georgia Flag in the

National DAR Library, and stated that the probable cost would be \$40.00, and that Mr. Maynard would assume full responsibility of hanging the flag. Mrs. W. J. Burke, Regent of the Brunswick Chapter, requested the privilege of buying and presenting the Georgia Flag, when members of her chapter present announced that the Brunswick Chapter wished to give the flag in honor of their Regent. On motion of Mrs. Tuthill, seconded by Mrs. Leonard D. Wallace, it was resolved to replace the Georgia Flag by accepting the gracious offer of the Brunswick Chapter. In connection with flags, the State Regent reported that during the singing of the National Anthem, when no Flag of the United States of America is present, members stand at attention with hands at sides. Resuming her digest of the Board Meeting, the State Regent reported request for bonds to be donated to the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, for the National Endowment Trust Fund; also requested were funds for a new case for displaying silver, and other items of unestimable intrinsic value; new American History Month posters; Mrs. Gertrude Cunningham Brown was confirmed as Organizing Chapter Regent at Hiwassee, Georgia, replacing Mrs. Pauline McConnell whose time had expired; recommendations for the House and Page Committees to be made by Chapter Regents to the State Regent before March 1 in order for the names to be included in the Continental Congress Program. Mrs. Merritt then spoke of the stop made by the National DAR School Tour at Tamassee where the wonderful gift of Mrs. Ironside in the amount of \$10,000 was announced in the chapel and accepted with heartfelt thanks for Tamassee. At the Berry Schools, the State Regent was the official hostess for Georgia, and had the privilege of welcoming the members of the Tour, and presenting in the chapel, the President General, Mrs. Ashmead White, who made a short talk in keeping with the evening vesper services. The ceremony of breaking ground at Kate Duncan Smith DAR School for the Doris Pike White Auditorium-Gymnasium on Founders Day was made possible because of the enthusiastic response to the project, and plans are now being made to dedicate the building on Founders Day, 1961. The State Regent spoke briefly on the acquisition of Meadow Garden by the Georgia Society from the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, the responsibilities involved, one of which was obtaining a charter for the Georgia Society in order to become owner of the property; the gift of work valued at \$4,300 from the State Highway Board through Robert H. Jordan, past Chairman of the Board, which would give a new entrance and access from Walton Way, to be opened with appropriate ceremonies on completion of the work. Mrs. Merritt stated that the State Regent, State First Vice Regent, State Chairman for Meadow Garden, as three Trustees, would constitute the Meadow Garden Board. She also stated that gifts and money over the per capita requirement are and will be most acceptable. The State Regent appointed from the Resolutions Committee, Mrs. Tuthill, Mrs. Wallace, and Mrs. Yarbrough to sift the minutes of the Georgia Society for the past ten years for resolutions and motions pertinent to money, and to bring all to the 1961 State Conference. Mrs. Merritt stated there would also be a committee to compile Do's and Dont's for Chapter Regents.

The State Regent said that information had been received during the meeting of the National Board of the serious illness of Mrs. Russell Magna, Honorary President General; she also reported with regret the serious illness of Mrs. Mark A. Smith, Honorary State Regent, and the deep loss sustained by Mrs. Yarbrough in the

death of her husband, Dr. Y. Harris Yarbrough. In closing, the State Regent said this was not a meeting for reports, but for the discussion and transaction of business.

After resuming the Chair, Mrs. Merritt asked the Recording Secretary to give the statistics regarding the two District meetings, which were given in a comprehensive report of the East District held August 30 in McRae, and the South District held August 31, 1960 in Valdosta. The total attendance for both was 164 without duplication, representing in all 54 chapters; listed on the registration sheets with duplication were: 31 chapters, 52 State Chairmen; 2 National Officers at both meetings; 3 Honorary State Regents at both; 11 State Officers at McRae; and 9 at Valdosta.

The State Regent called upon the Chaplain General, who spoke a few words on the Conservation project for the Memorial Garden on the D Street side of the National Headquarters, calling it a beautiful thought for permanent memorials. Mrs. Stribling then spoke of the discovery of the deplorable type of hymnals in the Tamassee DAR School Chapel, and recommended that they be replaced. On motion of Mrs. Tuthill, seconded by Mrs. Richardson, it was resolved that the Georgia State Society present to the Chapel at the Tamassee DAR School new hymnals to replace those in present use, and that the chapters and individuals be asked to contribute to this fund, and that these hymnals be marked and given in honor of our Chaplain General, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling. It was further resolved on motion of Mrs. J. Mark Mote that the offending hymnals be burned.

The State Regent called upon the Vice President General who stated that of the \$1.00 raise in the National dues, 25¢ is to be placed in the Endowment Trust Fund. Mrs. Tuthill made reference to the 100 chairs being recovered by donations from chapters, two of which were the gifts of Georgia chapters, Xavier, Rome, and Thronateeska, Albany.

At this time Mrs. Tuthill, Co-Chairman of the Resolutions Committee, with Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, Acting Co-Chairman, requested permission to submit the following resolutions and moved their adoption:

RESOLVED, That the Georgia Daughters assembled at the Fall Board of Management meeting, reaffirm the following resolutions adopted by the Continental Congress of 1960.

Rededicating ourselves to the objects of the National Society, namely, Historical, Educational, and Patriotic.

Striving for the maintenance of national sovereignty under the Constitution of the United States of America.

Requesting the Congress of the United States to reestablish the historic gold standard for the currency of the United States.

Supporting the retention of the oath required of students under the National Defense Act.

Urging the retention of the Connally Amendment as a bulwark of freedom.

And reaffirming the resolution adopted at the 1959 State Conference urging that the newspapers over the State hereafter give attention to the observance of the birthday of President George Washington, and that each chapter assume the responsibility of giving publicity to the local newspaper.

ADOPTED.

RESOLVED, That the six cents per capita requirement for the Kate Duncan Smith DAR School be held intact, designated for the Doris Pike White Auditorium-Gymnasium at the Kate Duncan Smith DAR School. ADOPTED

RESOLVED, That the six cents per capita requirement of the Tamassee DAR School be held intact and designated for the Katherine Clarke Daniel Memorial Endowment Fund at the Tamassee DAR School. ADOPTED

RESOLVED, That the Georgia Society, NSDAR, establish at the Berry Schools, the Georgia DAR Scholarship, in honor of the State Regent, Mrs. Samuel M. Merritt, in the amount of \$7,000.00. The interest from this fund, when completed, to pay for a four-year college scholarship, awarded to a student alternately from Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith DAR Schools; details of student selection to be worked out by the schools interested. The amount of this scholarship to be raised by contributions from chapters and individuals. ADOPTED

WHEREAS, In many of our schools and colleges the so-called "Social Studies" are replacing the study of American History,

RESOLVED, That the Georgia State Society urge its members to check the local school curricula; and, wherever possible, promote emphasis on the study of American History. ADOPTED

WHEREAS, It is believed that the indoctrination of our youth along the lines of Socialism and One-Worldism is making startling inroads through the use of certain textbooks,

RESOLVED, That the Georgia State Society request that State Legislature take adequate steps to protect the content of textbooks used in our state. ADOPTED

WHEREAS, There has been an alarming increase in delinquency among our youth, both white and colored, and,

WHEREAS, There has been a noticeable decline in the moral standards of our adult population,

RESOLVED, That the Georgia Daughters take active steps to encourage the teaching of high moral standards in our schools and colleges, thus tending to promote in our young citizenry the principles of personal and public integrity. ADOPTED

WHEREAS, The United Nations Children's Fund, known as UNICEF is promoting through the Hallowe'en Trick or Treat Program, contributions of funds, a large share of which goes to Communist and Communist controlled countries; and,

WHEREAS, The Christmas cards sold by the UNICEF are lacking in the true Christmas Spirit,

RESOLVED, That the Georgia Daughters give careful thought to a program which seems to be promoting the welfare state and removing Christ from Christmas.

