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PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

TWENTY-EIGHTH CONFERENCE

OF THE

Georgia Chapters National Society

Daughters of the American Revolution

IN GEORGIA

Entertained By

Council of Safety Chapter
Americus, Ga.

MRS. JULIUS TALMADGE.....State Regent
MRS. OSCAR McKENZIE.....State Recording Secretary
MRS. R. R. HARRIS.....State Chairman Press Committee

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MRS. JULIUS TALMADGE

Vice-President General from Georgia, N. S. D. A. R., elected at the National Congress in Washington, April 22nd, 1926. Mrs. Talmadge was also elected Honorary State Regent at the close of her brilliant administration as State Regent, March, 1926.



MRS. HERBERT M. FRANKLIN
Newly elected State Regent of Georgia D. A. R.



Mrs. Bun Wylie



Mrs. J. Thomas Wood



Mrs. W. F. Dykes



Mrs. Julian B. McCurry



The four State Chairmen who were responsible for the completion of the four outstanding projects of this administration:—Mrs. Bun Wylie Chairman of the \$5,000.00 D. A. E. Student Loan Fund; Mrs. J. Thomas Wood, Chairman of the Georgia Bay in Washington Memorial Chapel at Valley Forge; Mrs. W. F. Dykes, Chairman of the publication of the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial book, "Historical Collections of Georgia Chapters", and Mrs. Julian Mc. Curry, Chairman of the \$1,000.00 Pledge and the Georgia Box in the new Constitution Hall.

STATE OFFICERS 1924-1926

- STATE REGENT—Mrs. Julius Talmadge, 1295 Prince Avenue, Athens, Ga.
STATE FIRST VICE-REGENT—Mrs. A. L. Wilkins, Eastman.
STATE SECOND VICE-REGENT—Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin, Tennille, Ga.
STATE RECORDING SECRETARY—Mrs. Oscar McKensie, Montezuma, Ga.
STATE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY—Mrs. Julian McCurry, Athens, Ga.
STATE TRASURER—Mrs. W. M. Coney, 121 E. 45th St., Savannah, Ga.
STATE AUDITOR—Mrs. B. C. Ward, 175 Peachtree Circle, Atlanta, Ga.
STATE LIBRARIAN—Mrs. John D. Pope, Albany, Ga.
STATE HISTORIAN—Mrs. J. N. Talley, Macon, Ga.
STATE CONSULTING REGISTRAR—Mrs. Walter S. Wilson, 221 Jones St., E., Eavannah, Ga.
STATE EDITOR—Mrs. Mell Knox, Social Circle, Ga.
ASSISTANT STATE EDITOR—Mrs. C. H. Leavy, Brunswick, Ga.
STATE CHAPLAIN—Mrs. J. A. Peacock, Dublin, Ga.

NEW OFFICERS—1926-1928

- STATE REGENT—Mrs. Herbert M. Frankin, Tennille.
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STATE SECOND VICE-REGENT—Mrs. John D. Pope, Albany.
STATE RECORDING SECRETARY—Mrs. Bun Wylie, 107 Peachtree Place, Atlanta.
STATE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY—Mrs. W. H. Colgate, Tennille.
STATE TREASURER—Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, A.2 Dimon Court Apartments, Columbus.
STATE AUDITOR—Mrs. A. L. Wilkins, Eastman.
STATE LIBRARIAN—Mrs. W. B. Daniel, Eastman.
STATE HISTORIAN—Mrs. J. H. Davidson, Quitman.
STATE CONSULTING REGISTRAR—Mrs. Mell Knox, Social Circle.
STATE EDITOR—Mrs. C. H. Leavy, Union St., Brunswick.
STATE ASSISTANT EDITOR—Mrs. Howell Simmons, Americus.
STATE CHAPLAIN—Mrs. Walker Jordan, Hawkinsville.

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

Honorary State Regents.

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| Mrs. J. H. Redding | Mrs. James S. Wood |
| Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan | Mrs. Charles Akerman |
| | Mrs. Julius Talmadge. |

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- Mrs. Lizzie Hill Bailey, Griffin, Ga.
- *Madam Proschaska, (formerly Mrs. Dickson), Atlanta, Ga.
- Miss Anna Caroline Benning, Columbus, Ga.
- *Mrs. Hoke Smith, Atlanta, Ga.
- Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, Savannah, Ga.

*Deceased.

- *Mrs. I. Y. Sage, Atlanta, Ga.
- *Mrs. Robert E. Park, Macon, Ga.
- Miss Anna Caroline Benning, Columbus, Ga.
- *Mrs. William Lawson Peel, Atlanta, Ga.
- Mrs. Sheppard W. Foster, Atlanta, Ga.
- Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Atlanta, Ga.
- Mrs. Julius Talmadge, Athens, Ga.

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AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

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1926-1927

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PROGRAM D. A. R. STATE CONFERENCE

TUESDAY MORNING, MARCH 16th, 1926

Meeting of Credentials Committee, 10:00 o'clock A. M.

Tuesday Afternoon

Executive Board Meeting at 2:0'clock P. M. First Methodist Church.
Buffet Supper, 6:30 o'clock P. M., First Methodist Church Auditorium. Council of Safety Chapter, hostess.

Tuesday Evening at 8:00 O'clock

Prelude—Mrs. H. O. Jones, Organist.

Bugle Call—Sergeant.

Entrance of State Officers, escorted by Standard Bearers and Pages.

Twenty-Eighth Georgia State Conference, Daughters of the American Revolution called to order by State Regent.

Invocation—Rev. John M. Outler.

Salute to the Flag—Led by Mrs. J. M. Slaton.

Audience: "I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States, and to the Republic for which it stands—one nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

"America"—Audience.

Welcomes:

In Behalf of City of Americus—G. C. Webb.

Superintendent of Schools—Prof. J. E. Mathis.

President United Daughters of Confederacy—Mrs. E. L. Carswell.

John D. Mathis Post, American Legion—Mr. W. L. Bell.

Ladies' Auxiliary, American Legion—Mrs. Lawson Stapleton.

Council of Safety, D. A. R.—Mrs. F. P. Harrold.

Greetings:

Rotary Club—Mr. John Sheffield.

Kiwanis Club—Mr. Stephen Pace.

Palladium Club—Dr. J. T. Stukes.

Response to Address of Welcome, Mrs. Chas. F. Rice.

Music.

Presentation of Mrs. Julius Talmadge, State Regent, by Mrs. Howell Sommons

Address of State Regent, Mrs. Julius Talmadge.

Introductions by State Regent of Distinguished Guests:

Mrs. Howard McCall—Ex-Vice-President-General from Georgia.

Mrs. Alfred Brosseau—Treasurer-General, N. S. D. A. R.

Miss Louise McDuffie—Ex-Vice-President-General and Present National Chairman of Americanization.

Ex-State Regents, Honorary State Regents and State Officers.

Address—Major James A. Fort.

Music.

Presentation of D. A. R. Insignia by Mrs. T. D. Powers, on behalf of the three Columbus Chapters to the State Conference.

Announcements—Mrs. Howell Elam.

Taps.

Benediction—Rev. J. M. Branch.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, 9:30 O'CLOCK, MARCH 17th, 1926.

Conference called to order by State Regent.

Prayer—Mrs. J. A. Peacock, State Chaplain.

Music—"Star Spangled Banner".

Report of Credentials Committee.

Roll Call.

Report of Program Chairman.

Reading of Rules—Mrs. J. E. Hays, Parliamentarian.

Minutes of the Meeting of the Georgia Delegation in Washington, D. C., April 21st, 1925.

Minutes of evening session, Tuesday, March 16th, 1926.

Reports of State Officers:

State Regent—Mrs. Talmadge. --

State First Vice-Regent—Mrs. Wilkins.

State Second Vice-Regent—Mrs. Franklin.

State Recording Secretary—Mrs. McKenzie.

State Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. McCurry.

State Treasurer—Mrs. Coney.

State Auditor—Mrs. B. C. Ward.

State Librarian—Mrs. Pope.

State Historian—Mrs. Talley.

State Consulting Registrar—Mrs. Wilson.

State Editor—Mrs. Knox.

State Assistant Editor—Mrs. Leavy.

State Chaplain—Mrs. Peacock.

Report of Chapter Regents, beginning with "A," then "W," alternating alphabetically. Mrs. A. L. Wilkins, State First Vice-Regent, presiding.
Announcements.
LUNCHEON—1:00 P. M., Auditorium.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, 2:00 O'clock, MARCH 17th, 1926.

Conference called to order by State Regent.
Invocation—State Chaplain.
Organ Prelude—Mrs. H. O. Jones.
Reading of Minutes of Morning Session.
Memorial Service—Mrs. Fannie Mae Dabney, Chairman.
Announcements.
Trip to Andersonville.
6:30 P. M.—Buffet Supper at Home of Mrs. Frank P. Harrold Americus Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, Hostess.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, 8:00 O'clock, MARCH 17th, 1926.

Conference called to order by State Regent.
Organ Prelude—Mrs. H. O. Jones.
George Washington's Prayer for His Country—Led by State Chaplain, The Audience:

"Almighty God, we make our earnest prayer that Thou wilt keep the United States in Thy holy protection; that Thou wilt incline the hearts of the citizens to cultivate a spirit of subordination and obedience to government, and entertain a brotherly affection and love for one another, and for their fellow citizens of the United States-at-large. And, finally, Thou wilt most graciously be pleased to dispose us all to do justice to love mercy and to demean ourselves with that charity, humility and pacific temper of mind which were the characteristics of the Divine Author of our blessed religion without an humble imitation of whose example in these things we can never hope to be a happy nation. Grant our supplication, we beseech Thee, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen."

Solo, "There's a Lark in My Heart"—Sprouss—Mrs. W. T. Maynard, Mrs. E. B. Anderson, Accompanist.
Minutes of Wednesday afternoon session.
Reports of Standing Committees.

Correct Use of the Flag—Mrs. R. K. Rambo.
Constitution and Magna Charter Day—Mrs. Charles F. Rice.
Flag Day—Mrs. W. H. Fortson.
George Washington's Birthday—Mrs. J. Alvin Davis.
Georgia Day—Miss Claudia Culpepper.
Sulgrave Manor Day—Mrs. J. H. Nicholson.
Historical and Literary Reciprocity—Mrs. Fort Land.
Independence Day—Mrs. Almon Williams.
Indian Welfare and Citizenship—Mrs. John M. Slaton.
Legislation—Mrs. Howard McCall.
Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund—Mrs. W. F. Dykes.
Marking Burial Place for Oglethorpe—Mrs. Charles Akerman.
Girl Home-Makers—Mrs. W. D. Lamar.
Auditorium Bonds—Mrs. Franklin.
Auditorium Pledges—Mrs. McCurry.
Woodrow Wilson Day—Mrs. Fay Gaffney.
LaFayette Day—Mrs. Frank E. Johnson.
D. A. R. Student Loan Fund—Mrs. Bum Wylie.
Educational Loan Funds for Local Schools—Mrs. W. L. Hodges.
"Fannie Trammell Memorial Loan Fund"—Mrs. W. E. Mann.
Valdosta Loan Fund—Mrs. D. I. Ingram.
Gift Scholarship—Mrs. W. S. Coleman.
Patriotic Education—Mrs. Wilkins.
Armistice Day—C. E. Pittman.
Americanization—Mrs. James L. Logan.
International Relations—Mrs. John R. Whitehead.
D. A. R. Magazine—Mrs. B. C. Ward.
Georgia Bay—Mrs. J. T. Wood.
Revolutionary Relics—Mrs. Reeves Brown.
Announcements.
Benediction—Rev. J. B. Lawrence.

THURSDAY MORNING, 9:30 O'clock, MARCH 17th, 1926.

Conference called to order by State Regent.
Invocation—State Chaplain.
Minutes of evening session, March 17th.
Report of Chairmen, Mrs. H. M. Franklin, State Second Vice-Regent, presiding.
Children of the Republic—Mrs. R. R. Evans.

Conservation and Thrift—Mrs. W. B. Daniel.
 Conservation of Natural Resources—Miss Mamie Merrill.
 Co-Operative Relations Between D. A. R. and S. A. R.—Mrs. W. B. Tyler.
 Educational Moving Pictures—Mrs. Julian McCurry.
 Forestry—Mrs. J. L. Walker.
 Georgia Room—Mrs. M. B. Short.
 Lectures and Lantern Slides—Mrs. Stewart Colley.
 Historical Research and Preservation of Records—Mrs. J. L. Davidson.
 Lineage Books and Rosters—Miss Martha Edmondson.
 Historic Post Cards—Mrs. George Hodgson.
 Historical Program—Mrs. O. C. Bulloch.
 International Day—Mrs. Lee Trammell.
 Kenmore—Mrs. J. H. Moye.
 Marking Old Jackson Trail—Miss Virginia Harden.
 Marking Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves—Mrs. S. V. Sanford.
 Memorial Caroline Scott Harrison—Mrs. W. B. Smith.
 Medals and Prizes—Mrs. T. E. Blackshear.
 Meadow Garden—Mrs. Sanford Gardner.
 Member D. A. R. on A. T. A.—Mrs. John Hutchinson.
 Preparedness—Mrs. J. A. Rounsaville.
 Old Trail Roads—Mrs. H. D. Allen.
 Organization Chairman—Mrs. E. L. Griggs.
 Patriotic Songs—Mrs. J. P. Sutton.
 Preservation of Historic Spots—Mrs. E. A. Thomas.
 Proceedings, Collection and Compilation—Mrs. Oscar Peoples.
 Philippine Endowment Fund—Mrs. J. Jack Hill.
 Planting Trees and Shrubs—Mrs. Robert Travis.
 Real Daughters—Mrs. Walker Jordan.
 Rules—Mrs. J. E. Hays.
 Scrap Book—Mrs. Peter Brown.
 Transportation—Mrs. Albert Tidwell.
 Welfare of Women and Children—Mrs. Lena Lewis.
 Press—Mrs. R. R. Harris.
 Thomas Jefferson Memorial—Mrs. E. A. Caldwell.
 Reports of Chapters—Concluded.
 Nominations of Officers.
 Announcements.
 Luncheon 1:00 to 2:20 P. M. Auditorium.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, 2:30 O'clock, MARCH 18th, 1926.

Conference called to order by State Regent.
 Invocation.
 Minutes of morning session.
 New Business.
 Resolutions—Mrs. Max Land.
 Election of Officers.
 Time and Place Committee—Mrs. W. C. Vereen.
 Announcements. Adjournment.
 6:30 P. M. Dinner at Windsor Hotel. The Rotary, Kiwanis and Palladium
 Clubs of Americus, hosts.

Thursday Evening, 8:00 O'clock.

Conference called to order by State Regent.
 Invocation—Rev. Richard F. Simpson.
 Minutes of Thursday afternoon session.
 Awarding of Prizes.
 Report of Tellers.
 Introduction of New State Officers.
 Resolution of Thanks—Mrs. C. H. Leavy.
 Farewell to Visitors—Mrs. Frank P. Harrold.
 Announcements.
 Song, "Keep the Faith"—Audience.
 Adjournment.
 9:00 P. M.—Reception at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lanier. Council
 of Safety Chapter, Hostess.

KEEP THE FAITH.

(Air, "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean")

O, our national organization,
A band of the fair and true,
We pledge thee thy daughters' devotion,
Our love and allegiance renew,
May thy name that we cherished stand ever,
As new members we add to thy roll,
For service and duty forever
To country, a beautiful scroll.

Keep faith with the brave and the true,
"Carry on" in the work that's to do,
Let "over the top" be our motto,
Our standard, the Red, White and Blue.

Chorus:

O, the Star Spangled Banner we cherish,
And the D. A. R. takes this stand;
We pledge that its glory ne'er perish,
Nor its beauty grow dim in the land;
Our grandsires fought to defend it
In the days of its perilous youth.
We daughters will ever protect it,
Its folds of the bright living truth.

The fires of the fierce revolution,
Where thunders were heard 'round the world,
Kindled thoughts of our great constitution,
And Liberty's torch held on high;
Our ancestors fought for our freedom
And Liberty's torch held on high;
We hold up the torch that they left us
And bear it aloft to the sky.

By ELIZABETH DUNCAN LANIER.

Adopted as a State D. A. R. Song April, 1919.

OFFICERS COUNCIL OF SAFETY CHAPTER

Mrs. Howell Simmons, Regent.
Mrs. Howell C. Elam, Vice-Regent.
Mrs. E. B. Everett, Recording Secretary.
Mrs. Eugene Bailey, Corresponding Secretary.
Mrs. J. L. Sparks, Treasurer.
Mrs. C. H. Burke, Historian.
Mrs. Henry Glover, Registrar.
Mrs. Z. A. Littlejohn, Chaplain.

CHAIRMAN OF LOCAL COMMITTEES

Mrs. Howell Simmons, Chairman of Arrangements.
Mrs. Howell Elam, Chairman of Program.
Mrs. E. B. Everett, Chairman of Credentials.
Mrs. Charles Council, Chairman of Pages.

PAGES TO REGENT

Mary Harris Virginia Moreland

PAGES

Mary Earl Allen	Cordelia Hooks
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Christine Brown	Louise Wise
Hazel Council	Mary Littlejohn
Georgia Bena Dodson	Georgia Lumpkin
Martha Duncan	Janie Murray
Ruth Everett	Autry Oliver
Florence Fort	Sarah Shipp
Ira Gatewood	Frances Sparks
Ruth Hightower	

SPECIAL ESCORTS

Hawkins Dykes	Lucius McClesky, Jr.
Hollis Fort, Jr.	Coney Oliver
Sam Heys, Jr.	Walter Stapleton
	Ainsworth Gatewood

STANDARD BEARERS

Lucius McClesky, Jr.

Hollis Fort, Jr.

Chorus music under direction Mrs. Walter T. Maynard, Past State Chairman of music, State Federation of Women's Clubs.

THE FLAG SALUTE

"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States, and to the Republic for which it stands—one nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

AMERICA

My country, tis of thee,
Sweet land of liberty,
Of thee I sing;
Land where my fathers died,
Land of the Pilgrim's pride;
From every mountain side
Let freedom ring.

My native country, thee
Land of the noble free—
Thy name I love;
I love thy rocks and rills,
Thy woods and templed hills;
My heart with rapture fills,
Like that above.

Let music swell the breeze,
And ring from all the trees
Sweet freedom's sing;
Let mortal tongues awake;
Let all that breathe partake,
Let rocks their silence break—
The sound prolong.

Our father's God to Thee,
Author of Liberty,
To Thee we sing;
Long may our land be bright;
With Freedom's holy light;
Protect us by Thy might,
Great God, our King.

THE AMERICAN'S CREED

"I believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, for the people; whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic; a sovereign nation of many sovereign states; a perfect union, one and inseparable; established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice and humanity, for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes. I, therefore, believe it is my duty to my country to love it; to support its constitution; to obey its laws, to respect its flag, and to defend it against all enemies."

WILLIAM TYLER PAGE.

MINUTES

MINUTES OF THE 28TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE GA. D. A. R. TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 16, 1926

The opening session of the 28th Annual Conference of the Ga. D. A. R. was held in the First Methodist Church, Americus, Ga., Tuesday evening March 16th, at 8 o'clock.

Following a Prelude by Mrs. H. O. Jones, organist and the Bugle call by Sergeant, Mrs. John Slaton, National Vice Chairman of Committee on Correct Use of Flag, with escorts bearing the flag, the State Regent, State Officers, and distinguished guests entered in processional.

The State Regent Mrs. Julius Talmadge formally opened the 28th Annual Conference.

Invocation was given by Rev. John M. Outler. The salute to the flag was led by Mrs. John M. Slaton.

America was sung by the audience led by Mrs. W. T. Maynard.

Mrs. Howell Elam, chairman of Program presented the following who gave words of welcome for their respective organizations:

Col. Stephen Pace—In behalf of the City of Americus.

Prof. J. E. Mathis, Supt. of Schools.

Mrs. E. L. Carswell—President Americus Chapter U. D. C.

Mrs. W. L. Bell—Commander John D. Mathis, Post American Legion.

Mrs. Lawson Stapleton—Ladies Auxiliary American Legion.

Mrs. Frank Harrold—Council of Safety Chapter, D. A. R.

Greetings were expressed by Mr. John Sheffield from the Rotary Club.

Rev. H. H. Shirley from the Kiwanis Club.

Dr. J. T. Stukes from the Palladium Club.

Mrs. Howell Elam, Hostess chairman, presented the gavel to the Hostess Regent, Mrs. Howell Simmons.

Mrs. Simmons introduced Mrs. Chas. Rice, who responded to the address of Welcome.

Music—"Memories of Love and You"—by a chorus directed by Mrs. W. T. Maynard.

Presentation of Mrs. Julius Talmadge, State Regent by Mrs. Howell Simmons, Regent Council of Safety Chapter.

The State Regent gave a brilliant and comprehensive address.

Introduction by State Regent of distinguished guests.

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Mrs. Theodore Strong—State Regent of Florida.

Mrs. Frank Harrold—Past Pres. Gen. U. D. C.

Mrs. Oscar McKenzie, Pres. Ga. Div. U. D. C.

Mrs. J. E. Hays, Rec. Sec. General Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. Chas. Rice, State Pres. of Daughters of 1812.

Mrs. John C. Sage—State President of Children of American Revolution.

Mrs. H. H. Smith of Virginia representing Kenmore.

Mrs. Z. I. Fitzpatrick—Vice Pres. Trustees of Tallulah Falls School.

Mrs. John Marshal Slaton, National Vice Chairman on Correct Use of Flag.

Mrs. S. V. Sanford—2nd Vice Pres. Ga. F. W. Clubs.

Mrs. Howell Elam introduced Maj. James A. Fort who gave a most forceful address.

Music—"The Sun" by chorus directed by Mrs. W. T. Maynard.

Mrs. T. D. Powers, Regent for Button Gwinnett Chapter Columbus presented the D. A. R. Insignia in behalf of the Three Columbus Chapters, D. A. R. and Miss Katherine Synder the Artist, and also the Memorial Design from State Regent, to be used in Memorial exercises.

Mrs. A. L. Wilkins, 1st Vice Regent accepted the gifts in behalf of the D. A. R.

Mrs. Howell Elam made announcements and outlined the program of March 17th.

Taps were sounded and Benediction pronounced by Rev. J. M. Branch.

The meeting was declared adjourned.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, 9:30 O'CLOCK, MARCH 17, 1926.

The morning session of the 28th State Conference was called to order at the First Methodist Church, Americus, Georgia, at nine-thirty o'clock A. M. March 17th. The State Regent, Mrs. J. Y. Talmadge, presiding.

The D. A. R. Ritual was read, lead by the State Regent.

Music—The Star Spangled Banner—by the audience.

Partial report of Credential Committee was given by the Chairman, Mrs. E. B. Everett.

Partial report accepted, with thanks to committee.

The Recording Secretary called the roll. 48 Regents, alternates or delegates from Chapters were present.

Report of the Program Committee was given by the Chairman, Mrs. Howell Elam.

Motion by Mrs. Wilkins that the report be accepted as printed—Carried. The Regent expressed appreciation for this splendid program.

Mrs. James E. Hays, Parliamentarian read the rules governing this conference.

Minutes of the meeting of the Georgia Delegation in Washington, D. C., April 21, 1925, and minutes of evening session Tuesday, March 16, were read and approved as read.

The State Regent read her splendid report of the wonderful work done by the Georgia D. A. R. during the past year.

Motion by Mrs. Hays that this report be accepted with a rising vote of thanks—Carried.

Further motion by Mrs. Hays that the Recommendations in the report be referred to Resolution Committee—Carried.

Report State First Vice-Regent—Mrs. Wilkins.

Report Second Vice-Regent—Mrs. Franklin.

Report Rec. Secretary—Mrs. Oscar McKenzie.

Mrs. McKenzie expressed her appreciation for the splendid work done for her by the Regent, Mrs. B. A. Tyler and Mrs. Julian McCurry in publishing the Proceedings of 1925.

Report State Corresponding Secretary.

Reports accepted as given.

Report of State Treasurer referred to Auditor—Report State Auditor—commending the report of State Treasurer—Accepted.

Mrs. Harrold of Macon asked for explanation as to requirements for honor roll.

The Regent and the State Treasurer made explanations as to rules for Roll of Honor.

Motion by Mrs. Wilkins that if the D. A. R. have a Roll of

Honor next year that the State Regent and State Treasurer decide upon a definite time for the required funds for this Honor Roll to be sent, that chapters sending funds before this time be disqualified—Carried.

Report State Librarian, Mrs. Pope—Accepted.

Mrs. Eli Thomas presented a copy of Mrs. Collier's 3rd Volume, "Representative Women of the South", from Mrs. Collier through the Atlanta Chapter to the State Librarian for Memorial Continental Hall. Accepted with thanks by State Regent.

Motion by Mrs. McCall that the book be given to the State Regent to be presented to the Georgia Shelf Memorial Continental Hall—Carried.

The State Regent presented the Past State Regent, Mrs. Max Land who had just arrived. The conference arose to greet Mrs. Land.

Report State Consulting Registrar—Mrs. Wilson.

Report—State Auditor—Mrs. Knox.

Report—Assistant Editor—Mrs. Leavy.

Report State Chaplain, Mrs. Peacock read by Recording Secretary.

All of the above reports accepted as read.

Motion by Mrs. Wilkins that note be sent by Corresponding Secretary to Mrs. Peacock, regretting her absence—Carried and the Secretary was so instructed.

Motion by Mrs. Howard McCall, that a letter of thanks be sent to Atlanta Constitution for their efficient service to the D. A. R. through the official page.

Seconded and Carried.

The first vice-regent, Mrs. Wilkins in the chair, the following chapter reports were heard:

1. Peter Coffee Chapter, Abbeville—Mrs. A. L. Foote, Regent.
2. Sunbury Chapter, Winder—Mrs. Henry Pledger, Regent.
3. Albany—Thornateeska Chapter—Mrs. R. L. Jones, Regent.
4. West Point—Chattahoochee Chapter, Mrs. James M. Wallace, Regent.
5. Albany—Commodore Richard Dale Chapter—Mrs. J. P. Champion, Regent.
6. Waynesboro—Edmund Burke Chapter—Mrs. Rosa McMaster, Regent.
7. Americus—Council of Safety Chapter—Mrs. Chas. Council, del.
8. Athens—Elijah Clarke Chapter—Miss Racheal Griggs, Del.
9. Atlanta—Atlanta Chapter, Mrs. Lucian McConnell, Reg.
10. Atlanta—Joseph Habersham Chapter—Mrs. Chas. Lorridans, Del.

Report—Credential Committee—Mrs. Everett, Chairman.

Chairman reports 125 accredited delegates and regents.

Motion by Mrs. McKenzie that report be accepted as given—Seconded—Carried.

Chapter Reports continued.

11. Valdosta—Gen. James Jackson Chapter—Mrs. Ewell Brown, Alt.
12. Augusta—Augusta Chapter—Mrs. Walter McDonald, Delt.
13. Thomasville—Ochlochnes Chapter—Mrs. C. S. Parker, Reg.
14. Knox Conway Chapter, Ashburn—Mrs. Geo. T. Betts, Del.
15. Thomaston—Gov. Edward Telfair Chapter—Mrs. Alf A. Britt, Alternate.
16. Bainbridge—Bainbridge Chapter—Mrs. J. W. Simmons, Regent.
17. Maj. General Samuel Elbert Chapter—Tennille—Mrs. W. H. Colgate, Regent.

18. Blakely—Gov. Peter Early Chapter—Mrs. John H. Williams.
 19. Thomaston—John Houston Chapter—Mrs. Estelle Pye, Del.
 20. Sylvester Chapter—Miss Mary Mangham, Del.
 21. Brunswick Chapter—Brunswick—Mrs. A. M. Wey, Reg.
 22. Social Circle, John Clarke Chapter—Mrs. Walter Wyley, Alt.
 23. Savannah Chapter, Savannah—Mrs. Frank E. Johnston, Regent.
 24. Columbus—Burton Gwinnett Chapter—Mrs. T. D. Power, Regent.
 25. Savannah—Lachlan McIntosh Chapter—Mrs. C. Thorpe, Del. Reports accepted as given.
- Reports discontinued—Regent resumed the chair.
- Telegrams of greetings and good wishes were read by Recording Secretary from Dr. Andrew Soule, President State Agricultural College, Mrs. W. B. Daniel, and Mrs. Oscar Peeples. Motion by Mrs. Max Land that telegram be sent Dr. Soule, assuring him of the co-operation of Georgia D. A. R. in the Religious Welfare Conference to be held in Athens. Upon motion, the Conference adjourned for luncheon, guests of the Council of Safety Chapter, D. A. R.

**MINUTES, WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION, MARCH 17,
1926, 2:00 O'CLOCK**

Wednesday Afternoon Session of the Georgia D. A. R. was called to order by the State Regent in the Methodist Church, Americus, Ga., at 2 o'clock.

Invocation by Mrs. Wilson.

The minutes of the morning session were read and approved. Motion by Mrs. Land that order of business be changed so as to have report of Resolution Committee at 11 o'clock Thursday A. M. Carried.

Memorial Services were led by Mrs. Fannie Mae Dabney.

Song—"The Lord is My Shepherd—by chorus—lead by Mrs. H. O. Jones.

Prayer by Mrs. Mell Knox.

The State Regent placed basket of white carnations in the chancel as a loving tribute to the departed members of the Georgia D. A. R.

Vocal Solo—"Land where the Roses never Fade"—by Mrs. Buckanan.

The roll of the deceased was called by Mrs. Dabney, a representative of the Chapter honoring the members came forward and placed white carnations in baskets on the chancel in memory of department members, with appropriate words.

Music—Vocal Solo—"We shall See Him Face to Face"—Mrs. Lott.

Motion by Mrs. Howard McCall that two of the baskets of flowers be carried to Andersonville and that some be carried to the graves of the departed members of Americus Chapter.

Motion to adjourn for a Pilgrimage to Andersonville, followed by a reception at the home of Mrs. Frank Harrold given by the local U. D. C. Chapter.

Mrs. Howell Elam announced an invitation to a reception at the home of Mrs. Frank Harrold given by the Local Chapter, U. D. C. at 6:30 this evening.

Mrs. Dabney expressed appreciation to the local committee, Mrs. Thad Wise, Mrs. H. O. Jones and the florist for their assistance in conducting the Memorial Services.

Song—"We'll never say goodbye in Heaven" by chorus led by Mrs. H. O. Jones, concluded the Memorial Service.

**WEDNESDAY EVENING SESSION, MARCH 17TH, 1926,
8:00 O'CLOCK**

The Wednesday evening session of the Georgia D. A. R. was called to order in the First Methodist Church, Americus, Ga., at 8 o'clock, the State Regent presiding.

Organ Prelude by Mrs. H. O. Jones.

George Washington's prayer for his country was read by the audience led by the State Regent.

Vocal Solo—"There's a lark in my Heart"—Mrs. W. T. Maynard. Mrs. E. B. Anderson, accompanist.

The minutes of the afternoon session were read and approved.

Report Standing Committee.

Report—Constitution and Magna Charta Day—Mrs. Chas. F. Rice, Chr.

Report accepted as read.

Report—Historical and Literary reciprocity—Mrs. Fort Land, Chr.

Report accepted as read.

Report—Indian Welfare and Citizenship—Mrs. Jno. M. Slaton, Chr. Report accepted as read.

Report—Legislation—Mrs. Howard McCall, Chr. Chairman moved that Report be accepted with recommendations.

Report—Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund—Mrs. W. W. Dykes, Chr.

Mrs. Dykes presented a copy of the Book—Historical Collections of the Georgia Chapters—to the State Regent to be placed on the Georgia Shelf Memorial Continental Hall. The Regent expressed appreciation.

Report accepted as read.

Motion by Mrs. McCall that six copies of book be given away in the judgment of the Regent, the Chairman and the Committee. Carried.

Report—Auditorium—Mrs. Franklin, Chairman. Report accepted as read.

Mrs. Slaton announced that Mr. Slaton would give a chair honoring a charter member.

Report—Auditorium Pledges—Mrs. McCurry, Chr. Report accepted as given.

Report Woodrow Wilson Day—Mrs. Fay Gaffney, Chr. Report accepted as read.

Report D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, Mrs. Bun Wylie, Chr.

Report accepted as read.

Report—La Fayette Day—Mrs. Frank E. Johnson. Report accepted as read.

Report—Fannie Trammell Memorial Loan Fund—Mrs. W. E. Mann, Chairman. Report accepted as read.

Report—Valdosta Loan Fund—Read by Mrs. Ewell Brown for Mrs. Di Ingram, Chr. Report accepted as read.

Report Gift Scholarship—Mrs. W. S. Coleman, Chr. Report accepted as read.

Report—Patriotic Education—Mrs. Wilkins, Chr. Report accepted as read.

Report—Armistice Day—Mrs. C. E. Pittman, Chr. Report accepted as given.

Report—Americanization—read by Mrs. Geo. Hope for Mrs. Logan, Chr. Report accepted as read.

Report D. A. R. Magazine—Mrs. B. C. Ward, Chr. Report accepted as read.

Report—Georgia Bay—Mrs. J. T. Wood, Chr.

As a courteous consideration of the hard pioneer work and most efficient service in the capacity of First Chairman of Georgia Bay—Mrs. T. E. Blackshear was requested by Mrs. Wood to sit on the stage when she read her report and share in her triumph in the magnificent completion of the Georgia Bay Fund. Mrs. Howard McCall paid a most fitting and well deserved tribute to Mrs. Blackshear for her enthusiastic interest in this work for Georgia Bay. Mrs. McCall and Mrs. Talmadge expressed the desire that Mrs. Blackshear accept the urgent invitation to attend the dedication of Georgia Bay and appear on the program. Mrs. McCall exhibited a fine picture of Georgia Bay with herself in the foreground.

Mrs. Blackshear expressed her pleasure at the completion of Georgia Bay Fund, and the work of the Present Chairman. Report accepted with thanks.

Announcements by Mrs. Elam.

Benediction by Rev. J. B. Lawrence, Rector Epescopal Church. Adjourned.

THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 18TH, 9:30 O'CLOCK.

The morning session was called to order by the State Regent at 9:30 o'clock in the First Methodist Church.

Invocation by Mrs. W. S. Wilson.

Minutes by the evening session were read and approved.

Mrs. Herbert Franklin, Second Vice Regent in the Chair.

State Chairman Reports were continued.

Report—Educational Moving Pictures—Mrs. Julian McCurry.

Report accepted as read.

Report—Children of the Republic—Mrs. R. R. Evans, Chairman. Accepted.

Report—Historical Research and Preservation of Records—Mrs. J. L. Davidson, Chr. Report accepted as read.

The State Regent read telegrams of greetings from Mrs. Stanfield, Registrar General and the Organizing Secretary General, Mrs. Wm. S. Walker.

Motion by Mrs. Oscar McKenzie that the Corresponding Secretary send a telegram of appreciation of their good wishes to Mrs. Stanfield and Mrs. Walker. Carried.

Report—Forestry—Mrs. J. L. Walker. Report accepted as read.

Report—Lectures and Lantern Slides—Mrs. Stewart Colley. Report accepted.

Report—Historical Program—Mrs. O. C. Bulloch, Chr. Report accepted.

Report of International Day—Mrs. Lee Trammell, Chr. Report accepted as read.

Report—Kenmore—Mrs. J. H. Moye, Chr. read by Mrs. Smith—Secretary of Kenmore Association.

Motion by Mrs. Wylie that report be accepted and a rising vote of thanks be given Mrs. Smith. Carried.

Report—Marking Old Jackson Trail, Chr. Miss Virginia Harden. Accepted as read.

Report—Marking Revolutionary Soldiers Graves. Mrs. S. V. Sanford. Accepted as read.

Report—Medals and Prizes—Mrs. T. E. Blackshear, Chr. Report accepted as read.

Several chapters reported prizes given and reported too late to be incorporated in report. The Chairman stated these prizes would be added in her report.

The Recording Secretary read a telegram from the Ex-Regent, Mrs. Akerman, regretting her absence. Motion by Mrs. McKenzie

that Corresponding Secretary send a telegram to Mrs. Akerman regretting her absence. Carried.

Report—Meadow Garden—Mrs. Sanford Gardner, Chr. Report accepted as read.

Report Patriot Songs—Mrs. J. P. Sutton, Chr. Report accepted as read.

Report—Georgia Room—Mrs. M. B. Short, Shr. Report accepted as read.

Report—Preservation of Historic Spots—Mrs. A. E. Thomas, Chr. Motion by Mrs. Hays that time be given Mrs. Tomas to finish her report. Carried. Report accepted as read.

Request from Chairman of Resolution Committee that time be extended ten minutes before presenting Resolutions. Motion by Mrs. McKenzie that this request be granted. Carried.

Report—Old Trails Road—Mrs. H. D. Allen, Chr, read by Mrs. James Girard. Report accepted as read.

Report—Real Daughters—Mrs. Walker Jordan, Chr. Report accepted as read.

Report—Rules—Mrs. J. E. Hays, Chr. Report accepted as read.

Report—Transportation—Mrs. Tidwell, Chr. Read by Mrs. Stubbs. Report accepted as read.

Report—Welfare Women & Children—Mrs. Lena Felker Lewis, Chr. Report accepted as read.

State Chairman Reports were concluded.

The State regent in the chair.

Chapter reports were resumed.

Report—George Walton Chapter, Columbus—Mrs. Wheeler Tolbert, Regent.

Report—Resolution Committee—Mrs. Max Land, Chr.

The following Resolutions were read:

No. 1. Whereas, the State Regent of Alabama, Mrs. Lane, has suggested that the Southern States create a Genealogical Reciprocity Department; be it

Resolved, That the State Consulting Registrar communicate with Mrs. Lane, and co-operate with her in formulating plans, looking toward the establishment of a Genealogical Reciprocity Department.

Proposed by Mrs. Julius Talmadge, State Regent. Adopted.

No. 2. Whereas, our Registrar General, Mrs. James H. Stansfield, has brought to our attention, the fact that the valuable Court Records—Marriage records, wills, etc., of Augusta, Richmond County and of Chatham County, are rapidly going to pieces, and because of the fading of the ink and their general fragility, will soon become practically illegible; and

Whereas, Our Southern Records are scarce and unsatisfactory at best, and for that reason Mrs. Stansfield urges immediate action in the preservation of these records; be it

Resolved, That these records be copied in triplicate—(or other suitable ways of preservation) and certified as to their correction, and one copy be sent to the Library at Memorial Continental Hall; and that the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund be used to defray the expenses of this work.

Proposed by Mrs. Julius Talmadge, State Regent. Adopted.

No. 3. Resolved, That the Executive Board recommend to the State Conference that the D. A. R. of Georgia pledge \$1500.00 for a box in the new Auditorium and that the box be spoken for immediately.

Proposed by Mrs. A. L. Wilkins, State First Vice-Regent. Endorsed by Board. Adopted.

No. 4. Whereas, The \$5,000.00 Student Loan Fund, the Georgia

Bay, and the \$1000 pledged to the Auditorium has all been completed, and

Whereas, Georgia is to have a box in the new Auditorium, at a cost of \$1500; be it

Resolved, That all necessary money from these funds be applied to our Box, and that a check for same be sent immediately to the Treasurer General.

Proposed by Mrs. Julius Talmadge, State Regent. Adopted.

No. 5. Whereas, \$750.00 of our Student Loan Fund is being used as a revolving fund, it is thought best to increase this revolving fund to \$1,000 and to invest the remaining \$4,000 in Auditorium bonds.

Whereas, The Auditorium Bonds paying 6% interest, presents an opportunity unsurpassed as an investment from the standpoint of safety, high rate of interest and patriotism; and

Whereas, By recommendation of the Executive Board "that the State Regent bring a full report as to the investment of the Student Loan Fund" has been carried out; be it

Resolved, That the \$4,000 of the Student Loan Fund be invested immediately in the Auditorium Bonds.

Proposed by Mrs. Julius Talmadge, State Regent. Adopted.

No. 6. That, whereas, the D. A. R. was one of the first organizations in the State to use its influence for a passage of the "Vital Statistics" law in Georgia, and

Whereas, Georgia in 1924 enacted a Vital Statistic Law, creating a Bureau of Vital Statistics, but unfortunately in 1925 the portion of this law providing for the payment of local registrars from county funds was declared unconstitutional, and Georgia was dropped from the Registration Area of the Federal Census Bureau,

Therefore, be it resolved, that this Conference urge the Legislature of 1927 to find effective remedies to replace Georgia in the Registration Area of the Federal Census Bureau.

Proposed by Mrs. Howard McCall, State Chairman of Legislation, Atlanta. Adopted.

No. 7. Whereas, the General Assembly of Georgia, now in session has under consideration questions which vitally affect the progress and development of the state;

Whereas, the State has been a year behind in the payment of the public school funds since 1878, which delay has worked a hardship upon the local system of schools, causing a loss to teachers, already underpaid, hundreds-thousands of dollars in interest and discount charges; whereas, the University system, colleges, and normal schools are in dire need, being already taxed to their capacity, turning away hundreds of students each year whom they cannot house and whereas, the interest in education is now such that over 8,500 students were graduated from accredited high schools last year and with the present rate of growth 15,000 a year will be graduated within five years, a large per cent, of whom will be knocking at the doors of the higher institutions, therefore, be it resolved, that this body of women, representing at all times the highest and best interests of their communities and State, do hereby indorse the educational measures now before the Legislature, providing for the prompt payment of teachers, the building of consolidated schools and the expansion and buildings of the University system, colleges and normal schools.

Proposed by Mrs. Max E. Land, State Chairman of Resolutions, Cordele. Adopted.

No. 8. Whereas, The Daughters of the American Revolution of Georgia are vitally interested in the preservation of the sacred name of Washington, the Father of our country, and

Whereas, Rupert Hughes has made an attack upon the character of this peerless statesman; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Daughters of the American Revolution, in conference assembled, go on record as resenting and condemning the derogatory utterances of this and any other writers.

Proposed by Mrs. J. A. Peacock, State Chaplain, Dublin. Adopted.

No. 9. Whereas, the preservation and publication of historical and genealogical records constitutes one of the fundamentals principles upon which our Society is founded, and

Whereas (1) the records in the older counties of Georgia are rapidly disintegrating from age, are being lost by fire and careless handling; (2) the publication of these records in book form would be of inestimable value in tracing lineage for membership in this and other patriotic societies, and a glorious achievement for the Georgia Society, and

Whereas, the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund was created expressly for this purpose, therefore be it

Resolved, that a contribution of \$5.00 be requested from Chapters with a membership of over 50 and \$2.50 from chapters with a membership under 50, these funds to be used for copying and publishing said records. The details of this work to be left in the hands of the State Regent and Chairman of the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Committee.

Proposed by Mrs. John L. Davidson, State Chairman, Historical Research and Preservation of Records. Adopted.

No. 10. Whereas, the Census for 1790 and 1810 for Delaware, Georgia, Kentucky, New Jersey, Tennessee, and Virginia was destroyed by the British in the War of 1812 making that of 1840 the earliest extent, and

Whereas (1) no census has ever been published for these states, except the tax enumerations of 1782 and 1785 for Virginia; (2) the publication of these documents would meet a long felt need in tracing the history of families scattered from these States all over America. Therefore be it.

Resolved, that the resolution passed by the National Board of Management, Feb. 4, to publish the census of 1800 and 1810, be amended to include the census of 1820 and 1830 for the above named states, Delaware, Georgia, Kentucky, New Jersey, Tennessee and Virginia.

Proposed by Mrs. John L. Davidson.

The Resolutions Committee reports that this work has been adopted by the National Board.

No. 11. Whereas, The book, "Our Flag" by Mrs. Dossia Head Brooks is a patriotic volume of historical accuracy and a definite record of the flag in its world significance; and

Whereas, Mrs. Brooks' associates and patriotic co-workers appreciate her enthusiasm, her perseverance, her diligence in compiling this volume; and

Whereas, the members of the James Monroe Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution realize the value of this work for future generations; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Georgia State Conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution to be held in Americus on March 16, 1926 be requested to give endorsement to the resolution "That every Georgia Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution adopt "Our Flag" as an official flag book, and that every effort be made to place it in the local schools through out the State of Georgia, as an aid to the study of History and Citizenship.

Proposed by Mrs. Hugh H. Hardin, Forsyth. Adopted.

No. 12. Whereas, Sergeant Jasper, a young soldier of Irish

birth, came to this country and assisted in the war for American Independence and fell in the siege of Savannah in 1779, and

Whereas, the spot where Sergeant Jasper rescued the British guard during the Revolutionary War still remains unmarked, save by a small bronze tablet placed there by the Lachlin McIntosh Chapter several years ago, and

Whereas, This spot on the Augusta Road, two miles out of Savannah is visited frequently for its historic associations, therefore, be it

Resolved, That this annual convention of Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution go on record as endorsing the act of Congress Charles G. Edwards, in endeavoring to have Congress of the United States erect a suitable monument on this historic, interesting spot, to commemorate this daring act of gallantry and heroism of Sergeant Jasper.

Proposed by Mrs. Courtney Thorpe. Adopted.

No. 13. Whereas, Representative Chas. H. Brand of Georgia, acting upon the request of the John Benson Chapter of Hartwell, D. A. R. has sponsored a bill in Congress asking for the appropriation of \$1,000 to erect a bronze tablet in Hart County Georgia in honor of Nancy Hart, a Revolutionary heroine, the only woman in the United States for whom a county has been named, be it

Resolved, That the Georgia D. A. R. in conference assembled write Representative Brand a note of thanks and appreciation of his services in a work which bears so peculiarly on D. A. R. activities.

Proposed by Mrs. Julian McCurray, State Corresponding Secretary, Hartwell. Adopted.

No. 14. Resolved, That in the future the qualifications for the Honor Roll be conditioned on the meeting of all requirements passed by the State Conference.

Proposed by Mrs. Chas. C. Harrold, Macon.

The Resolutions Committee recommended that the State Recording Secretary compile a list of requirements for the Honor Roll and have published in the proceedings.

Adopted as amended.

No. 15. Resolved, That the winning of extra prizes will not condition the qualification of the Honor Roll.

Proposed by Mrs. Chas. C. Harrold, Macon. Adopted.

No. 16. Resolved, That this State Conference decide whether special prizes shall be given.

Proposed by the Resolutions Committee.

The State Conference voted that special prizes shall be permitted.

No. 17. Whereas, three years ago in answer to a crying need from Georgia's young womanhood, the General James Jackson chapter offered a resolution to the State society asking for a fund of \$5,000 to be created as a loan fund to be placed at the Georgia State Woman's College, Valdosta, Georgia; and:

Whereas, the committee did not approve of that sum at that time due to other similar funds being created then, and

Whereas, a resolution was passed giving \$1500 to this fund, and Whereas, this fund was completed in one year and has shown such splendid activity in two years, but is not nearly enough to meet the crying need, be it further resolved: that the society open its books again for donations to this fund until the \$5000.00 has been attained.

Proposed by Mrs. Di. Ingram, Chairman of the Georgia State Woman's Loan Fund.

The Resolutions Committee recommended that the State Conference continue its D. A. R. Student Loan Fund work and that

it increase the Valdosta College Loan Fund to \$5,000 and Fannie Trammell Loan Fund to \$5,000.

Adopted as amended.

No. 18. Whereas, many errors were found in the summary of members reported by Chapters at former conventions, and

Whereas, if we are to have a complete and accurate roster of Georgia D. A. R. according to Miss Edmundson's outline, it becomes necessary that these lists be made again, therefore,

Be it resolved, that each Chapter be asked to make a new report, and in order to enhance the value, that the names of wives and children of ancestors be added to the roster. Also,

Be it resolved, that these lists be typed by the Chapter sending in, making two copies on the regulation size bond paper, 8 1/2 x 11. These to be well bound and placed in our State archives and in the office of Consulting Registrar.

Proposed by Mrs. W. S. Wilson, State Consulting Registrar, Savannah. Adopted.

No. 19. Resolved that the Georgia D. A. R. go on record as to the observance of Armistice Day on November 11, and that Defense Day be observed on some other date.

Proposed by Mrs. C. E. Pittman. Adopted.

(Signed) RESOLUTION COMMITTEE.

MRS. HOWARD McCALL,
MRS. HERBERT FRANKLIN,
MRS. A. L. KILKINS,
MRS. J. M. DIFFEE,
MRS. MAX E. LAND, Chairman.

Motion by Mrs. Wilkins that telegrams be sent Gov. Walker, Hon. Fort E. Land; Speaker of the House; President of the Senate, advising them of the action of this Conference in regard to Resolutions Six and Seven.

Motion by Mrs. Thomas that it be left to the discretion of the incoming officers to give prizes in the future. Amended by Mrs. Simmons that any one, with the discretion of the State officers, be allowed to give prizes with the discretion of the State Officers". Carried.

Resolution No. 16 read and adopted.

Motion by Mrs. McCall that \$100 be given Valdosta D. A. R. Loan Fund and \$100 be given the Fannie Trammell Loan Fund at once from the Treasury. Carried.

Mrs. Coney stated she would like to again offer the prize of \$10 for First Chapter to make requirements for honor roll.

Motion by Mrs. McKenzie that the report of the Resolution Committee be accepted with thanks. Carried.

Telegram was read from the Camilla Chapter telling of the death of a beloved member, Miss Betty Fitzgerald Spence. Motion by Mrs. McKenzie that a vote of condolence be sent to the Chapter from this Conference.

Rules read by Mrs. Hays.

Motion by Mrs. Hays that rules be adopted. Carried. Nomination of Officers Called.

Mrs. Herbert Franklin of Tennille was nominated for State Regent by Mrs. Oscar McKenzie of Montezuma, Seconded by Mrs. A. L. Wilkins. Nominations were called from the floor. Mrs. Wilbur Coney was nominated for First Vice Regent by Mrs. Johnson of Savannah. Seconded by Mrs. Blackshear, Mrs. Jno. Pope of Albany was nominated for State 2nd Vice Regent by Mrs. Turner of Albany. Seconded by Miss Hardin. Mrs. Bun Wylie of Atlanta was nominated for Recording Secretary by Mrs. Chas. Rice

of Atlanta. Seconded by Mrs. Stubbs of Quitman. Mrs. W. H. Colgate of Tennille was nominated for Corresponding Secretary by Mrs. Shellnutt of Sandersville. Seconded by Mrs. McMaster of Waynesboro.

Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney of Columbus was nominated by Mrs. Powers of Columbus. Seconded by Mrs. Flournoy.

Mrs. Gentry of Atlanta, Regent of Jos. Habersham announced that Mrs. Ward who had been endorsed by her chapter desired her name to be withdrawn.

Mrs. A. L. Wilkins of Eastman was nominated for Auditor by Mrs. Gaffney of Columbus. Seconded by Mrs. Hays.

Mrs. W. B. Daniel of Eastman was nominated for Librarian by Mrs. Wilkins of Eastman. Seconded by Mrs. Coney.

Mrs. J. L. Davidson of Quitman was nominated for State Historian by Mrs. Wilson. Seconded by Mrs. Coney.

Mrs. Mell Knox of Social Circle was nominated for State Registrar by Mrs. Henry Pledger, of Winder. Seconded by Mrs. McCall.

Mrs. C. H. Leavy of Brunswick was nominated for State Editor by Mrs. Mell Knox of Social Circle. Seconded by Mrs. Chas. Rice.

Mrs. Howell Simmons was nominated for State Assistant Editor by Mrs. T. E. Blackshear of Macon and seconded by Mrs. Mann and by rising vote.

Mrs. Walker Jordan of Hawkinsville was nominated for Chaplain by Mrs. Bridges. Seconded by Mrs. Gardner.

After the nomination of each officer, nominations were called from the floor. A motion was then made, seconded and carried that nominations be closed.

Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge was nominated by Mrs. J. E. Hays for Honorary State Regent—unanimously seconded by rising vote.

Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge was nominated by Mrs. Max Land for Vice-President General from Georgia.

Many seconds followed. Miss Hardin, Mrs. McCall, Mrs. S. V. Sanford, of Elijah Clarke Chapter, Mrs. Fort Land, Mrs. Wyley and others. A motion was made by Mrs. T. H. Bridges of Hawkinsville that a unanimous rising vote of love and appreciation be given Mrs. Talmadge. Mrs. Talmadge most gracefully accepted the nomination.

Motion by Mrs. McCall that a telegram be sent Mr. and Mrs. Harry Erwin, father and mother of Mrs. Talmadge and Mr. Talmadge. Carried.

Meeting adjourned for luncheon, guests of the Council of safety Chapter, D. A. R.

MINUTES OF THURSDAY AFTERNOON, MARCH 18TH, 1926 2:30 O'CLOCK.

The Thursday afternoon session of the Georgia D. A. R. convened in the First Methodist Church, the State Regent presiding.

Prayer by the audience led by Mrs. Talmadge.

The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

Chapter reports continued.

Oglethorpe Chapter—Columbus—Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, Regent.

Motion was made by Mrs. McKenzie that a telegram be sent Miss Anna Caroline Benning regretting her absence. Carried.

Report—Gov. Jared Irwin Chapter, Sandersville—Mrs. C. D. Shelnut, Regent.

Report—James Pittman, Chapter, Commerce—Mrs. C. E. Pittman, Regent.

Report—Hannah Clarke Chapter, Quitman—Mrs. H. W. Stubbs, Regent.

Report—Benj. Hawkins Chapter, Cuthbert—Mrs. G. Y. Moore, Regent.

Report—Sergeant Newton Chapter, Covington—Mrs. J. O. Cooper, Alt.

Report—Gen. Daniel Stewart Chapter, Perry—Mrs. Edward W. Taylor, Regent.

Report—Sarah Dickinson Chapter, Newnan—Mrs. Mary G. Jones, Regent.

Report—Gov. John Milledge Chapter, Dalton—Mrs. G. L. Westcott, Delegate.

Report—Fort Early Chapter, Cordele—Mrs. J. M. Dickey, Alt. Regent.

Report—John Benning Chapter, Moultrie—Mrs. W. C. Vereen, Regent.

Report—Archibald Bulloch Chapter, Montezuma, Mrs. R. P. Black, Reg.

Additional Report Res. Committee, by Mrs. Max Land, Ch. Resolution No. 16 adopted.

Resolution No. 17 adopted.

Report Resolution Committee concluded.

Report—Stone Castle Chapter, Dawson—Mrs. R. E. Bell, Reg.

Report—Dorothy Walton Chapter, Dawson—Mrs. H. A. Wilkinson, Regent.

Report—John Laurens Chapter, Dublin—Mrs. M. J. Guyton, Regent.

Report—Col. Wm. Few Chapter, Eastman—Mrs. W. B. Daniel, Alt. for Regent.

Report—James Monroe Chapter, Forsyth—Mrs. J. L. McGee, Regent.

Mrs. J. L. McGee presented a copy of book "Our Flag" by Mrs. R. P. Brooks to the State Regent to be presented to the Georgia Shelf at Continental Memorial Hall.

The Regent expressed appreciation.

Report—Gov. Treutlen Chapter, Ft. Valley, Miss Allie House, Alt. Regent.

Report—Fort Valley Chapter, Ft. Valley—Mrs. Lee Geagan, Alt. to Regent.

Report—Col. William Candler Chapter, Gainesville—Mrs. Rudolph, Alt. Regent.

Report—John Benson Chapter, Hartwell—Mrs. A. Steve Skelton, Regent.

Report—Hawkinsville Chapter, Hawkinsville—Mrs. T. H. Bridges, Regent.

Report—Nancy Hart Chapter, Milledgeville—Mrs. J. I. Garrard, Regent.

Mrs. Garrard presented copy of book of Books of County History for Con. Memorial Hall.

Regent expressed appreciation.

Report—Steven Hopkins Chapter, Marshallville—Mrs. Richard, Alt. Regent.

Report—Henry Walton Chapter, Madison—Mrs. A. W. Butler, Alt. to Regent.

Report—Nathaniel Macon Chapter—Mrs. James A. Smith, Regent.

Report—Mary Hammond Washington Chapter—Mrs. C. C. Harold, Alt. to Regent.

Mrs. A. L. Wilkins, 1st Vice Regent in the chair.

Chapter reports were concluded.

Report—La Grange Chapter, LaGrange, Mrs. T. E. Polhill, Alt. Regent.

Report—Roanoke Chapter, Lumpkin—Mrs. Wm. A. Fitzgerald, Regent.

Mrs. Thomas spoke of the splendid map sent by the chapter.

Chapter reports concluded.

Regent announced election of 14 officers in order.

Motion by Mrs. W. S. Coleman that rules be suspended and the Secretary cast the ballot. Carried.

The secretary cast the ballot and the following officers were declared duly elected:

Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin, Regent.

Mrs. Wibur Coney, 1st V. Regent.

Mrs. Jno. D. Pope, 2nd V. Regent.

Mrs. Bun Wylie, Rec. Secretary.

Mrs. W. H. Colgate, Cor. Secretary.

Mrs. Fay Gaffney, Treasurer.

Mrs. A. L. Wilkins, Auditor.

Mrs. W. B. Daniels, Librarian.

Mrs. J. L. Davidson, Historian.

Mrs. Mell Knox, Consulting Registrar.

Mrs. Clarence Leavy, Editor.

Mrs. Howell Simmons, Assistant Editor.

Mrs. Walker Jordan, Chaplain.

Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Hon. State Regent.

Motion by Mrs. McCall that ballots be burned. Carried.

The ballots were burned.

Mrs. W. C. Vereen, Chr. of Time and Place issued invitations to the conference to meet in Thomaston 1927.

Motion by Mrs. A. L. Wilkins, that invitation be accepted with rising vote of thanks. Carried.

Motion by Mrs. Mell Knox that a telegram of appreciation be sent to Mrs. J. F. Lewis organizing Regent of John Houston Chapter at Thomaston. Carried.

Motion by Mrs. Mell Knox that letters of thanks be sent to Mr. Moran and Mr. Eve, newspaper correspondents for the splendid publicity they have given our session. Carried.

Motion to adjourn, the conference to be guests of the Kiwanis, Rotary and Palladium Clubs at a banquet at the Windsor Hotel.

MINUTES OF THE THURSDAY EVENING SESSION, MARCH 28th, 1926, 8 O'CLOCK.

The closing session of the 28th Annual Conference D. A. R. was held in the Methodist Church, Thursday evening March 17th, at 8 o'clock, the Regent, Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge presiding.

Organ solo by Mrs. H. O. Jones.

Invocation by Rev. Richard F. Simpson.

Minutes of Thursday afternoon session were read and approved.

A prize of \$10 offered by Mrs. Coney for chapter first to meet every honor roll requirement was awarded to John Benson Chapter, Hartwell, and was accepted by the Regent of the Chapter.

Prize of \$20.00 in gold to chapter expending largest amount of money pro-rated according to membership and including Honor Roll requirements was won by Commodore Richard Dale Chapter. Accepted by Regent of Chapter.

The prize of \$5 in gold offered by Mrs. T. E. Blackshear for the chapter giving the most per capita for medals and prizes was awarded to Benj. Hawkins Chapter, Cuthbert. A coincidence of note in this award was mentioned by Mrs. Blackshear as follows. A member of the Nathaniel Macon Chapter gave the prize and it was received by the Benj. Hawkins Chapter, and Capt. Benj. Hawkins

was Nathaniel Macon's most intimate friend. The old fort Hawkins which was the beginning of Macon was named for him and because of that intimate friendship, the town was later named for Nathaniel Macon and also the Chapter at Macon.

Presentation of newly elected State officers by State Regent.

The First Vice Regent Mrs. A. L. Wilkins presented Mrs. J. Y. Talmadge, Honorary State Regent.

Each officer graciously accepted the position of honor.

A telegram was read by Corresponding Secretary from Mr. Fort E. Land, State Supt. of Schools, expressing appreciation of cooperation of the Ga. D. A. R.

Motion by Mrs. McCall that a letter of appreciation be sent by State Regent to the Kiwanis, Palladium and Rotarian Clubs for the delightful banquet. Carried.

Motion by Mrs. R. P. Black that a similar letter be sent to the U. D. C. Chapter of Americus in appreciation of reception. Carried.

Mrs. W. F. Dykes requested the privilege of asking for \$100 at this time to complete the amount due on the book "Historical Collection of Georgia Chapters", and thereby clear the State of any indebtedness. Mrs. Chas Rice moved that this \$100 be taken from State Treasury and paid at once. Seconded. Carried.

Resolution of thanks were read by Mrs. Clarence Leavy

Motion by Mrs. Hays that the Resolution be adopted. Carried.

Mrs. Coney moved that a note of thanks be given pages and escorts for their most efficient service. Carried.

Mrs. Wilkins announced for Mrs. Elam, chairman of Arrangements, that a reception would be given after adjournment, at the home of Mrs. Frank Lanier, the local Chapter hostess.

The minutes were read and approved. Mrs. A. L. Wilkins commended the work of the Recording Secretary and moved that a rising vote of appreciation be given the Recording Secretary. Carried.

Motion by Miss Harden that a vote of appreciation be given the Treasurer. Carried.

Song—"Keep the faith"—by the Conference, after which the 28th Annual Conference was declared adjourned.

The entire conference and guests attended a brilliant reception at the home of Hon. and Mrs. Frank Harrold.

MRS. OSCAR McKENZIE,
Rec. Secretary.

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, ATHENS, GEORGIA. OCTOBER 14, 1925.

The Executive Board of the Georgia D. A. R. met with the State Regent, Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, at her home in Athens, Wednesday, October 14th, at ten thirty o'clock A. M., the State Regent presiding.

Members of the Board present were: Officers—Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, Mrs. A. L. Wilkins, Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin, Mrs. Julian McCurry, Mrs. B. C. Ward, Mrs. Mell Knox and State Chairmen—Mrs. Jas. L. Logan, Mrs. C. E. Pittman, Mrs. Howell Simons, Mrs. E. B. Everett, Mrs. W. B. Daniel, Mrs. B. A. Tyler, Mrs. R. K. Rambo, Mrs. Bun Wylie, Mrs. W. L. Hodges, Mrs. W. E. Mann, Mrs. W. H. Fortson, Mrs. J. L. Walker, Mrs. W. S. Coleman, Mrs. George Hodgson, Mrs. Lee Trammel Mrs. Howard McCall, Mrs. W. F. Dykes, Miss Virginia Harden, Mrs. Sanford, Mrs. W. B. Smith, Mrs. John Hutchinson, Mrs. H. D. Allen, Mrs. E. L. Griggs, Mrs. Eli Thomas, Mrs. Peter Brown, and Mrs. J. H. Nicholson.

The Lord's Prayer was repeated in concert.

Mrs. McKenzie being absent, Mrs. Mell Knox was appointed to act as recording secretary.

With Mrs. Wilkins, State First Vice Regent presiding the, State Regent read her report of the work done since the last Conference. Her first duty was the publication of the "Proceedings" as Mrs. McKenzie was very ill at that time, and Mrs. Talmadge expressed her gratitude to Mrs. McCurry, Mrs. Tyler and the Press Committee for their generous assistance.

Two chapters have been confirmed since Conference. Three will be confirmed on October 22nd, making a total of eight organized so far in this administration.

Four new state committees have been appointed.

The completion of our \$5,000.00 Student Loan Fund, our pledge of \$1000.00 to the Auditorium, the publication of the 4th volume of the Joseph Habersham Historical Collections, and the completion of Georgia Bay were named the four outstanding objectives for the year.

An old spinning wheel and Flag reel were obtained by the State Regent, and she will present these to Memorial Continental Hall.

Mrs. Wylie moved "That the report be accepted with a rising vote of thanks, with the recommendations referred to Resolutions Committee". Seconded and carried.

State Regent resumed chair.

Reports of Mrs. Wilkins, State First Vice-Regent, Mrs. Franklin, State Second Vice-Regent, and Mrs. Julian McCurry, State Corresponding Secretary were accepted as given.

Mrs. Coney, State Treasurer, made report and in the general fund there was \$5308.48. Report stood approved as read.

At this time Mrs. Coney gave the report of Mrs. J. T. Wood, Chairman, "Georgia Bay Washington Memorial Chapel at Valley Forge" Committee. The fund is complete at the dedication services the latter part of this month, Mrs. Howard McCall has accepted an invitation to be on the program. Report accepted as read.

Mrs. Ward, Auditor, made report, which was accepted.

The report of Mrs. Wilson, State Consulting Registrar was read and accepted with resolution referred to Resolutions Committee.

The report of Mrs. Knox, State Editor, was accepted as given.

Mrs. Howell Simmons, Chairman of Arrangements, presented a tentative program for the State Conference in Americus.

Mrs. McCall moved "That State Conference meet in March, preferably the last week". Motion prevailed.

Mrs. E. B. Everett, Chairman Credentials was introduced.

Mrs. Logan, State Chairman of Americanization, and Mrs. Herbert Franklin, Chairman of Bonds for National D. A. R. Auditorium, gave their respective reports, which were accepted as given.

A letter from Mrs. Cook, President General, in reference to the purchasing of boxes and individual seats in the New Auditorium was read.

Mrs. Wilkins moved "That the Executive Board recommend to State Conference that the D. A. R. of Georgia pledge \$1500.00 for a box in the New Auditorium and that the box be spoken for immediately". There were many seconds and the motion was unanimously carried.

Reports of Chairmen were given and accepted as follows: Mrs. Daniel, Chairman, Conservation and Thrift; Mrs. Tyler, Chairman, Co-Operative Relations Between D. A. R. and S. A. R.; Mrs. Rambo Chairman, Correct Use of the Flag; and Mrs. Ward, Chairman, D. A. R. Magazine.

Mrs. Wylie, Chairman D. A. R. Student Loan Fund reported a total contribution to date of \$4072.22. Loans of \$750.00 have been

made from this fund, four applications are on file. Report accepted as given.

Mrs. McCall spoke very earnestly on the Loan Fund as the plan was conceived during her state regency.

Reports of Chairmen were given and accepted as follows: Mrs. C. E. Pittman, Chairman, Armistice Day; Mrs. W. L. Hodges, Chairman, Educational Loan Funds for Local Schools; Mrs. McCurry, Chairman, Educational Moving Picture Films; Mrs. Mann, Chairman, Fannie Trammell Memorial Loan Fund; Mrs. Fortson, Chairman, Flag Day; Mrs. Walker, Chairman, Forrestry; Mrs. Coleman, Chairman, Gift Scholarships; Mrs. George Hodgson, Chairman, Historic Post Cards; Mrs. Lee Trammell, Chairman, International Day, February 6th; and Mrs. McCall Chairman, Legislation.

Mrs. W. F. Dykes, Chairman, Lucy Cook Peel Memorial reported the memorial book will be released by the publishers, November first and sold at three dollars per copy. Orders were placed by many members of the Board. Report accepted.

Miss Virginia Harden, Chairman, Marking Old Jackson Trail, gave her report and asked that a member of the Gov. John Milledge Chapter be added to her committee. The request was granted by the State Regent who will name the member later. The report was accepted.

Motion made by Mrs. Thomas "That the State Chairman compile a list of the graves of Revolutionary Soldiers which have been marked and give the location of the graves" was carried.

Mrs. McCall reported her attention had been called to the fact that graves of three revolutionary soldiers in or near Clarke County are unmarked. Mrs. McCall will obtain fuller information for the State Chairman.

Mrs. Wilkins moved "That a letter be sent to Mrs. Jones, Albany, expressing the love and sympathy of members of the Executive Board", which motion carried.

The reports of Mrs. Smith, Chairman, Memorial Caroline Scott Harrison, and Mrs. Hutchinson, Chairman, Member D. A. R. on Board Directors Anti-Tuberculosis Association, were accepted as read.

Mrs. Allen, Chairman Old Trails, moved "That the Old Trails Roads Committee be given authority to send letters to chapters for free will offerings to National Old Trails". Motion prevailed.

