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Clarksburg, West Virginia
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State Conference
West Virginia Society
Daughters of the American Revolution

"Be Ye Doers of the Word, and Not Hearers Only"
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September 29-30, October 1, 1966

Stonewall Jackson Hotel

Clarksburg, W. Va.

Chairman:

Mrs. Harry S. Weeks

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THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America
and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indi-
visible, with liberty and justice for all.

THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER

By Francis Scott Key

Oh, say, can you see by the dawn's early light
What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming:
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, through the perilous flight,
O'er the ramparts we watch'd, were so gallantly streaming,
And the rockets' red glare, bombs bursting in air;
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.
Oh, say, does the star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

Oh, thus be it ever, when freemen shall stand
Between their loved homes and the war's desolation;
Blest with victory and peace, may the heaven-rescued land
Praise the Power that hath made and preserved us a Nation!
Then conquer we must, when our cause it is just,
And this be our motto—"In God is our trust;"
And the Star-Spangled Banner in triumph shall wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

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 sup-
port its Constitution, to obey its laws; to respect its flag; and to defend
it against all enemies.

—William Tyler Page

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- PROGRAM -

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1966

STATE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT LUNCHEON—12:00 noon
Dixie Room No. 1
Elizabeth Ludington Hagans Chapter Hostess

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MEMORIAL SERVICE—2:30 p.m. First United Presbyterian Church
Presiding Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain
Soloist Mrs. Andrew J. Weaver
Accompanist Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, Conference Vice Chairman

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STATE OFFICERS CLUB DINNER—6:00 p.m. Dixie Room No. 1
Presiding Mrs. John E. Graham, President
Elizabeth Cummins Jackson Chapter Hostess

STATE MEMBER'S BUFFET DINNER—6:00 p.m. Dixie Room No. 3
Colonel John Evans Chapter Hostess

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OPENING SESSION—8:00 p.m. Crystal Room
Assembly Call The Trumpeteers
Processional— National Officers, State Officers, Honor Guests & Pages
Pianist Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, Conference Vice Chairman
Sixty-first Annual State Conference Call to Order
Mrs. Carl Conley Galbraith, West Virginia State Regent
Invocation Rev. Vaughn J. Michael, Jr.
Associate Minister—First Methodist Church
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America
Led by Miss Joan Adams, State Chairman
Flag of the USA Committee
American's Creed Led by Miss Virginia B. Johnson
National Vice President General and W. Va. Honorary State Regent
National Anthem Led by Mrs. Dwight P. Cruikshank
State Chairman American Heritage Committee
Welcome to the City of Clarksburg—
The Honorable Kenneth L. Trimble, Mayor of Clarksburg
Welcome to the State Conference ... Mrs. Harry S. Weeks
West Virginia State Conference Chairman
Response Mrs. C. William Moore, State Vice Regent
Greetings from Honorary State Regents—
Mrs. William W. McClaugherty
Honorary State Regent, Past Vice President General

Group Singing "West Virginia Hills"—

Led by Mrs. Dwight P. Cruikshank

State Chairman American Heritage Committee

Greetings Mr. Willis G. Tetrick, Jr.

State President, Sons of the American Revolution

Greetings from Children of the American Revolution — Miss Sally Dils

Second Vice President, West Virginia CAR

"Our American Heritage Week" — "Spirit of 1966"—

Miss Randy Hewitt

Solo Mr. Philip Losh

Accompanist Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, Conference Vice Chairman

Presentation of Other Distinguished Guests

Introduction of State Officers

Introduction of Speaker by Mrs. Ben Williams, W. Va. State Chaplain

ADDRESS Mrs. Fred Osborne

Chaplain General, NSDAR

"Reflections of a Doer of the Word" Mr. Aubrey Ferguson

Editor, Ritchie Gazette

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RECEPTION Dixie Room No. 3

Daniel Davisson Chapter Hostess

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1966

CHAPTER REGENT'S CLUB BREAKFAST—7:15 a.m. Crystal Room

Presiding Mrs. Claude R. Hill, President

Daniel Davisson Chapter Hostess

(Table reserved for Organizing Regents)

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MORNING SESSION—9:00 a.m. YWCA

Presentation of Colors Pages

Devotions Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain

Pledge of Allegiance Led by Mrs. D. B. Kraybill

State Chairman, National Defense Committee

"America the Beautiful" Led by Mrs. Dwight P. Cruikshank

State Chairman, American Heritage Committee

Pianist Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, Conference Vice Chairman

Report of Credentials Committee Miss Ruth Seibert, Chairman

Report of Program Committee Mrs. Ray Proffitt, Chairman

Standing Rules of Order Mrs. M. I. Stutler

Conference Vice Chairman

Solo—"My Home Among the Hills—E. W. James" .. Mrs. Rachael Hall

Accompanist Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, Conference Vice Chairman

Reading of the Minutes ----- Mrs. V. Parmesano
 State Recording Secretary
 Greetings from National Society ----- Mrs. Charlotte W. Sayre
 Recording Secretary General, NSDAR
 Reports of State Officers
 Musical Adaptations ----- Mrs. Dwight P. Cruikshank
 State Chairman, American Heritage Committee
 Report of Finance Committee ----- Mrs. C. William Moore, Chairman
 Report of Resolutions Committee --- Mrs. George H. Neale, Chairman
 Business
 Recess



CONFERENCE LUNCHEON—12:30 p.m. ----- Crystal Room
 Invocation ----- Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain
 National Defense Theme—Presiding ----- Mrs. D. B. Kraybill
 State Chairman National Defense Committee
 Violin Solo ----- Mr. David Booth
 Accompanist ----- Mrs. Walter Booth

ADDRESS ----- Mrs. Frederick Griswold, Jr.
 National Chairman, National Defense, NSDAR
 Reports of State Chairmen
 John Hart Chapter ----- Hostess
 Recess



BANQUET—Honoring Chapter Regents—6:30 p.m. ----- Crystal Room
 Invocation ----- Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain
 Pledge of Allegiance ----- Led by Mrs. Samuel Solins
 State Chairman of Americanism and Manual for Citizenship
 Dinner Music ----- Miss Sally Willison
 Miss Deltasue Armistead, Miss Deborah Hufford
 Chapter Regents Reports
 Solo—"God Bless America—Irving Berlin" ----- Miss Kay Romine
 Accompanist ----- Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, Conference Vice Chairman
 Regent's Reports completed
 State Chairmen's Awards
 Teller's Report ----- Miss Marjorie Templeton, Chairman
 Retiring of Colors ----- Pages
 Major William Haymond Chapter ----- Hostess

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1966

STATE CHAIRMEN'S BREAKFAST—7:15 a.m. Dixie Room No. 3
 Presenting State Chairmen
 Sponsored by Jr. Membership and Jr. American Citizens Committees
 Zackquill Morgan Chapter Hostess



MORNING SESSION—9:00 a.m. Crystal Room
 Presentation of Colors Pages
 Devotions Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain
 Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America
 "America" Group Singing
 Piano Solo Mr. Ronald Hanlon
 Reading of the Minutes Mrs. V. Parmesano, Recording Secretary
 Final Report of Credentials Committee—
 Miss Ruth Seibert, Chairman
 Final Report of Resolutions Committee—
 Mrs. George H. Neale, Chairman
 Unfinished Business
 New Business
 "West Virginia Hills" Group Singing
 "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" Group Singing
 Retiring of the Colors Pages
 Adjournment of the Sixty-first West Virginia State Conference



STATE CONFERENCE CALENDAR OF MEALS 1966

THURSDAY, September 29

12:00 Noon State Board of Management Luncheon—Dixie Room No. 1
 6:00 p. m. State Officers Club Dinner Dixie Room No. 1
 6:00 p. m. Members Buffet Dinner Dixie Room No. 3
 Reception Following Opening Session — Dixie Room No. 3



FRIDAY, September 30

7:15 a. m. Chapter Regent's Club Breakfast Crystal Room
 12:30 p. m. Conference Luncheon Crystal Room
 6:30 p. m. Conference Banquet Crystal Room



SATURDAY, October 1

7:15 a. m. State Chairmen's Breakfast Dixie Room No. 3

CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

- CHAIRMAN Mrs. Harry S. Weeks
 Vice Chairmen Mrs. M. I. Stutler, Mrs. H. LaRue Robb
- CREDENTIALS—Miss Ruth Seibert, Chairman; Mrs. Wm. E. Cooley, State Treasurer; Mrs. Rudolph Chefren, Mrs. Gladys Zinn, Mrs. Arch M. Cantrall.
- HOSPITALITY—Mrs. Leonard Porter, Chairman, with the following Regents of the Central District Chapters: Mrs. Lalah S. Fankhauser, Mrs. Rudolph Stoyer, Mrs. George E. Pigott, Mrs. Homer P. Martin, Mrs. Harry S. Weeks, Mrs. H. K. Debendarfer, Mrs. Daniel Caulkins, Mrs. T. W. Dulaney, Mrs. Monta Feaster, Mrs. Carl Channell, Mrs. Virgil W. Argabrite, Mrs. L. Mason Brooks, Mrs. Richard J. Cronin, Mrs. Robert Shifflett, Mrs. Claud C. Kendall.
- JUNIOR BAZAAR COMMITTEE—Mrs. Oscar Andre, Chairman; Mrs. Alphonso Duff, Mrs. Junius Musser, Mrs. Louis D. Cinci, Mrs. Thomas Stutler.
- MUSIC—Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, Conference Vice Chairman.
- PROCESSIONAL AND SEATING—Mrs. Grant P. Hall, Jr.
- PUBLICITY AND PRESS RELATIONS—Mrs. J. K. Musser.
- TELLERS—Miss Marjorie Templeton, Chairman; Miss Irene Eib, Mrs. Harold Littell, Mrs. Irma Huettner, Mrs. Marvin I. Edwards.
- TICKETS—Mrs. M. I. Stutler, Mrs. Marshall L. Rucker.
- TIME KEEPERS—Mrs. Vincent A. Merendino, Mrs. Wayne F. Allen, Mrs. O. A. Moore, Mrs. Rudolph Chefren, Mrs. Guy Morris.



- PERSONAL PAGES TO THE STATE REGENT Miss Joan Adams
 Miss Mary Beth Snyder, Miss Rebecca Gilchrist
- PERSONAL PAGE TO MRS. FRED OSBORNE Miss Frances Adams
- PERSONAL PAGE TO MRS. CHARLOTTE SAYRE —
 Miss Anna Mae Harman
- PERSONAL PAGE TO MRS. FREDERICK GRISWOLD, Jr.—
 Miss Alice Watson
- STAFF PAGE Miss Joan Adams
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- VICE CHAIRMAN Mrs. Charles Rhodes
- VICE CHAIRMAN Miss Janie Bush
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 Miss Rebecca Boltz Miss Anna Mae Harman
 Miss Christy Catron Miss Rebecca Poe
 Miss Carol Foster Miss Donna Setler
 Miss Rebecca Gilchrist Miss Mary Beth Snyder
 Miss Alice Watson

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166183 Elizabeth Taylor Bierer (Mrs. Joseph P.) 6-26-66

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388237 Naomi Ashley Keaton (Mrs. William) 1-8-66

368819 Edna Ann Eckles (Miss) 2-1-66

92235 Ethel White Hiteshew (Mrs. Harry Otis) 6-25-66

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- 430387 Ellen Long Land (Mrs. J. F.) 11-6-65
- 381684 Muriel Boyd Kerfoot (Mrs. R. F.) 11-19-65
- 431931 Nellie Haller Shumate (Mrs. J. B.) 11-30-65
- 218934 Anne Scott Shanklin (Mrs. R. V.) 2-9-66
- 424294 Julie Reed Crumpier (Mrs. B. E.) 6-6-66

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- 454888 Nellie Hoitt Armentrout (Mrs. C. L.) 3-23-65
- 125637 Eleanor Cornwell Wainer (Mrs. A. H.) 8-10-66

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- 251959 Lulu Stewart Cook (Mrs. Cassius) 12-13-65

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- 376970 Beatrice Malcolm Ruffner (Mrs. Kemper D.) 5-8-66
- 251972 Cherita Louise Rush (Miss) 7-10-66
- 294461 Helinda White Dalbke (Mrs. R. R.) 7-21-66

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- 67868 Lucy Haymond Holbert (Mrs. E. F.) 4-13-66
- 451661 Marion Reed Harr (Mrs. R. Lee) 6-3-66

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- 244799 Virginia B. Miller 1-30-66
- 269773 Marion A. Ruble 6-21-66

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- 373137 Dorothy Cooke Hall (Mrs. F. F.) 4-7-66
- 363095 Mary Peck Paul (Mrs. Hugh) 6-24-66

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- 163263 Mary Buckner Falkner (Miss), Charter Member. 3-3-66

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- 183481 Mary Arnoe Kirk (Mrs.) 3-29-66

TYGART VALLEY CHAPTER

- 492561 Aimee Myllus Steele Green (Mrs. William) 4-7-66

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- 132927 Adelaide Shockey Mallory (Mrs. Ben) 11-13-65
- 209661 Mary Patton Hackett (Miss) 11-13-66
- 213126 Helen Zane Jones Thomas (Mrs. Edgar W.) 9-10-66

WILLIAM HENSHAW CHAPTER

- 299171 Helen McBurney McKown (Mrs. Paul) 3-15-66

STATE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT LUNCHEON

The luncheon meeting of the Board of Management, West Virginia Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held in the Stonewall Jackson Hotel Dixie Room No.1, at 12:00 noon on Thursday, September 29, 1966.

Seventeen Regents and six State officers were present.

The Secretary read a resolution passed by the Executive Board in session Thursday morning in the Regent's Room at 10:15, "That the Secretary write a letter to be sent to Governor Hewlett C. Smith, informing him of the contents of Public Law No. 915 requiring the Governor of each State to issue a proclamation each year declaring September 17-23 as Constitution Week, with copies to be sent to Judge Robert C. Maxwell, and Senators Robert C. Byrd and Jennings Randolph."

Mrs. Galbraith announced the endorsement by William Henshaw Chapter of Mrs. Harley Griffith for State Registrar of the West Virginia Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, due to the resignation of Mrs. Mary Dean Barrat. The Board accepted this endorsement to take effect until the election tomorrow.

The Chapter Regents were again urged to send pictures of historical spots in their district for publication in the February issue of the DAR Magazine.

The Membership committee reports the loss of 64 members during the past year.

Mrs. Galbraith, State Regent, presented the following:

Regarding S. J. Resolution No. 33,, designating February as American History Month—Chapters must write representatives urging them to vote this resolution into law.

The Motion Picture Committee has been reactivated—the new State Chairman is Mrs. Monroe Worthington, of Wheeling.

The National Society requires the following: Each meeting must open with a prayer, pledge of allegiance to the Flag, The American's Creed or National Anthem, the President General's message from the DAR Magazine. A five minute national defense report from the National Defense Committee must be given at every meeting, except meetings entirely devoted to National Defense.

Write President Johnson, your Senators and Congressmen protesting the Grand Canyon Dams project.

Daughters should purchase U. S. Government bonds.

A letter from National, expressing appreciation to Mrs. Galbraith and the West Virginia Daughters for the sale of "Patriotic Index," was read.

We hope to have full payment for the Tamasee Administration Building when Mrs. Sullivan visits the State Conference in October, 1967.

Mrs. Galbraith expressed appreciation to Mrs. Daniel Caulkins, Regent, Elizabeth Ludington Hagans Chapter and hostess for the luncheon meeting, and to Mrs. Harry S. Weeks, Conference Chairman, for her fine co-operation in making arrangements.

Miss Templeton, Buford Chapter Regent, expressed concern that

application blanks are available for purchase at headquarters without invitation from Chapters.

Mrs. Galbraith explained that donations for the renovation of Constitution Hall are entirely voluntary, but it is hoped West Virginia Daughters will contribute to pay off this indebtedness as soon as possible to avoid paying interest.

Meeting adjourned at 1:25.

Mary Parmesano, State Recording Secretary

OPENING SESSION—SEPTEMBER 29, 1966

The opening session of the 61st State Conference, West Virginia Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, was declared in session at 8:00 o'clock Thursday evening, September 29, 1966 in the Crystal Room of the Stonewall Jackson Hotel, Clarksburg, with Mrs. Carl C. Galbraith, State Regent, presiding.

National and State officers and honor guests were escorted to their places by the pages, with Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, Conference Vice-Chairman at the piano.

The invocation was given by the Rev. Vaughn J. Michael, Jr., Associate Minister of the 1st Methodist Church followed by the pledge of allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America led by Miss Joan Adams, State Chairman, Flag of the United States of America Committee; the American's Creed, led by Miss Virginia B. Johnson, National Vice President and Honorary State Regent and the National Anthem, led by Mrs. Dwight P. Cruikshank, State Chairman, American Heritage Committee.

Messages of welcome were extended by the Honorable Kenneth L. Trimble, Mayor of the City of Clarksburg, and by Mrs. Harry S. Weeks, West Virginia State Conference Chairman, and Regent of Daniel Davisson Chapter.

Mrs. C. William Moore, State Vice Regent, responded to the welcome.

A message of Congratulations from the President General, Mrs. William Henry Sullivan, was read, in which she expressed every good wish for a successful and rewarding conference.

Mrs. William W. McClaugherty, Honorary State Regent and past Vice-President General, brought greetings from the honorary state regents.

Following group singing of West Virginia Hills, led by Mrs. Dwight P. Cruikshank with Mrs. H. LaRue Robb at the piano, greetings were extended by Mr. Willis G. Tetrick, Jr., State President, Sons of the American Revolution.