WHEREAS, The admission of Red China to the United Nations would be a dangerous addition to the Communist control, and,

WHEREAS, The United States is under heavy and constant pressure to soften its attitude toward Red China,

RESOLVED, That the Georgia Society express to their Congressmen its firm opposition to the admission of Red China to the United Nations. ADOPTED

WHEREAS, The welfare of this nation depends on the loyal support of all of its citizens, therefore be it

RESOLVED, First, that every citizen fully inform himself of current events and that he be discriminating in choosing his sources of information. Second, That every citizen form an opinion based on his own best judgment and the advice of trusted patriots. Third, That every citizen express his opinion at meetings and in conversation with friends. Fourth, That every citizen vote his convictions and that he elect representatives of integrity. Fifth, That every citizen let his elected representatives know his views. ADOPTED

WHEREAS, The Georgia State Society of the National Society,

Daughters of the American Revolution, recognizes and observes with respect and deep patriotic significance the Centennial of the War of 1861-65,

RESOLVED, Therefore, that the Georgia State Society, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, adopt and maintain the policies of the incomparable Robert E. Lee who said,

"Abandon your animosities and make your sons Americans."
ADOPTED.

WHEREAS, The repeal of the Connally Amendment would imperil the national sovereignty of the United States and would nullify its right to a veto over any attempt of the World Court to intervene in its internal affairs,

RESOLVED, That the Georgia State Society, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, renew its plea to the Congress of the United States to preserve and strengthen all existing safeguards against intervention of the World Court in the domestic affairs of this nation. ADOPTED

WHEREAS, The Georgia Bar Association adopted a resolution favoring the retention of the Connally Reservation,

RESOLVED, That the Fall Board of Management of the Georgia State Society NSDAR deploras the failure of the Georgia delegates attending the American Bar Association House of Delegates to vote to uphold the Connally Reservation, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the President and the Board of Governors of the Georgia Bar Association, urging them at their forthcoming meeting to again go on record favoring the retention of the Connally Reservation. ADOPTED

RESOLVED, That the State Regent, Mrs. Samuel M. Merritt, and the members of the State Board of Management, express to the general Chairman, Mrs. E. W. Ellis, and to her committees; and to the members of the Fort Frederica Chapter, their sincere appreciation for the gracious hospitality shown in the arrangements of the meeting, and especially thank them for the beautiful tea at the home of Mrs. J. F. Martin, Jr. ADOPTED

RESOLVED, That the State Regent and the State Board of Management express appreciation to the young ladies who acted as pages so efficiently—Misses Merry O'Dell and Mary Alice Bradford. ADOPTED

RESOLVED, That the State Regent and the State Board of Management express to Mr. Gadi Timbes, Manager of the King and Prince Hotel, their profound thanks for the courteous attention given to all details for the comfort and enjoyment of the Board members during their stay at the hotel, and they especially thank him for procuring Mrs. Cates and the singers for the after dinner program. ADOPTED

RESOLVED, That the State Regent and the members of the State Board of Management express their thanks to the Brunswick News and Glynn Times papers, especially to Mrs. Helen Jenkins, for their generous coverage. ADOPTED.

WHEREAS, At no expense to and with most careful consideration for the best interests of the Georgia State Society, Mr. Thomas H. Gignilliat so graciously drew the deed whereby the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, relinquished ownership of Meadow Garden, the home of George Walton, a Georgia Signer of the Declaration, to the Georgia State Society,

RESOLVED, That most sincere appreciation be expressed to Mr. Gignilliat for his interest and kindness, and that a copy of this resolution be included in the minutes of the Fall Board of Management meeting, and that a copy be sent to Mr. Gignilliat.

The State Regent expressed her deep appreciation of the honor bestowed in Resolution Number 4, and thanked Mrs. Tuthill, Mrs. Humphrey, and the members of their Committee for the excellent resolutions.

The State Regent called the roll of the State Officers some of whom made requests concerning their work: State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Kendrick; State Second Vice Regent, Mrs. Thornton; State Chaplain, Mrs. Richardson; State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Rees; State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Buchanan; State Treasurer, Mrs. Reid, reported a balance of \$4,472.86. The Chairman of the Finance Committee, Mrs. Arthur Waite, Jr., submitted the tentative budget, based on dues from 6,000 members, as follows: Tamassée School, .06 per capita, \$360.00; Kate Duncan Smith School, .06 per capita, \$360.00; Berry Schools, .06 per capita, \$360.00; Meadow Garden, .06 per capita, \$360.00; McCall Genealogical Fund, .03 per capita, \$180.00; Lucy Cook Peel Fund, .03 per capita, \$180.00 (making a total of .30 per capita, as designated in Article VIII, Section I, of the State Bylaws and as approved by State Conference of 1956-1957). State Regent's expense, \$600.00; Good Citizen's Awards, \$30.00; Insurance and Bond, \$50.00; Auditor, \$100.00; Printing Proceedings, \$1,050.00; Printing State Directory, \$75.00; Operating Expense, \$500.00; State Conference expense, \$500.00; Continental Congress Hospitality Fund, \$100.00; Special Projects, \$700.00; Miscellaneous, \$100.00; Reserve for Contingencies, \$395.00; Budget Total, \$6,000.00. Mrs. Waite moved the adoption of the tentative budget. ADOPTED. On motion of Mrs. Waite, it was resolved that the .06 per capita for Berry Schools and the \$700.00, Special Projects, as set up in the Budget be held intact to be applied toward the new Georgia DAR Scholarship at Berry College. The State Regent appointed the State Second Vice Regent, Mrs. Thornton, as Chairman of this Fund for Berry, and said that a letter would go to all chapters.

The State Organizing Secretary, Mrs. Lovelace, and the State Consulting Registrar, Mrs. Smith, both stressed the need of increased membership; State Historian, Mrs. Harris; State Librarian, Mrs. Derry; and State Curator, Mrs. Vaughn.

The State Regent then called upon the State Chairmen present who had three things in common: letters sent to all chapters, outlining the work to be accomplished, requesting names of chapter chairmen, and, above all, that reports be made whether the goal was achieved or not. The State Regent called upon Mrs. William C. Robinson, Co-Chairman of the 1960 Proceedings Committee, who presented the book and expressed regret that it had been delayed. Americanism, Mrs. Cameron; CAR, Mrs. Childs, announced that the CAR State Conference would meet in Albany, February 24-25, 1961; Conservation, Mrs. Ellis, requested gifts for the Memorial Garden Fund, a dollar if not a plant; DAR Magazine, Mrs. Reeves; DAR Magazine Advertisements, Mrs. Boyd; DAR Museum, Mrs. Peterson; DAR Schools, Mrs. Binford, said that even with two days work the cost per student at Berry for each semester is no longer \$150.00 but \$175.00; she also reported that Mrs. Kendrick, as National Vice Chairman, Southeastern District, DAR Schools, would be a speaker in May, 1961, at the Kate Duncan Smith Graduation Exercises; Junior American Citizens, Mrs. Wheeler; Junior Membership, Mrs. Blount, Senior Advisor; Membership, Mrs. Summerall; Motion Pictures, Mrs. Phillips; National Defense, Mrs. Kendrick; Press Relations, Mrs. Estes, Co-Chairman; Radio and Television, Mrs. Perkins; Flag of the United States of America, Mrs. Campbell; Transportation, Mrs. Jordan; and American History Month, Miss

Cooper. At one o'clock, the meeting was recessed for a luncheon, with the Chaplain General giving the blessing. Business was resumed the latter part of the luncheon to expedite the close of the meeting. Mrs. C. W. Cotton, Registrar of the Fort Frederica Chapter, welcomed all for luncheon, and mentioned the gifts for each placed by Mrs. C. M. Ward, Assistant Chairman. Miss Virginia Griffin made a report of the registration—National Officers, 2; Honorary State Regents, 7; State Officers, 12; Chapter Regents and Vice Regents, 25; State Chairmen, 24; Members, 24; 92 present without duplication.