Designs for markers for the Old Trails Roads in Georgia were submitted by Mrs. Allen to the Executive Board.

The report of Mrs. Griggs, Organizing Chairman, accepted.

Mrs. Wilkins, Chairman, Patriotic Education, made report. There is \$873.00 credited to the D. A. R. of Georgia in Washington, on this year's work. Report accepted as given.

Mrs. McCurry, Chairman, Pledge of \$1000.00 for National D.A.R. Auditorium, reported forty chapters have contributed \$1210.20. Report accepted as given.

Mrs. Thomas, Chairman, Preservation of Historic Spots, made her report, which was accepted as given.

Motion by Mrs. Thomas "That as the Chapter at Gray is not ready to place marker, and as the Nathaniel Macon Chapter has all necessary data, that the \$50.00 pledged to Gray be given to the Nathaniel Macon Chapter, and that \$50.00 from this year's contribution be held in reserve for the Oliver Morton Chapter, Gray". Motion prevailed.

The reports of Mrs. Peter Brown, Chairman, Scrap Book; Mrs. Nicholson, Chairman, Sulgrave manor; Mrs. Caldwell, Chairman Thomas Jefferson Memorial; Mrs. Lewis, Chairman, Welfare of Women and Children; Mrs. Gaffney, Chairman, Woodrow Wilson

Day; were accepted as given, the recommendation of Mrs. Gaffney was referred to the Resolution Committee.

The report of Miss Edmundson, Chairman, Lineage Books was read and accepted. Motion by Mrs. Tyler "That Miss Edmundson be authorized to purchase missing volumes from the Georgia D. A. R. as the Treasurer General can supply these volumes" carried.

Report of the Resolutions Committee by Mrs. Wilkins as follows: Resolution Number 1. By Mrs. Talmadge, State Regent.

As glass tops for the tables, which we have virtually promised the Georgia Room, Administration Building, Washington, have never been sent, and whereas the top for the larger table will cost \$18.00 and one for the smaller table, \$14.00, that action be taken as to whether or not, \$7.00 be added to the \$25.00 in the Georgia Room Fund and forwarded for the purchase of the glass tops.

Mrs. Ward explained the unavoidable delays encountered, but assured the Board that the top will be placed on the larger table by Mr. Coolidge, through the Joseph Haversham Chapter, as previously promised.

Resolution withdrawn by Mrs. Talmadge.

Mrs. McCall moved "That we purchase a glass top for the smaller table, through Mr. Collidge if possible, details left to the State Regent". Motion prevailed.

Resolution Number 2. By Mrs. Talmadge, State Regent.

As one of our own Georgia Daughters, Mrs. R. P. Brooks, of Forsyth, has compiled much splendid material into a book called "The History or Evolution of the Flag", and because this book will be a very valuable reference book for our public schools, it is recommended the D. A. R. of Georgia use their influence in having this book, when it shall have been published, placed in the schools of their communities and that they shall encourage the sale of the book.

Chairman moved the adoption of the resolution with recommendation to Conference. Carried.

Resolution Number 3. By Mrs. Talmadge.

As the plan of eliminating all toasts and speeches during the luncheon hours and at social affairs of the last Conference, made it possible to carry out all business punctually, it is recommended that the same plan be adhered to, at the next Conference.

Chairman moved the adoption of the resolution with recommendation to Conference. Carried.

Resolution Number 4. By Mrs. Talmadge, State Regent.

It is recommended that all money collected for the Georgia Bay in excess of the amount stipulated for this project, be diverted to the \$5000.00 D. A. R. Student Loan Fund.

Chairman moved the adoption of the resolution with recommendation to Conference. Carried.

Resolution Number 5. By Mrs. Talmadge, State Regent.

Whereas, \$1000.00 of our D. A. R. Student Loan Fund is being used as a revolving fund, it is thought best to invest the remaining \$4000.00 when it shall have been collected, and use only the interest on this sum, instead of the principal, and

Whereas, the Auditorium Bonds, paying 6% interest presents an opportunity unsurpassed as an investment from the standpoint of safety, high rate of interest, and patriotism,

It is recommended, that \$4000.00 of the D. A. R. Student Loan Fund be invested in these bonds, and that the Board authorize the State Treasurer to purchase these bonds when they are placed on the market.

Moved by Mrs. McCall as a substitute motion, "That the Executive Board recommends that the State Regent bring a full detailed re-

port as to the investment of the \$5000.00 Student Loan Fund and report to the next Executive Board meeting". Motion prevailed.

Resolution Number 6. By Mrs. W. S. Wilson, State Consulting Registraar.

Whereas, Many errors were found in the summary of members reported by Chapters at former conventions, and

Whereas, If we are to have a complete and accurate roster of Georgia D. A. R. according to Miss Edmundson's outline, it becomes necessary that these lists be made again, therefore

Be it resolved, That each chapter be asked to make a new report, and in order to enhance the value, that the names of wives and children of ancestor be added to the roster. Also,

Be it resolved, That these lists be typed by the chapter sending in, making two copies on the regulation size bond paper, 8½ x 11. These to be well bound, and placed in our state archives, and in the office of Consulting Registrar.

Chairman moved the adoption of the resolution with recommendations to Conference. Carried.

Resolution Number 7. By Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, State Chairman, Woodrow Wilson Day Program.

Resolved that the State Board D. A. R. endorse most heartily the erection of the Woodrow Wilson Memorial College, Valdosta.

Chairman moved the adoption of the resolution with recommendation to Conference. Carried.

A letter from Elubridge Colby, Captain Infantry, U. S. A., was read, in which he asked the co-operation of the Georgia D. A. R. in placing a marker at Fort Benning along the Old Federal Road to commemorate a visit of General LaFayette.

Motion by Mrs. Gaffney "That the letter be turned over to Chairman, Preservation of Historic Spots for consideration and that action be taken by that committee", was carried.

Mrs. Hutchinson moved "That permission be given the State Regent and Mrs. Allen, Chairman Old Trail Roads, to decide on the marker to be used in marking old trails roads in Georgia".

Motion prevailed.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned to be entertained by Mrs. Talmadge at a beautifully appointed luncheon.

MRS. MELL KNOX.

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD, AMERICUS

March 16th, 3 O'clock P. M.

The Executive Board of the Georgia Society D. A. R. met in the Sunday School Room, First Methodist Church, Tuesday afternoon, March 16th, 1926, at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Julius Talmadge, State Regent, presiding.

The Regent expressed greetings and good wishes to the Executive Board.

The minutes of the Executive Board of Oct. 16, 1925 were read and approved as corrected.

Mrs. McKenzie expressed appreciation to Mrs. Knox for her services as Recording Secretary at Executive Board meeting in October.

Mrs. Howell Elam, Chairman of Program read the program for the conference.

Motion by Mrs. A. L. Wilkins that report be accepted as read with thanks. Seconded. Carried.

Mrs. A. L. Wilkins acting as Chairman of Resolutions in the temporary absence of Mrs. Land, chairman of Resolutions. All resolutions adopted by Executive Board with recommendation to

Conference for ratification, to be presented by chairman of Resolution committee, will appear in full in report of resolution committee.

Mrs. Dykes presented book of Georgia Chapters and stated the book was paid for except \$100, amount paid for books \$1377.00 and presented Vol. I to the State Regent.

The State Regent expressed her appreciation of the book and spoke of its splendid value. Mrs. Dykes opposed a collection for books on a per capita basis, and suggested that each chapter give a flat sum.

Mrs. McCall spoke highly of the value of the book and told of some valuable information in hand for a second Volume of this history and moved chapters over 100 give \$5 and under 100 give \$2.50 and Mrs. Knox made a substitute motion that chapters of 50 and over give \$5 and under 50 give \$2.50.

Mrs. Davidson withdrew resolution. Substitute Resolution as offered accepted—to be re-written and handed to Chairman of Resolution.

Resolution No. 9. Chairman moved adoption of Resolution with recommendation to Conference. Seconded and carried.

Motion by Mrs. Knox that Rules governing application for Valdosta School scholarship be included in Report of Mrs. Ingram and published in proceedings. Seconded and carried.

Motion by Mrs. McCall that hereafter D. A. R. Student Loan includes all loan funds in Georgia, and be called the Georgia D. A. R. Student Loan Fund. Seconded and carried.

Motion to adjourn. Approved by Committee.

MRS. JULIAN McCURRY,
Mrs. A. L. WILKINS,
MRS. JULIUS TALMADGE.

MINUTES OF MEETING OF GEORGIA DELEGATION IN WASHINGTON, TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 1925.

An informal meeting of the Georgia delegation to the Continental Congress was called Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock on the South Portico of Continental Memorial Hall, presided over by the State Regent, Mrs. Julius Talmadge. Photographs of the delegation were made and the meeting was transferred to the Main room, where the Lord's Prayer was said, followed by a brief address by the State Regent, in which she paid tribute to the efficiency of Mrs. McCall, retiring Vice-president General from Georgia and told of the urgent call that Mrs. McCall had received from the delegations of many states to allow her name to be brought forward as a candidate for President General at the next election. Mrs. McCall made brief response, expressing her gratitude for the loyalty and devotion of her Georgia Daughters but saying that it seemed impossible at this time for her to let her name be brought forward as a candidate. She invited the delegation to what she termed her "coming out" party—a tea at which the President General would help her receive and at which time she would formally bid farewell to the national officers with whom she had served during her term of office.

Mrs. Talmadge expressed the thanks of the delegation to Mrs. Little for her invitation to the dance given Monday evening by the Georgia Society of Washington to the Latin-American colony.

Mrs. Tiller extended an invitation to a buffet supper.

A vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Charles Herrick for her courtesy in exchanging rooms with Mrs. McCall for entertaining, the room engaged for Mrs. McCall's party being too small.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned, the

members of the delegation remaining for a prolonged social hour.

Those present were: Mrs. Talmadge, State Regent, Mrs. McCall, Vice-Pres. General, Mrs. Z. W. Oglesby, Mrs. W. M. Pierson, Mrs. Theodore Tiller, Mrs. John M. Bryan, Mrs. Julian McCurry, Mrs. J. C. Upshaw, Miss Virginia Hardin, Mrs. Robert Burgess, Mrs. Charles Rice, Mrs. Edwin Stuart, Mrs. Gordon Grover, Mrs. Chas. Council, Mrs. Glenmore Greene, Mrs. J. W. Woolfolk, Mrs. Julian Smith, Mrs. Porter Walker, Mrs. Guilford Cannon, Jr., Mrs. J. C. Gentry, Mrs. J. Alva Weaver, Mrs. John D. Pope, Mrs. J. H. Nicholson, Mrs. S. P. Vandershire, Mrs. J. A. Garrard, Mrs. Pat Bray, Mrs. O. F. Kaufmann, Mrs. J. F. Little, Mrs. Chas. Larridan, Mrs. J. M. Hulsey, Mrs. Thomas Mell, Mrs. B. E. Hatch, Miss Lillian Tidwell, Mrs. Eli Thomas, Miss Willie Fort Williams, Miss Rachael Griggs, Miss Louise Hayes, and Mrs. W. E. Mann.

MINUTES OF THE GEORGIA DELEGATION, WASHINGTON, APRIL 20, 1926.

The Georgia delegation, D. A. R., was called to order by the State Regent, Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge in the Maine room of Memorial Continental Hall, April 20, 1926.

The Lord's prayer was repeated in concert.

Those answering the roll call were: Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, State Regent; Mrs. Howard McCall, Ex-Vice Pres. Gen'l.; Mrs. Mrs. Abner L. Wilkins, First Vice Regent; Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin, Second Vice Regent; Mrs. Julian McCurry, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Wilbur M. Coney, Treasurer; Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, Mrs. Theodore Tiller, Mrs. W. B. Daniel, Mrs. Lucius McConnell, Mrs. John M. Slater, Mrs. Charles L. Rice, Mrs. J. C. Gentry, Mrs. A. R. Colcord, Mrs. Thomas C. Mell, Mrs. E. R. Kirk, Miss Hazel Kirk, Mrs. J. L. Walker, Mrs. E. B. Coddington, Mrs. Frank Hearn, Mrs. J. P. McClean, Mrs. J. L. Little, Mrs. Rosa M. McMaster, Miss Rosa McMaster, Mrs. J. O. Cooper, Mrs. E. L. Ackiss, Mrs. Stuart Colley, Mrs. Edmund F. Cook, Mrs. T. J. Jones, Mrs. F. L. McIntyre, Mrs. Herbert Stubbs, Mrs. J. W. Oglesby, Mrs. W. E. Mann, Mrs. H. L. Smith, Mrs. C. J. Sheehan, Mrs. J. W. McArthur, Miss Brownie Perry, Miss Nell Adamson, Miss Blanche Gaffney, Mrs. L. B. Stone, Mrs. Eugene Cox, Miss Ella Powell, Mrs. Sandford Gardner, Mrs. T. D. Power, Mrs. J. W. Hooks, Mrs. O. F. Kauffman, Mrs. J. L. McGee, Mrs. Samuel Vanduslace, Mrs. J. H. Nicholson, Miss Runa Erwin, Miss Gertrude Shemwell, Miss Sarah Steele.

In a few well chosen words Mrs. Talmadge greeted the Georgia Daughters for the last time as State Regent and expressed her appreciation for the splendid co-operation given her during her administration.

Mrs. Hooks, regent of the newly organized chapter at Gordon, was introduced to the delegation by the State Regent.

The State Regent announced that funds to the amount of \$365 were available in the treasury and that if it were the wish of the delegation these funds could be used for the purchase of auditorium chairs. Mrs. Franklin moved that this money be used toward purchase of three chairs. Motion seconded by Mrs. Coney and carried unanimously.

Mrs. J. W. Oglesby announced that a chair would be presented by the Hannah Clarke Chapter in honor of Mrs. J. L. Davidson.

Mrs. Talmadge introduced Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin, State Re-

gent elect, and presented to her the ribbon of her new office which Mrs. Franklin gracefully accepted.

Mrs. Lindsley, National Vice-Chairman of D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, was then presented who explained to the delegation a new and novel way of raising funds for chapter treasuries.

After an explanation of the manner of voting by the State Regent, the meeting adjourned.

MRS. ABNER L. WILKINS,
Recording Secretary pro tem.

ADDRESS OF WELCOME

J. E. Mathis, Superintendent of Public Schools.
Madam Regent and D. A. R.:

A man asked me today the meaning of the letters, D. A. R. displayed all over town. Of course I told him they stood for Daughters of the American Revolution, but as I look over this assembly to-night, the letters suggest numerous things; for instance, "D" suggests daguerreotype, pictured reminder of "lavender and old lace". Dainty damsels decked in damask; dapper Daphnes daring and dauntless but darling; decorous and delightful dames; dear, debonair, decollete debutantes. All delectable delegates dedicated to the defense of our democracy; diamonds in the diadem of this republic; discreet but determined daughters in public life, deft and diligent in domestic duties.

"R" does not suggest radio, broadcasting everything told to it, nor racy, nor radical, nor "rag-bone-and-hank of hair," nor riddle nor rattle-trap, nor rodomontade. But when your regal regent came in, a radiant Rhea with her royal retinue, I thought that "R" might well stand for rosemary, rings and romance. Faries from fairy-land you seemed, yet we know you are real, and that matters replete with reason will engage you in this convention.

We deem it fitting that a word of welcome should be given you in behalf of the schools because your by-laws set out your object as "the preservation of the memory of our Revolutionary patriots, the study of their history, and the education of our youth in patriotic ideals and in the duties of citizenship."

At your last annual convention, Mrs. Bun Wylie began her report with "Education is one of the greatest and most powerful uplifting forces known to mankind." Hence, we school folks know that with you, we are with friends; therefore, representing the public schools, the glory of the educational work of America, I greet you as co-workers in shaping the characters of the men and women of the oncoming generation, and molding the history of today.

The Board of Public Education, the teachers and all the pupils of our public schools, extend their hands to you in most cordial welcome, and with their hands go their hearts.

Mrs. Frank Harrold also welcomed the convention in her usual charming and brilliant manner, in behalf of the Council of Safety Chapter.

RESPONSE TO ADDRESS OF WELCOME BY MRS. CHAS. F. RICE

It was Josh Billings who said that "he did not care how much anyone talked if he would only say it in a few words." If I could unfold to you in a few words the emotions of my heart I shall be satisfied.

When Americus opens her generous portals to guests, it is a very charming thing to be the one to respond to her welcome. She is so well known as the sine qua non of lavish, elegant, gracious hospitality that it is a pure delight to visit her. If we as guests can only vie with her as hostess, this visit of ours will be memorable in the annals of the Daughters of the American Revolution Conferences.

We have come to you with an earnestness of purpose and with business of importance to be transacted, but we shall not be too busy to enjoy your hospitality. Conferences such as this develop our patriotism, enlarge our vision and enhance our usefulness in our chosen spheres of activity. If you will be half as regretful when we leave you, as we shall be to leave, our happiness will be obtained.

To your warmth of greeting and your evidences of welcome, I beg you to accept from me personally and from the Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution thanks and grateful appreciation. Again thanks!

ADDRESS OF MRS. JULIUS TALMADGE

State Regent, D. A. R. of Georgia, on Opening Evening of Conference.

Madam Hostess Regent, Officers, Distinguished Guests, Daughters of Georgia:

This happy occasion is tinged with a certain degree of sadness for me, for the thought keeps recurring to me, that after this Conference, I shall no longer be your State Regent, that I must lose the close association which has existed between us for the past two years. But tho' you will owe allegiance to another Regent, I shall never relinquish my claim upon you. To me you shall always be my own DAUGHTERS.

There is a certain solemnity in facing an audience of Daughters of the American Revolution. One sees not only the visible audience—one sees the generations of American lineage back of it. One seems to be facing America itself—our America, as the generations back of us have molded it. You, of unbroken descent from the forefathers of the Revolution, and the forefathers back of them, you stand for America—you are the embodiment of America's past—you and your children are the hope of America's future.

The meaning of the American Revolution is now clear to us in its double aspect. On the one hand, it was conservative. It had as its purpose, the preservation of the ancient rights of English freedom, which were not new, even when they were set out in the Great Charter in the day of King John. On the other hand, it represented the extension of the right of the people to govern themselves. For the first time, there was put into practice, the principal of "Governments deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed." That principal, there declared and established, has been expanding in its influence from that day to this. The right of the people to rule has become more and more broadly extended—more and more widely recognized. In its latest extension, it has included the enfranchisement of Women.

All of this has been the result of the spirit of the times. It has been accompanied by one of the most terrible convulsions that the human race has ever known. The face of the earth has been changed, and institutions of popular governments everywhere, have been put to a supreme test. In it all, there is a challenge to those who believe that self government is strong enough to prevent disorder, wise enough to provide freedom, righteous enough to establish justice and humane enough to show mercy. This is a challenge that we cannot ignore. We must meet it and answer it, and by our readiness to endure sacrifices, demonstrate our faith. It is not enough to be Daughters of the American Revolution; it will not do, merely, to rely on the Constitution and the law of the land. Institutions, whether adopted long ago or of recent origin, are of themselves, entirely insufficient. All of these are of no avail, without the constant support of an enlightened public conscience. But still more is needed. Our only salvation lies in the ever present vigilant and determined action of the people themselves. The heroic thought and action of the Revolution must forever be supplemented with the heroic thought and action of today.

Ours is indeed a land of Liberty—a government of liberty—but of liberty under the law. The law is a set of rules, decided upon, imposed by ourselves. We make it, and so long as it is a law, we must abide by it, or we assist in tearing down every defense of the weak individual against the strong. To swear to support the

Constitution does not signify if that oath, be taken with the mental reservation, "except when my pleasure and convenience run contrary". Allegiance to one's country means allegiance to its laws—wholehearted loyalty in the market-place and in the home where the next generation will see it and learn it, daily, hourly, until it becomes a part of their very selves. I make this appeal to you in this way, because I feel there is a lack of thought, of consideration, of realization of whither leads this view, this notion, that a law of the land, made by and for all, is not binding on the consciences of those who have the means and the desire to violate it in private.

It leads toward anarchy!

There is grave danger in this laxity of thought, this indifference. And I know that your patriotism, your devotion to the welfare of your country, your aspiration to be worthy of your great forebears, once aroused, will be the mightiest force that can be asserted, to set the thoughtless of the country, right-about-face, and show them the danger to this country in their wilful disregard of law. Our country is safe, society is safe, only when the law is obeyed, not because it is enforced.

Life today is like one big question mark. Everybody is talking about problems, nobody solves them. Every body is asking questions, nobody answers them. There is too much questioning and denying, and too little affirming. We are being steeped in a literature of pessimism, of negations, of problems—ever problems—without solution. The result is a mass of ill-considered reforming and hectic organizing. Feverishly people get together to push this or to promote that—to tinker with the Constitution, to bombard the President, or Congress or the Legislature, to form leagues or anti-leagues, to organize nationally or inter-nationally, in the name of millions, who know little of what is being done in their name.

We need faith and a quiet closet of prayer.

Have we still that faith in the Divine guidance that brought the Mayflower across the Atlantic?

Are the fundamental virtues of honesty and justice the main-spring of business and politics? Along with our boasted education of mind and hand, are we building up character in our children? Are we teaching them industry and thrift and the dignity of labor—the labor that does honest work for honest pay and is not ashamed of it.

Nobility of character is as essential in the nation as in the individual. Upon us lies the responsibility of developing this character in our people—of fostering the virtues of the past—those solid, sturdy qualities that built up the nation, and which alone can preserve it.

Truth, honesty, integrity, modesty, justice, industry, thrift, honor, religious faith and a realization of spiritual values—these are what our country most needs today—these essential qualities of national character are what our ancestors would look for.

Without them, our educational work with the immigrant or the native would amount to nothing. With them, our problems are solved. Wherever they exist, no radicalism can flourish, no degeneracy, no immorality, no license. To perpetuate them, is our gravest responsibility as a Society. Let this thought be continually with us in our deliberations—the thought that we are among the character builders of the nation.

But we cannot build up character in others unless we have it ourselves—we cannot build up character in the nation, without individual character as the foundation stones. Our Country can be

no better than it's individuals, and we are each one of us, the individuals. Let us look well, therefore, to ourselves. We are, each one of us the guardians of our country's honor. We are living too selfishly. We are living without any thought that what we do affects in any way the state, or the nation, when we are really the guardians of the nation. Thousands of our ancestors gave themselves to their country, with but little, if any, reward. This was an unselfish service to the State.

Let us open our minds and hearts to the influence of their character and ideals—their clear distinction between good and evil. Let us realize that their austerities, their forbidding gloom, their supposed intolerance were but the products of the time. Hitherto, the unlovable in them has been unduly emphasized, the human in them has been lost sight of. But now, their dignity of soul, their nobility of character, their clear vision of truth have burst once more upon the world. Like the Prodigal Son, the nation is turning again to the fathers, it is learning to appreciate the mothers. As a Society, let us honor them, let us seek to understand them. Let us follow them in their hardships and their sacrifices, their joys and their sorrows. From them and others like them, the nation has sprung. We cannot forget them without losing some of the most priceless possessions of our heritage. Among these, the most precious, is their keen sense of righteousness. Let us not forget that God's righteousness rules in the world and the nation that violates this law, seals it's own destruction. America cannot compromise with the sin of Hun or Bolshevik. Our Society can do good service in character building, if it continues to honor our ancestors and teach to young and old the value of what they have bequeathed to us. If the character of our people remains what the patriots have made it—placing right above might—honor above expediency and self interest, honesty above greed, truth above intrigue and lying deceit, and the love of God above all else, then no evil can prevail against this nation.

Let us look well, therefore, to the character of the nation. Let us build it up and guard it as our most precious treasure. For this, the education of mind and hand is not enough—the education of the soul must be our care also.

Is the rising generation growing up with soul—with spiritual and not material ideals?

This is woman's chief responsibility!

A nation can rise no higher than the level of it's homes and the character of it's mothers. It has been said that, "The women of today can and will, make or mar the nation, by what they teach their children before the age of ten." I am not among those who denounce the youth of today. But I look upon much that they do, with grave concern. Biting criticism of tendencies that may well cause alarm, will accomplish nothing. You can lead but you cannot drive. The soul is there, even in the most thoughtless of them, ready to respond to the right appeal, and sympathetic leadership. But the ideals of hard, honest work, true patriotism and religion, will never be their guides, if these ideals are not to be found in our homes and in our schools. There is a widespread revolt today against hard work, whether of the hands or of the brain. The pernicious idea that labor is degrading is permeating all classes and ages.

Let us teach the dignity of labor of all kinds. He who serves is greater than kings on their thrones, no matter what the service if it be of benefit to one's fellow-man.

I believe this is one of the elements most needed today in the character of the nation; this sense of the dignity of labor. Let

us learn to take pride in doing our best—not in getting by with the least expenditure of effort. Work and pray—this is the Divine command. Bring work and prayer back into our daily lives. So shall the nation live and not perish.

The closet of prayer is not sought often enough, and Bibles are too dusty now-a-days. This wealth of literature, of spiritual aspiration, of exalted thought is a closed book to too many of this generation, whose family Bibles are no longer even an ornament on the tables.

Daughters of the Southland, look well to your American Mountaineer where the Bible is not forgotten. But how many of them cannot read that or any other book. From the Anglo-Saxon of your mountains comes the American stock that will replenish the ranks of Americans.

Education and Character—these two things belong to us to give our country. Do you realize that this Nation stands eighth among the Nations of the world in the scale of education! This is the startling statement contained in the last official report of the House Committee on Education. The Nation, the State, the local community, all three together must unite in an effort to remove this crying shame and give to the people in all our states an equal opportunity to learn. Is it not probable that the appalling illiteracy in this Country is one of the chief reasons why radical agitation has gained such headway. Radical propoganda feeds on ignorance, and it finds millions of illiterates to feed upon. Certainly, this nation-wide illiteracy, taken in connection with the flourishing spread of revolutionary propoganda has a deep significance for us all.

In this crisis, our own path of duty and opportunity as a society is clear and straight. It is our duty to offset this propoganda, by spreading the knowledge and understanding of American principals throughout the length and breadth of our land. Do not take it for granted that they are everywhere understood, for they are not. Do not take it for granted they are everywhere loved, for the Bolshivist and his kind, hold them in bitter hatred. Our Country is calling us to the colors today as truly as it did in 1917. In every Chapter we will answer the call, and preach the Gospel of Americanism!

We are well fitted to do this. For we are a National Organization, National in the scope of our work, National in our power and influence for good. Our National character has won us the recognition of our Government, and the appreciation and respect of the public. It is our National work which has made our Society great and influential. It is this which has made us an asset to our Government and to America.

Our Chapters are increasing, and should keep on increasing throughout the country. They are not independent Clubs. They are our National Society itself, simply working in groups. They are our valuable working units. Every chapter has a great task before it, to help counteract the mad spirit of destruction that is surging thro' the world.

There are many ways of doing this. Chief among them is the building up of National Character and the promotion of a right education. We must teach the plain truths of history, and develop an enlightened public opinion, based on the sound foundation of Christian character.

This is a specific work which every chapter in our Society ought to undertake. Each one must stand out openly for pure Americanism, without hyphenated mixtures.

If you love your Country and it's liberty, you must do all in

your power to rebuke the made talk of the progandist, no matter what his hyphen may be.

It is a blessed thing to be alive in these turbulent times, and able to do our part in bringing the world back to happiness and peace.

The deepest meaning of life, is service. The deepest meaning of our Society, is Patriotic Service—"Service of Home and Country." But this does not mean the trivialities of outward show—the waving of flags, the giving of social functions with patriotic favors. It means keeping our Nation true to itself and it's ideals. It means keeping our Nation in tune with the spirit of Washington and Wilson. An this can only be done, if the character of the people is in tune with theirs. Guard the home and the schools in which character grows. Keep alive the deep abiding love of Country, which counts no sacrifice too great. This is your peculiar mission, because of your heritage. Do not let other interests crowd it out. Do not let other Societies absorb all your time and attention.

Upon us lies the uttermost obligation. For we are among the character builders of the Nation. We are responsible for the making of loyal and intelligent citizens. Therefore, we must be loyal, intelligent citizens ourselves. Now that we have the supreme responsibility of the vote, we must give ourselves to both State and Nation, that they may be better for our having lived.

Like our honored fore-mothers, we must be filled with the same spirit of service, the same high faith the same all-absorbing devotion to an ideal.

In closing my last address to you as your State Regent, I have a legacy to bequeath to you. This legacy is the essence of my address to you tonight, condensed into four words—"Patriotism, Education, Character-Building, Faith". Keep an active Patriotism ever foremost in your hearts and minds. Increase your Loan Funds and Scholarships, all branches of your Patriotic Educational and Americanization work. Build up the character of your chapter, your Community, your State, your Nation, and keep a deep abiding Faith in God, and His Guidance.

Engrave these works upon your heart, and keep them for your slogan. And in the years to come, perhaps you may sometimes think of this administration and the Regent who loved you so well. And if you do, will you not also think of these words which she left with you—"Patriotism, Education, Character-building, Faith." The words which embody the work and ideals of our beloved Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.

OFFICERS REPORTS

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE STATE REGENT,

Mrs. Julius Talmadge, to the Twenty-eighth State Conference Daughters of the American Revolution.

As we come at last to the end of our wonderful years together my heart seems to stand still for a moment as the realization comes to me that our close and sweet relationship must so soon be severed—that I shall never again be able to call you "mine alone".

These years of service have been years of happiness, for you have been so loyal, so considerate, so kind always, that nothing could have been the result but happiness.

As I attempt to give you a review of our year's achievements, I find my self again thinking in the terms of the Tapestry Weaver. For nothing seems to typify our work so well as those "Spinners in the Sun", who are constantly weaving with their golden threads a perfect design of beauty and symmetry upon a background glowing with high purpose and ideals. This year there is no shadow hanging over the glory of our handiwork. It seems to me it has all been radiant and beautiful. Our picture is finished, the last threads are drawn—the story is told and we are ready to view the finished product, which at the last Conference was still in the making.

Patriotic Education.

Our Patriotic Work has progressed along all lines. Each Chairman, whose committee comes under this general head, has done all possible toward the increase of our scholarships and the advancement of education in our state. Gift Scholarships amount this year to \$8,018.82.

To Martha Berry, Thomassee, Meadow Garden, Kenmore, other National Schools, etc., Georgia has contributed \$430.50.

Amount expended for miscellaneous work is \$8,614.32.

Many chapters have used Patriotic lectures and Lantern Slides.

Special interest has been manifested in preserving our forests and natural resources. Many historical trees have been reported to the National Chairman, and these trees will receive treatment from one of the foremost tree surgeons in the United States free of charge.

18,880 trees and shrubs have been planted along our highways and public parks.

To the list of Patriotic Days to be remembered, have been added, Woodrow Wilson Day and Sulgrave Manor Day. All special Patriotic Days have been generally observed by our chapters.

An increased interest has been shown in Girl Home Makers Clubs and in International Relations. Many Old Trails and Post Roads have been marked and \$122.00 contributed to the National Old Trails Committee.

Our State Chairman of Creeds and Correct Use of the Flag has kept in touch with the chapters and through her efforts 12,682 copies of the Flag Code and 5,213 copies of the Constitution have been distributed. Twelve Historic Post Cards have been sent in; and medals and prizes valued at \$534.50 have been given. Many valuable Historical papers have been sent to the State Chairman.

The total amount for Patriotic Education is \$31,299.71.

Americanization.

The loyalty of our chapters to our National Obligations is very gratifying to your State Regent. \$1,032.25 have been sent to the Treasurer General for the Immigrant's Manual and \$159.00 for Ellis Island, making a total of \$1,191.25. Especial efforts have been expended to offset the work of propogandists who are seeking to gain a foothold in our communities and colleges. Every possible means is being used in the effort to eradicate this influence.

The Chairman of Anti-Tuberculosis Red Cross Seals has been active again this year in the Sale of Seals, and reports \$227.20 realized.

The total expenditure for Americanization is \$2,196.55.

D. A. R. Student Loan Fund,

Your State Regent is most happy to report that our \$5,000.00 Student Loan Fund has gone over the top by \$662.95. She wishes to take this opportunity to thank the State Chairman of this Committee for her wonderful achievement; and each chapter Regent, for the splendid co-operation which they gave her in making this possible. \$4,662.95 of this fund has been collected during the two years of this administration. Without your loyal support and enthusiasm this could never have been accomplished.

Contributions to our "Fannie Trammell Memorial Loan Fund", and all Loans made to our Local Schools amount to \$3,744.70.

The combined Loan Funds in Georgia at this time is \$19,024.15 and two additional Loan Funds of \$5,000.00 each, have been started.

Constitution Hall.

A new motive has been introduced into the design of our D. A. R. activities—this is the magnificent New Auditorium which is to be erected in Washington to be called "Constitution Hall". At Congress last year, Georgia pledged \$1,000.00 as a gift to the building. This pledge has been redeemed and \$700.00 additional given in individual gifts. Besides this Georgia has purchased 37 chairs, value \$4,650.00. Has paid \$1,500.00 in full payment for her Box, and we have purchased Bonds amounting to \$16,950.00, making a total of \$24,950.00 in disbursements for "Constitution Hall".

Genealogical Research and Preservation of Records

Many of our chapters have published records and histories of their counties, and a general interest has been manifested in this very important branch of D. A. R. work. I take pleasure in calling your attention to the splendid book, "History and Reminiscences of Dougherty County, Georgia," published by the Thronatesska Chapter of Albany, and to the "History of Baldwin County", published by the Nancy Hart Chapter, Milledgeville. They are rich in historical data and it would be well for each chapter to own one.

Lucy Cook Peel Memorial.

The "Historical Collections by Georgia Chapters" is off the press, and I take pride in recommending it to you. I hope a copy will be purchased by each chapter. This Committee deserves congratulations upon completing this splendid work before Conference, and paying off all indebtedness for publication, amounting to \$1065.00.

Lineage Books and Rosters

Additional data has been added to our Rosters, and sixty-one volumes to our Lineage Books, bringing our State Collection up to

a higher standard than ever before. Georgia still needs 21 Volumes to complete her set, and we hope that this will be done in the near future.

Educational Moving Picture Films.

Your State Chairman of Moving Picture Films has aroused new interest and enthusiasm in presenting good, patriotic pictures to the public.

Georgia Room

Our State Society has purchased a beautiful mahogany Book-case and cushions for chairs, for the Georgia Room in the Administration Building in Washington. Mr. Cooledge, of Atlanta, and the Joseph Habersham Chapter gave two glass tops for the desks. They add very much to the general appearance of the Georgia Room.

Legislation

Our State Chairman of Legislation has been faithful in the discharge of her duties and has kept in close touch with the Legislative Council of our Organizations for the furtherance of our D. A. R. interests.

Historic Sites and Monuments.

Sixty-five chapters have contributed their \$2.00 for marking Historical Sites, totalling \$130.00. Many County Maps have been finished and ----- Historical Spots marked.

Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves

Six Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves have been located and 15 marked. Four additional 'Real Daughters Graves' have been found since last report, and three marked. Fifteen graves of Daughters of Revolutionary Soldiers have been located and two marked.

Georgia Bay

It is very gratifying to report that the Georgia Bay was finished last October, and our debt entirely paid, with \$1,065.00 surplus. -

Library Extension

Many valuable books have been contributed to the Georgia Shelf at Memorial Continental Hall Library.

New Members and Chapters Organized

You will be interested to learn that Georgia's total membership now is 5,155. Allowing for loss, by death, by removal from the state and other causes, our membership still shows an increase of 488 during the past two years. Four chapters have been organized since last Conference:

The Conway-Knox Chapter at Ashburn, Mrs. J. A. Ewing, Organ'g. Regent.

The Jeffersonia Hawkins Chapter at Roberta, Mrs. Lewis Lucas, Organ'g. Regent.

The Roanoke Chapter at Lumpkin, Mrs. W. A. Fitzgerald, Organ'g. Regent.

And the John Ball Chapter at Irwington, Mrs. J. A. Hooks, Organizing Regent. These make a total of nine chapters confirmed during this administration. There are only four states in the Union having a larger number of chapters than Georgia; New York, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and Iowa.

Official Visits and Year Books

Your State Regent has again enjoyed the delightful privilege of visiting various chapters over the State. It was an inspiration to come into personal contact with so many of you, and a joy indeed to come so close to the heart of our organization. I am sorry that lack of time and space prevents me from giving a detailed account of these wonderful experiences. However, I wish you to know how thoroughly I appreciate the many delightful courtesies extended me. I also take this opportunity of thanking the many chapters for the beautiful and interesting Year Books which they sent me. Forty-one chapters have been visited during my term of office, and I have assisted in the unveiling exercises of several Markers and Monuments. One of these was in Chattanooga, Tenn., when a monument was placed over the grave of my ancestor, for whom one of the chapters in Chattanooga is named. The four chapters in Chattanooga entertained with a beautiful luncheon in honor of your State Regent and the State Regent of Mississippi who were visiting their childhood home at the same time.

Your State Regent has written several articles for the official D. A. R. Column of the Constitution and also for other papers in Georgia. She has attended four National Board Meetings in Washington since last Conference and has stood ready and eager to serve you at all times.

Recommendations

I recommend for your consideration:

I. That realizing the great need of Reciprocity between Genealogical Departments in the Southern States, and acting upon the suggestion of the State Regent of Alabama, that something of this kind be created: Georgia co-operate with the Alabama State Regent, and plans be formulated looking toward the establishment of a Reciprocity Department for Genealogical Research.

II. That, as our Registrar General, Mrs. James H. Stansfield, has brought to the attention of your State Regent, the fact that the court records, marriage records, wills, etc., of Augusta, Richmond County, and Chatham County, are rapidly going to pieces and because of the fading of the ink, and their general fragility, will soon become practicably illegible; and because our Southern records are scarce and unsatisfactory at best, Mrs. Stansfield pleads for the preservation of these records; the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund be used for the expense of copying these records in triplicate and certified as to their correctness and one copy be sent to the Library at Memorial Continental Hall.

III. That, since the \$5,000.00 D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, the Georgia Bay, and the \$1,000.00 pledge to the Auditorium at a cost of \$1,500.00; all surplus money from these funds be applied to our Box.

IV. Since \$750.00 of our Student Loan Fund is being used as a revolving fund, it is thought best to invest the remaining \$4,250.00, and only the interest on this sum, instead of the principal, be used; and as the Auditorium Bonds, paying 6% interest, presents an opportunity unsurpassed as an investment from the standpoint of safety, high rate of interest and patriotism; and that by recommendation of the Ex-Board, "that the State Regent bring a full, detailed report as to the investment of the Student Loan Fund", has been carried out. I recommend that the \$4,250.00 of the Student Loan Fund be invested immediately in the Auditorium Bonds.

V. That as Mrs. R. P. Brooks, of the Forsyth Chapter, has

published a book called "Our Flag", and because this book will be a very valuable reference book for our public schools; the D. A. R. of Georgia use their influence in having this book placed in the schools of their communities, and that they encourage the sale of the book in every way.

In Conclusion

It is gratifying to know that the four outstanding aims of this administration have been realized—the completion of the \$5,000.00 Student Loan Fund, the Georgia Bay, the \$1,000.00 pledge to the Auditorium, and the publication of the "Historical Collections of the Georgia Chapters". I do thank you from my heart for your co-operation in bringing this about. To the effort of each Officer, each Chairman, each Regent and Daughter is due this splendid report. It is a report of your work and I am indeed proud to bring the figures to you; and tell you that during this year, Georgia has expended,

\$40,044.41 for Patriotic Education and Loan Fund Work.

\$2,196.55 for Americanization.

\$24,950.00 for Constitution Hall, making a total of \$67,190.96. And the amount of disbursements for the two years of this administration is \$119,583.00.

It always hurts to break ties formed by love and close association, and when they have been as tender and true as ours have been, it makes me sad indeed to think of it.

As I look back over the two years we have had together, I seem to be gazing through a prism—and from each surface of the prism, there is reflected a different angle of your loyalty and co-operation. I see again the evidence of your steadfast friendship during my weeks spent in the hospital, and the months that followed, when your love and faith encouraged me. On up, step by step, I review your responses to the many requests I've made of you, to the obligations that piled upon you—the demands upon your time and energy that were constantly increasing; the splendid record you made last year, and the even finer one you made this year. I am very humbly grateful, for I know no State Regent ever had me so cordial support and more loving and unflinching consideration.

You will, of course, have better and more capable State Regents than I have been, but you will never have one who has given more of herself, who has tried harder to further the interest of our Organization or has loved you more than I. You have the love of my heart for all time. I think of you not only as D. A. R. but also as my beloved friends. When the new Officers come in, we shall stand together as lay members, and pledge to them our allegiance and support.

I ask this of you as a last request, for the honor and glory of our beloved Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.

REPORT OF STATE FIRST VICE-REGENT

Mrs. A. L. Wilkins.

My friends, mine is not a report of service but rather of willingness to serve.

For many months past as I have sat in the shadows of a great grief the knowledge that I was a part of this splendid administration has been my chief pleasure. It has been a real joy to have been so closely associated in the work with my beloved friend and State Regent, Mrs. Talmadge, and I am sure she has known and felt my desire to serve her and my state at any time. However, my recent great sorrow and impaired health have prevented any great activity on my part.

I thank you, my good and valued friends of Georgia D. A. R., for the confidence you have reposed in me, for the love you have given me throughout these sad months, manifested by your many beautiful letters to me. I love you every one.

I am happy to be with you. It seemed for a time that my health would prevent my coming to this conference but prayers avail much and today I am more than ever convinced of the truth of the little verse which says:

"Taint no use o' talkin',
Wishes do come true,
Once I wished a blessing
And God sent me you."

REPORT OF STATE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

Mrs. Julian B. McCurry

April 14, 1925	Conference expenses; telegrams -----	\$ 3.90
	Badges national conference -----	
	Fall Message -----	
	Regents letter -----	10.50
	Stamps -----	1.90
	Printed letter -----	5.25
	Fall Message and stamps -----	6.15
	Luncheon Invitation -----	3.08
	Spring message and reports -----	9.00
Feb. 2, 1926	Questionnaire -----	4.50
Feb. 6	175 Circular letters -----	4.50
	100 Information blanks -----	2.50
	200 Chapter Reports -----	4.64
March 10	200 Post cards and printing Ex. Board Americus -----	2.00
		\$ 58.00

REPORT OF STATE TREASURER

Mrs. W. M. Coney

Your State Treasurer is pleased to present her report for the year beginning April 1st, 1925, and ending March 16th, 1926.

Balance brought forward -----	\$ 5,607.05
Total receipts for the year -----	22,229.01

TOTAL -----	\$ 27,836.06
Less Disbursements by checks -----	20,403.89

Balance in Bank -----	\$ 7,432.17
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The above balance represents the following items:

Georgia Box -----	30.00
Student Loan Fund -----	4,912.95
Georgia Bay -----	1,061.59
Georgia Room -----	22.72
Forestry -----	5.00
Sungrade Manor -----	1.00
Historic Spots -----	155.50
Auditorium -----	207.15
State Dues -----	1,036.26

Balance -----	\$ 7,432.17
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My records show a paid membership of 4,827.

The above receipts and disbursements include all of the "returned amounts" from your Treasurer General, credited to the Georgia Chapters returned to your State Treasurer for local disbursements. These credits are itemized and shown on your Treasurer's cash book. The above named amount Student Loan Fund of \$4,912.95 represents only the actual amount in bank, the remaining \$750.00 is out as loans to four students.

57 Chapters have paid their full quota for all State and the National obligations.

Signal honor is due John Benson Chapter of Hartwell for full payment on May 29th, 1925, of State and National obligations, contributing to all State causes liberally. To John Benson Chapter is awarded the State Treasurer's prize, \$10.00 in gold. The prize given by Mr. Julius Y. Talmadge of Athens, Ga., of \$20.00 in gold is given for the Chapter expending the largest sum of money for all causes including the requirements of Honor Roll. This is to be prorated according to Membership.

This prize is awarded to Commodore Richard Dale, who with a membership of fifty paid a per capita of \$16.00.

HONOR ROLL IN ORDER NAMED

May—John Benson.

Especial credit is given the following Chapters for meeting Honor Roll requirements before January 1926.

June—Sunbury.

July—Governor John Milledge.

August—Col. William Few.

August—Baron DeKalb.

September—James Pittman, John Benning, Toccoa, John McIntosh, Nathaniel Macon, Elijah Clarke.

October—Tomochichi, Hawthorne Trail, William Marsh, Governor Edward Telfair, Commodore Richard Dale, Chattahoochee.

November—Peter Early, Cairo, Burkhalter, Nancy Hart, John Clarke, George Walton.

December—Othcaloga, Sarah Dickinson, Oglethorpe, Bainbridge, Button Gwinnette, Henry Walton.

January—Hawkinsville and Sylvester.

February—Thronateeska, Joseph Habersham, Brunswick, Benjamin Hawkins, Sergeant Newton, John Laurens, James Monroe, Governor Treutlen, Col. William Candler, Council of Safety, Governor Peter Early, Col. William McIntosh, Ochlocknee, John Houston, Major General Samuel Elbert, Gen. Daniel Stewart, Piedmont Continental, Augusta Chapter, Dorothy Walton, Matthew Talbot, Hancock, Noble Wymberly Jones, Fort Valley, Bonaventure, Peter Coffee.

REPORT OF STATE AUDITOR

Mrs. B. C. Ward

It is with great pleasure that your auditor reports books of Mrs. W. M. Coney, Treasurer, are neatly kept, accurately balanced and audit shows funds properly disbursed.

GEORGIA STATE LIBRARIAN'S REPORT—1926

Mrs. Jno. D. Pope

I submit the following report:

Last October 150 circular letters were sent to State Officers, Chapter Regents and Chairmen, asking that suitable books be contributed to Georgia shelves in Memorial Continental Hall Library, at Washington.

The second appeal was made in January, asking if books could not be given, would the Chapters give 10 cents per member, thus creating a State fund so that the Librarian could purchase books.

To those who contributed books or money we are grateful and heartily thank you for your generous gifts and cooperation.

To serve as your State Librarian for the past two years has been a privilege, and all should feel the deepest interest in this most interesting work, since it means the preservation of valuable records and history of our State.

Ga. D. A. R. have made the following gifts this past year:

Boyd Family Journal, W. M. Boyd, presented by Adairsville Chapter.

Descendants of Valentine Hollingsworth, Sr., J. A. Stewart, presented by Mrs. J. P. Champion, Com. Richard Dale Chapter.

Compendious History of Mercer Baptist Association, Robert H. Harris 1874-1914, presented by Hannah Clarke Chapter.

Historical Collections of Georgia, Chapters of Nat. Society D. A. R., presented by James Monroe Chapter.

Georgia as a Proprietary Province, 1917, Dr. McCain, presented by Baron DeKalb Chapter.

The Life and Times of Wm. H. Crawford, J. E. D. Shipp, presented by Council of Safety Chapter.

Georgia in the War 1861-1865, C. E. Jones, presented by Mrs. O. W. Jones, Gov. Edward Telfair Chapter.

15 vols. Historical Quarterly Magazines, and 2 Vols. Proceedings Georgia Historical Society, presented by Mrs. C. E. Pittman, James Pittman Chapter.

History of Thomas County, Georgia, from the Time of DeSo'o, to the Civil War, W. I. MacIntyer, presented by Mrs. C. S. Parker, Ochlochnee Chapter.

Revised Statutes of the United States and Additional Laws to 1844, Wm. B. Wedgwood, A. M., presented by Mrs. S. J. Jones, Thronateeska Chapter.

History of Crisp County, Ga., presented by Fort Early Chapter. Sketches of some of the First Settlers of Upper Georgia of the Cherokees and the Author, by G. M. Gilmer—\$8.00.

Genealogy of the Reese Family, by Miss Mary E. Reese—\$4.50.

History of Methodism in N. C., by Grissom—\$2.50.

Antiquities of the Southern Indians, by C. C. Jones, Jr.—\$6.00.

The Irish in America, by J. F. Maquire, M. P.—\$3.75.

History of Prince Edward County Virginia, by C. E. Burrell—\$4.00.

History of the United Brethren Church in Virginia, by Funkhouser & Morton—\$2.00.

The German and Swiss Settlements of Colonial, Pa., by Oscar Kuhn—\$1.50.

The Story of Winchester in Virginia, by Morton—\$3.75.

Virginia Wills Before 1799, by Clemens—\$4.00.

Old Saint Augustine, Story of Three Centuries, by Reynold—\$2.50.

Life and Service of Commodore Josiah Tattnall, by C. C. —ones—\$3.50.

Historical Records of City of Savannah, by Agnew—\$3.75.

Sketches of the Pioneers of Methodism in N. C. and Va., by Moore—\$1.50.

Memoirs of Elder Jesse Mercer—\$2.50.

The Cherokee Indians, by Parker—\$3.00.

Genealogy of the Gunn Family, by Robert R. Gunn—\$4.50.

The Hamptons of Virginia and South Carolina, Dr. Joseph L. Miller—\$4.75.

5 Vols. of L. G. Tyler's Encyclopedia of Virginia Biography—
\$28.00.

Sunbury Chapter sends in one subscriber and has used articles
—\$5.50.

Proceedings of the 27th State Conference of Ga. N. S. D. A. R.
held in Columbus, 1925.

Following Chapter year-books for 1925-1926:

Fort Valley, Oglethorpe, County John Milledge, John Clarke,
Savannah and Matthew Talbot.

Library funds received from Chapters: Atlanta, \$1.00; Bain-
bridge, \$1.00; Elijah Clarke, \$1.00; Gov. Jared Irwin, \$1.00;
Stephen Heard, \$1.00; Wm. Chandler, \$1.00; George Walton, \$1.85;
John Houston, \$2.00; Oglethorpe, \$2.00; Hannah Clarke, \$2.00;
Thronateeska, \$2.00; Cairo, \$2.50; Gov. Peter Early, \$2.50; Haw-
thorn Trail, \$3.70; Augusta, \$3.00; Fort Early, \$4.60; Lynian Hall,
\$4.80; Com. Richard Dale, \$50.00. Balance brought over from
1925, \$12.85. Total, \$99.50.

Total cost of books, \$99.50.

In conclusion I wish to say: Georgia History is needed in Geor-
gia shelves in Memorial Continental Hall Library.

REPORT OF STATE HISTORIAN

Mrs. J. N. Tally

Outside of answering a few letters of inquiry, my duties during
the past year have consisted in filling out and mailing the two re-
ports required by the Smithsonian Institution—one on Revolution-
ary Soldier's Graves and the other the general report of all work
done. A large volume of correspondence with many of the Chap-
ters was needed in order to perfect these. Both reports were duly
sent, and a fine showing made in each instance.

We reported during 1925 the locating of 36 graves of soldiers
of the Revolution with the requisite data and information as to
location furnished for each one. This is I am sure the largest num-
ber of graves ever reported as located in a single year.

In the general report the money expended for patriotic purposes
by the Chapters during the year totalled \$36,753.19.

REPORT OF STATE CONSULTING REGISTRAR

Mrs. W. S. Wilson

At the October meeting of the Executive Board, a resolution was
passed authorizing your Consulting Registrar to ask the chapter
registrars for additional information in their annual reports. To
this end a circular letter was sent to each chapter requesting that
to the names of ancestors be added the names of wives and child-
ren. This request made a big demand upon the time and courtesy
of the chapters and their registrars, and I was not unmindful of
this, nor did I fail to appreciate the fact that the information so
requested entailed the giving of data which had been gathered by
the expenditure of much effort, time and money. But it seems
that the end would justify this sacrifice, for giving is like affection:
". never is wasted;

If it enrich not the heart of another, its waters returning
Back to the fountain which gave it, will fill it full of perfection".
Through this channel of interchange we may become the high tide
which brings to shore precious freight, enriching both giver and
gift; and if our southern ranks are to be filled it will be largely
due to the giving of private records, for our published archives
are so limited. Let us vie with our northern sisters in swelling the
forces of our glorious organization which daily is growing in power

and importance, and not be willing to be the means of keeping one name from its honored enrollment.

To day there is being organized in the city of London a chapter of The Daughters of the American Revolution, but it follows that the data for such membership will have to come from this country, and we will have occasion to feel disloyal to our Society if we fail to give every assistance to this and similar undertakings.

Not only this, but through such information, kindred hands may be enabled to grasp each other, and messages may come from the West to the East—over mountains, rivers and plains, giving the history of unknown units of families, lost in the exodus of "The Covered Wagons" of time and space.

From the ninety letters sent to the chapters there were received only twenty replies, but this small percentage need not be a matter for discouragement, for this field of endeavor is new, but it needs to be recognized as one of the many ways through which we may "carry on" our efforts towards the Preservation of Historic Records. We can only reach ideals by reaching for them, and so this appeal goes to you in my last official report, hoping, if you do forget the "singer", you will not forget the "song", but bring next year to your new Registrar the "Oil of glad understanding", thus brightening our pages, and adding to the brilliancy of our accomplishments.

And now we, who have served you, are come to say "good bye" which means "God be with you". The time has been so short that we are as "Ships which pass in the night, and speak of each other in passing". But our "First Officer" has greeted you and named the port from which we are chartered, and the harbor to which we are bound. She has told you of the priceless cargo which we carry, and the colors under which we serve. That is all. "Ship Ahoy". Hail and—Farewell.

REPORT OF STATE EDITOR

Mrs. Mell Knox

The second year of my service to you as your State Editor is coming to a close. During my absence from Georgia last summer, Mrs. Leavy, Assitant State Editor, had charge of our column. My report does not cover that period of time.

Seven state officers have sent communications through our column there were eight last year; thirty eight state chairmen, thirty two last year; and reports of sixty five chapters have appeared, while last year only forty three different ones were heard from. If figures mean anything, certainly there is a growing interest in our column and a closer co-operation with the editor.

Special historical articles have been contributed and these were greatly appreciated.

Your state editor has a large correspondence, but early in the year count was lost, so you readily see, the letters were such a pleasure that I failed to realize they were a duty of an office. Letters of inquiry about our work and for general information about our Society were received from readers of our column who are not members of our organization, who live in Georgia and neighboring states. These inquiries I have answered promptly.

The Atlanta Constitution, our official organ, does not give us enough space to bring before the public the workings of our Society, in our state and elsewhere. This lack of space means cuts and omissions which are disappointing to chapter reporters and the editor. In no way does our desire for more space, diminish our gratitude to the Constitution officials for what they are doing for us now. The Assistant Managing Editor, Mr. P. W. Hammond, who

has charge of our D. A. R. material, has been very courteous and agreeable in his dealings with me, as your representative.

Mrs. Edgar Shipp, Jr., of the Hostess Chapter, who was appointed Conference Publicity Chairman, most ably and promptly sent conference notes and plans, the program, and the hostess and guest list for the paper.

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

"And to the editor of the Times-Recorder, the Hon. Lovelace Eve, we express our deep appreciation, for the splendid, progressive support and co-operation extended to the conference by his paper, not only of the very liberal fashion in which the sessions were handled, but for his personal interest and many courtesies extended."

Another twelve months under Mrs. Talmadge, have convinced me more firmly of her interest in, and love for our Society, her ability and her kindness and consideration.

It is impossible to mention individually those whose letters and reports have been a help and encouragement to me. If you have made any contribution to our column, please accept my thanks.

My term of office has been filled with most pleasant associations and I am grateful to you for the honor and privilege of having served you as State Editor of the Georgia D. A. R.

REPORT OF STATE ASSISTANT EDITOR

Mrs. C. H. Leavy

In the absence of the editor from the state, your assistant editor had charge of the D. A. R. column in the Sunday Atlanta Constitution, beginning about May 1st, and continuing through September 1st.

In addition to the messages of the state regent, Mrs. Talmadge, articles were contributed by Mrs. J. T. Wood, Mrs. Charles Akerman, Mrs. Alman Williams, Mrs. H. D. Allen, Mrs. Walker Jordan, and others, with also a special historical paper. A message from the President General, Mrs. A. W. Cooke, and an article by Mrs. Dora Harvey Develin, national chairman of the Philippine scholarship fund, were reprinted from the national D. A. R. magazine.

Many reports of meetings from various chapters were printed during the months I had charge, and I wish to sincerely thank each and every one who in any way aided the department. It has been a great pleasure and privilege to have been associated in the work with the State Regent, Mrs. Talmadge, and I desire to extend to her my sincere appreciation for her always courteous consideration, timely suggestions and valued assistance. May her "lines ever fall in pleasant places", and the bright star of her vast usefulness continue to shine more and more gloriously, as the years go by!

REPORT OF STATE CHAPLAIN D. A. R.

Mrs. J. A. Peacock

The honor conferred upon me by the State Conference, in electing me State Chaplain, is deeply appreciated.

It was a testimonial of the esteem and love you cherish for me and my prayers will ever ascend for our beloved organization.

I reported last year that sixty-one chapters had chaplains and all chapter meetings were opened with prayer. Since Conference at Columbus other chapters have reported the office of chaplain filled.

I have had two hundred cards printed with D. A. R. Ritual, the

Lord's prayer, Americans Creed and Flag Pledge, and distributed to Conference by permission of our State Regent. I most earnestly request the Conference to adopt the Ritual for the opening exercises of all their business sessions.

To the Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution:

"The years slip by, each Springtime goes the fleeter,
Because it leaves one less for us to live;
So, on this day I give you love completer
For it is all my loyal heart can give."

COMMITTEE REPORTS

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NATIONAL OFFICERS

-----	President General
-----	Vice-President General

STATE OFFICERS

(Mrs. Julius) May E. Talmadge	State Regent
(Mrs. A. L.) Bessie Peacock Wilkins	State First Vice Regent
Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin	State Second Vice-Regent
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Mrs. Julian McCurry	State Corresponding Secretary
Mrs. Wilbur M. Coney	State Treasurer
Mrs. B. C. Ward	State Auditor
Mrs. John D. Pope	State Librarian
-----	State Historian
(Mrs. W. L.) Carrie P. Wilson	State Consulting Registrar
(Mrs. Mell) Gertrude E. Knox	State Editor
-----	State Chaplain

STATE CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

- Arrangements—Mrs. Howell Simmons.
- Program—Mrs. Howell Elam.
- Credentials—Mrs. E. B. Everett.
- Pages—Mrs. C. M. Council.
- Homes—Mrs. Howell Elam.

STATE CHAIRMEN

Mrs. C. C. Pittman.	Mrs. Frank E. Johnston
Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin	Mrs. W. S. Dykes
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Mrs. John M. Slaton	Mrs. W. C. Verneen
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DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

1. Mrs. Jno. C. Sage, Children of American Revolution, Atlanta, Ga.
2. Mrs. Z. I. Fitzpatrick, Madison, Ga.
3. Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Ex-V. Pres. Gen., Atlanta Ga.
4. Mrs. S. V. Sanford, Vice-President Ga. State Fed. of Women's Clubs, representing Mrs. A. P. Brantley.
5. Mrs. J. E. Hays, Montezuma, Rec. Sec. General Federation of Women's Clubs.
6. Mrs. Oscar McKenzie, Pres. U. D. C.
7. Mrs. Charles F. Rice, State President Ga. Society United States Daughters of 1812.
8. Mrs. Frank Harrold, Ex-President General United Daughters of the Confederacy.

9. Mrs. Theodore Strawn, Reg. of Fla. D. A. R.
10. Mrs. H. H. Smith, Kenmore Association.
11. Mrs. John M. Slaton.

There were sixty-four chapters represented by the Regent or her alternate.

REPORT OF STATE COMMITTEE ON AMERICANIZATION

Mrs. Jas. L. Logan, Chairman

For several years it has been my pleasure to serve the D. A. R. as State Chairman and I have always felt it my duty to attend Conference if possible. This year I will have to send to you my dear friends and daughters my report on Americanization. Sickness for almost the entire year, and then "The Angel of Death" came into our home leaving us bereaved. It is with gratitude that I report the work accomplished by the Chapters during the year, and I wish to thank each Chapter for their cooperation.

Your Chairman has sent an Americanization letter to the Constitution which was published last September. A letter with bulletins and questionnaires was sent to ninety Chapters in the early fall. Three hundred letters and cards have been sent during the year to the Chapter Regents, and 78 Chapters have responded.

The following is the report of the Savannah Chapter on Americanization. Mrs. Frank E. Johnston, Regent:

Immigrants Manual	\$34.00
Ellis Island	2.00

Programs in observance of the following days have been presented:

Flag Day, Magna Charter Day, Constitution Day, LaFayette Day, Armistice Day, Woodrow Wilson's birthday, Georgia Day, George Washington's birthday, Theodore Roosevelt's birthday, Abraham Lincoln's birthday, Sixteenth anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America, International Day. Presented to High School Student for best essay on the Menace of the

Reds in America	\$5.00
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The Atlanta Chapter, Mrs. Lucius McConnell, Regent, reports having paid all its obligations.

Immigrants Manual	\$101.50
Ellis Island	2.00

American International Institute at Springfield, Mass.	5.00
Phillipine Fund	5.00

Two members of Atlanta Chapter and the Founders and Patriots of America are supporting eight orphans of the Near East, costing	480.00
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Box to Ellis Island	15.00
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Distributed 25 Greek manuals.
This Chapter has attended night schools in which are fifty foreigners and the Wonderful Opportunity school there are now enrolled 616 students being instructed in short hand, bookkeeping, salesmanship, beauty culture, millinery, sewing, and Americanization.

The Oglethorpe Chapter, Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, Regent reports as follows:

Immigrants Manual	\$ 22.50
Ellis Island	2.00
Red Cross	19.50

To Columbus Girl Scouts for best essay, subject General Oglethorpe.	5.00
To Columbus Camp Fire Girls for best essay, subject General Oglethorpe	5.00

Every patriotic day has been observed and great stress placed upon patriotic songs, flags used as decorations in pageants, and upon all special days, correct use of the flag, also salutes and pledges taught, lectures on Americanization.

The Joseph Habersham Chapter, Mrs. J. C. Gentry, Regent reports:

Immigrants Manual	\$106.50
Ellis Island	2.00

The Joseph Habersham Chapter Chairman of Americanization has visited the foreign classes in the Opportunity school of the public schools.

Has visited the classes held in the private homes of foreign mothers.

Has attended and assisted in arranging the parties given to the foreign mothers and their children.

Your chairman has helped and encouraged a little Russian mother with her two babies at the Atlanta Home, and recently gave a nice Bible which she has expressed a desire for.

And the especial work of your chairman has been that of teaching a family of four who came to America last May from Munich, Germany.

This family were very well off people and highly educated in their own language. These people have been daily taught the English language, assisted in their shopping and getting started to Church, and helped in receiving foreign packages and various and sundry other ways.

She visited the Customs Office and with them took out their first papers for American Citizenship. They took both of these extended journeys although they had no interpreter, they had no trouble whatever with their newly acquired English.

Dalton, Ga., Gov. John Milledge Chapter, Mrs. W. E. Mann, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 13.75
Ellis Island	2.00
Box for Ellis Island	20.00
Saanpersville, Ga., Gov. Jared Irwin Chapter, Mrs. C. D. Shelhut, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 2.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Martha Berry	5.00
Tennille, Ga., Major Gen. Samuel Elbert Chapter, Mrs. W. H. Colgate, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 17.75
Ellis Island	2.00
Martha Berry	1.00
Fort Valley, Ga., Gov. Treutlen Chapter, Mrs. B. H. Fincher, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 15.75
Ellis Island	2.00
Martha Berry	5.00
Cuthbert, Ga., Benjamin Hawkins Chapter, Mrs. G. Y. Moore, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 5.25
Ellis Island	2.00
Americanization educational purposes	1.00
Macon, Ga., Nathaniel Macon Chapter, Mrs. James Allen Smith, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 21.75
Ellis Island	2.00
Athens, Ga., Elijah Clark Chapter, Mrs. Hugh Rowe, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 21.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Red Cross	58.50
Milledgeville, Ga., Nancy Hart Chapter, Mrs. J. I. Garrard, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 13.50
Ellis Island	2.00
Amerization School	5.00
Waycross, Ga., Lyman Hall Chapter, Mrs. H. J. Carswell, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 11.75
Ellis Island	2.00
Red Cross Seals	85.00
Toccoa, Ga., Chapter, Mrs. Mary Jarrett White, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 5.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Box for Ellis Island	10.00
Jackson, Ga., William McIntosh Chapter, Mrs. J. B. Settle, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 8.75
Ellis Island	2.00
Martha Berry	2.00
Commerce, Ga., James Pittman Chapter, Mrs. E. C. Pittman, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 9.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Martha Berry	5.00
An address on Americanization.	
Albany, Ga., Com. Richard Dale Chapter, Mrs. J. P. Champion, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 12.50
Ellis Island	2.00
Red Cross	32.00
Martha Berry	10.00
Local School	7.00
Savannah, Ga., Bonaventure Chapter, Mrs. F. B. Elmore, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 8.25
Ellis Island	2.00
Box—Ellis Island—Value	15.00
Columbus, Ga., Burton Gwinnett Chapter, Mrs. T. D. Power, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 12.75
Ellis Island	2.00
Martha Berry	5.00
Program on Americanization.	
Albany, Ga., Thronatuska Chapter, Mrs. R. L. Jones, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 21.50
Ellis Island	2.00
Sponsored a cooking school also a night school for foreign born.	
Buena Vista, Ga., Lanahessee Chapter, Mrs. W. B. Short, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 2.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Medals and prizes in public schools	15.00
Patriotic songs in schools all patriotic days observed by Chapter.	

Brunswick Chapter, Mrs. A. M. Way, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 14.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Box—Ellis Island	2.00
Fort Valley Chapter, Mrs. Almon Williams, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 7.25
Ellis Island	2.00
LaGrange Chapter, Mrs. E. T. Moon, Regent reports:	
Manual	\$ 9.70
Ellis Island	2.00
Quitman, Ga., Hannah Clarke Chapter, Mrs. H. W. Stubbs, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 17.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Red Cross	10.00
Essay prize on American History	7.50
D. A. R. Medals	2.00
Perry, Ga., Gen. Daniel Stewart Chapter, Mrs. E. W. Taylor, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 8.25
Ellis Island	2.00
Box—Ellis Island	8.00
Martha Berry	2.00
Hawkinsville Chapter, Mrs. T. H. Bridges, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 13.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Sylvester Chapter, Mrs. H. C. Camp, Regent, Reports:	
Manual	\$ 9.75
Ellis Island	2.00
LaFayette, Ga., William Marsh Chapter, Mrs. A. R. Fortune, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 8.50
Ellis Island	2.00
Red Cross	50.00
Thomaston, Ga., John Houston Chapter, Mrs. Alva Moore, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 24.25
Ellis Island	2.00
Martha Berry	10.00
Americanization Program, including interesting papers on Ellis Island and Americanization.	
Winder, Ga., Sunbury Chapter, Mrs. Henry Pledger, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 6.95
Ellis Island	2.00
Sweeny Medal	5.00
For Excellence in History	2.50
D. A. R. Medal in City School and one in Mill School	3.00
Patriotic songs used in meetings and taught in Schools; 62 copies of Flag Code, Salute and Creed given; Patriotic Documents framed at a cost of	5.00
All Patriotic Days observed by Chapter.	
Sparta, Ga., Hancock Chapter, Mrs. Emily Brown, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 9.25
Ellis Island	2.00
Carlo Chapter, Mrs. W. B. Roddenbury, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 5.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Moultrie, Ga., John Benning Chapter, Mrs. W. C. Vereen, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 10.25
Red Cross Seals	10.50
Ellis Island	2.00
West Point, Ga., The Chattahoochee Chapter, Mrs. Jas. M. Wallace, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 9.25
Ellis Island	2.00
Clarkston, Ga., Baron DeKalb Chapter, Mrs. Frank Armstrong, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 9.25
Ellis Island	2.00
Martha Berry	10.00
Forsyth, Ga., James Monroe, Chapter, Mrs. J. L. McGee, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 10.50
Ellis Island	2.00
Martha Berry	2.00
Red Cross Seals	2.50
Monticello, Ga., Sergeant Jasper Chapter, Mrs. E. K. Tolleson, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 13.75
Ellis Island—Box, value	5.00

Dublin, Ga., John Laurens Chapter, Mrs. M. J. Guyton, Regent, reports:
 Immigrants Manual ----- \$ 14.75
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00
 Martha Berry ----- 5.00
 Red Cross Seals ----- 12.00
 Paper read on Americanization at Chapter Meeting.