In the absence of Mrs. J. Marion Bailey, Senior State President, Children of the American Revolution, greetings were extended by Mrs. Dwight P. Cruikshank, Honorary Senior State President, CAR, and by Miss Sally Dils, Second Vice President, West Virginia CAR.

Miss Randy Hewitt, winner of the coveted "Spirit of 1966" of Our American Heritage Camp, expressed appreciation to the DAR for making such a camp available to the young women in West Virginia.

Mrs. Galbraith presented our distinguished National visitors, Mrs. Fred Osborne, Chaplain General; Mrs. Charlotte Sayre, Recording Secretary General and Mrs. Frederick Griswold, Jr., National Chairman, National Defense Committee.

The following State Officers: Mrs. C. William Moore, Vice-Regent; Mrs. Ben Williams, Chaplain; Mrs. V. Parmesano, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Anna Ailen, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Arthur Ward, Organizing Secretary; Mrs. William E. Coney, Treasurer; Mrs. Hersel Henderson, Historian; and Mrs. Grant P. Hall, Jr., State Parliamentarian.

Miss Sue Oiler, Supervisor of pages was introduced; Miss Joan Adams, Staff and personal page; Personal page to Mrs. Fred Osborne, Miss Frances Adams; and Mrs. Galbraith's personal page, Miss Rebecca Gilchrist.

Mr. Philip Losh, vocalist, sang two selections, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, Conference Vice-Chairman.

Distinguished West Virginians serving on National Committees introduced, were, Miss Virginia B. Johnson, Vice-Chairman of Magazine; Mrs. William W. McClaugherty, Speakers Committee; Mrs. John E. Graham, Vice-Chairman of Museum; Mrs. Ben Williams, Resolutions Committee; Mrs. D. W. Snyder, a member of the By-Laws Revision Committee, was not present, but was given recognition.

Mrs. Galbraith presented Mr. Aubrey Ferguson and his wife, Mrs. Ferguson.

Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain, introduced the speaker, Mrs. Fred Osborne, Chaplain General, NSDAR, who spoke on the project concerning history of the early churches in the various states. Mrs. Osborne expressed pleasure at being at her second West Virginia State Conference, and appreciation for the courtesies extended to her.

Mrs. Harry S. Weeks, State Conference Chairman, introduced Mr. Aubrey Ferguson, Editor of the Ritchie Gazette, Harrisville, who spoke on "Reflections of a Doer of the Word".

Mrs. Galbraith announced a meeting of the tellers immediately following adjournment of the meeting, and extended a cordial invitation to a reception given by the Daniel Davison Chapter.

Mrs. W. H. S. White, Honorary State Regent, was introduced, and the State Regent announced that one of the poems written by Mrs. White had been set to music, and expressed a desire that the song might be heard before the end of Conference.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:30 p.m., following retirement of the colors.

Mary Parmesano, State Recording Secretary

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

The Friday morning session of the 61st State Conference, West Virginia Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, convened at 9:15 a.m., September 30, 1966 in the YWCA Building in Clarksburg, with Mrs. Carl C. Galbraith, State Regent, presiding.

Devotions by Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain; pledge of allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America led by Mrs. D. B. Kraybill, National Defense State Chairman. Mrs. H. LaRue Robb led the group in singing "America the Beautiful," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. H. K. Debendarfer, Regent., Elizabeth Cummins Jackson Chapter.

Miss Ruth Seibert Credentials Committee Chairman reported: National Officers present, 3; National Chairman, 1; National Vice-Chairman, 2; Past National Officer, 1; Honorary State Regents, 3; State Officers, 9; State Chairmen, 14; Chapter Regents, 21; Delegates, 66; Alternates, 12; Members, 17; Pages, 13; guest, 1. Total registration, 163; voting strength, 99.

The following nominations were made from the floor:

Mrs. Lillian Ernestine Golden, Potomac Valley Chapter, for the office of State Librarian Nominated by Miss Lily Wagner, Potomac Valley Chapter.

Mrs. Harley Griffith, William Henshaw Chapter, for the office of State Registrar, nominated by Miss Ruth Seibert, Shenandoah Valley Chapter.

A Nominating Committee, consisting of one member from each District was nominated as follows:

Eastern District: Mrs. William Cunningham,, Pack Horse Ford Chapter.

Nominated by Miss Ruth Seibert, Shenandoah Chapter.

Central District: Miss Halie Martin, John Hart Chapter.

Nominated by Miss Sue Oiler, Elennerhassett Chapter.

Northern District: Mrs. H. Courtney Jones, James Wood Chapter.

Nominated by Miss Virginia Johnson, John Young Chapter.

Western District: Miss Virginia Johnson,, John Young Chapter.

Nominated by Mrs. Charles McNutt, John Young Chapter.

Southern District: Mrs. O. B. French, John Chapman Chapter.

Nominated by Mrs. Wm. W. McClaugherty, John Chapman Chapter.

On motion of Mrs. M. I. Stutler, Vice Chairman, the standing rules of the Conference were adopted.

Mrs. Rachael Hall, soloist, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, Conference Vice-Chairman, sang two selections—"My Home Among the Hills" and "Let There Be Peace."

On motion of Mrs. C. William Moore, State Vice-Regent, it was resolved to accept the printed program, with necessary changes.

Mrs. Galbraith presented Mrs. Charlotte W. Sayre, Recording Secretary General who spoke of some of the workings of the office of Recording Secretary and DAR Headquarters. She expressed the hope of reaching a goal of one dollar per member for the renovation of Constitution Hall.

The minutes of the opening session were read and approved.

In listing the West Virginians serving on National Committees, it was noted that Mrs. Myra Posson, National Credentials Committee member, was omitted.

Group singing of Musical Adaptations was led by Mrs. H. LaRue Robb,, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. H. K. Debendarfer, Regent,

Elizabeth Cummins Jackson Chapter.

State officers reports were given by Mrs. C. William Moore, Vice-Regent; Mrs. Ben Williams, Chaplain.

Mrs. Osborne, Chaplain General, complimented our State Chaplain, Mrs. Williams, on her work and issued a special invitation to West Virginia daughters to visit the Chaplains breakfast at Continental Congress.

Mrs. Vincent Parmesano gave the Recording Secretary report; Mrs. Arthur Ward, Organizing Secretary; Mrs. William E. Cooley, Treasurer.

On motion of Mrs. Cooley, the report of the auditing committee was adopted.

Further officers reports were: Mrs. Hersel Henderson, State Historian; the acting State Librarian, Mrs. Ernestine Golden, who was elected by the Board of Management at Jackson's Mill. The State Registrar's report which was sent to Mrs. Galbraith,, reported a membership of 3,302 and 34 at large.

Mrs. C. William Moore, State Vice-Regent assumed the chair while Mrs. Galbraith gave the report of the State Regent.

Mrs. Galbraith expressed appreciation to the members of her board —to the State Conference Chairman, Mrs. Harry S. Weeks and the Vice-Chairmen, Mrs. H. LaRue Robb and Mrs. M. I. Stutler of the Daniel Davisson Chapter, and gratitude to the National Guests for bringing their messages to West Virginia Daughters.

On motion of Mrs. C. William Moore, Chairman, the report of the Finance Committee was adopted.

On motion of Mrs. George H. Neale, Resolutions Committee State Chairman, it was resolved to reaffirm the resolutions adopted at the 75th Continental Congress:

1. Rededication.
2. The Flag of the United States of America
3. Support of United States of America Armed Forces
4. Extension of Oceanographic Research
5. Panama Canal
6. Consular Convention
7. Atlantic Union
8. Promotion of Rifle Practice
9. Senate Confirmation of Federal Bureau of Investigation Director
10. Monetary Policies
11. Commendation of Law Enforcement officers
12. Interstate Compact on Education
13. Educational Dilemmas

Mrs. Neale presented the following resolutions to be voted on at the next business meeting:

From WHEELING CHAPTER: "WHEREAS Section 1785 of the West Virginia Code requires the display of the Flag of the United States of America from all schoolhouses during the time the school is in session,, except in inclement weather; and

WHEREAS, the Flag of the United States of America is being forced into a position of secondary importance in many places; and

WHEREAS, the Flag of the United States of America should always be before the eyes of all citizens, especially children; now, therefore, be it RESOLVED, that the West Virginia State Organization, Daughters of the American Revolution, request His Excellency, Hulett C. Smith, Governor of the State of West Virginia, to call for strict compliance with the state code and the enforcement of the provisions providing for penalties, to the end that the Flag of the United States of America may be displayed in the proper manner at all proper times."

From JOHN HART CHAPTER: "WHEREAS, we are urged to save and defend faithfully from waste, the natural resources of our Country and State, and

WHEREAS, there have been concerted efforts to obtain rights legalizing the destruction of our Natural Resources, and

WHEREAS, the streams of our State are being polluted by factories and our timber depleted, causing water shortage and

WHEREAS, there is a growing need to preserve our National Parks and extend our National recreation areas,

RESOLVED, that the West Virginia State Society, Daughters of the American Revolution request the State Legislature to prohibit the damaging of our streams, the indiscriminate cutting of timber, also urge the continued preservation of wild life preserves and promote the creation of more National Parks and the extension of recreational areas, and

WHEREAS, the coal in our State is being stripped and in many cases the land left unsightly by strip mining operators, who pay \$30 an acre for each acre stripped, but the \$900,000 allotted for this work is not adequate to reclaim all the land,

RESOLVED, That this Conference endorse the action taken last week by the Governor's Task Force on Surface Mining."

From MRS. DANIEL W. SNYDER: "WHEREAS, Mrs. Paul O. Reymann of Wheeling, W. Va., served as Regent of the West Virginia State Organization of the National Society of the DAR during the years of 1931-1932-1933, and due to the depression and the debt of Constitution Hall she could have no National or State project, and

WHEREAS, prior to 1931 all student loan work was confined to Chapter loans sent direct to schools or colleges, so Mrs. Reymann chose as the theme of her administration "Education in West Virginia" and upon motion of Mrs. John Garden of the Wheeling Chapter, a State Student Loan Fund was started in her honor to be known as the Blanche L. Reymann State Student Loan Fund to help West Virginia students in five Denominational Schools or Colleges in West Virginia and

WHEREAS, this fund became inactive due to the out-right scholarships being given by the Government and the various organizations, and

WHEREAS, this became, in sense, if not fact, a Memorial Fund at Mrs. Reymann's death and as such is a monument to her and should be dedicated to educating some of the youth in West Virginia,

RESOLVED, Since there is no demand for Student Loans, that the 61st State Conference revive this fund by giving the income from

it each year as a scholarship to a West Virginia student who meets the requirements in any of the five Denominational Schools to be known as the Blanche L. Reymann State Student Loan Scholarship, thus carrying out the monetary monument in her memory and the wishes of those who started this fund and are no longer with us."

The Secretary read the explanation of the Blanche L. Reymann State Student Loan Fund compiled by Mrs. D. W. Snyder. On motion of Mrs. Kraybill, Buford Chapter, the Recording Secretary was instructed to write a letter of appreciation and thanks to Mrs. Snyder.

The motion of Mrs. Cooley "That the Regent be given authority to appoint a Committee of 3 to investigate and report at the next Conference on the Blanche L. Reymann State Student Loan fund," was amended by Mrs. Jack Adams by "striking out 3 and inserting 5." The motion as adopted reads, "That the State Regent be given authority to appoint a committee of 5 to investigate and report at the next Conference on the Blanche L. Reymann State Student Loan Fund." Mrs. Galbraith appointed Mrs. D. B. Kraybill chairman of the investigating committee

Miss Virginia Johnson, Director of "Our American Heritage Camp" gave a report of the camp activities and expressed appreciation to all the senior teachers. Although Mrs. Williams, State Chaplain, did not attend the camp, she prepared devotions which were used during the week. A 325 page scrapbook of the Camp will be displayed at National Headquarters.

The meeting was recessed at 12:00 noon.

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FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The National Defense Luncheon meeting was held in the Crystal Room of the Stonewall Jackson Hotel, Friday, September 30, 1966, at 12:40 p.m. The invocation was given by Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain, the pledge of allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. W. H. S. White, Honorary State Regent.

Mrs. Galbraith welcomed the National Defense Chairman, Mrs. D. B. Kraybill; our National guests, Mrs. Griswold, Mrs. Fred Osborne and Mrs. Charlotte Sayre and Miss Virginia B Johnson; Mrs. W. H. S. White, Honorary State Regent, Mrs. William W. McClaugherty, Past Vice-President General; Mrs John Graham, National Vice-Chairman of Museum; the State Officers; Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, Conference Vice-Chairman and Mrs. Carl Channell, Regent of John Hart Chapter, the luncheon hostess chapter

The timekeepers were announced: Mrs Vincent Merendino, Mrs. Wayne F. Allen, Mrs. Rudolph Ohefron, Mrs. O. A. Moore and Mrs. Guy Morris.

Mrs. Arthur Ward secured a copy of "Family and Early Life of Stonewall Jackson," by Roy Bird Cook, which she gave to the acting State Librarian, Mrs. Ernestine Golden.

Mrs. Galbraith introduced Mrs. D. B. Kraybill, National Defense State Chairman who presided at the National Defense portion of the program:

Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, conference vice-chairman introduced Mr. David Booth, violinist, and his mother, Mrs. Walter Booth who accompanied him at the piano.

Mrs. Kraybill announced the expected appearance of Mr. Fulton Lewis III at the 1967 State Conference.

National Defense State Vice-Chairmen present were introduced: Miss Hallie Martin, Central District; Mrs. Stanley Morris, Western District; and Mrs. Monroe Worthington, Northern District.

Recognition was given National Defense Chapter Chairmen.

Appreciation was expressed to Trans-Allegheny Chapter for the favors and to John Hart Chapter for the luncheon appointments.

Mrs. Kraybill introduced the speaker, Mrs. Frederick Griswold, Jr., National Chairman, National Defense Committee, who gave a challenging discussion of economic, political and social chaotic problems.

Annual reports of State Chairmen present were given.

Mrs. John E. Graham, National Vice-Chairman of Museum, reported the gift of Mrs. D. B. Kraybill, of a Jackfield Luster teapot, which her ancestors brought to America in 1732.

The session was recessed until 6:30 p.m.

Mary Parmesano, State Recording Secretary

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FRIDAY EVENING SESSION

The banquet honoring Chapter Regents was held in the Crystal Room of the Stonewall Jackson Hotel, Clarksburg, Friday, September 30, 1966, at 6:30 p.m. The invocation was given by Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain; the pledge of allegiance to the Flag of the United States was led by Mrs. Samuel Solins, State Chairman of Americanism and Manual for Citizenship.

During the banquet, dinner music was furnished by Miss Dellasue Armistead and Miss Deborah Hufford.

Mrs. Galbraith presented our guests, Mrs. Fred Osborne, Chaplain General; Miss Virginia B. Johnson, Vice-President General from West Virginia; Mrs. Charlotte W. Sayre, Recording Secretary General; Mrs. Wm. McClaugherty, Honorary State Regent; Mrs. W. H. S. White, Honorary State Regent; Mrs. John Graham, National Vice-Chairman Museum; Mrs. Frederick Griswold, Jr., National Chairman, National Defense Committee; the State Officers; Mrs. Samuel Solins, State Chairman Americanism and DAR Manual for Citizenship; Miss Marjorie Templeton, Chairman of Tellers; Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, Conference Vice-Chairman and Miss Kay Romine.

Mrs. W. H. S. White's poem, "Robins at Nesting Time," was read and sung by Mrs. H LaRue Robb, accompanied at the piano by Miss Ruth Seibert.

As a surprise to Mrs. Galbraith, the assembly sang to our State Regent, "Let Me Call You Sweetheart."

The Chapter Regents reports were divided into two groups. Following the first group Miss Kay Romine sang Irving Berlin's "God Bless America," and "This Is My Country," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, Conference Vice-Chairman.

Miss Elizabeth Golden, a page, selected the winning ticket for the quilt. Mrs. Edgar Whitmore held the winning number.

Mrs. Charles Rhodes,, DAR Magazine State Chairman presented awards to John Cooke Chapter and General Andrew Lewis Chapter for having 100% subscriptions to the Magazine.

DAR Museum awards were given by Mrs. Charles McNutt, State Chairman—all, first place awards—to Buford Chapter for the tea pot; to Wheeling Chapter for the Molly Stark Gravy pot; and to John Chapman Chapter for a Parian Vase.

DAR School award was presented by Mrs. C. William Moore in the absence of Mrs. O. B. French, State Chairman, to James Wood Chapter.

Miss Irene Elb, State Chairman of Genealogical Records presented the following awards:

First place—Elizabeth Ludington Hagans Chapter

Second place—Wheeling Chapter

Third place—Daniel Davisson Chapter

Fourth place—Mound Chapter

Fifth place—Col. Charles Lewis Chapter

Mrs. Arthur Ward presented the following Honor Roll awards in the absence of the State Chairman, Mrs. R. E. Olson:

1st Honorable mention—Mondongachate Chapter

2nd Honorable mention—John Chapman Chapter

3rd Honorable mention—Bee Line Chapter

1st Gold ribbon—Fort Lee Chapter

2nd Gold ribbon—Charleston Chapter

3rd Gold ribbon—Anne Bailey Chapter

4th Gold ribbon—Col. Morgan Morgan Chapter

Mrs. A. F. Bush, State Chairman, presented the following Junior American Citizens Committee awards:

1st place—Princess Aracoma Chapter

2nd place—Col. Charles Lewis Chapter

3rd place—Elizabeth Ludington Hagans Chapter

Junior Membership Chairman, Miss Sue Oiler presented awards to John Cooke Chapter for the biggest increase in membership and to Wheeling Chapter for the best report.