Mrs. Tuthill took the opportunity at this time to express her grateful appreciation to the Proceedings Committee, and to Mrs. George W. Nelson, past State Recording Secretary. Mrs. Tuthill stated that a list of any corrections would be presented at the next meeting.

The State Regent continued the roll of the State Chairmen: American Merchant Marine Library, Mrs. Brannen; Conference Properties, Mrs. Vaughn, Cooperative Relations Between DAR and SAR, Mrs. P. I. Dixon; Lucy Cook Peel Fund, Mrs. Asher; McCall Genealogical Fund, Mrs. Frank Faulk; Marking Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves, Mrs. Kantala; Medals and Prizes, Mrs. Leavy; Time and Place, Mrs. Chandler, suggested that reservations for the 1961 State Conference in Albany, March 6-7-8, be made as soon as announced in the State Regent's letter of instruction.

Mrs. Mote requested a round of applause for the successful meeting achieved by all who took part. The State Regent thanked Mrs. Ellis and the nine members of her chapter for their gracious hospitality and excellent arrangements.

The State Chaplain asked all to join in the Mizpah benediction. The State Regent bid all Godspeed, and declared the meeting of the Fall Board of Management adjourned.

Mrs. Samuel M. Merritt
State Regent
Mrs. S. M. Page Rees
State Recording Secretary

SIXTY-THIRD STATE CONFERENCE
GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY
DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION
NEW ALBANY HOTEL
MARCH 6, 7, 8, 1961

Preceding the formal opening of the Sixty-third State Conference of the Georgia State Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, on Monday, March 6, 1961, two luncheons were held separately in rooms on the first floor of the New Albany Hotel at 12 noon. They were the State Officers' Club luncheon, the President, Mrs. Carter Shepherd, presiding, and the Georgia Chapter Regents' Club luncheon the President, Mrs. George W. Nelson, presiding.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

The impressive Memorial Service, for the members who have died during the past Conference year, was held in the Sanctuary of the First Presbyterian Church, at two o'clock, Monday, March 6, with the State Chaplain, presiding.

The organ prelude, "Now Thank We All Our God," was softly played by Mrs. Crouch before the call to remembrance was given by the State Regent. With the assembly standing, the State Chaplain led the responsive reading. Mrs. W. H. Humber, Jr., sang

"The King of Love My Shepherd Is" preceding the scripture reading and prayer offered by the Chaplain General. Signifying the Light of Loving Remembrance, the tall white candles were lighted by the Memorial Pages, Mrs. Leonard DeLamar and Mrs. Clark H. Dowdell.

As the State Chaplain called with grateful and loving remembrance the Memorial Roll of departed members, the chapter members stood in silent tribute while the white blossoms were placed in the large white urn by the flower pages, Mrs. Hudson Malone and Mrs. Frank Faulk. Among these beloved Daughters was an Honorary State Regent and past Vice President General, Mrs. Mark A. Smith, in whose memory, Mrs. Henry Allan Ironside gave a tribute of love and devotion. Mrs. Humber sang the beautiful "Agnus Dei" by Bizet. Following the benediction, and the organ postlude "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes," the State Regent pronounced the Memorial Service concluded. The door pages were Mrs. J. Emory Houston and Mrs. L. K. Johnson.

**MINUTES OF THE SPRING BOARD OF MANAGEMENT
NEW CITIZENS AND SOUTHERN BANK BUILDING
ALBANY, GEORGIA
MARCH 6, 1961**

The spring meeting of the Board of Management of the Georgia Society, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, was called to order by the State Regent in the Board Room of the new Citizens and Southern Bank Building, Albany, Georgia, at 2:45 o'clock. Mrs. Yarbrough, Parliamentarian, read the Standing Rules of the Sixty-third Conference.

The State Regent stated that as the memorial services had immediately preceded this meeting, and as a flag was not in the room, the scripture and prayer, and Pledge of Allegiance would be omitted. Mrs. Merritt said that this meeting would be most informal. Mrs. Thornton requested cooperation in forming the evening processional, and asked that those participating would gather early and quietly in the front part of the auditorium.

The State Regent stated that the tickets for the Georgia Banquet in Washington would be \$6.75, and that until time for Continental Congress, all requests for these tickets should go to Mrs. Thomas K. Kendrick, State First Vice Regent, after which time, Mrs. Thornton, State Second Vice Regent, would handle all arrangements and tickets in Washington. Mrs. Merritt also stated that the State Society was allotted 23 tickets for the President General's Dinner. Those desiring to attend should make their reservations early by sending checks for \$8.00 to the State Treasurer, Mrs. Reid.

The State Regent requested that the officers and chairmen condense their reports as much as possible, bringing out the highlights only, and omitting routine matters. She also suggested, for the sake of saving time, that members condense their introduction when addressing the chair, and members standing to be recognized give their name and the name of their chapter.

After reminding those present of the time set for the banquet and the opening session of the Sixty-third State Conference, the State Regent declared the meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

Mrs. Samuel M. Merritt
State Regent
Mrs. S. M. Page Rees
State Recording Secretary

BANQUET

Mrs. Samuel M. Merritt, State Regent, presided over the banquet held in the ballroom of the New Albany Hotel on Monday evening, March 6, at 6 o'clock, for all members and their guests, and the distinguished guests of the Conference.

SIXTY-THIRD STATE CONFERENCE GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION NEW ALBANY HOTEL MARCH 6, 1961

Prior to the opening session of the Sixty-third Annual State Conference of the Georgia State Society of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution held in the City Auditorium, Albany, a program of music was given by the High School Band Group, Ronnie Gaughf, Director.

After the assembly call, the Processional entered to the Steel King March, led by Mrs. F. W. Manning, Jr., bearing the Flag of the United States of America, Mrs. William Lowe with the Flag of the State of Georgia, and Mrs. Ralph Macomber with the Banner of the Daughters of the American Revolution, followed by pages, the Regents of the hostess chapters—Mrs. Milton B. Merts, Commodore Richard Dale Chapter and Mrs. J. Neely Peacock, Jr., Thronateeska Chapter, State Officers, past National Officers, Honorary State Regents, Vice President General, Chaplain General, and the State Regent.

The Sixty-third Annual State Conference was called to order by the State Regent. Dr. J. Frederick Wilson, Pastor of the First Methodist Church of Albany, gave the invocation. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by the State Flag Chairman, Mrs. Campbell, and the American's Creed by the State Chairman of Americanism, Mrs. Cameron. The National Anthem was sung by Mrs. J. Willis Shiver, Jr.

The State Regent thanked Mr. Gaughf, members of the High School Band, and Mrs. Shiver, for the opening music.

The State Regent introduced Mr. Cary Burnett, City Manager of Albany, who expressed the regret of the Mayor at his inability to be present, and then brought greetings from the City of Albany to the Conference. Mrs. Merritt stated that in the absence of the State First Vice Regent, Mrs. Thomas K. Kendrick, because of sorrow in the family, the response on behalf of the Daughters to the welcome by Mr. Burnett would be given by the State Second Vice Regent, Mrs. Ben I. Thornton.

The State Regent presented the Regents of the Hostess Chapters, Mrs. Milton B. Merts, Regent of the Commodore Richard Dale Chapter, and Mrs. J. Neely Peacock, Jr., Regent of the Thronateeska Chapter. In a few words Mrs. Peacock welcomed the Conference. Mrs. Merritt then presented the Co-Chairman of the Conference, Mrs. Talbott B. Chandler and Mrs. Wallace Crouch.

The State Regent presented Mr. F. W. Lagerquist, President of the Sons of the American Revolution, who brought greetings to the Daughters. Greetings were also brought by his daughter, Miss Sharon Lagerquist, from the Children of the American Revolution.