Savannah, Ga., Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, Mrs. B. J. Purse, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 26.75
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00
 Box to Ellis Island ----- 5.00
 Martha Berry ----- 5.00

Eastman, Ga., Col. William Few Chapter, Mrs. W. B. Daniel, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 14.50
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Dawson, Ga., Stone Castle Chapter, Mrs. R. E. Bell, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 10.00
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00
 Martha Berry ----- 15.00

Griffin, Ga., Pulaski Chapter, Mrs. J. M. Drewry, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 13.75
 Red Cross Seals ----- 50.00

Valdosta, Ga., Gen. James Jackson Chapter, Mrs. Remer Jones, Regent, reports:
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Newnan, Ga., Sarah Dickenson Chapter, Mrs. T. J. Jones, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 13.00
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00
 Red Cross ----- 10.00

Distributed several Manuals to be read; working on local history, hoping to have Coveta County History published this year, which is centennial of County.

Hartwell, Ga., John Benson Chapter, Mrs. Steve Skelton, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 11.25
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Pelham, Ga., Hawthorn Trail Chapter, Mrs. Vernon Harris, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 9.00
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Clarksville, Ga., Tomochichi Chapter, Miss Addie Bass, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 6.25
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Thomaston, Ga., Gov. Edward Telfair Chapter, Mrs. W. L. Jenkins, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 7.25
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Gainesville, Ga., Col. William Candler Chapter, Mrs. C. L. Newton, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 10.75
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Adairsville, Ga., Cothcaloga Chapter, Mrs. Gideon Boyd, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 4.50
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Box for Ellis Island ----- 4.00
 Bainbridge Chapter, Mrs. M. Simmons, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 10.00
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Marshallville, Ga., Stephens Hopkins Chapter, Mrs. D. B. Frederick, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 4.00
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Warrenton, Ga., Burkhalter Chapter, Mrs. DeBeaugrine, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 6.00
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Social Circle, Ga., John Clarke Chapter, Mrs. E. L. Shepherd, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 13.50
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Shellman, Ga., Mable Wimberly Jones Chapter, Mrs. C. P. Payne, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 5.00
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Sylvania, Ga., Briar Creek Chapter, Mrs. Lucy B. Morel, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 9.00
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Gray, Ga., Oliver Newton Chapter, Mrs. W. H. Barron, Regent, reports:
 Manual ----- \$ 5.00
 Ellis Island ----- 2.00

Blakely, Ga., Gov. Peter Early Chapter, Mrs. J. M. Simmons, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 5.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Public Celebration of all patriotic days.	
Columbus, Ga., George Walton Chapter, Mrs. J. B. Knight, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 9.50
Ellis Island	2.00
Dawson, Ga., Dorothy Walton Chapter, Mrs. H. A. Wilkinson, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 7.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Fitzgerald, Ga., Nathaniel Abney Chapter, Mrs. Harold Beall, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 5.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Thomasville, Ga., Ochlochnee Chapter, Mrs. C. S. Parker, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 10.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Macon, Ga., Mary Hammond Washington Chapter, Mrs. Reeves Brown, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 37.50
Ellis Island	2.00
Madison, Ga., Henry Walton Chapter, Mrs. Carter Shepherd, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 9.50
Ellis Island	2.00
Waycross, Ga., Jonathan Bryan Chapter, Mrs. J. H. Redding, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 6.25
Ellis Island	2.00
Conyers, Ga., John McIntosh Chapter, Mrs. W. V. Almand, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 4.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Monticello, Ga., Elizabeth Marlow Chapter, Mrs. A. Y. Clement, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 11.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Cordele, Ga., Fort Early Chapter, Mrs. Price Heard, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 11.50
Ellis Island	2.00
Covington, Ga., Sergeant Newton Chapter, Mrs. J. C. Upshaw, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 13.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Waynesboro, Ga., Edmund Burke Chapter, Mrs. Rosa McMaster, Regent, reports:	
Manual	\$ 4.50
Ellis Island	2.00
Elberton, Ga., Stephen Heard Chapter, Miss Edna Rogers, Regent, reports:	
Immigrants Manual	\$ 13.75
Ellis Island	2.00
Martha Berry	10.00
County Benevolent Association	10.00
Have established two schools for teaching English to foreigners. Teach the men twice a week at night, and the women once a week in afternoons. Then when they are ready for it, will begin teaching the Constitution.	
Monroe, Ga., Matthew Talbot Chapter, Mrs. A. V. Kelly, Regent, contributed 25c. per capita to Immigrants Manual. Have given Flag Code, and American Creed to schools, stressed Americanization at every meeting. Have observed all patriotic days. In this report did not state amount in money and could not give it.	
Most of the Chapters in the State have had Americanization programs and observed patriotic days.	
George Walton Chapter, box to Ellis Island	\$ 10.00
Augusta Chapter Manual	10.00
Piedmont Continental Chapter Manual	6.00
Samuel Reid Chapter Manual	11.75
Archibald Bulloch Ellis Island	2.00
Oconee Chapter Ellis Island	2.00

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REPORT OF CHAIRMAN OF ARMISTICE DAY

Mrs. C. E. Pittman, Chairman

In October I had an article in the Sunday Constitution requesting each chapter Regent to have chapter observe Armistic Day in some

appropriate manner. I also asked that the grave of each World War veteran be decorated with a poppy wreath or some suitable flowers.

The response has been most gratifying. The chapters have reported wonderful programs, some very elaborate, and all observed in a reverent manner befitting this great day of universal interest.

Let each chapter make this day a day of memory and thanksgiving, and dedicate it to the program of world peace forever.

May the day never dawn when we shall cease to celebrate heartily and reverently, the celebration of Armistice Day.

May I urge each Regent to include in her program for the following year, an observance of Armistice Day.

REPORT BONDS AND CHAIRS FOR NATIONAL D. A. R. AUDITORIUM

Mrs. Herbert M. Franklin, State Chairman, Tennille, Ga.

"There are various kinds of bonds, the bonds of matrimony, the bonds of friendship,

Which link our hearts with chain of gold,

And love which never can grow cold!"

On the links of the chain is the great loving heart of our splendid State Regent, who is ever ready with cheer and inspiration for us to press forward and reach the heights to build no lower than the stars! Linked to this chain of friendship is each Vice Chairman of our Committee. They have indeed been a joy and a power to the State Chairman. Our work for Constitution Hall has drawn us closer and closer in the bonds of friendship.

Last fall upon my return home after spending the summer in Oregon I found letters from the National Chairman urging that Georgia begin work for the sale of Bonds and chairs for the Auditorium. The State Regent had appointed Vice Chairmen, and each one had charge of nine Chapters, except the City Vice Chairmen who were given six. I sent a letter to every Regent in the State with explanation of the Bond Sale, and Chairs, with pledge card, etc. In the early spring, additional information was sent to each Regent, and through our official columns in the Atlanta Constitution, all information from headquarters was conveyed to the chapters.

The following bonds and chairs for National D. A. R. Auditorium have been reported:

Memorial Loan Scholarship Fund at State University, through Mrs. Julius Talmadge, State Regent, bonds---	\$ 4,500.00
Nathaniel Macon Chapter at Macon, through Mrs. James Allen Smith, State Vice Chairman, 1 bond -----	100.00
Mary Hammond Washington Chapter, through Mrs. Smith, 1 bond -----	100.00
Gov. Treutlen Chapter at Fort Valley,, through Mrs. Smith, 1 bond -----	100.00
Stone Castle Chapter at Dawson, through Mrs. Geo. Riley, State Vice Chairman, 1 bond -----	50.00
Mrs. H. A. Wilkinson of Dorothy Walton Chapter, through Mrs. Riley, 1 bond -----	50.00
Mrs. W. C. Vereen, Moultrie, through Mrs. Riley, 1 bond Savannah Chapter, through Mrs. Gordon Groover, State Vice Chairman, 1 bond -----	250.00
Mr. Groover -----	1,000.00
Mrs. Walter Stillwell -----	100.00
Mrs. B. F. Bullard -----	1,000.00
Button Gwinnett Chapter at Columbus, Mrs. T. D. Power,	

Regent, through Mrs. John Walton, State Vice Chairman, bond -----	100.00
Mrs. W. H. Cargill for Robert H. Cargill, Columbus, through Mrs. Walton, bond -----	100.00
Mrs. John Hutchinson of Milledgeville, through Mrs. J. I. Garrard, State Vice Chairman, 1 bond -----	100.00
Mrs. Lucy W. Hatcher, Milledgeville, through Mrs. Garrard of Nancy Hart Chapter, 1 bond -----	100.00
Major General Samuel Elbert Chapter, Tennille, through Mrs. H. M. Franklin, State Chairman, bond -----	100.00
Mrs. Thomas Mell of Atlanta Chapter, State Vice Chairman, bond -----	100.00
Mrs. E. R. Kirk, through Atlanta Chapter, bonds -----	2,500.00
Miss Hazel Kirk, bonds -----	500.00
E. R. Kirk for daughter, Miss Hazel Kirk, through Mrs. Thomas Mell, bonds -----	2,500.00
Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, through Mrs. Groover, bonds -----	200.00
James Monroe Chapter, Forsyth, Regent, Mrs. J. L. McGee, through Mrs. James Allen Smith, 1 bond -----	50.00
Bonaventure Chapter, Savannah, Regent, Mrs. J. W. Rourk, through Mrs. Groover, bond -----	50.00
Hannah Clark Chapter, Quitman, through Mrs. E. D. Dimmock, bond -----	100.00
Col. John McIntosh Chapter, Conyers, bond -----	100.00
Total amount bonds -----	\$13,900.00

Chairs for National D. A. R. Auditorium

Elijah Clark Chapter at Athens in honor of Mrs. Julius Talmadge, State Regent -----	150.00
John Benson Chapter at Hartwell and Henry Walton Chapter at Madison, in honor of Mrs. Julian McCurry through Mrs. Thomas Mell, State Vice Chairman, Atlanta Chapter, second oldest chapter, chair -----	150.00
Mrs. Allen P. Davis in honor of Mrs. Cora Peck Williams, chair -----	150.00
Mrs. Howard McCall, by husband, chair -----	150.00
In memory Mrs. Joseph Morgan, Atlanta Chapter, chair --	150.00
In honor Mrs. E. R. Kirk, by husband, chair -----	150.00
Fort Early Chapter, Cordele, in honor Regent, Mrs. J. M. Diffie State Vice Chairman, chair -----	150.00
Joseph Habersham Chapter, Atlanta, in honor of Mrs. B. C. Ward, chair -----	150.00
Col. William Lawson Peel in memory of Mrs. Peel, chair Commodore Richard Dale Chapter at Albany in honor of Mrs. John D. Pope, Mrs. George Riley, State Vice Chairman, chair -----	150.00
Col. William Few Chapter of Eastman in honor of Mrs. A. L. Wilkins, chair -----	150.00
Lachlan McIntosh Chapter of Savannah, in honor of Mrs. W. S. Wilson, chair -----	150.00
John Clarke Chapter at Social Circle, in honor of Mrs. Mell Knox -----	150.00
Gov. John Milledge Chapter at Dalton in honor of Organizing Regent, chair -----	150.00
In honor Mrs. Edgar Ross, Nathaniel Macon Chapter, Macon, chair -----	150.00
John Laurens Chapter at Dublin, in honor of Mrs. J. A. Peacock, chair -----	150.00

Savannah Chapter in honor of Mrs. W. M. Coney, chair --	150.00
Brunswick Chapter in honor Mrs. C. H. Leavy, chair ---	150.00
John Houston Chapter of Thomaston in honor Mrs. J. F. Lewis, chair -----	150.00
Miss Laura M. Berrien in honor Mrs. Mary Berrien Whitmore, through Edmund Burke Chapter of Waynesboro chair -----	150.00
Thronateeska Chapter, Albany, in honor Regent, chair --	150.00
Oglethorpe Chapter, Columbus, in honor Miss Anna Caroline Benning, chair -----	150.00
Ex.-Gov. John M. Slaton in honor of Mrs. Slaton, chair --	150.00

Total number of chairs reported before and during conference, 24—value -----	\$ 3,600.00
Total amount Bonds -----	\$13,900.00
24 Chairs, value -----	3,600.00

Other chairs purchased since this report was compiled, bringing total of chairs to 35, and value \$5,250.00, and making a total for chairs and Bonds, \$19,150.00.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE—CHILDREN, SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF THE REPUBLIC

Mrs. R. R. Evans, Chairman

Gov. John Milledge Chapter, (Dalton, Ga.) reports good work, with two (2) members ready for the D. A. R.

Oglethorpe Chapter, (Columbus, Ga.) have done splendid constructive work, had constructive programs; and co-operated with the organization to help in the city.

Practically all chapters have subscribed to the Manual fund. American flags, creeds and codes have been placed in school and public places. Letters have been placed in schools and public places. Letters have been sent to every chapter, but only a few answers were received.

Idealism of youth, expresses itself in beauty and sacrifices, and we must teach our boys and girls their true relationship to home, and country; to our flag, to each other, and to communities in which they live.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONSERVATION OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Miss Mamie Merrill, Chairman

While some of our Chapters seem to have been too busy with worthy endeavors to write me about it, I am pleased to say that others have reported great activity and satisfactory results in their CONSERVATION OF NATURAL RESOURCES.

Publicity has been given the subject in the local papers; there have been special addresses made to the public; Committees have stressed the need of this work at Club Meetings; and prizes have been offered school children for achievements in this line.

While the favorite branch of the work seems, in most places, to have been the planting of trees, shrubbery and flowers, it is the earnest hope of your chairman that this conservation of our Natural Resources will expand from year to year, so that the Daughters of The American Revolution can be given the credit for still another great accomplishment.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONSERVATION AND THRIFT

Mrs. W. B. Daniel, Chairman

1. **Stone Castle Chapter**, Dawson, Regent, Mrs. R. E. Bell. 156 trees and shrubs planted and urging all to put out trees to beautify city.

2. **Governor John Milledge Chapter**, Dalton, Mrs. W. E. Mann, Regent. Five Dollars Forestry membership. \$25.00 spent in Memorial Park and hundreds of trees and shrubs planted by members. 400 trees and over 100 shrubs planted.

3. **Elijah Clarke Chapter**, Athens, Mrs. H. J. Rowe, Regent, Sent pictures and history of "Tree that owns itself".

4. **John Laurens Chapter**, Dublin, Mrs. M. J. Guyton, Regent. Have committee on Conservation and Thrift. Have aided and urged planting of trees. Had splendid paper read by one of the members on Conservation and Thrift, and a paper on "Why the United States should practice Forestry". Observed Thrift week.

5. **Maj. General Samuel Elbert Chapter**, Mrs. W. H. Colgate, Regent. 53 trees planted.

6. **Commander Richard Dale Chapter**, Albany, Mrs. J. P. Champion Regent. 1000 Dogwood trees given by one member to the city for street planting. Four members have wild flower gardens and they repeated the wild flower pledge.

7. **William McIntosh Chapter**, Jackson, Mrs. T. G. Willis, Regent. Is beautifying the highway between Jackson and Indian Springs in memory of the World War veterans. In a small park marking the center of this highway they have planted memorial trees (water oaks) in memory of the five boys who lost their lives. Total trees planted 190.

Along another section of highway Mr. Evans Smith has planted 245 pecan trees in memory of his father's company—(Company I. 45 Ga. Reg.) of the War between the States—naming one for each member.

8. **Benj. Hawkins Chapter**, Cuthbert, Mrs. G. Y. Moore, Regent. Planted 70 trees and sent picture of a very interesting tree.

9. **Matthew Tolbert Chapter**, Monroe, Mrs. Lena Felker Lewis, Regent. Has committee on Conservation and Thrift and presented program on subject.

10. **Oglethorpe Chapter**, Columbus, Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, Regent. One thousand ornamental and shade trees planted in city. Have a savings bank in school with 5390 children on the roll as depositors.

11. **Nancy Hart Chapter**, Milledgeville, Mrs. James I. Garrard, Regent. 20 trees planted besides one to be known as "Liberty Oak" on the grounds of the old capitol building. It is nurtured by soil from every state in the union, this being sent upon request from some historic spot in each respective state with a message of greeting from governor of that state.

12. **John Clark Chapter**, Social Circle, Mrs. E. L. Shepherd, Regent. Observed Conservation and Thrift in Chapter and school.

13. **Col. Wm. Few Chapter**, Eastman, Mrs. W. B. Daniel, Regent. Observed Thrift week and are planning to beautify their national highway approach to city.

14. **Sunbury Chapter**, Winder, Mrs. J. H. Pledger, Regent. Have a savings bank in school and offer prizes for largest account saved. Prize offered for best "Thrift posters exhibited during Thrift Week". Had a splendid article on "Thrift" published in paper and "Thrift" poems written by school children. Made a talk on "Forestry" and the importance of observing Thrift week at meeting of county teachers. Presented tree booklets and tree posters. One school planted 12 dogwood trees on "Arbor Day" by request of

Chapter. Offered prizes for most attractive bird house and the largest wood chart. Urged the removal of signs from trees and protection of forest. Two members have wild flower gardens.

15. **Thronateeska Chapter**, Albany, Mrs. R. L. Jones, Regent. One pecan tree planted in park by Mrs. G. M. Bacon, as a memorial to her husband, who was the first man in Georgia to plant a pecan grove.

16. **Hawkinsville Chapter** Hawkinsville, Mrs. T. H. Bridges Regent. 500 pecan trees, 250 Crepe Myrtle and over a thousand other shrubs and wild flowers. Have a savings bank in school.

17. **Council of Safety Chapter**, Americus, Mrs. Howell Simmons, Regent. 2,500 pecan trees planted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE FOR CO-OPERATION BETWEEN S. A. R. AND D. A. R.

Bertha Kellogg Tyler, Chairman

Your committee on co-operative relations between the two Revolutionary societies has to make a report in two distinct parts, one very encouraging and one neutral. As to the latter, while many chapters have sent in lists of prospective members for the S. A. R., which your chairman promptly turned over to the state secretary of that organization, there have been no results whatever so far as she has been able to ascertain. Whether this is due to lack of interest in any quarter she is unable to say, but the fact remains that nothing has been accomplished from all the generous effort on the part of many chapters.

On the other hand, the interest in Citizenship Medals shows a very gratifying growth. Twenty-six medals have been purchased since the last conference and four more offered which will appear in next year's report. These medals do a really valuable work and your chairman trusts it may be pushed in the future, as no surer means of creating a pride in our institutions has yet been found than in thus keeping our youthful citizens to feel that each is a necessary part of the glorious whole we call America.

In view of the fact that the work of this committee will probably be confined altogether, hereafter, to promoting the giving of these medals, it is respectfully suggested that the present name be changed to Citizenship Medals, as being shorter and closer to the meaning of the purpose of the committee.

The following chapters have purchased medals this year: Madison, 1; Sylvester, 2; Forsyth, 1; Cuthbert, 4; Dawson, 2; Bainbridge, 8; Sparta, 2; Gov. John Milledge, 3; Sunbury, 2; Hannah Clark, 2; Madison, 1. In addition to these, Cuthbert and Sylvester have again offered medals to be awarded in May and Monroe also will give one at commencement, but these will appear in next year's report. One chapter gives a medal yearly in the local mill school, an offer that may well serve as a precedent to other chapters.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE FOR THE CORRECT USE OF THE FLAG

Mrs. R. K. Rambo, Chairman

Your chairman has had many letters from the local chapters in the state, reporting their activities in regard to the correct use of the Flag, showing a very healthy interest in the education of the people in this regard. It seems strange that there should be need of such education, but I find that there is in all parts of the country.

The Flag Code prepared by the National Chairman, Mrs. John Miller, Horton, of Buffalo, N. Y., is very fine and comprehensive

and nearly all of the Chapters of Georgia, have reported using this Code, and the distribution of same. These Codes can be obtained from Mrs. Horton for one cent each; \$2.00 for 300; \$3.00 for 500 and \$5.000 per thousand.

Framed copies of the Flag Code have been presented by your chairman to the D. A. R. Chapter at Social Circle, to the Tallulah Falls School and to the War Memorial Building of the University of Georgia, at Athens, Georgia, through the courtesy of the chapter of Winder, Ga.

Much vigilance should be maintained by the Daughters to see that proper respect is paid to the Flag and that it is hung and used properly. When this is not done, immediate attention should be called to same.

The Flag should always be hung with the stripes horizontal, not up and down, and should never be used for a decoration except as a flag. Red, white and blue bunting should be used for draping and other such decorations.

The Flag should never be draped or hung over a chair or other seat. Your chairman prevented a Flag being sat upon by a person from a foreign country, because the Flag had been draped over a chair.

Your chairman has answered all letters addressed her, and has endeavored at all times to fulfill the duties of her chairmanship.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND MAGNA CHARTA DAY

Mrs. Chas. F. Rice, Chairman

Having been for years interested in the observance of Magna Charta and Constitution Day it has been a pleasure to serve as State Chairman.

I prepared several articles on these subjects which I was pleased to sent some of the chapters. 328 circular letters and 100 post cards were mailed to the chapter regents urging co-operation.

I wish to express my thanks to our state regent, Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, for her interest and co-operation and thank my committee for their splendid help and the chapters for their generous response.

Four documents mark the struggle of a thousand years to attain the civil liberty enjoyed by the American citizen, the Magna Charta in 1215, English Bill of Rights 1689, Declaration of Independence in 1776 and the Constitution of the United States of America in 1788. The last named represents the highest expression of the sovereignty of a free people.

Each one of ours should read it, renewing and reviving our pride in its excellence.

It was my pleasure to mail to all D. A. R. regents a copy of the Flag of the State of Georgia which I feel every chapter ought to possess.

The three Columbus Chapters sponsored a unique celebration of Magna Charta Day at the various playgrounds with prominent speakers at each place. The Play Ground Director produced two original numbers, parts being taken by children.

The plan of observing holidays by going to the playgrounds is worthy of invitation. They also observed the day in the Young Peoples Department of Sunday Schools and day schools as well as chapter program. Nathaniel Macon Chapter at their meeting showed full size facsimile copy of the Magna Charta. Elijah Clarke Chapter, Athens, Savannah Chapter and Atlanta Chapter each had editorials and news items in their local papers. Sunbury Chapter,

Winder, presented copies of the U. S. Constitution to the 18 schools in Barrow County.

Through the influence of Atlanta Chapter Mr. Willard Patterson, Manager of moving pictures in the city, flashed on the screen of the Metropolitan the dates of these special patriotic days thus giving 30,000 people opportunity of familiarizing themselves with these dates.

Seventy-four chapters sent reports of their observance of the two dates: Oglethorpe, George Walton, Button Gwinnett, Savannah, Elijah Clarke, Lachlan McIntosh, John Clarke, William McIntosh, Sergeant Jasper, Elizabeth Marlow, John Benning, Matthew Talbot, Nancy Hart, Sarah Dickinson, General Daniel Stewart, Hannah Clarke, Sylvester, Gov. Jared Irwin, Hancock, Gov. Edward Telfair, John Houston, General James Jackson, Col. John Dooly, Kettle Creek, Lyman Hall, Chattahoochee, Fielding Lewis, Gov. Treutlen, LaGrange, Atlanta, Joseph Habersham, Piedmont Continental, Baron de Kalb, Thronateeska, Commodore Richard Dale, Elizabeth Washington, Augusta, Brunswick, Lanahassee, Etowah, Sergeant Newton, Fort Valley, Dorothy Walton, Stone Castle, Gov. John Milledge, Stephen Heard, Samuel Reid, Col. William Few, James Monroe, Col. William Candler, Pulaski, Sunbury, Nathaniel Abney, Henry Walton, Peter Early, Archibald Bullock, Xavier, Nathaniel Macon, Haw Trail, John Laurens, Major General Samuel Elbert, William Marsh, John Benson, Nancy Hart, Stephen Heard, Burkhalter, Oothcaloga, Toccoa, Ochlochnee, Col. John McIntosh, Hawkinsville.

REPORT CUSTODIAN D. A. R. FLAG

Mrs. Jno. W. Daniel, Chairman

The beautiful flag presented to the Georgia D. A. R. by our State Regent, Mrs. Julius Talmadge during the conference in Columbus, Ga., April, 1925 was sent to Mrs. Howell Simmons, Regent of the Council of Safety Chapter in Americus, where the next State Conference was to be held.

This flag preceded by our national flag, carried in the line of march, the opening evening of our Conference will ever be an inspiration to the Daughters of the American Revolution.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON D. A. R. MAGAZINE

Mrs. B. C. Ward, Chairman

The glory of a department is in the fact that it thinks itself the most important of all. We know this to be one of our best promotions, it is patriotic, historical and educational.

I thank the many Chapters who so generously responded to my appeals with great interest which makes it possible for me to submit the following report.

I have mailed ninety-one circular letters on magazine work, later ninety-two packages of Index Cards, containing one card for each member from Chairman to Chairman. I wish to urge each chapter to try this plan, we believe it will promote interest and system, will also give our magazine a wider field of readers which it justly deserves.

Sarah Dickinson Chapter reports three subscriptions and have featured the President General's Message on several programs.

Baron Dekalb Chapter reports two subscriptions and is filing the D. A. R. Magazine each month in the Decatur Public Library. Fort Valley—one subscription.

Oglethorpe Chapter—thirteen subscribers. This is the largest number of subscribers of any Chapter with membership less than one hundred, which is certainly an evidence of great interest.

Atlanta Chapter reports ten subscriptions and expect to feature the magazine on their programs next year.

Gov. Treutlen—one subscriber.

Button Gwinnett—one subscriber.

Sunbury Chapter sends in one subscriber and has used articles from the magazines for several programs.

Hawkinsville Chapter two subscribers.

John Laurens Chapter one subscription and files magazine in Carnegie Library each month.

John Benson Chapter three subscriptions.

Savannah Chapter reports six subscribers and great interest in the articles of the magazine.

Bainbridge Chapter two subscribers and expresses interest and expect to have a full report next year.

Gov. Jared Irwin Chapter one subscription.

Hannah Clark Chapter four subscriptions and is giving one subscription to Town High School Library.

Thornateeska Chapter, four subscribers.

John Benning Chapter, two subscribers also articles read from magazine on all programs.

James Monroe Chapter, with one subscription is spreading more real benefit from the magazine that would seem possible. I quote from Regents report "Magazine is used in all meetings, each member seems to welcome the message from the President General. Have copies as far back as 1920 and frequently we find something of historical interest that fits in with our programs, in old copies. Bessie Tife College girls recently found most helpful articles in old copies on their different subjects, one wrote a very interesting paper on immigration from them!"

Peter Coffee Chapter, 2 subscriptions.

Nathaniel Macon chapter, 4 subscribers.

Roanoke Chapter 2 subscribers.

Archibald Bullock Chapter 1 subscriber.

John Benson Chapter 2 subscribers.

Fort Early Chapter 2 subscribers.

Elijah Clark Chapter seven subscribers, used contents on programs.

LaGrange Chapter 2 subscribers.

John Houston Chapter three subscribers.

Joseph Habersham Chapter seventeen subscribers, great interest shown by members in frequent readings from the magazine.

Brunswick Chapter twelve subscriptions and magazine articles featured as a part of literary program at each meeting.

Lyman Hall Chapter one subscriber. They have reading of President General's message at each meeting.

Stone Castle Chapter two subscribers. President General's message read at each meeting.

Sylvester Chapter two subscriptions and have used the President General's message on several programs.

Edmund Burke Chapter one subscriber, historical, education, and patriotic have been the features of the meetings taken from the magazine.

William McIntosh Chapter three subscriptions, articles read from magazine at every meeting.

Etowah Chapter two subscribers, used articles for Americanization, Constitution, and Washington's birthday programs.

Cattahoochee Chapter one subscription which is kept at library available to all.

Col. John McIntosh Chapter one subscriber, contents used for all important meetings.

Col. Wm. Chandler four subscriptions, expect to manifest more interest next year.

LaGrange Chapter two subscriptions, all historical programs based on articles from the magazine.

Sergeant Jasper Chapter one subscriber, and read President General's Message at each meeting and articles of historical value.

Maj. Gen. Samuel Elbert Chapter three subscriptions.

Fort Early Chapter one subscriber and read President General's message at all meetings.

Samuel Reid Chapter four subscribers, the President General's message and other leading articles are read at each meeting.

George Walton Chapter two subscriptions.

Sergeant Newton Chapter two subscribers.

Lachlan McIntosh Chapter four subscribers.

Matthew Tolbert Chapter two subscribers, have featured several articles from magazine at meetings.

Above subscriptions total one hundred and forty five representing forty-seven chapters leaving forty-four not reporting.

The following Chapters have Chairman and committees—Sylvester, Atlanta, Joseph Habersham, Henry Walton, Oglethorpe, Button Gwinnette, Hawkinsville, Gov. John Milledge Savannah and Nathaniel Macon.

Again, I would urge that all chapters follow up the work which we have begun and continue with interest until Georgia can list a report from every chapter.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON D. A. R. STUDENT LOAN FUND

Mrs. Bun Wylie, Chairman

My heart thrills with joy as I announce to you this evening, that our \$5,000.00 D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, for girls, has "gone over the top", with \$662.95 additional. Total \$5,662.95.

Let us rejoice together as we place the laurel wreath of victory on the brow of our beloved State Regent, Mrs. Julius Talmadge—for this is one of the many splendid achievements accomplished during the brilliant regency.

Daughters of the American Revolution of Georgia, you should be justly proud of your wonderful educational work—for this is the second \$5,000.00 Student Loan Fund, and large sums from various "local loan funds" given by Chapters and individuals throughout the State.

It is interesting to go back to the small beginning of our present \$5,000.00 Loan Fund and follow it to its completion. At the 1917 Conference, upon recommendation of Mrs. Howard McCall, then State Regent, a Student Loan Fund was started. In April 1918 it was \$224.15. The first contribution \$10.00 was given by the Atlanta Chapter, during the regency of Mrs. Chas. Rice. The Atlanta gave the largest amount to this fund, \$755.00. In 1919 \$84.15 of the \$224.15, was given to the Memorial Fund for boys, and \$150.00 to start a loan fund for girls. The Lyman Hall Chapter, Waycross, added \$150.00 to this amount, making \$300.00. In 1923 after the completion of the \$5,000.00 World War Memorial Fund for boys, this D. A. R. Student Loan Fund for girls was again taken up and the goal placed at \$5,000.00—the \$300.00 forming the nucleus.

It was again interrupted in 1923 when the State Regent, Mrs. Ackerman had to raise \$1,500.00 for a loan fund at Valdosta College.

In April 1924, when Mrs. Julius Talmadge became regent, she brought new life and inspiration to this long delayed work and has made the completion of the \$5,000.00 D. A. R. Student Loan Fund one of the principal activities of her regency. Mrs. Talmadge is National chairman of this fund.

When your chairman was appointed to take up this work, there was in the treasury of the D. A. R. Student Loan Fund \$1,189.00. Last year 1924-'25, we raised \$2,536.72. This year 1925-'26, we have raised \$2,003.73, this completing our Loan Fund for girls.

We have loaned from this fund, during the past year, '25-'26, \$750.00 as follows:

Mrs. Ruth Tucker Broach, Tallapoosa, Ga. -----	\$200.00
Miss Dorothy Cheek, Decatur, Ga. -----	300.00
Miss Ruth Belcher, Brooklet, Ga. -----	150.00
Miss Grace Wasserman, Fitzgerald, Ga. -----	100.00

Your chairman has under consideration a number of applicants.

Daughters of the American Revolution, we are doing a wonderful work to inspire, encourage and foster patriotism in our country, by rearing monuments to our heroes, marking spots, honoring our flag and many other splendid patriotic deeds, but the D. A. R. student Loan Funds are our **Big Human Investments**, investing our money in our boys and girls—giving them a chance!

It is a work divine. "As ye have done it unto one of the least of these, ye have done it unto me."

State Loan Funds

Memorial Fund for Boys -----	\$ 5,000.00
D. A. R. Student Loan Fund -----	4,622.65
Fannie Trammell Memorial Loan Fund -----	1,207.98
Valdosta Loan Fund -----	1,500.00
Hawaiian Loan Fund -----	26.00

Total ----- \$18,117.58

The following contributions to the D. A. R. Student Loan Fund have been made during the past year, 75 chapters:

Xavier -----	\$ 5.00	Nancy Hart -----	27.00
LaGrange -----	23.00	Bainbridge -----	20.00
Daniel Stewart -----	10.00	Stephens Hopkins -----	8.00
John Benson -----	24.00	Othcaloga -----	9.00
Mrs. Gaffney -----	10.00	Council of Safety -----	32.00
John Dooley -----	3.00	Sarah Dickinson -----	26.00
Sunbury -----	13.50	Burkhalter -----	5.00
John Milledge -----	27.50	John Clarke -----	27.00
Wm. Few -----	28.50	Oglethorpe -----	45.00
Baron DeKalb -----	18.50	James Monroe -----	21.00
James Pittman -----	18.00	Noble Wimberly Jones -----	10.00
Toccoa -----	10.00	Dorothy Walton -----	14.00
Peter Coffee -----	11.00	Sylvester -----	19.50
John Benning -----	20.50	Button Gwinnett -----	26.50
Henry Walton -----	19.50	Fort Valley -----	14.50
Hawthorne Trail -----	18.50	Sergt. Jasper -----	27.50
Nathaniel Macon -----	43.50	Lannahassee -----	5.00
Chattahoochee -----	18.50	Hawkinsville -----	26.00
Tomichichi -----	12.50	Daniel Stewart -----	10.00
Samuel Reid -----	10.00	Cairo -----	11.00
Jared Irwin -----	10.00	Benj. Hawkins -----	10.50
Edward Telfair -----	14.50	John Laurens -----	29.50
Com. Richard Dale -----	25.00	John McIntosh -----	12.00
Serg. Newton -----	23.00	From Georgia Room -----	200.00

Wm. McIntosh -----	16.00	From Lucy Wood note -----	150.00
Elijah Clarke -----	42.00	Bonaventure -----	16.50
Wm. Marsh -----	17.00	Augusta Chapter -----	31.75
Atlanta Chapter -----	155.00	Elizabeth Marlow -----	10.00
Samuel Elbert -----	35.50	Jos. Habersham -----	213.00
Stone Castle -----	10.00	Hancock -----	18.50
John Houston -----	48.50	Ochlocknee -----	20.00
Oliver Morton -----	10.00	James Jackson -----	48.50
Peter Eearly -----	14.00	Thronateeska -----	45.50
Gov. Trentlen -----	24.00	Fort Early -----	22.50
George Walton -----	19.00	Wm. Chandler -----	23.50
Brunswick -----	25.00	Interest on \$3,000.00 --	43.48
Stephen Heard -----	27.50	Piedmont Continental --	12.00
Matthew Talbot -----	32.00	George Walton -----	19.50
Savannah Chapter -----	68.00		

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EDUCATIONAL FUNDS FOR LOCAL SCHOOLS

Mrs. Walter L. Hodges, Chairman

Mrs. J. L. Williams, Regent Lanahassee Chapter, Buena Vista, books to school library; gift to Domestic Science department -----	\$ 6.00
Mrs. Herbert W. Stubbs, Regent, Hannah Clarke Chapter, Quitman, Loan Fund -----	175.00
Mrs. E. L. Shepherd, Regent, John Clarke Chapter, Social Circle, prizes for school -----	7.50
Mrs. Ben Fincher, Regent, Gov. Treutlen Chapter, Ft. Valley, Scholarship local school -----	35.00
Mrs. James Bradfield, Regent, LaGrange Chapter, books -----	10.00
Mrs. Hugh Rowe, Regent, Elijah Clarke Chapter, Athens, Scholarship University of Georgia, State Normal -----	150.00
Mrs. C. E. Pittman, Regent, James Pittman Chapter, Commerce, gift -----	10.00
Mrs. J. W. Marks, Regent, Toccoa, prize -----	5.00
Mrs. W. B. Roddenbury, Regent, Cairo, two music scholarships -----	72.00
Mrs. W. B. Daniel, Regent, Eastman, Col. Wm. Few Chapter, loan to student -----	100.00
Mrs. H. A. Wilkinson, Regent, Dorothy Walton Chapter, Dawson, magazines to schol and prizes -----	17.00
Mrs. A. R. Fortune, LaFayette, Regent, Wm. Marsh Chapter, -----	69.00
Mrs. Frank Johnston, Savannah Chapter -----	25.00
868 Student loan fund -----	868.00
85 Fannie Trammell Loan Fund -----	85.00
Mrs. C. S. Parker, Ochlochnee Chapter, Thomasville, \$30.00 scholarship girls business scholarship -----	30.00
Tuition 2 girls Vashti Home -----	20.00
Prizes in public school -----	7.50
Mrs. W. H. Colgate, Regent, Samuel Elbert Capter, Tenille, school books and 1 tuition -----	18.00
Prizes -----	12.50
Mrs. W. E. Mann, Regent, Gov. John Milledge Chapter, Dalton, scholarships -----	14.00
Medicine chest -----	3.00
Medals -----	23.35
School books -----	10.00
Mrs. Lucius McConnell, Regent, Atlanta Chapter, Atlanta, 11 medals -----	55.00

Mrs. James Allen Smith, Nathaniel Macon, Chapter, Macon, Scholarship Wesleyon College -----	130.00
Mrs. J. L. McGee, Regent, James Monroe Chapter, Forsyth, books -----	5.58
Mrs. Lewis Lucas, Regent, Jefferson Hawkins Chapter, Roberta, 44 Flag Codes Schools of county.	
Mrs. W. H. Hearn, Regent Samuel Reid Chapter, Eatonton	25.00
Mrs. James I. Garrard, Regent, Nancy Hart Chapter, Milledgeville, books and magazines county schools, Placards containing flag facts presented to four schools, 4 medals given value \$4.00.	
Mrs. J. W. Simmons, Regent, Bainbridge, flags and medals	30.20
Mrs. H. J. Carswell, Regent, Lyman Hall Chapter, Waycross, raising local school scholarship fund -----	75.00
Mrs. W. C. Vereen, Regent, John Benning Chapter, Moultrie, co-operate with public school.	
Miss Addie Bass, Regent, Tomichichi, Clarkesville, gold pin	5.00
2 Stone mountain Coins as prizes -----	1.00
Mrs. J. H. Pledger, Regent, Sunbury Chapter, Winder, 5 local scholarships -----	34.32
Books -----	14.75
Maps, posters, tooth paste for mill school, flags, shades, mucilage, magazines, soap, towels, tuberculosis seals, numerous items.	
Mrs. Alvah Weaver, Regent, John Houston Chapter, Thomaston, Tuition -----	21.00
Books -----	45.50
Girls expenses to Camp Wilkins -----	16.50
Mrs. T. D. Power, Regent, Button Gwinnett, Columbus, co-operate with P. T. A.	
Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, Regent, Oglethorpe Chapter, Columbus, scholarship -----	27.50
Scouts -----	5.00
Camp Fire Girls -----	5.00
Mrs. J. C. Upshaw, Regent, Sergeant Newton Chapter, Covington, tuition -----	18.00
Mrs. R. P. Black, Regent, Archibald Bulloch Chapter, Montezuma, \$100.00 to Domestic Science Department Prize -----	5.00
	\$ 105.00
Mrs. J. M. Diffe, Regent, Ft. Early Chapter, Cordele, books and clothing to needy children, medicine chest filled --	25.00
Mrs. J. A. Ewing, Regent of Knox Conway Chapter, Ashburn, framed copy of the Constitution -----	3.00
Mrs. A. M. Way, Regent, Brunswick Chapter, Flag Codes to school.	
Mrs. T. J. Jones, Regent, Sarah Dickinson Chapter, Newnan, gift to school -----	45.00
Mrs. James P. Champion, Regent, Commodore Richards Dale Chap., Albany, 2 scholarship local business college	140.00
Half year local scholarship kindergarten -----	28.00
Medal and pictures -----	7.00
Mrs. R. L. Jones, Regent, Albany, Prize,	
Mrs. W. V. Almond, Col. John McIntosh chapter, Conyers, Medal -----	5.00
Scohlarship -----	10.00
Books to library.	
Mrs. F. B. Elmore, Regent, Bonaventure Chapter, Savannah, books to Library -----	5.00

Mrs. J. B. Settle, Regent, William McIntosh Chapter, Jackson, books -----	18.50
Mrs. A. S. Skelton, Regent, John Benson Chapter, Hartwell, local scholarship -----	20.00
Mrs. W. L. Jenkins, Regent, Gov. Edward Telfair Chapter, Thomaston, athletic department R. E. Lee Institute ---	25.00
Recently instituted local school fund.	
Mrs. Thomas Baldwin, Regent, Henry Walton Chapter, Madison to Negro Manual School -----	10.00
Medals -----	7.50
Mrs. E. W. Traylor, Gen. Daniel Stewart Chapter, Perry, 1 scholarship -----	15.00
1 prize -----	5.00
Mrs. E. A. Russell, Nathaniel Abney Chapter, Fitzgerald, 5 scholarships to Summer Schools to girls.	
Mrs. Remer Jones, Regent, Gen. James Jackson Chapter, Valdosta, scholarship for G. S. W. C. -----	125.00
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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EDUCATIONAL MOVING PICTURE FILMS

Mrs. Julian B. McCurry, Chairman

During the Fall I addressed a letter to each chapter in the State, urging them to appoint a committee in their chapter similar to the above. I also suggested that they take up with the Yale University Press, New Haven, Conn., the subject of using historical photo plays of the Revolutionary period. I suggested to the Press that they use the story of Nancy Hart, the Revolutionary heroine, for whom Hart County, Georgia, is named as the basis for a story of that period. The Nancy Hart Chapter of Milledgeville sent data relative to the history of Nancy Hart which has been placed on file by the Yale University Press to be used later in a picture.

Chapters over the State have sponsored splendid pictures such as America, Peter Pan, Covered Wagon, Sea Hawk, Janice Meredith, The Passion Play.

Immediately before preparing my report I mailed a questionnaire, with return card, to every regent in the State. I find there are only fifteen chapters who have Educational Moving Picture Film Committees. I sincerely hope that the representative here will return home and see that this important committee is added to your chapter.

REPORT OF FANNY TRAMMELL MEMORIAL LOAN FUND

Mrs. W. E. Mann, Chairman

It gives me great pleasure to bring you a report of our first year's work in the Fanny Trammell Memorial Loan Fund.

When I presented this at Conference last year, the fund was only three months old and we did not know just what would be the result, except to express our love and appreciation for the one in whose honor it was created. However, time is proving its worth.

Our first loan was made to a young man studying for the ministry who needed \$75.00 to complete the term. He has worked the past summer and paid the note in full with interest. His appreciative letter would bring joy to your heart. A girl at Martha Berry has \$50.00 to complete her senior year. We have started a young man in the University of Georgia for a full four year course. He is paying part of his way in work, as we only let him have \$200.00

a year. This money is secured by a note with good security accepted at the bank; and in the case of the student at Georgia, on long time loan, his life is insured for \$1,000.00, thus making all loans safe and secure.

Your State Chairman sent out letters the first of the year to every Regent in Georgia, asking the co-operation of her chapter in making this a wonderful educational feature of our State work. The response has been gratifying, and now that our Student Loan is an accomplished fact we can turn our attention to this fund, not only to perpetuate the memory of her "whom we loved", but for the wonderful help it will be to our girls and boys in Georgia.

Following is the report of donations:

Governor John Millidge Chapter, Dalton -----	\$ 75.00
Edward Telfair Chapter -----	2.00
Bainbridge Chapter -----	2.00
Samuel Reid Chapter -----	5.00
John Laurens Chapter -----	3.00
Henry Walton Chapter -----	5.00
John McIntosh Chapter -----	5.00
John Clark Chapter -----	2.00
Samuel Elbert Chapter -----	1.00
Stone Castle Chapter -----	1.00
Lyman Hall Chapter -----	10.00
Jared Irwin Chapter -----	1.00
Elijah Clarke Chapter -----	10.00
Atlanta Chapter -----	5.00
Mrs. M. E. Wikins, Elizabeth Washington Chapter -----	5.00
James Pittman -----	2.50
Sunbury Chapter -----	1.00
John Huston -----	2.50
James Monroe -----	2.00
Laclan McIntosh Chapter -----	5.00
Savannah Chapter -----	5.00
William Candler Chapter -----	8.00
Brunswick Chapter -----	2.00
Button Gwinnett Chapter -----	1.00
Matthew Talbot Chapter -----	2.50
John Benning Chapter -----	5.00
Etowah Chapter -----	5.00
Archibald Bulloch -----	5.00
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Total amount contributed this year by all chapters -----	\$178.50
Note and interest paid by J. D. Hurt -----	\$ 80.00
Two Loans -----	\$ 272.54
Amount in bank -----	935.42

Total Amount Fanny Trammell Memorial Loan

Fund ----- \$1,207.96

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FLAG DAY

Mrs. Geo. H. Fortson, Chairman

Robert Bridges wrote, "This is the land we love, our heritage Strange mixture of the gross, fine yet sage and full of promise destined to be great."

June 14, 1926 was the one hundredth and forty-ninth anniversary of the adoption of the national flag as originally designed.

Though the youngest of all the great nations, our is the most powerful. No flag is greater than the manhood back of it, purer than the womanhood that supports it, and more permanent than the character of the citizenry over which it floats.

Our country needs no material gift. She is rich beyond the measure of riches in material things. There is one thing she needs, that is a new birth of patriotism. She needs the best part of us—the part that thinks generously, acts with love and kindness, waits patiently secure in the faith that the way of the righteous is the way of God.

All chapters, with the exception of five, have replied to my query on the observance of Flag Day. The day was observed by displaying flags, or presenting them, editorials in papers, distributing literature, and public patriotic programs.

It has been a privilege exceedingly pleasant to serve the state the past two years as chairman of this work. That my successor may increase four-fold the interesting work of this important department is my earnest desire.

REPORT FORESTRY

Mrs. J. L. Walker, Chairman

Last year in sending out my state letter to the different D. A. R. Chapters, I urged that they foster a movement to create in each county or city a Town Forest. Every town could, and should have a forest of this kind. Their recreational and industrial value has been proved. In order to give information on how to establish and conduct town forests the American Tree Association has published a most valuable booklet which will be sent free of charge to any one desiring it. Address—AMERICAN TREE ASSOCIATION, 1214 Sixteenth Street, Washington, D. C.

A timber shortage is now facing our people. We are confronted by a condition, not a guess. We have passed the point of argument. We must plant trees, and have forestry preserves in every county.

Through D. A. R. co-operation with the city and county of Ware, many trees have been planted. Eighteen water oaks were planted on the grounds of a county school house. Twenty-five trees were planted along the Dixie Highway and twelve planted at one of the negro school houses. One member of the D. A. R. owns a forestry preserve that is now covered with beautiful young trees.

Ware county has four forestry preserves, and the United States government is giving close attention to their lands that have been set aside for growing timber. Thousands of trees are coming back and those interested in trees anticipate a return of the wonderful forest that have been cut away by the saw mills of a few years ago.

The following reports show that the Georgia D. A. R. are tree planters, having planted not only along highways, parks and school grounds, but have marked historic spots with living memorials throughout the state.

Sunbury Chapter reports having planted two hundred and fifty-seven dogwoods, interspersing them with crepe myrtles, and the Regent of the Chapter has made talks in the schools giving a prize for the best paper on tree planting.

George Walton Chapter has planted fifty trees and the Oglethorpe Chapter has co-operated with the city and had one thousand trees planted, myrtles, oak, Elms and had many trees throughout the city receive help from the tree surgeons.

Americus reports active tree planting and Matthew Tolbert Chapter observes Arbor Day with planting of many trees.

The Hawkinsville D. A. R. Chapter has planted a hundred pecans, crepe myrtle and fruit trees.

Lackland McIntosh Chapter has planted six hundred sixty-four trees.

Governor John Milledge Chapter has planted trees, flowers and shrubs.

The reports show that Georgia has joined the family of states having declared the policy of re-forestation and timber culture generally, and if every town or city will own a town or commercial forest a great economic problem will be forcibly met.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GEORGE WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Alva Davis, Chairman

As Chairman of George Washington's Birthday Committee, I beg to submit the following report.

First I wish to thank the members of the Committee for their splendid co-operation.

It gives me pleasure to report that forty-three Chapters in Georgia observed the birthday of George Washington.

Letters were sent to every chapter Regent asking them to celebrate his birthday, and quite a number of chapters had a Colonial Tea, and some united with the schools of their towns in putting on interesting programs, while others observed it in connection with Georgia Day.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GEORGIA BAY

Mrs. J. Thomas Wood, Chairman

Six years ago the Georgia D. A. R. joined forces with Mr. Charles Adamson of Cedartown and pledged themselves to help raise money to build Georgia Bay in the Washington Memorial Chapel at Valley Forge. Mr. Adamson had worked almost alone up to the time Georgia D. A. R. came to the rescue. The need of this undertaking was first brought to the attention of the Nathaniel Macon Chapter, by Mrs. E. B. Codrington, and it was at the State Conference at Moultrie in 1920 that Mrs. T. E. Blackshear, Regent of the Nathaniel Macon Chapter, presented the need to the conference and the work of raising funds was begun. Mrs. Max E. Land, State Regent, appointed Mrs. Blackshear Chairman of this new committee and her efforts to make all D. A. R. feel their obligation to the cause was untiring. In every way possible she kept Georgia Bay before us and made us realize that the building of Georgia Bay was a patriotic duty. During the two years of her Chairmanship, \$1,393.00 was given by Georgia D. A. R. for Georgia Bay.

Under the administration of Mrs. Charles Akerman as State Regent, Mrs. W. B. Daniel, of Col. Wm. Few Chapter, was State Chairman. Mrs. Daniel continued to write letters pleading for funds and during the two years she was chairman, Georgia Chapters contributed \$753.00. In the summer of 1924, after Mrs. Julius Talmadge was elected State Regent, she appointed your present State Chairman. I determined to follow the example of the two splendid women, who had served before me, and so like them I put my very best efforts into the work. Last year in Columbus I reported \$994.50 raised for Georgia Bay during the year, and pleaded for sufficient funds to complete the amount necessary to let the contract.

From year to year interest has increased and after conference last year, I reported to Mr. Adamson that we had \$600.00 pledged and felt sure of raising \$1000.00 before the end of the year. With this assured, the contract was given, but secured at a lower price than was anticipated. The Georgia Bay was completed by November and all plans were made for the dedication service, but on account of the extreme weather in that part of the country, we agreed that

it would be better to defer the service 'till this Spring, when we hope to have many interested Georgians present, and at the proper time the plans will be published.

During the six years that the Georgia D. A. R. have been contributing to this fund, Mr. Adamson has been very active too and secured many personal donations from Georgia citizens. The Colonial Dames of Georgia gave \$1000.00 and Mr. Adamson personally gave a substantial sum besides the "Roof of the Republic" in memory of his father. The amount of money received by Mr. Harrison included all money received, interest on bonds and profit from the sale of these bonds, which bonds were bought for temporary investment for Georgia Bay account.

Early in the Fall, our State Treasurer sent \$566.75 to add to the fund. This was held 'till November 18th, 1925, when the Georgia Bay was completed and final payment made. The aggregate of these amounts was \$9,020.34. The total cost of the Bay, including the contract with Mr. Burrell, the builder, and the architect's commission of ten percent is \$8,404.00, leaving a balance of \$616.34. On November 21st, I received a letter from Mr. Adamson enclosing a check for this amount and saying it gave him great pleasure to turn back to Georgia D. A. R. this money.

In view of the fact that Georgia D. A. R. had contributed fully half of the total cost of the Bay, your State Chairman was given the privilege of writing the inscription on the Bay. Wishing to give honor where honor is due, I wrote the following inscription:

"TO THE GLORY OF GOD
AND IN HONOR OF THE
GEORGIA MEN
WHOSE LIVES WERE GIVEN FOR
AMERICA'S INDEPENDENCE
THIS BAY IS ERECTED BY
CHARLES ADAMSON,
GEORGIA DAUGHTERS OF THE
AMERICAN REVOLUTION,
COLONIAL DAMES,
CITIZENS OF GEORGIA."

And so, daughters, Georgia Bay is finished and we have a surplus in our treasury of \$1074.09.

70 Chapters have contributed this year. Personal donations are also included in this report. Contributions are as follows:

Peter Coffee, \$5.50; Thronatuska, \$44.75; Com. Richard Dale, \$11.25; Mrs. John Pope, \$25.00; Council of Safety, \$30.25; Samuel Reid, \$2.50; Mrs. Alva Davis, \$5.00; Elijah Clark, \$19.75; Pied Continental, \$6.00; Atlanta, \$30.00; Mrs. Chas. Rice, \$10.00; Mrs. H. H. McCall, \$5.00; Joseph Habersham, \$106.50; Augusta, \$25.00; Com. Bainbridge, \$10.00; Peter Early, \$7.00; Brunswick, \$14.00; Mrs. C. H. Leavy, \$5.00; Cairo, \$10.00; Tomochichi, \$6.25; Baron de Kalb, \$9.25; Button Gwinnett, \$45.00; Geo. Walton, \$15.00; Oglethorpe, \$35.00; Mary J. Gaffney, \$5.00; James Pittman, \$9.00; Col. John McIntosh, \$4.00; Benj. Hawkins, \$5.25; Sergt. Newton, \$13.00; Gov. John Milledge, \$15.00; Stone Castle, \$5.00; Dorothy Walton, \$7.00; John Lawrence, \$14.75; Col. Wm. Few, \$25.00; Gov. Treutlen, \$5.00; Ft. Valley, \$5.00; James Monroe, \$15.50; Wm. Candler, \$10.00; David Meriwether, \$5.00; Pulaski, \$10.00; John Benson, \$12.75; Hawkinsville, \$13.00; Col. Wm. McIntosh, \$8.00; Wm. Marsh, \$10.00; Marh. H. Washington, \$37.50; Nathaniel Macon, \$25.00; Mrs. T. E. Blackshear, \$5.00; Henry Walton, \$10.00; Stephen Hopkins, \$4.00; Nancy Hart,

\$13.50; Matthew Talbot, \$2.00; Archibald Bullock, \$5.00; John Benning, \$12.50; Mrs. W. C. Vereen, \$5.00; Sarah Dickinson, \$12.50; Mrs. C. S. Colly, \$5.00; Hawthorn Trail, \$9.25; Gen. Daniel Stewart, \$5.00; Jared Irwin, \$2.00; Savannah, \$25.00; Mrs. W. T. Knight, Jr., \$5.00; Bonaventure, \$18.25; Noble W. Jones, \$5.00; John Clarke, \$12.75; Hancock, \$10.00; Briar Creek, \$2.00; Sylvester, \$9.75; Samuel Elbert, \$17.75; John Houston, \$10.00; Edward Telfair, \$10.00; Ochlocknee, \$11.00; Toccoa, \$5.25; Gen. Jas. Jackson, \$2.00; Burkhalter, \$6.00; Jonathan Bryan, \$6.50; Chattahoochee, \$9.50; Sunbury, \$13.25; Edmund Burke, \$5.00; Othcaloga, \$4.50; total \$1,045.09; \$994.50; total for two years, \$2,039.59.

It has been a joy to serve you and now I know what it takes to put anything over.

"It ain't the guns nor armament
Nor funds that they can pay
But the close co-operation
That makes them win the day.

It ain't the individual
Nor army as a whole
But the everlasting team-work
Of every bloomin' soul."

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GEORGIA DAY

Miss Claudia Culpepper, Chairman

As State Chairman of Georgia Day, I beg to submit the following report:

Early in January I mailed a card to every Regent in the State requesting that Georgia Day be fittingly observed by the Chapters, and schools in the counties. Of the ninety chapters in the State letters were received from forty reporting observance of the day.

The programs were very interesting, and instructive. Nearly all of the schools observed the day, and the following Chapters presented Georgia Flags to the schools: Col. John McIntosh Chapter, Conyers, John Lawrens Chapter, Dublin, Archibald Bullock Chapter, Montezuma, Gov. Jared Irwin Chapter, Sandersville, Gov. Treutlen Chapter, Fort Valley.

The George Walton Chapter, Columbus, conducted an Historical Essay Contest, the subject "Georgia's Part in the Revolution," the winner, a young boy, was presented a D. A. R. spoon.

The LaGrange Chapter sponsored a very elaborate Georgia Program, and Luncheon given by the Unity School and Cooking Class. The programs were outline maps of Georgia attractively adorned by a spray of Cherokee roses in water colors.

The William Marsh Chapter of La Fayette assisted by the school, observed the day with a splendid program of Georgia authors.

The following Chapters reported: Thronateeska Chapter, Albany, Commodore Richard Dole Chapter, Albany, Oothcaloga Chapter, Adairsville, Council of Safety Chapter, Americus, Elijah Clarke Chapter, Athens, Joseph Habersham Chapter, Atlanta, Brunswick Chapter, Brunswick, Lanahassee Chapter, Buena Vista, Cairo Chapter, Cairo, Button Gwinnett Chapter, Columbus, George Walton Chapter, Columbus, Col. John McIntosh Chapter, Conyers, Benjamin Hawkins Chapter, Cuthbert, Gov. John Milledge Chapter, Dalton, Stone Castle Chapter, Dawson, Dorothy Walton Chapter, Dawson, John Lawrens Chapter, Dublin, Gov. Treutlen Chapter, Fort Valley, John Benson Chapter, Hartwell, William Marsh Chapter,

LaFayette, LaGrange Chapter, LaGrange, Nancy Hart Chapter, Milledgeville, Matthew Talbot Chapter, Montroe, Archibalt Bulloch Chapter, Montezuma, Sergeant Jasper Chapter, Monticello, John Benning Chapter, Moultrie, Gen. Daniel Stewart Chapter, Perry, Sarah Dickinson Chapter, Newnan, Gov. Jared Irwin Chapter, Sandersville, Savannah Chapter, Savannah, Lochlan McIntosh Chapter, Savannah, Bonaventure Chapter, Savanah, John Clarke Chapter, Social Circle, Hancock Chapter, Sparta, Maj. Gen. Samuel Elbert Chapter, Tennille, Gov. Edward Telfair Chapter, Thomaston, Chat-tahoochee Chapter, West Point, Sunbury Chapter, Winder.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GEORGIA ROOM IN MEMORIAL CONTINENTAL HALL

Mrs. W. B. Short, Chairman

--There being a small balance in the Treasury for any additional furnishings for Georgia Room in Administration Building, this Committee has not asked the Chapters for a contribution in two years.

We have been asked for an additional much-needed bookcase, also for glass tops for the two desks, and a cushion.

The bookcase was bought at a cost of \$63.00. The smaller top was given by the Joseph Habersham Chapter—the larger one by Mr. Cooledge, the cushion bought with out funds.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GIFT SCHOLARSHIPS.

Mrs. Walter Scott Coleman, Chairman.

For the second time I take pleasure in rendering my report for the Committee on Gift Scholarships, and would advise that in performing the duties of chairman ninety-four cards, ninety-four circulars and forty-eight letters were sent to the Georgia Chapters during the year. Thirty-seven chapters responded to the cause of Gift Scholarships and one state scholarship was donated by La Grange Female College for the State-at-Large, making a total of \$8,183.32 contributed for this branch of our educational work. While this amount represents a generous expression of general interest in the boys and girls of Georgia by our chapters and individual Daughters, yet the demand for aid along this line of our patriotic endeavors is pressing and appealing, and it is the hope of your committee that through our great organization larger means and greater oportunities may be offered the youth of Georgia for fitting them for the conflicts of life and a better service to their fellows.

I have enjoyed the co-operation of members of my committee and the various chapters, and especially our beloved State Regent, Mrs. Talmadge, and my appreciation and thanks are hereby tendered all who aided in any way the splendid work of this committee in behalf of our younger generation and the future of our commonwealth.

DETAILED CONTRIBUTIONS

State Scholarship, LaGrange Female College-----	\$ 100.00
ALBANY, GA.	
Commodore Richard Dale Chapter, 2 Business Scholar- ships-----	140.00
A. & M. Student-----	117.00
One Kindergarten-----	28.00
Martha Berry School-----	10.00

ATHENS, GA.—Elijah Clarke Chapter	
Scholarships University of Georgia -----	1600.00
ATLANTA, GA.—Atlanta Chapter	
Washington Seminary, Atlanta, -----	250.00
Agnes Scott College, Decatur -----	185.00
Mrs. May Belle Wall, piano -----	200.00
Mrs. Kurt Mueller, piano -----	120.00
Atlanta School of Oratory -----	75.00
Woodberry Hall, Atlanta -----	115.00
Miss Louise Barili, voice -----	125.00
Miss Mary Lansing, voice -----	80.00
Mrs. Robert D. Blackburn, expression -----	75.00
Miss Kate Blatterman, piano -----	60.00
Miss Madeline Keipp, piano -----	60.00
Miss Mary Douglas, violin -----	75.00
Atlanta Conservatory, piano -----	80.00
Chapter on Conservatory Scholarship -----	35.00
Mrs. Marion Vaughn, piano -----	80.00
Mrs. Luther Allen, violin -----	80.00
One-Half Scholarship North Ave. Presbyterian School ---	55.00
Mrs. High—Elizabeth High Goodrum Scholarship -----	55.00
Creighton Business School -----	65.00
Ruth Dabney Smith, piano -----	40.00
One-Half Scholarship, Dr. Hull, North Ave. Presbyterian	55.00
Martha Berry -----	25.00
ATLANTA, GA.—Joseph Habersham Chapter	
Washington Seminary -----	175.00
Woodbury School, Atlanta -----	150.00
Marist College -----	150.00
Mozeley School -----	135.00
University School for Boys -----	220.00
Medlock School of Pharmacy, Atlanta -----	100.00
Southern Business College -----	50.00
Mrs. B. C. Ward, six students -----	800.00
Mrs. LeRoy Rogers -----	300.00
AUGUSTA, GA.—Augusta Chapter	
Martha Berry -----	10.00
BAINBRIDGE, GA.—Bainbridge Chapter	
Martha Berry -----	2.00
Tomassee -----	1.00
One Scholarship -----	20.00
BLAKELY, GA.—Governor Peter Early Chapter	
Martha Berry -----	5.00
BRUNSWICK, GA.—Brunswick Chapter	
Tomassee -----	5.00
CLARKSTON, GA.—Baron DeKalb Chapter	
Martha Berry -----	5.00
Local School -----	5.00
COLUMBUS, GA.—Oglethorpe Chapter	
Industrial High School -----	10.00
Scolarship, private tutor -----	36.00
Scholarship, voice -----	36.00
Half-Scholarship -----	27.00
COMMERCE, GA.—James Pittman Chapter	
Martha Berry -----	5.00
Meadow Garden -----	2.50
Local School -----	5.00
CONYERS, GA.—Col. John McIntosh Chapter	
Martha Berry -----	5.00

COVINGTON, GA.—Sergeant Newton Chapter Local Scholarship -----	2.00
DALTON, GA.—Gov. John Milledge Chapter Four Scholarships, High School -----	144.00
DUBLIN, GA.—John Laurens Chapter Summer School, Athens Agricultural College -----	30.00
Martha Berry -----	5.00
DECATUR, GA.—Baron DeKalb Chapter Martha Berry -----	10.00
ELBERTON, GA.—Stephen Heard Chapter A. & M. School, Madison -----	50.00
Martha Berry -----	10.00
FORSYTH, GA.—James Monroe Chapter Martha Berry -----	2.00
Tomassee -----	2.00
FORT VALLEY, GA.—Gov. Treutlen Chapter One Scholarship -----	35.00
GRAY, GA.—Oliver Morton Chapter Martha Berry -----	5.00
HAWKINSVILLE, GA.—Hawkinsville Chapter Brenau College, Gainesville -----	100.00
G. S. C. W., Milledgeville -----	150.00
JACKSON, GA.—William McIntosh Chapter Martha Berry -----	2.00
Tomassee -----	2.00
LaGRANGE, GA.—LaGrange Chapter Scholarship, LaGrange Female College -----	100.00
MACON, GA.—Mary Hammond Washington Chapter Two Scholarships G. S. W. C., Milledgeville -----	975.00
One Scholarship at Georgia Tech, Atlanta -----	975.00
MADISON, GA.—Henry Walton Chapter Martha Berry -----	5.00
MONROE, GA.—Matthew Talbot Chapter Agrl. College, Athens -----	100.00
MOULTRIE, GA.—John Benning Chapter One Scholarship -----	100.00
PERRY, GA.—Gen. Daniel Stewart Chapter High School -----	15.00
Martha Berry -----	2.00
QUITMAN, GA.—Hannah Clarke Chapter Martha Berry -----	10.00
SANDERSVILLE, GA.—Gov. Jared Irwin Chapter Martha Berry -----	5.00
Tomassee -----	1.00
SAVANNAH, GA.—Lachlan McIntosh Chapter Martha Berry -----	5.00
SPARTA, GA.—Hancock Chapter Granite Hill Industrial College -----	75.00
TENNILLE, GA.—Maj. Gen. Samuel Elbert Chapter Martha Berry -----	1.00
Tomassee -----	2.00
THOMASTON, GA.—Gov. Edward Telfair Chapter Martha Berry -----	5.00
THOMASVILLE, GA.—Ochlochnee Chapter One-Half Scholarship -----	30.00
Martha Berry -----	10.00
VALDOSTA, GA.—Gen. James Jackson Chapter Scholarship, G. S. W. C., Milledgeville -----	125.00
WINDER, GA.—Sunbury Chapter Five Scholarships, Winder -----	34.32

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GIRL HOME-MAKERS

Mrs. Walter D. Lamar, Chairman

Madame Regent and Daughters of the American Revolution of Georgia:

The report of this chairman is so meager, that she begs it be supplemented at the Conference at Americus by a roll call of Chapters, in order that they may have the privilege of reporting on activities in the Department of Girl Home-Makers.

With sincere wishes for a successful 1926 Conference and the fervent hope for the full fruition of Georgia's ambition in national affairs for our brilliant and capable and all deserving State Regent, Mrs. Julius Talmadge.

Oglethorpe Chapter, Columbus, Ga., has offered two prizes to the Girl Scouts and Camp Fire Girls of our city a \$5.00 gold prize to be presented to each organization for best essay, subject being "Oglethorpe in Georgia."

Matthew Talbot Chapter, Monroe, Ga., gave scholarships to Canning Club girl—a short course at Georgia State College of Agriculture at Athens last summer.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON HISTORIC RESEARCH AND PRESERVATION OF RECORDS

Mrs. John Lee Davidson, Chairman

The importance of the preservation of the history of our "Empire State of the South" is apparent to all. Preservation depends upon publication, that "He who runs may read," and that the true and glorious past of Georgia may be an inspiration to our children, and our children's children. Such knowledge is the foundation of true patriotism. How can we love our country if we do not know it? Every year there is loss by fire of much of the basis material of our history, county records which tell the story of life in undeniable terms.

One of the most important in the state, Wilkinson county, suffered a third loss by fire last year, leaving only a few of the older books.

In Baldwin county there are no deeds prior to 1865, they having been destroyed by Sherman. The records of marriages, wills, and administrations were saved by some patriot whose name we did not learn. These are beautifully kept by the present incumbent, Judge W. M. Stenbridge.

The records of Columbia county are intact with the exception of the first marriage book and first will book, whose folios are hanging by threads, some of both entirely gone. Some of the oldest deed books are almost illegible and are falling to pieces from age.