Mrs. Hersel Henderson presented the following Program Committee awards in the absence of the State Chairman, Mrs. W. Ray Proffitt:

Blue Ribbon Awards to:

Buford Chapter

Colonel Charles Lewis Chapter

Colonel John Evans Chapter

Major William Haymond Chapter

Matthew French Chapter

Mondongachate Chapter

Petomac Valley Chapter

Red Ribbon Awards to:

Captain James Allen Chapter

General Andrew Lewis Chapter

Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain, presented an award to Anne Bailey Chapter for the best Devotions submitted.

Mrs. Carl Galbraith gave the Constitution Week awards, in the absence of the State Chairman, Mrs. Evan M. Cyrus:

First place—Colonel Morgan Morgan

Second place—Borderland Chapter

Third place—Col. John Evans

1st Honorable mention—James Wood Chapter

2nd Honorable mention—Matthew French Chapter

Mrs. D. B. Kraybill, National Defense Chairman presented awards to the following Chapters:

First place—Buford Chapter

Second place—James Wood Chapter

Third place—Wheeling Chapter

Honorable mention was given the following chapters—their award was any five pieces of National Defense Literature to take back to their Chapter:

Colonel Charles Lewis Chapter

Colonel John Evans Chapter

South Branch Valley Chapter

Elizabeth Ludington Hagans Chapter

John Young Chapter

Matthew French Chapter

William Morris Chapter

Mound Chapter

Vandalia Chapter

Mrs. Pearl Jett, State Co-Chairman Magazine Advertising reported \$270 received toward payment of the ad in the February issue of the Magazine.

Miss Marjorie Templeton, Chairman of Tellers reported:

Votes cast—illegal, 16; legal, 50

For the office of Librarian—necessary for election—26

Mrs. Ernestine Golden—49 votes

Mrs. Farmer—write in—1 vote

For the office of Registrar—necessary for election—26

Mrs. Harley Griffith—50 votes

Nominations for Nominating Committee—necessary for election—26

Eastern District—Mrs. William Cunningham—48 votes

Central District—Miss Hallie Marin—48 votes

Northern District—Mrs. H. Courtney Jones—48 votes

Western District—Miss Virginia Johnson—46 votes

Southern District—Mrs. O. B. French—48 votes

Mrs. H. Courtney Jones, Northern District, was elected Chairman by straw vote.

Miss Templeton presented the tellers report to Mrs. Galbraith who declared the election of Mrs. Ernestine Golden as State Librarian and Mrs. Harley Griffith as State Registrar. She also declared the election of the following nominating committee:

Mrs. H. Courtney Jones, Northern District, Chairman

Mrs. Wm. Cunningham—Eastern District

Miss Hallie Martin—Central District

Miss Virginia Johnson—Western District

Mrs. O. B. French—Southern District

The colors were retired. The Regent declared the session recessed until Saturday morning.

Mary Parmasano, State Recording Secretary

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

The Saturday morning session of the 61st Conference, West Virginia Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held in the Crystal Room of the Stonewall Jackson Hotel, Clarksburg, October 1, 1966 at 9:00 a.m.

The invocation was given by Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain; the pledge of allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. C. William Moore., State Vice-Regent.

Two piano solos were given by Mrs. Ronald Harlon.

Mrs. W. H. S. White, Honorary State Regent expressed her thanks to the Conference, to her pages and to anyone who has helped her throughout the Conference.

Mrs. Charlotte Sayre, Recording Secretary General, read two selections of Mrs. White's poems, "October" and "Contrast."

The minutes of the three previous meetings were read and approved with a correction of 18 illegal votes cast, instead of 16.

The final report of the Credentials Committee., Miss Ruth E. Seibert.,, Chairman: National Officers, 3; National Chairmen, 1; National Vice-Chairmen, 2; Past National Officer, 1; Honorary State Regents, 3; State Officers, 9; State Chairmen, 16; Chapter Regents, 24; Delegates, 73; Alternates, 16; Members, 33; Pages, 13; Guest, 1. Total registraton, 195. Voting strength, 109.

On motion of Mrs. Grant P. Hall, Jr., it was resolved to accept the recommendation of the board to continue and complete the bibliography.

On motion of Mrs. Neale, State Chairman Resolutions Committee, the following resolutions were adopted:

"RESOLVED, That the West Virginia State Organizaztion, Daughters of the American Revolution, request His Excellency, Hulett C. Smith, Governor of the State of West Virginia, to call for strict compliance with the state code and the enforcement of the provisions providing for penalties, to the end that the Flag of the United States of America may be displayed in the proper manner at all proper times."

"RESOLVED, That the West Virginia State Society, Daughters of

the American Revolution request the State Legislature to prohibit the damaging of our streams, the indiscriminate cutting of timber, also urge the continued preservation of wild life preserves and promote the creation of more National Parks and the extension of recreational areas, and

RESOLVED, That this Conference endorse the action taken last week by the Governor's Task Force on Surface Mining."

The courtesy resolutions were read by Mrs. Neale.

Mrs. Galbraith expressed appreciation to the Resolutions Committee.

A rising vote of thanks and appreciation was given our State Regent.

Mrs. Harry S. Weeks, State Conference Chairman, expressed pleasure at having the Conference in Clarksburg.

Mrs. Galbraith showed the gravy pot and thanked the Wheeling Chapter for their gift to the Museum.

It was announced that a quilt, the gift of Miss Lilly Wagner, Potomac Valley Chapter, had been accepted by the Museum at National Headquarters.

Mrs. Ben Williams, John Chapman Chapter, extended an invitation to hold the 62nd State Conference in Bluefield in 1967.

Awards for Press Books were given first place to Anne Bailey Chapter, second place to Buford Chapter. The Regent thanked Mrs. Charlotte Sayre for judging the books.

The minutes of the morning session were read and approved with a correction: Mrs. Grant P. Hall, instead of Miss Marjorie Templeton, moved the acceptance of the recommendation to continue and complete the bibliography.

Following the singing of "West Virginia Hills" and "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," the pages retired the colors and the 61st Conference was declared adjourned at 10:10 by the State Regent, Mrs. Carl Conley Galbraith.

Mary Parmesano, State Recording Secretary|

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REPORTS OF STATE OFFICERS

STATE REGENT

On the occasion of this, the sixty-first birthday of the West Virginia State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, I submit my second report as State Regent. It is with pride, gratitude and appreciation of the work accomplished by West Virginia State officers and chairmen, and Chapter officers and members, that I greet you. May I express my personal thanks to all West Virginia daughters for their encouragement, support and untold hours of devoted service to DAR as they worked to carry out the educational, patriotic and historical objectives of the National Society. We now look forward to another year of accomplishments.

During the year, I served the National Society as a member of the National Board of Management. I attended the October meeting, and

was one of the few Regents that arrived in Washington for the late January meeting of the "Big Snow." We became a closely knit group as we adjusted to the many necessary changes, as most meetings and dinners were rescheduled for the Mayflower Hotel. We were favored with tickets for the National Symphony concert, which was greatly enjoyed. I attended both April Beard meetings, where I took note of the National instructions, requests and projects, which I carried to the five West Virginia District meetings, giving the members a condensed version of all, that chapters could plan their work and budgets, ahead.

It was my happy privilege to accept the George Washington Medal from Freedom Foundation at Vadsley Forge for outstanding exhibits of Constitution Week and American Heritage activities carried on in West Virginia. The award was made at the Annual Spring luncheon by General Clarks, Vice-Chairman of the education committee. For the fourth year in succession West Virginia daughters have won their award for Constitution Week, and the second year an exhibit was entered and cited for "Our American Heritage Camp." This camp is unique in that it is the only one in existence presenting our American Heritage to girls of the Junior year at High School. Our fourth, and to date, our largest camp was again held at Cedar Lakes under the capable leadership of Miss Virginia B. Johnson. It was my privilege to teach American Diplomacy to Junior Counselors and American Documents to all campers.

Other youth activities supported by daughters include Scholarships, Good Citizen and Citizenship awards, work with Approved Schools, J.A.C. and C.A.R. I serve as State and National Promoter of the latter. It is my hope that CAR membership can be increased as it is the lifeblood of DAR.

The June Packet of chairmen's letters, instructions, and the State roster was compiled and distributed at the annual summer "Get-Together" and luncheon at Jackson's Mill, where I conducted both Executive and State Board meetings to give instructions and discuss projects.

It has been a pleasure to visit so many chapters throughout West Virginia. Please accept my thanks for your gracious hospitality. My journeys took me from Wheeling and Moundsville on the north border to Lewisburg and White Sulphur on the southeast; from Charles Town, Martinsburg and Shepherdstown in the far east to Charleston, Princeton and Bluefield in the southwest, and I was pleased to join the daughters in the great hub of West Virginia. Daughters of Elkins, Fairmont, Morgantown and Clarksburg invited all Central District chapters to join them, when I was a guest. Community get-together meetings like that and the Charleston one, stimulate good DAR spirit.

I am most grateful to the chapters of the Central District for serving as hostess to close the second conference of my administration at Clarksburg. I especially want to thank Mrs. Harry S. Weeks, Conference Chairman, and her two assistants, Mrs. M. I. Stutler and Mrs. H. LaRue Robb, who are serving as Vice-Chairmen. These ladies have had loyal support from their own chapter, Daniel Davisson and other Central District Chapters. Please accept my thanks.

The West Virginia Daughters are delighted to have as their guests

two National Officers, Mrs. Fred Osborne, Chaplain General and Mrs. Charlotte Sayre, Recording Secretary General, as well as the National Chairman of National Defense, Mrs. Frederick Griswold, Jr. We are deeply grateful to them for coming to West Virginia to carry the National Message.

As I look into the future of DAR in West Virginia I see your Regent carrying to Washington, Mollie Stark's iron Gravy Pot for the Museum, and eight pension grants for the Americana Room, all the gift of a Wheeling daughter, Mrs. Little. As we all look forward to next year's DAR service, let us work to complete the National Projects, that we may truly greet Mrs. Sullivan in 1967, and she can say "Well done, West Virginia Daughters." You are "Doers of the Word, and not Hearers only."

Ethel Galbraith (Mrs. Carl C.), State Regent

STATE VICE REGENT

Your Vice Regent reports a good year working under the leadership of our State Regent, Mrs. Galbraith.

I have attended several meetings and special occasions upon invitation from the Chapters. Mail has been answered and other correspondence pertaining to the office of Vice Regent taken care of.

Promoting our project with the Adam Stephen House has demanded a great part of my time and to see it take shape is my chief ambition.

Thank each of you for invitations which I was unable to accept, but working full time does prevent me from being with you.

My best wishes to each chapter for the coming year.

Florence H. Moore (Mrs. C. W.), State Vice Regent

STATE CHAPLAIN

Your State Chaplain attended to all known obligations of the office. Wrote each Chapter advising them of the duties and responsibilities of the Chaplain; wrote numerous other letters pertaining to the duties of the office.

Many Chapters reported devotionals at meetings; eight chapters sent copies of devotionals; one chapter sent a prayer. Several Chapters reported special Memorial programs.

The State Chaplain, at the request of the Chaplain General, obtained photographs of West Virginia's earliest churches, to accompany the previously written histories of the churches, a project of the President General. Prepared devotionals for West Virginia American Heritage Camp, attended State Conference, District meeting, State Board meeting at Jackson's Mill and Continental Congress. Conducted State Memorial Service and visited three Chapters.

The many invitations received were deeply appreciated, and regret they could not all be accepted.

Mabel Williams (Mrs. Ben), State Chaplain

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STATE RECORDING SECRETARY

All state meetings of the West Virginia Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, including executive board, board of management and conference, have been attended and minutes recorded.

Your Secretary appreciates the response and co-operation of state officers, state chairmen and chapter regents to her request for annual reports for publication in the Conference Proceedings.

Appreciation is expressed to our beloved State Regent, Mrs. Carl Galbraith, for her many courtesies, and for the delightful fellowship with the members of the State Board.

Mary Parmesano (Mrs. Vincent), State Recording Secretary

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STATE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

All material compiled by our State Regent, including the Regent's packets and the Call to Conference was mailed to several National Officers, all West Virginia Honorary Regents, State Officers, State Chairmen, District Directors and Chapter Regents. Membership cards were mailed as requested.

Your Corresponding Secretary attended the Northern District meeting and Jackson's Mill meeting.

It is a real personal pleasure, as well as a privilege, Madam Regent, to be associated with you and to work for our West Virginia State Society.

Mrs. Anna M. Allen, Corresponding Secretary

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STATE ORGANIZING SECRETARY

A new chapter, the Daniel Shumate Chapter, has been formed at Mullens, West Virginia. The State Organization is very pleased to welcome this new chapter which promises to become a very strong one. Mrs. Byron W. Steele is the Organizing Regent.

Connie Ward (Mrs. Arthur R.), State Organizing Secretary

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STATE REGISTRAR

New Members admitted	-----	53
Lost by Resignation	-----	28

STATE TREASURER REPORT

I hereby submit the following report from September 15, 1965 to August 15, 1966:

Balance in Security National Bank & Trust Co., Sept. 15, 1965 \$3,482.51

RECEIPTS:

American Heritage		
West Virginia Chapters	\$6,324.00	
Out of State DAR	185.00	
West Virginia DAC	74.00	
Past Regent's Club	37.00	
Huguenot Society	37.00	
State Assessments	100.12	
Miscellaneous Contributions	89.81	
Conference & Junior Bazaar	269.19	7,116.12
State Dues	1,854.45	
Conference Dues	2,108.72	
Contingent Fund	330.40	4,293.57
Miscellaneous Receipts:		
CAR	185.20	
W. Va. Room & Museum	69.08	
Eleanor H. Smith Scholarship	265.32	
W. Va. Library	70.08	
W. Va. DAR News	680.67	
Student Loan	12.35	
Gen. Adam Stephen House	5.00	
Tea or Lunch Congress	508.04	
W. Va. History	34.04	
National Library, Microfilm	43.85	
National Library, Rebinding	50.05	
Kate Duncan Smith	351.90	
Tamassee	335.90	
Helen Pouch	31.25	
American Indians	55.50	
Historian General's Project	2.00	
DAR National Museum & Friends	29.00	
Investment Trust Fund	83.50	
National Defense	51.10	
Crossnore	37.20	
Occupational Therapy	4.00	
Bacone	35.00	
St. Marys School	74.00	
St. Marys School, Music Room	97.00	
Preservation Americana	33.00	
Good Citizen Pins	76.00	
Banquet Tickets, W. Va. Table	85.00	
Reimbursement Good Citizen Bond	75.00	

Magazine Ads, Oct. 1965 Issue	40.00	
Magazine Ads, Feb. 1967 Issue	120.00	
A. F. Sullivan Building, Tamassee	247.40	
Constitution Hall, Air Conditioning & Renov. ..	654.00	
Conservation	6.00	
McClung Memorial, Chapters	60.00	
McClung Memorial, Individuals	28.00	
Gen. Records	2.00	
Citizen U. S. A.	1.00	
Flag U. S. A.	1.00	
Junior Citizen	1.00	
S. A. R. Poetry	1.00	
Gen. Archives	1.00	
National Committee at Headquarters	5.00	4,547.43

TOTAL RECEIPTS \$ 19,439.63

DISBURSEMENTS:

State Dues

Sweeney - Printing	34.34	
Mrs. V. F. Phillips, supplies	9.17	
Registrar, supplies & file	18.24	
Treasurer, Postage	20.02	
E. Spencer Moore Co., supplies	5.05	
Buffington Greenhouse, supplies	15.45	
Parkersburg Office Supply, supplies	34.40	
Miss Irene Eib, supplis	13.17	
Mrs. Frank Comerford, supplies	6.20	
Mrs. F. W. Baker, postage	5.00	
Frintcrafters, Proceedings	498.86	
Recording Sec., postage & supplies	16.16	
Chapman & Thornburg, mimeographing	2.84	
Mrs. E. M. Cyrus, postage	1.57	
Mrs. S. C. Martin, suppiles	6.70	
H. L. Wohlfarth, Suppiles	34.25	
Mrs. W. L. Simmons, supplies	2.64	
Wheeling Office Supply, supplies	5.51	
Corres. Sec., supplis, etc.	13.97	
Betty Spurlock, mimeographing	36.55	
State Regent, expenses	600.00	
Treas. Gen. N.S.D.A.R. magazine ad	10.00	1,390.18

Conference Dues

Corres. Sec. call to Conf.	20.99	
Mrs. A. D. Berg, mimeographing	24.78	
Mrs. J. M. Cain, reimbursement gifts	15.30	
Mrs. Gordon Wooten, supplies for conf.	9.53	
Mrs. D. B. Kraybill, gift reimbursement	5.10	
Gentry Bros., place cards & labels	9.25	
Ruth Seibert, postage	5.00	
H. L. Wohlfarth, supplies	34.25	
Hotel Frederick, meals	1,488.53	
Hotel Frederick, rooms	111.80	
Storey Flower Box, flowers	116.91	