The Chaplain General, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, was presented by Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, past Vice President General. The State Regent presented the Vice President General from Georgia, Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill. Mrs. Merritt regretted that Mrs. Jackson E. Stewart, Vice President General from Florida, was not present, but planned to be at the Georgia State Conference on Tuesday, and that Mrs. Erwin F. Seimes, Recording Secretary General, was unable to be present. The State Second Vice Regent regretted the absence of Mrs. Talmadge, Honorary President General, and Honorary State Regent, and then made the introduction of the past National Officers and Honorary State Regents.

The State Regent requested the Recording Secretary to read the telegram expressing cordial wishes for a successful Conference from the President General, Mrs. Ashmead White. Mrs. Merritt then presented the State Officers.

Here the State Regent announced that the First Methodist Church Choir, with Dr. John Paul Jones, Director, and Mrs. Jones, accompanist, would sing the "Cherubim Song" and Mozart's "Gloria." Mrs. Merritt thanked Dr. Jones and the members of the choir for the beautiful music.

Mrs. Leonard D. Wallace, past Registrar General, who had been in the same National Cabinet with Mrs. Robert Vernon Harris Duncan, past Organizing Secretary General, presented Mrs. Duncan as the speaker of the evening whose subject was "Leadership." After expressing her pleasure in being back in Georgia for a second State Conference, Mrs. Duncan gave the four prime ingredients for leadership: courage, acceptance of responsibility, dedication of purpose, and fortitude.

The State Regent thanked Mrs. Duncan, saying that there could not have been a better keynote given for the Conference.

Following the speaker, the assembly was delighted with the music of the familiar "The Old Refrain" of Kreisler, played by Miss Evelyn Jane Flint, violinist, accompanied by Mrs. Crouch. The State Regent thanked the musicians for the charm of their playing.

The State Regent introduced the Chairman of Pages, Mrs. T. P. Cannon, the Co-Chairmen, Mrs. C. H. Dowdell and Miss Annette Alexander. Mrs. Cannon presented the very lovely young girls serving as pages for the State Conference.

The State Regent announced that following the recessing of the meeting until 9:30 Tuesday morning, March 7, there would be a reception at the New Albany Hotel for the distinguished guests. All members were cautioned to be on time for the morning session. After the benediction by Dr. Wilson, the colors were retired.

MINUTES OF TUESDAY MORNING SESSION MARCH 7, 1961

At 9:15 o'clock, in the Albany City Auditorium, Mrs. W. F. Broadwell rendered the March from Aida for the entrance of the Processional. The Tuesday morning session was called to order at 9:30 o'clock by the State Regent. The State Chaplain read the Scripture and led the assembly in prayer. Mrs. Campbell led the Pledge of Allegiance. On motion of Mrs. Humphrey, seconded by Mrs. Mell, it was resolved not to include reading the Resolutions in reading the Minutes of the Fall Board of Management since these Resolutions would be read later for adoption by the State Conference.

The Minutes of the Fall and Spring Board meetings, and of the Monday evening session read and approved as corrected. Telegrams were read from Mrs. Ober D. Warthen, Mrs. Thomas K. Kendrick, and Mrs. Jackson E. Stewart of Florida. The State Regent said one was also received from Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, and a telephone call from Mrs. Thigpen. Letters were requested to be written to Mrs. Talmadge, Mrs. Thigpen, Mrs. Warthen, Mrs. John F. Adams, and Mrs. Max Land.

Mrs. Yarbrough, Parliamentarian, read the Standing Rules of the Sixty-third State Conference, and moved their adoption as corrected in paragraph 7—to read "At the opening of the Annual State Conference, by unanimous consent, the privileges of the floor may be accorded to the State Chairmen, but they may not vote unless they are duly elected delegates from their respective chapters" (Art. VIII, Sec. 4, Bylaws). The rules were adopted. Mrs. Yarbrough moved that the chairmen have the privileges of the floor which was carried unanimously.

On presentation and motion of the State Corresponding Secretary, seconded by Mrs. Tuthill, the printed program was adopted with any necessary changes as the order of business of the Conference.

The State Regent said that at this time she would not give a formal report, the work accomplished in the State Society was reflected in the reports being given; that her report and list of engagements could be read later in the Proceedings. Mrs. Merritt, on being given a rising vote of thanks, thanked the the assemblage for the many courtesies extended.

The State Regent suggested that it would be necessary to vote for two replacements on the State Board now filled by action of Executive Committee: Mrs. Ben I. Thornton to fill the office of State Second Vice Regent in place of Mrs. Harry E. Talmadge who had to resign from pressure of family reasons, and Mrs. Herman M. Richardson to fill the office of Chaplain left vacant by Mrs. Thornton. Mrs. Leonard Wallace, Chairman of the Tellers Committee, together with Mrs. H. Glenn Segars, and Mrs. Dene Christopher, furnished ballots for voting on the two names.

The report of the State First Vice Regent was read by Mrs. J. Mark Mote who presented the award of \$10.00 for the best overall report on National Defense work in duplicate to the Commodore Richard Dale Chapter and to the Augusta Chapter. Baron DeKalb Chapter, Atlanta, and Thronateeska Chapter, received Honorable Mention.

The Second Vice Regent as Chairman of the Georgia DAR Scholarship at Berry College reported that letters had been sent out shortly after the creation of the scholarship; and presented the following awards: \$5.00 presented for the largest amount contributed, \$300.00, by the Baron DeKalb Chapter; \$5.00 for the largest amount contributed per capita, \$209.00, by the General Daniel Stewart Chapter.

The State Chaplain reported the loss of 94 members by death since last March. Next reporting were the State Recording Secretary, and the State Corresponding Secretary.

The State Regent recognized the Chairman of Tellers who reported that Mrs. Ben I. Thornton had been elected State Second Vice Regent, and Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Chaplain, with 90 votes cast for each.

Copies of the Summary of Fund Accounts, June 1, 1960 to February 20, 1961, were passed by the Pages. The State Treasurer read the Auditor's Report carrying with it the report of the Treasurer, and moved, seconded by Mrs. Tuthill, its adoption.

Motion adopted. Mrs. Reid then presented the State Honor Roll Certificates to fifty-three chapters.

Mrs. Robert Humphrey, Co-Chairman of Resolutions, read the Resolutions which were approved at the Fall Board Meeting, and moved, seconded by Mrs. Mell, their adoption. Mrs. Humphrey read the Resolutions to be voted on Wednesday morning, March 8, and stated copies would be given to the members for study.

The State Consulting Organizing Secretary reported a new chapter, Whitehall Inn, named for the old Inn which flourished long before the City of Atlanta sprung into being. would have its formal organization meeting, April 4, 1961. The Organizing Chapter Regent, Mrs. Milton W. Davis, and one of the members, Miss Martha Skelton, were presented. The State Consulting Registrar made an award of \$10.00 to the Fort Frederica Chapter, as being first to complete set of requested index cards.

The State Historian stated that she would make an annual award of History Medals. This year four medals for the History Contest were presented to the State winner in each of the four elementary grades: 5th grade, Susanne Hulon Beaufort, Augusta; 6th, Luke Harkey, Decatur; 7th, Craig Williams, Thomasville; and 8th, Tony Plontaut, North Augusta. The State Librarian reported and presented the Porter Trophy to the Commodore Richard Dale Chapter, also to this chapter \$5.00 for most outstanding work for our DAR libraries, and a \$5.00 award to the Baron DeKalb Chapter for the largest amount of money to special project—microfilming.

It now being 11:50 o'clock, the State Chairman of Music presented the State Chorus of 29 voices directed by Mrs. Cary Burnett. They came in singing "Keep America Singing," followed by "O Sing Your Songs," "America the Beautiful," and "Georgia On My Mind." As an encore, "Georgia Waltz" dedicating it to Mrs. James Burch, wife of the composer who was attending the Conference, as Regent of the Thomasville Chapter. The State Regent thanked the chorus, Mrs. Crouch, and Mrs. Burnett, and expressed thanks to her for the greeting given by her husband, Mr. Burnett, the evening before. Mrs. Crouch read her report and presented the Dorothy Waldman Trophy to the LaGrange Chapter. The State Regent expressed appreciation for the many musical treats, and her cooperation for the State Conference.