In response to a letter sent to the chapters, reports were received as follows:

Oothcaloga Chapter, Adairsville. Mrs. G. M. Boyd, Regent. Sent marriages from Book "B" of old Cass county now Bartow, from 1836 to 1843—355 in all, earlier records having been destroyed by Sherman when Cassville was burned.

Atlanta Chapter, Atlanta, by Mrs. Aurelia Roach McMillan, Historian, and a member of this committee, fifty-two wills from Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia, made by Heard, Wyatt, Blassingame, Foster, Clement, Fitzpatrick, Walker, Hammock and other families.

Button Gwinnett Chapter, Columbus.—By Mrs. T. D. Power, Regent. Reports much research done in establishing new lines and correcting old ones.

Oglethorpe Chapter, Columbus.—By Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, Regent. Notes made on visits to cemeteries and places of historic interest, and several lineage books added to their collection.

Fort Early Chapter, Cordele.—By Mrs. A. S. Bussey. Sent History of Crisp county to chairman.

John Milledge Chapter, Dalton.—By Mrs. B. A. Tylor. Collecting material for a county history, and have placed thirty volumes of historical and genealogical interest in the public library in honor of Mrs. Warren Davis, Historian, who died 1924.

Dorothy Walton Chapter, Dawson.—By Mrs. George Riley. Inscriptions from twenty tombstones in the old Methodist Camp Ground, Chickassawhatchee, Terrell county, and inscriptions from five graves in the old Baptist Cemetery, one mile beyond. There is an old Indian burial ground nearby whose history they are trying to secure.

Hawkinsville Chapter, Howkinsville.—By Mrs. T. H. Bridges, Regent. A most valuable history of Hawkinsville and Pulaski county, compiled and in the hands of the printer.

Mary Hammond Washington Chapter, Macon—Have compiled a history of Bibb county soon to be printed.

Nancy Hart Chapter, Milledgeville.—By Mrs. J. I. Garrard, Regent. History of Baldwin county expected from the printer. It contains about seventy-five family sketches, marriages up to 1820 and some Bible records.

John Benning Chapter, Moultrie.—By Mrs. W. C. Vereen, Regent. History of Moultrie and Colquitt county written this year.

Sarah Dickinson Chapter, Newnan—History of Coweta county being compiled.

Maj. General Samuel Elbert Chapter, Tennille.—By Mrs. W. H. Colgate, Regent. Three hundred and fifty marriages from Washington county, about 1826.

John Houston Chapter, Thomaston.—By Mrs. Alvah Weaver, Jr., Regent. Collecting material for history of Upson county.

Ochlochnee Chapter, Thomasville.—By Mrs. Cader Parker, Regent. Sent the chairman a copy of Irwin McIntyre's history of Thomas county, compiled 1923, which is very valuable, but does not entirely cover the ground. We hope the chapter will add to it before another year.

General James Jackson Chapter, Valdosta—Comprehensive history of Lowndes county, typed and ready to be printed when funds are available.

Lyman Hall Chapter, Waycross—History of Ware county in preparation.

Burkhalter Chapter, Warrenton—Compiled a brief history of Warren county before the chapter was two years old, for use in the schools. Inscriptions were sent from ten of the oldest tombstones in the two town cemeteries—by Mrs. W. F. Wilhoit, Organizing Regent.

Sunbury Chapter, Winder.—By Mrs. J. H. Pledger, Regent. Records from the Lyle and Jackson family Bibles. Inscriptions from ten graves in the old Bethlehem Cemetery, two from Pentecost Churchyard, two from old cemetery in Winder.

Will of General Anothony Wayne, Chatham county from Mr. J. A. LeConte, Atlanta.

Miss Annie Lane of Washington, Ga., a member of this committee staged a most unique essay contest in her town. She displayed relics in a store window offering prizes of Stone Mountain Memorial Coins for the five best historical sketches based on the meaning of the relics and pictures. These consisted of spinning

wheels, canteens, flags, duelling pistols and a sampler made in 1753 by Martha Mott, age nine years, a granddaughter of Rebecca Mott, Revolutionary heroine of Charleston. One year was required for this patient little girl to embroider the Lord's Prayer on the sampler. It and the duelling pistols were photographed for the American Journal of History. The Associated Press sent a representative to make a picture of this display of relics and interview Miss Lane. This is a splendid way to arouse interest in local history and might well be followed by every other chapter in Georgia.

Miss Lane also offered \$10.00 in gold to the pupils of the High School for the best essay on Reconstruction Days in Wilkes county. The material was not to be taken from any published history, but certified statements from veterans still living.

The names of 196 Revolutionary soldiers were sent by this chairman to the chapters in the counties where they died in the hope that their graves could be located.

Inscriptions from thirty-six graves in the cemetery of Kingston, Bartow county were made by the chairman. These included several of the Eddins family of Abbeville County, S. C., Dr. Mark Johnson, the grandfather of Mrs. Patrick Bray of the Joseph Habersham Chapter and Mary Howard wife of Dr. Frank Goulding, author of the "Young Marooners", and the first man to make a sewing machine. His wife, Mary Howard, was the first person to sing "From Greenland's Icy Mountains".

Every D. A. R. of Georgia must be proud of the publication of Historical Collections of Georgia Chapters, N. S. D. A. R., just off the press. This marks an epoch in our activities, the copying and publishing in permanent form the records of our own state.

The History of Washington county has been published by the Federation of Clubs. All Tax Digests from 1790 to 1818 sent by the county officials to the State Capitol have been published by Miss Ruth Blair, State Historian, price \$3.00. As Georgia has no census for this period this book is very valuable.

Miss Blair has recently found service of so many Revolutionary soldiers a reprint of Georgia's Roster of the Revolution seems an early necessity.

In closing I wish to thank the chapters who responded, the members of this committee and my friends whose interest made this report possible.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON HISTORIC POST CARDS

Mrs. George T. Hodgson, Chairman

Cards of many historic places of interest have been added to the Album this year. Pictures of several markers that have been erected by different chapters have been added to the collection.

Fort Early Chapter sends a picture of the granite boulder marking Fort Early Site, Crisp County Georgia. "The boulder marks the site of Fort Early constructed by Gen. David Blackshear during the War of 1812. Afterward used by Gen. Andrew Jackson in 1918. The boulder was erected by the Fort Early Chapter in 1915.

Fort Early Chapter also sends a pretty picture of the Memorial Spring at Fort Early Site. This Spring was marked in honor of Capt. Leigh and private Samuel Loftis, brave American Soldiers killed February 1818 by Red Stick Indians as they crossed Cedar Creek just above Fort Early in an attempt to convey provisions to Gen. Jackson's army encamped at Fort Early.

An interesting picture is the tomb of Thomas Jefferson on Moultrie Mountain, with the epitaph written by Jefferson himself. "Here

is buried Thomas Jefferson author of the Virginia Bill of Rights, author of the Declaration of Independence and father of the University of Virginia."

Gov. Peter Early Chapter sends a very clear photograph of the old home of Gov. Colquitt in Baker County.

The Atlanta Chapter sends a pretty picture of the first "D. A. R. Colors" made in the South after the resolution passed at the 33rd Continental Congress.

Gov. Jared Irwin Chapter sends several interesting cards. One is a picture of the first jail ever built in Washington County and located at Worthen. Aaron Burr was at one time imprisoned in this house built of rough hewn logs.

Another card pictures the monument erected to Gov. Jared Irwin in Sandersville, Georgia by the Georgia Legislature. This is the only monument ever erected by the State of Georgia to a private citizen.

The Gainesville Chapter sends a history of the early settlers around Gainesville with pictures of the homes of the Settlers.

Elijah Clarke Chapter sends three large, beautiful pictures of the marker erected by the Chapter at Cherokee Corner, October, 1925, near Athens, Georgia. The inscription reads: "Memorial to perpetuate the name of Cherokee Corner, the boundary line as determined by the treaty of 1733 by the Creek Indians on the West, the Cherokee on the North and Georgia on the South and East." The unveiling of this marker was attended by dignified and appropriate exercises, many people of Athens and the surrounding county being present.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE HISTORICAL AND LITERARY RECIPROCITY

By Mrs. F. E. Land

The National Committee on Historical and Literary Reciprocity was created for a specific purpose. As indicated by the title, it has to do largely with matters of history and with particular reference to Revolutionary times. One of the duties is to collect authors and interesting facts in regard to Colonial Days and experiences of those daring pioneers, who established our Country.

These stories of the Revolutionary historical records are papers on Americanization work and methods and other subjects pertaining to the work of the Daughters of the American Revolution, prepared in good literary style, comprising the D. A. R. Lending Library. These articles, furnished by chapter members, are loaned to other chapter members for use in the preparation of their Year Book and for programs. Many splendid papers are read before our chapters and they are received with great enthusiasm. However, if in the enthusiasm, there is only local applause, you have defrauded the organization. Why not share this historical treat and let others over the country enjoy your feast of reading? This Reciprocity feature is like happiness, "All who joy would win, must share it—happiness was born a twin".

The Lending Library is primarily located in Memorial Continental Hall, where all members of the National Society who visit Washington are welcome. There are nearly 1600 papers catalogued in Washington and your Chairman has a list of these papers which you can procure by mailing request to her. She also has about twenty-five papers belonging to different chapters that have been sent in to the Chairman. Among these can be found such papers as the "Origin of the National Society of the D. A. R.", "Historical Spots in Georgia", and many others that can be procured through your State Chairman.

A recent visit to the Benjamin Franklin Chapter in Paris, France, gave your Chairman quite a knowledge of the benefit derived from this privilege of reciprocity. I also learned from this Chapter that they had made a gift of \$10,000 this year to the American Hospital in France, which I think all our chapters know about and appreciate. Your Chairman has also attended a very progressive program given by the Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R. on the line of reciprocity as foreigners were requested to carry out the entire program.

Let us try to advance our work as much as possible during the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. F. E. LAND, Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON HISTORICAL PROGRAM

Mrs. O. C. Bullock, Chairman

As Chairman of the Historical Program Committee, I wish to submit the following report:

The Chapter almost universally have had in their literary work subjects bearing on Revolutionary History. This seems to have been a year of history study. As a rule the Chapters do not follow the program outlined by the State Chairman. Most Chapters get out a year book and have their own program committee.

It is interesting to know what other people are doing, so I thought I would change this report from the usual Historical Program report and tell what the Chapters are doing along this line. Have had some beautiful programs sent me; will mention some of the subjects:

Great Periods in American History and Women Who Helped Make Them Great:

1. The Period of Discovery—Queen Isabella of Spain.
2. The Period of Exploration—Two Great Indian Heroines—Pocahontas and Scagawea.
3. The Period of Colonization and Revolution—Priscilla, Nancy Hart and Betsy Ross.
4. The Period of Political Organization—Martha Washington, Sallie Fairfax.
5. The Period of the White House as National Centre—Abigail Adams and Dolly Madison.
6. The Period of Expansion—Rachael Jackson.
7. The Period of Internal Strife—The Wife of Lincoln and Ann Rutledge.
8. The Period of the New Nation—Modern Women at Work.

This program was gotten out by the Benjamin Hawkins Chapter. Other subjects:

- "Revolutionary Forts and Treaty Places in Georgia."
- "The Military Organizations of the American Revolution."
- "Causes of the Revolutionary War."
- "The Story of the First Continental Congress."
- "Washington—His Contribution to America."
- "Mt. Vernon—Yesterday and Today."
- "Under the Stars and Stripes—West Point."
- "Ellis Island—Its History and Its Meaning."
- "Jamestown—The Cradle of the Republic."
- "Old Glory—Its History."
- "Women of the Revolution and the Part They Played in History."
- "America and Americans."

I could give other subjects, but this is sufficient to show that our

women have not been idle but have studied the things that give them the inspiration to make our D. A. R. work glorious.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INDEPENDENCE DAY

Mrs. Almon A. Williams, Chairman

Although your chairman is sojourning in the land of sunshine and flowers, she has kept in close touch with the work of her committee and is gratified to report that about seventy-five per cent of the chapters observed Independence Day, some with patriotic addresses, one with a patriotic pageant all with appropriate exercises and display of the flag.

There is a marked increase in the interest taken by the chapters in the observance of Independence Day and in the number reporting such observance. We believe that the Georgia D. A. R., through this committee, have encouraged the more general observance of Independence Day and that from year to year there will be a greater display of patriotism on the part of Georgians on this occasion.

REPORT OF INDIAN WELFARE AND CITIZENSHIP

By Mrs. John M. Slaton, Chairman

It was in the year 1789 that a War Department was created by Congress, and among the duties assigned to it were those relating to Indian affairs.

In 1849, the Department of the Interior took over this duty, and this responsibility thus passed from military to civil control.

Your State Chairmen on Indian Welfare have brought before you the relations of our Government with this race, covering information in regard to farming lands, villages, education and habits.

Two years ago, with the approval of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, a plan was developed which provided for leasing to a number of students at the Chillocco Indian School, a body of land equivalent to a small farm. The ambition of the student in farming is thereby stimulated, and judging by the success these boys have attained, this is believed by the Department to be a splendid method.

A five-year Industrial Program was organized among the "Black-feet". They are completing their fifth year, and their aim is to place this Reservation first among all the Reservations, in a united effort towards good homes, good citizenship, self-support, and loyalty.

The non-reservation school, established at Carlisle, Penn., in 1879, was, as we know, the first of its class. There are now seventeen similar institutions. During the World War the Carlisle School was turned over to the Government for a military post, and as such remains.

In 1911 there was reported to be approximately 11,000 Indian pupils enrolled in the State public schools. About 40,000 are enrolled now.

Approximately \$400,000 of Federal funds are being used this year in aid of public schools where Indian pupils are enrolled; a part of which is applied to new buildings. Much of this success is due to the sympathy and active encouragement of state officials, particularly those from the Department of Education and of Health.

In its health work the Indian Service, through the Department of the Interior, is endeavoring to build up the vitality of the Indian people, and to establish for them a new standard of living.

A definite health program in the schools is being pursued, with some degree of success. From time to time Indian mothers are invited to inspect the schools, thereby absorbing helpful suggestions.

Vocational training is emphasized. Especial attention is given to physical education among the girls. In fact, throughout all the schools there is frequent medical examination by the school physician. A course of correction for each defect is prescribed. Athletics are not only encouraged but required.

In the Normal Schools Indian teachers are not infrequently found.

Business Training was introduced in 1897. Now hundreds of graduates of this course are holding positions in departments of the Government and in the commercial world.

Many Indian girls are perfecting themselves in the course of trained nursing. The machinery of religious education is established, and denominational meetings are held, where the boy or girls can study the faith and work of his or her own denomination. In nearly all of the schools there is a general chapel service. Home Economics are taught. Home sanitation is the objective of this department.

The adaptation of Indian design to hand work is encouraged and creditable results are being shown, as a development of their early crude efforts. The early Navajo and Pueblo tribe developed a genuine Indian art. The young man of the Hopi tribe still weaves, of cotton yarn, the wedding dress for his fiancée. In weaving the famous Navajo "blanket" or rug, the same loom is used as that brought from Europe by early Spanish explorers.

By the act of June 2, 1924, all Indians received full citizenship. Indians within reservations are punishable in the Federal Courts for the seven major crimes specifically mentioned in Section 328 of the United States Criminal Code of 1910.

The United States Bureau has issued an interesting and suggestive pamphlet regarding the continued use of peyote by certain of the Indian tribes. In former reports this species of cactus resembling the turnip or carrot has been described. Apparently the Indian has a thirst for stimulants, and recognizing this appetite and the danger of its indulgence, the Government has long since passed a law making it a crime to supply an Indian with alcoholic stimulants. This was many years before the adoption of the 18th Amendment to the Constitution. Apparently there is no statute against the use of peyote. At the beginning of religious ceremonies the Indians chew it, and it said to produce a spiritual exaltation. Its effect is described as an intoxicant and a narcotic, and its physiological effects are similar to those of cocaine and morphine. Attempts have been made to prevent its use by law, but its users, like the users of other drugs, resent interference with their appetites, and employ representatives to oppose the enactment or remedial legislation.

Indians are more and more adopting the general practice of civilization in marrying in accordance with the laws of the State in which they reside.

Many old Indian warriors who rendered service to the United States in years gone by have been granted pensions to assist them in their old age.

During 1925 additional land for the use of the Indian has been withdrawn from New Mexico, Nevada and Arizona. New regulations concerning rights of way and easements for various purposes are in course of preparation. These additional miles of road will be of great benefit to the Indians, increasing transportation facilities and enhancing the value of their lands.

An interesting attempt at legislation touching the Indian reached a conclusion in the Virginia assembly last week, the Virginia Senate refused to concur in a bill passed by the House on the subject of miscegenation. The bill attempted to prevent inter-marriage

between Caucasians and any other race, but the descendants of Pocahuntas were exempted from the law. The effects suggest the romantic love and union between Matoaka and Captain Smith, and their aristocratic descendants who have represented Virginia in the highest positions in their state and in the National Government.

Interesting communications have come to me from D. A. R. Chapters. The "Col. William Few" of Eastmont, presented an Indian Program at the October Meeting. The three Columbus Chapters are placing markers to two Indians, are actively interested in Indian trails and are contributing to the education of a young Indian boy who is preparing to aid in the religious education of his people.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL DAY

Mrs. Lee Trammell, Chairman

I am glad to report that in response to a letter sent the Regent of each Chapter, twenty-five chapters have observed February 6th with suitable programs, address, etc. Many others I am sure, did not fail in the observance of the day, only failed to let the fact be known to your Committee.

Chapters reporting as follows:

Tennille, Cuthbert, Adairsville, Conyers, Athens, Jackson, Madison, Greenville, Monroe, Sparta, Elberton, La Grange, Buena Vista, Moultrie, Monticello, West Point, Thomaston, Eastman, Albany, Savannah—Savannah Chapter, Savannah—Bonaventure Chapter, Columbus—Button Gwinnett, Columbus—Oglethorpe Chapter, Macon—Nathaniel Macon, Atlanta—Joseph Habersham.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Mrs. John Randolph Whitehead, State Chairman

Madame Regent and Members of the 28th Conference:

As State Chairman of International Relations, I have, during the year 1925-1926, asked each Chapter Regent, in the State, for her co-operation, in the study of International Relations. Circular letters, and requests through the official D. A. R. column, are often ignored, and your Chairman has learned, from experience, that a little hand-written, one-cent, post-card, will bring results as quick as did the "Hand-writing on the Wall", in the days of Belshazzar. The following chapters responded to my last S. O. S. call, and are my honor-roll, for 1925-26:

Benjamin Hawkins, Cuthbert; Sunbury, Winder; Thronateeska, Albany; Commodore Richard Dale, Albany; Matthew Talbot, Monroe; John aLurens, Dublin; Sergeant Jasper, Monticello; Col. William Few, Eastman; John Benning, Moultrie; Savannah Chapter, Savannah; Joseph Habersham, Atlanta; John Clarke, Social Circle; Col. John McIntosh, Conyers; Stone Castle, Dawson; General James Jackson, Valdosta; Button Gwinnett, Columbus; Oglethorpe, Columbus; George Walton, Columbus; William Marsh, LaFayette; Hawkinsville, Hawkinsville; Chattahoochee, West Point; Elijah Clarke, Athens; James Monroe, Forsyth; Mable Wymberf Jones, Shellman; Atlanta, Atlanta; Hancock, Sparta; Pulaski, Griffin; Lachlan McIntosh, Savannah; Sarah Dickinson, Newnan; Edmund Burke, Waynesboro; Oothcaloga, Adairsville; Brunswick, Brunswick; Fort Valley, Fort Valley; Hannah Clarke, Quitman; Col. William Candler, Gainesville; Ochlocknee, Thomasville; Henry Walton, Madison.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON KENMORE

By Mrs. J. H. Moye, State Chairman

As Georgia State Chairman of Kenmore I beg to submit the following report:

Giving of our time and money to Kenmore is a work worthy of our best efforts and I feel encouraged that so many Chapters have been so generous in their donations.

In the fall I sent literature about Kenmore to most of the Chapters in the State asking that they have a program on Kenmore. A great many Chapters responded to this request and rendered these programs.

In January I wrote a letter to every Chapter in the State asking them to have a Kenmore Silver Tea, or if they couldn't have a Tea to make a contribution to Kenmore.

So many more Chapters this year have seemed interested in this work and I feel in another year we will go forward and do the thing Georgia should do—her best.

The following chapters have contributed as follows:

Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, Savannah -----	\$ 5.00
Hannah Clark, Quitman -----	1.00
Maj. Gen. Samuel Elbert, Tennille -----	1.00
Joseph Habersham, Atlanta -----	25.00
Commodore Richard Dale, Albany -----	5.00
Elijah Clarke Chapter, Athens -----	5.00
Atlanta Chapter, Atlanta -----	5.00
Nathaniel Abney Chapter, Fitzgerald -----	5.00
Benjamin Hawkins, Cuthbert -----	2.00
Henry Walton, Madison -----	1.00
John Laurens, Dublin -----	1.00
Edward Telfair, Thomaston -----	1.00
Bonaventure, Savannah -----	5.00
Lachlan McIntosh, Savannah -----	5.00
Fielding Lewis, Marietta -----	10.00
Thronateeska, Albany -----	2.00
William Chandler, Gainesville -----	5.00
Geo. Walton Chapter, Columbus -----	1.00
Matthew Talbot, Monroe -----	2.50
Sunbury, Winder -----	1.00
Ochlocknee, Thomasville -----	10.00
Stone Castle, Dawson -----	1.00
Chattahoochee, West Point -----	1.00
Samuel Reid, Eatonton -----	1.00
John Benning, Moultrie -----	1.00
Baron DeKalb, Clarkston -----	10.00
Peter Early, Blakely -----	25.00
	137.50
Given to Kenmore Association by Atlanta Chapter -----	10.00
Total -----	\$147.50

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LAFAYETTE DAY

Mrs. Frank E. Johnston, Chairman

In response to the cards mailed by your committee in August to each regent in the state urging an observance of LaFayette Day reports from forty-eight (48) chapters were received. The most notable celebration was the unveiling of a bronze tablet at Fort Benning by the Columbus Daughters to commemorate the passing

of General LaFayette through the site of Fort Benning on his tour of the United States in 1825.

America is rich in memorials to this "knightly young French soldier whose heart was so melted at the sight of our struggle for freedom, that he put his all into it, and became a deciding factor in the fires of freedom which shall never go out on our shores." So, it is but fitting that our society above all should pay homage to him at least once a year. The following chapters reported:

Thranateeska, Commodore Richard Dale; Oothcaloga; Elijah Clarke; Joseph Habersham; Gov. Peter Early; Lanahassee; Tomochichi; Button Gwinnett; George Walton; Oglethorpe; James Pittman; Col. John McIntosh; Benjamin Hawkins; Sergeant Newton; Gov. John Milledge; Stone Castle; John Laurens; Col. William Few; Stephen Head; Gov. Treutlen, Fort Valley; Col. William Candler; John Benson; Hawkinsville; William Marsh; Nathaniel Macon; Henry Walton; Nancy Hart; Matthew Talbot; Sergeant Jasper; John Benning; Sarah Dickinson; Gen. Daniel Stewart; Gov. Jared Irwin; Lachlan McIntosh; Savannah; Bonaventure, John Clark; Hancock; Maj. General Samuel Elbert; John Houston; Gov. Edward Telfair; Ochlochnee; Burkhalter; Lyman Hall; Chattahoochee, and Sunbury.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATION

Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Chairman

The policy of the National Society is to endorse principles underlying bills and not specific bills themselves. Your National Chairman, in her report at the Continental Congress of 1925, said that the D. A. R. have established a reputation for conservatism in their endorsements and activities, being in a position to know the contemplated Legislation of the short session of Congress in 1925, the National Chairman thought it wise not to ask for anything. It is for us to keep constantly at work in our chosen field, teaching lessons of patriotism and respect for law and government, rather than being too impatient.

Let me urge every member to be very careful and prudent as to what they endorse in the various Chapters. Many of us who have had experience along this line know the many pitfalls and dangers ahead in any Legislative work, therefore, we must be careful and avoid trouble; and with our influence wisely and intelligently welded together, then urge the General Assembly the passage of such Legislation as we deem for best interest of the state.

Two of the bills endorsed by the National Society to be acted on during the 1926 Congress will be the Towner-Sterling bill for a Bureau of Education, and the bill for a fire-proof Archives Building in Washington, D. C.

Congress in February passed a bill making possible the building of our new Auditorium-Constitution Hall.

Your Legislative Chairman represents the D. A. R. as a member of the Legislative Council of Women's State Organizations, and has served as Secretary since the organization of this Council. Two bills endorsed by the D. A. R. at the last Conference was the Marriage Relations bill and the Forestry bill. The Forestry bill was passed at the 1925 session.

Your chairman offers the following recommendation:

"That, Whereas, the D. A. R. was one of the first organizations in the state to use their influence for a passage of a 'Vital Statistic' law in Georgia, and

"Whereas, Georgia in 1914 enacted a Vital Statistic law creating a State Bureau of Vital Statistics, but unfortunately in 1925 the por-

tion of the law providing for the payment of local registrars from county funds was declared unconstitutional and Georgia was dropped from the Registration Area of the Federal Census Bureau.

"Therefore, be it resolved, that this Conference urge the Legislature of 1927 to find effective remedies to replace Georgia in the Registration Bureau of the Federal Census Bureau."

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LINEAGE BOOKS AND ROSTERS

Miss Martha Edmondson, Chairman

The wheel of time turns unceasingly, and each revolution is the maker of history; some to be recorded; some to sink into oblivion.

Lest we forget the past, or lose a single date that might prove a valuable link, it behooves us to gather these records while we may.

Your committee on Lineage Books and Chapter Rosters has centered every activity along this line. Last fall I mailed cards to all chapters, that had not previously responded, asking for rosters. This request was also published in the D. A. R. column of the Constitution.

I have heard from William Marsh, LaFayette; Hawthorn Trail, Pelham; Oothcaloga, Adairsville; George Walton, Columbus; Benjamin Hawkins, Cuthbert; Oglethorpe, Columbus; Roanoke, Lumpkin; James Jackson, Valdosta; and Sylvester Chapter, Sylvester.

Last year I presented bound reports of 64 chapters, making in all 73 rosters compiled—17 yet to hear from.

Sunbury Chapter reported revolutionary ancestors of all members.

Mrs. Wilson's amendment to my undertaking was splendid, and I trust she has had good results.

As previously reported, the Hawkinsville Chapter has donated 18 Lineage Books, 32 volumes have been purchased with \$116.00 from State Treasury. At another time 11 vols. were purchased with \$37.00 from State fund.

These 61 volumes with Index Vo., No. 1-40, have been sent to your State Consulting Registrar.

From \$12.00, cash from chapters, \$5.00 was spent for Index Volume, 15 cents balance on Vol. 1, and \$2.18 express and postage on books to Savannah. \$4.67 balance on hand.

Some of these lineage books are not obtainable at Washington, and for this reason our file is not complete. However, the Treasurer General has placed Georgia on the waiting list and will reserve (as they come to her) the 21 missing volumes, subject to order.

I trust ere long my vision will materialize, and all these records will be safe within the hands of Georgia's State Registrar.

Since making this report, I have received from Mrs. J. H. Redding, Regent, \$2.00 for Lineage Books, and the Roster of Jonathan Bryan Chapter, Waycross.

I have also received from Mrs. J. H. Williams, Regent, the Roster of Gov. Peter Early Chapter, Blakely.

REPORT OF LUCY COOK PEEL MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

Mrs. W. F. Dykes, Chairman

Acting of the recommendation of the State Chairman of the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Committee "that the manuscript from the Joseph Habersham Chapter (valued at \$500), the records of Franklin County compiled by Mrs. Walter S. Wilson, State Consulting Registrar and Mrs. John L. Davidson, State Chairman Historic Research and Preservation of Records Committee, under the direction of the State Conference, be published in book form, as a Memorial to Mrs. William Lawson Peel".

Your Chairman is very proud to report to you, the completion of this book—THE HISTORICAL COLLECTIONS OF THE GEORGIA CHAPTERS DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, dedicated to Mrs. William Lawson Peel. Included in this book are names of Revolutionary soldiers buried in North Carolina, genealogy of Christian, Craig, and Russell families by Mrs. Eugene Everton Smith of Atlanta, Georgia; description of land lots by Peter Early Chapter, Blakely, Georgia; and marriages in Telfair County by Mrs. W. B. Daniel of Eastman, Georgia.

Every D. A. R. in Georgia should be interested in this historical book and every Chapter will be expected to purchase a copy—according to recommendation adopted at the last Conference. That the old records may be accessible to all, it is necessary to have them published in book form, and the D. A. R. must assume this responsibility.

The book will be included among the historical and genealogical reference books in Continental Memorial Hall Library. Southern records are needed; it is difficult to overestimate the value of these records. This committee hopes that the Daughters throughout the State will be on the lookout for old Church records, tombstone inscriptions, records from family Bibles, and old manuscripts—all these can throw light on the history of early Georgians and will be of priceless value in proving eligibility to our D. A. R. organizations.

At the present time there is copy enough already in the hands of the various Chapters to publish a second volume. This committee wishes to impress upon this Conference the importance of this work, looking to the preservation of these records before they are lost, by time, fire, or indifference.

I wish to give thanks to those who have so ably assisted in the publishing of this book.

REPORT COMMITTEE ON MARKING OLD JACKSON TRAIL

Miss Virginia Hardin, Chairman

Ladies of D. A. R. Conference:

The committee of marking old Jackson Trail takes pleasure in awarding this year's fund to the Sunbury Chapter, Winder, Georgia. Miss Hardin, chairman, gave seventy-five dollars and the Atlanta Chapter gave twenty-five dollars of the one hundred dollars awarded to Sunbury Chapter.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MARKING REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS GRAVES

Mrs. S. V. Sanford, Chairman

As Chairman of the Committee on Marking Revolutionary Soldiers Graves, it gives me pleasure to submit the following report:

About six months ago I received my appointment as Chairman of this committee and I immediately wrote every Chapter Regent a letter asking that the work of this committee be stressed during the year. From the letters I have received, I am convinced that genuine work is being accomplished along this line.

Elijah Clarke Chapter, Athens, reports that the following graves have been marked: Hiram Howard, buried in Winterville; Richard Gunn, buried in Crawfordsville; and Aaron Grier, buried in Sharon.

Sergeant Newton Chapter, Covington, reports the location of the following graves: William Morris, six miles west of Covington, Newton county, on road known as the "Old Christian Place"; Robert Pullen, buried in Covington cemetery, with this inscription—born 1756,

died 1854. This is the soldier supposed to be mentioned in Mr. Knight's book.

Stone Castle Chapter, Dawson, reports the marking on Armistice day of two graves of Revolutionary soldiers: John Cropps and Neil McNeil.

William Marsh Chapter, LaFayette, has marked the grave of Colonel William Farris, a Revolutionary soldier.

Sergeant Jasper Chapter, Monticello, has located in Jasper county the grave of Jeremiah Lundsden, a Revolutionary soldier. A marker has been ordered but it has not been received.

Sarah Dickinson Chapter, Newnan, has marked four Revolutionary soldiers graves: Allen Gay, six miles north of Newnan, in the Macedonia Church Burial Ground; John Neely, seven miles north-east of Newnan, in the Ebenezer Church Burial Ground; William Smith and ——— Aikin, buried in Oak Hill Cemetery, Newnan.

Toccoa Chapter, Toccoa, has located the following graves and expects to mark them at an early date: Benjamin O'Bannon, a Revolutionary soldier; Devereaux Jarrett, son of Robert Jarrett, a Revolutionary soldier; Sarah Patten Jarrett, a real daughter; Elizabeth Patten McClatchey Jarrett, a real daughter; and Mrs. Grace Newton Lucas, daughter of Moses Newton, a Revolutionary soldier.

Sunbury Chapter, Winder, reports the grave of William Pentecost, buried at Pentecost church, and marked by relatives; John McElhannon, buried in Jackson county, at forks of Oconee and Mulberry rivers; Mayher Lyle, buried between Moon and Mulberry bridges; John Camp, buried near Smith place, three miles from Winder; Prosser Horton, buried in Jackson county, near O'Shield's bridge; and John Austin, buried in Walton county, near Cynthia Perry bridge.

In conclusion may I add that through the kindness, patience, and efficiency of Mrs. Howard H. McCall, I have a complete list of all the Revolutionary soldiers that have been reported at these annual meetings from time to time.

Our State Regent suggested that I complete these and have them ready for publication.

The chairman for Marking Revolutionary Soldiers Graves wishes to thank Mrs. Howard McCall for supplying the following list of all Revolutionary Soldiers Graves that have been located and marked in Georgia.

"That Georgia should take up as active work the finding, marking and the care of Revolutionary Soldiers graves was brought to the Conference of 1909 by Mrs. John M. Graham then chairman of Historic Sites and Monuments, later State Regent. At that time Mrs. Graham had a list of seventy Revolutionary soldiers graves, and she urged the records be made and that every chapter should at once begin on their work before it was too late.

In 1910, from report of chairman, Shadrack Inman Chapter, Hepzibah, applied for markers to mark the following:

John Murphee, Hepzibah; Benj. Brack, Burke County; John Carswell, Hepzibah; Daniel Inman, Burke County; Mills Murphee, Burke County.

The list of graves of Rev. soldiers: Gen. Wm. Lee, Monticello, (marked); Wm. Penn, Monticello, (marked); Matthew Rhodes, Clarksville; Wm. Smith, Hellstone, Newnan; John Hamer, Murray; Major John Lewis, Bartow County; Lieut. James Hamilton, Columbia County; Thomas Carr, McDuffie County; James Espy, near Athens; Samuel Freeman, Canton; Benj. Fitzpatrick, Morgan County; John Gibson, Fulton, sixteen miles west of Atlanta; Mr. Garland, Upson County; Charles Griffin, Clinch County; Gen. Gunn, Louisville; Jacob Gunn, near Milledgeville (marked); Moses Guest (marked) Franklin County; Zepainab Harvey, Jasper County; Benjamin Hawkin, Crawford County; Henry H. Hand, Sumpter County; John T. Hughes, Hickory Flat, near Canton; Charles Harver, Gordon County; John Hays, (marked) Decatur; Lieut. James Hamilton, Columbia County; Isaac Howell, Fulton County, near Chattahoochee; Lazarus Solonn, Wilkinson County; Wm. Anderson, Baldwin County, (marked by Government); John Andrews, Oglethorpe County; Sam J. Axson, W. D. Midway, Liberty County; Henry Anglin; Wm. Andrews, Oglethorpe County; Micajah Brooks, 5 miles west of Rockmart; George Basset, Richmond County; Brannen or Branham, 2 miles west of Waleska; Benj. Brown, two

miles below Aberdeen; Major Breckham, Milledgeville; John Brack, Burke County; Ansel Cunningham, not known; Charles Jackson Dingeness, Cumberland Island; Wm. Carraway, Thomaston; George Cornare, Jefferson; Thomas Cook, died in Henry County; Alexander Carswell, Hopeful Plantation; Mr. Collins, Thomson County; Hon. Ezekiel Chud, Henry County; Capt. Henry Mitchell, Sparta; John Macmism, seven miles from Atlanta; Capt. Wm. Matthews, ackson; Isaac Matthews, Jackson County; Thomas Maxwell, Elbert County; Edmund Murphy, Richmond County; Nicholas Mumphy, Richmond County; John Hamilton Milner (marked) near Cicola; Samuel McLeadon, Henry County; John McMullen, Hart County; Sanders Noble, Church County; Oliver Porter, Newton County; John Rowell, Haralson County; Amos Richardson, Hart County; Matthew Rhodes, Clarksville; Randall Robinson, Newnan; John Epps Scott, Sparta; Daniel Stewart, General, Liberty County; James Screven, Liberty County; Sam Slaughter, Baldwin County; Wm. Stewart, Ellaville, Schley County; David Elder, Oconee County, near Elder; Capt. Alexander Stevens, (marked) Crawfordville; Archibald Simpson, Wilkes County; Edward Singleton, Lumpkin County; Wm. Smith (nicknamed Hellstone Smith), Newnan; Isaac Smith, Monroe; John Brown, St. Mary's; Thomas Farrar, near Carnesville; Mr. Thurmond, near Bishop; William Thomas, Oglethorpe County; Major C. H. Thru, Gwinnett County; James Wheeler, unknown; James Walker, Upson County; John Wilson, Greene County; Thomas White, Wrightsboro; John Wilson, Effingham County.

Capt. John Williams removed from St. Mary's by government in 1908.

James Ware, Madison.

At the Savannah Conference 1910, it was decided to observe July 11th as Memorial Day for Revolutionary Soldiers buried in Georgia.

John James, from Murray County, re-interred in National Cemetery, Marietta, July 11, 1911.

Henry Walton Chapter marked the grave of Benj. Fitzpatrick in 1911.

The Piedmont Continental marked grave of Alexander Latta, 1911, and in 1914 marked grave of Wm. Ogletree of Forsyth, 6 miles from.

Other Names

Thomas Merriwether, Thomas Grant; Sergeant Jasper, William Farris, from Wm. Marsh chapter.

Daniel Phone, Learel Edward, Graner Whiteley, at Fellowship Church, from Joseph Habersham Chapter.

Noble Wimberly Jones Chapter, Shellman located an unmarked grave?

Oglethorpe Chapter marked in 1913, the graves of Major Thomas M. Nelson and James Allen, Lynwood cemetery.

Shadrach Inman, Hepzibah has marked 4 graves up to 1013.

John Houston Chapter located several graves.

Tomachichi Chapter located four graves.

Lieut. Sergeant Joseph Williams of near Jacksonville, General John Coffee, of Telfair County; both located by Nathaniel Abney Chapter.

Mrs. Robert Smith of Watkinsonville, Ga., has four papers to be sent on. Graves of Joshua Elder, David Thurmond, Colquitt Freeman, John Freeman, all of Virginia and buried in county cemeteries near Watkinsonville.

Lanahassee Chapter, Buena Vista, located graves of John Burkhalter and Jacob Burkhalter.

Stone Castle Chapter located one grave in 1916. Col. Wm. Few, Eastman, marked 1916, John Daniel in that county. Stewart Hamilton in Montgoery County.

Wm. McIntosh Chapter, Jackson, located two and marked two. Archibald Bullock, Montezuma, located in 1916, a Revolutionary Indian Soldier's grave. Governor Jared Irwin, Sandersville, located and hope to mark two.

In 1916, Major Gen. Samuel Elbert. Mrs. H. M. Franklin marked the sixth grave in three years. Charles Jackson.

Sergeant Jasper Monticello, located James Horton in 1916.

Ochlocknee Chapter, Thomasville, located one on Mr. Wm. Brown's place near Beachton, 1916.

Looking for grave of Mr. Thomas Gordin Mitchell.

James Pittman Chapter, Commerce, located two in 1917.

Major Nathaniel Durkee, said to be in Franklin County.

The grave of Gen. Light Horse Harry Lee beautifully kept at Cumberland. (May be moved to Virginia by now), ask Brunswick Chapter.

Capt. Simons, six miles east of Washington (buried standing by order.)

Amos Richardson, buried in Sardis Church cemetery, Hart County.

King, at Louisville.

Elijah Cornwell, Thomas Meriwether, located by Sergeant Jasper Chapter, and asked for markers).

William Oglethorpe, Benjamin Haygood, Anderson Reddings, James Comer, located by Piedmont Continental Chapter.

Three graves located by Elijah Clark Chapter in 1913.

Archibald Simpson, Abarus Simons, ——— Mercer, located by Kettle Creek Chapter.

Stephens Hopkins marked the grave of John Marsh in 1914.

The Athens Banner announces, Jan. 14, 1914 the removal of the remains of Gov. Peter Early to Athens.

Is Gov. Rabun buried on the Stephens plantation near Sparta?

Application blanks sent to Mrs. H. M. Franklin, Tennesse Chapter, for graves of John Jourdan, William Hardwick, and Isaac Newton. (Says that Chapter knows where to find six other graves).

Elijah Clark Chapter in 1914 marked the graves of Sergeant Edward Ware and Ensign Samuel. (Hopes to mark other buried in Jackson and Clarke County real soon).

Tennille Chapter (1916) Lieut Francis Tennille, Corporal Daniel Schee, Rev. Gen. Franklin, Matthew Talbot. Chapter located three graves, ——— Brown, ——— Thompson, ——— Herndon (1915).

Thomas Meriwether marked 1917 by the Sergeant Jasper Chapter, Monticello. John Daniel, Elberton Stephen Head Chapter, 1917.

John Clark Chapter Social Circle, located graves of Joseph Herndon and John or Young Gill and ordered markers, marked 1919.

Baron de Kalb (Decatur) Clarkston located graves of Phillip H. Bedford, Col. Moffit, John Hayes, ordered markers for 3 first in 1919, Hardman Rooks.

Samuel Reid Chapter located two graves in 1918.

Sparta trying to locate two 1918.

Nancy Hart Chapter will mark grave of William Anderson and John Howard (Rev. ancestor of Miss Anna Benning) is buried and tombstone at the old Howard burying ground.

Possible Revolutionary soldiers ordered by Mrs. Bullard Savannah Chapter. John Robert Teebeau, John Hert, John Shellman, Alexander Walt, Thomas Mundenhall, Esq., John Wallace, Lucus Lucena, John Kresger, James Johnston, found in Colonial Cemetery.

Matthew Talbot ordered marker 1919 for General Echols.

The Oconee Chapter, McRae, for graves of William Ryals and Brigadier Gen. Coffee, ordered markers.

Tennille Chapter, markers for grave of William Hunt, and also James Gilmore and Colesby Smith.

Gov. Jared Irwin ordered markers for Hugh Lawson and is ready to order for two more.

Markers Sent

The Elijah Clarke and Hannah Clark Chapters marked graves of Elijah and Hannah Clarke.

James Pittman Chapter for James Pittman a marker and also one other soldier.

Hawkinsville Chapter for Willis Cason.

William Few Chapter located grave of Ica Atkins.

Stone Castle Chapter marker for two graves.

Wm. Marsh Chapter marker for 1 grave.

Stephen Heard Chapter markers for 2 graves.

John Houston Chapter markers for 2 graves.

Sergeant Jasper markers for 3 graves, Elijah Cornwell, James Hastin, and Littleton Johnston.

John Clark Chapter, markers for Isaac Boring, trying to locate two more.

Samuel Reid Chapter trying to locate graves in Putnam and Greene County.

An attempt is being made to mark the grave of John Gill, near Sparta.

Mrs. John/A. Harrell of Eastman is making effort to mark the graves of John Kendrick near Barnesville and Stephen Day near Appling, Columbia County.

Elijah Clark Chapter has located the graves and ordered markers for the graves of Hawkins Bullock, 10 miles from Athens and Francis Bell at Liberty Bell at Liberty Church in Hall County.

1921—Tennille Chapter, which has marked 10 Revolutionary soldiers graves, are investigating seven more in Jefferson County (including James Allen in 1921).

Mrs. John L. Davidson of Quitman sent in six names in 1923, Claiborn Webb, Major Pusser Horton, and Charles McKinney in Jackson County, Jesse Battle and William Summer Battle, Hancock County, and John Strong in Clarke County.

James Pittman is trying to locate William Blackshear, William Harris, and James Montgomery and two others in Jackson County.

Lachlan McIntosh, trying to locate 4 graves in Effingham County, and hopes to mark some in Colonial Cemetery, Savannah.

The graves of the Irwin Brothers have been discovered by the Gov. Jared Irwin Chapter and will be marked by the Irwin family.

Sergeant Jasper, Monticello has marked three Bzell, Hartwell, and Littleton Johnston brothers.

Baron de Kalb Chapter marked John Hayes and John Moffet in 1921.

Major Nathaniel Duskee's grave was marked 1921, by the Hartwell Chapter John Benson Chapter, 1921.

John Clark Chapter marked Isaac Boring, 1921.

Oconee, McRae marked Wm. Ryals and Gen. John Coffee.

Gov. Treublen Chapter will mark grave William Williams.

Markers ordered 1921 for the following:

John Davidson and Henry Slappey by the Sergeant Jasper.

James Little by the James Pittman Chapter.
John Rawlings by the Gov. John Milledge Chapter.
Willis Cason by the Hawkinsville Chapter.
Philip Matthews by the John Houston Chapter.

In 1922

Governor Treutlen Chapter marked grave of William Wiggins, Jr., in the "Old Pond Church" cemetery.

The Irwin family, Irwin's Cemetery, near Irwin's Cross Roads, Washington county, marked the graves of Gov. Jared Irwin, John Lawson Irwin and Alexander Irwin.

Major Gen. Samuel Elbert marked grave of James Alley (this may mean James Allen) and asked for markers for graves of Joseph Eessions.

William McIntosh Chapter for the graves of William Buttrill, marked 1923.

Gov. Treutlin, for the grave of Daniel Hartley buried in Crawford county, marked 1923.

Sergeant Jasper, markers for the graves of Henry Slappy and John Davidson, marked 1923.

Sunbury Chapter located graves of Capt. John Camp, Prossen Holton and Mr. Lyle.

Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, located grave of William Girardeau in Midway church yard.

Nancy Hart Chapter located grave of John Nunn, in the Nunn-Wheeler Cemetery in Wilkinson County.

John Benson Chapter have located six.

Some Chapter located the grave of Col. John Dooly at Lincolnton.

Atlanta Chapter located two.

Samuel Reid Chapter located two.

Col. William Chandler Chapter, Gainesville, located graves of Col. Wm. Candler near Augusta, and William Matthews Boscobel in Jackson County and have asked Augusta and Winder Chapters to mark them.

William Marsh Chapter located grave of William Farriss at LaFayette.

Hannah Clark Chapter located graves of Robert Hendry at Taylor's Creek, Liberty County (marked), James McPhail, Liberty County, Adam Wilkinson, Gwinnett County and one more.

Major General Samuel Elbert, Revolutionary Soldier, was re-interred March 10, 1923 in Colonial Cemetery Savannah, by Savannah Chapter.

William Few Chapter, Eastman marked grave in 1923 of Ica Atkins.

Lanahaassee Chapter marked grave of Joshua Burkhalter in 1923.

Major Gen. Samuel Elbert Chapter marked in 1923, graves of Joseph Sessims, John Lewis, James Allen and William Barrow.

Elijah Clarke Chapter marked in 1923 the graves of John Strand and Hawkins Bullock.

Sarah Dickinson, Newnan applied for marker for Gen. Daniel Newnan in Walker County at Green's Lake near Rossville.

Graves Located

Benjamin Weaver near Greensboro, Marker applied for.

Elijah Clarke Chapter located graves of Aaron Greer, Richard King, and Richard Gunn, all of Taliferro County.

Nancy Hart Chapter located graves of Major Francis Boykin, Baldwin County and Charles Abercombie, Hancock County.

Elijah Clarke Chapter located graves of Nathan Johnson, Oglethorpe County, Hiram Howard, Winterville, and Jacob Braselton, Sr., old Walnut Church, Jackson County.

Stephen Heard Chapter located grave of Thomas A. Carter, Elberton.

Old Marion Chapter located grave of John Shine, old Shine Farm, Twiggs County and Lazarus Solomon, Twiggs County, family cemetery.

Etowah Chapter located grave of Major John Lewis near Cartersville, Ga.

John Houston Chapter located grave Thomas Nelson, Pike County.

Oconee Chapter located grave of Henry Simmons near Lumber City.

The following graves have been located by Col. Wm. Chandler Chapter: Major Derrick buried with honors of war at Mt. Hope cemetery, Dahlonega, Ga. William Allen, age 112, buried in Methodist churchyard, Dahlonega. Isaac Watts, buried by side of Wm. Allen. ——— Halcorn buried in Winn Brown grave yard, Gainesville. Johnnie Wheelchel buried New Bridge Cemetery, four miles North East of Gainesville. James Hulsey, buried one and one-half mile east from Clark bridge in the old Dewberry cemetery. Henry Parks, one mile east of Commerce in the Hargrove Cemetery. Col. William Clark, buried in the Cowan Cemetery, one mile from highway at the New Bridge Church. (The Col. Wm. Candler Chapter will remove the remains of Col. Clark and wife to cemetery at Gainesville and mark them).

Col. Wm. Few Chapter grave located Stephen Day, one and one-half miles from Grovetown, Columbia County.

Sergeant Newton Chapter located grave of Samuel Camp, 5 miles from Jewel, Ga.

Kettle Creek Chapter located grave of Major John Lindsey near Washington, Ga.

Atlanta Chapter located grave of John McGogh, buried two miles from White Plains, Greene County, Ga.

Gov. Jared Irwin Chapter located grave of William Gainer.

Matthew Talbot Chapter located one grave.

Major Gen. Samuel Elbert Chapter located John Stephens and Jessie Vaughan, buried in family cemeteries near Thomasboro, Ga. Peter Strozler buried near Washington, Ga., and William Franklin buried at Davisboro, Ga., 1923.

This Chapter will have the privilege of marking six graves in family cemeteries in Wilkinson County located by Col. Victor Davidson as follows: Robert Barrett buried eight miles west of Irvinton, Cornelius Batcheldin buried three miles southeast of Gordon, Joseph Davidson buried five miles north of Danville, Major John Hatcher buried five miles north of Toombsboro, and Dr. Henry Winderweedle buried five miles north of McIntyre.

(This chapter has (1923) four applications for markers and is preparing for six more).

Miss Amelia Cutliff of Albany reports that altho' grave of Wm. Jones near Hazen has head-stone, it bears no record of his Revolutionary services in 1779 under Major Elbert.

Mrs. John A. Harrell of William Few Chapter has found a grave of Revolutionary soldier in Pike County five miles from Barnesville, headstone but no marks as soldier.

1924

The Elijah Clarke and Hannah Clark Chapters marked graves of Elijah and his wife Hannah at "Woodburn" Lincoln County, April 14, 1924.

Gov. John Milledge Chapter marked John Rawlins Murray County.

The Stephen Heard Chapter, Daniels Rockbranch Cemetery and James Adams, Coldwater Cemetery, Elbert County.

Oconee Chapter, marked grave of Louis Hall, McNaught Cemetery at Uvalda. Sergeant Newton, through generosity of Miss Charlie Camp Porter marked grave of Samuel Camp near Jewell, Hancock County.

Sunbury Chapter grave of Wm. Pentecost, Barrow County, marked by relatives.

James Pittman Chapter reports grave of James Little marked at family reunion.

Stone castle Chapter, markers will be placed on graves of Archibald McNeil and John Craps.

Stephen Heard Chapters will place marker on grave of Moses Hunt, Newbury Cemetery, Elbert County.

Major Gen. Samuel Elbert will place marker on graves of Daniel Inman near Medville in old Indian Cemetery Burk County and Stephen Brock, Burk County.

Reported by Miss Annie Lane, Washington, Capt. Abram Simons, near Washington (reported before) John Dooly (reported before) and Thomas Dooly, Lincoln County, John Nelson, Archibald Simpson, John Colley (to be marked by family).

Peter Early Chapter has located grave of Zachariah Cowart.

Button Gwinnett Chapter located graves, Richard Christmas and Samuel Cooper.

Hannah Clark Chapter, Daniel Manley d. 1817-18 born Culpepper County, Virginia. Served in S. C. where he married Temperance _____, buried near Canon, Georgia, and William Blackwell from Virginia, died 1818 buried three and one-half miles from Carnesville.

Sunbury Chapter located graves of John Austin, near Cynthia Perry Bridge, Walton County, about 6 and one-half miles south of Winder, and John McElhannon, Jackson County, seven miles north east of Winder.

Gov. John Milledge Chapter located grave of Thomas Gordon, Gwinnett County near Haynes Creek.

Wm. Candler Chapter marked grave of John Sutton, Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, White County.

Stephen Head Chapter has marked graves of Stephen Heard, Heardmont Cemetery; James Nunnerlee, Bethlehem Cemetery; Lankin Clark, Ruckerville Cemetery; Wm. Bibb Key, Key Cemetery.

Thomas Maxwell, Centerville (family cemetery).

Reported by Mrs. James Stapleton, Stapleton, Ga., George Stapleton, at Stapleton family cemetery, 3 miles from Stapleton, Ga. Born Dec. 21, 1760, in Virginia. Died, May 30, 1833 in Georgia.

Hannah Clark Chapter, Quitman, reports grave already marked (but no mention of Revolutionary service), James Jones, Screven County and Capt Thomas Heard Cemetery, 9 miles from Greensboro.

Mrs. J. N. Talley of Macon sent list of 62 Revolutionary soldiers published in White Statistics. The was published in Atlanta Constitution November 3, 1924 and has been of wonderful help.

Mrs. Walter L. Wilson sent list of soldiers buried in Lumpkin County.

Mrs. J. L. Davidson roll of ancestors with location of graves of Hannah Clark Chapter.

Gov. Peter Early sent the following. The grave is located in Cedar Springs cemetery seventeen miles from Blakely.

"In memory of Jesse Brown, son of James and Susan Brown
Born Feb. 11, 1759. Died Mar. 16, 1835. A Revolutionary
Soldier."

From Mrs. McCall. There is buried somewhere in Clarke County near Barber's Creek, William Daniel, Revolutionary soldier of South Carolina. I can furnish his record.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CAROLINE SCOTT HARRISON MEMORIAL

Mrs. W. B. Smith, Chairman

As State Chairman of The Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial Committee, I thank the Chapters who responded to my appeal and submit the following report: Atlanta Chapter, \$5.00; Bainbridge \$1.00; Brunswick, \$1.00; Savannah Chapter, \$1.00; Button Gwinnett, \$1.00; Wm. Candler, \$1.00; Elijah Clark, \$1.00; Samuel Elbert, \$1.00; Wm. McIntosh, \$1.00 and Samuel Reid, \$1.00. Total, \$14.00.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MEDALS AND PRIZES

Mrs. Thos. E. Blackshear, Chairman

To stimulate interest in the giving of Medals and Prizes I sent out my circular letter to Chapter Regents in October, offering a \$5.00 gold piece to Chapter giving most per capita for this purpose and reporting to me before March 15th. Early this month I sent postals to fifty-eight Chapters still unheard from so that all might have a fair chance in the competition.

The following Chapters have reported:

Abbeville—Peter Coffee Chapter, \$5.00 in gold for memory work on the Constitution, American Creed, Flag Code and American History.

Albany—Com. Richard Dale Chapter, \$5.00 History Medal, senior class High School and one Citizenship medal.

Thronateeska Chapter, prize to High School pupil for best grade in American History.

Americus—Council of Safety Chapter, medals at High School and at Agricultural College for boy and girl making best record in Thrift and Citizenship, four prizes, value \$10.00.

Athens—Elijah Clarke Chapter, \$10.00, to University of Georgia for best essay on "Georgia History".

Atlanta—Atlanta Chapter, eleven prizes to Atlanta schools, each valued at \$10.00, total \$110.00.

Joseph Habersham Chapter, one medal value \$10.00.

Augusta Chapter, \$5.00 in gold to Turpin High and \$5.00 to the Academy.

Bainbridge Chapter, nine Citizenship medals competed for each year.

Blakely—Peter Early Chapter, four gold medals (each \$5.00) for highest averages in American History.

Brunswick—Brunswick Chapter, \$5.00 medal in American History and a gold thimble (\$5.00) in Domestic Arts department.

Buena Vista—Lanahassee Chapter, \$5.00 medal to 7th grade P. S. History and \$7.50 prize in Georgia History.

Cario—Chapter, \$5.00 prize.

Columbus—Geo. Walton Chapter, D. A. R. silver spoon to 6th grade for best essay on "Georgia's Part in the Revolution".

Oglethorpe Chapter, \$5.00 gold piece to Girl Scouts and \$5.00 gold piece to Camp Fire Girls for best essay on "General Oglethorpe".

Commerce—James Pittman, \$5.00 for best monthly average in American History.

Conyers—Co. John McIntosh Chapter, \$5.00 History medal for best average in 7th grade.

Cordele—Fort Early Chapter, nine medals in city schools and one in county schools, total value \$42.50.

Cuthbert—Benj. Hawkins Chapter, \$5.00 for best average in U. S. History in High School, \$5.00 to Andrews College in American History, Citizenship medal to High school boy \$1.00, prize to sponsor of Memorial Coin sale \$10.00. First prize Christmas Seals sale \$1.50 and second prize \$1. Total \$23.50.

Dalton—Gov. John Milledge Chapter, three citizenship medals, 4 silver medals, 3 gold History medals, total \$17.00.

Dawson—Dorothy Walton, U. S. History medal \$5.00 gold thimble, \$5.00. Two Citizenship medals in 8th and 9th grades.

Stone Castle Chapter, \$5.00 in gold in 11th grade for most improvement in Domestic Science; also offering prize for essay on "Citizenship".

Dublin—John Laurens Chapter, four D. A. R. History medals, value \$20.00.

Eatonton—Samuel Reid Chapter, loving cup as 1st prize in Historical contest in city and county schools, 2nd prize \$2.50 for best essay on "Americanization" \$2.50 and one prize in Declamation, (value unknown).

Fort Valley—Gov. Treutlen Chapter, \$5.00 for best record in American History and \$5.00 for excellence in Domestic Arts.

Forsyth—James Monroe Chapter, 3 citizenship medals, \$2.50 gold in Domestic Science, \$5.00 gold excellence in U. S. History.

Hartwell—John Benson Chapter, prize in High school for highest average in American History.

Hawkinsville Chapter \$5.00 History medal.

Jackson—Wm. McIntosh Chapter, 3 prizes valued at \$7.00 and one at \$1.00. Total \$22.00.

LaFayette—Wm. Marsh Chapter, \$5.00 History medal in 7th grade.

LaGrange—Chapter \$5.00 medal for highest average in U. S. History and one Citizenship medal, both to High School.

Macon—Nathaniel Macon Chapter, \$5.00 gold to High School girl in senior class for best average in U. S. History, and \$5.00 to Boys' High School for best in Citizenship.

Madison—Henry Walton Chapter \$2.00 Citizenship prize, voted on by pupils.

McRae—Oconee Chapter, Silver loving cup for highest average in American History in High School.

Monroe—Mathew Talbot Chapter, History medal in High school in American History.

Montezuma—Archibald Bullock Chapter, 2 History prizes each, \$2.50, one in Grammar school and other in High \$5.00. Thrift prize and two prizes, each \$2.50, for impromptu essay writing in High School.

Monticello—Serj. Jasper Chapter, Sweeny History medal for highest average in U. S. History.

Nawnan—Sarah Dickinson Chapter, \$5.00 History medal in High School.

Moultrie—John Benning Chapter, \$5.00 for best general average in Grammar School.

Quitman—Hannah Clarke Chapter \$5.00 to senior High and \$2.50 to junior High School for best average in American History and two S. A. R. medals.

Savannah—Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, two \$5.00 prizes in American History offered by two Chapter members.

Savannah Chapter, \$5.00 in gold to High School girl for best

essay on "The Menace of Reds in America" and \$5.00 to Junior High School for best essay on some phase of Georgia History (subject to be selected).

Social Circle—John Clarke Chapter, One Sweeny medal \$5.00 and three books valued at \$3.50.

Sparta—Hancock Chapter, two Citizenship medals to High School boys.

Sylvester Chapter, \$5.00 U. S. History medal, two Citizenship medals and \$5.00 to Domestic Science department.

Tennille—Maj. Gen. Samuel Elbert Chapter, two gold medals to High School and one silver medal to Grammar School for excellence in History.

Thomaston—John Houston Chapter, two prizes of \$2.50 each to County schools for highest average in U. S. History.

Gov. Ed. Telfair Chapter, \$2.50 in gold to Rock School for best paper on "Good Citizenship", Stone Mt. coin 2nd prize, \$2.50 in gold to Robt. E. Lee Institute for highest average in American History and \$2.50 in gold for best work in Domestic Science.

Thomasville—Ochlochnee Chapter, \$5.00 and \$2.50 in Domestic Science department and \$5.00 for Citizenship to Girl Scouts.

Toccoa Chapter, \$5.00 gold for best essay on "American Citizenship" in High school.

Valdosta—Gen. James Jackson Chapter, prizes to the amount of \$10.00.

Warrenton—Burkhalter Chapter, one medal \$5.00, one prize \$1.00.

West Point—Chattahoochee Chapter, \$5.00 History medal for best average in senior class, including supplemental work.

Winder—Sunbury Chapter, \$5.00 Sweeny medal for excellence in 11th grade \$2.50 gold for excellence in History, 7th grade, \$4.00 for excellence in cooking and sewing, largest savings account, from September till June \$2.50. One S. A. R. medal in City School \$1.00, and one in Mill School \$1.00, most attractive bird house (to any child in County) \$2.00, largest wood chart \$2.00, best thrift poster \$2.00. Total \$22.00.

Some Chapters have not indicated value of prizes given but the total amount given for medals and prizes this year is approximately \$650.00. Benj. Hawkins Chapter of twenty-one members giving \$1.12 per capita wins the prize offered by your Chairman. Receiving honorable mention are Sunbury Chapter, giving 82 cents; Peter Early, 72 cents; Wm. McIntosh, 69 cents; and Fort Early 65 cents per capita. I wish to express my appreciation for the hearty co-operation given me, making possible my splendid report.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MEADOW GARDEN

Mrs. Sanford Gardner, Chairman

In behalf of the Augusta Chapter, D. A. R., I wish to thank the many Chapters of this State for their interest and contributions to Meadow Garden. Each contribution, it matters not how large or how small, is deeply appreciated by them and materially assists in maintaining this historic home.

The Meadow Garden Fund is kept to itself and is economically expended in the upkeep of the grounds and house. We have just finished extensive repairs on the fences surrounding the house, the amount being nearly \$75.00.

The following is a list of those who have so generously contributed for the year 1926:

George Walton Chapter, Columbus	\$18.00
Xavier Chapter, Rome	1.00

The William McIntosh Chapter, Jackson -----	2.00
The John Milledge Chapter, Dalton -----	2.00
Bainbridge Chapter, Bainbridge -----	2.00
Nancy Hart Chapter, Milledgeville -----	2.00
Hannah Clarke Chapter, Whitman -----	5.00
John Laurens Chapter, Dublin -----	5.00
Oglethorpe Chapter, Columbus -----	2.00
Mary Hammond Washington Chapter, Macon -----	5.00
Briar Creek Chapter, Sylvania -----	2.00
Dorothy Walton Chapter, Dawson -----	5.00
Jared Irwin Chapter, Sandersville -----	1.00
Lanahassee Chapter, Buena Vista -----	1.00
Elijah Clarke Chapter, Athens -----	3.00
Hawkinsville Chapter, Hawkinsville -----	1.00
Atlanta Chapter, Atlanta -----	5.00
Samuel Elbert Chapter, Tennille -----	2.00
Nathaniel Abney, Fitzgerald -----	2.00
Gen. Daniel Stewart Chapter, Perry -----	1.00
Peter Early Chapter, Bleakley -----	2.00
Sunbury Chapter, Winder -----	1.00
Fort Early Chapter, Cordele -----	5.00
Button Gwinnett Chapter, Columbus -----	5.00
Jas. Pittman Chapter, Commerce -----	2.50
John Benning -----	2.00
Conee Chapter, McRae -----	2.50
Etowah Chapter, Cartersville -----	2.00
Henry Walton Chapter, Madison -----	1.00
Samuel Reid -----	2.00
John McIntosh Chapter, Conyers -----	2.00
Edward Telfair Chapter, Thomaston -----	2.00
Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, Savannah -----	5.00
John Houston Chapter, Thomaston -----	2.00
John Clarke Chapter, Social Circle -----	3.00
Matthew Talbot Chapter, Monroe -----	2.50
Samuel Reid Chapter, Eatonton -----	1.00
John Benning Chapter, Moultrie -----	2.00
Ochlocknee, Thomasville -----	2.00
Total contributions -----	\$114.50

Last June we erected, at a cost of \$985.00, a care-taker's house at Meadow Garden, the money having been obtained principally from the special D. A. R. Edition of the Chronicle, so the two rooms in main house, formerly occupied by caretaker are now being fitted up—one as an old-time kitchen and the other as a quilting room. We would appreciate any small gift from the chapters in this State. The simplest article would be valued—cooking utensils, a plate, a chair, old glass bottles, etc.—anything antique would be highly prized. Please bear this in mind.

Meadow Garden is open every Wednesday for visitors from three to six o'clock. Twenty-five cents is charged for admission. We have collected up to this time \$94.00. Most of our visitors come from the North, who are touring the South.

An oil portrait of General Thomas Blascook, bequeathed to Meadow Garden by the late Mrs. Harriet Gould Jefferies, is one of our prized possessions. This was a wonderful gift and a great addition to this historic museum.

Mrs. Annie Twiggs Taylor also presented a remarkable quilt; flowers are embossed on a hand spun foundation of homespun.

A copy of "Horace" with the autograph of "George Walton" inscribed on the fly leaf, is one of our recent gifts. A gentleman in our city found it in a collection of books, purchased at a second-

hand book store. Another addition to the many interesting articles at Meadow Garden is bust of George Washington in plaster presented by the Citizens & Southern Bank.

A lady visitor from far away Massachusetts, seeing that we had no trunnell bed at Meadow Garden, since returning home, has sent a small one from the lands of the Puritans, so you see that many are interested in Meadow Garden in distant states.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS

Mrs. John W. Hutchinson, Chairman

In response to a letter sent to each Regent, 23 Chapters gave assistance in the Seal Sale. \$309.20 is reported as amount of seals sold. Two Daughters from General James Jackson helped to put over the Seal Sale of more than \$1,000.00 in their district. The Chapter buying a \$15.00 Gold Bond. The Regent of Sunbury Chapter is Anti-Tuberculosis Chairman of Barrow County. They have reported more things for health and anti-tuberculosis than any other chapter. George Walton Chapter furnished a car in a Public Health Parade to boost the sale of seals. Benjamin Hawkins and Nancy Hart Chapters have given aid to tubercular patients.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON OLD TRAILS ROADS

Mrs. H. D. Allen, Chairman

As State Chairman of the Old Trails Roads Committee, it gives me pleasure to submit the following report. There has been a growing interest in the work of this department, especially in tracing and marking the Old Trails and Stage Roads in Georgia.

At the Executive Board Meeting of the Georgia D. A. R. in October, 1925, this Committee was given the privilege of selecting a regulation marker for the Old Trails and Stage Roads in Georgia, with the exception of the Jackson Trail which is under a special chairman. After giving the matter careful consideration we decided that it would be better to use a substantial granite boulder, large enough to take care of itself and to be readily seen, with a smooth surface sufficient to hold an inscription of such length to describe the course of the road for a number of miles, rather than to use a small marker of cheaper material which might be placed every mile or two, as the upkeep of markers of this kind would be expensive and uncertain.

We wrote to the Georgia Marble Co., also to the McNeel Marble Co., for designs; both submitted drawings, but the Georgia Marble Co., selling marble only, which we did not think appropriate, we selected a design of a granite boulder from McNeel Marble Co. The boulder is to be forty-eight inches high, twenty-two inches wide and twelve inches thick, with inscription of reasonable length, this they offer for \$80.00 delivered. McNeel Marble Co., Marietta, Ga., will mail to the Chapters a photograph of this boulder upon request. These markers are to be placed preferably on the highways where the Old Trails intersect or follow the highways.

Two photographs of this boulder have already been sent out by request. One to the Sarah Dickinson Chapter, Newnan and one to the Sergeant Newton Chapter, Covington. The Sarah Dickinson Chapter will mark an old Indian Trail and the Sergeant Newton Chapter will mark an old Stage Road which passed through Covington.

The Col. John McIntosh Chapter, Conyers, is trying to locate an old trail which passed through Rockdale County and hope to mark this trail.

The John Laurens Chapter, Dublin, is trying to locate the old DeSoto Trail and other trails that passed through Laurens County.