Parkersburg Office Supply, gifts	17.00	
Printercrafters, printing	144.00	
State Regent, incidentals	19.15	
Sweeney, printing tickets	9.00	
Virginia Johnson, page & award ribbon	10.50	2,041.09
Contingent Fund		
"Pete's", trunk for A. Stephen House	41.20	41.20
Miscellaneous:		
W. Va. DAR News	\$ 577.16	
Kate Duncan Smith	351.90	
Tamassee	335.90	
Helen Pouch	31.25	
Crossnore	37.20	
American Indians	55.50	
CAR	184.80	
Bacone	35.00	
St. Marys	74.00	
St. Marys Music Room	97.00	
National Defense	51.10	
DAR Museum	12.00	
DAR Museum Friends	17.00	
Investment Trust Fund	83.50	
W. Va. Luncheon	477.64	
Student Loan	14.35	
Magazine Ads	40.00	
SAR Poetry Award	1.00	
W. Va. Library	68.50	
American	33.00	
Historian General's National Project	2.00	
Conservation	6.00	
Occupational Therapy	4.00	
Con. Congress Banquet	85.00	
Gen. Records	2.00	
Junior Citizen	1.00	
Gen. Archives	1.00	
Flag U. S. A.	1.00	
Citizen U. S. A.	1.00	
National Committee at Headquarters	5.00	
Good Citizen Award	75.00	
Elanor H. Smith Scholarship Award	250.00	
Good Citizen Pins	75.00	
Cons. Hall, Air conditioning & renov	654.00	
A. E. Sullivan Building, Tamassee	247.40	
National Library, Microfilm	43.85	
National Library, Rebinding	50.05	\$ 4,081.10
American Heritage Camp:		
Mrs. J. Stuart Ervin	6,790.00	
James Wood Chapter, overpayment refund	294.00	7,084.00
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		\$ 14,637.57
BALANCE IN FUNDS AUG. 15, 1966		4,802.06
		<u>19,439.63</u>

BALANCE IN FUNDS

State Dues -----	1,258.19	
Conference dues -----	1,136.20	
Contingent Fund -----	683.32	
W. Va. DAR News ---	540.44	
CAR -----	1.85	
W. Va. Room -----	500.33	
E. H. Smith Scholarship Fund -----	44.00	
W. Va. Library -----	105.52	
American Heritage -----	32.33	
W. Va. Tea -----	203.55	
W. Va. History -----	66.83	
Adam Stephen House -----	5.00	
McClung Memorial -----	88.00	
National Defense -----	8.10	
Good Citizen Pins -----	8.40	
Magazine Ads, Feb. 1967 Issue -----	120.00	4,802.06
		4,802.06
BALANCE IN BANK AUG. 15, 1966 -----		\$ 4,802.06
 Outstanding Checks:		
Check No. 111—Mrs. J. Stuart Ervin -----	6,399.50	
Check No. 112—Treas. Gen. -----	67.00	
Check No. 113—Treas. Gen. -----	97.00	
Check No. 114—Parkersburg Office Supply -----	29.05	
Check No. 115—Anna Allen -----	14.85	
Check No. 116—Ethel Galbraith -----	300.00	
Check No. 117—Betty Spurbeck -----	36.55	
Check No. 118—W. V. U. Foundation -----	250.00	
Check No. 119—Treas. Gen. -----	318.50	
Check No. 120—Treas. Gen. -----	11.00	
Check No. 121—Treas. Gen. -----	10.00	
Check No. 122—Mrs. J. Stuart Ervin -----	57.50	7,590.95
		7,590.95
Balance in Security National Bank & Trust Co.		
Wheeling, W. Va. -----		\$ 12,393.01
Bonds - Cash Value -----		\$ 1,475.00
Savings Account, Security National Bank & Trust Co.		
Wheeling, W. Va. (West Va. Room) -----		\$ 773.40

Marguerite P. Cooley, Treasurer

I have compared the record of receipts and disbursements with the records of the bank account at the Security National Bank & Trust Co., Wheeling, W. Va. and find them in complete agreement.

The balance as shown on the statement of the Security National Bank & Trust Co., Wheeling, W. Va., Aug. 15, 1966.

Bernard J. Coleman, Notary Public
My Commission Expires March 4, 1969

WEST VIRGINIA D.A.R. CHAPTERS		Total Received	State Dues	Conference Dues	Continent Fund	C.A.R.	W. Va. Room & Museum	Eleanor B. Smith Scholarship	W. Va. Library	W. Va. D.A.R. News	Kate Dunnean Smith	Tennessee	Helen Pouch	National Defense	Cont. Congress Tea or Lunch	W. Va. History	American Heritage	Investment Trust Fund	St. Mary's
1	ANNE BAILEY	395.60	49.50	18.00	9.00	4.50	1.80	7.20	1.80	11.70	50.00	-----	7.50	14.10	.90	.90	187.70	5.00	10.00
2	ANN ROYALL	60.00	25.30	9.00	4.60	2.30	.92	3.68	.92	5.98	-----	-----	-----	-----	.46	.46	1.38	-----	-----
3	BARBOURVILLE	131.00	18.15	9.00	3.30	1.65	.66	2.64	.66	4.29	-----	-----	-----	-----	.33	.33	74.99	5.00	-----
4	BEE LINE	107.00	21.45	9.00	3.90	1.95	.78	3.12	.78	5.07	2.50	2.50	-----	-----	.39	.39	1.17	-----	-----
5	BLACKWATER	47.00	12.65	9.00	2.30	1.15	.46	1.84	.46	2.99	-----	-----	-----	-----	.23	.23	.69	-----	-----
6	BLENNERHASSETT	100.00	24.20	9.00	4.40	2.20	.88	3.52	.88	5.72	5.00	5.00	-----	-----	.44	.44	38.32	-----	-----
7	BORDERLAND	75.00	24.75	9.00	4.50	2.25	.90	3.60	.90	5.85	5.00	5.00	-----	-----	.45	.45	1.35	5.00	-----
8	BUPORD	1039.90	117.15	27.00	21.30	10.65	4.26	17.04	4.26	27.69	10.00	10.00	-----	10.00	2.13	2.13	627.39	-----	-----
9	CAPT. JAMES ALLEN	414.00	29.15	18.00	5.30	2.65	1.06	4.24	1.06	6.89	47.00	47.00	-----	-----	.53	.53	186.59	-----	12.00
10	CHARLESTON	148.00	26.40	9.00	4.80	2.40	.96	4.84	.96	6.24	1.00	1.00	-----	-----	.48	.48	76.44	-----	1.00
11	COL. ANDREW DONNALLY	84.00	15.40	9.00	2.80	1.40	.56	2.24	.56	3.64	-----	-----	-----	-----	.28	.28	.84	-----	-----
12	COL. CHAS. LEWIS	271.00	63.80	18.00	11.60	5.80	2.32	9.28	2.32	15.08	10.00	10.00	-----	-----	1.16	1.16	40.48	-----	10.00
13	COL. JOHN EVANS	200.10	57.20	18.00	10.40	5.20	2.08	8.32	2.08	13.52	10.55	10.55	-----	-----	1.04	1.04	40.12	5.00	5.00
14	COL. MORGAN MORGAN	200.00	56.10	18.00	10.20	5.10	2.04	8.16	2.04	13.26	5.00	-----	-----	-----	1.02	1.02	77.06	-----	-----
15	COL. WM. LOWTHER	34.00	13.75	9.00	2.50	1.25	.50	2.00	.50	3.25	-----	-----	-----	-----	.25	.25	.75	-----	-----
16	COL. ZACKQUILL MORGAN	34.00	11.00	9.00	2.00	1.00	.40	1.60	.40	2.60	-----	-----	-----	-----	.20	.20	.60	-----	5.00
17	DANIEL DAVISSON	233.00	51.70	18.00	9.40	4.70	1.88	7.52	1.88	12.22	-----	-----	-----	-----	.94	.94	113.82	-----	-----
18	DANIEL TAYLOR	20.00	6.05	9.00	1.10	.55	.22	.88	.22	1.43	-----	-----	-----	-----	.11	.11	.33	-----	-----
19	ELIZ. CUMMINS JACKSON	82.00	19.80	9.00	3.60	1.80	.72	2.88	.72	4.68	-----	-----	-----	-----	.36	.36	38.08	-----	-----
20	ELIZ. LUDINGTON HAGAN	292.00	83.60	18.00	15.20	7.60	3.04	12.16	3.04	19.76	-----	75.00	10.00	-----	1.52	1.52	41.56	-----	-----
21	ELIZ. ZANE	250.40	37.95	18.00	6.90	3.45	1.38	5.52	1.38	8.97	12.50	22.50	-----	-----	.69	.69	113.07	-----	16.00
22	FORT LEE	221.00	26.40	9.00	4.80	2.40	.96	3.84	.96	6.24	5.00	5.00	-----	-----	.48	.48	112.44	5.00	10.00
23	GEN. ANDREW LEWIS	124.35	13.75	9.00	2.50	1.25	.50	2.00	.50	3.25	-----	5.00	2.75	-----	.25	.25	37.75	5.00	-----
24	JAMES BARBOUR	65.20	14.30	9.00	2.60	1.30	.52	2.08	.52	3.38	10.00	-----	-----	-----	.26	.26	.78	-----	-----
25	JAMES WOOD	592.00	94.60	18.00	17.20	8.60	3.44	13.76	3.44	22.36	11.00	-----	-----	-----	1.72	1.72	373.16	-----	10.00
26	JENNIE WILEY	25.00	8.80	9.00	1.60	.80	.32	1.28	.32	2.08	-----	-----	-----	-----	.16	.16	.48	-----	-----
27	JOHN CHAPMAN	832.00	74.80	18.00	13.60	6.80	2.72	10.88	2.72	17.68	7.50	7.50	-----	-----	1.36	1.36	485.58	-----	-----
28	JOHN COOK	61.00	7.15	9.00	1.30	.65	.26	1.04	.26	1.69	-----	-----	-----	2.00	.13	.13	37.39	-----	-----
29	JOHN HART	773.00	51.70	18.00	9.40	4.70	1.88	7.52	1.88	12.22	2.50	2.50	-----	-----	.94	.94	631.82	-----	-----
30	JOHN YOUNG	482.70	62.15	18.00	11.30	5.65	2.26	9.04	3.26	14.69	14.35	14.35	-----	13.00	11.13	2.13	262.39	-----	39.00
31	KANAWHA VALLEY	248.00	53.90	18.00	9.80	4.90	1.96	7.84	1.96	12.74	10.00	10.00	-----	-----	.98	.98	76.94	-----	2.00
32	KING'S WOOD	362.00	11.00	9.00	2.00	1.00	.40	1.60	.40	2.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	.20	.20	333.60	-----	-----
33	LT. DANIEL SHUMATE	26.00	9.35	9.00	1.70	.85	.34	1.36	.34	2.21	-----	-----	-----	-----	.17	.17	.51	-----	-----
34	MAJ. WM. HAYMOND	329.00	52.80	18.00	9.60	4.80	2.92	7.68	1.92	12.48	-----	25.00	-----	-----	.96	.96	150.88	5.00	-----
35	MATTHEW FRENCH	653.85	47.30	18.00	8.60	4.30	1.72	6.88	1.72	11.18	10.00	10.00	5.00	5.00	.86	.86	483.58	12.50	-----
36	MONDONGACHATE	136.00	15.95	9.00	2.90	1.45	.58	2.32	.58	3.77	3.00	3.00	3.00	2.00	.29	.29	37.87	5.00	3.00
37	MOUND	284.00	36.85	18.00	6.70	3.35	1.34	5.36	1.34	8.71	10.00	20.00	-----	-----	.67	.67	76.01	-----	-----
38	MOUNTAINEER	20.00	6.05	9.00	1.10	.55	.22	.88	.22	1.43	-----	-----	-----	-----	.11	.11	.33	-----	-----
39	NATHAN DAVIS	121.00	19.60	9.00	3.60	1.80	.72	2.88	3.72	4.68	5.00	10.00	-----	-----	.36	.36	1.08	-----	-----
40	OHIO VALLEY	34.00	13.75	9.00	2.50	1.25	.50	2.00	.50	3.25	-----	-----	-----	-----	.25	.25	.75	-----	-----
41	PACKHORSE FORD	60.00	17.05	9.00	3.10	1.55	.62	2.48	.62	4.03	-----	5.00	-----	-----	.31	.31	.93	-----	5.00
42	POTOMAC VALLEY	75.70	25.85	9.00	4.70	2.35	.94	3.76	.94	6.11	5.00	5.00	-----	-----	.47	.47	1.41	-----	5.00
43	PRINCESS ARACOMA	84.00	36.30	18.00	6.60	3.30	1.32	5.28	1.32	8.58	-----	-----	-----	-----	.66	.66	1.98	-----	-----
44	RAVENSWOOD	128.00	16.50	9.00	3.00	1.50	.60	2.40	.60	3.90	-----	-----	-----	-----	.30	.30	74.90	-----	-----
45	SHENANDOAH VALLEY	212.50	45.65	18.00	8.30	4.15	1.66	6.64	1.66	10.79	15.00	15.00	-----	-----	.83	.83	39.99	5.00	-----
46	SPENCER ROANE	103.00	11.00	9.00	2.00	1.00	.40	1.60	.40	2.60	-----	-----	-----	-----	.20	.20	74.60	-----	-----
47	SOUTH BRANCH VALLEY	310.00	24.20	9.00	4.40	2.20	.88	3.52	.88	5.72	10.00	-----	-----	-----	.44	.44	223.32	5.00	-----
48	TRANS ALLEGHENY	46.00	20.35	9.00	3.70	1.85	.74	2.96	.74	4.81	-----	-----	-----	-----	.37	.37	1.11	-----	-----
49	TYGART VALLEY	149.50	11.00	9.00	2.00	1.00	.40	1.60	.40	2.60	-----	-----	-----	-----	.20	.20	111.60	-----	-----
50	VANDALIA	115.00	7.70	9.00	1.40	.70	.28	1.12	.28	1.82	5.00	-----	-----	-----	.14	.14	74.42	-----	3.00
51	WEST AUGUSTA	327.00	33.00	18.00	6.00	3.00	1.20	4.80	1.20	7.80	5.00	5.00	-----	-----	.60	.60	149.80	5.00	6.00
52	WHEELING	697.00	89.65	18.00	16.30	8.15	3.26	13.04	3.26	21.19	50.00	-----	-----	5.00	1.63	1.63	189.89	15.00	25.00
53	WM. HENSHAW	255.00	36.30	18.00	6.60	3.30	1.32	5.28	1.32	8.58	5.00	-----	3.00	-----	.66	.66	149.98	-----	-----
54	WM. MORRIS	103.00	23.10	9.00	4.20	2.10	.84	3.36	.84	5.46	5.00	-----	-----	-----	.42	.42	38.26	5.00	-----
55	WILSON CARY NICHOLAS	377.20	12.65	9.00	2.30	1.15	.46	1.84	.46	2.99	5.00	5.00	-----	-----	.23	.23	333.69	-----	-----
56	YE TOWNE OF BATH	63.00	21.45	9.00	3.90	1.95	.78	3.12	.78	5.07	-----	-----	-----	-----	.39	.39	1.17	-----	5.00
TOTALS		12,714.00	1817.20	711.00	330.40	175.20	69.08	265.32	70.08	429.52	351.90	335.90	31.25	51.10	43.04	34.04	6278.12	83.50	171.09

CHAPTER RECEIPTS

	Eleanor H. Smith Scholarship	W. Va. Library	W. Va. D.A.R. News	Kate Duncan Smith	Tammassee	Helen Pouch	National Defense	Cont. Congress Tea or Lunch	W. Va. History	American Heritage	Investment Trust Fund	St. Mary's	Junior Bazaar	Bacone	Crossnore	Student Loan	National Library Microfilm	National Library Rebinding	Magazine Ads.	American Indians	Preservation Americana	Occupational Therapy	A. E. Sullivan Building Tammassee	Cons. Hall Air Cond. & Renov.	National Museum & Friends	
7.20	1.80	11.70	50.00			7.50	14.10	.90	.90	187.70	5.00	10.00														
3.68	.92	5.98						.46	.46	1.38						5.00										
2.64	.66	4.29						.33	.33	74.99	5.00															
3.12	.78	5.07	2.50	2.50				.39	.39	1.17						1.00										
1.84	.46	2.99						.23	.23	.69																
3.52	.88	5.72	5.00	5.00				.44	.44	38.32																
3.60	.90	5.85	5.00	5.00				.45	.45	1.35	5.00															
17.04	4.26	27.69	10.00	10.00			10.00	2.13	2.13	627.39							5.00	5.00								
4.24	1.06	6.89	47.00	47.00				.53	.53	186.59		12.00														
4.84	.96	6.24	1.00	1.00				.48	.48	76.44		1.00														
2.24	.56	3.64						.28	.28	.84																
9.28	2.32	15.08	10.00	10.00				1.16	1.16	40.48		10.00														
8.32	2.08	13.52	10.55	10.55				1.04	1.04	40.12	5.00	5.00														
8.16	2.04	13.26	5.00					1.02	1.02	77.06																
2.00	.50	3.25						.25	.25	.75																
1.60	.40	2.60						.20	.20	.60		5.00														
7.52	1.88	12.22						.94	.94	113.82																
.88	.22	1.43						.11	.11	.33																
2.88	.72	4.68						.36	.36	38.08																
12.16	3.04	19.76		75.00	10.00			1.52	1.52	41.56																
5.52	1.36	8.97	12.50	22.50				.69	.69	113.07		10.00					3.70	3.70								
3.84	.96	6.24	5.00	5.00				.48	.48	112.44	5.00	10.00														
2.00	.50	3.25		5.00	2.75			.25	.25	37.75	5.00						1.30	1.30								
2.08	.52	3.38	10.00					.26	.26	.78																
15.76	3.44	22.36	11.00					1.72	1.72	373.16		10.00														
1.28	.32	2.08						.16	.16	.48																
10.88	2.72	17.68	7.50	7.50				1.36	1.36	485.58																
1.04	.26	1.69					2.00	.13	.13	37.39																
7.52	1.88	12.22	2.50	2.50				.94	.94	631.82																
9.04	3.26	14.69	14.35	14.35			13.00	11.13	2.13	262.39		39.00														
7.84	1.96	12.74	10.00	10.00				.98	.98	76.94		2.00					3.00	3.00								
1.60	.40	2.80						.20	.20	333.60																
1.36	.34	2.21						.17	.17	.51																
7.68	1.92	12.48		25.00				.96	.96	150.88	5.00						5.00	5.00								
6.88	1.72	11.18	10.00	10.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	.86	.86	483.58	12.50															
2.32	.58	3.77	3.00	3.00	3.00	2.00	2.00	.29	.29	37.87	5.00	3.00	4.00			2.00	1.00	1.00								
5.36	1.34	8.71	10.00	20.00				.67	.67	76.01							10.00	5.00	5.00							
.88	.22	1.43						.11	.11	.33																
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RECEIPTS

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MRS. MARGUERITE COOEY, STATE TREASURER

Transferred in Chapter -----	9
Transferred out Chapter -----	20
Dropped -----	12
Reinstated -----	3
Lost by Death -----	41
Total active membership as of August 31, 1966—2,265	
55 forms distributed	
34 forms returned for report	
21 Chapters did not report	

Mary Dean Barrat (Mrs. Robert H.), State Registrar

STATE HISTORIAN

Forty-one chapters reported the following:

Eleven chapters contributed to cataloging, etc., of Americana Collection in Archives Room.