The State Regent recessed the meeting for luncheon, cautioning all to be back by 2:30 o'clock for the afternoon session.

At 12:30 o'clock, luncheon was served in the Radium Springs ballroom, Radium Springs, with Mrs. Thornton, presiding. Mrs. Stribling gave the invocation. Mrs. Bahin, State Chairman, DAR Good Citizens Committee, presented the award of a \$100.00 bond from the National Society and medal from the Georgia Society to Larue Adams of Fitzgerald, and also introduced Mrs. Perry Adams, her mother.

Mrs. C. A. Avant, accompanied by Mrs. Crouch, sang "Love is Where You Find It," and "Romance," and was thanked for the gaiety and charm with which they were sung.

The State Second Vice Regent introduced Mr. Henry D. Green of Madison who is one of the three Advisors for Meadow Garden, the other two being Dr. Hubert Owens and Mr. Thomas Goree Little. Mr. Green talked very interestingly on the period 1790-1804 which was of the Meadow Garden time, and noted especially the very fine example of woodwork in the lower parlor mantle; spoke of the type of furniture which should be there, showing slides of the rooms, and some of the fine pieces already in them. Mrs. Welton, State Chairman for Meadow Garden, assisted by Mrs. C. M. Ward, showed slides of

Meadow Garden, interior, exterior, and the grounds. Mrs. Thornton expressed the appreciation of the members to Mr. Green for his informative talk, and to Mrs. Welton for showing the slides of our own special project. It was stated that these slides dedicated to Daisy Graham Stone by an anonymous member might be obtained for chapter programs after April by writing to Mrs. James L. Ferguson, 103 Summit, North Augusta, South Carolina.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session reconvened at 3:00 o'clock in the Albany City Auditorium, and was called to order by the State Regent. The State Curator reporting completed the list of State Officers. The State Regent called for the reports of the State Chairmen in the following order: Historical Scrapbook, Mrs. Jack Kelt, as she was leaving shortly, presented the Augusta Stanley Adams Trophy to Thronateeska Chapter, second award to Fort Frederica Chapter, third place to Tomochichi Chapter, and honorable mention to Baron DeKalb and Stephen Heard chapters. American Indians, Mrs. Fred Gay, presented her awards: \$10.00 to Baron DeKalb Chapter for the largest amount contributed to Bacone College; \$5.00 to Joseph Habersham Chapter for the largest amount contributed to St. Mary's School. Two chapters, Thronateeska and Atlanta, tied for the award for best program and scrapbook. Americanism, Mrs. Cameron, awarded \$5.00 to the Baron DeKalb Chapter for most outstanding work, \$5.00 to the Peter Early Chapter for presenting an award to the best qualified naturalized citizen; DAR Schools, Mrs. Frank Binford, presented the Kate Latham Dykes Trophy for the largest contribution to Tamassee to the John Houston Chapter which withdrew in favor of the Joseph Habersham Chapter; State Chairman's award to chapter contributing most money to Berry Schools to John Houston Chapter which withdrew in favor of Baron DeKalb Chapter; 41 chapters received the Hightower awards; CAR, Mrs. D. V. Childs, Jr.; Conservation, awards presented by Mrs. C. M. Ward for Mrs. Ellis, Chairman, to the following chapter: 1st to Peter Early, 2nd to Baron DeKalb, and 3rd to Atlanta; DAR Magazine, Mrs. Dixon Reeves, awarded \$5.00 to the Captain Thomas Cobb Chapter for the largest number of subscriptions per capita with membership under 55; 2nd award to Vidalia Chapter with membership over 55; honorable mention to Fort Frederica and Xavier Chapters; DAR Magazine Advertising, Mrs. J. L. R. Boyd, presented \$5.00 to the Baron DeKalb Chapter with membership over 100, contributing the largest amount of money for DAR Magazine advertising, \$5.00 to the Nancy Hart Chapter with membership from 51 to 100, and \$5.00 to the Fort Frederica Chapter with membership under 50; DAR Museum, filed, Sarah Morrow Trophy presented to the Joseph Habersham Chapter, and an award of \$10.00 for contributing most money per capita basis to Abraham Baldwin Chapter; National Honor Roll, Mrs. John C. Peteet; Junior American Citizens, Mrs. Walter D. Wheeler; Junior Membership, Mrs. George C. Blount, Senior Advisor, made an award on a per capita basis of \$5.00 to the Metter Chapter; Membership, Mrs. H. D. Summerall, presented the Susannah Gardiner Palmer Trophy to the Fort Frederica Chapter, and also to the Fort Frederica Chapter, \$5.00 for the greatest increase in new members; Genealogical Records, report filed, \$5.00 awarded to Joseph Habersham Chapter for best quality unpublished genealogical records submitted; Motion Pictures, Mrs. Vernon Phillips, awarded \$5.00 to Thronateeska Chapter for the best report; Press Relations, Mrs.

Horace M. Daniel; Program, Mrs. Thomas J. Moran, made awards on a per capita basis to the Governor George W. Towns, Stephen Heard, and Savannah Chapters; and spoke of the books on historical subjects from the University of Georgia Press being shown in the New Albany Hotel lobby which were displayed during American History Month; Radio and Television, Mrs. Robert H. Perkins; Student loan, Mrs. H. Glenn Segars, on motion of Mrs. Segars, seconded by Mrs. Humphrey, it was resolved that the reporting date of the Georgia State College at Milledgeville and at Valdosta, University of Georgia to the Student Loan and Scholarship Committee be changed from December 31 to June 30th. On motion of Mrs. Reid, seconded by Mrs. Asher, it was resolved that the State Regent be empowered to appoint a committee of Mrs. Segars, Chairman, Mrs. C. B. Morgan, Mrs. J. A. Durrenberger, Miss Katherine Scott, and Mrs. Frank Binford. The Committee is to go over trust agreements regarding these Student Loans and bring recommendations. The Flag of the United States of America, Mrs. Frank J. Campbell, awarded \$10.00 to the Commodore Richard Dale Chapter; Transportation, Mrs. George Emmet Jordan; American History Month, Miss Martha A. Cooper, made awards of \$1.00 each to the following eight chapters: Fort Frederica, Thronateeska, Knox-Conway, Hawthorne Trail, Button Gwinnett, Baron DeKalb, Stephen Heard, General Daniel Stewart, and Savannah; for best report, \$5.00, to the Stephen Heard Chapter, with honorable mention to Thronateeska and Baron DeKalb chapters.

The State Regent declared the meeting recessed at 4:00 o'clock, cautioning all to be on time at 6:00 o'clock for the dinner honoring the chapter regents. The colors were retired.

CHAPTER REGENTS' BANQUET

The Chapter Regents' Banquet was held in the ballroom of the New Albany Hotel on Tuesday evening, March 7, at 6 o'clock, Mrs. Ben I. Thornton, presiding.

MINUTES OF TUESDAY EVENING SESSION MARCH 7, 1961

At 7:45 in the Albany City Auditorium, to the music of "Trumpet Tune," played by Mrs. Wallace Crouch, the Processional entered with Pages bearing the flags and escorting the Chapter Regents and the State Regent. The evening session of the Conference was called to order by the State Regent. The invocation given by the State Chaplain, and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America led by the State Chairman. The National Anthem was sung by the assembly.