The Hawkinsville Chapter has authentically established the Black-shear Trail and expects to mark it.

The James Pittman Chapter, Commerce is continuing in its efforts to locate the Old Trails from Hoschton to Jefferson to Athens, thence from Jefferson by way of Commerce to Athens.

The Sparta Chapter is planning to mark an Old Indian Trail.

The three Columbus Chapters on March the Second placed a marker to LaFayette which also points out the road over which LaFayette, McIntosh and other famous people passed.

An interesting sketch of Augusta and Richmond County with two maps showing old Roads and Indian Paths has been sent to your Chairman by the Augusta Chapter.

An interesting sketch of old Indian Trails, Dancing Grounds and old Stage Roads in Wilkinson County has been sent by Mr. Victor Davidson of Irwinton, Ga.

Georgia's quota for the National Old Trails Roads Memorials Markers is \$491.00. Only \$25.00 previous to 1924 had been paid. In 1925 contributions amounting to \$39.50 were sent in. This year \$26.00 has been sent in, leaving a balance of \$400.50.

Twelve Chapters have contributed as follows:

Bainbridge, \$1.00; John Laurens, \$5.00; Mary Hammond Washington \$2.00; Maj. Gen. Samuel Elbert, \$1.00; Nancy Hart, \$2.00; Elijah Clarke, \$5.00; James Jackson, \$2.00; George Walton, \$1.00; Button Gwinnett, \$1.00; Samuel Reid, \$2.00; John Benning, \$2.00; Gov. Edward Telfair, \$2.00.

REPORT OF CHAIRMAN OF RULES

Mrs. J. E. Hays

Rules Governing This Conference

1. Article VIII of the By-Laws of the National Society relative to the wearing of the insignia, must be complied with.
2. No delegate shall be entitled to the floor until she rises, addresses the Chair, and gives her name and chapter and waits for recognition.
3. No delegate shall speak a second time on the same question, if a delegate who has not spoken asks the floor; and no delegate shall speak more than twice on the same question, unless permission of the House be given by a two-thirds vote on regular motion.
4. Debate shall be limited to two minutes at a time for each speaker.
5. Reports shall not be read from chapters that have no delegates in the convention, but such reports shall be filed by the Secretary and published in the minutes.
6. All main motions or resolutions shall be written, signed by the member offering same and sent to the Recording Secretary's desk before the adjournment of the meeting during which they are offered.
7. Reports and material for the Proceedings must be typewritten in shape for the printer before they are handed in, and all such material must be sent to the table of the State Recording Secretary before the close of Conference.

There has been only one change made necessary in the By Laws: The increase of dues of "Members at Large" from \$2.00 to \$5.00. This change went into effect at the last National Congress and was incorporated in our 1925 Proceedings. This was after our State Conference and has not been reported to a State Conference.

Rules Regulating the Voting of Conference

Only State officers, Regents of the Chapters and delegates (or alternates representing Chapters) can vote for State Regent or State first Vice Regents according to the by-laws of the National Society.

The voting body in the election of all officers except State Regent and State 1st Vice Regent shall be composed of the State Officers, State Chairmen,

Regent of Chapters, delegates from Chapters. Alternates representing chapters as delegates are members of the voting body.

State Chairman are entitled to all the privileges of the floor according to the rulings of the Conference. They can make and second motions, can present resolutions and can vote except in the case of the National Officers (as described above).

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PATRIOTIC EDUCATION

Mrs. A. L. Wilkins, Chairman

Reports may come
 Report may go.
 Some are full of "I told you so"
 Some are read to get the money
 Some try to be real funny
 But the report that makes us all feel happy
 Is the two minute one that makes it snappy.

The work of the Patriotic Education Committee is interesting and I have enjoyed serving in the capacity of chairman. Early in September a letter was sent to all chapter regents urging a continued interest in this great work an outlining the plans for the year as directed by the National Chairman. On February 8th, a questionnaire was mailed out to chapters for convenience in making reports. Most chapters responded promptly, but as all did not this report lacks much which might have been included.

The financial total may not equal that of the past year but I feel that this is because of new activities which have attracted the attention of chapters such as the purchase of memorial chairs in the new auditorium in Washington and also the bonds for same.

We cannot, however, measure all of our work in dollars and cents because the value of the observation of patriotic anniversaries, the presentation of copies of the Constitution, Flag Codes, Creeds, and the time and effort put into many phases of historical work is incalculable. All chapters have done splendid work along these lines.

From reports gathered an increased interest in local libraries is noticeable and this is commendable. The many fine and valuable scholarships given and secured by chapters this year make up the most noteworthy item of this report. In this work the Joseph Habersham chapter leads with scholarships whose value is \$2,080.00. Atlanta chapter is a close second with a total of \$1,945.00 in scholarships.

Great pride is felt in the publication of three county histories which are just off the press, this splendid work being done by the Nancy Hart chapter, Milledgeville, the Thronateska, Albany, and the Sarah Dickinson, Newnan. This work represents untold effort and many hundreds of dollars.

It is a source of deep regret to your committee that time—and space in the Proceedings—prohibit an individual mention of each chapter and regent whose work has been so splendid and of such inspiration. Thanks are hereby extended to all those who have contributed so generously and who have helped to make our work one of real joy.

A condensed financial report follows:

Gift Scholarships -----	\$ 7,118.82
Medals and Prizes -----	534.50
Contributions for Historic Spots -----	121.00
Martha Berry School -----	165.00
Tomassae and Other National Schools -----	47.00
Stone Mountain, Woodrow Wilson College, Thomas Jefferson Memorial, Wakefield, etc. -----	441.50

Georgia Bay Memorial -----	1,046.84
Lucy Cook Peel Fund -----	1,300.00
Meadow Garden -----	105.00
Kenmore -----	120.00
Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial -----	17.00
Other D. A. R. interests including markers, monuments, flags, copying records, publications, local chapter ex- penditures, etc. -----	17,061.68
Total -----	\$28,334.71

Number of copies of Constitution presented 5,213.
Number of Flag Codes, 12,682.
1,880 trees planted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PATRIOTIC LECTURES AND LANTERN SLIDES

Mrs. Stewart Colley, Chairman

When I face an audience in Americus, my old home, the garden spot of Dixie, I feel rather like the old negro preacher about whom I am sure you have heard. He arose and said "Dearly Beloved I take my text from that well known commandment 'Thou shalt not steal.'" Looking out into the audience he recognized a former friend of his a negro who had helped him steal a pig.

After the singing of the hymn he orase and said, "Brethern, the spirit moves me to change my text," and he looked straight into the negroes face, "you will find it now in Zachariah 10:11. 'Let them that know me keep silent'," so home folks, be good to me.

As your new chairman of slides and lectures it gives me great pleasure to give you the following report. I have written 85 letters and received about 15 answers, hope the other state chairman had better luck.

Daughters, please realize the importance of this chairmanship. What would become of your husband and children if you didn't lecture them occasionally? What will become of our future D. A. R. if you don't lecture them occasionally? Seriously, fundamentals are always important, first things should always be first. The more one knows about a good thing the more one becomes interested in it. Therefore the more one knows about D. A. R. and its possessions, the more one becomes interested in them. So get our free lectures and lantern slides and use them. Did you hear me? They are free, just write you state Chairman and let her arrange a date with your National Chairman. Come on, folks, let's know D. A. R. visually as well as socially.

Call on me at any time and you will receive a hearty response. I feel like Pete of ante-bellum days (here I refer to the world war). Once upon a time Pete's master let him go to the state fair at Macon. He some how or other got hold of some of that stuff that Secretary Mellon used to sell, and became intoxicated, he was sent to the calaboose, his master was sent for and as he walked up to him at the station house Pete began "Marse Dud ain't you a deacon in de white Baptist church?" "Yes, Peter but that has nothing to do with this." "Well marse Dud hain't I a deacon in the culud Baptist church?" "Yes, Pete, and it is a disgrace for you to be in here". "Well marse Dud hit sho am a time for us deacons to stand together." And in truth it is a time for us D. A. R. to stand together. You need the lectures and slides and I need you. Call on me and I will answer.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PATRIOTIC SONGS

Mrs. James P. Sutton, Chairman

Fifty Chapters have reported the use of Patriotic Songs in their meetings and schools. This large number and the enthusiastic tenor of the reports lead us to believe that the value of Patriotic Songs in the training for Citizenship is being widely recognized over the state. We thank the following Chapters for making this report possible.

John Benson, Dorothy Walton, John Walton, John Clark, Brunswick, Gov. Franklin, James Pittman, Henry Walton, Gov. John Milledge, Thronateeska, John Benning, John McIntosh, William Marsh, Noble Wimberly Jones, John Laurens, Nancy Hart, Sergeant Newton, Sunbury, Button Gwinnett, Peter Coffee, Baron DeKalb, Fort Early, Oglethorpe, Gov. Edward Telfair, Joseph Habersham, Sarah Dickinson, Sergeant Jasper, Tomochichi, Stephen Heard, Matthew Talbot, Gen. Daniel Stewart, Atlanta Chapter, Bainbridge, Benjamin Hawkins, Gov. Jared Irwin, Stone Castle, Chattahoochee, John Houston, LaGrange, Sylvester, William McIntosh, Samuel Reid, Toccoa, Oothcaloga, Maj. Gen. Samuel Elbert, Col. John McIntosh, Hancock, Ochlochnee, Col. William Few, Nathaniel Macon, James Monroe.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PLEDGE OF \$1,000.00 FOR NATIONAL D. A. R. AUDITORIUM

Mrs. Julian McCurry, Chairman

It is with much pride that your chairman submits the report below, and that we have more than attained our goal. The amount subscribed is \$1,394.40.

The subscriptions are made up of the following:

Peter Coffee Chapter, Abbeville -----	\$ 11.00
Thronateeska Chapter, Albany -----	20.00
Commodore Richards Dale Chapter, Albany -----	50.00
Gothcaloga Chapter, Adairsville -----	3.60
Council of Safety Chapter, Americus -----	5.00
Elijah Clarke Chapter, Athens -----	100.00
Atlanta Chapter, Atlanta -----	250.00
Joseph Habersham Chapter, Atlanta -----	134.00
Bainbridge Chapter, Bainbridge -----	5.00
Governor Peter Early Chapter, Blakely -----	10.00
Brunswick Chapter, Brunswick -----	10.00
Lanahassee Chapter, Buena Vista -----	10.00
Cairo Chapter, Cairo -----	2.20
Tomochichi Chapter, Clarkesville -----	5.00
Baron DeKalb Chapter, Clarkston -----	5.00
Oglethorpe Chapter, Columbus -----	25.00
James Pittman Chapter, Commerce -----	5.00
Fort Early Chapter, Cordele -----	15.00
Benjamin Hawkins Chapter, Cuthbert -----	1.00
Sergeant Newton Chapter, Covington -----	10.00
Governor John Milledge Chapter, Dalton -----	25.00
John Laurens Chapter, Dublin -----	5.00
Colonel William Few Chapter, Eastman -----	10.00
Samuel Reid Chapter, Eatonton -----	5.00
Stephen Heard Chapter, Elberton -----	10.00
James Monroe Chapter, Forsyth -----	15.00
Governor Treutlen Chapter, Fort Valley -----	5.00
Fort Valley Chapter, Fort Valley -----	5.00
John Benson Chapter, Hartwell -----	25.00

Hawkinsville Chapter, Hawkinsville -----	10.00
William McIntosh Chapter, Jackson -----	5.00
William Marsh Chapter, LaFayette -----	10.00
LaGrange Chapter, LaGrange -----	15.00
Mary Hammond Washington Chapter, Macon -----	25.00
Nathaniel Macon Chapter, Macon -----	50.00
Fielding Lewis Chapter, Marietta -----	10.00
Nancy Hart Chapter, Milledgeville -----	50.00
Archibald Bulloch Chapter, Montezuma -----	5.00
Elizabeth Marlow Chapter, Monticello -----	5.00
John Benning Chapter, Moultrie -----	10.00
Sarah Dickinson Chapter, Newnan -----	5.00
Hawthorne Trail Chapter, Pelham -----	2.00
General Daniel Stewart Chapter, Perry -----	1.00
Hannah Clarke Chapter, Quitman -----	65.75
Hannah Clarke Chapter, Quitman -----	25.00
Hannah Clarke Chapter, Quitman -----	1.00
Hannah Clarke Chapter, Quitman, contributed by Mrs. Oglesby of Quitman -----	110.00
General Jared Irwin Chapter, Sanderville -----	5.00
Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, Savannah -----	12.00
Savannah Chapter, Savannah -----	75.00
Bonaventure Chapter, Savannah -----	10.00
Noble Wimberly Jones Chapter, Shelman -----	1.00
John Clarke Chapter, Social Circle -----	12.75
Sylvester Chapter, Sylvester -----	5.00
Major General Samuel Elbert Chapter, Tennille -----	10.00
John Houston Chapter, Thomaston -----	5.00
Governor Edward Telfair Chapter, Thomaston -----	10.00
Ochlochnee Chapter, Thomasville -----	17.50
Toccoa Chapter, Toccoa -----	3.00
Henry Walton Chapter, Madison -----	15.00
Burkwalter Chapter, Warrenton -----	5.00
Burkwalter Chapter, Warrenton -----	2.00
Jonathan Bryan Chapter, Waycross -----	5.00
Edmund Burke Chapter, Waycross -----	5.00
Chattahoochee Chapter, West Point -----	2.50
Sunbury Chapter, Winder -----	6.35

\$1,394.40

The chapters were so prompt in their payments that on October 15th, 1925 our State Treasurer sent to the Treasurer General our pledge of \$1,000.00. At the Board meeting in November it was decided to use the surplus over the pledge in purchasing a box in the new auditorium and \$200 was sent as the first payment.

This leaves a balance on hand in the state treasurer of -----

PRESERVATION OF HISTORIC SPOTS

Mrs. Eli A. Thomas, Chairman

We as individuals are a composite of all our ancestors for hundreds of years back. Georgia as a state is the outgrowth of all those men and women who have made it their home since Oglethorpe planted the first white settlement where ocean and wilderness met at Yamacraw Bluff in 1733. Knowing these facts it is fit and important that the great deeds of ancestors and patriots be repeated and emphasized from time to time that their lives may more surely influence those bearing the burden of life today and those who will inherit that responsibility from us.

It is not necessary now to have the pedagogue tell us that one remembers easier that seen with the eye than that which is read from history, it is a recognized fact and is the main reason so many more D. A. R. are placing markers on historic spots than ever before. Each marker points to an act of patriotism written in stone for the eye of all to see and ponder.

Six markers have been placed since last state conference, and several others are planned.

The Sarah Dickinson chapter of Newnan has placed two bronze tablets, one on the site of Bullsboro, a dead town and the first settlement in the county, and one for General Daniel Newnan for whom the town is named. Value \$130.00.

On October 15th, 1925 the Elijah Clarke Chapter of Athens unveiled a handsome granite marker with bronze tablet at "Cherokee Corner" an historic spot, the boundary line between the Cherokee Indian lands, the Creek Indian lands, and the colony of Georgia by the treaty of 1773. Value including land \$425.00.

This same chapter with the aid of the Georgia D. A. R. has placed a blue stone granite marker at Old Eagle Tavern erected in 1801 on the site of a block-house fort built in 1789 for the protection of the white settlers against the Indians. Value \$200.00.

On May 2nd, 1926, on the reservation at Camp Benning was unveiled a bronze tablet commemorating the fact that General LaFayette passed along that way when on a tour of the United States in 1825. This marker was erected by the Georgia D. A. R. and the Oglethorpe, George Walton, and the Button Gwinnett chapters of Columbus. Two other tablets referring to the period of Indian occupation will be placed at Camp Benning soon from this same fund. Total value \$109.90.

The Matthew Talbot chapter of Monroe has marked with granite the site of the battle of Jack's Creek fought in 1787. This is on the Athens-Monroe highway and cost \$150.00.

The John Laurens chapter of Dublin set aside \$25.00 to be used this year on the care of the cemetery, grounds and site of home of Governor George Troupe, known as "Valambrosia", eight miles from Dublin. This will be continued each year.

The Hancock chapter of Sparta assisted by \$50.00 from the state fund for marking historic spots will place a marker this spring on the site of a treaty spot on Shoulder Bone Creek, date 1786.

The Nathaniel Macon chapter of Macon assisted by the Kiwanis Club will mark the site of Fort Hawkins with a replica of the old fort, in the near future.

Through the efforts of the Stephen Heard chapter of Elberton the grave of Nancy Hart has been located in the old Hart Cemetery, a few miles from Henderson, Ky.

The Sylvester chapter has located old forts and battlefields and is seeking to secure the title to the site of Pindartown, a dead town, and later mark it.

The two markers erected this year with the aid of the state fund for marking historic spots, and the four erected in previous years, with the one to be placed by Hancock chapter this spring brings the total to seven markers erected with the aid of the state fund. The contributions this year to this fund are very gratifying, 78 chapters contributing \$155.50. This with the \$1,089.90 cost of the markers named above, brings the total amount put into marking historic spots this year to \$1,245.40.

The committee on preservation of Historic Spots has voted to contribute \$50.00 to Sunbury chapter of Winder to assist in marking the Old Federal Road also known as Jackson's Trail, and \$50.00 to the Edmund Burke chapter of Waynesboro to mark the site of the

Battle of Briar Creek or the Battle of Burke Jail, both Revolutionary battles.

It gives the chairman much pleasure to compile this record of the splendid work of the Georgia D. A. R.

REPORT OF PRESS COMMITTEE

Mrs. R. R. Harris, Chairman

On May 5, the State Press Committee met in Cordele with the State Chairman, those attending being: Mrs. Oscar McKenzie, Montezuma; Mrs. R. P. Black, former Regent, Archibald Bullock Chapter, Montezuma; Mrs. Max E. Land, and Mrs. R. R. Harris.

The proceedings were carefully gone over and found to have been carefully and beautifully arranged by the State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Oscar McKenzie.

The committee was entertained at luncheon by the chairman.

REPORT PLANTING TREES AND SHRUBS ON NATIONAL HIGHWAY

Only two reports have been received by the State Chairman of "Planting trees and shrubs on National Highway".

The Matthew Talbot Chapter, D. A. R., at Monroe, Walton County, have planted trees and shrubs on the National Highway in their County.

The Gov. John Milledge Chapter, D. A. R., report trees, and shrubs planted on the National Highway near Dalton, by all Chapter members.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON REAL DAUGHTERS

Mrs. Walker Jordan, Chairman

Madam Regent, and members of the twenty-eighth Conference: I have the honor to report that during the past year, four (4) graves of Real Daughters have been found, and the Official D. A. R. marker has been ordered for three (3) of them.

The graves located are as follows:

Mrs. Eliza Majors Carlton, buried at Newnan, Ga.

Mrs. Mary Thompson Story, buried at Newnan, Ga.

Mrs. Mary McNeely, buried at Sugar Valley, Ga.

Mrs. Evelina A. Terrell Erwin, buried at Newnan, Ga.

The Sarah Dickinson Chapter has ordered Markers for two graves, those of Mrs. Carlton, and Mrs. Story.

The Adairsville Chapter has ordered a Marker for the grave of Mrs. McNeely.

Mrs. McNeely's gold spoon was received the day of her burial.

The Sergeant Jasper Chapter placed the marker, (reported ordered, at Columbus) on the Real Daughter's grave, Mrs. Martha Penn Rogers, on May 30th, 1925, which was the 101st anniversary of Mrs. Rogers' birth.

There are only four (4) graves unaccounted for, of Real Daughters, who gave Georgia as their place of residence on application papers.

They may not be buried in Georgia.

Your Committee has tried faithfully to find them.

Total number of graves of Real Daughters found in Georgia is eleven (11).

When the three Markers, that were recently ordered, shall have been placed, nine of the eleven graves will have been marked with the Official D. A. R. Marker.

The pension that is now paid a Real Daughter by the N. S. D. A. R. is \$25.00 per month.

There are living today nineteen (19) Real Daughters.

Daughters of Revolutionary Soldiers

Seventeen (17) graves of Daughters of Revolutionary Soldiers have been found by the Chapters designated.

Any one desiring further information regarding any of these graves, please write the Regent of Chapter locating the grave.

Stephen Heard Chapter, Elberton—Mrs. Margaret Clark Edwards, daughter of Larkin Clark, buried at Bethlehem Cemetery, Elbert County.

Bainbridge Chapter, Bainbridge—Mrs. Judith Woodson Swann Allen, daughter of Joseph Woodson, buried at family Cemetery near Attapulgus.

Mrs. Harriette Melville Colmes Swann, daughter of Lieut. Wm. Colmes, buried at Oak City Cemetery, Bainbridge.

Toccoa Chapter—Mrs. Grace Newton Lucas, daughter of Moses Newton, buried at Tugalo.

Sylvest Chapter, Sylvester—Mrs. Esther Bogan Martin, daughter of Serg't. of Horse, Isaac Bogan, buried at Martin Cemetery, Randolph County.

Mrs. Bonnetta Smith Truit McKey, daughter of Elijah Smith, buried Jasper County, near Shady Dale.

Jeffersonia Hawkins Chapter, Roberta—Miss Jeffersonia Hawkins, daughter of Benjamin Hawkins, buried in Cemetery at Roberta.

Adairsville Chapter, Adairsville—Mrs. Judith Scruggs Wray, daughter of Richard Scruggs, buried at Methodist Cemetery one mile West of Sugar Valley.

Hannah Clarke Chapter, Quitman—Mrs. Therese Hannah Matthieu Gillam, daughter of Andre Matthieu, buried at Kingston.

Mrs. Elizabeth Horton Williamson, daughter of Prosser Horton Sr., buried Jackson County, Georgia.

Mrs. Sarah Tillman Trout, daughter of William Tillman, buried on hill one-half mile from Jefferson, Jackson County, Georgia.

Mrs. Lavonia Jones Young, daughter of James Jones, buried at West End Cemetery, Quitman.

Mrs. Rachel Inman Spain Jones, daughter of Daniel Inman, buried on Forrest Hills plantation, near Quitman.

Mrs. Bethenia Middlebrooks Wade, daughter of William Sumner Battle, buried at Mars Hill, near Athens.

Stone Castle Chapter, Dawson—Mrs. Barbara Craps Kaigler, daughter of John Craps, buried in Terrell County.

Gov. John Milledge Chapter, Dalton—Mrs. Catherine Anderson Hamlin, daughter of Capt. K. L. Anderson, buried in Whitfield County.

To correct Error in Report of 1925—Mrs. Mary Zachary Ward Lovejoy, daughter of Peter Zachary, buried at Concord Cemetery, near Stockbridge.

Two graves have been marked this year with the Official D. A. R. Marker.

Mrs. W. A. Davidson, a descendant of Mrs. Swann, has marked through the Bainbridge Chapter, Mrs. Swann's grave with marble slab and the D. A. R. Marker.

The Bainbridge Chapter has marked the grave of Mrs. Allen.

Total number of graves of Daughters of Revolutionary Soldiers, found in Georgia, eighty three (83); number marked with the D. A. R. Marker, three.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON SCRAPBOOK

Mrs. Peter Brown, Chairman

We have carefully collected all articles which we thought would be of value to the National and State D. A. R., and especially have we preserved reports of the State Conference in Americus and the National Congress in Washington during 1926.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON REVOLUTIONARY RELICS

Mrs. Reeves Brown, Chairman

As State Chairman of Revolutionary Relics for Continental Hall, I beg to submit the following report:

On Jan. 14th, I sent an urgent letter to every Chapter regent in Georgia asking her co-operation in securing for the Museum at Continental Hall all valuable and authentic relics of the Revolutionary period, 1770-1800. In response to this appeal, the following articles were contributed:

A Door Key from a house at Tugalo, Ga. This house, known as "Travelers' Rest", was used as a Stage Coach Inn, and was built in 1785. The Waltons, who built the house, were massacred by the Indians. The locks on the doors of the house came from England. Each one bears the words "Statimer's Hall Mark, London, Eng."

A History of America, by W. Winterthorn. Printed by Tiebout & O'Brien for John Reid, Book seller and Stationer, 106 Water St., New York, 1796.

A deed for a tract of land in Georgia, executed May 7, 1785 by William Hay and certified by John Gorham.

Presented by Mrs. Mary Jarrett White, Tugalo, Ga., through the Toccoa Chapter.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON SULGRAVE MANOR DAY

Mrs. James H. Nicholson, Chairman

At the last National Conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution, "Sulgrave Manor", George Washington's ancestral birthplace, was brought up for consideration.

Recognizing the historical importance of this English home and its relation to American Independence and history, a committee was named to formulate plans for a "Sulgrave Manor Day" in connection with a George Washington program each February.

Mrs. Alton B. Parker of New York was appointed National Chairman. She wrote a personal letter to all the state chapters, which were forwarded by me with my letters. She has had a small pamphlet and one of George Washington's prayers printed for use at Chapter meetings. These can be purchased from her for 25 cents each. I have received notices from several chapters in the State, stating that this program was observed at the February meeting. Others stated they would use the program in the future. I assure each chapter of my sincerest thanks in helping to observe "Sulgrave Manor Day".

These pamphlets are most interesting and instructive and should be in each chapter in the State.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THOMAS JEFFERSON MEMORIAL FOUNDATION

Mrs. Ed A. Caldwell, Chairman

At last State Meeting, in Columbus, we urged the Chapter of the D. A. R., in the State to celebrate, in a suitable way, the birth-

day of Thomas Jefferson, in the Chapters and Schools throughout Georgia. We also asked that voluntary contributions be made for every Chapter to the fund being raised for the purchasing and preserving of Monticello, the home of Thomas Jefferson. Monticello is to be a National Shrine, and Thomas Jefferson was a patriot, worthy of such an honor and this is a duty, too long neglected by patriotic Americans.

In January, we published in The Atlanta Constitution, an article stating the aims of this committee and asking for reports from the various Chapters of the State to the chairman of this committee. To this we have received a very few reports, but all pledging to celebrate April 13th, and giving a small gift for Monticello.

May I urge each Regent, in her work, for the following year, to observe Jefferson's birthday, and to contribute to the Monticello Fund?

It has been one hundred years since the death of Thomas Jefferson and his dying wish, that his historic home be preserved, still unfulfilled.

We must carry the enterprise to a creditable fulfillment.

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Mrs. Albert Tidwell, Chairman

As Chairman of Transportation for the Georgia D. A. R., I submit the following report:

Preceding the twenty eighth State Convention held in Americus, I sent to the State Editor for publication, schedules and connections from all parts of the state, hoping that they might prove helpful to the delegates. In view of the National Congress to be held in Washington in April, I have prepared for publication schedules and connections for same. Identification Certificates are being issued to those who will attend the National Congress.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GEORGIA STATE WOMANS COLLEGE LOAN FUND, VALDOSTA, GA.

Mrs. Di Ingram

It is with great pride and appreciation that the committee gives the report of this loan fund for we are sure you will agree with us that you have never seen so young a work and small amount, \$1,500.00, be of more service.

This fund was only in the making three years ago; has been active only two years, but has blessed the lives of nine girls.

What can be more important to our national life than educated mothers? To teach an education is required as it is in many other vocations, but not a requirement to become a mother, but that vocation is at the very root of our national life and is most necessary for the betterment of our patriotic understanding. Therefore, when we have helped a girl secure an education should she become a wife and mother we have strengthened the future home and we should be proud.

One of the nine girls borrowing of this fund, and who graduated last June, married in the fall, but repaid the \$100.00 she borrowed in full with one check. One of the graduates of last year who borrowed \$200.00 is teaching and sends a monthly payment of \$20.00 on her loan. Another graduate of last year borrowing \$100.00 sends monthly payments of \$10.00. Another girl who was a junior and preferred teaching a year before graduating, and had borrowed \$100.00 has paid, in February, the full \$100.00 with interest from December, in one check.

We have made five loans since last September to five girls to the amount of \$750.00. Two of these girls are to graduate in June.

I wish it were possible for every chapter in the society to know of the wonderful spirit shown by these girls towards the money borrowed and the opportunity it has given them. They are so grateful and anxious to repay that others may have their opportunity.

Should not all Georgia D. A. R. be proud of this work? These girls represent all sections of the State from Atlanta down.

I had report from Button Gwinnett Chapter that \$1.00 had been donated to this fund this year. This fund has been closed, but it is a most opportune time to again accept donations to what I am sure is the State's most useful fund on account of the activity of every dollar.

The bank now shows a balance on hand of \$488.57. This will finance this year juniors thru another year if they need it.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON WELFARE OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Mrs. Lena Felker Lewis, Monroe, Ga., State Chairman

It is indeed gratifying to note the increasing interest in the Welfare of women and children among the D. A. R. chapters of Georgia.

While all the Chapters did not respond to a request for reports, a large number did, thereby indicating that our women are awakening to the fact that this line of work is the highest form of patriotism.

We are happy indeed to submit the following reports:

Athens—Elijah Clarke Chapter has co-operated with other organizations in work for Welfare of Women and Children.

Albany—Members of Thronteeska Chapter have co-operated with Associated Charities; are guardians of Camp Fire Associations, Teachers in Day and Sunday Schools, etc., thereby showing a great interest in the Welfare of Women and Children.

Bainbridge—Three dollars was given to local charity Christmas for Empty Stocking Fund, ten dollars given to local school for Child Welfare.

Buena Vista—Lanahassee Chapter reports that every member bought Christmas Seals, thereby aiding in the fight on tuberculosis.

Brunswick—Brunswick Chapter co-operates with other organizations in Welfare of Women and Children work.

Cairo—Cairo Chapter has active Chairman of Welfare of Women and Children. Leaflets on Motherhood and Care of Infants have been given to mothers of little children.

Columbus—Button Gwinnett Chapter—By study and thorough discussion sentiment has been created for Welfare of Women and Children. Chapter is co-operating with other organizations in forming a circle for recreation and instruction of the business women of city.

Columbus—Oglethorpe Chapter has co-operated extensively with the Health Department, Welfare Bureau, local schools and all branches pertaining to this special work. Results are most gratifying.

Commerce—James Pittman Chapter has contributed \$42.00 for the Welfare of Women and Children.

Conyers—Col. John McIntosh Chapter has co-operated with other organizations in this noble work. This chapter sent a young girl to school who could not otherwise have gone. Gave clothes and gifts to poor children Christmas.

Dalton—Gov. John Milledge Chapter gave medicine chest and

helped put victrola in school, co-operated with clubs in purchasing and selling Christmas seals. Helped with clothing, etc. Sent trays and flowers to the sick and made numerous visits to hospitals. A graduating outfit is to be given to D. A. R. scholarship girl in May. Plans to assist in graduating outfit.

Dawson—Stone Castle reports that through the Daisy McNulty Empty Stocking Fund fifty children and four old people were remembered Christmas with provisions, toys etc. Fifteen families in all were helped. Chapter co-operates with other organizations in Welfare Work.

Dublin—John Laurens Chapter reports that at all times they have co-operated with the County Health Officer. Gave a pantry and linen shower to a very needy family and voted \$10.00 from the treasury to buy coal for a family in need.

Elberton—Stephen Heard Chapter co-operates with other organizations in Welfare work. Assists in Baby Clinics, etc. Chapter is conducting a school for foreign women.

Forsyth—James Monroe Chapter contributed supplies to the value of \$10.00 for Welfare of Women and Children.

Greenville—David Meriwether Chapter contributed 25c per capita for help toward clothing some needy children. Also gave \$5.00 toward an operation on a poor blind girl.

Hawkinsville—This chapter co-operated with local P. T. A. in Welfare work, both as a chapter and as individuals.

Madison—Henry Walton Chapter co-operates with other organizations in work for Welfare of Women and Children.

Milledgeville—Nancy Hart Chapter co-operates with other organizations in this work. Magazines and books have been contributed to those needing them.

Monroe—Matthew Talbot Chapter maintains a room at Monroe Hospital as memorial to World War Veterans. Chairman of Hospital, Mrs. J. P. Adams is local Chairman of Welfare of Women and Children and is most enthusiastic and efficient.

Free medical clinics are held once a week and D. A. R. have a part in this work.

Since January 1st, 69 children have been examined. Through the courtesy of Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., literature on every defect has been distributed. Committee follows up each card showing that the children need corrections with a visit into the home.

Dental and Tonsil operations are held in which the D. A. R. assists.

Chapter is contributing \$1.00 each month toward the expense of clinics. Clothing, food, coal, books, magazines, etc., have been contributed to needy by members of chapter.

Moultrie—John Benning Chapter members have given more than \$300.00 in money, and the help given in other ways cannot be valued in dollars and cents. Welfare of Women and Children is a most noble "hobby" of this chapter.

Quitman—Hannah Clarke Chapter contributed \$5.00 to Empty Stocking Fund. Committee visited poor farm to see what could be done to make more comfortable the inmates.

Sandersville—Gov. Jared Irwin Chapter co-operates with other organizations in Welfare Work. Representatives of county were written to and personally interviewed and Children's Code sponsored.

Sparta—Hancock Chapter distributed a box of toys and clothing to needy women and children Christmas.

Sylvester—This Chapter is doing splendid work for Welfare of

Women and Children. Chapter Chairman is also Chairman of same department in Woman's Club.

Tennille—The Major General Samuel Elbert Chapter reports contributions of clothing to women and school children; also books to children of about \$10.00 value.

Thomasville—Ochlocknee Chapter reports as follows: \$20.00 toward tuition of two young girls in Vashti Home School, \$30.00 for half of gift scholarship for young girl in local business school.

Two prizes of \$5.00 and \$2.50 for girls in Domestic Science Department of public schools.

Thomasville—John Houston Chapter reports cash \$123.00. Clothing and food (valued \$77.50) through Welfare of Women and Children Committee.

West Point—Chapter co-operates with other organizations in this work.

Winder—Sunbury Chapter has an active Welfare Chairman. Chapter gave 155 tubes tooth paste, two dental lectures, twenty-two sets health posters, twelve in each set, to school children.

Gave to county schools, books, magazines, mucilage, shades, soap, T. B. seals, maps, flags, flag cards, Testaments, in addition to programs for patriotic anniversaries. Co-operates with Associated Charities. During special Thanksgiving and Christmas drives, chapter members were very active in collecting and distributing food, clothing and money. Gave articles valued at \$63.50.

Five local scholarships and school supplies valued at \$49.07 have been given. Health Charts have been given to several grades.

Chapter has directed one class in sewing and basket weaving and offered prizes valued at \$4.00 for excellence in cooking and sewing.

Atlanta—Joseph Habersham Chapter. Much help has been given to foreign women and children. Already reported under Americanization.

Atlanta—Atlanta Chapter. No special work for Welfare of women and Children during past year.

Cordele—Fort Early Chapter. Chapter has furnished books for six children during the year and placed a fitted medicine cabinet in the school.

Dalton—The Gov. John Milledge Chapter. \$70.00 given for Welfare Work.

Thomaston—Gov. Edward Telfair Chapter. Money and clothing for needy women and children, \$122.50.

Many visits and flowers to shut-ins.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON WOODROW WILSON DAY

Mrs. H. Fay Gaffney, Chairman

While listening attentively to the enthusiastic reports of the capable State-Chairmen I am thinking of the words cut in stone over the main door of the Post Office in New York City, chisled as an appreciation of the faithful messengers of the Government:

"Neither snow, nor rain, nor heat, nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds".

The perpetuation of Woodrow Wilson is established, and, while the verdict of history is not quickly reached, that verdict will be just to this great man who gave his life that there might be "good will toward men"—so my task is easy and I do not come to it weighted down with responsibility for it will justify itself no matter how inadequately I present the work—but madam Regent, I am bringing a joyful message freighted with sincere success. This work has been enthusiastically carried out; every chapter, save three, (and I would not for a kingdom betray them after having

from them letters of regrets). These reports have come to me like inspirational messages and filled many hours with glowing delight. Pictures of this illustrious Wilson adorn walls of class room, chapter year books are being dedicated to this paragon of humanity, while history rooms in newly erected High Schools will bear the name of "Woodrow Wilson Hall of History", where youth will be taught how to think, how to fight, how to live—. The silent forces of his great personality working in the hearts of his country—men are causing a memorial, Georgia's tribute to a Georgian", to be founded—It requires a certain greatness of soul to interpret patriotism worthily. Nothing succeeds like constructive thought. As the radio cuts thru steel and stone, so can thought force penetrate any difficulty and draw all power under its influence. Some day, an invention, over-powering the radio will broad cast from this Wilson College and recreate in voice and language his living ideals of an ideal American.

CHAPTER REPORTS

PETER COFFEE CHAPTER, ABBEVILLE

Mrs. Chauncey L. Foote, Regent

Peter Coffee Chapter has twenty one members including non-residents.

Have one application for membership ready to forward to the National Board of Management.

During the past year the following anniversary days of State and Nation were observed with patriotic and historical programs.

Flag Day, Independence Day, La Fayette and Constitution Days, Wilson Day, Georgia Day and George Washington's Birthday. Chapter meetings include invocation by the Chaplain, patriotic songs, Flag salute, reading of the American Creed and a Social hour.

"Flag Day" and "Independence Day" were observed with patriotic and historical programs.

"LaFayette" and "Constitution Days" Were observed, by paper on the life and service of the warm hearted and generous Frenchman to our Nation, also an address on the "Constitution of the United States".

"Armistice Day" was observed with the sale of Poppies by members of the Chapter, also placing of poppies on the graves of World War Veterans.

The Chapter entertained at its fourth anniversary with a Birthday dinner, toasts by the Regent and responses by the guests made a very pleasant social hour.

"Woodrow Wilson Day" was observed with patriotic program and several papers and talks on his life.

"George Washington's Birthday" was observed with patriotic papers and "Georgia Day" program.

Several Manuals for immigrants and copies of Flag Code have been distributed.

A five dollar gold piece will be presented to the High School pupil winning the contest for best memory work in "Patriotic Songs", "Flag Code", "American Creed", "American Flag", "What the Constitution Does for the Citizen", and "A Brief History of the United States".

The Chapter disbursements are as follows: National Dues, \$21.00; State Dues, \$4.20; D. A. R. Student loan fund, \$11.00; Ellis Island Work, \$2.00; Georgia Bay, \$5.50; Auditorium Fund, \$2.00; Marking Historical Spots, \$2.00; Lucy Peel memorial, \$4.00; Manual for Immigrants, 25c. Total, \$51.95.

REPORT OF OOTHCALOGA CHAPTER, ADAIRSVILLE

Mrs. George Boyd, Regent

Oothcaloga Chapter will celebrate its second anniversary in June. We began with thirteen members and now have twenty.

During the year Fourth of July and Armistice Day celebrations were sponsored by the chapter, and the following other days were observed with appropriate exercises: Flag, Magna Charta, La-Fayette, Sulgrave Manor, Georgia, Washington, and Wilson. Plans are being made for the celebration of Jefferson Day.

A committee from the chapter copied all records in the oldest book of records in the court house at Cartersville, and sent two copies to Mrs. John L. Davidson, State Chairman of Historical Research.

A marker for the grave of a Real Daughter is en transit and will be placed on arrival.

All state and national dues have been paid, as well as the other requirements named by the State Treasurer for a place on the Roll of Honor. In addition to these expenditures we have paid nine dollars for a marker for a Real Daughter and sent a box to Ellis Island valued at four dollars.

We have offered a gold medal to the pupil in the Adairsville High School making the highest average in American History.

We sponsored sale of poppies on Armistice Day and of Red Cross Seals at Christmas.

Ootchaloga Chapter is located in the sixth smallest town in Georgia having a chapter. However, we face the future with confidence.

Manual, \$4.50; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Box Ellis Island, \$4.00; Auditorium, \$3.60; Student Loan, \$9.00; Georgia Bay, \$4.50; Marking Historic Spot, \$2.00; Lucy Cook Peel, \$4.00; State Dues, \$3.60; Marker for Real Daughter, \$9.00; Gold Medal History, \$5.00; National, \$18.00.

COMMODORE RICHARD DALE CHAPTER, ALBANY

Mrs. James P. Champion, Regent

We have added five new members to our number and there are papers pending of four others.

We have had a splendid, active year with our interest centered on our New Auditorium in Washington, our part in the maintenance of our local Club House, our room in the maternity ward of the Albany Hospital and our several scholarship funds.

With the assistance of the Vice-Regent, Mrs. Tom Ventulett, all of the meetings were held regularly regardless of my illness and we celebrated the important patriotic days. Particularly enjoyable were the programs, Flag Day, Constitution Day and our February meeting celebrating Washington's birthday with a Sulgrave Manor program.

Our city has carried out an extensive plan of tree planting and through one of our members a gift of 1,000 dogwood trees was made to them.

There was much enthusiasm shown in the purchase of a chair for Mrs. John D. Pope, our beloved organizing and Honorary Regent, and the present State Librarian.

We have just learned of an unmarked Revolutionary Soldier's grave—ancestor of a new member—and so we have the marking of this to plan for in the near future. Also, we are giving the D. A. R. medal as usual for the best essay on a patriotic subject to the Senior Class in the Albany High School and a S. A. R. civic medal to the boys of the Senior Class.

Americanization work, \$39.45; Immigrant's Manual, \$12.50; Student Loan Fund, \$25.00; Scholarships, \$168.00; Patriotic Education, \$12.00; Pledge to Auditorium, \$50.00; One chair in Auditorium, \$150.00; Scholarships (gifts) \$285.00; Martha Berry, \$10.00; Kenmore, \$5.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Georgia Bay, \$36.25; Stone Mt., \$20.00; Club House, \$50.00; Hospital, \$50.00; Historic Spots, \$2.00; Dues, \$115.50.

THRONATEESKA CHAPTER, ALBANY

Mrs. R. L. Jones, Regent

Madam Regent and Members of the twenty-eighth Conference:

Thronateeska Chapter is entering on its thirty-first year with a membership of one hundred and two. Ten members have been enrolled, and four applications pending since April, 1925. The following beloved members have answered the last "Roll Call"; Mrs.

Fannie Jones Boone, Mrs. Leila Richardson Legg, Mrs. Ralph Lee and Mrs. Adaline Partridge Smith.

The Chapter has met regularly in the homes of its members, but the March meeting was held in the Assembly Room of the Chapter House, as the officers of the Governing Board have, after many months, granted Thronateeska Chapter a day satisfactory to the members. The initial meeting was a celebration with Mrs. F. F. Putney, our "Fairy God-mother", and Judge Putney our "Guest of Honor"; on this happy occasion, Mrs. Stella Wright Coles, ex-Regent of Joseph Habersham Chapter, was also a distinguished visitor.

All Patriotic Days have been observed. Flag Day was celebrated at Iris Court, and the Flag of our fore-fathers was unfurled in all its glory. In October, Thronateeska Chapter entertained at Iris Court, the home of Mrs. John Randolph Whitehead, with a brilliant birthday party in honor of the natal day of our National Society. A large cake beautifully embossed in blue and buff, with insignia surrounded by thirty-four candles, commemorated the event.

A copy of our History was given to the members of the Senior class in High School making the highest average in American History.

Members of the Chapter were active in selling "Georgia Day Flags", and in support of Hospital Association, Red Cross and other Philanthropic work.

Mrs. Sidney J. Jones, a member of the Chapter, contributed to Georgia Shelves in Memorial Continental Hall, a copy of Revised Statutes of Constitution of United States, published in 1844.

It was with heartfelt regret that Thronateeska Chapter bade farewell to one of her most beloved and brilliant members, Mrs. (S. J.) Leonora Jones, compiler of our "History and Reminiscences of Dougherty County Georgia". It was through her perseverance that the work was completed. On the death of her husband, Mrs. Jones felt the "Call of the Blood" and has returned to her native state—Texas, to brighten the evening of life of her aged mother.

Thronateeska Chapter sponsored a Baby Show, Dance, Bridge Party, Bridge Supper, and a very successful Pure Food Show and Cooking School; proceeds from same have aided in reducing our debt to Publishers of our History.

One of our charter memers, Mrs. (G. M.) Julia Holcome Bacon, has planted a pecan tree in Tift Park as a memorial to her husband who was the father of the pecan industry in the South.

The following contributions have been made to local, State and National causes:

Madam Regent and Members of the twenty-eighth Conference, I have the honor to submit the following report from Thronateeska Chapter:

Chair in Constitution Hall, \$150.00; Auditorium Fund, \$20.00; Georgia Bay Fund, \$45.50; D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$45.50; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$4.00; Ellis Island Fund, \$2.00; Immigrants Manual Fund, \$22.75; Library Fund, \$2.00; Kenmore Fund, \$2.00; State Conference Dues, \$18.20; National Dues, \$85.00; Paid on Chapter House, \$50.00; Stone Mountain Memorial Coins, \$20.00; Payments on Publishing History, \$757.00; Miscellaneous, \$147.09. Total, \$1,373.04.

COUNCIL OF SAFETY CHAPTER, AMERICUS

Mrs. Howell Simmons, Regent

During the past year members of the Council of Safety Chapter have displayed an unusual interest and the membership of the Chapter has been increased by thirteen, making a total membership of 66.

The Chapter has contributed as follows: To the Ellis Island Fund, \$2.00; to the Immigrant's Manual, \$16.75; to the D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$32.00; to the Auditorium Pledge, \$5.00; to Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$4.00; to Georgia Bay, \$30.25; prizes to High School, \$5.00; marking historic spots, \$2.00.

The Chapter make a standing offer to provide books for any children who are unable to buy them for their school work but such demands have been very light. In the interest of citizenship the Chapter gave two medals to the High School to be awarded to a boy and a girl whose conduct, scholarship and general bearing give the most promise of developing those traits of character essential to useful citizenship. During Educational Week members of the Chapter visited various schools in the city and county.

The Council of Safety Chapter conducted a Cooking School and Pure Food Show primarily for the purpose of raising funds, and as such was a success for it made a profit of over \$300.00, but probably one of the best results obtained was educational. The lectures and demonstrations were of very great value and were well attended not only by members of the Chapter but by the public generally. In this kind of work it is easy to co-operate with the Home Demonstration Agents in this county and make the instruction available to girls outside of the city.

The following Patriotic Days were appropriately celebrated: Armistice Day. Joined other organizations in the general celebration. Hon. Hoke Smith addressed the citizens.

Constitution and Magna Charta Day. Interesting and instructive talks on these subjects.

Flag Day. The schools observed this day and paper was read on the subject.

George Washington's Birthday. A splendid program by the Chapter on this occasion. The Times-Recorder featured the day with an edition devoted largely to Father of our Country.

Georgia Day. Celebrated in the schools.

The planting of trees is a subject of unusual interest to all members of the Chapter. Members report the planting of 2515 pecan trees.

KNOX-CONWAY CHAPTER, ASHBURN

Mrs. J. A. Ewing, Regent

This chapter was officially endorsed by the National Board on December 21st, 1925, with fifteen members, Mrs. J. H. Ewing, Regent. Georgia Day was observed with appropriate exercises, and on the occasion of this observance it was agreed to present to the Ashburn Public School a framed copy of the Constitution of the United States. The chapter decided as its initial work to endorse and sponsor the Boy Scouts.

The aid of the Chapter has been pledged jointly with the United Daughters of the Confederacy to promote the patriotic work being discharged by them in our town. And further pledged the support of the Chapter to the work of civic improvement of the local Woman's Club.

ELIJAH CLARKE CHAPTER, ATHENS

Mrs. H. J. Rowe, Regent.

In reviewing the work of the chapter for the year 1925-26, we feel, that with our financial handicap at the beginning of the term, our report is very creditable.

Our meetings each month have been largely attended and most enjoyable, with a delightful historical program splendidly planned.

The following important days have been observed: Flag, Independence, LaFayette, Constitution and Magna Charta, Armistice, Woodrow Wilson, Georgia, and Washington's Birthday.

The Chapter is compiling a scrap book. Four photographs and six postal cards have been sent out.

We have eighty-six members, six new members, two were transferred to other chapters, four affiliates.

For Patriotic Education we have distributed ten thousand copies of our flag code and flag law. Editorials and news items on our Constitution and defense laws. Cooperation from merchants and Boy Scouts, with ceremonies and flag displays on patriotic days.

July 4, 1925, an address was given on Independence and our National Flag. October, 1925, the Chapter erected a marker at old Cherokee Corner, the dividing line of the Creek and Cherokee Indians in 1773. Valuation four hundred (400.00) dollars. In March, 1926, another marker was placed at Watkinsville, Ga., by the Georgia D. A. R.'s and the Elijah Clarke Chapter, this marks an old frontier Blockhouse, which was later, for one hundred and twenty-five years the old Eagle Tavern. This one is valued at two hundred (\$200.00) dollars. A very complete map of Clarke County with marked historic spots. Sent to State Chairman marking historic spots by this Chapter.

Headstones were granted four Revolutionary soldiers previously located and two of these have been placed.

\$150.00 chair was given to be placed in the new Constitution Hall, for our honored State Regent, Mrs. Julius Talmadge, by the Elijah Clarke Chapter; \$100.00 given to pledge for the New Auditorium; \$100.00 given as a scholarship at the University of Georgia; \$50.00 scholarship at the State Normal School; National dues, \$83.00; State dues, \$17.20; Immigrants Manual, \$21.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Marking historical spots, \$2.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Students Loan Fund, \$42.00; Red Cross Seals, \$58.50; Meadow Garden, \$3.00; Kenmore, \$5.00; Fannie Trammell Memorial, \$10.00; Old Trails Roads, \$5.00; Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial, \$1.00; Essay Prize, University of Georgia, \$10.00; Library, \$1.00; other disbursements, \$19.50; four gift scholarships for four years at the University of Georgia, valued at \$1,600.00; contribution to Georgia Bay, \$20.00; contribution to May Erwin Talmadge Scholarship at Tallulah Falls, \$5.00. Total disbursements through chapter, \$1,284.50. Total Financial activity with Gift Scholarship, \$2,884.50.

JOSEPH HABERSHAM CHAPTER, ATLANTA

Mrs. James C. Gentry, Regent

In behalf of the Joseph Habersham Chapter D. A. R. I have the honor and privilege of reporting some of the work done by this faithful band during the past week.

We have 426 members, 5 have left us for that better world. 29 new members have been accepted during the year and many papers have been sent to Washington which have yet to be heard from.

Although heavily handicapped with debt we met all the requirements to place us on the "Honor Roll" and in addition we have

contributed handsomely to other causes. We gave \$104 to the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$25.00 to Kenmore, \$134.50 to the National Auditorium, purchased two chairs for the National Auditorium at a cost of \$300.00—one in memory of Mrs. W. L. Peel and one in honor of our beloved State Officer—Mrs. B. C. Ward. We have given plate glass for the tables in the Georgia Room in Continental Hall valued at \$49.00; \$29.00 of this amount was given by Mr. F. J. Cooledge of Atlanta.

Our Gift Scholarships amounted to \$2080.00 all of which have been well placed. One medal valued at \$10.00 is given for the best historical essay from a student in the Public Schools.

We have reason to be proud of the valuable work in Americanization and in Patriotic Education. Foreigners having been taught the English language and American principles, entertaining for them, and helping in various ways to mould them in American citizens.

A Committee from our Chapter has been active in locating historic spots in Fulton and other Counties adjoining and listing the same.

We have 14 subscribers to the D. A. R. Magazine. We have planted trees and shrubs on the grounds of Habersham Hall and have planted an evergreen tree in Piedmont Park in memory of Mrs. Wm. L. Peel.

Our Chapter has observed all Patriotic days with an appropriate program, all of which were enjoyable, but the two outstanding and most brilliant occasions were the Thanksgiving meeting in November when the "Old Guard" and the officers from Fort McPherson, accompanied by the Regimental Band who furnished the music, together with many Public Officials, who assisted and were the guests of honor. The other was a celebration of Washington's birthday prepared by our Historian in which she was assisted by the leaders of other Patriotic Organizations.

We have reduced the amount of our indebtedness by \$1,039.00 in the past twelve months. \$200.00 of this amount was given to the Chapter by Mrs. B. C. Ward, in bonds. We had to renew our insurance policy on the building at a cost of \$540.00 and have given our full quota to the Student Loan Fund, Georgia Bay and the Immigrant's Manual, which aggregates \$436.00.

Our Chapter has raised for all purposes at the time of this report something over \$6,000.00 and has expended \$5,634.47.

All of this and much more has been accomplished in spite of the illness for months of their leader and the loss of many of our best workers by the rush to Florida, followed by epidemics of many kinds of sickness in the families of our members.

ATLANTA CHAPTER, ATLANTA

Mrs. Lucius McConnell, Regent

The Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R., held the annual election of officers on May 15, 1925.

Mrs. Edwin Stewart was elected Regent; Mrs. Lucius McConnell, First Vice-Regent; Mrs. James L. Logan, Second Vice-Regent; Mrs. Drury Powers, Recording Secretary; Mrs. R. H. Caldwell, Jr., Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. George Breitenbucher, Treasurer; Mrs. Thomas C. Mell, Registrar; Mrs. A. W. Hodnett, Librarian; Mrs. J. N. Bateman, Genealogist; Mrs. Aurelia Roach McMillan, Historian; Mrs. Charles A. Davis, Auditor; Dr. C. J. Harold, Chaplain.

The Chapter was saddened by the continued illness of the Regent, Mrs. Stewart, which was followed by her death on August 13, 1925. Mrs. Maybelle Pendleton Stewart was the daughter of Judge and Mrs. John T. Pendleton and had filled acceptably the office of Chair-

man of the Board of Management and Recording Secretary of the Chapter. A memorial service was held by the Chapter at Craigie House at 4:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, September 8. Resolutions were offered by Mrs. J. D. Cromer, Chairman of Resolutions Committee, expressing a sense of the deep loss sustained by the Chapter.

Mrs. Lucius McConnell automatically became Regent, and Mrs. James L. Logan, Second Vice-Regent. Official recognition and a cordial welcome were extended Mrs. McConnell as Regent at the meeting of the Chapter on September 15. At this time Mrs. McConnell accepted the responsibility and pledged her loyalty to the Chapter, Mrs. J. D. Cromer was elected Second Vice-Regent. Mrs. J. D. Cromer became First Vice-Regent, following the resignation in January of Mrs. James Logan, which was necessitated by illness and death in her family circle, and accepted with regret by the Chapter. Mrs. J. W. Smith was elected Second Vice-Regent.

Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, President General of the National Society, D. A. R., was a distinguished visitor during February. She was accompanied by Mrs. Rhett Goode, Chaplain General, and Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, State Regent of Georgia. Among the entertainments tendered these distinguished visitors were a luncheon given by Mrs. Lucius McConnell at the Biltmore Hotel and an afternoon tea, at which Mrs. Howard McCall, retiring Vice-President General of the National Society of the D. A. R., invited the D. A. R. of Atlanta to meet these noted women who were her guests during their brief stay in the city. The Atlanta Chapter was represented by the Regent, Mrs. Lucius McConnell, at a dinner honoring Mrs. Cook and Mrs. Goode given by the State Regent, Mrs. Julius Talmadge at the Georgian Terrace Hotel. Beautiful corsage bouquets were sent the President General and the members of her party by the Atlanta Chapter as a token of love and loyalty.

The celebration of the 34th birthday of the Chapter was held on April 15. The handsome birthday cake, which was the gift of Mrs. Bun Wylie, the Regent at this time, was cut by the ex-Regents of the Chapter and a tribute was paid each ex-Regent. The State Regent, Mrs. Julius Talmadge, gave the Chapter a handsome record book with the name of the Chapter embossed in gold. Mrs. J. M. High, State President of the Founders and Patriots Society, presented to the Chapter a silk American flag in behalf of her organization.

Mrs. Samuel Z. Shope, Vice-President, National Society of United Daughters of 1812, and a prominent member of the D. A. R. of Philadelphia, was the guest of Mrs. Charles Rice in February. Mrs. Lucius McConnell entertained at a seated luncheon at the Atlanta Woman's Club, inviting to meet Mrs. Shope the officers of the Atlanta Chapter D. A. R. A beautiful feature of the occasion was the presentation of shoulder bouquets of orchids to the hostess and distinguished guests by Mrs. Charles A. Davis, State President of Daughters of American Colonists.

The social life has been emphasized during the year by informal teas following the meetings at which a delightful hospitality was extended by the members of the House Committee, of which Mrs. Moreland Speer is chairman.

Important action of the Chapter during the year included the endorsement of Mrs. Howard McCall, retiring Vice-President General, for the office of President General of the National Society of the D. A. R.; of Mrs. Julius Talmadge, State Regent, for Vice-Pres-

ident General from Georgia; and Mrs. Bun Wylie, retiring Regent of Atlanta Chapter, for State Recording Secretary.

Inspiring reports were given of the State Conference at Columbus, Georgia, by Mrs. Bun Wylie, who attended in the capacity of Regent, and the delegates, Mrs. Moreland Speer, Mrs. A. W. Hodnett, Mrs. Thomas C. Mell and Mrs. Lucius McConnell.

The delegates from the 34th Continental Congress, National Society, D. A. R., were Miss Virginia Hardin, Miss Lillian Tidwell, Mrs. Eli Thomas and the late Mrs. Edwin Stewart, returned home enthusiastic over the Congress and the plans for the magnificent new Auditorium to be erected by the National Society.

Our Chapter and members contributed generously to the new National Auditorium in Washington. Toward the \$1,000.00 pledged by the State of Georgia, the Atlanta Chapter gave \$200.00, Mrs. Charles G. Matthews \$500.00, the late Mrs. Edwin Stewart \$50.00, Mrs. Howard McCall \$25.00, Miss Virginia Harden \$100.00, making a total of \$875.00 contributed during the year.

Five Memorial Chairs have been purchased, as follows: The Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R., January, 1926, in honor of "The Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R., the second Chapter organized in the National Society and the first one organized in the State of Georgia;" Mr. Howard McCall, in honor of Mrs. Howard McCall, State ex-Regent of the State of Georgia and ex-Vice-President General from Georgia; Mrs. Allen Davis, in memory of her sister, the late Mrs. Peck Williams, a valued member of the Atlanta Chapter; Mr. E. R. Kirk, in honor of Mrs. E. R. Kirk, ex-Regent of the Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R.; friends, in memory of the late Mrs. Joseph Morgan, ex-Regent of Atlanta Chapter, D. A. R. Total amount for chairs, \$150.00.

The sale of bonds for the National Auditorium are as follows: Mrs. E. R. Kirk, \$2,500.00; Miss Hazel Kirk, \$3,00.00; Mrs. Thomas C. Mell, \$100.00; total sale, \$5,600.00, purchased through the Atlanta Chapter.

The officers of the Board of Management are as follows: Mrs. J. M. Slaton, Chairman; Mrs. E. R. Kirk, Vice-Chairman; Mrs. J. W. Smith, Secretary.

Programs at Chapter meetings include the celebration of Flag Day, Magna Charta Day, Constitution Day, Columbus Day, Washington's Birthday, and the celebration of the 35th birthday of the National Society, D. A. R. July Fourth, National Defence Day, Thanksgiving Day and Georgia Day were celebrated in cooperation with the Joseph Habersham and Piedmont Continental Chapters.

Our Music Committee, Mrs. C. V. LeCraw, Chairman, has emphasized patriotism at our meetings by the use of patriotic songs.

Craigie House has been beautifully decorated with flowers for each Chapter meeting by the Flower Committee, Mrs. William George, Chairman.

Our Americanization Committee, Mrs. George Hope, Chairman, has accomplished splendid work as follows: A Greek program was presented at our February Chapter meeting by the Greeks of Atlanta, Sixty Greek men, women and children were our guests at this time. Twenty Immigrant Manuals were distributed. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served. A box, costing \$15.00, was sent to the immigrants at Ellis Island; \$480.00 contributed by Chapter members to support of orphans in Near East. Amounts appropriated by Chapter to Ellis Island, \$2.00; to Immigrants' Manual, \$101.50; to International College, Springfield, Mass., \$5.00.

D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, Mrs. F. J. Spratling, Chairman, reports \$55.00 contributed by members, \$100.00 appropriated by

Chapter, making a total of \$155.00 contributed for this worthy cause.

It was the privilege of our Chapter, through our Committee for Hospital 48, Mrs. Frank Woodruff, Chairman, to present to the wounded soldiers at Hospital 48 a traveling library for a Christmas present.

Our Chapter cooperated with the War Mothers in the sale of forget-me-nots, sales amounting to \$42.00, and with the American Legion on Poppy Day, securing \$110.00 from the sale of poppies.

The Gift Scholarship Committee, Mrs. Charles L. Dean, Chairman, reports 11 gift scholarships, seven of which have been secured this year: Washington Seminary; Agnes Scott, Mrs. W. D. Grant Memorial Scholarship, given by her daughter, Mrs. John Marshall Slaton; Mrs. May Belle Shropshire Wall, piano; Mrs. Kurt Mueller, voice; Atlanta School of Oratory; Woodberry Hall; Miss Louise Barili, voice; Miss Mary Lansing, voice; Mrs. Robert Blackburn, expression; Miss Kate Blatterman, piano; Miss Madeline Keipp, piano; Miss Mary Douglas, violin; Atlanta Conservatory, piano; Chapter on Conservatory Scholarship; Mrs. Marion Vaughn, piano; Mrs. Luther Allen, violin; North Avenue Presbyterian School; The Elizabeth High Goodrum Memorial Scholarship given by her mother, Mrs. J. M. High; Creighton's Business School, tuition and books; Ruth Dabney Smith, piano. Total scholarships, \$1,945.00.

Our Chapter cooperated with the City of Atlanta in a Christmas Pageant. Other patriotic educational work and donations include: \$25.00 to Martha Berry School; \$35.00 to May Talmadge Scholarship; \$5.00 to Meadow Garden; \$20.00 to Kenmore; \$4.00 to Lucy Cook Peel Memorial; \$5.00 to Carolina Scott Harrison Memorial; \$1.00 to State Librarian; \$35.00 for Traveling Library, Hospital 48; and \$2.00 marking historic spots.

Medal Committee, Mrs. Bun Wylie, Chairman, offered eleven medals: one, Washington Seminary; one to be known as the Mary Grant Dixon Medal, to be given at North Avenue Presbyterian School; and nine in the Junior High Schools of Atlanta; total value, \$110.00.

Miss Lillian Tidwell, Chairman of Historic Postal Cards, has presented two new cards: one of Washington Memorial at Valley Forge, and one of the complete Georgia Bay at Valley Forge in the memorial.

One literary paper, "Greek Citizenship in the United States," has been sent the State Reciprocity Chairman.

The Registrar, Mrs. Thomas C. Mell, copied all names of children of Revolutionary ancestors on lineage papers of our members at the request of the State Registrar. This work, complete, was 125 typewritten pages.

Mrs. Robert E. Andoe, Chairman of Committee Marking Historic Spots, has completed and turned over to the State Chairman a map of Fulton County with historical points of interest marked on the map and a history of these points in the county.

The resignation of our Genealogist, Mrs. J. N. Bateman, was accepted with regret in June. At this time the office of Genealogist was discontinued and a Committee on Genealogical Research formed. Mrs. Aurelia Roach McMillan has served as Chairman of this committee. Valuable research work has been accomplished. Mrs. J. O. Winn presented the Chapter with the copies of 50 valuable old wills. Typewritten copies of these old wills were furnished the State Chairman of Genealogical Research.

Mrs. W. B. Smith, Chairman D. A. R. Magazine, has secured 10 subscribers in the Chapter.

The Junior Social Committee, Mrs. John Roberts, Chairman, gave a beautiful bridge party during November at "Wingfield," the home of ex-Governor and Mrs. John Marshall Slaton.

The beautiful record book, the birthday gift of Mrs. Talmadge, is used for the Chapter House Register. Mrs. J. N. Bateman is Chairman of Register.

The Press Chairman, Mrs. James Jetton, has had newspaper accounts of all Chapter meetings published in the daily newspapers.

The reorganization of the Dolly Madison Chapter, C. A. R., is of interest. Mrs. Thomas C. Mell, Organizing President, also serves as C. A. R. Chairman of our Chapter.

Mrs. Charles Rice, Chairman of Flag Day and Magna Charta Day, presented beautiful programs at the June Chapter meeting.

Mrs. Roe Price, Chairman of Memorial Chairs, has accomplished splendid work.

Mrs. E. R. Kirk, Chairman Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves, reports that the marker for the grave of Revolutionary Soldier John McGough, has been delivered at White Plains, Georgia, and will be placed with appropriate ceremonies.

Under the heading of other D. A. R. interest we report the following: repairs and improvements on Chapter House, \$833.00; flowers, \$71.00; refreshments, \$30.00; printing and stationery, \$63.00; Georgia Bay at Valley Forge, \$45.00; silk American flag presented to Founders and Patriots Society, \$15.00; National dues, \$329.00; State dues, \$81.00. Total amount contributed to all patriotic causes, \$6,426.20; amount sale of bonds of National Auditorium, \$5,600.00.

It is with sadness that we record the deaths of our beloved members, Mrs. Edwin Stewart, August 13th, 1925; Mrs. E. P. Chamberlin, October 8th, 1925; and Mrs. Alfred T. Smart, November 3rd, 1925.

Permit me to express hearty congratulations and sincere thanks to every officer, chairman of committee and member of the Atlanta Chapter, whose combined efforts have made this report possible.

AUGUSTA CHAPTER, AUGUSTA

Mrs. J. Foxhall Sturman, Regent

At the expiration of the term of Mrs. W. Sanford Gardner, Mrs. F. E. Fleming was elected regent of our chapter. At the December meeting Mrs. Fleming resigned on account of illness in her family. She was succeeded by Mrs. J. Foxhall Sturman.

In April our chapter sustained a great loss in the death of our distinguished registrar and chairman of Meadow Garden, Mrs. Harriet Gould Jefferies. It was at Meadow Garden that appropriate memorial exercises were held in her honor. The place was most fitting inasmuch as it was largely through her efforts that this historic home of George Walton was acquired by the National Society.

All patriotic days have been observed with appropriate ceremonies. Our chapter united with the local chapter of the American Legion in entering into fitting exercises at the Court House on the Fourth of July. Georgia Day was duly observed. Our chapter, co-operating with the local chapter of the Annie Wheeler Auxiliary, U. S. W. V., contributed towards placing the Georgia flag in the schools of Richmond County. On Washington's Birthday, Mrs. Sanford Gardner, the capable chairman, put on a most attractive program at Meadow Garden. The building was thrown open for public

inspection and the guests enjoyed themselves thoroughly. Members of our chapter assisted in the sale of Red Cross seals and Stone Mountain memorial coins.

One of our members, Mrs. J. S. Plaxco, has prepared an excellent map of Richmond with supplemental pictures. This map has been forwarded to Mrs. Eli Thomas, chairman of the National Old Trail Roads. Mrs. Plaxco has compiled a scrap book, also, of which our chapter is justly proud.

Our chapter has a Hospital Committee that visits the University Hospital once every month, when members of the committee devote themselves to sewing for the wards. The character of their work consists in mending garments and bed linen and in making hospital supplies.

Our chapter has sent to the State historian a copy of "Two Centuries of Augusta", a recent publication of Mrs. Bryan Cumming.

Three beautiful shrubs, planted during the past year on the lawn of Meadow Garden, will be marked as memorials to three past members have been lost by death—Mrs. Harriet Gould Jefferies, Mrs. Joseph Cumming.

The present membership of the chapter is 127. During the year two members have been transferred to other chapters and three members have been lost by death—Mrs. Harriet Gould Jefferies, Mrs. R. H. Biggar, and Mrs. Julia Blount Garlick.

The past year our chapter has marked the grave of Stephen Day, a revolutionary hero. The marker is located about 16 miles from Augusta, near the village of Grovetown, Ga.

Last winter our Ex-Regent Mrs. Sanford Gardiner furnished our Augusta papers with a number of articles on Revolutionary and Historical facts in narrative form, connected with Augusta and surrounding territory which we have carefully preserved in our chapter scrap book.