Eighty historical anniversaries celebrated.

Sixty-one historical programs and two hundred seven historical radio broadcasts were presented.

Fourteen historical tours conducted.

Graves marked: One Revolutionary Soldier and his wife and fourteen members.

Two historical restorations begun; one completed.

Two historical markers placed.

All chapters observed American History Month.

Nine Bible Records filed.

Your State Historian has sent two letters and two questionnaires to each chapter.

She has been guest speaker for Charleston, Colonel Charles Lewis, Buford and James Wood Chapters and Northern District. She attended State Conference, two Executive Board Meetings, one District Meeting and Jackson's Mill Luncheon.

She represented our State Regent at one Memorial Service and assisted with another service.

My thanks to you for your splendid cooperation and my sincere gratitude to each of the chapters visited and to Northern District for every courtesy extended to me.

Mable Eads Henderson (Mrs. Hersel A.), State Historian

STATE LIBRARIAN

The Librarian Program was well circulated by mail, columns in the West Virginia D.A.R. News, and personal distribution to chapter regents.

West Virginia has purchased a state flag and presented 7 books to the National Library at a cost of \$68.50. \$50.05 was sent to the Librarian

General toward the Library Rebinding Fund, which was one of the two projects outlined in August, 1965. A total of \$43.85 has been forwarded toward the Library Microfilm Fund, the remaining 1965 project.

As yet, we have not located Volume 3 of the Jefferson County, West Virginia Historical Society Magazine, which was one of the desired books from West Virginia to the National Library, but efforts continue to be made and it is hoped that we shall be successful.

Numerous books and complimentary subscriptions to the D.A.R. magazine to various schools and public libraries have been reported.

The success of the Librarian Program must be credited to Mrs. John A. George, who was the State Librarian until July 9th.

Your cooperation is again requested in sending in the name of your chapter librarian as soon as possible so necessary correspondence will be forwarded to your chapter.

I should like to add my personal plea to place the DAR magazine in all 18 colleges and 234 high schools and as many public libraries as possible in West Virginia. We all know the value of the many fine articles found in it and how beneficial they would be to those not in our D.A.R. program.

As West Virginia met the quota in the National Library Expansion Program, we are again asking for your full cooperation in the Microfilm Fund, which is the only project for this year. The money received will be used to purchase legible Microfilms of the 1850 Federal Census Schedules. As you doubtlessly realize, storage is a considerable problem, and if each chapter could contribute 5c per member toward this project this will greatly benefit the National Library. Make your checks payable to Mrs. William E. Cooley, State Treasurer, so West Virginia will receive credit. Let us all strive together to keep West Virginia in the foreground.

Mrs. Ernestine S. Golden, State Librarian



REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN OF NATIONAL COMMITTEES

AMERICAN HERITAGE COMMITTEE

Statewide participation in the objectives and projects of the American Heritage Committee was attained. Reports included all facets of the suggested goals—historical restorations, pilgrimages, contributions of antique and historical items, art exhibits, visits to galleries, one-man shows, displays, crafts of all sorts, participation in historical dramas, pageants, and choral readings, programs on American literature, materials such as wills, deeds, maps, and letters assembled, American music featured in Chapter programs, use of the National Anthem at all meetings, and contributions to the DAR Museum.

Most outstanding, and unique with the West Virginia Daughters, was the support of the American Heritage Camp at Cedar Lakes. 96% of the West Virginia DAR Chapters sent one or more girls to this camp. Here outstanding speakers were heard, crafts were taught, tradi-

tions were established, and the basic fundamentals of American government, literature, history, and culture were taught. In the period since its inception in 1963 as our Centennial Project this camp has grown until it has reached the capacity of the facilities at Cedar Lakes. Every chapter which sponsored a camper to Our American Heritage Week helped to promote the work of nine DAR Committees—American Heritage, Junior American Citizens, National Defense, Conservation, Americanism, Motion Picture, Program, Public Relations, and the Flag of the United States of America. A truly magnificent record-1

Louise T. Cruikshank (Mrs. Dwight P.), State Chairman

AMERICAN INDIANS

Of the 56 questionnaires sent out, 21 were returned.

Fifteen chapters had programs; thirteen chapters have planned programs for this year.

According to the questionnaires a total of \$101 was sent to St. Mary's earmarked "Music Practice Room Fund." Two chapters reported contributions of five dollars each unspecified. Three chapters sent clothing and one chapter sent \$15.61 for the Home Economics Center, clothing for the Thrift Shop and jewelry for crafts.

Bacone received contributions totaling \$15.00, a large box of clothing and jewelry.

One chapter sent \$10.00 to the State Treasurer to aid Indians in any way most needed.

Two chapters had particularly interesting programs. Potomac Valley, along with their Indian program, had a display of bead work from St. Mary's and sold \$13.09 worth of articles.

John Cook Chapter presented a display of wood carving and basket weaving done by Mr. and Mrs. Otter, Indian residents living in Oceana, who presented the program for that chapter.

South Branch Valley Chapter sent a box of clothing valued at \$25.00 to the Good Shepherd Mission, and \$5.00 to the Ft. Defiance Arizona Indian Fund.

Alice P. Comerford (Mrs. Frank G.), State Chairman

AMERICANISM AND MANUAL FOR CITIZENSHIP

The Americanism and Manual for Citizenship Committee in West Virginia received special attention at the Spring Meeting of the Western District held in Charleston on May 21, 1966.

Time was arranged for a workshop on Americanism to present accomplishments and suggestions. This was led by Miss Alethea Putnew Stanley, in the absence of the State Chairman.

The State Chairman had received an outstanding report on work

done in 1965-66 by the Anne Bailey Chapter, Miss Stanley, Chapter Chairman. Attendance at the Court of Naturalization, distribution of Manuals to 17 newly naturalized citizens, exchanges of visits and Christmas cards with the new citizens were reported. The chapter had two Norwegian girls as guest speakers in April, 1965.

Many chapters distributed manuals to schools, libraries, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and to new citizens.

The tape, "CITIZEN, USA," was used over radio networks in various parts of West Virginia.

One paper, "AMERICA, THE BEAUTIFUL," was entered in the National DAR Americana contest by Miss Miriam Huffman,, Regent of Ye Towne of Bath Chapter.

Patriotic literature was distributed to schools, children's homes, Boys Club and to the Union Missions by the James Wood Chapter.

Many chapters place emphasis on promoting Americanism in schools and many report that they are making a study of the Manual.

Beginning the work for 1966-67, a letter has been mailed to chapter chairmen urging that they ask the chapter regent for the instructions and suggestions sent by the National Chairman for 1966-67 which came in the packet received by all regents from Washington in July, 1966. A report blank for Spring, 1967, was enclosed.

Bertha Ballard Solins (Mrs. Samuel), State Chairman

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Emphasis on membership was given top priority at the State Board Meeting at Cedar Lakes on Tuesday of American Heritage Camp week. It was a hopeful sign that eleven of the twelve officers, the Senior State President and the Senior State Treasurer were in attendance. Mrs. Charlie G. McNutt immediate past Senior State President, was given the status of Honorary Senior State President. During the dinner hour, Jane Meisel, State President, spoke to the campers and guests on the merits of C.A.R. In the evening all were challenged by the stirring address of Mr. Herbert Philbrick.

Your Chairman's first official privilege after being named Senior State President in April was to represent the C.A.R. at the Annual Meeting of the Sons of the American Revolution in Clarksburg. Attendance at the National Board Meeting in Washington in June afforded a valuable opportunity to become acquainted with top-level planning.

Little Kanawha Society entertained the 1966 Convention in Parkersburg. William C. Powell, immediate past State President, represented the State Society at the April Convention in Washington.

Plans are under way for the March 1967 Convention in Charleston. The host Society will be Yomoka, of which Miss Virginia Johnson is Senior President. Let us hope that an upsurge in membership will be evident by that date.

Mrs. J. Marion Bailey, State Chairman

CONSERVATION

It is encouraging to note that more chapters are becoming conservation minded. If future generations are to know the natural splendors of our country, it is important to act now.

Few chapters are taking advantage of letting their official representatives know how they feel on such subjects as preserving the Grand Canyon (as it was formed by nature), preserving the majestic red wood forests, pollution, etc. It is too late after they have already been destroyed.

Young people need to be educated to protect their rightful heritage. Several chapters gave scholarships to cedar lakes.

Many chapters had films, and speakers on pollution, litter-bug, and a few helped other organizations with establishing parks and laying nature trails.

Beautification by plantings of trees, shrubs, and bulbs was accomplished. One chapter planted eighty-two. A personal salute to a job well done.

Let us roll up our sleeves and get to work. "America the Beautiful" needs your help.

Virginia B. Kable (Mrs. J. Emory), State Chairman



DAR GOOD CITIZENS

Thanks to the fine ground work of Myra Gosnell, the Good Citizens Committee had a good year. We report the following:

High Schools in the state participating: Last year: 83; this year: 118.

Number of pins given: 118, with slightly fewer certificates, since they arrived late.

The questionnaire method was used to select the State Good Citizen, Miss Beverly Dennison, of Dunbar, sponsored by Anne Bailey Chapter. A committee selected her, as is customary. She received her pin at the mid-summer Jackson's Mill meeting, where she was guest of honor.

Good Citizens chairmen all over the state were enthusiastic and active. Thirty-five more high schools participated than last year, and chapters who formerly contacted 1-3 schools, sent questionnaires for as many as 7-9—and with EXCELLENT attendant publicity.

Here's hoping for an even better year!

Mac Gwen Matthews Baker (Mrs. Francis W.), State Chairman



DAR MAGAZINE

During the past year the DAR Magazine sales have increased 24 per cent over last year and 15 per cent of these sales were during the Octo-

ber National Contest.

We have thirty-one chapters with less than 25 percent of the membership subscribing, twelve chapters with at least 25 percent, six chapters have 50 percent and two chapters, John Cooke with 150 percent and General Andrew Lewis with 101 percent. The entire membership of these two chapters are taking the magazine, plus giving subscriptions in the local high schools and public libraries. Of the Chapters reporting,, to date the total number of subscriptions is 660.

The local chairmen are to be commended for their fine work in promoting the magazine and a special word of recognition goes to Mrs. W. W. Collins, Regent of General Andrew Lewis Chapter and Miss Pamela Steward, Chapter Chairman of John Cooke Chapter for their fine work.

Sylvia Rhodes (Mrs. Charles I.), State Chairman

DAR MAGAZINE ADVERTISING

Ten Chapters have contributed a total of \$150.00 toward sponsoring advertising in the February, 1967 issue of the National DAR Magazine. Plans are to advertise our historic state through pictures from each of (the five districts. All chapters are being urged to contribute to this project.

Additional funds totaling \$40.00 have also been received from four chapters for the October Jubilee edition of the National DAR Magazine.

A state contribution in the amount of \$10.00 was sent to the Magazine Office to be applied to a "Founders" page.

(Miss) Pearl Jett, State Co-Chairman

(Miss) Lucile Stutler, State Co-Chairman

DAR MUSEUM

The cooperation of Regents in reporting the names and addresses of their museum chairman is appreciated.

The Museum (National) has accepted the gravy pot which belonged to Molly Stark, wife of General John Stark of New Hampshire, a gift of Mrs. Little, Wheeling Chapter.

The State room at National has received a Parian Porcelain Jug with six gold framed Gothic shaped panels,, by Mrs. William W. McClagherty, State Room Chairman.

Restoration of the master bedroom of the General Adam Stephen House in Martinsburg is complete. However,, the following will be appreciated: a medical book, cuspidor, clock, bird cage, rugs or any seventeenth century items suitable to give the "lived in atmosphere." Contact Mrs. C. W. Moore, Chairman. Contributions as a memorial to Mrs. McClung are being received and used advantageously. Mrs. Arthur Ward is

a valued member of this Committee.

Mrs. Alden Bryan is receiving statements of subscriptions "Categories to the Friends of the Museum"—for rare items:

1. Regular—\$1.00 (individual only)
2. Sustaining—\$5.00 (individual only)
3. Participating—\$25.00 (individual or chapter)
4. Sponsor—\$50.00 (individual or chapter)
5. Life—\$100.00.
6. Memorial Tribute—\$100.00.

Name	Address	Amount
	Mary F. McNutt (Mrs Charles), State Chairmen	

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DAR SCHOOLS

For the past seventy-five years DAR has followed the injunction of George Washington in his farewell speech to promote institutions for the diffusion of knowledge. Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee have been built and maintained with DAR funds. Seven approved schools have received substantial help from the Daughters.

Fifty-five questionnaires were sent by the state chairman to chapter regents to be filled in by chapter chairmen of schools. Only thirty-four chapters returned questionnaires in time to be included in the annual report of the state chairman to Mrs. Abley, National Chairman.

Thirteen chapters had programs on DAR Schools.

Eighty-nine dollars had been given for the Edele Erb Sullivan Building.

Special projects, sponsored by various chapters included: one scholarship, used clothing, Christmas gifts, and stamp books. Total value was given as fourteen hundred fifty-five dollars.

According to reports, Tamassee received two hundred fifty-seven dollars and fifty cents. Kate Duncan Smith received one hundred ninety dollars.

Twenty-eight packages of clothing, valued at fourteen hundred fifty-five dollars were given.

Please send any money donations through your state treasurer in order that West Virginia will receive proper credit.

Ruth Johnston French Bowman (Mrs. Oakley), State Chairman

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GENEALOGICAL RECORDS

I wish to thank many chapters for the fine work in completing the Grandparent Form Project which after being carried on for the past seven years came to a close April 1, 1966. A number of chapters completed Forms and Cards for all members of the chapter. These were Blennerhasset, Charleston, Colonel Morgan Morgan, Daniel Davisson,

Elizabeth Ludington Hagans, Kanawha Valley, Spencer Roane, Wheeling, and Wilson Cary Nicholas.

Other chapters contributing Forms and Cards were Ann Bailey, Captain James Allen, Col. Charles Lewis, Gen. Andrew Lewis, John Hart, Mound and Shenandoah.

All NSDAR members, I am sure, will be sincerely grateful to the members of their chapter who accomplished this work which required hours of time and much effort. The information furnished will be found most useful by countless prospective members.

Colonel Morgan Morgan Chapter sent to the NSDAR Library Vol. III and Vol. IV of Monroe County, Ohio, Genealogical Records. Copies of these nicely bound volumes were also sent to The National Genealogical Society Library, Washington, D. C., to the New England Historic Genealogical Society, Boston, Mass., and to the State Library, Columbus, Ohio.

Kanawha Valley Chapter sent three pages from the Notebook of Rev. Josiah Keely, "Marriages Performed 1850-1852" for insertion in Wenham, Mass., Book of Records. This chapter also contributed money for the binding of one volume of records to honor their Regent, Mrs. G. Callie Porter.

Ann Bailey Chapter contributed three typewritten and several hand-written sheets to the Bibliography Committee for the Kanawha County Library and the W. Va. State Dept. of Archives and History.

Colonel Charles Lewis Chapter contributed \$7.50 for the binding of one volume of records in honor of Mrs. Steenberger, only living Charter member of the chapter.

Reba K. Martin and Marion W. Gills for John Chapman Chapter contributed Marriages of Mercer County, Virginia, now West Virginia, 1854-1863 to the NSDAR Library and to the W. Va. Dept. of Archives and History. Also copied and contributed by Reba K. Martin was a list of the names of certain inhabitants of Henry County, Virginia, who signed three separate Legislative Petitions of October 23, 1790, seeking a division of said county and the formation of a new county now known as Patrick.

Let us continue the collection of source records for it is through the efforts of our Genealogical Records Committee that our DAR Library is "one of the outstanding genealogical libraries in the United States."

(Miss) Irene E. Eib., State Chairman

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HONOR ROLL

Thirty-seven Chapters reported their Honor Roll Committee work. This is a splendid record, for it means they are taking part in a well rounded program and sharing in the many and varied activities of the full DAR work.

Many chapters found it impossible to get one hundred percent payment of dues by January 1st. The next most common requirement failure was an increase in membership.