Chapter reports were given by the following Regents or their representatives: Oothcaloga Chapter, Mrs. J. M. Veach; Commodore Richard Dale Chapter, Mrs. Milton B. Merts; Thronateeska Chapter, Mrs. J. Neely Peacock, Jr.; Council of Safety Chapter, Mrs. Carl Delay; Knox-Conway Chapter, Mrs. Jack Zorn; Elijah Clarke Chapter, Mrs. Thomas J. Moran; Atlanta Chapter, Mrs. Logan D. Thomson; Cherokee Chapter, Mrs. Dixon Reeves; Joseph Habersham Chapter, Mrs. Hubert R. Martin; Whitehall Inn Chapter, Mrs. Milton W. Davis; Augusta Chapter, Mrs. Emile O. Scharnitsky, Sr.; Bainbridge Chapter, filed; Lamar-LaFayette, filed; Peter Early Chapter, Mrs. Bostwick; Brunswick Chapter, Mrs. W. J. Burke; Abraham Baldwin Chapter, Mrs. John W. Fountain, Jr.; Etowah Chapter, filed; William Witcher Chapter, filed; Tomochichi Chap-

ter, Mrs. F. M. Suttle; Captain Thomas Cobb Chapter, Mrs. Louis Joseph Bahin; Button Gwinnett Chapter, Mrs. Gordon A. Cumbaa; George Walton Chapter, filed; Oglethorpe Chapter, Mrs. Frank J. Campbell; James Pittman Chapter, Mrs. T. F. Harden; Colonel John McIntosh Chapter, filed; Fort Early Chapter, Mrs. Ira Lee Adams; Sergeant Newton Chapter, filed; Benjamin Hawkins Chapter, Mrs. L. K. Johnson; Governor John Milledge Chapter, filed; Saint Andrews Parish Chapter, filed; Dorothy Walton Chapter, Miss Rubye Tedder; Stone Castle Chapter, Mrs. R. R. Jones; Baron DeKalb Chapter, Mrs. Thomas Alfred Branch, Jr.; Colonel William Few Chapter, Mrs. R. T. Ragan; Stephen Heard Chapter, Mrs. Hewell H. Mann; Nathaniel Abney Chapter, Mrs. Basil Steed; Governor Treutlen Chapter, Mrs. A. M. Haslam; Colonel William Candler Chapter, filed; Oliver Morton Chapter, Mrs. E. S. Hamrick; Pulaski Chapter, filed; John Benson Chapter, Mrs. M. A. Maret, Sr.; Hawkinsville Chapter, Mrs. Wallace L. Harris; John Floyd Chapter, Mrs. George W. Kirkland; John Ball Chapter, filed; William McIntosh Chapter, filed.

At this time, the State Regent introduced Mr. George Aubrey Williams, pianist, stating that this would be his last piano concert, as he had just signed with Columbia Artist Series to go on concert tour playing the harpsichord. Mr. Williams played the following, Rameau's "Two Sarabandes," Scarlatti's "Sonata in D Major," Nocturne from "Chants Polonais" of Chopin-Liszt, and Saint Saens' "Allegro Appassionato," and as an encore a Beethoven "Waltz" which he transcribed for the harpsichord while abroad last summer. Mrs. Merritt graciously thanked Mr. Williams, and wished him well in his career.

Continuing the Chapter Regents' reports: Major General John Twiggs Chapter, Mrs. Hugh L. Faulk; Altamaha Chapter, filed; William Marsh Chapter, filed; LaGrange Chapter, Mrs. J. B. Blanks; Oconee Chapter, Mrs. Maurice A. Cameron; Nathaniel Macon Chapter, Mrs. Walter Donald Wheeler; Henry Walton Chapter, filed; Andrew Houser Chapter, Mrs. L. R. Shaw; Peachtree Trail Chapter, filed; Metter Chapter, filed; Nancy Hart Chapter, filed; Matthew Talbot Chapter, Mrs. James Deal; Elizabeth Marlow Chapter, filed; John Benning Chapter, Mrs. Howard Hall, Jr.; General Daniel Stewart Chapter, Miss Martha A. Cooper; Hannah Clarke Chapter, filed; Roanoke Chapter, filed; General David Blackshear Chapter, filed; Xavier Chapter, filed; Governor Jared Irwin Chapter, filed; Bonaventure Chapter, filed; Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, filed; Savannah Chapter, Mrs. Lowry Axley; Noble Wimberly Jones Chapter, filed; John Clarke Chapter, Mrs. H. O. Godwin; Hancock Chapter, filed; Fort Frederica Chapter, Mrs. E. W. Ellis; Governor David Emanuel Chapter, filed; Brier Creek Chapter, filed; Barnard Trail Chapter, Mrs. Fred E. Deariso; Governor George W. Towns Chapter, filed; John Houston Chapter, Mrs. Harry L. Middlebrooks; Thomasville Chapter, Mrs. James B. Burch; Captain John Wilson Chapter, Mrs. Henry W. Lively; Toccoa Chapter, Mrs. George Dickerson; Adam Brinson Chapter, filed; General James Jackson Chapter, Mrs. Marie Cockett; Vidalia Chapter, Mrs. S. J. Henderson; Burkhalter Chapter, Mrs. M. L. Felts; Lyman Hall Chapter, Mrs. Henry J. Carswell; Edmund Burke Chapter, filed; Sunbury Chapter, Mrs. H. Glenn Segars.

At the conclusion of the Regents' reports, Mrs. Duncan requested the privilege of the floor, as she would be unable to be present at the morning session, and wished to express her appreciation of the fine conference, and again thanked all for the gracious hospitality and courtesies, both official and personal.

Mrs. Merritt again thanked Mrs. Duncan for coming and for striking such an excellent keynote for the Conference.

The State Regent announced that the Conference would reconvene at 9:00 o'clock in order to expedite and complete all business before adjournment at 11:45 o'clock when it was expected that the movie "Operation Abolition" would be shown.

The colors were retired, the benediction pronounced by the State Chaplain, and the Conference was recessed at 10:45 o'clock.

MINUTES OF THE WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION MARCH 8, 1961

The closing session of the Sixty-third Annual Conference followed the Entrance March, "Pomp and Circumstance," played by Mrs. S. J. Curry, and was called to order by the State Regent at 9:00 o'clock, March 8. The State Chaplain offered prayer, and the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States led by the State Chairman. On motion of the State Parliamentarian, it was resolved to omit the list of Chapter Regents in reading the minutes. The minutes of the Tuesday morning, afternoon, and evening sessions were read and approved. On motion of Mrs. Stribling, seconded by Mrs. Humphrey, it was resolved to have the minutes of the Wednesday morning session read and approved by the Proceedings Committee.

Reports of State Chairmen were continued: American Merchant Marine Library, Mrs. William Lawton Brannen; Collecting and Publishing History of Georgia Revolutionary Soldiers, filed, the General Floyd Gavel presented to the Peter Early Chapter, and an award of \$5.00 to the Savannah Chapter; Conference Properties, Mrs. J. Carleton Vaughn; Cooperative Relations Between DAR and SAR, Mrs. P. I. Dixon, presented awards of \$5.00 each to the Thronateeska and Baron DeKalb chapters; DAR Bookplates, Mrs. Arthur E. Mallory; Georgia DAR Scholarship at Berry College, Mrs. Ben I. Thornton, presented \$5.00 to the Baron DeKalb Chapter for largest amount contributed to this scholarship, and \$5.00 to the General Daniel Stewart Chapter for largest amount on a per capita basis; Katherine Clarke Daniel Memorial Endowment, Mrs. Robert V. Burgess, awarded \$10.00 to the Baron DeKalb Chapter; Finance, Mrs. Arthur H. Waite, Jr., reported Budget ratified at the Fall Board of Management; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, Mrs. W. T. Asher, was requested to investigate the possibility of having reprinted Volume I, Membership Roll and Register of Ancestors, Georgia Society DAR, published 1946, compiled by Mrs. James Newton Brawner.

At this time, two songs, "Fulfillment," and "Night, and the Curtains Draws," were rendered by Mrs. Eugent Black, accompanied by Mrs. Crouch. The State Regent thanked Mrs. Black and Mrs. Crouch for bringing the lovely songs to us.