National, state, and local contributions are as follows:

National dues, \$158.00; State dues, \$25.40; Valley Forge, \$25.40; Valley Forge, \$25.00; Students' loan fund, \$31.75; Martha Berry School, \$10.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; State Library, \$3.00; Immigrants' Manual, \$10.00; Georgia flag to schools, \$16.50; Tubman equipment fund, \$25.00; Essays on American History, \$10.00; Confederate Veterans' dinner, \$5.00; Caretaker's home, \$985.00; Marking grave of Stephen Day, \$8.00. Total, \$1,316.65.

BAINBRIDGE CHAPTER, BAINBRIDGE

Mrs. John M. Simmons, Regent

The Bainbridge Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution send greetings to the Annual State Conference.

Our Chapter has forty four members, four have joined this year, two have been transferred from other chapters to the Bainbridge Chapter, ten papers pending.

We meet once a month in the homes of the members. All patriotic days and anniversaries being observed.

We have attractive year books and our subject for the year is Georgia Historic Spots and Famous People.

We have located and have ordered markers for two daughters graves; Harriette Neville Calmes Swann and Judith Woodson Swann Allen. The former marked by Mrs. Walter A. Davidson of Dawson, Georgia. We expect to mark these before conference.

Our Registrar, who is also our Genealogist, has accomplished a great deal of work for individual members and applicants. A

great many old family Bibles and records have been brought to light through her earnest efforts.

Several lineage books have been presented the local D. A. R. Library by members.

A United States flag was presented to the school and appropriate exercises were held.

Flag codes have been given to the local schools and some of the county schools.

Eight medals for Citizenship have been given to the schools.

The history class will contest for the Memorial Medal, as heretofore. This medal is kept for a year when it is then given to the best historical essay of that season.

A Holly tree has been planted in our city park in memory of our World War soldiers. The tree to be used as a community Christmas tree. A silver loving cup was given to Virginia Lavonia, granddaughter of the Regent, given by the daughters of the chapter.

The chapter had a float on Labor Day "Colonial Days". The occupants were dressed in colonial costumes and were knitting and spinning. An old spinning wheel, an old ladder back and Windsor chairs were used.

We sponsored Janice Merdith, sold tickets for Mrs. Dull's Cooking School and had a booth of farm products and fancy work at the tri-county fair. The proceeds were used to meet the obligations of our chapter.

The following contributions have been made: Immigrants Manual, \$10.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Historic Spots, \$2.00; D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$20.00; Auditorium, \$5.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$2.00; Meadow Garden, \$2.00; Martha Berry, \$2.00; Georgia Bay, \$10.00; Tomassee, \$1.00; Caroline Scott Harrison, \$1.00; Old Trails Roads, \$1.00; Library Fund, \$1.00; Fannie Trammel Memorial Loan Fund, \$2.00; State Dues, \$7.60; National Dues, \$38.00; Flag, \$10.00; Local Schools, \$10.00; Float, \$5.00; Booth, \$11.00; Florist, \$6.00; Marker for Daughters grave, \$9.00; D. A. R. Magazine for Library, \$2.00; Local Charity, \$3.00; Year Books, \$24.00; Lineage book, \$4.50; Medals, \$9.20. Total, \$200.30.

PETER EARLY CHAPTER, BLAKELY

Mrs. John H. Williams, Regent

Peter Early Chapter reports a most interesting and profitable year. We have a membership of twenty-seven, two new members having been received during the year, one lost by transfer to another chapter, and one resignation. Eight members are non-resident.

We have held regular monthly meetings in the homes of the members, preparing nine historical programs from the study subject, "America and Americans."

Splendid programs have been given on the following patriotic anniversaries; Flag Day, LaFayette's Birthday, Armistice Day, and Georgia Day. Washington's Birthday was observed with an appropriate program at the local school in the morning, and a Colonial Silver Tea in the afternoon. The proceeds of which we contributed to Kenmore.

Four gold medals are being offered to pupils making highest average in American History.

One paper has been contributed for Historical and Literary Reciprocity the subject being, "Greatness of Georgia". This was written by our Historian, Mrs. Mary Hand Askew.

We have one subscriber to the D. A. R. magazine.

One hundred Flag Codes have been distributed.

The chapter has contributed to the following causes.

National and State dues, \$33.60; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Immigrants Manual, \$7.00; D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$14.00; Educational Funds for Local Schools, \$25.00; Pledge to Auditorium, \$10.00; Martha Berry Schools, \$5.00; Meadow Garden, \$2.00; Kenmore, \$25.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$4.00; Georgia Bay, \$7.00; Other D. A. R. Interests, \$50.00; Medals and Prizes, \$20.00; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00.

BRUNSWICK CHAPTER, BRUNSWICK

Mrs. A. M. Way, Regent

Brunswick Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution has fifty-six members with seventeen of them non-resident. Two members have been lost by death during the year. Three transfers have been made, three new members gained and two resignations received.

Attractive year books were issued at the first meeting in the Fall, and the chapter meets monthly, being entertained in the homes of the members. All patriotic days have been observed, and reports of all have been sent in to the State Editor by our Press Chairman. Twelve members are subscribers to the D. A. R. National Magazine.

We have made certain changes in our by-laws, whereby our dues were raised to \$5.00 a year, and the length of terms for officers changed from one year to two, with officers elected in two groups, alternate years; the regent, vice-regent, corresponding secretary, treasurer and parliamentarian being elected one year, and the recording secretary, registrar, historian, auditor and chaplain being elected the alternate year.

A special D. A. R. edition of The Brunswick News was published on Georgia Day under the direction of Mrs. C. H. Leavy. This was a most creditable publication, containing many interesting articles on local history and also on the history of the organization of The Daughters of The American Revolution. There was also an article by the Georgia State-Regent. This publication realized for Brunswick Chapter the very neat sum of \$543.52.

In accordance with our usual custom, a gold medal valued at \$5.00 was awarded the member of the graduating class of Glynn Academy who submitted the best essay in American History, the subject chosen being "The Genesis of the Constitution." Miss Celine Cone was the winner of this prize. A gold thimble was given in the class of Home Economics for efficiency in sewing. It was won by Miss Ruby Chambers.

A box valued at \$17.00, filled with articles suitable for sewing, was sent by the Chapter to Ellis Island. Christmas seals bought by members of the chapter amounted to \$14.20.

Since Brunswick Chapter is honored by having a state officer as one of her members, the chapter has voted to purchase one of the chairs in the new Memorial Auditorium at Washington, and have it inscribed with the name of that state-officer, Mrs. C. H. Leavy.

Our National and State obligations have all been paid, including: Student Loan fund, \$25.00; Immigration Manual fund, \$14.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Auditorium fund, \$10.00; Georgia Bay, \$14.00; Marking Historic spots, \$2.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Fannie Trammell Memorial fund, \$2.00; Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial, \$2.00; Tammasee School, \$5.00. Total, \$80.00.

LANAHASSEE CHAPTER, BUENA VISTA

Mrs. J. L. Williams, Regent

Lanahassee Chapter submits the following report for the year 1925-26. We have a membership of eighteen, ten resident and eight non-resident. We hold nine meetings during the year, issue a splendid year book and observe all patriotic days with appropriate programs.

We have sent one paper to Mrs. Land, chairman of Literary and Historical Reciprocity, have two subscribers to the D. A. R. magazine, assist each year in the sale of Christmas Seals, and give aid in our local schools where most needed, especially do we aid the Domestic Science Department, all equipment in that department being furnished by our chapter. To encourage the study of United States and Georgia history we offer each year one medal and two prizes.

Our financial report is as follows: National and State dues, \$21.60; Student Loan Fund, \$5.00; Local School Work, \$6.00; Meadow Garden, \$1.00; Ellis Island Fund, \$2.00; Immigrants Manual, \$2.50; Auditorium Pledge, \$5.00; Medal and Prizes, \$17.50.

ETOWAH CHAPTER, CARTERSVILLE

Mrs. Colquitt Finley, Regent

For the third time it is my pleasure and honor to send greetings to the State Conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution, from the Etowah Chapter, and submit the following report:

All our meetings have been held in the homes of the members where we combine business, profit and pleasure.

Our meetings are opened with devotionals from the Ritual by our Chaplain.

We have forty-one members, ten of these are non-residents. One new member has been received during the year, one demit given, one resignation, and one application pending.

The Chairmen of the different committees have arranged interesting and instructive programs for each meeting. Patriotic days have been observed with special programs.

We have offered a medal to the pupil in Cartersville High School for the best Essay on Ellis Island.

The past year has been filled with good results and we hope to be able to bring to you each year a report of more activity.

Our financial report is as follows: All State and National dues have been paid. Immigrants Manual, \$10.75; D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$21.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Fannie Trammell Memorial Loan Fund, \$5.00; Medals, \$7.50; Marking Historic spots, \$2.00; Meadow Garden, \$2.00.

CAIRO CHAPTER, CAIRO

Mrs. W. B. Roddenbury, Regent

The Cairo Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution send greetings and submit the following report.

The Chapter has twenty two members and five papers being prepared. All monthly meetings are in the homes of the members and are well attended and opened with prayer by the Chaplain. Eight historical programs have been prepared by the year book committee and up to date have been interesting and instructive.

Of the Patriotic Days in the Calendar, we have observed Flag, Armistice, Georgia and George Washington's Birthday. Georgia Day was observed with a program at the school auditorium, also with a display of Georgia flags in the windows of stores and officers.

We found many who did not know the Georgia Flag. Christmas seals were sold cooperating with the Woman's Club.

A medal for the best average in American History is awarded annually. All National and State obligations have been met in full. Our financial report is as follows:

National Dues, \$22.00; State Dues, \$4.40; Ellis Island Fund, \$2.00; Immigrants Manual, \$5.50; D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$11.00; Gift Scholarship, \$72.00; (Two local music); Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$54.00; Georgia Bay, \$10.00; Historical Medal, \$5.00; D. A. R. Magazine, \$2.00; Historic Spots, \$2.00.

TOMOCHICHI CHAPTER, CLARKESVILLE

Miss Addie Bass, Regent

The Tomochichi Chapter has twenty-five members, with three papers in Washington to be verified. Six of our members live at a distance. We have held regular meetings including the summer months. Our programs have been most interesting. There was always one historical paper and usually one of current interest.

We observed Armistice Day, Constitution and LaFayette, and Georgia Days, Washington, Lee, Lincoln, and Woodrow Wilson's birthdays and have interested local and rural schools in observing several of these days and in planting trees around the school grounds. On Armistice Day we placed poppy wreaths on World War Soldiers graves in four cemeteries in the county.

A prize of five dollar gold piece has been offered to the student making the best record in American History in the 99th District A. & M. School and two Stone Mountain coins for papers on the Constitution to the same school have been offered.

All state and National dues have been paid. Also \$12.50 to Students Loan Fund, \$6.25 Immigrants Manual, \$2.00 Ellis Island, \$6.25 Georgia Bay, \$5.00 Auditorium, \$5.00 Home Economics Department at Piedmont College, \$2.00 Marking historical spot, \$4.00 Lucy Peel Memorial, \$5.00 American International College, \$100.00 George Washington Potrait.

OGLETHORPE CHAPTER, OGLETHORPE

Mrs. Fay Gaffney, Regent

A resume of work accomplished shows, Oglethorpe has paid thru her treasury \$609.40, \$20.00 of that is personal pledges, sending \$2.00 to Ellis Island and \$22.50 to Immigrants manual, meeting her quota in every requirements. Red Cross contribution was \$19.50 and twelve days of constant office work at Red Cross Headquarters.

Many Americanization programs were used. We participated in a beautiful Christmas Seal parade. Having automobiles decorated with our chapter colors, and in line with other two Columbus Chapters, formed a unit with the insignia conspicuously ornamenting the motor. Many daughters were helpful in public benefits, and filled Christmas stockings for the "city poor". Donations of milk for the sick, sent to Welfare bureau.

Quite willingly we subscribed to the Student Loan fund amount in full \$45.00. There is no phase of work receiving more willingness than educational funds for local schools \$27.00. To Mrs. Pope our most efficient state officer we sent \$2.00 for Librarian fund. Lineage books purchased, \$12.50.

Oglethorpe answered the call to patriotic service when Muscogee maps were requested. We compiled historic data of local interest, and reported 46 points covering Muscogee county.

Touching the high points relative to National highways, rivers, creeks, homes of noted persons, monuments, memorials, old forts,

battlefields, where a hero fell, old military roads, military headquarters, national cemeteries, place where the first government of the state or nation was formed, early settlement, places of importance relative to education, also religion.

While the regent appointed capable workers and some effort spent, she has no report, as yet, for Auditorium bonds. Our contribution to the state pledge for \$1,000.00 as Georgia's quota, was promptly met amount of Oglethorpe, \$25.00.

The joyous gift we bring however, is purchasing the chair for our own Anna Caroline Benning. The wording on marker to read:

Doner, Oglethorpe Chapter, Columbus, March 6, 1926, honors, Anna Caroline Benning, Founder, Charter Member, Assistant Registrar, Regent, Honorary Regent of Oglethorpe Chapter, State Historian, Regent, Honorary Regent of Georgia, Vice-President General", \$1,590.00.

Our value in scholarships, \$124.00. Mrs. Coleman has written such soul stirring messages we were happy to respond as follows: Mae Talmadge scholarship, \$5.00; Girl scholarship, \$10.00; Local scholarship, \$36.00; Local scholarship, \$36.00; one half tuition in voice, \$36.00; One half tuition in piano, \$27.000; one half tuition in piano, \$27.00.

In Columbus a rumage sale like death "has all reasons for its own". We secured the popular location known as "Rumage room corner" after many efforts and realized \$110.00. To Meadow Garden, \$2.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$4.00; Georgia Bay, \$35.00. Our total membership of Chapter is 93 members, 4 admitted during year. For the third time Oglethorpe has been honored by having the State Regent select her National page from her chapter.

To Woodrow Wilson College, \$30.00.

Much effort has been centered upon the marking of historic spots.

At Fort Benning is an old Federal Road on which LaFayette passed in 1825. Through the state treasurer, \$50.00 was donated for this purpose. To this the three Columbus Chapters gave \$60.00. (\$20.00 per chapter). By creating this \$110.00 your local representative is pleased to report, three bronze tablets will be placed upon this pedestal of concrete, located in center of Historical Circle, presented by Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution—one to LaFayette, one to the village of Kasheta, capital of the Lower Creek Confederacy, and one to the Battle of Hichiti in the Creeks wars. Early in April these two bronze tablets of same background and style as LaFayette marker; will be unveiled by Mrs. Gaffney local representative and presented to Fort Benning. The 4th and last tablet to Gen. Benning, Lawyer and Judge, Brigadier General, distinguished citizen after whom the fort was named. Erected by Lizzie Rutherford Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Columbus, Ga. Mrs. Gaffney, Historian of Chapter has been appointed by the president, Anna Caroline Benning to take charge of work. Early in June this unveiling completes the placing of the four bronze tablets.

All patriotic days were celebrated and much stress laid upon songs, flag codes, salutes, pledges, correct use of the flag. All these patriotic occasions were jointly observed and enthusiastic programs arranged.

Five dollars in gold was awarded to the Girl Scout Organization for the Scout writing best essay, subject, "General Oglethorpe".

One five dollar gold piece awarded to the Camp Fire Girl submitting best essay, subject, "General Oglethorpe".

Our chapter has a goodly number of subscribers for our National Magazine, 13, (the lucky number (?)) is the number of sub-

scribers up to date. An original idea is conveyed through the program committee. Under the program date proper is an original quotation submitted by one of the said committee or some friend of the chapter. "Corner Stone and Stepping Stones of American History" subject of Year Book.

Tree planting has held our enthusiasm. Oglethorpe has written the last year planted and inspired the city force to plant 1,000 trees. A letter to this effect was received from the city manager and forwarded to our state chairman, Mrs. Daniels.

We have specialized in one thing—viz: To answer promptly and whenever possible, to contribute to every report of state officer and state chairman.

Now in conclusion may I say, dear Madam Regent—our patient, inspiring leader, whom it has been an honor to serve, that,

"I'd like to be the sort of friend that you have been to me,
I'd like to be the help you've been always glad to be.
I'd like to do the big things and the splendid things for you
And brush the gray from out your skies
And leave them only blue."

BUTTON GWINNETT CHAPTER, COLUMBUS

Mrs. T. D. Power, Regent

The peak of activities in the history of the Chapter has been reached in that of service and of moneyed gifts in the year just ended, and we have endeavored also to live up to a higher standard of patriotism.

Well formulated plans and a fine program covering the various lines to be undertaken, and of patriotic days to be observed has proved that "duty well done today takes care of tomorrow."

Owing to the hearty fellowship and cooperation between the three chapters of Columbus we have been enabled to do larger things than could have been accomplished separately—a situation to be coveted wherever coordination is practicable.

Resulting from such a situation on Flag Day groups from the Chapters met with the children at the several school centers, play grounds and on the court house lawn where almost simultaneously programs consisting of flag drills, salute to the flag, patriotic songs and ten minute talks by some of our best ready speakers were made. The exercises were short, full of pep and instruction.

Constitution and Magna Charta days were observed in the day and Sunday Schools, and through newspaper articles. We took part also in a parade staged by the Red Cross and Health Nurse Associations. One division was D. A. R. automobiles handsomely decorated carrying flags and our official car bearing the insignia.

George Washington Day was another public observance when the young people, under the direction of Mrs. Robin Wood put on a most attractive costume entertainment representing General and Lady Washington, portraying Colonial scenes and enactments.

Woodrow Wilson Day was conjointly observed with the other Chapters. Mr. Hatton Lovejoy, of LaGrange, speaker of the evening, was introduced by Mr. Willis Battle. From start to finish, out of a full store of information, the speaker told of the life, influence and environments of the man who walked alone, thought for himself and laid down his life for a principle.

Perhaps the most outstanding project by the Chapters is the marking of the old Indian trail or the Federal Road from Milledgeville to Montgomery, and over which LaFayette and many other no-and on a pedestal at the crossing of the streets is placed a bronze

tables passed. This old trail, or road, passes through Ft. Benning D. A. R. marker to LaFayette. Appropriate ceremonies were participated in by Genl. Wells, Mr. L. H. Chappell, and Mr. P. A. Brannon, State Historian of Alabama. Patriotic music was furnished by Ft. Benning band and the flags of many nations floated to the breezes. The flag of the United States and of France were placed side by side above the pedestal. At an early date two other bronze markers will be placed to two Indians who once lived at the village.

Our contributions are as follows: To Ellis Island, \$2.00; the Manual, \$12.75; Loan Fund, \$22.25; Trammell Fund, \$1.00; to Valdosta, \$1.00; Berry School, \$1.00; Meadow Garden, \$5.00; State dues, \$10.20; Georgia Bay, \$45.00; National dues, \$51.00; part of bronze markers, \$20.00; historic spots, \$2.00; old trails, \$1.00; sale of seals, \$10.00; auditorium bond, \$100.00. Spent locally, \$164.64. Total, \$428.50.

Patriotism is vital to the welfare of the nation. Freedom is the birthright of every soul born into the world, and so—

"Let's set the torch of freedom aloft: Hold it higher, shake its splendor through the sky."

JAMES PITTMAN CHAPTER, COMMERCE

Mrs. C. E. Pittman, Regent

The James Pittman Chapter, D. A. R. sends greetings to the State Conference, and with pleasure begs to submit the following report for the tenth year of its existence.

The present membership is 36 with several applicants filling out papers, and two papers already in Washington.

The monthly meetings are held at the home of the members. We have ten monthly meetings during the year, from September through June.

The business period, with reports from the Chairman of departments, the historical program, and the social hour combine in making an instructive and pleasant afternoon.

We find year books a necessity, and for the year our committee prepared a very interesting program for the year's study on, "The American Government" by Haskin.

The following patriotic days have been observed, Fourth of July, Flag Day, Magna Charta and Constitution Day, Armistice Day, Georgia Day, George Washington, and Woodrow Wilson's birthdays.

On Armistice Day we sold about 1,000 poppies bought from the Ex-service men in the Government Hospital in Minnesota, also decorated the grave of the one World War veteran in our local cemetery with a poppy wreath.

Our benevolent committee sent six baskets of fruit and other things to six needy families in our town at Christmas, and our members at Jefferson sent a basket to the county farm.

The Regent personally supervised and had installed the Shenandoah side walk flag decoration, and from this added to the treasury the sum of \$35.00.

Mr. W. H. Smith of Jefferson presented to our chapter a gavel made from the wood of the mulberry tree that stood in front of the office of Dr. Crawford W. Long at Jefferson, Ga.

Our tenth Anniversary was celebrated at the home of our vice-Regent, Mrs. T. C. Hardman, Sr., with about Seventy-five guests present. Our State Regent was invited but could not attend on account of other engagements. Mrs. Lena Felkner Lewis and Mrs. E. A. Caldwell of Monroe, Mrs. Fortson, Mrs. Pledger and Mrs. Oscar Maddox of Winder, and Mrs. Mell Knox of Social Circle were invited guests.

A pageant of Colonial days, given by children of D. A. R. members in colonial and Indian costumes. This was accompanied by readings by Miss Geraldine Hood, and suitable musical selections by Mrs. O. E. Shankle.

A duet "The Wanderer's Night Song, by Mrs. Verne Davis and Mrs. Colquit Hardman. A solo, by Mrs. M. C. Roberts entitled, "A Dream."

An original toast by Miss Claire Anderson to "Our D. A. R." followed by a toast by the regent, Mrs. C. E. Pittman, "To our Country and Our Flag".

On the Fourth of July, the chapter unveiled to Col. James Little near Carnesville, in the family burying ground in Franklin county. This was an occasion of a family reunion and the whole chapter was invited. About five hundred people were present. We hope to have a post card picture of this marker for our chairman real soon. Another Revolutionary soldier's grave has been located near here, and several more about 12 miles from town.

A medal was given to the student in High school making the highest average (monthly) in American history, valued at \$5.00.

Fifteen copies of the Georgia Historical Quarterlies, and 2 copies of the First proceedings of the Georgia Historical Society were donated to the N. S. D. A. R. Library by the regent, Mrs. C. E. Pittman. One copy of the Jackson county history was given to the State Library by the chapter.

We have started a chapter library with one copy, Vol. 3 of the Joseph Habersham collection, given by Miss Claire Anderson. One copy of Jackson county history. One copy of Mrs. Dozier's old Land Lottery, bought by the chapter, and a life sketch of the Pittman family by the regent, also several interesting genealogical papers on several family lines.

Our financial report is as follows. National dues, \$36.00; State dues, \$7.00; Student Loan Fund, \$18.00; Georgia Bay Fund, \$9.00; Thomas Jefferson Memorial, \$5.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Ellis Island Fund, \$2.00; Immigrants Manual, \$9.00; Historic sites, \$2.00; Fannie Lee Trammel Memorial, \$2.50. Meadow Garden, \$2.50; Welfare of Women and Children, \$42.00; New Auditorium, \$5.00; Martha Berry, \$5.00; Floral Offering, \$10.00; Year Books, \$6.00; Jackson County history, \$2.00; Poppy Sale, \$25.00; Local work, \$10.00; Christmas gift to one of our bereaved members, \$10.00; Medal, \$5.00; Application paper, \$1.00. Total, \$218.00.

GEORGE WALTON CHAPTER, COLUMBUS

Mrs. Wheeler Tolbert, Regent

George Walton Chapter now has thirty-nine members, nine of whom are non-resident. Four new members have been admitted, one reinstated, two resigned. During this, the twenty-fifth year of the life of the Chapter, our regular monthly meetings in the homes of members, have been well attended and marked with enthusiasm. Our method of fining absentees stimulates the attendance and replenishes the treasury.

After completing an instructive series of programs on "Long Ago in Georgia," we began a study of "The Cities of the Revolution," and this has been a fascinating journey to spots replete with historical interest. Our annual musical program was a beautiful feature of our March meeting arranged by Mrs. J. H. McDuffie, Jr. The Historian of the Chapter, Mrs. F. E. Fletcher, gives well-chosen articles at each meeting, relating achievements of other Chapters, thus informing the Chapter of State and National D. A. R. activities.

The report of our Treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Peacock, shows that the Chapter has paid all Chapter taxes, Marking Historic Spots, Ellis Island, Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, and all per capita taxes, Immigrant's Manual, D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, also contributed to Kenmore, \$1.00, Ocean-to-Ocean Old Trails Road, Georgia Bay, Meadow Garden, \$1.85 to State Librarian for book fund, assisted in Christmas Seal Sale, sent a box valued at \$10.00 to Ellis Island, has two subscribers to "D. A. R. Magazine," and has planted 50 trees, and paid all State and National dues.

An historical essay contest was conducted in the fall, closing January 1, 1926. Mrs. Walter Cargill, Mrs. John Weldon, Mrs. Frank Bradford served on this Committee on Patriotic Award. Sixth grade children, throughout the city, completed, writing on "Georgia's Part in the Revolution." Master Joe Hair, the winner, read his essay at the February meeting of the Chapter, and was presented a D. A. R. Spoon.

The following days were celebrated: Flag Day, Constitution Day, LaFayette Day, Woodrow Wilson Day, Georgia Day, Washington's Birthday, National Defense Day, Sulgrave Manor Day. On the evening of Armistice Day, we attended a Patriotic Pageant at Fort Benning.

Following our usual custom we united with the other local chapters, in preparing a program for public exercises in honor of Woodrow Wilson's birthday.

One outstanding event of the year was the placing of a marker in the Historical Circle at Fort Benning, commemorative of the passing of LaFayette through the Fort Benning site in 1825. This tablet was unveiled March 2nd, with appropriate ceremonies. Our Chapter has also contributed to a fund for placing in this same Historical Circle, markers on sites of Indian battles and Indian Peace Town, these to be unveiled in. In this we have worked with the two local Chapters and were assisted by State D. A. R.

Our Registrar, Mrs. J. L. Peacock prepared a complete roster of all present and former members of George Walton Chapter, and her research among the papers revealed the interesting fact that eight members of George Walton had ancestors in the battle of Kettle Creek of the Revolution.

Under the guidance of our efficient Secretary, Mrs. T. S. Grimes, and a Committee, our By-Laws and Constitution were revised and reprinted. Mrs. Grimes is now having four of our best papers of recent years, prepared in shape to send to State Chairman of Historical and Literary Reciprocity. Of these, one was on "Sulgrave Manor," one on "U. S. Navy in World War," and two on "Georgia."

One \$100.00 bond for the new Constitution Hall has been purchased by a member of our Chapter.

The D. A. R. Conference held in Columbus last Spring proved an inspiration to us through the succeeding months and created an interest in a greater number of D. A. R. activities, and left an impress that has made us desire more than ever to be worthy of our heritage and of our membership in our great Society of D. A. R.

COL. JOHN McINTOSH CHAPTER, CONYERS

Mrs. W. V. Almond, Regent

The Col. John McIntosh chapter of Conyers has had a very active and successful year. We have now an enrollment of twenty-four members, and have three papers in Washington. We have lost only two members since organization, one by death and one by resignation.

Our monthly meetings are held in the homes of the members and are well attended. All meetings are opened with a patriotic song followed by prayer by the chaplain.

All national and state obligations have been met and all patriotic days have been fittingly observed, including, Armistice Day, Lafayette, Defense Test, and Georgia Day.

Our best money-making schemes for the year have been rummage sales and a Xmas bazaar.

Our contributions for the year have been as follows:

Student Loan Fund, \$12.00; Immigrants Manual, \$6.00; Georgia Bay, \$6.00; Joseph Habersham collectoins, \$2.00; Pledge to D. A. R. Auditorium, \$2.00; Meadow Garden, \$2.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Martha Berry, \$10.00; Fannie Trammel Memorial Fund, \$5.00; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; Medal for History, \$2.50; Subscription to Magazine, \$2.00; Flowers, \$1.00; D. A. R. Auditorium Bond, \$100.00.

FORT EARLY CHAPTER, CORDELE

Mrs. J. M. Diffee, Regent.

Fort Valley Chapter sends greetings and begs to submit the following report of the work accomplished during the year:

On account of illness, our Rgent was forced to resign, therefore, our report is not so good as we would like for it to be.

We have forty-six local members and papers for two new members pending. We have lost three members by transfer. As is our custom, we have given insignia this year to one of our members as a wedding gift. All patriotic days have been appropriately observed. The Flag Etiquette has been distributed to all merchants owning or displaying flags.

To stimulate interest in the study of American history, our Chapter is offering a gold medal in the senior class of our high school for the highest average in American history. We are also offering two other medals in the grammar grades for the best essay on "Citizenship." In the country schools, we are offering a medal this year also for the best essay on "Citizenship." Through the Chapter, six other medals are being offered in the city schools.

We have had a very interesting year's study with historical, patriotic, civic and religious programs. Our meetings are always opened by singing patriotic songs, prayer and reading the American's Creed.

In the educational way, we have furnished books to six children and placed a fitted first aid medicine cabinet in one of our grammar schools, at a cost of 18.00.

Our Chapter sponsored a benefit party realizing a very nice sum four our Treasury. We have also had rummage sales during the year. To the Library Fund, we gave ten cents per capita—\$4.60. The D. A. R. magazine is subscribed for by the Chapter for the City Library.

To the Auditorium Fund we gave \$15.00; Student Loan Fund, \$22.50; Manual, \$11.50; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; Meadow Garden, \$5.00.

Our State and National obligations have been met and the Chapter has endeavored to do its part toward accomplishing the work outlined by our State Regent.

We have sent a copy of Crisp County History to Memorial Continental Hall and to the State Library. Historic post cards have been sent to our State Chairman.

It is with a feeling of pride that I report the purchase of a chair

in the New Auditorium by our Chapter—this to be in honor of the Regent of Fort Early Chapter.

Fort Early Chapter feels highly honored that Gertrude Land, a member of our Chapter, and daughter of our former State Regent, is to serve as Page at the National Conference in Washington this year.

BENJAMIN HAWKINS CHAPTER, CUTHBERT

Mrs. G. Y. Moore, Regent

The work of the Chapter has been satisfactory, we have held monthly meetings. New members during the year one, lost one member by removal and one by death, leaving a total membership of twenty one.

Patriotic days have been observed with interesting programs.

Our Chapter study this year has been "Great Periods of American History and Women who helped to make them great".

All National and State obligations have been met and we have contributed the following:

Ellis Island, \$2.00; Immigrants Manual, \$5.25; D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$10.50; Auditorium Pledge, \$1.00; Kenmore, \$2.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$4.00; Georgia Bay, \$5.25; Chapter purchased Stone Mt. Memorial Coins amount, \$80.00; Prizes and medals, \$23.50; U. S. Flag for Public School, \$6.00. Total, \$139.50.

School books donated to Public School for 6th Grade.

Seventy-seven trees planted.

Thirty Shrubs on Public School ground.

Met all requirements for Honor Roll.

U. S. Flags have been installed for street decorations. Public school urged to study Constitution and literature pledged to school library. Flag Code received and discussed in all grades of Cuthbert Public School. Medals offered in American History in High School and Andrew College. Chapter Historian was Chairman of Christmas Seal Sale \$95.00 sold, money retained for local work was turned over to P.-T. A. for Health work in local schools.

American patriotic songs used at Chapter meetings. On International Day, the National Anthems of all the nations were presented as part of program on Highway Historic Spot of the first Baptist Church in Randolph will be marked with park.

SERGEANT NEWTON CHAPTER, COVINGTON

Mrs. J. C. Upshaw, Regent.

Sergeant Newton Chapter sends greetings and begs to submit the following report:

Monthly meetings are held in the homes of the various members, with good attendance. Meetings opened with singing of patriotic songs followed by prayer by Chaplain.

Chapter holds nine meetings with eight historical programs given. The following days have been observed: Flag Day, Independence Day, LaFayette, Constitution, Armistice, Woodrow Wilson and George Washington.

Chapter attended Armistice Day exercises as sponsored by local American Legion Post; co-operated with other women's organizations of the town in serving beautiful luncheon to Legion Auxiliary Convention, which met here on Armistice Day. Placed wreaths of poppies on graves of two World War heroes and one nurse buried in Covington cemetery.

Chapter has fifty-one members, seven added the past year; has lost two by transfer.

Chapter helped in sale of large flags to merchants, flags to be used around the city square for patriotic observance. Gave one large flag to Covington Boy Scouts. Paid tuition for one girl in Covington High School. Has located graves of two Revolutionary soldiers. One of these is marked and the Chapter expects to mark the other one in the near future.

Chapter has met the Honor Roll requirements as outlined by our State Treasurer. Disbursements have been as follows: Tuition for one girl, \$16.00; one flag for Boy Scouts, \$3.00; National Dues, \$51.00; Per Capita tax, \$10.40; Immigrants' Manual, \$13.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$4.00; Pledge New Washington Auditorium, \$10.00; Georgia Bay, \$13.00; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$26.00; Incidentals, \$2.73; Total, \$153.13.

GOV. JOHN MILLEDGE CHAPTER, DALTON

Mrs. W. E. Mann, Regent

Gov. John Milledge Chapter comes to Conference again to report another prosperous and harmonious year. We have lost one member by withdrawal and have three new ones so that our list now numbers 54. We have contributed to all required causes, both state and national, and to many local calls have responded liberally, we have added to the Fanny Trammell Memorial Loan Fund, which is officially the ward of this Chapter, have contributed to the Memorial Hall building fund and have purchased a chair at the Auditorium in honor of our well beoved organizing and honorary regent, Mrs. Charles M. Hollingsworth. The fund for a case of genealogical and historical books, a memorial to our first historian, Mrs. Warren Davis, who left us last year, is progressing satisfactorily, amounting to \$150.00 in money and books contributed; among the latter is a bound volume of the chapter year books from the beginning. 40 dozen books and magazines have been given out.

We have observed all patriotic days and have had programs on Sulgrave Manor and on Indians are requested by the national organization. We assisted at the sale of Christmas Seals, members buying more than fifty dollars worth, and at the sale of Confederate Memorial Coins, every member buying at least one of these. Several hundred trees and shrubs have been planted along highways and in school grounds. This Chapter has always been liberal in the matter of medals, and this year is no exception. Our usual monthly medals for excellence in history in the grammar schools, our yearly medals for the same grades and one in the high school, have been given as usual; we have presented three Citizenship medals in high school.

The money for all these activities came largely from a special edition of the Citizen, our local weekly, whose management allowed us to take charge of one issue of the paper and very generously aided us in every way to make a success of the undertaking. The response from advertisers was prompt and generous and many papers throughout the state were very complimentary in their comments on our effort. We recommend this as a splendid method of raising funds.

The financial report follows: Canning Club Scholarship, \$17.00; High School Scholarships, \$144.00; Fanny Trammell Loan Fund, \$75.00; Books to High School, \$10.00; Victrola to Primary School, \$35.00; Medicine Chest at High School, \$3.00; 500 Flag Codes, \$3.00; 10 Medals, \$17.00; Memorial Genealogical Library, \$150.00; Flag to School, \$23.35; Georgia Bay, \$15.00; Armistice Day expenses,

\$7.75; Ellis Island and Manual, \$15.50; Box to Ellis Island, \$20.00; D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$27.50; Meadow Garden, \$2.00; Wakefield, \$1.00; Welfare, chiefly local, \$70.00; Tomassee, \$2.00; Forestry, \$5.00; Christmas Seals, \$50.00; Chair in Auditorium in Washington, \$150.00; Memorial Park, \$25.00; Marking Historical Spots, \$2.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Expenses, \$90.65; Books for Memorial, bound, \$2.50; Memorial Continental Hall Fund, \$25.00; State and National Dues, \$64.80. Making a total of, \$1,027.05.

DOROTHY WALTON CHAPTER, DAWSON

Mrs. H. A. Wilkinson, Regent.

The Dorothy Walton Chapter, D. A. R. has observed Georgia Day, Washington's Birthday, Flag Day, Woodrow Wilson and Armistice Day.

We have had nine historical programs and patriotic songs at every meeting.

New members—2, one of which was by transfer.

We joined in with our sister Chapter and entered a float in the May Day Festival parade. This float received first prize.

Our Chapter, in connection with other organizations assisted in helping the needy and filling the empty stockings at Christmas.

28 records copied from Old Church Yard, at Chickasawhatchee Church in Terrell County. It is our intention to copy many more records for State Publications.

One Revolutionary grave located at Ft. Gaines, Ga.

Contributed to Ellis Island, Immigrant's Manual, D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, one bond for D. A. R. Auditorium, to Meadow Garden, Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, Patriotic Education and Georgia Bay.

Two citizenship medals in local High School, one medal in Seventh Grade for best average in U. S. History, one thimble in Domestic Science, for most improvement in first year sewing class.

All National and State dues paid, and all honor roll requirements met. Total expenditures, \$143.60.

STONE CASTLE CHAPTER, DAWSON

Mrs. R. E. Bell, Regent

Monthly meetings are held at the homes of the members and well attended. All meetings are opened with patriotic songs, followed by prayer by the Chaplain. Seven historical programs have been given. LaFayette, Columbus, Armistice, Washington, Georgia and Flag Day have been fittingly observed. The Chapter observed Armistice Day by marking two Revolutionary soldiers' graves that had been previously located, one John Crapps in the family burial ground near Sardis, a great-great-grand-daughter, Mrs. Ivey Melton taking part in the exercises by reading a history of his life. On the same afternoon, we marked the grave of Neil McNeil also in a family burial ground one mile from Dawson. Here as at the other grave, we had a program of song, prayer and history, his history being given by Mrs. Walter Dozier, our capable genealogist.

Another of our members, Mrs. Walter Davidson, has with the assistance of the Bainbridge Chapter on March 13th marked the grave of her great-great-grandmother, Harriet Neville Calmes Swann, a real daughter buried in the cemetery at Bainbridge.

Two graves of real daughters have been located in Terrell County during the year and we hope to mark them at an early date. Our competent Historian, Miss Belle Cheatham, has added another

er chapter to our Terrell County History, telling in a very interesting way those historical events in our Chapter since the history was written. The Chairman of Historic Sites prepared a splendid map of Terrell County and sent it to the State Chairman. We have assisted local schools with books and a magazine subscription. Also at the close of school, \$5.00 in gold was given to the senior pupil making the most improvement for the year in Domestic Science. At Christmas times we contributed \$15.00 as Daisy McNulty Memorial to the empty stocking fund at which time fifteen families including 50 children and four old people were remembered. We have assisted in the sale of Memorial Coins and our Chapter has sponsored a movement to plant trees and shrubs in our yards and on the streets, especially dogwood. 168 trees and shrubs were reported as planted by Chapter members. Stone Castle Chapter has applied for a Memorial Continental Hall Bond. Four new members have been added to our roll during the year, one a life member, Mrs. Ruth Carver.

The following is our financial report for the year: National dues, \$140.00 including the life member; State dues, \$16.20; Year Book, \$36.00; Flowers, \$17.60; Books, \$4.10; County Map, \$1.50; prize in school, \$5.00; writing history, \$5.00; empty stocking fund, \$15.00; Berry School, \$15.00; Immigrant's Manual, \$15.00; Students Loan Fund, \$10.00; Georgia Bay, \$5.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Historic Sites, \$2.00; Trammell loan, \$1.00; Kinmore, \$1.00; making a total for the year \$291.20.

BARON DEKALB CHAPTER, DECATUR

Mrs. Frank E. Armstrong, Regent

The address of the Baron DeKalb Chapter, D. A. R. has been changed from Clarkston to Decatur.

The Chapter has paid all National and State dues, also per capita for the Immigrant's Manual, Students Loan Fund and Georgia Bay in Washington Memorial Chapel at Valley Forge.

Contributions have been sent to Berry School, Ellis Island, Peel Memorial, Continental Hall and for marking Historic Sites. Two rings were given to students in the local schools for proficiency in United States History. The Chapter has given \$24.00 to the local school clinic and \$16.00 to other local causes.

The days of state and national importance have been fittingly observed. The Chapter has a shelf of historic books in the Decatur Library. A beautiful float was arranged by the Chapter for use in the Decatur "Clean-Up" parade. The Chapter participated in the exercises honoring Senator Felton on her ninetieth birthday.

The membership numbers thirty-eight with several applications pending.

JOHN LAURENS CHAPTER, DUBLIN

Mrs. M. J. Guyton, Regent

It is with much happiness and pride that I bring to you a report of the outstanding achievements of the John Laurens Chapter, Dublin, Ga. The past year has shown much progress and growth, with unity of thought and purpose. The aims and purposes of the National Society have been the chief considerations of the Chapter. Carrying out this thought, the Chapter selected for its course of study "The Deeper Meaning of the D. A. R." In August a Benefit Bridge Party was given to raise funds to publish the Year

Book, and \$26.50 was raised, which paid for the Year Book, and left a balance of \$7.59. In October the Chapter sponsored the picture "The Ten Commandments" and cleared \$195.00. In November the Chapter gave a Musical Revue by local talent, "The Spice of Life" and cleared \$100.00. George Washington's birthday was celebrated with a Silver Tea, which added \$15.95 to the Treasury.

There are 60 members on roll, 12 of these are non-resident members. One new member has been admitted, and 6 papers are yet to be handed in.

The following Patriotic days have been appropriately celebrated: LaFayette Day, Constitution and Magna Charta Day, Columbus Day, Armistice Day, Woodrow Wilson Day, Lee's Birthday, Benjamin Franklin's Birthday, Georgia Day and Washington's Birthday.

In May we have a reading "Mother" and in June a paper on the "Flag Code and Etiquette of the Flag," thus celebrating two more days. At the October meeting the Chapter celebrated the 35th birthday of the National D. A. R. and the 9th birthday of the John Laurens Chapter. A beautifully embossed cake with 35 blue candles on it, and a smaller cake on the top of this one with 9 blue candles on it, when lighted presented a beautiful scene. Four Medals, at \$5.00 apiece, have been offered in the City Schools for the highest average in U. S. History. These will be awarded in June. A gift scholarship of \$30.00 has been given a deserving Laurens County girl to aid her in attending the short term summer course at Athens. The Chapter has purchased 25 Song Books, called "101 Best Songs." At each meeting two or three of these songs are sung by the D. A. R. Chorus, thus perpetuating patriotism by song and story. The Chapter has co-operated with the various departments of the City and County Schools; members have acted as Judges in the Music Contest and the contest in Declamation and Recitation; co-operated in the celebration of American Education Week, Nov. 16-20; given books and magazines to the County Schools; placed Georgia Flags in the 4 City Schools; aided in the celebration of the 21st Birthday of the Carnegie Library on Nov. 16; given valuable reference works, and books on fiction to the Library; placed the D. A. R. magazine in the Library. One of the members is on the Library Board. The Chapter has voted to spend \$25.00 this year for the upkeep of Governor Troup's home, Valambroisa, 8 1-2 miles from Dublin, photographs have been made of the old wall surrounding the home, the spring, the old cemetery, the beautiful live oak trees, and other beautiful views and framed and presented to the Carnegie Library. A chair has been purchased in the new auditorium in Washington and dedicated to Mrs. J. A. Peacock, Organizing Regent of the Chapter, and State Historian 1922-1924 and State Chaplain 1924-1926. The Chapter is trying to trace the DeSota Trail, the Sunbury Trail, the Indian Trail, Uchee Path, and the old Stage Line, which are said to pass through Laurens County. When this work is completed suitable markers will be placed.

Three Revolutionary soldiers' graves have been located, Captain Hardy Smity, Amos Love and Josiah Warren. The first named one is marked for the family, but markers will be secured for the other two. The Chapter meetings are well attended in the homes of the members, and interesting historical programs prepared. At one of the meetings the members gave the names of their ancestors and told of some of their achievements, which proved quite interesting.

During our meetings each month the Flag is prominently displayed over the front door of the home where the meeting is held. Two Reciprocity papers have been used, one from Macon and one from Milledgeville. A paper on Americanization work, and one on Forestry has been read, and members co-operate in beautifying highways and parks.

One transfer has been issued and 3 members have resigned during the year.

Our financial statement for the year is as follows: National Dues, \$60.00; State Dues, \$12.00; Student Loan Fund, \$29.50; Georgia Bay, \$14.75; Immigrants Manual, \$14.75; New Auditorium, \$5.00; Meadow Garden, \$5.00; Martha Berry \$5.00; Thomas Jefferson Memorial, \$2.00; Old Trail Road, \$5.00; Medals, \$20.00; Ellis Island Fund, \$2.00; Historic Spots, \$2.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Fannie Trammell Memorial, \$3.00; Governor Troup Place, \$25.00; Chair in New Auditorium, \$150.00; D. A. R. Magazine in Library, \$2.00; Kenmore, \$1.00 and Gift Scholarship, \$30.00. Total, \$392.00. Local money which did not pass through State Treasurer's hands, \$75.00, making a Grand Total of \$467.00.

As a singing fund we have two Liberty Bonds at \$50.00 each, making a total of \$100.00 and \$120.99 set aside for Memorials and Highways and about \$200.00 in local Treasury.

COL. WILLIAM FEW CHAPTER, EASTMAN

Mrs. W. B. Daniel, Regent

New members admitted during the year, 1. Total membership 56.

Amount Contributed to Ellis Island, \$2.00; to Immigrants Manual, \$14.25; Sum given to D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$28.50; Educational Funds for Local Schools, \$100.50; Amount Contributed to \$1,000.00 Pledge to Auditorium, \$10.00; Number of Chairs in Auditorium Purchased, one, \$150.00; Kenmore, \$2.00; Amount given to Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$4.00; Amount Given to Georgia Bay, \$25.00; Genealogical Research Work, \$8.00-\$3.00.

Historical and Literary Reciprocity Papers, 3 papers. Historical Programs Prepared, 8. Contributed to "Marking Historic Spots", \$2.00. Contributed for all purposes, \$355.25.

SAMUEL REID CHAPTER, EATONTON

Mrs. W. H. Hearn, Regent

Three new members have been added during the year. Four members have been transferred to other chapters, leaving a paid up membership of forty-one.

Our meetings are held monthly at the private homes unless providentially hindered. We also hold an executive meeting monthly, conducted by the chairman of the Executive Board.

All chapter meetings are opened with prayer led by the Chaplain. Two historical programs have been prepared. A member of the chapter has given talks to the grades in City school on Thrift.

LaFayette, Flag and Independence days have been observed. We have assisted in selling Stone Mountain Memorial Coins and Christmas Seals. Trees and shrubs have been planted by members of the chapter.

Some extensive Genealogical Research has been done, thereby assisting in completing family trees and contributing to County histories.

Two Revolutionary Soldiers graves have been located—Elisha Hearn and Samuel Reid. The marker for the latter has been received recently.

Our State and some National obligations have been met.

The following report follows:

Americanization, 30.00; Contributed to Ellis Island, \$2.00; Box of clothing to Ellis Island; Printing manual, \$11.75; Student Loan Fund, \$21.50; Fannie Trammel Memorial, \$5.00; Educational funds for local Schools, \$30.00; Patriotic Educational Work, \$325.00; Amount contributed to \$1,000.00 pledge to auditorium, \$5.00; Gift Scholarships, valued \$30.00; Martha Berry, \$2.00; Tomassee, \$3.00; Kenmore, \$1.00; Meadow Garden, \$1.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Georgia Bay, \$2.50; Woodrow Wilson College, \$10.00; Making County Map, \$5.00; Prizes and medals, \$5.00; Historic spots, \$2.00; Old Trails Roads, \$2.00.

STEPHEN HEARD CHAPTER, ELBERTON

Miss Edna Rogers, Regent

Stephen Heard Chapter has had a very interesting years work. It has taken in six new members and several papers pending. Total membership fifty-five.

The chapter has contributed to the usual D. A. R. activities and is active in looking up and copying old records, locating and marking graves. It has observed most of the Patriotic Days and has had unusually good programs. The chapter gave a scholarship to an Elbert county girl and has the girl in school.

The latest activity is in Americanization work. Having established a night school for teaching foreign men to speak English and a day school to teach the foreign women.

THE GOV. TREUTLEN CHAPTER, FORT VALLEY

Mrs. Ben Fincher, Regent

It is a genuine pleasure to report that the Gov. Treutlen Chapter has had a most successful year. Our number is not quite so large as last year—two members having been transferred to the Atlanta Chapter, Atlanta, and one transferred to "an eternal home". How our hearts were saddened when we realized that Jule Hunter Hurst would no more answer the Chapter roll call! At the time of her death she was first vice regent and Gov. Treutlen Chapter has never had a more loyal member. We welcome Mrs. Geo. Anderson, transferred from the Gen. Daniel Stewart Chapter, Perry.

The Chapter has not only continued regular D. A. R. work begun in the past, but has taken a forward step in civic work. Each week in our local paper appears an article the heard "Fort Valley Beautiful". In this article appears information as to what flowers and shrubbery are best suited to this climate and when, where and how to plant. Even so soon wonderful results have been accomplished and Fort Valley lawns have been more attractive this winter than ever before. In January the chapter sponsored arbor day observance which resulted in planting of many many shrubs and trees.

The Chapter has recently secured a scholarship in Fort Valley High School. One hundred flag codes have been ordered and are now ready to be given not only to every school in county, every grade in high school but also to members of Chapter. Georgia flags have been given to all white schools in county. A patriotic picture "Janice Meredith" was sponsored this year.

In January a Peach County Anniversary Dinner was served one hundred and thirty guests. In this way not only is the funds of the treasury increased but the Chapter is doing its part to keep alive that cordial relation and promotion of good fellowship which is necessary for the highest development of any community.

We have had interesting monthly meeting with the exception of

the March meeting which is not held on account of the Annual Peach Blossom Festival. The following Patriotic Days have been observed; Magna Charta, LaFayette, Armistice Day, Georgia Day, Washington's Birthday and Independence Day.

Our financial report is as follows:

Disbursements: National dues, \$48.00; State dues, \$9.40; Immigrants Manual, \$11.75; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Marking Historic spots, \$2.00; Georgia Bay, \$11.75; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Martha Berry, \$5.00; Students Loan Fund, \$24.00; Thomas Library, \$25.00; Pledge on National Auditorium, \$100.00.

Receipts: Amount in treasury, \$205.90; Liberty bond and Interest, \$61.00; Chapter House Building Fund, \$500.00. Total \$766.90.

FORT VALLEY CHAPTER, FORT VALLEY

Mrs. C. B. Almon, Regent

The Fort Valley Chapter Daughter's of the American Revolution, celebrated its first birthday on Feb. 2nd, 1926. Mrs. Almon A. Williams was organizing Regent of this Chapter which began its career with twenty-five charter members. Since that time two members have been received by paper and two by transfer. This new Chapter has taken a special pride in it's first very complete year book, containing programs on "Things Historical", the flag salute, The American Creed, calendar for the year, Chapter committees and Chapter by-laws. The memorizing of patriotic songs has been stressed especially the National Anthem of our country. The following patriotic days have been observed by program reading and songs: LaFayette Day, Armistice Day, Georgia Day, and George Washington's Birthday. There is one subscriber to the D. A. R. Magazine in our Chapter. And we have contributed to the following causes: Ellis Island, \$2.00; Immigrants Manual, \$7.50; Student Loan Fund, \$14.50; Auditorium, \$5.00; Jefferson Memorial Foundation, \$5.00, and Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00. All state and national dues have been paid and we are looking forward to a new year's work with a great deal of interest and enthusiasm.

THE NATHANIEL ABNEY CHAPTER, FITZGERALD

Mrs. Harold Beall, Regent

We have twenty-five members, lost one by transfer, and have five applications pending.

Our meetings are held in the homes and usually have splendid attendance. We use patriotic songs for opening and follow with Lord's Prayer in concert. Our programs have varied this year, were well prepared and very helpful.

Poppies made by chapter members and sold on Armistice Day netted the chapter \$50.00, we apply this amount on Patriotic Educational work. Four our civic work we have the court house square and a Park in the business section of town that we assume the responsibility of beautifying. We spent \$10.85 for Shrubs this spring.

A gold medal has been offered to the student in Senior Class making highest average in American History. A prize of \$5.00 has also been offered to the student making highest average in Domestic Science.

We have a local student loan fund with which we help high school graduates get a normal course to prepare themselves for teachers, we have \$125.00 loaned now, no interest is charged.

Our chapter worked with the U. D. C. chapter in placing flags in front of stores on side walks, on patriotic days these flags are put out and much patriotism is displayed, we netted the chapter \$9.00 from this work.

Special contributions have been sent as follows: Ellis Island \$2.00; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; Immigrants Manual, \$5.00; History Medal, \$5.00; Domestic Science Prize, \$5.00; D. A. R. Magazine, \$2.00; Kenmore, \$2.00; Meadow Garden, \$2.00; Wakefield Memorial, \$1.00; Carnegie Library, D. A. R. shelf, \$10.00; National dues, \$25.00; State dues, \$5.00; Civic work, \$10.85. Making a total of, \$76.85.

JAMES MONROE CHAPTER, FORSYTH

Mrs. J. L. McGee, Regent

The past year has been marked by a most loyal co-operation of members, Cahirman and Regent of the James Monroe Chapter D. A. R., and it is with great pleasure that we submit this report for 1925-26.

At the opening exercises of the local public school in September, attractive posters were presented, showing the number and object of prizes to be given. There were three in Citizenship, one in Domestic Art, and one in American History.

After the posters had been received with enthusiasm by teachers and pupils, they were placed in the rooms of the classes to which they had been offered to be kept before the pupils throughout the term.

Thirteen new members have been admitted this year making a total of forty two. Last summer the Chapter presented a play, "Love and Tea" a comedy of colonial days, from which was realized a good sum that was used in the work of the Chapter.

All the patriotic days have been fittingly observed with interesting historical programs. On "Flag Day" the Stars and Stripes were displayed and editorials, clipped from the Atlanta Journal and the D. A. R. Magazine, were published in the local paper.

The Chapter has co-operated with the local moving picture director, and sponsored several interesting and historical plays, that are endorsed by the National Society.

The local Chairman of Genealogical Research has sent two copies of Genealogical Roster of members; and the Chairman on Historical and Literary Reciprocity, has sent two papers, "A New Dawn Armistic Day", and "George Washington", to their respective State Chairmen.

Since the Patriotic Songs have been regularly used in Chapter meetings, and in the schools, there seems to be an additional sentiment attached to them. A copy of "Our Flag" was presented to the Chapter by the author, Mrs. Docia Head Brooks, and the Chapter in turn presented it to the public school library.

The National and State dues have all been paid, also the quota to State and National interests necessary to place the Chapter on the Honor Roll. Two dollars and a box of supplies valued at \$25.00 have been sent to Ellis Island. Supplies valued at \$10.00 contributed to Welfare Women and Children; \$10.50 to Immigrants Manual; \$21.00 to Student Loan Fund; Books given to School Library valued at \$5.58; \$2.00 to Fannie Trammell Memorial Fund; Pledge to Auditorium, \$15.00; \$2.00 to Martha Berry; \$2.00 to Tomassee; \$4.00 to Lucy Cook Peel Memorial; \$15.50 to Georgia Bay; \$2.00 to Monticello; \$20.00 to Stone Mountain Memorial Fund; \$12.00 to Printing Year Books; \$2.00 to Marking Historic Spots; \$2.50 to Sale of Christmas Seals. The usual Scholarship valued at \$135.00 has been offered again this year, and the young lady to whom it was given is doing most creditable work.

THE COLONEL WILLIAM CANDLER CHAPTER, GAINESVILLE

Mrs. Charles L. Newton, Regent

The Colonel William Candler Chapter sends greetings and begs to submit the following report:

We have had a most successful year's work. Our meetings are held on the second Thursday in every month at the homes of the members and are invariably well attended, the meetings being opened with prayer.

We have 47 members, having added five this year and losing two—one transferred and one resigned. We also have four papers pending.

We have located one real daughters grave—Evaline Terrell Erwin.

We have observed all patriotic days. On Georgia Day we presented one U. S. Flag and one Georgia State Flag to each of the three colored schools of Gainesville.

During the year our Chapter donated to the Welfare Committee a twenty-five foot Magnolia Tree, which was moved from the Old home place of Dr. James W. Bailey, deceased to our Community Park to be used as a permanent living Yuletide Tree.

The medals to school children, as usual, are for excellence in History in the Fifth and Seventh Grades and \$5.00 in gold is given for the highest average in Civics in the Eighth Grade.

We have four subscriptions to the D. A. R. Magazine.

Financial report:

National Dues, \$45.00; State Dues, \$11.75; D. A. R. Loan Fund, \$23.50; Martha Berry, \$5.00; Georgia Bay, \$10.00; Carolina Scott Harrison, \$1.00; Lucy Cook Peel, \$5.00; Kenmore, \$5.00; Library Fund, \$1.00; Red Cross, \$10.00; Fannie Trammell, \$8.00; Tomassee, \$5.00; Manual, \$10.75; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Marking Historic Spot, \$2.00; Medals and Prizes, \$10.00; Flags and Codes, \$6.75; Flowers, \$10.35; Books and Stationery, \$34.50. Total, \$206.60.

DAVID MERIWETHER CHAPTER, GREENVILLE

Mrs. J. L. Strozier, Regent

Our chapter has done so little for the past year. So many of our members, because of serious illness in their homes, have been unable to take an active part in D. A. R. work. We now have 28 members. We hold regular monthly meetings, carrying out the programs as outlined in the Year Book.

We still are laboring with a county history, and are trying to raise a fund of \$2,000.00 to build a suitable memorial for our Meriwether boys who served so faithfully in the World War. We gave \$5.00 to Georgia Bay. We have done much local work in supplying funds to help worthy boys and girls through our High School. One of our special interest has been a little blind girl in the county whom we helped by donations of clothes and money that she might have medical treatment.

OLIVER MORTON CHAPTER, GRAY

Mrs. W. H. Barron, Regent, Round Oak

The Oliver Morton Chapter submits the following report: With twenty-two members at present, we hope to add to the number, as papers are in preparation. One member transferred. This is the only chapter in the county. We have most interesting monthly meetings, programs consisting of observations of important days, patriotic songs, selections from D. A. R. magazine, a well balanced schedule which has proved helpful and entertaining.

The Chapter's anniversary comes on Washington's birthday, so

we have a joint celebration. This year in the nature of a social affair at the home of the Regent.

Our State and National obligations have been met as follows: Georgia Bay, \$5.00; Washington Memorial, \$2.00; Community Song Books, 75c; Student Loan Fund, \$10.00; Martha Berry School, \$5.00; Immigrants Manual, \$5.00; Ellis Island Fund, \$2.00, D. A. R. Rituals, \$1.80, Annual dues, \$18.00; Conference dues, \$3.60. Total expenditures, \$67.15. Balance in treasury, \$94.58.

PULASKI CHAPTER, GRIFFIN

Mrs. Julia McWilliams Drewry, Regent

Six officers: Regent Mrs. Julia McWilliams Drewry, 1st Vice Regent, Mrs. Jas. A. Drewry; 2nd Vice-Regent, Mrs. Willis F. Huddleston; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Harry Johnson, (Mrs. W. T. Bennett resigned); Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. N. Wm. Taylor; Treasurer, Miss Amelia Walker; Historian, Ms. Wm. H. Wheaton; Chaplain, Mrs. John H. Newton. Has an enrollment of fifty-five (55) members. New members for the year one (1). Amount of money taken in during the year, \$128.95; paid out for Manual, \$14.25; State dues, \$11.40; National dues, \$56.00; marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; Georgia Bay, \$10.00.

Holds nine (9) meetings per year with Historical Program at each meeting. Patriotic Days observed: LaFayette, Washington's Birthday, Georgia Day, Constitution Day, Armistice Day.

Had interesting and instructive programs on Sulgrave Manor and Kenmore. Gave Silver Tea for the benefit of Kenmore.

Assisted in the sale of Red Cross Christmas Seals and in the Drive for new members in the Red Cross enrollment campaign.

Copy of Washington's National Prayer was presented the Chapter by Mrs. Elizabeth Huff Wilson, one of the members.

Deplore the unjust articles being printed and circulated on Colonial History and trying to suppress same.

Assisted in putting on a Concert recently for the benefit of the Griffin High School.

Has four members representing Pulaski Chapter on the Club House Corporation, and hope to see the building soon erected.

One of the members, Mrs. Jos. M. Thomas, is collecting and compiling data for a History of Spalding County and her people which she intends publishing as soon as completed.

JOHN BENSON CHAPTER, HARTWELL

Mrs. Steve Skelton, Regent

The John Benson Chapter submits the following report for the year 1925-1926:

We have added by ancestral lines seven new names to our roll, one by transfer, making a total membership of fifty-two. Six supplemental lines have been verified. Two originals and twelve supplementals are now pending in Washington. Ten regular meetings have been held, all but one of which with historical program. Each meeting opened with a patriotic song followed with prayer by Chaplain. We have observed Flag Day, Independence Day, Constitution Day, LaFayette's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Woodrow Wilson Day, Armistice Day. Our Chapter served lunch to the Hart County Post, American Legion, and the Gold Star Mothers following public exercises commemorating the signing of Armistice. February 12th our Chapter sponsored a beautiful program at the Hartwell Public School. During Education Week the Chapter

sponsored a patriotic program at Hartwell High School, and the Regent addressed the pupils and patrons of one of the county's consolidated schools on a patriotic subject. We have offered a medal to the pupil of High School who shall attain highest average in American History. Together with Henry Walton Chapter of Madison, Ga., we have purchased a chair in Constitution Hall in honor of our organizing Regent who is now State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Julian B. McCurry. We have sent a map marking the historic spots of Hart County to the chairman of this committee. We have given \$4.05 to Stone Mountain Memorial Fund, \$20.00 to Educational Loan Fund for Local Schools and have sold two bonds.

In addition to above, we have met all National and State obligations.

HAWKINSVILLE CHAPTER, HAWKINSVILLE

Mrs. H. T. Bridges, Regent

It is a great pleasure to again bring greetings from the Hawkinsville Chapter and report a most successful year.

We have met all requirements for State Honor Roll. Membership, fifty-two; lost, none; gained, nine new members; two papers pending in Washington; held all regular meetings.

Flag Day, Magna Charta, Independence, LaFayette, Constitution, Columbus, Armistice, Woodrow Wilson, Benjamin Franklin, International, Georgia Day, Washington's Birthday, and Jefferson's Day were appropriately observed—several with a special program.

Assisted in Sale of Red Cross Seals. Two subscribers to D. A. R. Magazine. Sponsored sale of Stone Mountain Memorial Coins. Co-operated in work for Women and Child Welfare with P. T. A. in factory district. Also gave special program at Public School Educational Week.

Have established Thrift in Public School. As a result, have banking day once a week. It has proven most satisfactory and profitable to the student body.

One medal given in local school to pupil making highest average in American History. A special Committee co-operates in fostering Domestic Science Department in School.

Have two scholarships—one at Brenau, valued at One Hundred Dollars, and one at G. S. C. W., valued at One Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

We have reported to thirty-seven State Chairmen along their respective lines of work.

One paper, "Sketch of Mendelsshon," sent Chairman of Historical and Literary Reciprocity. Sent three Historic Post Cards; also picture of boulder marking Jackson Trail for Scrap Book.

Special effort has been made to have educational and uplifting pictures at our local Theatre—splendid results.

Five hundred pecan trees, two hundred and fifty crepe myrtle trees, have been planted. We expect to make Hawkinsville "Crepe Myrtle-town." Over one thousand shrubs, roses and wild flowers have been planted.

Blackshear's Trail has been authentically established. Also located the site of Fort Green, one of the five forts built and used by General Blackshear. Located grave of Revolutionary Soldier, Archibald Odum. A marble slab marks the grave.

The outstanding achievement of the past year is the editing of an Historical Edition of our local paper—a fifty-six page paper of

valuable information, as well as a History of Hawkinsville and Pulaski County. It will come from the press next week. The local Chapter U. D. C. and D. A. R. combined their forces in this splendid undertaking.

With a high standard of patriotism ever before us, we face the coming year with their desire:

"Let all the ends thou aimest at be thy County's,
Thy God's, and Truth's."

FINANCIAL REPORT

Local	\$ 23.90
Year Book	10.00
Historical Research	275.00
National and Iniation Dues	69.00
State Tax	10.20
Ellis Island	2.00
Marking Historic Spots	2.00
Student Loan Fund	26.00
Immigrant's Manual	13.00
Georgia Bay	13.00
Meadow Garden	1.00
Lucy Cook Peel Memorial	4.00
Medal	5.25
Scholarships	250.00
Auditorium	10.00
Total	\$ 714.35

WILLIAM McINTOSH CHAPTER, JACKSON

Mrs. J. B. Settle, Regent

It ns a pleasure for the William McIntosh chapter to send greetings and report a most successful and harmonious year. The meetings have been held regularly and all patriotic days observed. Our chapter assisted in the celebration of the 100 th anniversary of Butts County, October 29th and 30th, its float taking first prize, a silver lovinck cup.

In November, Mrs. J. B. Settle was elected to succeed Mrs. T. G. Willis, resigned, who moved to Florida.

Three new members have been added this year, making a total of 35.

We have marked the grave of one Aevolutionary soldier, Levi Jester.

Mr. W. A. Wilson gave ground for a Memorial Park on the Dixie Highway between Jackson and Indian Springs. On this has been planted five live oak trees in memory of the Butts County boys, who made the supreme sacrifice in the World War. These trees were donated and planted by the regent, Mrs. J. B. Settle. The chapter intends beautifying this park and later to place a boulder and tablet.

We gave three scholarships to Athens summer school and a prize in a spelling contest in the Jackson Public Schools. Also a dictionary to our school. We cooperated with the other organizations in the sale of anti-tuberculosis seals.

We met all honor roll requirements, state and national, by October 23rd.

Treasurer's report of out going funds is as follows: 50 cents per capita to Student Loan Fund; twenty-five cents per capita to Immigrants Manual; twenty-five cents per capita to Georgia Bay at Valley Forge; \$2.00 to Ellis Island; \$2.00 to Historic Spots; \$4.00

to Lucy oCok Peel Memorial; \$2.00 to Meadow Garden; \$2.00 to Martha Berry School; \$2.00 to Tomassee; \$1.00 to Caroline Scott Scott Harrison Memorial; \$5.00 to University Memorial Fund (Athens); \$5.00 to Auditorium at Memorial Continental Hall; \$12.50 to Southern Industrial Institute, at Charlotte, N. C.; \$40.50 to Educational purposes.

WILLIAM MARSH CHAPTER, LA FAYETTE

Mrs. A. R. Fortune, Regent

It is with pleasure we submit the following report from the William Marsh Chapter:

We have had an active and successful year holding regular monthly meetings, with interesting Historical Programs in the homes of the members. Our study for the year being, "The South in the Revolutionary War." Our Chaplain opens the meetings with prayer. A patriotic song is always used, and patriotic music is sponsored in the public schools of our town.

In July, the Regent, together with several Chapter members, were honor guests at a beautiful luncheon given at the Signal Mountain Country Club by the three D. A. R. Chapters of Chattanooga, in honor of our own State Regent, Mrs. Julius Talmadge, and Mrs. Robert Somerville, State Regent of Mississippi, who were summering on the mountain.

One of the out-standing achievements of the year's work was the marking of Col. William Fariss' grave. The remains of this hero of the Revolutionary War were moved from a deep woods, North of town, to our local cemetery, and a Government marker placed over the grave. Appropriate exercises were held and great, great, great grandchildren took part in the unveiling. Taps was sounded by the bugler from the Sixth Cavalry U. S. A. Much to our regret the State Regent could not be with us at this time.

The celebration of the thirty-fifth anniversary of the D. A. R. in October was a happy occasion, held at the home of the Regent. The cutting of the large birthday cake by the past Regents was most impressive, and the birthday offering was used to buy a large flag for the Chapter.

Our Chaplain, Mrs. Tom Lee, was hostess at the Thanksgiving meeting when she entertained with a lovely luncheon at her home at Chickamauga.