Four chapters received the Gold Award: Anne Bailey (for six consecutive years); Charleston; Colonel Morgan Morgan; and Fort Lee. There were no Silver Awards. Three Chapters received Honorable Mention: Bee Line; John Chapman; and Mondongachate.

Mrs. Ralph E. Olsen, State Chairman

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JUNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS

Six Chapters reported 314 Junior American Citizens Clubs, with a membership of 8,390. There were 9 national contest winners and 32 State Ribbons.

Princess Aracoma Chapter, Logan	295 Clubs—	7,728 Members
Colonel Charles Lewis Chapter, Point Pleasant	8	280
Elizabeth Ludington Hagans Chapter, Morgantown	3	130
Buford Chapter, Huntington	4	128
William Henshaw Chapter, Martinsburg	2	64
Mondongachate Chapter, Hinton	2	61

Mrs. A. F. Bush, State Chairman

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JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP

5 Chapters reported.

5 Chapters sent the names of their chapter chairman of this committee.

6 Chapters contributed a total of \$31.25 to the Helen Pouch Memorial Scholarship Fund.

16 Chapters increased their Junior membership. 24 of the 64 new West Virginia DAR members admitted were Junior age.

Proceeds from the Deerfield Embroidery Quilt, and the Junior Bazaar held at the 60th State Conference, plus chapter donations, sent approximately 8 West Virginia CAR girls to the Fourth Annual Session of "Our American Heritage Week Camp." A total of 11 CAR girls attended camp this session. Two Junior members served as Senior Counselors for this session of camp.

Miss Virginia B. Johnson, Vice President General, was the speaker for the Junior Breakfast of the 60th State Conference.

Miss Joan Adams of Wheeling Chapter, and State Chairman of the Flag of the United States of America Committee, was selected the "1966 Outstanding West Virginia DAR Junior Member."

(Miss) Sue Oiler, State Chairman

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LINEAGE RESEARCH

This first year for the State Chairman of Lineage Research has

been a busy one and I hope a helpful one.

Requests for aid, not only from our own state, but from other states, have been received.

Material for a Lineage Research program was furnished to one chapter and data sent to a chapter in Missouri helped in establishing a new Ancestor Record.

A workshop was held at the Central District Meeting in May. Each of the fifty-five chapters has been contacted. Twenty chapters now have a Lineage Research Chairman and eleven have submitted reports.

New members have been acquired through the efforts of the committee and several papers are in the process of being prepared. It is hoped that other papers will be approved by March 1, 1967.

Mrs. Curt E. Amos, State Chairman



MEMBERSHIP

The Membership Chairman submits the following report:

We had 56 Chapters with 3,302 members on June 1, 1966; 34 members at large. We regret that a number of Chapters failed to report. To date, we have lost 42 members by death; 12 by transfer, 27 by resignation (several of these are C.A.R. members, who have married and moved away); 7 dropped for non-payment of dues; a loss of 98 members. We have gained 55 new members, accepted by National; 4 reinstated, 7 received by transfer—a total gain of 66.

May I again impress upon the Membership Chairmen, the great importance of our task. We must increase our membership. We must arouse our Chapters' interest in this challenging work, for our DAR can only be as strong and effective as the number of members who believe and work for its growth. Our inspired new theme, "Be ye doers of the word and not hearers only," is the challenge of the hour.

The Membership Committee has two important goals: (1) To maintain and develop prestige and (2) to increase membership in order to expand the influence of this great American Society.

You are again urged to work diligently to aid our President General obtain her goal; to increase membership to 250,000. We need the help of each Chapter and each member to accomplish this goal.

We have too many losses by resignation and non-payment of dues. Let's be sure this doesn't happen in your Chapter next year. Be sure you are among those counted with more gains than losses. Let's get more enthusiastic about membership. Work harder to make our wonderful Organization stronger, thus making a stronger Nation.

It has been a pleasure to serve as your Membership Chairman. Please remember, the reports of your Chairman depends upon your reports.

Yours for an outstanding and growing year—with every Chapter reporting new members.

Mary Gillie (Mrs. Percy), State Chairman

MOTION PICTURE

Each chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution in West Virginia is being asked to encourage showing of worth-while pictures, particularly on holidays and on week ends.

Also, close cooperation with the schools, public, private and parochial, is being advised. Historic, educational, and patriotic 16mm film are always available either free or for a fee. They are particularly adopted for showing in the class room or for chapel exercises.

If they can be previewed and recommended, when their themes are in conformity with the ideals of the Daughters of the American Revolution that would be a real service to the children.

Mrs. Monroe Worthington, State Chairman



NATIONAL DEFENSE

"If we will not be governed by God, we shall be ruled by tyrants."—William Penn.

Your Chairman and the District Vice Chairmen tried to reach each chapter chairman through correspondence concerning the importance of the National Defense committee.

Only twenty-six chapters sent reports concerning National Defense activities throughout the year. This is regrettable.

The following is the tally from the twelve questions listed on the report blanks:

1. Twenty-five chapters devoted at least five minutes to discussion of National Defense at each meeting.
2. Sixteen had an entire meeting on National Defense.
3. Eighteen discussed the Resolutions of 1965.
4. Twenty-five brought Defense material to their meetings.
5. Defense material was made available to 7 schools; 7 libraries; 25 individuals.
6. Sixty-three Good Citizenship medals were presented.
7. Eighteen chapters had newspaper publicity for their presentation.
8. \$57.10 was contributed by 5 chapters for dollars for defense.
9. Sixteen chapters increased subscriptions to National Defense mailings.
10. Five chapters placed the debate material in their high schools.
11. Members from twenty-one chapters wrote to our Legislators concerning pending legislation.
12. Twenty-three topics pertinent to our National security were discussed at chapter meetings.

Our Nation is beset with many problems which affect us directly as individuals. They will not go away by our ignoring them. We must give active participation and show our pride as Daughters of the American Revolution. With acceptance of membership comes RESPONSIBILITY.

Kathryn M. Kraybill (Mrs. David B.), State Chairman

PROGRAM

I know I shall receive many more reports, which will be included in my report at State Conference, but the following is based on replies from only 18 Chapters:

ALL chapters used the National Theme, the D.A.R. Ritual, the Pledge to the Flag; all had programs on National Defense and American History Month; all had a report of State Conference.

SEVENTEEN chapters had the President General's Message read, a short National Defense report, report of District meeting, and made use of, and wish continued, the "Suggested Programs" from National.

SIXTEEN chapters had a report of Continental Congress, a program on American Music, and observed Constitution Week.

FOURTEEN used The American's Creed, and had a report on the Resolutions.

THIRTEEN used the National Anthem at Chapter meetings, but only one admitted it was slightly off key.

Mrs. W. Ray Proffitt, State Chairman



PUBLIC RELATIONS

As reported in the West Virginia DAR Press Book of 1965-1966 which will be on display at the West Virginia State Conference in Clarksburg—contents:

Total Publicity Inches	6,525
The Index Comprehensive Coverage:	
Historic Preservation—column inches	307½
Promotion of Education—column inches	3,375
Patriotic Endeavor—column inches	2,842½
Total number of Chapters in the State	56
Total number of Chapters participating	31

This press book is beautifully compiled, showing many hours of tedious labor. Our thanks to the former Press Relation Secretary and to each Chapter for the wonderful cooperation in sending publications.

Press Book is in process for 1966-1967—be sure to send your publications.

Although we did not win in the Press Book contest, West Virginia had the honor of winning the most news inches secured by chapters.

We can all try harder for the coming year 1966-1967.

Mrs. Charles E. Peters, State Chairman



TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

Of 56 DAR Chapters, twelve have reported transportation chairmen; four have had a program on traffic safety; most provide transportation

for the elderly.

Members attending state and district meetings furnish transportation for those desiring to attend these meetings.

Each chapter provides transportation for the State Regent when she attends their meetings. This amounts to 1,498 miles of transportation furnished.

Mrs. H. Courtney Jones, State Chairman

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REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN OF SPECIAL NATIONAL COMMITTEES

AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH

Twenty-nine chapters reported—nineteen returned the questionnaires.

Twenty-seven chapters had American History month programs. Twenty-five proclamations were signed by the Mayor of the City, proclaiming February as American History Month. Thirteen chapters submitted essays for the American History Month Essay Contest. They were: Anne Bailey, Ann Royal, Borderland, Captain James Allen, Colonel Charles Lewis, Fort Lee, John Chapman, Kanawha Valley, Mondongachate, Potomac Valley, Shenandoah Valley,, Vandalia and Wheeling. West Virginia had the winning essay in the East Central Division, sponsored by the Kanawha Valley Chapter. The winner was Jeffrey Hall, a sixth grade student from St. Albans.

Letters were written to Congressmen and Senators asking for their support of Senate Joint Resolution No. 133, to permanently designate February of each year as American History Month.

Virginia C. Phillips (Mrs. V. F.) State Chairman

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CONSTITUTION WEEK

How I wish there was room to print the winning reports, listing the many activities promoted by our Constitution Week Chairmen. Busy, happy women enlisting enthusiasm and patriotism among the citizens of their communities. They have actively participated in the many areas suggested by the work sheet and, in many cases, added original ideas.

We would like to point out, though, that every Chapter promoting Constitution Week observation WINS—those Chapters who choose to ignore the dates September 17-23 LOSE. The opportunity is there for loyal members of DAR to stand up for what they believe in—even as their forefathers who framed this noble document that gave us "One Nation Under God."

Our hats are off to the following for excellent jobs well done:

Colonel Morgan Morgan Chapter	83035
Borderland Chapter	77155

Colonel John Evans Chapter	47900
Matthew French Chapter	37725
James Wood Chapter	31190

My very special "Thanks" to all who participated.
 Margaret B. Cyrus (Mrs. Evan M.), State Chairman

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INSIGNIA COMMITTEE

As your Insignia Chairman of the West Virginia Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, it has been a pleasure to serve under the able guidance of our State Regent, Mrs. Carl C. Galbraith.

Attended the Southern District meeting in May at Lewisburg, and again urged the Chapters to present their outgoing Regents with a pin—She has earned it.

Mrs. A. D. Cooke, State Chariman

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REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN OF ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEES

The WEST VIRGINIA DAR NEWS is the quarterly newspaper published by the State Society, containing news items of interest to the members of the Society. An issue is circulated on the first days of March, June, September and December of each year, the subscription price being 35c per year, or three years for \$1.00.

A total of 620 copies is mailed all over the country. The following list shows by Chapter the number of subscriptions to October 1, 1966, and in addition to those there are many copies going to non-members and to many Regents and officers of chapters all over the United States.

Anne Bailcy	23
Ann Royall	13
Barboursville	12
Bee Line	8
Blackwater	1
Blennerhassett	44
Borderland	2
Buford	31
Captain James Allen	18
Charleston	4
Colonel Andrew Donnally	7
Colonel Charles Lewis	33
Colonel John Evans	9
Colonel Morgan Morgan	13
Colonel William Lowther	1
Colonel Zackquill Morgan	11
Daniel Davisson	6
Daniel Taylor	1

Elizabeth Cummins Jackson	7
Elizabeth Ludington Hagan	2
Elizabeth Zane Chapter	7
Fort Lee	7
James Barbour	7
James Wood	18
Jennie Wiley	1
John Chapman	39
John Hart	26
John Young	8
Kanawha Valley	15
Major William Haymond	40
Matthew French	15
Mondongachate	3
Mound	9
Mountaineer	3
Nathan Davis	6
Pack Horse Ford	1
Potomac Valley	4
Princess Aracoma	13
Ravenswood	1
Shenandoah Valley	3
South Branch	3
Spencer-Roane	2
Trans-Alleghany	1
Tygart Valley	10
Vandalia	2
West Augusta	10
Wheeling	20
William Cary Nicholas	11
William Henshaw	9
William Morris	7
Ye Old Town of Bath	1

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Mrs. Jack Adams,, Editor



REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN OF STATE COMMITTEES

ELEANOR H. SMITH SCHOLARSHIP FUND

It is a pleasure to announce that twelve young ladies participated in the contest for the 1966 Eleanor H. Smith Scholarship, which shows an increased interest in this fund.

This year's recipient is Miss Linda Helen Hammack, a graduate of the Flemington High School, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Hammack of Flemington, W. Va.

Linda was an outstanding student at her school and received many honors for her activities. She will attend West Virginia University this fall and major in Home Economics.

The Elizabeth Cummins Jackson Chapter of Grafton sponsored the award with Mrs. H. K. Debendarfer serving as Scholarship Chairman.

Frances L. Williams (Mrs. Edgar), State Chairman

GENERAL ADAM STEPHEN MEMORIAL

Restoration of the General Adam Stephen House in Martinsburg is well under way. All Committees working on this project are filled with enthusiasm as they watch their dream come to fruition.

The West Virginia Daughters can soon look with pride upon their contribution when the furniture is moved into the master bedroom and the house begins to take on an atmosphere of earlier years. While we have acquired most of the basic pieces of furniture for this bedroom, we are looking for bric-a-brac and small items to make the room look "lived in." Do you have a medical book, cuspidor, clock, bird cage, rugs, or any pre-1800 items which you would like to give for our bedroom? Your Chairman would be so glad to hear from you.

Florence H. Moore (Mrs. C. W.), State Chairman

JACKSON'S MILL

The annual Jackson's Mill luncheon meeting, West Virginia Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held July 9, 1966, with James Wood Chapter, Parkersburg, the hostess chapter.

The invocation was given by Mrs. O. C. Gardner; the pledge of allegiance was led by Miss Joan Adams, State Chairman, The Flag of the United States of America Committee.

The State Regent, Mrs. Carl C. Galbraith was introduced and spoke briefly.

Following a short business session directed by Mrs. C. F. McDermott, and the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting by Mrs. J. M. Weese, Secretary, Mrs. Alma Simmons, Regent, James Wood Chapter, introduced the speaker, Mr. Creel, Past Commander of the American Legion whose subject was "The Origin and History of the Flag of the United States of America."

Trans-Allegheny Chapter of Weston graciously accepted an invitation to be hostess for the 1967 meeting.

Reba McDermott (Mrs. C. F.), Director

REPORTS OF CHAPTER REGENTS

ANNE BAILEY CHAPTER

Anne Bailey Chapter has been on the Gold Honor Roll for nine consecutive years.

The Chapter has a chairman for each National Committee and the reports of the State Chairmen and State Treasurer will reflect the work of the Chapter. We were well represented at Continental Congress, State Conference, Western District meeting and Jackson Mill luncheon with reports given at Chapter meetings on each.

Our most outstanding meeting was "THE DIAMOND JUBILEE BANQUET," with Mrs. Fred Osborne, Chaplain General, as speaker. All chapters in the district and outstanding members of the community were invited.

We sponsor a student loan fund at West Virginia University; a C.A.R. Society; and six girls to American Heritage Camp. We gave three Good Citizen pins, one student being a state winner, and had three history award winners.

All historical anniversaries were celebrated with appropriate programs. Had a ten minute National Defense talk at each meeting and one full program. A Constitution Week luncheon with a speaker on the "Constitution," and a window display.

Jean Bell Brindley (Mrs. R. A.), Regent



ANN ROYALL CHAPTER

Organized by the late Mrs. Sherman Robinson, September 27, 1941. Named in honor of Ann Royall (1769-1854) who has been called the "first columnist." With her pen and through her newspapers she did much to arouse public vigilance of governmental affairs and to establish real freedom of the press.

Monthly meetings have been opened and the programs carried out, as far as possible, in conjunction with the objectives of the NSDAR, plus state and chapter activities.

Sponsored the grade school history contest. Pins were given to the three top winners. Also sponsored the Good Citizen project in the three high schools of the county, Cairo, Harrisville and Pennsboro. The winners and their parents were guests and participated in the program at the February meeting of the chapter.

The National Defense program has been greatly stressed at all meetings, reports having been presented from articles published by the NSDAR and other sources. The chapter chairman followed the series of themes given to us by the NSDAR (1959-67) as a guide in the battle against communism, and the preservation of our goodly heritage of Freedom.

"Blessed is the nation whose God is Jehovah."

Lulu G. Creighton (Mrs. S. E.), Regent

BARBOURSVILLE CHAPTER

Barboursville Chapter NSDAR was organized in 1926 by Mrs. W. H. Daniel.

Our small chapter held all meetings on the first Saturday of each month, September through June.

Programs were centered around the Constitution of the United States, Early American History,, DAR Schools, American Music, Flag of the United States and National Defense.

Constitution Week was especially observed and a display was in the window of the public library.

Two girls were sponsored to Our American Heritage Week camp at Cedar Lakes.

American History medals and certificates of awards were given to elementary and Junior High School students in our area.

National defense medals were awarded as was Good Citizenship medals.

One new JAC club was formed. JAC-Thacker awards were given in the Barboursville Elementary School.

On January 21., 1966, the organizing regent, Mrs. W. H. (Ivy Smith) Daniel passed away. A memorial was held at the Baptist Church during the year.

Flag Day ceremonies and installation of new officers was held at the summer home of one of our members.

Mrs. Marguerite Johnston, Regent



BEE LINE CHAPTER

The Chapter emphasized patriotism by saluting flag and giving pledge at each meeting; placing flags on graves of deceased members and real daughters on July 4th, had speaker on Constitution, and encouraged to display flags on National Holidays. Also Freedoms foundation winner spoke on "Valley Forge Past and Present" at George Washington Birthday Luncheon.

Held memorial service for deceased member Miss Ann Lloyd Baylor —placed marker on grave—a faithful member laid to rest.

Chapter was host to District Meeting and entertained at open house for our State Regent, Mrs. Galbraith.