Continuing chairmen's reports: Marking Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves, Mrs. Matthew W. Kantala, presented awards of \$2.50 each to the Baron DeKalb and John Floyd chapters; McCall Genealogical Fund, Mrs. Frank Faulk; Meadow Garden, Mrs. Clifford J. Welton, presented the Daisy Graham Stone Trophy to the Xavier Chapter. The Second Vice Regent took the Chair, while the State Regent spoke on the subject of having new post cards of Meadow Garden made, saying that 12,000 could be obtained for \$162.00, plus \$15.00 for the photo, and said that on re-orders, there would be no photo charge, and on each 100 cards there would be 25 cents handling charge to the chapter. On motion of Mrs. Welton, seconded by Mrs.

Cumbaa, it was resolved that 12,000 post cards of Meadow Garden be printed at a cost of \$162.00 plus \$15.00 for special photo work; the price to be halved between the State Society and the Meadow Garden Committee. Mrs. Welton stated that bequests and endowments be made to Meadow Garden (on these there would be no inheritance tax). Medal and Prizes, filed; Parliamentarian. Mrs. Y. Harris Yarbrough, and Co-Parliamentarian, Mrs. Henry Allan Ironside; Processionals for State Conference, Mrs. Ben I. Thornton, who was thanked for her committee's splendid work.

The Credentials Committee being ready, the Chairman, Mrs. J. Neely Peacock, Jr., brought in the following report: State Officers, 11; Honorary State Regents, 7; Chapter Regents, 54; Delegates, 49; Total voting strength, 121; State Chairman, 22; Chapter members, 41; Distinguished Visitors, 1; Alternates, 18; Total 82; Grand total, 203.

Mrs. William C. Robinson, Chairman, Proceedings Committee, regretted the delay in getting out the book, and announced that a committee meeting would be held in May, 1961.

Mrs. Humphrey, Co-Chairman of the Resolutions, completed the reading of the Resolutions to be voted on at this State Conference.

Tellers, Mrs. Leonard D. Wallace; Time and Place, Mrs. Talbott B. Chandler, reported that an invitation had been extended by the Baron DeKalb and Captain Thomas Cobb chapters to hold the State DAR Conference, 1962, in Atlanta, time and hotel to be announced later, and moved, seconded by Mrs. Thornton, the invitation be accepted. Mrs. Branch, Regent of the Baron DeKalb Chapter, extended a sincere welcome. The invitations extended for the State Board of Management meeting were left to the State Regent and Chairman to accept.

The State Regent called for any unfinished business, and stated any awards might now be presented to those who had failed to receive them earlier. Under new business, the resolutions read earlier in the session were now voted on.

The State Regent announced that following the adjournment of the Conference, the picture "Operation Abolition" would be shown in the Albany City Auditorium.

The Conference Committees who all had a share in making possible this a very pleasant and successful State Conference were introduced, and thanked with deep appreciation by the State Regent.

The entire assemblage joined hands and sang together "Blessed Be the Tie That Binds," accompanied by Mrs. Crouch. The benediction was pronounced, the colors retired, and the State Regent declared the Sixty-third Annual State Conference adjourned at 11:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Samuel M. Merritt
State Regent
Mrs. S. M. Page Rees
State Recording Secretary

RESOLUTIONS OF THE ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE

Whereas, The majority of the American citizens have by their own personal responsibility and initiative made provisions for safeguarding their families by private savings, insurance, and pension funds, and,

Whereas, There is a growing general concern over the growth of the national debt, deficit spending and inflation with which the federal government is faced, therefore,

Be it resolved, That the Georgia State Society NSDAR, urge Congress to resist any and all proposals which would diminish the value of savings, insurances and pension funds of the American people and protect the value of the United States dollar, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to each member of the Georgia delegation of the United States Congress. ADOPTED

Whereas, The Grand Jury of Fulton County (Atlanta), Georgia, caused the Foreign Policy Association publications to be removed from the Georgia public schools and labelled the FPA Great Decisions Program "insidious and subversive"; and,

Whereas, The Foreign Policy Association has falsely used alleged endorsements of distinguished individuals and organizations including the Daughters of the American Revolution; therefore,

Be it resolved, That the Georgia State Society NSDAR urge all its members to be alert to the propaganda of the Foreign Policy Association and the Great Decisions Programs and to inform citizens in their local communities of the biased background of the Foreign Policy Association. ADOPTED

Whereas, The opponents of the House Committee on un-American Activities failed in their campaign to destroy the committee as one of the nation's most effective forces against subversive elements, therefore,

Be it resolved, That the Georgia State Society NSDAR express appreciation and gratitude to the members of the Georgia delegation in the United States Congress for their support in maintaining this important committee and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the two senators and ten representatives. ADOPTED

Whereas, The states and their political subdivisions have in many instances lost their constitutional rights to administer their local public schools, therefore,

Be it resolved, That the Georgia State Society, NSDAR, go on record as urging the adoption of a constitutional amendment which will restore these constitutional rights to the states. ADOPTED

Whereas, A resolution is being presented to Continental Congress, which would change the bylaws of the National Society, and provide for proxy voting, therefore,

Be it resolved, That the Georgia State Society NSDAR go on record as opposing such a change. ADOPTED

Whereas, A resolution is being presented to the Continental Congress which would change the bylaws of the National Society and provide that each state shall elect a member to the National Resolution Committee to supplement the appointed members, therefore,

Be it resolved, That the Georgia State Society, NSDAR, go on record as opposing such a change. ADOPTED

Whereas, The year 1961 is being recognized by many historic and civic organizations as the 100th anniversary of the beginning of the Civil War, and an examination of this great conflict provides us with the realization that out of this great tragedy emerged a nation more unified and more aware of the God-given rights of man; and,

Whereas, Among its leaders were men of great character and decision on both sides of the conflict; therefore,

Be it resolved, That the Georgia State Society, NSDAR, urge all schools and libraries to give emphasis to the study of the biographies of the men and the leaders who took part in this conflict in order that we may derive inspiration from their deeds and renew our dedication to the furtherance of freedom and truth. ADOPTED

Whereas, The present tendency in our schools and colleges is to place the emphasis on social studies to the detriment of American history and our American heritage, and many of our youth are not being taught patriotism and love of country, therefore,

Be it resolved, That more attention be given to the selection of text books in order that the study of American history will not be neglected through the use of combined text books, and a copy of this resolution be sent to the Governor; to the State Superintendent of Schools; and to the Chairman of the State Board of Education. ADOPTED

Whereas, The Sovereign State of Georgia was founded by James Edward Oglethorpe on February 12, 1733, at Savannah, and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper that this date be commemorated as Georgia Day, therefore,

Be it resolved, That the Georgia State Society, NSDAR, respectfully request his Excellency Governor Ernest Vandiver to proclaim February 12th as Georgia Day, and,

Be it further resolved, That the chapters assume the responsibility of stressing the importance of the observance of this day. ADOPTED

Whereas, The chapter histories were compiled in 1956, and

Whereas, A period of five years has elapsed since that time, therefore,

Be it resolved, That each chapter bring its history up-to-date from 1956 to 1962, and that such histories be bound in honor of our State Regent, a copy to be placed at our State Archive, in Atlanta, in the Porter Room in the Washington Memorial Library in Macon, Georgia, also a copy at the DAR Library in Washington. ADOPTED

Whereas, The quota of Georgia's contribution to the Museum Fund for glass cases honoring the President General has not been completed, therefore,

Be it resolved, That chapters which have not contributed be given the opportunity of doing so, and that any deficit be completed from the State Dues Fund. This contribution shall be held awaiting the contributions from the other states of this division. ADOPTED

Be it resolved, That the 1962 .06 per capita for Berry Schools be allocated to the DAR Scholarship at Berry College honoring our State Regent, Mrs. Samuel M. Merritt, and the .06 per capita for Tamasssee be allocated to the Katherine Clarke Daniel Memorial Endowment Fund, and the .06 per capita to Kate Duncan Smith School be allocated to the Doris Pike White Auditorium-Gymnasium. ADOPTED