Twelve hundred Flag Codes have been distributed by our Chapter during the year. In our local schools for three days, one period was given over to the study of the Code, under the direction of the teachers. We co-operated with the LaFayette Woman's Club in the sale of over fifty dollars worth of Red Cross Christmas Seals. As usual, at commencement a R. A. R. medal was presented to the pupil of the Seventh grade of our local school, attaining the highest average in American History. During Education Week the William Marsh Chapter presented the LaFayette High School Library, a set of books, "The World Book," (value \$69.00).

Our Chapter Year Books, while only costing four dollars were very attractive. Five dollars has been given toward beautifying our Chapter House grounds, and a Chapter Regent Bar has been bought.

All the patriotic anniversaries have been observed in the meetings, while on Armistice, Georgia, and Washington's Birthday special programs have been given jointly with the schools. At

the regular September meeting Col. Walter B. Shaw made a splendid address on, "The Constitution."

We have thirty-three members, four prospects, and two transfers pending. Our Chapter was represented at the National Congress by Mrs. W. H. Steele, a valued member who resides in Washington, and at the State Conference by our Chaplain, Mrs. Tom Lee.

As far as possible it has been our pleasure to assist our State Regent in carrying out her plans for the great state D. A. R. work. We have contributed to Ellis Island, \$2.00; Immigrant's Manual, \$8.50 (full quota); D. A. R. Students Loan Fund, \$17.00; Fanny Trammell Memorial, \$10.00; Education Fund for Local Schools, \$69.00; \$1,000 pledge to Auditorium, \$10.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Georgia Bay, \$10.00; Historic Spots, \$2.00; Medal, \$5.00. Our National and State obligations have also been paid.

LA GRANGE CHAPTER, LA GRANGE

Mrs. Jennie Evans Bradfield, Regent

The LaGrange Chapter is now in its sixth year with an enrollment of thirty-six members in good standing. Our interesting monthly meetings held in the various homes have been characterized by splendid attendance and marked enthusiasm.

Historical programs have been presented at each meeting. A standing committee investigates all text books in History used in the public schools.

A number of trees have been planted by members of the Chapter this year. There are two subscribers to the D. A. R. magazine. A hundred dollar scholarship has been secured at LaGrange College. Valuable articles have been added to the Chapter Scrap Book.

The following patriotic days were observed: Georgia Day, International Day, Washington's Birthday, Flag Day, Independence Day, LaFayette Day, Constitution and Magna Charta Day, Armistice Day.

In the way of Patriotic Education the Chapter has offered two medals to the pupils in LaGrange High School making the highest average in United States History during the year. Twenty-five dollars to the American Legion Memorial Library of LaGrange.

The following contributions to local, State and National causes have been made: Immigrant Manual \$9.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; D. A. R. Students Loan Fund, \$18.00; Educational Fund for local school, \$10.00; Patriotic Educational Work, \$25.00; Auditorium Fund \$15.00; Scholarship LaGrange Female College, \$100.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Marking Historical Spots, \$2.00; History Medals, \$10.00; State tax, \$7.20; National dues \$36.00; Total, \$238.20.

ROANOKE CHAPTER, LUMPKIN

Mrs. Wm. A. Fitzgerald, Regent, Omaha

On June 10th, 1925, Mrs. Wm. A. Fitzgerald was appointed Organizing Regent for Stewart County. In less than three months there were a sufficient number of papers sent to Washington to organize a D. A. R. Chapter, and on November 3rd, 1925, a Chapter was organized in Lumpkin with seventeen members, to be known as Roanoke Chapter, Lumpkin, Georgia, with members all over Stewart County.

Our Chapter took its name from Historic Roanoke, which was burned by the Indians in 1836. Roanoke is seven miles South of Omaha, on the Chattahoochee River.

Our monthly meetings, held in the homes of the members, have been characterized by splendid attendance and marked enthusiasm. Various patriotic and historic programs have been carried out, beginning with repeating the Lord's prayer and ending with pledge of allegiance to the flag. Patriotic days have been observed and County History studied. A map of Stewart county was sent State Chairman; also a roster of our Chapter was sent to Miss Edmondson.

We have two subscribers to D. A. R. magazine.

The Chapter presented Organizing Regent with a D. A. R. Insignia Pin in appreciation of her faithful service in organizing the Chapter.

Roanoke Chapter was organized with seventeen members and one has come to us by transfer from the Benjamin Hawkins Chapter. There are three papers pending in Washington.

All National and State dues have been paid.

MARY HAMMOND WASHINGTON CHAPTER, MACON

Mrs. J. H. Porter, Regent

The Mary Hammond Washington Chapter a total membership of one hundred and fifty, has met in full, all State and National obligations.

Immigrants Manual, \$37.50; Ellis Island, \$2.00; New Auditorium, \$25.00; Meadow Garden, \$5.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$10.00; Georgia Bay, \$37.50; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; Old Trails, \$2.00; Woman's Club Scholarship, \$5.00; all State and National dues have been met, and since, in spite of our large membership, we had already completed our full quota of one dollar per capita for the Students D. A. R. Loan Fund; one-half having been paid in 1924, the other half in 1925, we did not feel called upon this year to contribute to the deficit caused by the non-payment of other Chapters.

In addition to what we have given for the State and National, we have given \$975.00 for three Scholarships—two to G. S. C. W. at Milledgeville and one to Georgia Tech, and \$218.89 to the Historical and Genealogical Department of our own Washington Memorial Library.

Our meetings for the year have been very successful and splendidly attended. Our plan of having prominent men for speakers has excited widespread interest. As a sequence to our former course "Men Who Thought Out the Revolution," we have this year studied the lives of "The Men Who Carried Out the Revolution."

We have expended for all purposes during the year, \$1534.89.

We have lost one valued member by death, Mrs. Dana Adams.

NATHANIEL MACON CHAPTER, MACON

Mrs. James Allen Smith, Regent

At the time of sending in State and National obligations in September, Nathaniel Macon Chapter numbered 87. Present report from Registrar shows: 4 new members; 5 transfers (one a member at large); 2 transfers to other Chapters; 2 dropped; 6 pending. Present total 96 members.

Monthly meetings are held in the homes of members and are splendidly attended, much interest being manifested in all branches of the work.

The Year Book is attractive; it has for its general theme, "Georgia." Mrs. Ben Johnston and her committee spared no pains in its preparation, and the programs have proven interesting and helpful.

Roll call is responded to by names or facts important in Revolutionary history. Although the Chaplain, Mrs. E. B. Codington, varies the opening exercises, the high principles the D. A. R. teaches are always emphasized.

Papers are read by members, and lectures by prominent speakers are given; some of the city's best talent contributing to the musical program.

Each month a Chapter Chairman gives a talk on her work, and urges activity. Invariably the flag is displayed in front of the home in which the meeting is to be held.

The Chapter Scrap Book, in the hands of Mrs. C. H. Perdue, will prove a valuable record for future reference. She proposes to obtain pictures of past Regents and paste in the book, which will be an added feature.

Miss Carrie Holmes has worked faithfully on her pen and ink map of Bibb County, but, on account of illness, it is unfinished, and an extension of time has been granted her by the State Chairman.

Two papers by Mrs. Edgar Ross were sent to Reciprocity Chairman. These papers will doubtless prove helpful, as Mrs. Ross is an Historian of note.

A committee from Nathaniel Macon is co-operating with other organizations of the city in establishing a Sidney Lanier Room in the Washington Memorial Library. Savings placed in the bank several years ago will be used for this purpose.

The Chapter was glad to respond to the Regent, who is one of the Vice-Chairman for sale of National Auditorium Bonds in Georgia, by purchasing a \$100.00 bond. Besides this, \$50.00 was contributed as a free-will offering, and \$5.00 as a personal gift from Mrs. Blackshear.

A fund has been laid aside as a nucleus to be used in the marking of Fort Hawkins. The Chapter decided to concentrate with the Kiwanians in placing a replica of the old Fort on this historic spot. It is hoped that by next year the report will be of a finished and indestructible memorial. Rome was not built in a day.

Our beneficiary of Gift Scholarship of last year will complete her musical education at Wesleyan College in June. She is appreciative of past help, and has this year accepted as a loan from the Chapter \$130.00.

Two five dollar prizes are being given; one to Lanier High School girl making the highest average in American History, and one to Lanier High boy proving best in Citizenship.

Two girls from the mill district were sent to camp last summer with fund collected for that purpose.

At Christmas time, anti-tuberculos work was aided in the buying of Red Cross Seals.

Two members are serving on Macon Better Films Committee.

At the Fall meeting, Mrs. T. E. Blackshear, whose valued service has won the appreciation of her co-workers, was made an Honorary Life Regent.

Two Revolutionary relics were given by Mrs. Blackshear to Continental Hall during the last National Congress (This was not incorporated in the Chapter's previous report).

Chairman of D. A. R. magazine has secured five new subscribers.

Cards were sent to city and county schools requesting that the use of patriotic songs in schools be stressed; correct use of Flag be observed; encouragement be given to pupils in the planting of trees, shrubs, and flowers; that American children be influenced to treat with kindness and consideration, the child of foreign-born parents.

Chairman of Special Days, Mrs. L. C. Rader, has reported to State Chairman, following days observed: Flag Day, LaFayette Day, Armistice, Woodrow Wilson, International, Washington's Birthday, Magna Charta Day, Constitution, Georgia Day, Sulgrave Manor Day. As they occurred, the following have had mention on program: Columbus Day, Paris Treaty of Peace; 144th Anniversary of Surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown; D. A. R. Founder's Day, Landing of Pilgrims, Nathaniel Macon's Birthday, Chapter's Birthday, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day.

All State and National obligations were met in September (the Chapter being fifth on Honor Roll), and Treasurer, Mrs. K. P. Allen, reports disbursements as follows: National and State dues, \$135.40; Georgia Bay contribution, \$23.00; Loan Fund, \$43.50; Immigration Fund, \$21.75; History and Citizenship Prizes, \$10.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Historic Spots, \$2.00; Wesleyan College Loan, \$130.00; Year Books, \$22.50; Incidentals, \$37.28; Girls sent to Camp, \$15.00; Personal contribution to Talmadge Loan \$5.00 (Mrs. Blackshear).

HENRY WALTON CHAPTER, MADISON

Mrs. Thomas Baldwin, Regent

The Henry Walton Chapter D. A. R. of Madison, Ga., with Ameliaraet Parker Baldwin as its Regent, has admitted two new members to the organization, making the total membership thirty-six. We have done a great amount of Americanization work, we assisted in a negro Manuel School, helped the Boy Scouts and Red Cross organizations, aided the Rural Canning and Athletic Clubs, Home Makers Club, work in Rehabilitation Camps, and had a very attractive booth at the Morgan County Fair. We also gave a donation to the Martha Berry School. We contributed to both the Ellis Island Fund and to the Immigrant's Manual. Our donation to the D. A. R. Student Loan Fund was \$19.50, and to the Fanny Trammell Memorial Fund, \$5.00. The Educational Fund for local schools amounted to \$10.00. We co-operated Educational Week with the school, having several addresses. We celebrated Armistice Day, had a Flag Program June 14th, observed Independence Day, had a Special Georgia Day Program, also Constitution Day, and Columbus Day, National Defense Day, and we sponsored a patriotic film at the local theatre. We contributed to the Auditorium pledge the amount of \$15.00, and gave \$75.00 toward the purchase of a chair in the auditorium in honor of Mrs. McCurry of Hartwell. We gave to Martha Berry School, \$5.00; to Meadow Garden, \$1.00; to Kenmore, \$1.00; to the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$2.00; to Georgia Bay, \$10.00. We gave \$75.00 ch a chair for the auditorium, contributed to Woodrow Wilson College, and bought and sold Stone Mountain Memorial Coins. During the year the Chapter bought a Scrap Book bound in lymph leather and the book has been partially filled by the Historian with articles and pictures of D. A. R. interest. \$5.00 was spent for a floral offering for a member of a Daughter's family; \$2.53 was spent for a slide that has been shown at the local theatre.

We celebrated the following Patriotic Days: April 19th, Open-

ing of the Revolution, LaFayette Day, Columbus Day, Thanksgiving, Constitution, Christmas, Oglethorpe, International and National Defense Day and Madison, Magna Charta and Washington's Birthday. The value of the prizes and medals given is \$7.00. We have two subscriptions to the D. A. R. magazine.

Every member of the Chapter has worked hard throughout the year trying to find a new line, and several have succeeded. We fostered a Girls' Home-Makers Club in Morgan County and have had a study class in our school in regard to the children and sons of the Republic Work. We have collected 50 pictures of famous Revolutionary scenes and homes and have prepared 8 Historical Programs and 8 Special Day Programs.

We have made a thorough search for another Revolutionary Soldiers grave but have marked only one at present with two others being considered.

We contributed to the "Marking Historical Spots" Fund, \$2.00.

We realized from the sale of Christmas Seals the amount of \$8.00. We planted during this year 15,000 peach trees, 75 pecan trees, and 14 poplar trees. We have had no deaths in our Chapter.

FIELDING LEWIS CHAPTER, MARIETTA

Mrs. C. M. Crosby, Regent

The Fielding Lewis Chapter has sixty-six members. In the past year we have gained ten members, lost by death one, by transfer one, and by registration one. We mourn the death of our deceased member, Miss Mabel Cortelyou, who was our past State Secretary and a very active worker in our Chapter. We will miss her more than we can state.

We have paid all of our State and National dues. We subscribe to the D. A. R. magazine and publish each year a Year Book. Within the past year we have had ten board meetings and ten business meeting a program. On Washington's Birthday we had a special program in honor of this day.

Our contributions for the past year have been as follows: Wakefield Memorial, \$5.00; Fannie Trammell Memorial, \$5.00; Mabel Cortelyou, \$50.00; Lucy Pell, \$4.00; History Prizes, \$10.71; Clarke Library, \$50.00; Kenmore Estate, \$10.00; Contentinal Hall, \$10.00; State dues, \$13.60; National dues, \$67.00; Flowers, \$5.75; Printing, \$8.00; Incidentals, \$4.50; Total Expenditures, \$243.56; Balance on hand, \$71.53.

We have helped a local girl by loaning her \$100.00 with which to finish her business course.

We have placed in Waterman Street Public School a bronze Memorial Tablet in honor of our deceased member, Miss Sena Towers, who taught school in our town so long.

Our money has been made in the past year by bridge-teas, selling silver polish and plant sales.

THE STEPHENS HOPKINS CHAPTER, MARSHALLVILLE

Mrs. J. C. Walker, Regent

The Stephens Hopkins Chapter has had a most pleasant and profitable year, under the efficient leadership of Mrs. John C. Walker, the Regent. More interest is being shown in our organization than in several years. All the meetings have been well attended, and each member has co-operated with the Regent in carrying out the programs, which have been very interesting.

We have met our National and State obligations in full for the past year, which was \$21.40; also the following: Immigrant's Manual, \$4.00; Student Loan Fund, \$8.00; Georgia Bay, \$4.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$4.00; the Chapter subscribed for magazine, \$2.00, making a total of \$47.40; with a balance in the Treasury of \$56.80.

All patriotic days, Constitution, LaFayette, Magna Charta, Columbus, Armistice, Georgia and George Washington's Birthday have been observed with interesting programs. Constitution Day was observed in the schools at the request of the Chapter. Two medals in Citizenship have been offered by the Chapter, one each to the boy and girl who takes the best average as an American Citizen.

Three specimen evergreens have been planted at the school in memory of the three Marshallville boys who gave their lives in the World War.

We have gained one member by re-instatement, and one new member pending.

The Chapter sponsored the Lotus Male Quartette from Boston, Mass. from which we realized, above all expenses \$41.10. They sang to a crowded house, all the music lovers from the three neighboring towns, Fort Valley, Perry and Montezuma attended.

An attractive Year Book, including programs in detail, places of meetings, officers, and list of names of members with their National Number, also ancestors' name, was compiled and presented free to each member, by the Regent.

NANCY HART CHAPTER, MILLEDGEVILLE

Mrs. James I. Garrard, Regent

The History of Milledgeville and Baldwin County written by the Chapter's beloved member, Mrs. S. A. Cook, is an accomplished fact. The Chapter presents it to the public with pride, and with the hope and belief that it will inspire others to write concerning the many interesting events which have occurred here in the old Georgia Capital.

In May the Chapter unanimously endorsed the sale of the Stone Mountain Memorial Coin and worked loyally with the Baldwin County Chairman and the Chairman of the Woman's Division in putting Baldwin County "over the top."

The Chapter now claims fifty-four members, having gained seven since the last Conference, and lost one by transfer. Several applications are pending in Washington.

The Chapter observed Uncle Remus Day, Bird and Arbor Day, Georgia Day and Education Week with the rural schools.

On Independence Day, Flag Day, and George Washington's Birthday the flags of the city were displayed.

The Chapter had special programs on Constitution Day, La Fayette Day and Navy Day. It also had a Sulgrave Manor program. It has given books and magazines to the rural schools.

Red Cross Seals were bought by Chapter members.

Forty trees have been planted by Chapter members.

A placard containing Flag Facts, was given to each of the County High Schools.

A map of Baldwin County with Historic places marked, was sent to the State Chairman of Historic Spots.

Repair work was done on the grave of a Revolutionary Soldier, and the grave of Captain Edward Beeson, Revolutionary Soldier

of Guilford County, N. C., was located in Brister's Cove, Marshall County, Alabama, and referred to Alabama Daughters to be marked. The marker has been ordered.

The following amount of money has been expended: Manual, 25c per capita, \$13.50; State dues, 20c per capita, \$10.80; Student Loan, 50c per capita, \$27.00; Georgia Bay, 25c per capita, \$13.50; Historic Spots, \$2.00; Old Trails Roads, \$2.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Meadow Garden, \$2.00; New Auditorium, \$50.00; Repair on Revolutionary Soldier's grave, \$5.00; Tallulah Falls School, \$5.00; Chapter and National dues, \$104.00; Two Bonds for New Auditorium, \$200.00.

MATTHEW TALBOT CHAPTER, MONROE

Mrs. A. C. Kelly, Regent

New members admitted during past year, 0; number members receiving demits to other Chapters, 3; Total membership, 61.

Amount given D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$32.00; Amount given to Immigrant's Manual, \$16.00; amount contributed to Ellis Island, \$2.00; amount given to Fannie Trammell Memorial Fund, \$2.00; amount given to Martha Berry Schools, \$2.00; amount given to Meadow Garden, \$2.50; amount given to Kenmore, \$2.50; amount given to Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; amounts contributed to Monticello, \$2.50; gift scholarship to short term at Agricultural College at Athens, \$5.00.

Americanization—We have practically no foreigners in our midst with the exception of one or two Greek families. We are teaching the love and reverence for our Flag. Flag codes have been given to our school children throughout the county and we are encouraging the study of our Constitution in schools. Chapter encourages the use of patriotic songs at all public meetings and in our schools.

The Chapter co-operates with The American Legion in all patriotic work. Observed "For-get-me-not Day" and "Poppy Day" giving proceeds of sale to Lindsey-Garrett Post of The American Legion. Assisted in furnishing Legion Hall and has entertained Legion at dinner on several occasions.

Chapter has observed the following patriotic days at Chapter meetings and in schools: LaFayette, Constitution, Columbus, Armistice, Wilson's Birthday, Georgia Day, Washington's Birthday, Magna Charta, Independence, International, Jefferson's Birthday, Flag Day. Observed Chapter Day at Chapter meeting in January.

Chapter has presented historical programs at each meeting and on several occasions at our schools.

\$5.00 in gold was given for best pupil in American History at Monroe High School. \$2.50 was given as Citizenship prize as suggested by chairman of co-operation between D. A. R. and S. A. R.

Through a local member of Matthew Talbot Chapter (Mrs. E. M. Williams) the site of the Battle of Jack's Creek has been marked. This creek was named by Captain John Clarke, the hero of the battle, at that time a mere lad. John Clark afterward became Governor of Georgia and represented his state in many important positions.

Through the efforts of the Matthew Talbot Chapter the grave of a Revolutionary Soldier, a Mr. Bostwick, has been marked near Bostwick, Ga. Mr. Bostwick is an ancestor of Mrs. M. T. Nunnally, a valued member of our Chapter.

Many trees and shrubs have been planted by members of Chapter, more than "A tree for each member" having been planted Chapter observed Arbor Day and gave tentative program for its observance to schools throughout county through the county newspapers.

Chapter has equipped room at Monroe Hospital in memory of World War Soldiers. This room has been continually in use since hospital was organized. Contributes \$1.00 monthly to hospital for free dental and tonsil clinics. Chapter assisted in tonsil operations.

Chairman of Welfare of Women and Children is also Chairman of Hospital and through her efforts splendid work is being done. Members of Chapter have contributed liberally to the needy and sick of our county.

Chapter assisted in the sale of Christmas Seals.

ARCHIBALD BULLOCK CHAPTER, MONTEZUMA

Mrs. R. P. Black, Regent

Beginning with our September LaFayette Meeting, we have had a most successful and happy year. At that meeting our new year books were distributed, and each succeeding meeting was held strictly according to the programs outlined. Our efficient year book chairman, Mrs. Heflin has been program leader and when any member would be prevented from carrying out her part, Mrs. Heflin would have a substitute ready.

We observed with feeling exercises each of the various days we were supposed to observe.

Socially, our year has been a very pleasant one.

In November we joined the Phil Cook Chapter in honoring the New State President of the U. D. C., Mrs. Oscar McKenzie, who we are happy to claim as our own.

We also had the pleasure of entertaining at tea at the home of the regent the delegates of the 3rd District Womans Club conference held in Montezuma.

A benefit bridge party during February was a very pleasant and most profitable.

On February 1st we celebrated the 17th Birthday of the Chapter, by planting a tree on the lawn of the Library, a living memorial to our glorious revolutionary dead, we named the tree in honor of our beloved first regent, Jamie Frederick McKenzie—a very attractive and impressive program was carried out at this time.

The Chapter joined the other civic organizations in town in sponsoring our Episode in the Peach Blossom Festival, taking in a group of two hundred of our people.

The chapter instituted a thrift campaign among the school children offering \$5.00 in gold to the child saving the largest amount between September and Christmas. This was one by Walter Ben McKenzie.

Medals were offered for the highest average in history in the grammar and high schools, which were won by Ruby Pennington and Eloise Parker respectively.

The Chapter donated one hundred dollars for the purchase of an electric range for the Domestic Science Department of our school.

The following disbursements were made.

State and national dues, \$31.20; Domestic Science Department, \$100.00; Georgia Day, \$5.00; Fannie Trammell Memorial, \$5.00; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; Americanization, \$2.00; Meadow Garden, \$2.00; Gen. Loan Fund, \$2.00; Valdosta Fund, \$2.00; Martha Berry, \$2.00; Ellis Island, \$1.00; Medals and prizes, \$10.00;

Subscription to D. A. R. Magazine, \$2.00; Year books, \$7.50; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$1.00; Tomassee School, \$2.00.

In every movement looking to the betterment of our town and county we have participated. We have twenty-six members on roll with about twelve active members.

ELIZABETH MARLOW CHAPTER, MONTICELLO

Mrs. A. Y. Clement, Regent -----

Elizabeth Marlow Chapter has held regular monthly meetings in the homes of the members, meetings being opened with prayer, followed by the American Creed recited in concert, and patriotic songs. The message of the President General in the D. A. R. Magazine was read at each meeting. All patriotic days have been appropriately observed, in tresting and instructive papers were read at each meeting. State and national dues were paid promptly, and contributions made to the following, Ellis Island, Marking Historic spots, Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, Students Loan Fund, and Immigrants Manual, \$5.00 was given to the Girls Homemakers Club, (\$3.00 as first prize for best sewing, \$2.00 for second best sewing), the money to be used by the winners to help defray their expenses to Camp Wilkins, the State Club Camp for club girls. Our chapter gave two D. A. R. gold medals to the students in grammar grades of our local school making highest average in American History, bronze medals have been offered to the pupils in grammar, and high school grades for best records in "Good Citizenship". Poppies were made and sold on Armistice Day, bringing in a nice sum. We have had several new names added to our roll, at the present time our chapter number forty-seven, the interest is good, every meeting is well attended and looked forward to with pleasure.

SEARGENT JASPER CHAPTER, MONTICELLO

Miss E. Kate Tolleson, Regent

Sergeant Jasper has held regular monthly meetings in the homes of the members each month with an increased attendance, and gratifying results. We have a membership of fifty-five. Each meeting is opened with responsive reading from the ritual, patriotic songs, and prayer by the chaplain. After the business session we have had, this year, a historical program, using "The History of Georgia" for study, these nine studies were outlined by the Vice-Regent, Mrs. L. Y. Pittard, and papers prepared and read by the hostess group at each monthly meeting. The social half-hour which follows the history study and the regular program of D. A. R. days, has been greatly enjoyed.

All patriotic days have been observed, especial interest centering on Washington's birthday, since this is Sergeant Jasper's birthday also. The sixteenth birthday of the Chapter was observed this year, with the birthday cake and candles, toasts made by the officers and chairmen of standing committees, were in original rhyme.

We have offered the Sweeny history medal to the pupil in the high school, making the highest average in United State history for the year. The medal will be delivered at commencement. We have also visited the schools at various times, the regent having made a sort address on "Our Flag" during National Education Week.

We have been putting renewed energy into the plan for marking historic spots in Jasper county, and have a goodly amount on deposit for this work, delay has been caused by the highway construction and changes in road ways, in the placing of these markers.

All national and state dues have been paid. Also our full quota to Ellis Island, Manual, and Student Loan Fund, marking historic spots, and the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial. We have also sent a box of scraps and wool for the women at Ellis Island.

Our sale of Red Cross Seals amounted to \$17.43.

We have located the grave of Jeremiah Lumsden, Revolutionary soldier, and marker for same has been ordered. On May 30th, the 101st birthday of Mrs. Martha Penn Rogers, our Real Daughter, the official marker was unveiled with appropriate exercises.

— JOHN BENNING CHAPTER, MOULTRIE

Mrs. W. C. Vereen, Regent

John Benning Chapter has had a very pleasant and profitable year, with regular meetings and instructive programs.

We have observed all national patriotic days.

We have contributed to all causes, also \$10.00 toward a History of our county, have one Gift Scholarship of \$100.00. Have four Colquitt County girls in Business College at a cost of \$359.00.

Co-operated with Worth While Club in planting trees and selling Christmas seals.

Contributed liberally to the Welfare work, through our County Worker.

Have given no Flag Codes this year, but these will be placed in our schools next year, the result of a paper on the subject, showing the necessity of teaching its use and observance.

We have raised the money for our Bond of \$50.00 for Constitution Hall. Have located one old Trail road and Indian Mound.

Have gained two in membership, lost one by demit. We have a membership of 42.

We expect growth in every way for the coming year.

OCONEE CHAPTER, McRAE

Mrs. F. A. Smith, Regent

Since last report chapter has donated fifteen dollars on piano for local post American Legion Club House, bestowed Loving Cup as offered by our chapter for excellence in history in local High School, donated ten dollars to local student loan fund, contributed to Meadow Garden, Ellis Island Fund, and paid all state and national dues.

We are again offering Loving Cup as prize in history which chapter has voted to give annually, and also are offering a scholarship in South Georgia College.

The marker for Henry Simmons, Revolutionary soldier buried near Lumber City, has been delayed, but plans are being made to unveil it July 4th.

SARAH DICKINSON CHAPTER, NEWMAN

Mrs. Mary Gibson Jones, Regent

It is a great pleasure to again bring greetings from Sarah Dickinson Chapter and report a most successful and harmonious year.

All regular meetings have been held and the following days observed with appropriate programs: Magna Charta, LaFayette, Constitution and Georgia Day, also George Washington's Birthday.

We have three subscribers to D. A. R. Magazine.

We have a membership of fifty-six, forty-four resident and twelve non-resident members; four new members and three transferred, four papers accepted at National Headquarters and several pending.

All state and national obligations have been met and we are glad to report that our chapter is on Honor Roll. We contributed fifty

cents per capita to the Student Loan Fund which amounted to \$26.00; twenty-five cents per capita for Immigrants Manual, \$13.00; Historic Spots, \$2.00; Memorial Continental Hall, \$5.00; Georgia Bay, \$12.50; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$4.00; two markers for Real Daughters, \$19.00; Izora B. Hardaway Scholarship Fund, \$45.00; Ellis Island Fund, \$2.00; State Dues, \$11.20; National Dues, \$53.00 (3 life members); History Medal, \$5.00; for local work, \$60.00. Total, \$257.70.

The outstanding feature of the year's work of Sarah Dickinson Chapter has been to write the history of Coweta county, which we hope to have published this, the Centennial year of our county.

Miss Lily Reynolds and the Regent have this work in hand. The history will be called "The Chronicles of Coweta County".

HAWTHORNE TRAIL CHAPTER, PELHAM

Mrs. P. C. Cullens, Regent, Camilla

Tawthorne Trail Chapter has had a pleasant and profitable year. We have admitted two new members this year, which makes our total membership 37.

An attractive year book including programs in detail, places of meetings and officers was compiled and issued to each member.

We met each month on third Thursday. Our meetings are opened by singing America, then repeating Flag Allegiance and American Creed and prayer.

All patriotic days, Constitution, LaFayette, Magna Charta, Columbus, Armistice, Georgia, and George Washington's birthday have been observed with interesting programs. For our May meeting we have arranged a program to be denoted as Flag Day.

In the way of patriotic education, the chapter offers each year a silver medal to the student making the best grade for the year on American History in both Pelham and Camilla High School.

The Chapter subscribes for D. A. R. magazine, 100 Flag Codes were distributed. All annual dues, state \$7.40, and national, \$37.00, have been met, other contributions are as follows: \$2.00, Ellis Island; \$9.25, Immigrants Manual fund; \$18.50, D. A. R. Student Loan Fund; \$2.00, Pledge to Auditorium; \$4.00, Lucy Cook Peel Memorial; \$9.25, Georgia Bay; \$3.70, Genealogical Research; \$2.00, Marking Historic Spots; \$5.00 prizes; \$8.18, for local work on piano.

Chapter sold United States flags to be placed on streets on legal holidays and realized a nice sum. Rummage sale was held also for raising funds.

The year has been exceedingly pleasant and successful, marked by the hearty cooperation of officers, chairmen and chapter membership, and we are encouraged to attempt greater things in the future.

GENERAL DANIEL STEWART CHAPTER, PERRY

Mrs. Edward W. Traylor, Regent

We have had a most interesting and successful year. We have a membership of thirty-three, gained two new members and lost two by transfer, and six names were presented and accepted for membership. Our monthly meetings held in the various homes have been well attended. We begin, always, with prayer and our subject for the years study was, The World's Womanhood. This has been most interesting and educational. The following Patriotic days were observed: LaFayette, Constitution, Armistice, Georgia and Flag. Our annual fifteen dollar scholarship in the Perry High School has been given and at the close of school five dollars in

gold will be given the boy or girl making highest average in American History. Our financial report is as follows:

National dues, \$33.00; State dues, \$6.60; Immigrants Manual, \$8.25; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Box to Ellis Island, 08.00; D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$5.00; Pledge to new Auditorium, \$1.00; Meadow Garden, \$1.00; Martha Berry, \$2.00; Georgia Bay, \$5.00; Other D. A. R. Interests, \$10.00.

HANNAH CLARKE CHAPTER, QUITMAN

Mrs. Herbert Stubbs, Regent

This marks the close of one of the most active and profitable years in the history of this chapter.

Our activities ave gone out into all brances of the work covered by Daughters of American Revolution, and the key note for the year has been "What woman has done in the making of this Great America", with a forward look as to what she will continue to do.

All State and National quotas have been met, including our pledge of \$17.00 the Immigrant's Manual, \$2.00 for Ellis Island, \$175.00 for Patriotic Educational Work, (Chapter Loan Fund), \$100.00 invested in D. A. R. Auditorium Bonds, \$67.75 amount contributed to the \$1,000.00 pledge to the D. A. R. Auditorium, \$25.00 contributed to the Georgia Box in Auditorium, \$10.00 donated to the Martha Berry School, \$5.00 to Meadow Garden, \$1.00 to Kenmore, \$5.00 to the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$10.00 to Americanization Work", and \$2.00 contributed to mark Historical Spots.

Ten copies of Lineage books were purchased to complete our set, of which our Chapter is justly proud. This brings our set to 59 volumes. We have also added to our collection of historical volumes, the following works:

"Historical Collections of Georgia, D. A. R. Chapters",

"Histories of Dougherty and Baldwin Counties".

and through the Hannah Clarke Chapter, Miss Nonnie McCall presented a history of the Mercer Baptist Association to the Brooks County Library. One copy of this was also sent to Continental Memorial Hall. A Divtionary was presented t oone of the rural schools of Brooks County, and a copy of "Our Flag" was presented to the Brooks County Library. A framed copy of the "Declaration of Independence was presented by the Chairman of Patriotic Education to the High School Library on Washington's Birthday. Armistice Day was appropriately celebrated with a reception tendered the American Legion, at which time, an attractive program was given.

The graves of World War heroes buried in our local cemeteries were also decorated on that day, as well as on May 30th. The Chapter gave two S. A. R. medals. These were won by Philip Whitehead and Calvin Jones. \$5.00 was offered as a prize for the best average in American History. This was won by Laura Lee Gibson, and a \$2.00 prize for the next best average was won by Elise Oelsner. This year, the same medals and prizes will be offered.

Probably the most outstanding activity for the year was the Pure Food Show and Cooking School.

During the District Meeting of the Woman's Club in Quitman last April, this Chapter joined with the U. D. C. Chapter, and entertained them at a most beautiful Luncheon at the Country Club. Our Year Books are specially attractive this year, containing monthly programs and a Constitutional Study Course. Chairman of the "Correct Use of the Flag" has distributed Flag Codes wherever necessary.

The papers read at our meetings have been unusually fine, and one especially—"Colonial Dames and Days", by Mrs. J. B. Tillman—a typed copy of which was sent to State Chairman of Historic and Literary Reciprocity, and was also published in the local papers.

A Scholarship fund of \$50.00 was loaned to Miss Effie Edmondson, of Morven, to complete her course at the State Normal School. This has proven money well invested.

This Chapter has lost one member this year, by death—Mrs. A. M. C. Russell—a descendant of Hannah and Eliza Clarke, two by transfer, and three new names have been added to the roll. The graves of six daughters of Revolutionary Soldiers have been located, and some of these will be marked during the year. Four post cards have been sent to the State Chairman of Historic Post Cards, one of these being a view on the old "Coffee Trail", extending from Savannah to St. Marks, Fla.

JEFFERSONIA HAWKINS CHAPTER, ROBERTA

Mrs. L. M. Lucas, Regent

With an enrollment of fourteen (14) the Jeffersonia Hawkins Chapter, still in its infancy has held meetings each month in the homes of the members.

We have observed all patriotic days since the organization of the Chapter—have distributed forty-four (44) copies of the Flag Code, one to each grade in the Roberta school and one to each school in the County.

Our State and National dues have been paid and the following contributions made: \$2.00 Ellis Island; \$3.50 Immigrant's Manual; \$2.00 Marking Historic Spots; \$2.00 D. A. R. Magazine.

GOVERNOR JARED IRWIN CHAPTER, SANDERSVILLE

Mrs. C. D. Shelnutt, Regent

The Governor Jared Irwin Chapter is happy to report the greatest amount of work accomplished this year, than in the same length of time since its organization.

We have held regular monthly meetings at the homes of our members and conducted a study of America's growth and her possessions.

We assisted the United Daughters of the Confederacy in entertaining their State Convention last October.

We distributed the Flag Code to the teachers in our schools to be explained to the pupils.

The Chapter purchased a Georgia Flag and presented to our City School on Georgia Day.

All patriotic days have been observed and patriotic songs have been used at our meetings and in our schools. The history of our County is taught during the Spring session.

At the request of Mrs. Eli Thomas, a map of the County was made, giving the State Highways that pass through our territory and the location of historic spots, and the names of noted Georgians who were born here and a brief history of their careers.

We have planted fifty trees and shrubs.

We have twenty-nine members, six of whom are non-resident.

We have had three new members, granted two demits, had one resignation and one death. There is one paper pending and one transfer to be accepted at our next meeting.

We have contributed to the following enterprises: Ellis Island Fund, Immigrant's Manual, New Auditorium, Student D. A. R. Loan Fund, Georgia Bay, Marking Historic Spots, Lucy Cook Peel Me-

morial Fund, Meadow Garden, Martha Berry School, Tomassee, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial, National Library Fund, Fanny Trammell Memorial Loan, Stone Mountain Memorial; paid State and National dues.

BO NAVENTURE CHAPTER, SAVANNAH

Mrs. Francis B. Elmore, Regent

Last year I attended the State Conference as a visitor, the organization of my Chapter not having been completed. This year I am happy, proud, and honored to represent to full-fledged Chapter of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Our organization meeting was held Saturday afternoon, April Wilson, our beloved State Consulting Registrar; Mrs. Frank E. 18, 125. We had the pleasure of having as guests Mrs. Walter S. Johnston, Regent of the Savannah Chapter and Mrs. J. Thomas Wood, former State Treasurer. The addresses of these ladies were very interesting, and greatly enjoyed by our Chapter.

We have added 7 members and have 4 applications in Washington. Our monthly meetings are held in the homes of the members. After business is dispensed with, we have an historical program, and a social hour.

All patriotic days have been fittingly observed; and an historical program given at the meeting for the month in which the respective days came. At our January meeting, our Vice-Regent presented the Chapter with a gavel made of cedar from historic (Whitmarsh) Island.

At our February meeting our Historian gave an interesting and informative account of the work being done by the Sulgrave Manor Association, which has purchased and restored Sulgrave Manor, the ancestral home of the Washingtons in England.

Our Chapter has paid every State requirement; and in addition contributed \$5.00 to the Juvenile Detention Home in Savannah; \$5.00 to Kenmore; and \$10.00 pledged to Georgia Bay at the last Conference. We expended \$11.00 for flowers for sick members.

Our Chapter endorsed the bill of Congressman Edwards for the preservation of Fort Pulaski as a National Military Park, and wrote to the Georgia Senators in Washington requesting them to support it.

Markers have been ordered for the graves of Jonathan Rahn and John Berry in historic old Ebenezer Cemetery. Also for the grave of Governor Josiah Tattnall, Jr., in Bonaventure Cemetery. Governor Tattnall was born near the spot where he now lies buried, and our Chapter expects to place a tablet there.

It is very fitting that our Chapter mark the grave of Governor Tattnall, as it was in his honor that the word "Bonaventure" was chosen as our name. And also in honor of the other Revolutionary patriots buried there—Joseph Habersham, Noble Wimberley Jones, and many others. Our Chapter expects to mark the grave of every Revolutionary Soldier in Bonaventure Cemetery.

Our Chapter has sent in one paper to the Committee on Historical and Literary Reciprocity Papers. It was written by our Vice-Regent, Mrs. J. W. Rourk.

-- LACHLAN McINTOSH CHAPTER, SAVANNAH

Mrs. B. L. Purse, Regent

The Board and Regular meetings of the Lachlan McIntosh Chapter have been held during the year at the home of the Regent. The attendance has been excellent.

The meetings were opened by prayer and the Salute to the Flag. Under the chairman ship of Mrs. Courtney Thorpe interesting historical programs have been given at each meeting. Flag Day, LaFayette Day and Georgia Day being especially celebrated. Splendid papers on Magna Charter, the Constitution and Woodrow Wilson were read during the year. An original paper on The Pilgrims in England by Mrs. Edgar Whatley has been sent to the Chairman of Literary Reciprocity. At each meeting Mrs. Walter Wilson gave an interesting talk on our International Relations. In Commemoration of Independence Day at the request of the Chapter the Independent Presbyterian Church invited all the patriotic societies of the city to attend a service on July 5th. A special sermon was delivered by the pastor, Rev. Neal Anderson.

Several valuable books have been donated for our book-shelf in the Georgia Historical Library and a genealogical history of the Chapter membership has been compiled by the Chapter Librarian, Mrs. H. Branch La Far. An old and valuable engraving of Gen. George Washington was given to the Chapter by Dr. Benjamin S. Purse.

The Chairman of Americanization and Patriotic Education, Mrs. John Fawcett, has sent a box to Ellis Island and distributed manuals to each new citizen.

Two prizes of \$5.00 each have been offered by Mrs. Harry Stracham and Miss Doris Peeples to the pupils of our city schools for the best essay on American History, these to be awarded at the annual meeting in May.

It has given the Chapter great pleasure to purchase a chair in the New Continental Auditorium in honor of our beloved member, Ex-Regent and State Consulting Registrar, Mrs. Walter Wilson.

The Chapter endorsed the bill of our Congressman, the Hon. Charles Edwards, asking for an appropriation for a new monument at Jasper Springs and for the preservation of Fort Pulaski.

Letters were sent to City Council protesting against the changing of the old Foundry Street names in our city.

The Chapter has 107 members—32 being non-resident members—13 members were added during the year. To each non-resident member a letter was sent after each meeting stating the proceedings of the Chapter.

The Chapter dues were raised at the December meeting to \$5.00.

Preparations are being made for a Year Book to be issued in May.

Six hundred and sixty-four trees have been planted by members on private grounds, our highways and parks being cared for by the City and County; but the City has been requested to use more wild flowers and plants in the decorations of our parks and squares.

The Chapter will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary in May.

The following contributions were made for our State and National work: \$2.00 to Ellis Island; \$26.75 to the Immigrant's Manual; \$5.00 to Fannie Trammell Memorial; \$200.00 pledged for New Auditorium Bonds; \$150.00 for a chair in the New Auditorium; \$5.00 for Martha Berry School; \$5.00 for Kenmore; \$2.00 for Marking Historic Spots; \$5.00 for Meadow Garden; \$21.40 State Tax per capita; \$12.00 Auditorium Fund; \$5.00 Tallulah Falls School..

SAVANNAH CHAPTER, SAVANNAH

Mrs. Frank E. Johnston, Regent

To the officers of the Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution:

This, the third and last year of the present administration has been most delightful, the activities of the chapter have operated smoothly and harmoniously, the attendance has been large and each program has been a genuine treat.

The members have taken much pride in the attractive year books issued in September. The book is dedicated to the memory of Woodrow Wilson and is simply but beautifully arranged, containing much in formation for the members, and with interesting programs for the year. It is interspersed with quotations from the pen of two Savannah poets, D. G. Bickers and C. M. Gibbs, with a third, Dr. Ralph M. Thomson one of the programs. The chapter has the distinction of numbering among her real grand-daughter of the revolution, Mrs. C. H. Beard, and her photograph appears on one of the front pages. Mrs. Beard is the grand-daughter of Samuel Stanley, Jr., who was a patriot of the revolution from Virginia. The book was arranged under the chairmanship of Mrs. Buford Smith, Chapter Historian, and an efficient committee.

At the October meeting a splendid original paper by Mrs. J. A. Thomas, "Memorials in America to the Marguis de LaFayette" was read. This paper has been forwarded to the chairman in Literary Reciprocity.

In January an interesting Americanization program was presented. At this meeting Miss Eunice Cooper, the high school pupil who wrote the winning essay on "The Menace of the Reds in America" was present and read the essay, which received much favorable comment. The five dollars in gold offered by the Chapter was presented by the regent.

"Historic and Romantic Savannah" was the subject of our March program. The mayor of the city addressed the members and an interesting and enlightening paper on the subject was arranged and read by Mrs. B. F. Bullard. Several delightful musical numbers were rendered and the program was a most enjoyable one.

The other patriotic days and anniversaries celebrated were: Flag Day, Magna Charta Day, Constitution Day, LaFayette Day, Woodrow Wilson Day, Georgia Day, George Washington's birthday, International Day, Armistice Day. Thomas Jefferson's birthday will be celebrated at our April meeting.

Another prize of 5.00 in gold has been offered in the Junior High School for the best essay on some phase of Georgia history, the subject to be announced later. The chapter has donated her quota to the Immigrant's Manual, \$34.00; to the D. A. R. Girls' Student Loan Fund, \$68.00; Georgia Bay, \$25.00 from chapter; \$5.00 from Mrs. W. T. Knight, Jr., and \$2.00 from Mrs. Jas. N. Carter; to the school at the Juvenile Detention Home (local), --25.00; to Fanny Trammell Scholarship Fund, \$5.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; marking historic spots, \$2.00; \$5.00 by the regent for the May Talmadge scholarship at Tallulah Falls; to Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial, \$1.00, and to Kenmore. \$5.00.

Towards the auditorium fund, pledged at Washington, the chapter has donated \$50.00 and Mrs. Gordon Groover \$25.00 through the chapter.

We availed ourselves of the privilege of honoring our state treasurer, Mrs. Wilbur Coney, by purchasing a chair in the new auditorium, \$150.00.

We had the great pleasure of endorsing Mrs. Coney for the

office of state first vice-regent, election to take place at the present conference.

Through the members \$2,350.00 has been subscribed for auditorium bonds, \$250.00 of this amount being subscribed by the chapter.

We have plans under way for some specific historic publicity work which will be carried out as soon as they can be perfected.

We have prepared seven historical programs and have six subscribers to the magazine.

We have suffered the loss, by death, of two valued members, Mrs. Mildred Getchell Shafer and Mrs. Mary Mitchell Runnette.

We have thirteen new members, have issued two transfers, have accepted three resignations and now have a total membership of one hundred and forty-two.

The result of the year's work is an incentive to achieve greater things next year and to continue always in "carrying on" this great and important work of America's womanhood.

NOBLE WYMBERLY JONES CHAPTER, SHELLMAN

Mrs. C. P. Payne, Regent

The Noble Wymberly Jones chapter has held regular monthly meetings at the homes of the members with good attendance and very gratifying enthusiasm.

We ave contributed: Immigrants Manual, 5.00; Auditorium, \$1.00; Loan Fund, \$10.00; Georgia Bay, \$5.00; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; National and State dues, \$24.00; Local public school, \$3.00. Total, \$56.00.

In our monthly meetings we have followed the Historical program mapped out by our chairman.

JOHN CLARKE CHAPTER, SOCIAL CIRCLE

Mrs. E. L. Shepherd, Regent

Again it is my pleasure to submit to the State Conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the report of the John Clarke Chapter.

We have a membership of fifty-three, two new members, lost one by death, Mrs. Lizzie Conner Day, a beloved charter member.

Regular monthly meetings have been held at the homes of the members, with a good attendance. All meetings opened with prayer and patriotic songs. Historical program used from attractive year books, compiled by a committee.

Each year the chapter's birthday is celebrated in May, always inviting some prominent visitors. Mrs. R. K. Rambo, State Chairman of the proper use of the Flag; Mrs. T. T. Stevens, president of the Federation of Woman's Clubs, of Atlanta, and Mrs. Henry Pledger, Regent of the Sunbury Chapter, Winder, Ga., were the honor guests, all gave interesting and inspiring talks, adding much to the pleasure of the occasion.

Armistice Day was observed with appropriate exercises, and a wreath of oppies placed on the grave of our dead hero.

Another great event was the Georgia Day celebration, February 12. Our chapter was entertained by the local U. D. C. chapter, the other honor guests being: Mrs. Kirby Smith, Anderson; the U. D. C. State Registrar, and Mrs. Joseph Varen, president of the U. D. C. Chapter at Madison, Ga. They brought messages of courage and cheer. It was quite an enjoyable affair for all present.

We gave the Sweeney Medal and several prizes in our public schools.

The purchase of a chair in the New Auditorium, Washington, D.

C., a total cost of one hundred and fifty dollars in honor of our own efficient State Editor, Mrs. Mell Knox, was our greatest financial achievement for the year.

All patriotic days have been observed, trees and shrubbery planted along the public highways.

All taxes, national and state dues have been paid, other contributions, are as follows: Year Book, \$14.14; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Immigrant Manual, \$13.50; D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$27.00; Trammel Memorial, \$2.00; Pledge to Auditorium, \$12.00; Purchase of Chair, \$150.00; Meadow Garden, \$3.00; Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Georgia Bay, \$12.75; Woodrow Wilson College, \$5.00; Talmadge Fund, Tullulah Falls, \$2.50; Medal and prizes, \$8.09; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; Floral offering, \$5.00. Total, \$341.58.

It is gratifying to report that our chapter means much to our town and community.

HANCOCK CHAPTER, SPARTA

Miss Emily Schley Brown, Regent

Eight new members were added to Hancock's roll and one paper pending. Regular monthly meetings were held in the homes of the members, each meeting was opened with prayer, the American's Creed, business session, literary program, patriotic songs and music.

We will be six years old April 17th and are planning for a benefit bridge birthday party.

We have celebrated Georgia Day, LaFayette Day, Constitution and Magna Charta Day, International Day, Wilson Day, and on Independence Day the Chapter requested homes, stores and public buildings to display the American Flag. The A. & M. School gave a patriotic program on Independence Day. On Washington's Day (birthday) the Hancock Chapter presented an American Flag to the Sparta High School.

A Valentine shower was given to our Organizing Regent, Mrs. Harley, who is ill.

At the County Fair the Chapter's booth won second prize, a silver loving cup.

Christmas a box of toys and clothes were distributed by members of the Chapter as our welfare work.

Hancock Chapter sold forty Stone Mountain Memorial Coins, and \$7.00 worth of Christmas Seals.

Chapter sponsored patriotic picture, "America" first of March and made \$50.00 clear of expenses.

The following obligations have been paid: National dues, \$40.00; Georgia Bay, \$10.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Historical Spots, \$2.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Immigrant's Manual, \$9.25; D. A. R. Auditorium, Washington, \$9.25; D. A. R. Loan Fund for Students, \$18.50; State dues, \$7.40; Scholarship (A. & M.), \$75.00; Citizenship Medals, \$2.15; Flowers for a funeral, \$1.50; D. A. R. Magazine, \$2.00; Robert's Rules of Order, \$1.50; Postage, \$2.00; Local Clubhouse, \$10.25; Historic Magazine for High School Library, \$1.00; Initiation fees, \$15.00; Prize to High School girl for best average in American History, \$2.50; total, \$215.25.

As to historic spots, we have been trying to get our local stone men to make us price on marker for the spot on Shoulder Bone Creek where the Treaty between Creek Indians and State of Georgia took place. We hope to erect this marker quite early. Also we would like to mark other historic spots, where Eagle Tavern stood in 1825 when LaFayette was a guest there.

There is in our town a solid granite building 130 years old, which in early days was a post office, tavern and stage coach landing. Hancock Chapter would like for D. A. R. to own this building because of its historic value and thus save it from being torn down. Who will help us buy it?

BRIAR CREEK CHAPTER, SYLVANIA

Mrs. H. M. Mallory, Regent

Total Membership 34. Amount contributed to Ellis Island, \$2.00; to Immigrant's Manual, \$9.00; Sum given to D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$17.00; to Meadow Garden, \$2.00; amount given to Georgia Bay, \$2.00. Number of Flag Codes distributed, 100. Number of Subscribers to the D. A. R. Magazine, 1. Name and number of Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves Located, 15. Contributed to "Marking Historic Spots", \$2.00. Number of deaths and names of deceased, one, Lucy March.

SYLVESTER CHAPTER, SYLVESTER

Mrs. H. C. Camp, Regent

Sylvester Chapter has had a splendid year, our membership has been increased by 14, one of them by transfer, making a total membership of 40.

Our monthly meetings which are held in the homes of members are always opened with patriotic songs and a Devotional led by the Chaplain. Interesting historic programs have been prepared for each meeting and an article is usually read from the D. A. R. Magazine.

The following patriotic days have been celebrated: Magna Charta, Flag Day, LaFayette Day, Constitution Day, Columbus Day, Thanksgiving Day, Armistice Day, Woodrow Wilson Day, Georgia Day, and George Washington's Birthday.

Our Patriotic Education Committee has done much good in the school by teaching the Flag Code, America's Creed and Pledge to the Flag, and encouraging the use of Scriptures and patriotic songs. They have helped too in beautifying the school campus by planting trees and shrubbery.

The Worth County History Committee is still diligent in their work of preserving the history of our county, one thing done by them was to make a historical map of the County.

We have again offered a \$5.00 medal to the pupil in Senior Class making the best record in American History, and two Citizenship Medals. Instead of giving \$5.00 prize in Home Economics Department we donated \$5.00 to them.

All National and State dues have been paid and the following contributions made: Ellis Island, \$2.00; Immigrant Manual, \$9.75; Student Loan Fund, \$19.50; National Auditorium, \$5.00; Lucy Cook Peeli Memorial, \$4.00; Georgia Bay, \$9.75; Marking Historical Spots, \$2.00; Total, \$52.00.

Graves of three Revolutionary Soldiers have been located and application has been made for a marker for one of these, Pumall Truitt, Wilkes County.

MAJ. GEN. SAMUEL ELBERT CHAPTER, TENNILLE

Mrs. W. H. Colgate, Regent

The Maj. Gen. Samuel Elbert Chapter has had a year of unusual interest and activity. We have a membership of seventy-one, thirty of whom are non-resident. Attractive Year Books were issued.

outlining the work for the year, and at each meeting historic papers were read. We have observed the following patriotic days, and the programs incident to each anniversary were appropriate and instructive: Flag Day, Magna Charta, Constitution, LaFayette, Woodrow Wilson, Benjamin Franklin, Washington, and Georgia Day. An outstanding occasion being on Armistice Day when a large community celebration, fostered by our Chapter, with the co-operation of the Woman's Club and the local U. D. C. Chapter, was held at the Baptist church and a most fitting and inspiring program was given: the chief attraction being the lecture by Rev. J. A. Harman of Macon, who was a delegate to the National Peace Conference at Stockholm.

Our Chapter has distributed fifty Flag Codes to the schools. On account of a tie two gold medals, instead of the one offered, were given to pupils of the High School who made the best average in American History, and a silver medal was given to the Grammar School pupil making the highest average. Through our efforts one little girl was placed in school and furnished with books.

In September a beautiful Regent's pin was presented to Mrs. W. H. Colgate: it was the gift of Mrs. George G. Riley of Dawson, who was Regent of our Chapter for four years. Much work has been accomplished by our genealogist, who has assisted many members of other Chapters in establishing their lines. We have contributed three papers to the Department of Literary and Historic Reciprocity.

All National and State obligations have been met. Besides local expenditures, contributions have been sent as follows: National dues, \$71.00; State dues, \$14.20; Immigrant's Manual, \$17.75; Tomasee, \$2.00; Students Loan Fund, \$35.50; Martha Berry, \$1.00; Meadow Garden, \$2.00; Georgia Bay, \$17.75; Caroline Scott Memorial, \$1.00; Books for needy children, \$8.00; Ellis Island Fund, \$2.00; Prizes and Medals, \$12.50; Subscription to D. A. R. Magazine, \$6.00 Historic Spots, \$2.00; Old Trails Roads, \$1.00; Fannie Trammell Memorial Fund, \$1.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$2.00; Historical Programs, \$18.00; Flag Codes distributed 50; Genealogical Research, 150 Marriage Records. D. A. R. Auditorium Bonds, \$100.00.

The Maj. Gen. Samuel Elbert Chapter does everything possible to further the cause for which we were organized, as evidenced by the activities of the past year which has been marked by the splendid enthusiasm, and co-operation of its members.

JOHN HOUSTON CHAPTER, THOMASTON

Mrs. Alvah Weaver, Jr., Regent

To the 28th State Conference we bring greetings from 97 members of the John Houston Chapter and submit the following report:

Gift Scholarship (Memorial to World War Soldiers), \$191.00; Contributed to town and county schools, \$82.90; Prize for highest average in History, \$5.00; Student Loan Fund (per capita), \$48.50; Woodrow Wilson College, \$25.00; Martha Berry, \$10.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Fannie Trammell Memorial, \$2.50; Meadow Garden, \$2.00; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; State Librarian, \$2.00; Georgia Bay, (per capita), \$24.25; Auditorium Pledge, \$5.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Immigrants Manual (per capita), \$24.25. Total, \$430.40.

Besides visits, flowers, and delicacies to the sick and shut-ins, the Committee on Welfare of Women and Children has distributed, \$91.25 and \$81.00 worth of food and clothing.

During the year the following days were celebrated, Flag, Constitution, Armistice, LaFayette, and Georgia, and there was also a special program on Ellis Island.

Having previously distributed copies of the Flag Code and American Creed in our schools until they were thoroughly familiar with both; at our request, under the direction of Superintendent M. A. Smith and Scout Master J. M. Middlebrooks, Jr., the school and Boy Scouts gave a patriotic program last May. The children were very responsive to the careful training of their leaders.

About two years ago, when the Kiwanis Club was an infant, the managers found trouble in getting it fed. Notwithstanding, three meals a day and the dishwashing problem at home, we undertook this work and with few exceptions have served luncheon to the Kiwanians once each month since its organization.

This has always been regarded as a community service rather than a commercial enterprise, though we have thereby added a little to our educational fund.

The Chapter will have two gift chairs in the New Auditorium in Washington. One from the members in honor of Mrs. J. F. Lewis, who organized the John Houston Chapter, served as regent ten years and upon retirement was made Honorary Regent for life.

The second chair will be the gift of Mr. R. E. Hightower, Sr., in honor of his wife, Mrs. Mattie Lou Harrison Hightowner, who was a charter member, served as secretary, treasurer, and is now auditor.

The chapter deeply appreciates the honor and privilege of being thus represented in our national shrine of patriotism by these beloved members.

GOV. EDWARD TELFAIR CHAPTER, THOMASTON

Mrs. W. L. Jenkins, Regent

Governor Edward Telfair Chapter takes pleasure in again bringing greetings to Conference Assembled, and reports a successful and harmonious year.

Monthly meetings have been held at the homes of members, with interest in the work of the Organization manifested by attendance and enthusiasm.

Meetings opened by prayer and Ritual. After business session, a literary, musical and historical program based on the outlines suggested by Historical Program Committee is given. Then follows a social half hour.

We have observed International, Magna Charta, Constitution, Georgia, LaFayette, and Armistice Days.

Two prizes were given last June to pupils of R. E. Lee Institute, one for best yearly average in American History, the other for best work in Domestic Science Department.

Two and one-half dollar gold pieces was given as first award and Stone Mountain Memorial Coin as second to pupils of the Rock School for best and second best essays on "Good Citizenship".

Three prizes offered again this year, to be given at close of school, for scholarship in History and Domestic Science.

Have small amount on interest for Local Student Loan Fund. This we hope to increase as rapidly as we can.

Paid National and State Dues in full: National, \$29.00; State, \$5.80; Value of Awards given, \$8.50; National Auditorium, \$10.00; Georgia Bay at Valley Forge, \$10.00; Student Loan Fund, full quota, \$14.50; Immigrants Manual, full quota, \$7.25; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; Martha Berry School, \$5.00; Fannie Trammell Memorial,

\$2.00; Caroline Scott Memorial, \$1.00; American International College, \$2.00; R. E. Lee Institute Athletic Department, \$25.00; Meadow Garden, \$2.00; Tomassee, S. C., \$2.00; Old Trails Roads, \$2.00; Kenmore, \$1.00; Book of Poems, \$1.75; Daughters of Revolution Magazine, \$2.00; Cards to absent members, Christmas, 40c; Christmas Red Cross Seals, \$10.00; Incidentals, \$4.50; Welfare Women and Children, food, money and clothing, to value of, \$122.50. Total amount disbursements, \$276.20.

OCHLOCKNEE CHAPTER, THOMASVILLE

Mrs. Cadar Parker, Regent

Submits the following report: Our membership numbers 44. Meetings have been held each month at the homes of members. The attendance is usually about half the membership, all meetings are opened with prayer by our chaplain, or the Lord's prayer in concert, followed by patriotic songs. All patriotic days have been observed. Georgia Day through the members who are teachers in the public schools. George Washington's birthday with a silver tea and bridge party at our country club. This we regarded this year as our "Kenmore Tea". Our "City Beautiful" committee has planted palm trees on our side walk parkings, and roses, both climbing ones and rose bushes, in all available spaces on the Dixie Highway route through the city. We have paid all national and state dues, and contributed to other funds as follows:

To Ellis Island, \$2.00; Immigrants Manual, \$10.00; Child Welfare work (local), \$20.00; Educational fund, (local), \$30.00; Loan Scholarship Fund, \$20.00; Pledge to Auditorium, \$10.00; Martha Berry School, \$10.00; Georgia Bay, \$11.00; Kenmore purchase, \$5.00; Kenmore refurnishing, \$10.00; Prizes to girls in Domestic Science, \$7.50. Total, \$135.50.

TOCCOA CHAPTER, TOCCOA

Mrs. John Wm. Marks, Regent

The outstanding event of the year for the Toccoa Chapter was the visit in September from our much beloved Regent, Mrs. Julius Talmadge. The Chapter gave a luncheon in her honor at the home of Mrs. J. W. Marks. Her visit was a great inspiration and help to each member.

We have had a most pleasant year's work. Meeting the third Wednesday afternoon of each month in the homes of different members. Historical programs have been presented at each meeting. Patriotic Days have been observed, and on George Washington's Birthday we gave our Annual Colonial Tea.

One Revolutionary Soldier's grave has been located, Benjamin O'Banner. And three real daughters—Sarah Patton Jarrett, Elizabeth Patton McClatchey Jarrett, and Grace Newton Lucas. All of these we expect to mark at once.

We have four new members. One old member resigned, leaving a membership of twenty-four, five of which are non-residents. We have six applications now pending for membership in Washington.

Mrs. Mary Jarrett White gave through our Chapter some relics, consisting of a Georgia History 1786; a Revolutionary Deed; and an old key from Stage Coach Tavern.

The Chapter gives annually to the Toccoa High School, a gold medal, value \$5.00, for the best essay on American Citizenship.

The following obligations have been met, based on membership of 21, as our new members were not accepted until October. State and National dues. Immigrant's Manual, \$5.25; Ellis Island, \$2.00;

Georgia Bay, \$5.25; D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$10.50; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; Auditorium, \$2.00; One box sent to Ellis Island, value \$10.00.

GEN. JAMES JACKSON CHAPTER, VALDOSTA

Mrs. Remer Jones, Regent

New members admitted during the year, 5; total membership, 97; Americanization work, \$10.00; Amount contributed to Ellis Island, \$2.00; Sum given to D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$48.50; Educational Funds for Local Schools, \$125.00; Patriotic Educational Work, \$15.00; Gift Scholarships valued at \$125.00; Amount given to Georgia Bay, \$2.00; Amount given to other Memorials, such as Woodrow Wilson College, Stone Mountain, etc, \$703.94; Joseph Habersham Records, \$2.00.

The following patriotic days celebrated: June 14, Nov. 11, Feb. 12,-22; number of Flag Codes distributed, sold 300 small flags June 14th; Value of prizes and medals given, \$10.00; new subscribers to the D. A. R. Magazine, 1; Genealogical Research Work, three old wills copied, one line trace; Historical Programs prepared, 3; contributed to "Marking Historic Spots," \$2.00; Old Trails Marked, \$2.00; number of deaths, 1.

BURKHALTER CHAPTER, WARRENTON

Mrs. W. W. DeBeaugrine, Regent

Burkhalter Chapter, D. A. R., meets on the second Wednesday of each month, at the homes of the members. After calling the meeting to order our chaplain takes charge of the devotional, consisting of singing a patriotic song and prayer.

We have added seven members this year, giving us a total of twenty-five, and have several prospective. We have co-operated with the school in observing Armistice Day and Georgia Day, also observed Independence Day, Washington's Birthday and Flag Day.

Have contributed to the following: Ellis Island, \$2.00; Immigrants Manual, \$6.00; D. A. R. Student Loan Fund, \$12.500; New Auditorium, \$5.00; Martha Berry, \$5.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$4.00; Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial, \$2.00; Georgia Bay, \$6.00; Woodrow Wilson College, \$5.00; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; have given one medal, value \$5.00, and one prize, value, \$1.00. Bought Red Cross Stamps and subscribe to D. A. R. Magazine.

KETTLE CREEK CHAPTER, WASHINGTON

Mrs. John Thomas Lindsey, Regent

Total membership, 21 including 1 life member. \$6.00 contributed for local Womens Club House. The following patriotic days celebrated: Constitution Day, Georgia Day, George Washington's Birthday. Revolutionary service records of four Revolutionary soldiers found at Court House. Two historical programs prepared. Number of trees planted along highways and in parks, dogwoods and crepe myrtle, ($\frac{1}{2}$ mile). One death, Mrs. Metta Andrews Green.

LYMAN HALL CHAPTER, WAYCROSS

Mrs. H. J. Carswell, Regent

Our chapter has held ten regular meetings this year at the homes of various chapter members. Each meeting has been well attended. In the fall, programs were planned for the entire year, the red letter patriotic day, in each month, being the subject for that month. The following patriotic days have been observed;

Flag, Magna Charta, Independence, LaFayette, Constitution, Columbus, Armistice, Woodrow Wilson, Sulgrave Manor, Georgia, and Washington's Birthday. It has been our pleasure, on several occasions, to have, as speakers, prominent men of our city.

We have purchased a lovely 4 x 6 flag and staff, which is displayed during chapter meetings, at the home of the hostess, and on all patriotic days, at the home of its custodian.

Our history of Ware County is not progressing very rapidly, but we expect to do some good work along this line next year.

Our chapter sold Red Cross Seals, during December, to the amount of \$85.13.

Our financial report is somewhat below what it has been for the past several years, but seeing the numbers of worthy, but needy boys and girls in our own section, who are clamoring for an education, we decided to turn our attention to them. To this end we have created a Girl's Loan Scholarship of \$100.00 to be given this fall to Piedmont Institute, a local school. This amount will keep a girl there for one year. \$75.00 of this is in hand at the present time. It is our desire to award such a scholarship each year for several years, though we have not definitely decided on this.

Our financial report is as follows:

National Dues, \$47.00; State Dues, \$9.40; Island, \$2.00; Immigrant's Manual, \$11.75; Fanny Trammel Memorial Fund, \$10.00; Library Fund, \$4.80; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00. Total, \$85.95.

JONATHAN BRYAN CHAPTER, WAYCROSS

Mrs. J. H. Redding, Regent

The Jonathan Bryan Chapter sends greetings to the State Conference.

Our Chapter had nine meetings the past year, seven historic studies and one great current event discussed at each meeting. We have twenty-five members, one is a life member.

Our beloved member Miss Grace Giles Taylor passed into Eternity last November.

We sold \$47.00 Christmas Seals, and have \$50.00 for the Woodrow Wilson Memorial School.

Paid National dues, \$24.00; Paid State dues, \$5.00; Americanization Manual, \$6.25; Historic Spots, \$2.00; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Lucy Peel Memorial, \$4.00. Total, \$43.25.

EDMUND BURKE CHAPTER, WAYNESBORO

Mrs. Rosa McMaster, Regent

Our chapter has just passed her first birthday, we have sixteen organizing members, we expect four or five new members in the near future.

All meetings have been held, observing all patriotic and special days, two or three committees have been appointed for some constructive work along Historical and Educational lines.

Our town had a splendid celebration on Armistice Day, all organizations affiliated, our chapter had a very creditable float, with members in Colonial costumes.

We sent a good map of our county to State Chairman, showing the sites of the two Revolutionary Battles, also marking the home of Lyman Hall and his original burial place. The location of the house where George Washington stopped in 1791 was also shown. The old Savannah Military Road was also traced.

The chapter met the following financial obligations: \$18.00, National dues; \$3.60, State dues. Georgia Bay, \$5.00; Immigrant Manual, \$4.50; Ellis Island fund, \$2.00; New Auditorium, \$5.00; Home expenses, \$17.70. Total, \$56.30.