Chapter studying pollution and development of rivers,, wrote public officials asking protection for redwood trees and Grand Canyon.

Good citizenship medals were given high school boy and girl, also History medals to students with highest and second highest grades.

Donated to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith Schools, museum, Genealogical Records, State Conservation Workshop, student loan, and \$50 for Constitution Hall renovation.

Virginia B. Kable (Mrs. J. Emory), Regent

BLACKWATER CHAPTER

Our membership—23, with one paper pending.

Six meetings were held during the year with patriotic and interesting programs. The National Defense chairman gave a report at each meeting, and the President General's message was read.

Four Good Citizenship medals and pins were given to a boy and girl in the two local county high schools.

Our Chapter was represented at the Central District Meeting; our state and national dues paid promptly; and press notices given to the local weekly paper.

A wall memorial plate was presented to the outgoing Regent.

Mrs. Lalah Fankhouser, Regent



BLANNERHASSETT CHAPTER

Blennerhassett Chapter members put forth their greatest effort in observing Constitution Week. We had a tea, a booth on the street to distribute patriotic literature, an appearance on television by the Regent, numerous window displays, schools and press programs and many letters written to churches and organizations.

The meetings were planned with basic principles of the DAR in mind. Some of the speakers were, Major J. G. Lawler of the Marine Corps; the State Regent, Mrs. Galbraith; Rev. Ross Evans; and a program on the Diamond Jubilee.

The Regent and one member attended the State Conference and several members attended the District Meeting.

Many historical research papers were prepared and given at meetings by members of the Chapter.

We sent one girl and a counselor to "Our American Heritage Camp."

Blennerhassett Chapter had a highly successful and interesting year.

Mrs. Pearle Cox Morris, Regent



BUFORD CHAPTER

Buford Chapter has contributed to the Museum, Dollars for Defense, Americana Collection, library microfilming and rebinding, W. Va. Room, Conservation, and purchased National Defense literature.

We have sent money and clothing to St. Mary's School, Kate Duncan Smith, and Tamassee plus 35c per member for the new Sullivan building.

Ten Good Citizenship medals and two Good Citizen awards were presented in the schools and we have four J.A.C. Clubs.

We have an active CAR chapter and two Buford members are state promoters.

The chapter sponsored two girls and endorsed nineteen others for the American Heritage Week Camp.

Buiford chapter cooperated with the SAR in the annual Constitution Week dinner.

DAR Magazine subscriptions went to two libraries, the tape, Citizen-USA was played on a radio station., we have had good publicity, and our year book won a blue ribbon in national competition.

The regent attended the October 1965 Diamond Jubilee celebration in Washington and the chapter commemorated this anniversary with a luncheon.

(Miss) Marjorie Templeton, Regent

CAPTAIN JAMES ALLEN CHAPTER

American History month was celebrated by Mayor's proclamation, articles in newspapers and spot announcements on both radio stations.

Essay contests conducted among 675 children in six schools. Medals and money given winners at each school. One division winner. Good newspaper coverage., with pictures. Judges were prominent Beckley citizens.

Sent clothing and money to St. Mary's School and Bacone College.

Sent two girls to American Heritage Camp.

Sent clothing and money to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee Schools.

Contributed money for advertisement in DAR magazine.

Gave good citizen pins and certificates to senior girls in two high schools. Newspapers carried good coverage on this.

Placed DAR magazine in Veterans Hospital Library, two high schools and Beckley Public libraries. 37 members subscribe to the magazine.

Copies of "In Washington," the DAR Story placed in Beckley Public Library and Woodrow Wilson High School Library.

Card index ancestor cards furnished National Society for all members. Genealogical Form for Lineage and Revolutionary Service covering all members also furnished.

Had full program on National Defense.

Sold American flags to members for Constitution Week. Celebrated week by articles in local newspapers, window displays, American flags lined streets for three full days; large street banner spanning main street displayed for entire week.

Regent held workshop for committee chairmen.

Furnished candy for Veterans Hospital patients for Christmas presents and money to Pinecrest Tuberculosis Sanitarium.

Mrs. Irma Huettner, Regent

CHARLESTON CHAPTER

Charleston Chapter continues in the same pattern as followed when

we organized three years ago. Last year's report covers all fundamental workings of our chapter.

Our Freedom book shelf grows, also American Heritage campers from our chapter increased. The Gold Honor Roll again is self-explanatory.

We feel joint meetings as was Flag Day this past June, promote a needed kindred feeling within each given area. Continuing to carry on these needed worth while ideas of our forefathers, this to us is the important motive.

Kitty Beddow (Mrs. Herbert M.), Regent

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COLONEL ANDREW DONNALLY CHAPTER

OFFICERS

Regent	Mrs. Samuel Solins
Vice-Regent	Mrs. J. N. Harman, III
Chaplain	Mrs. John W. Blakely
Recording Secretary	Mrs. J. N. Troy
Treasurer	Mrs. James J. Johns
Registrar	Mrs. Paul W. Jones
Librarian	Mrs. James French Strother
Corresponding Secretary	Mrs. Solins, assisted by Mrs. Hassel T. Hicks

The Colonel Andrew Donnally Chapter, DAR planned programs for 1965-66 in keeping with the National DAR theme. Special emphasis was placed on the patriotic, historical and educational goals of the National Society.

The chapter was represented at National, State and District DAR meetings.

Contributions were made for the Christmas Party at the Veterans Hospital in Beckley and to the Friends of the Museum fund. Locally, a contribution was made for a program of special entertainment for the crippled children of the county. A large box was sent to Kate Duncan Smith School. The assessment for the renovation of Constitution Hall was paid in full as was the assessment for the West Virginia page in the DAR Magazine.

Seven Good Citizen pins were given to Senior High School girls and seven Good Citizen medals were given to Senior High School boys.

One member was added, one lost by death, two by resignations and two by transfer to Virginia chapters. We now have 27 members.

Bertha Ballard Solins (Mrs. Samuel), Regent

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COLONEL CHARLES LEWIS CHAPTER

The Colonel Charles Lewis Chapter marked its 65th Anniversary

with the Spring Luncheon. The State Regent, State Organizing Secretary and the State Historian were honored guests Mrs. Irene Elberts,, a native of Latvia, spoke—her topic, "From Bondage to Freedom."

Ten meetings were held with recommended openings. Programs were informative and stressed our society objectives. They included a talk by our State Historian for American History Month,, a program by one of our JAC Clubs and one by the CAR Society.

We presented 9 American History awards, 12 good citizenship and 3 good citizen medals. We had a state history essay winner, sponsored a girl to American Heritage Camp and contributed to a JAC Scholarship Fund. Flags were placed on the graves of deceased members on Memorial Day. We held open house October 10, Battle Day, which is observed in Point Pleasant.

Our Chapter was represented at National, State and District meetings. Excellent press coverage kept the public informed of our activities.

Anna C. Proffitt (Mrs. Charles), Regent

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COLONEL JOHN EVANS CHAPTER

Chapter Organized October 5, 1909

Resignations—1. Deceased—2. Total Membership—101

Eight meetings held. Chapter joined other two Chapters for Washington's Birthday Dinner in February.

Regent and Radio Chairman gave the DAR Story over Station WAJR. Copy of this story is included in the Regent's Packet.

Sponsored Mary Lynn Calahan to American Heritage Camp.

Gave DAR Magazine to Junior High School and Public Library.

Sent Beads to Bacone College.

Constitution Week work won First Honorable Mention at 1965 State Conference.

Two Good Citizenship Awards, pins and Certificates given.

History notes presented over WCLG for American History Month.

Eleven pounds of clothing to Cadmore.

Three Members attended Continental Congress.

Regent has sponsored "The Overseas Wives Club," for 19 years.

CONTRIBUTIONS

Kate Duncan Smith School	\$10.55
Tennessee	10.55
Americana Project	5.00
St. Mary's College	5.00
American Heritage Camp	37.00
Bacone College	5.00
Investment Trust Fund	5.00
Two Good Citizenship Awards	10.00
18 History Medals	10.00

Mabel Griffith Stoyer (Mrs. Rudolph S.), Regent

COLONEL MORGAN MORGAN CHAPTER

Gold Honor Roll Status.

Constitution Week—First Place

Chapter represented at Continental Congress, District Meeting, Jackson's Mill Luncheon, State Conference.

Presented 15 American History Awards and 2 good citizen awards, at May meeting at which parents and teachers were present.

Clothing sent to Tamassee and money to Kate Duncan Smith Schools.

Sponsored 3 girls to American Heritage Week Camp.

New subscriptions to DAR Magazine.

Added several volumes to Freedom Bookshelf, Marion County Library.

Programs were strictly DAR and developed our National Theme.

Increase in chapter membership.

Excellent publicity before and after each meeting.

Mrs. George E. Pigott, Regent

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DANIEL DAVISSON CHAPTER

Daniel Davisson Chapter was organized Oct. 21, 1908, and this year closed with ninety-four members and four papers pending.

Nine meetings were held with excellent programs, among them observance of National Defense, Conservation, American History and Flag Day. The National Defense Chairman gave a report at each meeting.

We gave nine Good Citizen Awards and sent one girl to American Heritage Camp. We sent clothing to Kate Duncan Smith and a contribution of money to Tamassee Schools. We maintained Daniel Davisson Cemetery.

Neva Stuart Weeks (Mrs. Harry C.), Regent

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ELIZABETH CUMMINS JACKSON CHAPTER

Elizabeth Cummins Jackson Chapter, NSDAR, held ten regular meetings, four executive board and one call meeting.

All programs carried the patriotic theme.

Admitted two new members.

Our immediate Past-Regent, Mrs. George W. Cross, whose term of office expired in June 1936, presented a book, "Courier and Ives," by Harry T. Peters, to the Grafton City Library in honor of our Chapter.

One member attended Continental Congress.

Four members attended the District meeting in Elkins, May 14.

Six members attended Annual Luncheon at Jackson's Mill.

Two members attended inter-cities meeting at Fairmont.

Two Good Citizens pins and certificates were awarded. We sponsored one girl to the American Heritage Camp at Cedar Lakes. Our contestant, Linda Hammack, Flemington, W. Va., was chosen the recipient of the Eleanor H. Smith Scholarship for 1966-67.

Markers were placed on Elizabeth Cummins Jackson and Captain John Jackson's graves in Clarksburg at a dedication ceremony on May 25, 1966. Fifteen members and ten guests attended, with our State Regent present. These markers were purchased by the Chapter.

Mrs. H. K. Debendarfer, Regent

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ELIZABETH LUDINGTON HAGANS CHAPTER

The Chapter membership is 146, with four papers pending. We have lost five members by death.

Our Regent, Mrs. Frances J. Quinn, attended National and State meetings and the newly elected Regent attended the District meetings. Mrs. Quinn tutored a class of foreign born applicants for American Citizenship and supervised 165 members in three JAC Clubs. The latter received National Honorable Mention.

Ten interesting, timely and educational meetings have been held with ten minutes or more given to National Defense reports.

A joint meeting with the other two chapters in Morgantown was held in February.

We sponsored Jeanette Luchok to American Heritage Camp; Ashley Doherty to Rhododendron Girls State and our Good Citizen award and pin went to Paula Strawser.

Mrs. Daniel P. Caulkins, Regent

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ELIZABETH ZANE CHAPTER

Membership of the chapter is 74, and 25 per cent subscribe to the DAR Magazine.

The Ritual, pledge of allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, the American's Creed, report on National Defense and the President General's message were given at each meeting.

We observed Constitution Week, and in September, the first program of the year was on "The Constitution." Other programs included National Defense, American Heritage, American History, American Music, and slides from National for one program on St. Mary's Indian School for Girls. At our Christmas party we gave money for our sponsored schools, instead of a gift exchange.

Contributions: Kate Duncan Smith, \$12.50; Tamasee, \$12.50; Scholarship for Tamasee, \$10.00; carton of books for Tamasee valued at \$25.00; 3 cartons of weaving material for Crossnore, valued at \$35.00; St. Mary's Indian School for Girls \$10.00 All monies sent through the State Treasurer.

Delegates gave reports of District meeting, State Conference and Continental Congress.

We sponsored three girls to American Heritage Camp, had wonderful reports from the girls.

Our Chapter will meet requirements for \$15.00 for ad in DAR magazine, and fifty cents per member for building at Tamassee.

We had two members, Mrs. Roger Babcock and Miss Hallie Lee Hallam, recommended by Elizabeth Zane Chapter for the first volume of "Outstanding Women of America.", Both nominees were chosen. Book just recently published. Miss Hallam is an artist and Mrs. Babcock a gold medal Ice Skater (figure and dance skating). Both young ladies are teachers.

Klara Dulaney (Mrs. T. W.), Regent

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FORT LEE CHAPTER

For attaining fourteen points on the 1965-66 Honor Roll, Fort Lee received the Gold Award Certificate and Ribbon from the National Society.

We followed the National Theme and feel we told the "Full DAR Story" by our programs which included "The Flag of the United States of America," Constitution Week, American Indians, Conservation and all others required by National.

We sponsored three girls to American Heritage Week Camp. In addition to a special Constitution Week celebration, we had a window display in Merrill's Photo.

We participated in the Diamond Jubilee Anniversary Celebration with a cooperative dinner and meeting of all Kanawha Valley Chapters where the Chaplain General spoke.

Fort Lee admitted one Junior member, had one death and one resignation. We have four new papers pending at the present time.

We awarded a "DAR Good Citizens" pin and certificate and a Bronze American History medal and two certificates to Sixth Grade Students for their most excellent American History Essays.

Mrs. Fennell Anderson, Regent

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GENERAL ANDREW LEWIS CHAPTER

General Andrew Lewis Chapter, NSDAR, with programs based on Theme of the Year, had nine regular meetings, each opening with a prayer, ritual, pledge of allegiance, the American's Creed, National Defense report and reading of the President General's message.

Constitution week was observed with Mayor's proclamation, radio and news announcements and window displays. Also window displays commemorating Thanksgiving and History Month.

We contributed to Veterans Hospital, DAR and Indian Schools,

Helen Pouch Scholarship fund, state projects and one girl was sponsored to American Heritage Camp.

Our chapter was represented at District, State and annual State Luncheon meetings, and was hostess in May for the Southern District meeting.

We contributed books to the County Library in honor of guest speakers.

Each member has insignia or recognition pin and subscribes to the DAR Magazine.

We have good attendance and interest. The year closed with a June luncheon and invited guests.

Mrs. C. W. Cravs, Regent

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JAMES BARBOUR CHAPTER

The James Barbour Chapter was organized March 19, 1920.

Our monthly programs have followed the pattern set by the National Society; Historical, Educational and Patriotic. Our December meeting is a Dinner followed by a Christmas Program emphasizing American Music and its carols.

On May 30th, our chapter, assisted by the Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and other local civic organizations, holds a Memorial Service at the local cemetery for the veterans and our members who are buried there.

A National Defense report is made at each meeting.

Our Chapter contributed:

\$10.00 to Kate Duncan Smith School.

\$10.15 Christmas gift to Crossnore, also sent them coupons.

Purchased an ad in the National Magazine.

Presented a Good Citizens Pin to a senior high school girl.

Two good Citizenship Medals to seniors.

A History Medal to a Junior high school student and a History Medal to a member of the sixth grade.

Monta Foster (Mrs. Hobart), Regent

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JAMES WOOD CHAPTER

Patriotic, Educational, Historical Programs--

172 members. 31 papers being processed, 11 new, 3 new Juniors--

Open Meeting "Green Beret Boys"--

Patricia Melcher, Junior, Fulbright Grant, Paris Study--

Musical Composition.

Attended District, State, National Meetings--

Hostess, Jackson's Mill; 2 oldest members gifts, American Legion

Past Commander Speaker.

Contributed, Schools, Crossnore \$12.00, Tamasssee \$100.00, St. Marys, K.D.S. \$11.00 each—
 CAR—State Meeting \$50.00
 National Defense \$18.00—
 16 new magazine subscriptions—
 Advertising National Magazine—\$25.00—
 Bazaar—\$3.00—Americana \$1.00—
 Cancer, heart fund., \$20.00—
 17 DAR Stories, Library, High School—
 Good Citizen's Awards \$20.00—
 American, Foreign Field Service—\$25.00
 10 girls American Heritage Camp—
 Repairs Constitution Hall \$172.00.
 Set Encyclopedia., flags, poles, landscaping, Y.M.C.A., Boys Club,
 Junior Academy—Children's Home—
 Constitution Tea—TV Speaker, Radio, Schools, Banks, Stores, Displays.
 Programs, Junior American Citizens, Y.M.C.A., Union Mission, Children's Home, Boys Club—
 Congressional letters—
 National Defense Literature distributed—
 Greetings State American Legion Auxiliary—\$5.00 Viet Nam Fund—
 4 grave Insignias—
 Member attended National Lingerie Research School—
 Most inches publicity in State.

Mrs. Alma Simmons, Regent

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JOHN CHAPMAN CHAPTER

John Chapman Chapter's monthly programs carried out the National objectives—Historical, Educational, Patriotic.

A Good Citizens Award, two History Essay Awards,, and five History Medals were presented to students in various Bluefield Schools.

Memorial gifts and boxes of clothing were sent to both KDS and Tammassee Schools and a gift was presented to American Indians.

Our Chapter was represented at Continental Congress, State Conference, and Southern District Meeting.

National History Week and Constitution Week were celebrated with a luncheon and a dinner with appropriate speakers for each occasion. A proclamation from the Mayor window and bank displays, radio, TV and newspaper coverage were included.

In June, we honored our State Regent with a luncheon.