COURTESY RESOLUTIONS

RESOLVED, That the State Regent, Mrs. Samuel M. Merritt, and the State Conference express appreciation to:

The Co-Chairmen of the Conference, Mrs. Talbott Chandler and Mrs. Wallace Crouch;

The Regent of the Commodore Richard Dale Chapter, Mrs. Milton B. Merts, and the Regent of the Thronateeska Chapter, Mrs. J. Neely Peacock, Jr., and to the members of the respective Conference Committees, for their cooperation, gracious hospitality, and splendid arrangements;

The management of the New Albany Hotel for a pleasant and comfortable stay, and for the splendid service;

The Albany Herald, and particularly to Mrs. Louise Whiting for her cooperation;

The local television station, WALB, and radio station, WGPC;

The newspapers of the State for Constitution Week, American History Month, and Good Citizen coverage;

Mrs. Wallace Crouch, Music Chairman of the Conference, and her associate musicians;

Mrs. Robert V. H. Duncan for her splended address, "Leadership;"

Mr. Henry D. Green for his address, "Georgia Furniture, 1780-1804;"

Honorable Asa D. Kelley, Jr., Mayor, and the City Manager, Mr. Cary Burnett; Dr. J. Frederick Wilson, Pastor, First Methodist Church; the young ladies who acted as pages;

To the Dawson chapters, Dorothy Walton and Stone Castle for their procurement of favors and for the attractive luncheon placecards;

To the Sylvester (Barnard Trail Chapter) members who furnished the flowers for the luncheon at Radium Springs;

RESOLVED, That the members of the Sixty-third State Conference express to the State Regent, Mrs. Samuel M. Merritt, their sincere appreciation for her devoted service, outstanding leadership, and unflinching courtesy, her efficiency, and graciousness in the conduct of the State Conference.

**GEORGIA DELEGATION MEETING
SEVENTIETH CONTINENTAL CONGRESS, WASHINGTON
APRIL 17, 1961**

The meeting of the Georgia Delegation to Continental Congress was held in the National Officers' Club Room, Administration Building, April 17, at 3:00 o'clock, with the State Regent, presiding. The State Chaplain offered the prayer.

Information was given on the procedure of voting, and the necessity of wearing Congressional badges, and that there should be no discussion on candidates in the house or on the grounds, as there could be a request for the return of these badges. The Delegation was further cautioned to listen carefully to reading of Amendments to the Bylaws and the Resolutions, and to be present for voting on these topics. The State Regent inform the Georgia Daughters that Mrs. Henry Allan Ironside would be a candidate for the office of Honorary Vice President General at the 1962 Continental Congress. Also, the one District meeting would be held, through the kindness of Mrs. Inez Henry, at Berry College in August. Announcements regarding the Georgia Dinner, the President General's Dinner, seating in the Georgia Box, the tea on Wednesday afternoon, benefiting the Doris Pike White Auditorium-Gymnasium, and other pertinent subjects, were made.

Mrs. Hugh Peterson of Ailey, for the other wives of Georgia's Representatives, Mrs. Herman Talmadge, Mrs. James C. Davis, Mrs. Phil Landrum, Mrs. E. L. Forrester, Mrs. John J. Flynt, and Mrs. Elliott Hagan, extended a very cordial invitation to the Daughters for tea on Thursday, April 20, at the Congressional Club.

The meeting was adjourned.

The Daughters attending the Seventieth Continental Congress included: Mrs. Samuel M. Merritt, Mrs. T. Earle Stribling, Mrs. Harold I. Tuthill, Mrs. Henry Allan Ironside, Mrs. Thomas C. Mell, Mrs. Robert H. Humphrey, Mrs. Ben I. Thornton, Mrs. Herman M. Richardson, Mrs. S. M. Page Rees, Mrs. Ralph A. Lovelace, Mrs. E. J. Smith, Mrs. Wallace L. Harris, Mrs. William Peyton Knight, Miss Myrtis McKenzie, Mrs. M. P. Phillips, Mrs. McCreary, Mrs. Thomas A. Branch, Mrs. W. A. Ozner, Mrs. T. C. Moore, Mrs.

Horace M. Daniel, Mrs. James E. Duffell, Mrs. Luther Isbell, Mrs. John J. Flynt, Mrs. Harry Davis, Mrs. J. B. Blanks. Mrs. William Lawton Brannen, Mrs. Hugh Peterson, Mrs. Edgar B. Jackson, Mrs. A. H. Reu, Mrs. W. A. Chadwell, Mrs. E. W. Ellis, Mrs. C. M. Ward, Mrs. William J. Bush, Mrs. F. M. Suttle, Mrs. Maurice A. Cameron, Mrs. C. B. Alman, Mrs. A. V. Kennedy, Mrs. J. C. Metts, Mrs. Henry W. Sullivan, Mrs. William M. Roberts, Miss Caroline Way, Mrs. R. B. Chalker, Mrs. E. T. Murray, Mrs. H. C. Bunn, Mrs. M. L. Reynolds, Mrs. Milton W. Davis, Miss Martha Skelton, Mrs. E. T. Murray, Mrs. G. W. Kirkland, Mrs. Logan Thomson, Mrs. Lafayette Davis, Mrs. Harold Brewer, Mrs. J. F. Yarbrough, Mrs. Leon Jones, Mrs. C. J. McLoughlin, Mrs. P. L. Hay, Mrs. Freeman Hart, Mrs. Walter D. Wheeler, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Hopkins, and Mrs. Pritchard.

REPORTS OF STATE OFFICERS

GEORGIA STATE REGENT

Mrs. Samuel Mickleberry Merritt

Since any report of work accomplished during this past year would be a repetition of the reports of my board, the following, which was given by me at Continental Congress on State Regents' night in 1961, seems appropriate:

"Madam President General, since two hours is needed, instead of two minutes, to tell of Georgia's outstanding DAR activities the past year, I can only hit the high places.

The usual interest in National Defense was maintained, with exceptional stress laid on keeping in touch with our Washington representatives, by individuals, to let them know our feelings. Georgia's representatives have always backed American ideals, and this year was no exception.

The DAR School Committee report should be mentioned. Georgia gave third highest in cash to the schools, as well as numerous gifts of boxes, books, and other items. Through the generosity of Mrs. Henry Allan Ironside, \$10,000.00 of this cash went to Tamassee School for the Hightower Memorial Endowment. Mrs. Ironside also gave another \$1,000.00 to be divided between two scholarship funds being completed. One of these is the new Georgia DAR Scholarship at Berry College to provide a permanent four-year college scholarship to alternate students from Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith DAR Schools. One-half of this amount is now in hand.

The return of Meadow Garden, home of George Walton, signer of the Declaration of Independence from Georgia, has stimulated interest in the shrine. Long-range plans are shaping up to get funds necessary to perpetuate this historic house, and a committee of competent men is helping without pay.

In the capacity of State Regent, I have personally written 9,000 letters or cards, and have traveled 14,000 miles in the state on business of DAR. This figure does not include the several thousands of other miles made up of three trips to Washington for board meetings, the school tour, and visits to three other states as a DAR guest.

It has been my pleasure to be honored at the South Carolina State Conference and the Florida State Conference, and to be a hostess at lovely "Rosalie" in the Natchez Pilgrimage this year.

The Georgia "Daughters" have been wonderful in their support of me and all DAR projects, and my executive committee is superb. These are the pleasures and the rewards found in a full time position. And, Madam President General, your own sympathetic help is much appreciated."

CALENDAR OF STATE REGENT 1960-1961

March 25—Elected State Regent of the Georgia Society NSDAR, by unanimous ballot, at the Sixty-second State Conference.

March 26—Stood with other officers while the President General, Mrs. Ashmead White, installed them. Mrs. Kendrick and I will be installed in April by the National Chaplain.

April 6—Honor guest and speaker at Hawkinsville Chapter meeting in the home of Mrs. Henry Ragan. My mother was a charter member of this chapter. The meeting was preceded by a luncheon