CHATTAHOOCHEE CHAPTER, WEST POINT

Mrs. James M. Wallace, Regent

Chattahoochee Chapter extends greetings to the State Conference, and begs to submit, with pleasure, the following report for the year 1925-1926:

Our membership is thirty-five, five non-resident, and one new member. We have met regularly once each month, in chapter room, with good attendance. Meetings are opened with the Lord's prayer and patriotic songs. The following patriotic days have been observed with appropriate programs: Flag Day, LaFayette Day, Magna Charta Day, Columbus Day, Armistice Day, Thanksgiving Day, Wilson Day, Ben Franklin Day, Sulgrave Day, Georgia Day, Washington's Birthday, International Day. We have also made a study of pioneer women of America and State Conference proceedings.

Money to meet our calls has been made by two benefit parties and rummage sales. Forty-five Stone Mountain Memorial Coins have been sold by the chapter and chapter also sponsored a picture show from which \$5.00 was realized and coins bought. We have two Junior Bird Clubs in the public schools. Chapter members have planted during the year 27 trees and 76 shrubs.

Our contribution has been as follows: National Dues, \$35.00; State dues, \$7.40; Ellis Island, \$2.00; Immigrants Manual, \$9.25; Student loan fund, \$18.50; Lucy Peel Memorial fund, \$4.00; Kenmore, \$1.00; Martha Berry School, \$5.00; Georgia Bay, \$9.25; Marking Historic Spots, \$2.00; Continental Memorial Fund, \$2.50; History Medal, \$5.00; Year books, \$15.00; Equipment fund for West Point Public School, \$40.00; Magazine, \$2.00; Flowers to sick, \$7.80; Incidentals, \$4.00. Total amount for the year, \$169.70.

We are glad to report that we have met all requirements for the Honor Roll and that we have experienced a pleasant as well as a successful year, marked by the hearty co-operation of the officers, chairmen, and chapter membership and hope to do greater things in the future.

SUNBURY CHAPTER, WINDER

Mrs. Henry Pledger, Regent

It is a privilege exceedingly pleasant to bring to the 28th conference greetings from the Sunbury chapter.

To appreciate the report submitted one must know that we have only twelve active members. An equal number of meetings have been held since the State Conference of 1925. In each meeting the Ritual, creed, or salute with patriotic songs, historical papers, or addresses were used, the birthdays of Jackson, Lee, Washington, LaFayette, Columbus, Wilson, and Armistice day, when we placed poppy wreaths on the graves of five world war heroes, Magna-Charta, Constitution, Independence, Arbor Day, Thos. Jefferson, Franklin, Georgia Day, and National Memorial Day.

On the latter date the Sunbury Chapter with the Legion Auxiliary realized a substantial sum from the sale of poppies. During the afternoon the W. C. T. U. and Womans Club joined in the exercises held on Court house grounds, dedicating several hundred trees planted earlier in the year on the Bankhead Highway. Our Our much admired State Regent was present and spoke in behalf of D. A. R. Later she was honor guest at reception in Regents home given by above named organizations.

Georgia Day we were guests of the Legion Auxiliary. A most delightful social period was enjoyed at the close of the appropriate

program. We tagged our citizens with Georgia Flags on this day—thereby realizing funds for patriotic education.

In emphasizing patriotic education, we recall the great debt due those heroes of old, who gave their lives for the establishment of American Independence. And too we know that upon the youth of today depends the welfare of America's tomorrow. Consequently we have placed the Creed, Flag Salute, Flag Code, history of Georgia and United States Flags, and large Georgia maps in each Barrow county school (twenty). Three Georgia flags and two United States flags were given schools. At a meeting of the county teachers, the regent urged the observance of all patriotic days in each school. At this time also stressed the necessity of forests preservation, and offered a prize to the child whose chart contained the largest number of woods grown in County. Another prize was offered the boy building most attractive bird house.

A number of savings banks are still being distributed to children. A prize was given for the best thrift poster exhibited thrift week.

We are again giving two citizenship medals, one in the Mill school. A five dollar medal is given to eleventh grade pupil for excellence in history, while two fifty in gold is given seventh grade pupil. Five scholarships in local school have been given by chapter and individuals. We are especially interested in our schools, with two of our most active members serving on Board of Education for third term, and several members also on school faculty.

We have presented our state chairman of historical and literary reciprocity two papers.

We are using our influence for the display of Better Films, and to arouse interest in historical films. The picture "America" was sponsored by chapter at which time a patriotic program was rendered. Our better films committee were instrumental in securing the picture "Peter Pan". The regent is now serving as censor for local theatre.

Chapter members were very generous in contributions to needy. Several took active part in special drive made just prior to Thanksgiving and Christmas. We too sold tubercular seals amounting to forty-four dollars and forty-four cents. Directed as class in sewing and basket weaving. We are giving two prizes in school for excellence in sewing and cooking.

The outstanding feature of the year's work was securing a temporary home. This was accomplished through the courtesy of the National Bank. It is there we have equipped two attractive rooms, one in which our regular meetings are held, the other a historical room, in which an old loom, reel, wheel, clock, tables, savor, canteen, candle moulds, and chairs loaned by Chapter members and friends are on display. An old chair of Isaac Boring, a Revolutionary soldier, is one of the most interesting objects. Framed patriotic documents and portraits of Washington and Wilson adorn the walls.

We have complied with every requirement to secure a place on the State honor roll. Our financial report is as follows: All National and State dues paid; Ellis Island, \$2.00; reprint of Manual, \$6.75, 25c per capita; Student Loan Fund, \$13.50, 50c per capita; Martha Berry, \$2.00; Tomassee, \$1.50; Philippine Endowment Fund, \$1.00; Georgia Bay, \$10.00; Historic Spots, \$2.00; Thomas Jefferson Foundation, \$1.50; D. A. R. Magazine, \$2.00; Fannie Trammell Fund, \$1.00; Kenmore, \$1.00; Caroline Scott Harrison Fund,

\$1.00; Lucy Cook Peel Memorial, \$4.00; D. A. R. Auditorium, \$6.25; Medals and prizes, \$22.00; Meadow Garden, \$2.00; Flag Codes, \$6.50; Constitution of United States, \$4.00; Tuberculosis Seals, \$44.44; Stone Mountain Memorial Coins, \$25.00; Sunbury Chapter has been given \$100.00 by the State Society for marking "Old Jackson Trail." Miss Hardin, of Atlanta, Chairman of the Committee, donated \$75.00 dollars of this amount, and the Atlanta Chapter, \$25.00.

PIEDMONT-CONTINENTAL CHAPTER, ATLANTA

Sara B. Foster (Mrs. A. H.), Regent

Total membership, 24. Amount contributed to Ellis Island, \$2.00; To Immigrant's Manual, \$6.00; sum given to D. A. R. Student Fund, \$12.00. Patriotic Educational Work: Programs given by regent at 4th District A. & M. School, July 3, 1925 (Summer School for Teachers). Amount contributed to \$1,000.00 pledge to Auditorium, \$2.00. Number of chairs in Auditorium purchased: We expect to purchase one, at least. Amount given to Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund, \$4.00; Amount given to Georgia Bay, \$6.00. The following Patriotic Days celebrated: Fourth of July, Thanksgiving Day and Washington's Birthday. Contributed to "Marking Historic Spots", \$2.00. Number of deaths and name of deceased: Miss Hattie Coleman, Treasurer.

MEMORIAL

Mrs. Fannie Mae Dabney, Chairman

The most sacred hour of our Convention is with us, and to no other committee is entrusted so sacred a duty as to your Memorial Committee. We come, with our sympathy and our love.

While we stand on the threshold of another year, it is fitting that this Convention pause in its deliberations, banish business and pleasure, and with hearts reverent offer a tribute of love, and respect to the memory of our honored dead the silent members of our Chapter. To many of our subordinate Chapters, the sad message has come, taking here a link, and there a link until from our fraternal chain, thirty-five links have fallen away. It is to the memory of these absent ones we would now pay tribute. The friends we recall who were with us last year, but who since then has laid aside care, and the voice we miss from our session today, will re-echo the welcome up there.

ATLANTA CHAPTER, Atlanta.

Mrs. Edwin Stewart.
Mrs. Edward P. Chamberlin.
Mrs. Alfred T. Smart.

PIEDMONT CONTINENTAL CHAPTER, Atlanta.

Miss Hattie Colman.

AUGUSTA CHAPTER, Augusta.

Mrs. Harriet Gould Jeffries.
Mrs. R. H. Biggars.
Mrs. Julia B. Garlick.

JOSEPH HABERSHAM CHAPTER, Atlanta.

Mrs. R. M. Stripling.
Mrs. JeJre Gunn.
Mrs. J. R. Harden.
Mrs. J. S. Mitchell.
Mrs. John L. Hornndy.

THRONOTEESKA CHAPTER, Albany.

Mrs. Ralph Lee.
Mrs. Fannie Boone.
Mrs. Austin Smith.
Mrs. Leila Richardson Legg.

BRUNSWICK CHAPTER, Brunswick.

Mrs. Kate Gorland Powell McKinnon.
Mrs. Arthur Herrington Morris.

BENJAMIN HAWKINS CHAPTER, Cuthbert.

Mrs. Leila Gunn Hood.

STONE CASTLE CHAPTER, Dawson.
Mrs. W. C. Paschal.

STEPHEN HEARD CHAPTER, Elberton.
Mrs. James Tate Wright.

GOV. TREUTLEN CHAPTER, Fort Valley.
Mrs. Jule Hunter Hurst.

FIELDING LEWIS CHAPTER, Marietta.
Miss Mable Costelyon.

MARY HAMMOND WASHINGTON CHAPTER, Macon.
Mrs. Dana Adams.

HANNAH CLARKE CHAPTER, Quitman.
Mrs. Annie Russell.

SAVANNAH CHAPTER, Savannah.
Mrs. Mitchell Bunnette.
Mrs. Fred W. Shafer.

McINTOSH CHAPTER, Lachlan.
Mrs. Laura P. Moynello.

NOBLE WIMBERLY CHAPTER, Shellman.
Mrs. Emma C. Spreight.

GOV. JARED IRWIN CHAPTER, Sandersville.
Mrs. Jessie Strickland.

BRIAR CREEK CHAPTER, Social Circle.
Mrs. Lizzie C. Day.

GEN. JAMES JACKSON CHAPTER, Valdosta.
Mrs. C. I. Harrell.

KETTLE CREEK CHAPTER, Washington.
Mrs. Metta Andrews Green.

JONATHAN BRYAN CHAPTER, Waycross.
Mrs. Nora Giles Taylor.

RESOLUTIONS OF THANKS

By Mrs. C. H. Leavy

Opportunity knocks but once, and when the State Regent in her dilemma at Mrs. Rambo's unexpected absence, asked me to offer the resolution of thanks, I hastily agreed. Not because of any vanity that I could do it well, but because I deem it a privilege and a pleasure to be spokesman for the visitors at this time.

Our State Conference divides itself into two parts—business and entertainment. If a vote were taken to see which the visitors consider the more important, entertainment would probably be chosen by a large majority. Under the head of entertainment come the distinguished guests, whose presence has added much to the pleasure of us all; the beautiful pages, who have served us so well; the gallant escorts who have made their presence indispensable; the beautiful music, which, under the able direction of Mrs. W. T. Maynard, Mrs. H. O. Jones and Mrs. E. B. Anderson, has verily charmed us; the representatives of the men's and women's organizations who greeted us so cordially; to Mrs. J. M. Oliver and her automobile who have transported the visiting daughters about the city. We appreciate all of these. Especially are we grateful to members of our hostess chapter and their friends who have opened wide their homes to us. We especially extend thanks to Dr. J. M. Outler, pastor of the First Methodist Church, for his hearty co-operation in tendering the use of this magnificent edifice for the Conference's deliberations. The officials of the church have extended every courtesy.

To the Council of Safety Chapter we extend thanks and appreciation for their beautiful luncheons and buffet supper, to the United Daughters of the Confederacy for their most enjoyable buffet supper, at the beautiful home of Mrs. Frank Harrold, to the Rotary, Kiwanis and Palladium Clubs for their delightful dinner, and the anticipated pleasure of the reception by the Hostess Chapter, at the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lanier.

Abroad, when the 28th State Conference is mentioned, the business may be considered more important. Thanks are due each D. A. R. of Georgia for her co-operation with Chapter Regents, State Chairman and State officers, for the wonderful reports of the year. Each one of us here, with the exception of one woman, admits the credit is due to our State Regent, for it was her vision and splendid leadership which is responsible, so to Mrs. Talmadge we also give our thanks.

The Conference of 1926 is about to take its place in memory's lane—pleasant recollections will linger, and always, will we be grateful to our genial hosts, and gracious hostesses of Americus, for their innumerable kindnesses and courtesies to us.

Now the dilemma is mine to tell you just how much we have enjoyed our stay with you. But—

Some women have a natural way
Of tellin' what they want to say,
While others seem to kind of balk,
We git mixed up when we talk,
And stick and mire
In our own tow;
And really can't tell what we know
And somehow standin' here tonight,

I get so sort of mad
Er trying to tell the time I've had,
I ain't the word, and I can't find
In all the spelling books combined,
A word that in the least-wise does,
For it ain't there and never wuz!

GREETING

From Mrs. Jno. C. Sage, State Director of Children of the American Revolution.

Madam State Regent, Hostess Regent, Distinguished Guests and Daughter of the American Revolution:

I am indeed happy to be here this evening with greetings from the National Society Children of the American Revolution.

It is my observation in going about the country that many members of the Daughters of the American Revolution and Sons of the American Revolution know very little of the splendid work of the children's society. There is no other organization, however commendable or patriotic, that is entirely a training school for membership in the D. A. R. and S. A. R.

There is no other hope of keeping alive the early history of our beloved country, in just the way you would have it done, except to place the children in the Society of the Children of the American Revolution.

In these days of "preparedness", it is well to remember that this has been the spirit in which our National Society was brought into being, to prepare our children, first to understand the meaning of our flag and of the principles by which our Republic was founded, and then to be trained to the service of the Republic—"For God and Country"—the motto we serve under.

Our society teaches us to love and reverence the flag, and how to treat it at all times and pledge our allegiance to it.

We help the needy children and at Christmas, make scrap books for some at the hospital; send boxes to children at Ellis Island, crayons, card board, pencils, wool and thread, patch pieces, toys or anything else that might be used in the kindergarten grades or help to make these children happy. They are taught what it means to be a good American Citizen.

I think Mrs. Harriet M. Lothrop, who was the founder of our society 32 years ago, must have taken a great interest in boys and girls.

Today we have a membership of 10,000 children with 250 accredited societies. Now, don't you think our society is worth your children joining?

My dear Regents, please appoint an Organizing President from your Chapter and send her name to your State Director of the Children of the American Revolution.

I beg of you not to allow Georgia, the Empire of the South, to fall behind in her contribution to this society.

PRESENTATION OF THE INSIGNIA TO THE STATE CONFERENCE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

By Mrs. T. D. Power

When the three Chapters of Columbus were eagerly arranging for the coming of the State Conference Daughters of the American Revolution as honored guests to our city last year, Miss Katherine Snyder, a member of the Button Gwinnett Chapter, was made Chairman of decorations. Of natural artistic bent she soon conceived a harmonious stage setting and determined that the Insignia

should adorn the walls of the assembly. With skilful art of brush and colors craftily her dream was wrought into a thing of beauty and a faithful representation of our beloved Insignia was the result of applied art.

It was at that same Conference that our honored and beloved presiding Regent, Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, presented the munificent gift of the beautiful banner which adorns the platform this evening, and it will ever stand out a glowing tribute of her loyalty and generosity to the State Conference Daughters of the American Revolution over which she presides with queenly dignity and charming grace.

On this occasion also her generosity again finds further expression in the gift of the memorial emblem upon which each year at annual conference, to our departed, will be placed immortelles sacred to the memories of immortal Daughters who have passed to just rewards.

Quickly perceiving the symmetry and appropriateness of a complete stage equipment the three Chapters of Columbus decided that the Insignia should go with the other emblems to the State Conference. Thus the two gifts from the one proved the inspiration for the donation of the other. Following the gleam—

"As one lamp lights another nor grows less;
So nobleness enkindleth nobleness."

Operating conjointly we alternate aware and unaware, the reflex act of life.

Now, to the Daughters of the State of Georgia, as the Regent of the Button Gwinnett Chapter, it becomes my duty and happy privilege to present to you the handiwork of Miss Snyder, one of its members, and also very especially with the united love and best wishes, and on behalf of and in the names of James Oglethorpe, George Walton and Button Gwinnett Chapters we present to you the Insignia of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

(Miss Snyder pressed the button illuminating Insignia.)

"Here's to the blue of it,
Heavenly hue of it,"
Star-spangled rim of it
Glowing lights brighten the blue.

Over our hearts we will wear it,
In full glory display it.
Liberty's gleam adorns it,
Womanhood's devotion conceived it.

"Thrilled by the sight of it,
As we feel the right of it.
Here's our love warm and true
Home or abroad we are for you!"

ACCEPTANCE OF GIFTS

By Mrs. A. L. Wilkins

In behalf of the Georgia society, Daughters of the American Revolution, I accept these splendid gifts.

It has been said that "if one's heart is full of love and his hand full of service he has solved the riddle of life". Life then can surely hold no unsolved riddle for our splendid State Regent, and the personnel of these three progressive Columbus chapters who by their gifts to us tonight have manifested love, interest, and a most pleasing generosity.

We would thank the Button Gwinnett, Oglethorpe, and George

Walton chapters and commend them for their loyalty to this organization of which they are a part and for their zealous service throughout the year. Tonight's gift is but one of the many forms this service has taken. Our hearts are particularly warm towards these chapters for it was only last year that they welcomed us to their beautiful city and into their hospitable, happy homes.

To our beloved State Regent who always gives so freely, not only of material things, but of herself so unsparingly we would offer our thanks. In the two years just closing Mrs. Talmadge has allowed neither the serious illness of herself nor that of her husband to interfere with the work of her beloved organization. She has given us her best and that best has crowned the Georgia society with splendid accomplishment.

We wish that she might lead us on to higher endeavor. We are glad, however, to offer her to the National society where we feel she will reflect great credit not only upon herself, but upon the whole of Georgia. And for you, dear Mrs. Talmadge,

"We pray the prayer the easterners do,
May the peace of Allah abide with you.
Wherever you stay, wherever you go,
May the beautiful palm of Allah grow.
Through the days of labor and the nights of rest
May the love of sweet Allah make you blest.
So we touch our hearts as the easterners do,
May the peace of Allah abide with you."

BY-LAWS OF THE STATE CONFERENCE

REVISED 1922.

ARTICLE I.

Object

The object of the State Conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Georgia is to promote the aims set forth in the constitution of the National Society, and to secure the benefits of co-operation of the Chapters in our own State, keeping in view especially the preservation of the memory of its Revolutionary patriots, the study of its history, and the education of its youth in patriotic ideals and in the duties of citizenship.

ARTICLE II.

Membership

The voting members at the State Conference shall be its officers, the officers of the National Society whose membership is within the State, and the Regents (or in their absence the Vice-Regents) and the delegates or their alternates from the Chapters of the State that are entitled to representation at the Continental Congress or special meetings of the National Society. The number of representatives from each Chapter shall be determined by the rules for representation of Chapters in the Continental Congress, as given in the National By-Laws. A member must have belonged to a Chapter at least one year before she is eligible to serve as a delegate or alternate from the Chapter. Chapters failing to pay dues required of them by the By-Laws shall not be entitled to representation at the meetings of the State Conference. (See note at end of By-Laws.)

ARTICLE III.

Officers

Section 1. The officers of the State Conference shall be the State Regent, the State Vice-Regent, a Second Vice-Regent, a Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary, a Treasurer, an Historian, a Librarian, an Auditor, a Consulting Registrar, a State Editor, and an Assistant State Editor. These officers shall be elected by the State Conference biennially by ballot. A majority of the votes cast shall elect. Vacancies in office between annual meetings shall be filled by appointment made by the State Regent, and unexpired terms of officers so appointed shall be filled by election at the next annual meeting.

Sec. 2. The terms of officers shall begin at the close of the Continental Congress following their election.

Sec. 3. Any member of a Chapter in this State who has been a member of the Society for two years, and is in good standing as such, is eligible for office in the State Conference, but no one who has held such an office for a term of two years shall be eligible for the same office for the next term.

Sec. 4. On the election of State Regent and State Vice-Regent, a certificate of their election, containing a copy of the Conference minutes as to the election, signed by the presiding officer and the secretary of the meeting, shall be promptly transmitted to the Organizing Secretary General of the National Society by registered mail, and duplicates shall be furnished to those elected. The nomination

of a candidate for Vice-President General shall be certified in the same manner.

ARTICLE IV. **Duties of Officers**

Section 1. The State Regent shall be the presiding officer of the State Conference. In her absence the State Vice-Regent shall preside. In the absence of both of these officers the Second Vice-Regent shall preside.

Sec. 2. The Recording Secretary shall record the proceedings of the State Conference and of meetings of its Executive Board, and shall compile and have printed the book of the proceedings, under the supervision of the State Regent and the Press Committee.

Sec. 3. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct correspondence and send notices in behalf of the State Conference, the State Regent, and the Executive Board, as directed by them.

Sec. 4. The Treasurer shall be the custodian of the funds of the State Conference. She shall collect the State Conference dues from the Chapters, and shall receive all sums contributed through the Conference. She shall pay out such funds only when authorized by the By-Laws or by the State Conference. She shall keep an account of all sums received and paid out, and shall keep receipts for all payments.

Sec. 5. The Historian shall conduct such historical work and make such reports as to matters relating to Georgia history, or to the work of the Society, as she may deem proper, or as may be directed by the State Conference.

Sec. 6. The Librarian shall endeavor to collect books and documents which relate to the work of the Society or which may be useful for reference in its historical or genealogical work. She may deposit books and documents in the Department of Archives and History at the State Capitol, and, with the approval of the Executive Board, may turn over books to the State Library. She shall furnish to the State Library, and may furnish to other public libraries, the Proceedings of the State Conference, and shall keep on file the proceedings of all the annual meetings. She shall keep a catalogue of the books and documents received, and receipts for those delivered by her, and shall deliver to her successor all books and papers in her possession as Librarian, not disposed of as above.

Sec. 7. The Consulting Registrar shall, when requested, assist applicants for membership in the National Society to prove eligibility, where they reside in towns or counties in which there is no Chapter, and shall give desired assistance to Chapter Registrars in verifying lineage papers.

Sec. 8. The Auditor shall examine the accounts and report of the Treasurer and shall report thereon at the annual meeting, or when requested by the Executive Board.

Sec. 9. The State Editor shall conduct the department devoted to the Daughters of the American Revolution in the Atlanta Constitution, which is the official organ of the State Conference. She shall be assisted by the Assistant Editor.

ARTICLE V. **Committees**

Section 1. The State Regent shall, as soon as practicable after the commencement of her term of office, appoint committees to assist in conducting the work of the Society and of the State Conference. There shall be Committees on Credentials, Program of the Conference, Rules, Press, Continental Memorial Hall, Records, Historic Sites and Monuments, Graves of Revolutionary Soldiers, Patriotic

Education, Patriotic Anniversaries, Historical Program, Meadow Garden, and such other committees as may be provided for by the State Conference or may be deemed proper by the State Regent. The Treasurer and the Corresponding Secretary shall be ex-officio members of the Committee on Credentials.

ARTICLE VI.

Executive Board

The officers of the State Conference and the chairmen of the standing committee shall constitute the Executive Board, with the State Regent (or, in her absence, the State Vice-Regent) as its presiding officer. The Board shall meet at or before the time of the meeting of the State Conference, and whenever called together by the State Regent. It shall receive reports from officers and committees as to their work, shall supervise the program and arrangements for the Conference, and shall make recommendations to the Conference.

ARTICLE VII.

Meetings

Section 1. The State Conference shall convene annually between the first day of February and the time of the meeting of the Continental Congress. The Conference shall not convene in Lent, if it is practicable to meet at a different time within the period prescribed above, and shall never convene in Holy Week. The Executive Board shall fix the time and place of meeting when not fixed by the preceding Conference, or when for any reason it may be impracticable to meet at a time or place fixed by the Conference.

Sec. 2. The State Regent shall send notice of the time and place of meeting and credential blanks to the Chapters at least sixty days before the time of meeting.

Sec. 3. To constitute a quorum for a meeting of the State Conference, delegates from a majority of the Chapters in the State must be present.

Sec. 4. The Order of Business of the Conference shall be as follows:

Conference called to order by the State Regent.

Invocation.

Greetings and responses.

Credential Committee's report.

Roll Call.

Program Committee's report.

Executive Board Minutes Read.

Reports of Officers, Committees, and Chapters.

Unfinished Business.

Nomination and election of officers.

New Business.

ARTICLE VIII.

Dues

The annual dues of Chapters to the State Conference shall be twenty cents for each member of the Chapter, to be paid to the Treasurer of the Conference at least thirty days before the annual meeting.

ARTICLE IX.

Expenses of Officers

Necessary expenses of the State Regent and of the other officers of the State Conference for stationery and correspondence shall be

paid by the Treasurer on presentation of itemized statements approved in writing by the State Regent.

ARTICLE X.

Rules of Order

Roberts' Rules of Order (Revised) shall be the governing authority in parliamentary law for the State Conference, in matters not covered by the By-Laws.

ARTICLE XI.

Amendments

The By-Laws of the State Conference may be amended at any annual meeting, after sixty days' notice of the proposed amendment has been given to the Chapters. Publication of such notice by the State Editor in the department conducted by her shall be sufficient notice. An affirmative vote of two-thirds of the delegates present shall be necessary for the adoption of an amendment to the By-Laws.

above, and shall never convene in holy week. The Executive Board

NOTE TO ARTICLE II.

Representation Under National By-Laws

Each Chapter may be represented by its Regent (or in her absence by its Vice Regent), except Chapters organized in a locality where there was already a Chapter; in which case the additional Chapter must have 25 members before it can be represented. Chapters of 50 and not exceeding 100 members may have one delegate in addition to the Regent; Chapters of more than 100, one delegate for each 100 members. "A member must have belonged to a Chapter at least one year before she is eligible to serve as a delegate or alternate from that Chapter." Hence a Chapter not a year old can not have a delegate in addition to its Regent. Alternates for delegates should be elected, not to exceed 10 from any Chapter; and vacancies in a delegation may be filled by the Regent of the Chapter from the duly elected alternates. (See Nat. By-Laws, Art., IX, Sec. 7, 8.)

The numbers given above, as to membership, relate only to members in good standing, whose dues for the year have been paid. (Nat. By-Laws, Art. V., Sec. 7.)

CHAPTER CONTRIBUTIONS.

Any contributions by Chapters should be made through the State Treasurer, so that they may appear in her report.

NATIONAL BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I.

Disqualification of Members at Large.

Sec. 6. A member at large shall not be eligible to be a delegate or an alternate to the meetings of the National Society or a State Conference, or to hold a National or State office, or to serve on a National or State committee.

ARTICLE V.

Dues

Section 1. The initiation fee shall be five dollars.

Sec. 2. The annual dues shall be two dollars, payable in advance, on or before January 1st.

Sec. 3. One dollar of the dues collected from each member of a

Chapter shall be sent by the Chapter Treasurer to the Treasurer General on or before January 5th of each year.

ARTICLE IX.

Transfers

Sec. 9. A member in good and regular standing desiring to be transferred from one chapter to another, or to membership at large, shall be entitled to a transfer card signed by the Regent, Treasurer, and Registrar of the Chapter. A member at large in good and regular standing desiring to be transferred to a Chapter shall be entitled to a transfer card signed by the Treasurer General and the Registrar General. No member shall be entitled to more than one transfer in a year. Members at large uniting to form a Chapter shall be regarded as a transfer. The transfer card of a member at large to a Chapter, or of a member of one Chapter to another Chapter, shall be presented by the member desiring to be transferred to the Chapter with which she wishes to unite. If she is accepted by the Chapter, the transfer shall become effective upon the receipt by the Treasurer General of a statement from the Chapter receiving the member to that effect. A transfer of a member of a Chapter to a membership at large shall become effective upon its receipt.

Transfer cards must be accompanied by a copy of the membership application paper. If a copy is made by the National Society, a fee of one dollar shall be charged the member for each copy.

Chapter Names

Sec. 14. Chapter must not be named for living persons. No Chapter can take for its use the name of historic property owned by the Daughters of the American Revolution of a State, or by another Chapter of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, or the name of a Chapter already organized. A Chapter desiring a certain name shall present it to the Organizing Secretary General, who shall submit it to the National Board of Management for approval or rejection. After a name has been officially granted, it shall not be changed by the Chapter unless permission is granted by the National Board of Management, which shall require a two-thirds vote.

ARTICLE XIII.

Insignia—How Worn

The insignia of the National Society shall consist of a badge in the form of a spinning wheel and distaff. It shall be carried only on the left breast.

IMPORTANT RESOLUTION.

"Resolved, That it is the judgement of the Executive Board that nominations for State Regent should not be made by Chapters earlier than three months prior to the meeting of the Conference. When so made they shall be furnished to the State Editor for publication." Unanimously passed by State Conference.

Chapters are requested to hold their elections in May. It is desirable that their reports to the Conference shall be made by officers whose work covers at least the greater part of the year preceding the Conference.

Revised Form For Chapter By-Laws

Submitted by Mrs. John M. Graham, Chairman of Rules, 1923.

ARTICLE I.

Name

The name of this Chapter shall be _____
CHAPTER OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLU-
TION.

ARTICLE II.

Object

The objects of this Chapter are those set forth in the Constitu-
tion of the NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE
AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

ARTICLE III.

Membership

Section 1. Any woman not less than eighteen years of age, de-
scended from a man or woman who gave unflinching loyal service to
the cause of American Independence as a recognized patriot, soldier,
sailor or civic officer, in one of the several Colonies or States, or
of the United Colonies or States, or rendered material service
thereto, is eligible to membership in this Chapter, if acceptable to
the Chapter.

Sec. 2. No person shall be a candidate for membership in the
Chapter unless proposed in writing by a member to whom she is
personally known. The proposer shall send the candidate's name
to the Corresponding Secretary, who shall submit it to the Board
of Managers, and the Board shall vote on the name by ballot. No
candidate shall be voted on at the meeting at which she is pro-
posed. If the candidate be approved by the Board, the Registrar
shall notify her to that effect, and, at her request, shall supply her
with application blanks, and, when her application is made in due
form and the initiation fee and annual dues are paid, the Treasurer
shall forward the same to the Treasurer-General for action by the
National Board. The application must be endorsed by two members
of the Chapter in good standing.

ARTICLE IV.

Officers

The officers of the Chapter shall be the Regent, a Vice-Regent, a
Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary, a Registrar, a
Treasurer, an Historian, an Auditor, and a Board of Managers, which
shall consist of the above-named officers and of _____
other members. They shall be elected by ballot at the annual
meeting, and shall hold office until their successors shall have
been elected. A majority of the votes cast shall elect. Vacancies
in office occurring between annual meetings shall be filled by the
Board of Managers.

ARTICLE V.

Duties of Officers

Section 1. The Regent shall be the presiding officer of the
Chapter, and shall be an ex-officio member of all committees. In
her absence the Vice-Regent shall preside.

Sec. 2. The Recording Secretary shall record the proceedings of all meetings of the Chapter and of the Board of Managers in a book kept for that purpose, and shall be the custodian of the records of the meetings. She shall have at hand at each meeting her book of minutes and copies of the By-Laws of the Chapter and of the National Society, and of the State Conference. She shall report to the Organizing Secretary-General the election of officers and the date of election, and on or before the first day of March of each year shall send to the chairman of the Credential Committee of the Congress of the National Society the names of the Chapter delegates and their alternates. She shall notify the State Regent and the State Editor of the election of all officers and delegates. She shall from time to time send to the State Editor brief accounts of meetings of the Chapter.

Sec. 3. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct correspondence and send notices in behalf of the Chapter, the Regent, and the Board of Managers, as directed by them.

Sec. 4. The Registrar shall have the custody of all applications for membership and duplicates of papers returned by the Registrar-General, and shall keep a register of the names of the members and of the dates of election, resignation and death. She shall examine all applications for membership, and, if the applicant is found eligible, shall approve the application; if not, she shall return the application, pointing out the defects. She shall be entitled to collect a fee of _____ from any person to whom she furnishes a copy of the application of a member. She shall notify the Registrar-General and the State Regent of the resignation or death of any member of the Chapter.

Sec. 5. The Treasurer shall be custodian of the funds of the Chapter, and shall collect all dues from members. She shall pay out such funds only when authorized by the By-Laws or by the Chapter. She shall keep a book in which she shall enter all sums received and paid out, and she shall keep receipts for all payments. Her books of accounts shall be at hand at each meeting of the Chapter and of the Board of Managers. She shall send to the Treasurer-General before January 5th of each year one dollar of the dues collected from each member and an alphabetical list of the members to whom the dues shall be accredited. She shall report to the Treasurer-General on the first day of January, June, and November all changes in membership between the dates of reports, members in arrears, marriages, and deaths of members. And she shall pay to the Treasurer of the State Conference, at least thirty days before the annual meeting of the Conference, the annual State-Conference dues of the Chapter, accompanied by a list of the members.

Sec. 6. The Historian shall conduct such historical work and make such reports as to matters relating to the work of the Society or of the Chapter as she may deem proper, or as may be directed by the Chapter. She should send at least once a year to the Reporter-General to the Smithsonian Institute an account of the work of the Chapter.

Sec. 7. The Auditor shall examine and audit the accounts of the Treasurer and report thereon to the Chapter when directed by the Chapter, and at least at the annual meeting.

Sec. 8. The Board of Managers shall be authorized to transact all Chapter business except as otherwise provided by the By-Laws or by the Chapter. They shall elect a chairman from their own number by ballot. They shall meet monthly, and at such other times as they may appoint, and shall meet at any time at the call of the Regent.

ARTICLE VI.

Election of Delegates

Elections of Delegates and Alternates to the State Conference and to the Congress of the National Society shall take place at the January meeting of the Chapter.

ARTICLE VII.

Meetings

Section 1. The regular meetings of the Chapter shall be held on the ____ of each month from _____ to _____ inclusive, except that the February meeting shall be held on Georgia Day (12th), and the June meeting on Flag Day (14th), and where the meeting day falls on Sunday the meeting shall be held on the following Monday. Seven members shall constitute a quorum.

Sec. 2. The May meeting shall be the annual meeting, at which reports of officers shall be made and officers elected.

ARTICLE VIII.

Dues

The initiation fee shall be five dollars, and the annual dues two dollars, and State Conference dues twenty cents, payable in advance.

ARTICLE IX.

Expenditures and Debts

No expenditure of money shall be made or indebtedness be incurred by the Chapter in excess of _____ dollars, unless authorized by a two-thirds vote of the members present at a regular meeting, after a motion for that purpose has been presented in writing at a previous meeting.

ARTICLE X.

Rules of Order

Robert's Rules of Order (Revised) shall be the governing authority in parliamentary law for the Chapter, in matters not covered by the By-Laws.

ARTICLE XI.

Amendments

These By-Laws may be altered or amended by a vote of three-fourths of the members present at any meeting of the Chapter, after notice of the proposed change has been given in writing at a previous meeting.

NOTE.—The foregoing form of Chapter By-Laws is submitted by way of suggestion to those who desire a form to guide them in the preparation of By-Laws.

STATE CONFERENCE

The first State Conference was called by Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, State Regent, and was held at the Atlanta Exposition of 1895. The annual Conference began in 1899. In that year a Conference for the purpose of effecting a State organization was called by Mrs. Robert Emory Park, State Regent, and was held in Atlanta, May 23-24. By-Laws were adopted and State officers elected. The succeeding Conferences were numbered from this Conference, until the Conference of 1909 adopted a motion, offered by Mrs. Mallory Taylor, "that the first State Conference in 1895 be recognized, and the next annual Conference, instead of being the twelfth, shall be the thirteenth." (Minutes, p. 21.) No Conference was held in 1911; the time of meetings having been changed from the fall to the first part of the year by the Conference in 1910, which adopted a recommendation of the Executive Board (made on the motion of Mrs. P. W. Godfrey) "that the State Conference be carried over from November, 1910, to 1912, prior to Congress in 1912;" amended by Miss Ray of Atlanta, "that we have Conference in the spring, not to interfere with Lent." (Minutes, p. 21.)

The dates and places of meeting and the numerical designation of the Conference after the first annual Conference (1899) were as follows: (2) Atlanta, Nov. 27-28, 1900. (3) Augusta, Nov. 21-22, 1901. (4) Savannah, Nov. 13-14-15, 1902. (5) Atlanta, Nov. 5-6-7, 1903. (6) Athens, Nov. 9-10-11, 1904. (7) Macon, Nov. 15-16-17, 1905. (8) Columbus, Nov. 21-22-23, 1906. (9) Rome, Oct. 23-24-25, 1907. (10) Covington, Nov. 4-5-6, 1908. (11) Brunswick, Nov. 10-11-12-13, 1909. Change in Conference number so as to count from Conference of 1895. (13) Savannah, Nov. 22-23, 1910. (14) Marietta, April 9-10-11, 1912. (15) Augusta, March 25-26-27-28, 1913. (16) Macon, Feb. 16-17-18-19, 1914. (17) Atlanta, Feb. 9-10-11-12, 1915. (18) Columbus, Feb. 22-23-24-25, 1916. (19) Quitman, Feb. 13-14-15-16, 1917. (20) Athens, April 3-4-5, 1918. (21) Albany, April, 1-2-3, 1919. (22) Moultrie, April 6-7-8, 1920. (23) Dalton, April 5-6-7, 1921. (24) Valdosta, April 4-5-6, 1922. (25) Atlanta, April 3-4-5, 1923. (26) Savannah, March 11-12-14, 1924. (27) Columbus, March 31, April 1-2, 1925. (28) Americus, March 16-17-18, 1926.

ITEMS OF INFORMATION

GEORGIA DAY

The first concerted effort to bring about the annual celebration of the date of the landing of Oglethorpe and his colonists (February 12, 1733) under the name of "Georgia Day," was made by the Joseph Habersham Chapter of Atlanta in 1901, and, with the co-operation of the State School Commissioner, soon resulted in its observance in many schools. Credit for these first efforts is due to Miss Nina Hornaday, Georgia Day Chairman of the Chapter, and Mrs. W. L. Peel, then Regent.

In 1904, Mrs. John M. Graham, then Regent of the Joseph Habersham Chapter, seeing that Mr. Calvin had introduced in the Legislature a bill providing for school celebrations on certain other anniversaries, endeavored to have similar recognition given to Georgia Day, and in this was aided by Miss Hornaday. The result was that the Legislative Committee on Education reported a Georgia Day bill as a substitute for Mr. Calvin's bill, but it did not pass. At the next State Conference, Mrs. Graham moved the appointment of a committee to procure legislation on the subject, and she was appointed chairman. A bill presented by her was introduced in the Legislature by Hon. Madison Bell, but failed to pass, and at her request was reintroduced in 1909 by Hon. John M. Slaton, then President of the Senate, and in that year became a law. It provides for observance of the day in the public schools by exercises consisting of written compositions, readings, recitations, addresses, or other exercises relating to this State and its history and to the lives of distinguished Georgians. Many Chapters gave school prizes on that day.

INFORMATION FOR REGENTS

Prompt reports should be sent to Director General in charge of Smithsonian Report.

The election and appointment of officers should be promptly reported to the Organizing Secretary, Memorial Continental Hall; to the State Regent, and to the State Secretary. The full Christian names of Chapter officers should be given, together with the husband's name or initials, name of Chapter, and address of Chapter Regent.

Notices of death and resignation should be sent to the Registrar General. Notices of marriages, transfers, and dropped members should be sent to the Treasurer-General. Notice of change of address should be sent to the Organizing Secretary General.

The Historian General requests "that to insure uniformity and convenience of filing, all records shall be typewritten upon one side of paper, eight and one-half by eleven (8½x11) inches, with one inch margin on left side and bottom. One and one-half inches at top." One copy should be sent to the Historian General, one copy to the State Historian, and one copy retained in Chapter archives.

Chapter Year Books should be 5½x7 inches, to conform to request from National Secretary, in order that the Librarian General can file copies as records. Copies should be sent to her. Year Books should be sent to State Regent and State Recording Secretary.

Chapter By-Laws must not conflict with the National and State By-Laws. Chapters are advised to incorporate their By-Laws in the Year Books.

BADGES FOR STATE CONFERENCE.

The following recommendation was adopted for badges for State Conference:

1. "We recommend that only two colors of the Society, white and blue, be used for badges.
2. "That blue ribbon with white letters and insignia be used for officers and chairman of committees.
3. "That white ribbon with blue letters and insignia be used for Regent and delegates.
4. "That white ribbon with 'Alternate' printed in blue letters on it, be used for alternates.
5. "That white ribbon with only name of hostess Chapter in blue letters be used by the entertaining Chapter or Chapters. Delegates to the State Conference are requested to wear a badge of white ribbon with the name of their Chapters in blue letters on it."

CREDENTIALS AND BADGES.

State Conference delegates and alternates and State officers are required to sign their names on the credentials list before receiving Conference badges.

JOSEPH HABERSHAM CHAPTER HISTORICAL COLLECTIONS.

Volumes I and II, published in 1901 and 1902. Contents. Unpublished list of soldiers, lists of emigrants, marriages, death notices, all kinds of court records, family sketches and valuable genealogies, all original documents. Only a few on hand. Price: Vol. I, 352 pages, \$5.00; Vol. II, 688 pages, \$5.50.

Volume III. Counties: All marriages, wills, deeds, etc., in eighteen Georgia counties organized 1796; also, Logan's Manuscript History of Upper Carolina, containing hundreds of names. Price, 293 pages, \$5.00.

Booklet of Historical Pageant, with all important events in Georgia History up to 1920, 25 cents.

For particulars address Miss Helen M. Prescott, 126 East Eleventh St., Atlanta, Ga.

THE REVOLUTIONARY READER.

Reminiscences and Indian Legents. By Sophie Lee Foster.

This book, replete with historical incidents of Revolutionary times and Indian legends, was compiled in the interest of patriotic education during Mrs. Foster's term of office as State Regent of Georgia, and was dedicated to the Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution. The net profits from its sale are given to patriotic education. It has met with popular favor, having been sold from Maine to California. Copies have been bought by nearly all the Chapters of Georgia. U. D. C. Chapters, as well as D. A. R. Chapters, have given copies as prizes in schools, and in some schools it has been adopted as a supplemental reader. Price, \$2.00 delivered. For particulars, address Mrs. Sheppard W. Foster, 711 Peachtree St., Atlanta, Ga.

IMPORTANT DAYS TO BE OBSERVED BY D. A. R.

- Feb. 6—INTERNATIONAL DAY.
- Feb. 12—GEORGIA DAY.
- Feb. 22—GEORGE WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.
- June 14—FLAG DAY.
- July 4—INDEPENDENCE DAY.
- Sept. 6—LAFAYETTE DAY.
- Sept. 17—CONSTITUTION AND MAGNA CHARTA DAY.
- Nov. 11—ARMISTICE DAY.

SONG.

Copies of song, "Georgia," words by Prof. Joseph T. Derry, music by Mrs. Albert Spalding, and adopted as a D. A. R. patriotic song, can be obtained from Professor Derry, Jacksonville, Florida.

FLAG LAW OF GEORGIA.

AN ACT to prevent any person, firm or corporation within this State, from using the flag or national emblem of the United States of America for the purpose of advertising articles of merchandise, or to desecrate or contemptuously use or otherwise abuse the same, and for other purposes.

SECTION ONE—Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that from and after the passage of this Act it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation of this State to copy, print, publish or otherwise use flag or national emblem of the United States of America for the purpose of advertising, selling or promoting the sale of any article of merchandise whatever, within this State.

Sec. TWO—Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that it shall also be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation within this State to mutilate, deface, defile or contemptuously abuse the flag or national emblem of the United States by any act whatever.

Sec. THREE—Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that nothing in this Act shall be construed so as to prevent any person, firm or corporation from using any flag, standard, color, shield, ensign, or other insignia of the United States of America for decorative or patriotic purposes, either inside or outside of any residence, store, place of business or public building, or school building.

Sec. FOUR—Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that any person, firm or corporation who violates any of the provisions of this Act shall be punished as prescribed in Section 1065 of the Criminal Code of 1910 as for a misdemeanor.

Sec. FIVE—Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

Approved August 18th, 1917.

RESOLUTION AS TO STATE REGENT.

By the Conference of 1919, on motion of Mrs. Mallory Taylor: "That hereafter no more testimonials of our love and appreciation be given our retiring Regents, except flowers." Minutes, p. 25.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE HONOR ROLL

Resolution No. 14, presented to the 1926 Conference was amended to read, "That the State Regent and State Recording Secretary compile a list of requirements for the Honor Roll and have published in the Proceedings."

The permanent requirements of the Honor Roll, named pursuant to resolutions which have been passed from time to time by the State Conferences, are as follows:

25 cents per capita for Immigrant's Manual.

\$2.00 per chapter for Ellis Island.

\$2.50 from chapters with membership under 50, and \$5.00 from chapters with membership over 50, to the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund.

\$2.00 per Chapter for Marking Historic Spots, and all National and State dues.

Other requirements may be added by the State Regent. If so these will be incorporated in her Fall Message.

History of the D. A. R. Student Loan Fund of Georgia

In 1916, the resolution offered by Mrs. Howard H. McCall, State Regent, to establish a "D. A. R. Loan Fund" was adopted by the State Conference.

Because of the World War active work on this fund was suspended until the close of the War in 1918.

In 1919, by resolution, the Georgia D. A. R. gave a loan Scholarship of \$150.00 (taken from the D. A. R. Loan Fund) for a girl to enter the University of Georgia, Mrs. J. S. Wood, State Regent. The Georgia D. A. R. were the first organization to petition the University of Georgia to open its doors to women for higher education; this petition was sent by Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, State Regent at that time.

In 1918, when Mrs. Julius Talmadge was Regent of the Elijah Clarke Chapter, at Athens, this chapter started a Memorial Loan Fund at the University of Georgia to which they contributed \$200.00 a year until 1920. At that time, Mrs. Talmadge offered a resolution at the State Conference, "that the memorial, originated by this chapter, be known as the Georgia D. A. R. Memorial Scholarship for our Soldier Boys, who gave up their lives in the World War." It was to be \$5,000.00 and placed at the University of Georgia. This resolution was adopted. This fund was raised under the Regency of Mrs. Max Land. The Elijah Clarke Chapter of Athens, with Mrs. Julius Talmadge Chairman of Finance, gave over \$2,300.00 of this amount and the first gift from the State was \$100.00. (\$84.15 being taken from the Loan Fund.)

In 1923, the D. A. R. Loan Fund was again actively taken up and a committee known as the D. A. R. Loan Scholarship Committee was appointed to work out details. The \$300.00 in treasury (or loaned to girls) was the beginning of the \$5,000.00 Loan Fund; and in 1924, the sum total was \$1,012.50.

In 1924, another Loan Fund of \$1,500.00 was completed and presented to the Georgia State College for Women at Valdosta, under the Regency of Mrs. Charles Akerman.

In April 1924, when Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge became State Regent, she brought new life and inspiration to this long delayed work and has made the completion of the \$5,000.00 D. A. R. Student Loan Fund one of the principal activities of her regency. Mrs. Talmadge was National Chairman of this fund, having been appointed by Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook, President General after the National Society had decided to create a special committee for this all important work.

When your State Chairman, Mrs. Bun Wylie was appointed in 1924, to take up this work, there was in the treasury of the D. A. R. Loan Fund, about one thousand dollars. In 1924-25 \$2,536.72 was raised. In 1925-26, \$2,003.73—thus completing our Loan Fund for girls.

We have loaned from this fund \$1,000.00 to worthy young women in our State.

We have invested \$4,000.00 in auditorium bonds, paying 6 per cent., the interest on this money to continue loans with.

I want to congratulate Mrs. Julius Talmadge, State Regent—the regents throughout the State and members of the Chapters, on the splendid work they have accomplished, during the past two years—the completion of the \$5,000.00 D. A. R. Student Loan Fund for girls. You have exceeded the amount desired, raising \$5,600.00. It will go down in history as one of the splendid accomplishments of the Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution.

MRS. BUN WYLIE, State Chairman.

THE STORY OF GEORGIA BAY IN WASHINGTON MEMORIAL CHAPEL AT VALLEY FORGE

Since our earliest childhood when we hear the name of Valley Forge we think at once of Washington during the Revolution. Valley Forge was selected by Washington as the site for his encampment during the hard winter of 1777-78. Here it was on the west bank of the Schuylkill that the Commander in Chief brought together the remnants of his army, after the failure of his forces to save Philadelphia from falling into the hands of the British under Sir William Howe. Every foot of those hills is sacred ground in the eyes of true Americans, and every foot is fraught with historic association.

Valley Forge is now a State Park in the control of the Valley Forge Park Commission appointed by the Assembly of the State of Pennsylvania, June 8th, 1893. Washington Memorial Chapel is the outcome of a sermon preached by Dr. Herbert W. Burk, on February 22nd, 1903. At that time Dr. Burk suggested a "Way-side Chapel" where any American might kneel and pray for such courage as had Washington, but the idea grew and grew 'till today it stands one of the greatest memorials of the world and is recognized as the American Westminster.

The "Cloister of the Colonies" is a unique monument of patriotism and the most beautiful memorial at Valley Forge. Each of the thirteen original Colonies is represented by a bay. The Cloister forms a porte cochere to the chapel and one of the entrances to the Washington Memorial Churchyard, but its most important use is in connection with the open air services, for which it is the chancel. The beautiful Open Air Pulpit faces the grove where already more than ten thousand have gathered for a patriotic service. The Founder's dream of a great woodland cathedral has been realized through the patriotism and generosity of Mrs. Charles Custis Harrison, who in 1918 had elm trees sent from Mount Vernon for this purpose. The Mount Vernon elms have been planted in the form of a cross with the Cloister at its head. Adjoining the Woodland Cathedral there is an evergreen chapel containing a bronze statue of Washington at prayer.

"Beginning at the front of the chapel the bays are New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virginia (the archway), Maryland, Massachusetts, Delaware, New York and Connecticut. New Hampshire is the first bay, architecturally, and it forms the entrance to the Chapel and to the choir room. Adjoining it is the South Carolina Bay. The Rhode Island, North Carolina and Georgia Bays complete the Cloister of the Colonies."

In 1919 Mr. Charles Adamson of Cedartown, Ga., was shown through the Chapel. The attendant called his attention to the fact that in the ceiling of the Chapel were places for seals of every state and the only one missing was Georgia. Mr. Adamson put the Georgia seal in the Chapel in memory of his father, Thomas Adamson. Mr. Charles Curtis Harrison, then asked Mr. Adamson to undertake the work of raising the money required to build the Georgia Bay in the Cloister of the Colonies.

During the same year Mrs. E. B. Codington, another Georgian and a member of the Nathaniel Macon Chapter D. A. R. visited Valley Forge and became interested in the building of the Georgia Bay. Mrs. Codington upon her return brought the matter to the attention of the Nathaniel Macon Chapter D. A. R. and a few months later Mrs. T. E. Blackshear, the Regent of the Nathaniel Macon Chapter, invited Mr. Adamson to speak to her Chapter about the plans for raising funds. At this time the chapter pledged

\$100.00. At the State Conference in Moultrie in 1920 Mrs. Blackshear presented this new work to the conference and much interest was created. Mrs. Max Land, the State Regent, at once appointed a committee with Mrs. T. E. Blackshear as chairman, to raise funds to build Georgia Bay. The work was new and therefore hard, but Mrs. Blackshear created much interest in the work. Under the administration of Mrs. Charles Akerman as State Regent, Mrs. W. B. Daniel of Eastman served as State Chairman of Georgia Bay and under Mrs. Julius Talmadge as State Regent, Mrs. Tom Wood of Savannah served as State Chairman. The completion of the Georgia Bay during this administration is due to Mrs. Wood's untiring zeal and enthusiasm.

From year to year donations from D. A. R. increased and when sufficient funds to build the Bay were secured, Mr. Harrison let the contract and in October 1925 it was finished. Georgia D. A. R. contributed over half the amount of money needed, the Colonial Dames of Georgia, the Kiwanis Clubs of Macon, Albany, Milledgeville, Cedartown and Hawkinsville, Ga., gave substantial contributions. The balance of the money was raised by the most persistent state wide canvass made by Mr. Adamson from his office in Cedartown. The total cost of the Bay was \$8,404.00.

The effort was to have Georgia Bay built by the citizens of the State and more nearly has this been done than in the case of any of the other twelve State Bays. Georgia Bay was dedicated May 20th, 1926, with appropriate services. At the request of Mr. Adamson, the inscription on the Bay was written by Mrs. Tom Wood of Savannah, the present Chairman of Georgia Bay, D. A. R., who has been a most faithful and active worker, and is as follows:

"TO THE GLORY OF GOD
AND IN HONOR OF THE
GEORGIA MEN
WHOSE LIVES WERE GIVEN FOR
AMERICA'S INDEPENDENCE
THIS BAY IS ERECTED BY
CHARLES ADAMSON
GEORGIA DAUGHTERS OF THE
AMERICAN REVOLUTION,
COLONIAL DAMES,
CITIZENS OF GEORGIA"

LUCY COOK PEEL MEMORIAL FUND AND WHAT IS BEING ACCOMPLISHED WITH IT

In 1923 the State Conference established the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Fund for the preservation of records and history, as a tribute of Mrs. William Lawson Peel thus doing honor to the memory of one of Georgia's most distinguished daughters. She was on the National Historical Committee, also Chairman of the National Committee of Real Daughters. As Regent of the Joseph Habersham Chapter she was instrumental in collecting records and publishing three volumes of the Joseph Habersham Historical Collections and also had the historical and genealogical data for the fourth volume.

The first work done by the committee was at the request of the Fielding Lewis Chapter. Two hundred dollars (\$200.00) was taken from the Lucy Cook Peel Fund and sent to Mrs. Walter S. Wilson, Genealogist of the Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, Savannah, to pay for copying the records on file in that county. Public records of Franklin County, consisting of abstracts of wills, marriages, deeds,

administrations, jury lists, grants and court dockets were transcribed by Mrs. Walter S. Wilson, State Consulting Registrar, Ex-Regent Lachlan McIntosh Chapter, D. A. R., Member of the League of American Pen Women and Georgia Historical Society, and Mrs. John L. Davidson State Chairman Historical Research and Preservation of Records, Regent of Hannah Clark Chapter, D. A. R. These two women were untiring in their labor of love.

Miss Helen Prescott, Genealogist of the Joseph Habersham Chapter requested her chapter donate to the State the two hundred and thirty-four pages (234) of historical records of counties formed before 1818, which she had collected years ago for volume four, Joseph Habersham Historical Collections. These records are valued at five hundred dollars (\$500.00). The Executive Board accepted this offer. Acting on the recommendation of the State Chairman of the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial Committee "that the manuscript from the Joseph Habersham Chapter and the records of Franklin County be published in book form, as a Memorial to Mrs. William Lawson Peel" I am very proud to report the completion of this book—"The Historical Collections of the Georgia Chapters Daughters of the American Revolution". Included in this book are names of Revolutionary soldiers buried in North Carolina. I wish to thank Miss Anna Blair and Mrs. Charles W. Tillet for this valuable list of names. Mrs. Eugene Smith of Atlanta, Georgia, gave the genealogy of Christian, Craig and Russel families; the Peter Early Chapter, description of land grants; and marriage records in Telfair County by Mrs. W. B. Daniel of Eastman, Georgia; Mrs. B. C. Wall, the very interesting history of St. Paul's Church; which she had presented to Mrs. Peel. This book will be included among the historical and genealogical reference books in Continental Memorial Hall Library. It was presented to the Library by the State Regent, Mrs. Julius Talmadge.

At the present time there is copy enough in the hands of the various chapters to publish a second volume. I wish to give thanks to the chapters who have so ably assisted in the publishing of this book—also to Mrs. Howard McCall ex-Vice-President General and Miss Helen Prescott of the Executive Board, Georgia D. A. R., who did valuable work as members of the committee of the Lucy Cook Peel Memorial.

The book cost \$1,277.00 and is paid for—the State Conference giving the last hundred dollars due.

MRS. W. F. DYKES, Chairman,
Lucy Cook Peel Memorial.

FLAG CODE

Arranged by Mrs. Mallory Taylor and Adopted by the D. A. R. in State Conference, April, 1919.

"Every star in the flag represents a particular State, Georgia's star is in the top row, the fourth from the staff, and was placed there January 2, 1788. The three states that came before it were Delaware, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey.

"The flag should never be used as a cover for a table, desk or box, unless a Bible, and nothing except a Bible is to be laid upon it. The colors must never touch the ground.

"For decoration, the national colors are more suitable, always placing the red at the top, but if the flag must be used, it should always be flat on the wall with the Union to the North or East, never draped or fastened. The flag of the free should fly free.

"It should never be placed below a person sitting. It cannot be used as an advertisement. It is a desecration to use it or a representation of it for pillow cases, table covers, napkins, handkerchiefs, neckwear, veils, blotters, food decorations, curtains or any part of a costume, as in some shows and circuses.

"The flag should be hoisted at sunrise or thereafter, never before, and lowered at sunset. To place the flag at half mast, raise it first the entire height of the staff and then slowly drop it halfway down.

"When other flags fly from the same staff, our flag is always the highest. When used with other flags as a decoration or in parade, our flag must be on the right.

"When the flag passes in parade, the spectators of both sexes should stand and face it, men and boys holding their head coverings over the heart with the right hand. If covered, they should salute, with the right hand salute, as do the soldiers and sailors.

"A flag unfurled and hung in a room in which they are present should be saluted by them the first time they pass it, as do the soldiers and sailors, but not afterwards.

"When the flag is raised at a ceremony everyone present should stand, face the flag and uncover or salute as when it passes in parade.

"It is used for the honored dead as a cover, the starry Union being placed at the head.

"Old and wornout flags should not be used either for banners or for any secondary purpose. When a flag is in such condition that it is no longer a fitting emblem for display it should not be cast aside in any disrespectful way, but should be destroyed as a whole, privately, preferably by burning or any method lacking a suggestion of irreverence or disrespect due the emblem representing our Country.

"The army and navy regulations provide the Star Spangled Banner shall be designated as the national air of the United States of America. The listeners should stand, face the music and uncover or salute as for the flag as both represent the country."

CHAPTERS IN ORDER OF FORMATION

Atlanta, Atlanta -----	April 15, 1891
Xavier, Rome -----	1891
Augusta, Augusta -----	1892
Savannah, Savannah -----	1892
Oglethorpe, Columbus -----	1892
Pulaski, Griffin -----	1893
Mary Hammond Washington, Macon -----	1894
Susannah Elliott, LaGrange (Disbanded) -----	1894
Thronateeska, Albany, 1895, reorganized -----	1908
Sergeant Newton, Covington -----	1895
Francis Marion, Thomasville (Disbanded) -----	1895
Kettle Creek, Washington -----	1895
Piedmont Continental, Atlanta -----	1898
John Adam Treutlen, Waycross (Disbanded) -----	1900
Joseph Habershaw, Atlanta -----	1900
Jonathan Bryan, Waycross -----	1900
Thomas Jefferson, Atlanta (Disbanded) -----	1900
Nancy Hart, Milledgeville -----	1900
Elijah Clarke, Athens -----	1900
Lachlan McIntosh, Savannah -----	1901
Stephen Heard, Elberton -----	1901
George Walton, Columbus -----	1901
Brunswick, Brunswick -----	1903
Sarah Dickinson, Newnan -----	1903
Shadrach Inman, Hepzibah (Disbanded) -----	1904
Stephen Hopkins, Marshallville -----	1903
Fielding Lewis, Marietta -----	1904
Nathaniel Macon, Macon -----	1905
Sarah McIntosh, Atlanta (Disbanded) -----	1905
Lyman Hall, Waycross -----	1907
Governor Treutlen, Fort Valley -----	1907
Button Gwinnett, Columbus -----	1908
James Jackson, Valdosta -----	1908
Hannah Clarke, Quitman -----	1908
Council of Safety, Americus -----	1908
Archibald Bulloch, Montezuma -----	1909
Etowah, Cartersville -----	1909
John Benning, Moultrie -----	1909
Tomochichi, Clarkesville -----	1909
Sergeant Jasper, Monticello -----	1909
Henry Walton, Madison -----	1910
David Meriwether, Greenville -----	1910
Governor Jared Irwin, Sandersville -----	1910
Stone Castle, Dawson -----	1911
Dorothy Walton, Dawson -----	1911
Nathaniel Abney, Fitzgerald -----	1911
Wm. Marsh, LaFayette -----	1911
Gov. Edward Telfair, Thomaston -----	1911
John Houston, Thomaston -----	1911
Gov. John Milledge, Dalton -----	1911
Gov. Peter Early, Blakely -----	1912
Ochlocknee, Thomasville -----	1912
Baron DeKalb, Clarkston -----	1912
Lanahassee, Buena Vista -----	1913
John Benson, Hartwell -----	1913
Major Gen. Samuel Elbert, Tennille -----	1913

Col. William Few, Eastman -----	1913
William McIntosh, Jackson -----	1913
James Monroe, Forsyth -----	1913
Anawaqua, Fairburn (Disbanded) -----	1913
Matthew Talbot, Monroe -----	1914
Samuel Reid, Eatonton -----	1914
Benjamin Hawkins, Cuthbert -----	1914
Noble Wymberly Jones, Shellman -----	1914
Fort Early, Cordele -----	1914
Gen. Daniel Stewart, Perry -----	1914
Col. William Candler, Gainesville -----	1914
McIntosh Reserve, Carrollton -----	1914
John Laurens, Dublin -----	1916
James Pittman, Commerce -----	1916
Altamaha, Jesup -----	1916
Oconee, McRae -----	1916
John Clarke, Social Circle -----	1917
Chattahoochee, West Point -----	1918
Hawthorne Trail, Pelham -----	1918
Col. John Dooly, Vienna -----	1920
Commodore Richard Dale, Albany -----	1920
Hawkinsville, Hawkinsville -----	1920
Hancock, Sparta -----	1920
LaGrange, LaGrange -----	1920
Ama—Kanasta, Douglasville -----	1921
Sunbury, Winder -----	1921
Bainbridge, Bainbridge -----	1921
Peter Coffee, Abbeville -----	1921
Briar Creek, Sylvania -----	1921
Col. John McIntosh, Conyers -----	1921
Sylvester, Sylvester -----	1921
Elizabeth Marlow, Monticello -----	1921
Oliver Morton, Gray -----	1922
Old Marion, Jeffersonville -----	1922
Burkhalter, Warrenton -----	1922
Cario, Cario -----	1922
Toccoa, Toccoa -----	1923
Adairsville, Adairsville, June 10th -----	1924
Fort Valley, Fort Valley, Feb. -----	1925
Edmund Burke, Waynesboro, Feb. -----	1925
Bonaventure, Savannah, April -----	1925
Elizabeth Washington, Augusta, June -----	1925
Jeffersonia Hawkins, Roberta, June 16 -----	1925
Roanoke, Lumpkin, Nov. 3 -----	1925
Knox-Conway, Ashburn, Nov. 5 -----	1925
John Ball, Irwinton, April 9 -----	1926

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Regent.....Mrs. J. L. Dorris, Douglasville

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Regent.....Mrs. M. J. Guyton, Dublin

BARON DeKALB CHAPTER, DECATUR
Organized 1912.

Regent.....Mrs. Frank Armstrong

COL. WILLIAM FEW CHAPTER, EASTMAN
Organized April 23, 1913.

Regent.....Mrs. Edwin Jesup, Eastman

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Regent.....Mrs. W. H. Hearn, Eatonton

STEPHEN HEARD CHAPTER, ELBERTON
Organized June 6, 1901.

Regent.....Miss Edna Rogers, Elberton

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Organized 1914.

Regent.....Mrs. E. A. Russell, 605 S. Lee St., Fitzgerald

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Organized July 4, 1913.

Regent.....Mrs. Hugh Hardin, Forsyth

GOV. TREUTLEN CHAPTER, FORT VALLEY
Organized October 7, 1909.

Regent.....Mrs. J. D. Kendrick, Ft. Valley

FORT VALLEY CHAPTER, FORT VALLEY
Organized February 2, 1925.

Regent.....Mrs. C. B. Almon, Ft. Valley

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Organized 1914.

Regent.....Mrs. C. L. Newton, 129 Green St., Gainesville

- JOHN BALL CHAPTER, IRWINTON**
Organized April 9, 1926.
- Regent.....Mrs. J. W. Hooks, Gordon
-
- OLIVER MORTON CHAPTER, GRAY**
Organized 1922.
- Regent.....Mrs. J. A. Pursley, Haddock
-
- DAVID MERIWETHER CHAPTER, GREENVILLE**
Organized 1922.
- Regent.....Mrs. J. L. Strozier, Greenville
-
- PULASKI CHAPTER, GRIFFIN**
Organized February 6, 1893.
- Regent.....Mrs. J. M. Drewry, Griffin
-
- JOHN BENSON CHAPTER, HARTWELL**
Organized 1913.
- Regent.....Mrs. S. A. Patton
-
- HAWKINSVILLE CHAPTER, HAWKINSVILLE**
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- ALTAMAHA CHAPTER, JESUP**
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- Regent.....Mrs. Joseph H. Thomas, Jesup
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- WILLIAM MARSH CHAPTER, LaFAYETTE**
Organized 1910.
- Regent.....Mrs. Archibald R. Fortune, LaFayette
-
- LaGRANGE CHAPTER, LaGRANGE**
Organized 1920.
- Regent.....Mrs. Jim L. Bradfield, LaGrange
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- ROANOKE CHAPTER, LUMPKIN**
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- Regent.....Mrs. Wm. A. Fitzgerald, Omaha
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- MARY HAMMOND WASHINGTON CHAPTER, MACON**
Organized 1893.
- Regent.....Mrs. James Hyde Porter, Macon
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- NATHANIEL MACON CHAPTER, MACON**
Organized January 4, 1905.
- Regent.....Mrs. L. C. Rader, Macon

HENRY WALTON CHAPTER, MADISON
Organized 1910.

Regent-----Mrs. Thomas Baldwin, Madison

FIELDING LEWIS CHAPTER, MARIETTA
Organized April 12, 1904.

Regent-----Miss Mary Towers, Marietta

STEPHENS HOPKINS CHAPTER, MARSHALLVILLE
Organized February 21, 1903.

Regent-----Mrs. J. C. Walker, Marshallville

NANCY HART CHAPTER, MILLEDGEVILLE
Organized October 5, 1900.

Regent-----Miss Leila Lamar, Milledgeville

MATTHEW TALBOT CHAPTER, MONROE
Organized January 23, 1914.

Regent-----Mrs. A. C. Kelly, Monroe

ARCHIBALD BULLOCK CHAPTER, MONTEZUMA
Organized February 3, 1909.

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SERGEANT JASPER CHAPTER, Monticello
Organized 1909.

Regent-----Mrs. L. Y. Pittard, Monticello

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OCONEE CHAPTER, McRAE
Organized December 30, 1916.

Regent-----Mrs. F. A. Smith, McRae

SARAH DICKINSON CHAPTER, NEWNAN
Organized February 21, 1903.

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HAWTHORN TRAIL CHAPTER, PELHAM
Organized February 9, 1918.

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GEN. DANIEL STEWART CHAPTER, PERRY
Organized February 18, 1914.

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HANNAH CLARK CHAPTER, QUITMAN
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- JEFFERSONIA HAWKINS CHAPTER, ROBERTA**
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- Regent-----Mrs. L. M. Lucas, Roberta
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- GOV. JARED IRWIN CHAPTER, SANDERSVILLE**
Organized 1910.
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- LACHLAN McINTOSH CHAPTER, SAVANNAH**
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- Regent-----Mrs. Benj. S. Purse
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- SAVANNAH CHAPTER, SAVANNAH**
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- Regent-----Mrs. John W. Daniel, 102 East Henry St., Savannah
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