Our Chapter realized \$122.00 from the sale of used clothing.

We have contributed to the State page of advertising in the February issue of the DAR Magazine, to Americanna (Archives), and have paid our assessment in full for the renovation and air-conditioning of Constitution Hall.

John Chapman Chapter sponsored three girls to the American Heri-

tage Camp at Cedar Lakes, and we were responsible for 11 other girls being sponsored. Also four campers attending last year, returned this year as Counselors. One of our Chapter members was on the staff for American Heritage Week Camp.

We contributed to the Veteran's Christmas Party Fund.

Two of our members attended the July meeting at Jackson's Mill.

We have received three new members; seven members were lost by death; five resigned; one transferred out; one dropped; and four members were married.

We received Honorable Mention on the Honor Roll.

Frances A. Corbitt (Mrs. John E.), Regent



JOHN COOKE CHAPTER

Ten chapter meetings were opened with appropriate ritual, and all programs included basic objectives of the National Society. A National Defense report was given at each meeting.

Gifts were sent to Kate Duncan Smith School. One girl attended American Heritage Camp. Two Good Citizenship medals were presented to Oceana High School students.

A \$50.00 award was received for the largest percentage of new DAR magazine subscriptions during October, 1965, in the East Central Division.

Constitution Week was observed in many of the suggested ways. A formal flag raising at the high school was in co-operation with the American Government class and the Future Homemakers of America.

American History month was observed in the local high school by American History students making spot announcements.

Special emphasis was given the Diamond Jubilee Celebration.

162 inches of good publicity and 15 pictures appeared in our local newspapers.

Virginia Smith (Mrs. Thomas Hugh), Regent



JOHN HART CHAPTER

MEMBERSHIP 93—ORGANIZED MARCH 1907

Our programs and contributions were all phases of work of the National Society. We are most proud of our American Heritage Chairman who selected 17 girls that we sponsored to attend camp. We honored them at our chapter picnic in August at our County 4-H Camp. We have contributed extensively to the 4-H camp's amphitheater with a stone entrance and over 100 pines surrounding the worship center.

We had a most successful constitution week with Robert E. Maxwell, one of the youngest Federal Judges in the nation as our speaker.

We presented 9 history medals to our schools for the highest grades in American History.

Our musical program was our high school Glee Club.

The Chapter is honored by its State Officer, Mrs. Parmesano and State Chairmen, Miss Eib and Mrs. Neale.

Delegates attended Continental Congress, State Conference,, Jackson's Mill and were hostesses to the District Conference.

Frances R. Channell (Mrs. Carl), Regent

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JOHN YOUNG CHAPTER

Our programs and contributions covered most phases of the work of the National Society. Nine meetings conducted according to the procedure recommended by the NSDAR. The chapter was represented at Continental Congress, State Conference, and the Western District Meeting.

In January we honored Mrs. W. S. Johnson, Organizing Regent of John Young Chapter, whose length of service in DAR is close to fifty years. She is the mother of Miss Virginia B. Johnson, Vice-President General from West Virginia.

It was our pleasure to be hostess to all Charleston chapters at a Flag Day Luncheon on June 14, 1966. Mrs. Carl C. Galbraith, State Regent was the speaker.

The Yomoka Society, CAR is sponsored by our group.

Eight girls attended the American Heritage Week Camp under our sponsorship.

Agnes Woods (Mrs. Frederick A.), Regent

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KANAWHA VALLEY CHAPTER

Our chapter presented programs based on our threefold objectives. A National Defense report was given at each meeting. An interesting and inspiring talk on the Flag of the United States of America was given at our October meeting by Miss Joan Adams, State Chairman, at which time she assisted our immediate Past-Regent, Mrs. G. Callie Porter, in displaying a large handmade Flag which is one hundred years old, and was made by Mrs. Porter's Mother.

Rev. Roland Weisser discussed our National DAR Theme. Two instructive talks were given—"Safety Progress" by Mr. H. E. Webb, Jr., of Monsanto Chemicals, and—"Legal Safeguards" by Mrs. C. G. Lantz of our State Tax Department. Mr. Angus Peyton, Commissioner of our State Department of Commerce spoke on the Peace Corps, urging us to praise West Virginia.

An historical book and an American History medal were awarded to a boy having the winning sixth grade essay in West Virginia. Four other history awards were given. Two girls were sent to American Heritage Camp. The Chapter was represented at National Congress, State Conference and the District meeting.

Contributions were made to CAR, Kate Duncan Smith School, Tamasec, the Edle Erb Sullivan building program, the Library fund, and the Indian fund. The Chapter participated in our joint Diamond Jubilee banquet honoring Mrs. Osborne, National Chaplain, and a luncheon honoring our State Regent. We provided many hours in research and located one new Revolutionary Ancestor.

Burgie R. McComas (Mrs. F. S.), Regent

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KING'S WOOD CHAPTER

Ten meetings were held this past year. All meetings were opened with DAR ritualistic form. The President General's message read and national defense news presented.

Constitution Week was observed in history classes throughout the schools and a proclamation signed by the Mayor.

Nine girls represented the King's Wood Chapter at Our American Heritage Camp at Cedar Lakes. The sponsoring groups for the girls were Kingwood Rotary Club, Kingwood Kiwanis Club, Xi Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, Albright National Bank and King's Wood Chapter DAR.

The beautifying of our Old Iron Furnace has been accepted by the State Commission.

DAR Good Citizen pins were awarded to seven outstanding high school seniors in the county.

Marion Argabrite (Mrs. Virgil), Regent

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LIEUTENANT DANIEL SHUMATE CHAPTER

The Lt. Daniel Shumate Chapter of the DAR was organized on April 22, 1966, at the home of Mrs. Byron W. Steele, with Mrs. William McClaugherty of Princeton, West Virginia, as the Organizing Officer. Mrs. McClaugherty is a member of the Capt. Matthew French Chapter and a former State Regent of the DAR. There were fifteen members present. The name was chosen for the chapter as there are eleven descendants of the Lieutenant who are charter members of the chapter. Lt. Shumate was born on June 14, 1749, in Fauquier County, Virginia, the son of Daniel Shumate and Millie Campbell. He served as Ensign of Fauquier County, Va., under Capt. Ball, 1777, and was commissioned 2nd Lt. on November 23rd, 1778. This is about the time he left Fauquier County for the New River Valley. His first land grant in Greenbrier County, now West Virginia, was in 1787. Daniel and his father served in the war.

Mrs. Byron Steele, Regent

MAJOR WILLIAM HAYMOND CHAPTER

We tried to meet all requirements in our nine interesting and instructive meetings. Several of our members attended the Sons of the Revolution annual banquet in the Fairmont Hotel on February 22nd. We were proud and pleased to have our State Regent, Mrs. Galbraith, as our speaker in May.

We gave Good Citizen Awards at four High Schools, sent one girl to Rhododendron Girls State and sponsored four girls to American Heritage Camp. We gave historical film to one High School, sent money and clothing to Tamassee and have made all other suggested contributions. Through one of our members, two books were given to our Public Library, for the genealogical shelf—"Cavaliers and Pioneers," by Nugent, and "Old Maryland Families," by Brownell.

We have had excellent publicity in our local newspapers and feel that our year has been very successful.

Helen Bellis Brooks (Mrs. L. Mason), Regent

MATTHEW FRENCH CHAPTER

Our Chapter co-sponsored a flag flying project. 250 flags were flown on the streets of Princeton on designated days. We are also selling flags of every size, through the Chapter.

Our December meeting was outstanding. The Chapter was invited to Princeton High School for a Christmas speech and music program; then toured the most artistically decorated home of Dr. Daniel Hale in southern West Virginia, with Christmas in every room in lovely hand-made arrangements, etc.

A program on quilts was excellent, with over 60 quilts on display and a projected history of quilting.

Thirteen girls were sponsored to Heritage Camp.

History ribbons were given in schools to straight "A" students.

Three Good Citizens were chosen in area high schools.

We gave a one hundred dollar scholarship to a Senior girl.

Mrs. William S. Winfrey, Regent

MONDONGACHATE CHAPTER

Mondongachate Chapter was represented at Continental Congress, State Conference, District meeting and Jackson's Mill.

Constitution week was observed by an open meeting with a speaker and newspaper and radio publicity. Flags were flown during the Week.

Our Chapter merited an honorable mention for the honor roll.

Four History Medals, one Good Citizenship medal, and one Good Citizens medal were presented.

One girl was sponsored to American Heritage Camp, and money was sent to Kate Duncan Smith, Helen Pouch Fund, and Tamassee School. Mendongachate sponsored two J.A.C. Clubs.

The DAR magazine was placed in our school library and the magazine quota was met.

Two ads were provided for the magazine and a contribution was made toward the Museum fund.

Flags were flown on national holidays, flag days and during the week of our Bluestone Water Festival, and also throughout Constitution Week.

We were honored indeed, to have our State Regent, Mrs. Carl C. Galbraith, as guest speaker in June at The Greenbrier in White Sulphur, where she also held the installation of our new officers.

Mrs. A. F. Bush, Regent

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MOUND CHAPTER

All chapter meetings were opened with the Pledge of Allegiance and the National Anthem.

DAR Good Citizens pins were awarded to four County High School students. We sponsored one girl to Our American Heritage Camp and she made an interesting report at our meeting. We have contributed money to Tamassee, Kate Duncan Smith, American Indians, St. Mary's and to Crossnore schools. Also 55 pounds of clothing to Crossnore. We gave \$75.00 for Constitution Hall renovation.

We entertained our State Regent, Mrs. Carl C. Galbraith in March.

Twelve members attended the Northern District meeting, and our Regent attended the meeting at Jackson's Mill.

We had programs on American History and American Music by two instructors in our city public schools.

Constitution Week was observed by having the Boy Scouts distribute 1,000 tags, and posters for the store windows. Our speaker was Richard Warmuth, Judge of the Common Pleas Court of Marshall County.

Alice Littell (Mrs. Harold), Regent

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MOUNTAINEER CHAPTER

Mountaineer Chapter has endeavored to follow National and State DAR policy as much as possible. We are a small chapter and must of necessity forego some activities.

Education has been our primary interest this year. We have established a bookshelf at Sissonville High School; sponsored an entry in the Eleanor H. Smith Scholarship contest; and have given "GOOD CITIZEN" and "GOOD CITIZENSHIP" awards.

Our chapter furnished a page for the State Conference at Huntington, West Virginia. We were represented at the Western District Conference.

Chapter members have participated in many community affairs in the interest of DAR work.

Edith L. Marcum (Mrs. Lafayette), Regent

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NATHAN DAVIS CHAPTER

Nathan Davis Chapter was represented at the District Meeting and the annual luncheon meeting at Jackson's Mill. We were hostess to the NE District meeting. One new member was added.

We presented a good Citizenship certificate and pin, and sponsored a girl to American Heritage Camp.

Constitution week was observed by appropriate program, a window display, and a proclamation signed by the Mayor, published in the county paper.

All regular assessments were met, and well prepared programs which told the DAR story were presented.

Mrs. Sturley Stalnaker, Regent

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PACK HORSE FORD CHAPTER

Pack Horse Ford Chapter celebrated its fiftieth anniversary in February. Members of Bee Line Chapter, William Henshaw Chapter and Shenandoah Valley Chapter, including three state officers, were present to help make the celebration a memorable occasion.

The Diamond Jubilee Anniversary was observed in October. Mrs. W. H. S. White, honorary State Regent, gave an interesting talk on the DAR Story. Copies of "In Washington", "The DAR Story" were given to Shepherd College, Shepherdstown High School and the Shepherdstown Library.

Constitution Week was well celebrated. An interesting display was placed in a business office window and also on the bulletin board at the high school. A notice was published in the local newspaper and over the local radio. The churches prayed for the Constitution, and spoke of it also in a sermon.

The Chapter contributed to four DAR schools: Crossnore, Tamassee, St. Mary's and Bacone.

A Good Citizenship pin and certificate were given to the best citizen senior girl at the Shepherdstown High School.

Flags were placed on thirty graves of Revolutionary soldiers in July
Augusta M. Phillips (Mrs. James S.), Regent

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POTOMAC VALLEY CHAPTER

We have ten regular meetings during the year—June and September

meetings are always held at Fort Ashby, West Virginia.

All programs include the basic objectives of our National Society. Guest speakers included United States Senator, Robert C. Byrd and Dr. William Conkle of West Virginia University for Appalachian Studies and Development.

At our February meeting Indian bead work from St. Mary's School, Springfield, South Dakota was displayed and sold.

Four students received history awards and two citizenship pins for best essays on history and good citizenship.

Contributions include: \$5.00 to Tamassee; \$5.00 to Kate Duncan Smith; \$5.00 St. Mary's; \$1.70 for microfilming and rebinding books. Advertising: \$10.00 to National Society and \$10.00 to State.

Our National Defense Chairman gives a report at each meeting. Much interest was evidenced in Constitution week—we had 7080 points. Publicity totaled 690 inches in words and pictures. Pictures—80, clippings—69. All appeared in four newspapers.

We were represented at the Eastern District-Tri-State meeting and the 75th Continental Congress.

Our 45th chapter anniversary was celebrated in June.

One member was lost by death and one gained by transfer. We have thirteen subscribers to the DAR Magazine.

Mrs. Eltin D. Gourley, Regent

PRINCESS ARACOMA CHAPTER

Our meetings are opened with the Ritual, The American's Creed and Salute to the Flag.

Meetings are well attended and a guest speaker at every meeting. Nine meetings in all and well prepared programs which told the DAR story.

Two dinners were given—one a Constitutional Day Dinner attended by members, a Flag Day Dinner attended by members and their guests.

Program slides on "Colonial Art" was shown. A Musical for Christmas. A program on West Virginia History and Indian Lore given by a member, this was an outstanding program.

Memorial services for our deceased members.

Good Citizenship Certificates and Pins to five high school seniors. Diamond Jubilee books sent to Junior and Senior High Schools. The DAR magazine presented to all High Schools. Monetary gift to the Veterans Hospital, Representatives sent to the Convention held in Huntington, West Virginia, and favorable press notices were received from the county paper.

Report by Teddy Gray Cook, Immediate Past Regent.

Mrs. Frank White, Regent

RAVENSWOOD CHAPTER

1. Sent two girls to American Heritage Camp, Cedar Lakes.
2. Presented two Good Citizen Awards.
3. Presented four American History Awards.
4. Radio spot announcements during American History Week.
5. Our Mayor signed proclamation designating Constitution Week.
6. Chapter purchased tape "Citizen, U.S.A." which was presented during Constitution Week, over radio station WMOV.
7. Paid fifteen dollars towards double page spread featuring West Virginia in the February issue of the DAR Magazine.

Madaline Crum (Mrs. Karl), Regent

SHENANDOAH VALLEY CHAPTER

Ten meetings were held including a Luncheon, Dinner and Picnic. National holidays observed, all meetings opened with the RITUAL, PLEDGE, and NATIONAL ANTHEM.

Programs planned around Historic, Educational and Patriotic Objectives, using "THEME" of President General. Five minutes devoted to National Defense. Diamond Jubilee observed in HISTORY, MUSICAL SETTINGS, ARTS, and CRAFTS through the years. DAR STORY told by the Regent as recorded in the pages of history. Excellent reviews of the Aims and Accomplishments of the society in its many and varied fields. CONSTITUTION WEEK, elaborately observed. Programs on Indians; Pilgrims; Romance of Christmas Carols; Colonial Heritage; Mt. Vernon Slides; Conservation and Special Anniversaries.

C.A.R. Active—NEW LEADER from our chapter. Girl to Cedar Lakes; Contributions to Tamasee; K.D.S. Clothing; St. Mary's; Silver and Bronze Medals; Awards; Certificates to winners Excellence American History; Essay winner, on "ADVICE of WASHINGTON" HONORARY Certificate; Investment Trust and Endowment; Occupational Therapy Scholarship; Americana; Camp; Americanism: \$15.00 AD; \$25.00 "ADAM STEPHEN MEMORIAL"; honoring regent, Miss Lingamfelter; All State and General Assessments paid.

Representatives to Congress, District meeting, Jackson's Mill, and State Conference, Joined Wm. Henshaw in entertaining Madames Galbraith, Moore, and Barret in June. Honored by having Miss Ruth Siebert serve on State Credentials. Press very liberal. Lost one charter member, Mary Buckner Faukner.

(Miss) Mary Hilda Lingamfelter, Regent

SOUTH BRANCH VALLEY CHAPTER

South Branch Valley Chapter, with a membership of 46 includes

Franklin, Petersburg, Moorefield and Romney. Loss by death—1, new members—3.

Good Citizenship pins were awarded to four girls and six girls attended American Heritage Camp.

The Chapter was hostess to a Tri-State meeting; was represented at District Meeting, Jackson's Mill luncheon and State Conference.

American History month was observed by (1) four members participating in a program; (2) displays arranged in one store in Romney and the libraries in Moorefield, Petersburg and Franklin; (3) awards for essays to two girls and one boy from the Advance and Junior Hi Departments of the Romney School for the Deaf, and a framed picture presented to their school.

Cash donations of \$20, as well as cartons of clothing valued at \$200 sent to Kate Duncan Smith, Tamassee, Crossnore, St. Mary's School for Indian Girls and the Good Shepherd Mission for Indian children.

The Chapter honored all members over the age of seventy as one of the special features celebrating "The Diamond Jubilee Year".

Margaret Lawrence (Mrs. Charles), Regent



SPENCER ROAN CHAPTER

Each meeting of Spencer Roan Chapter was opened in Ritualistic order; with the pledge of allegiance to the Flag, the American's Creed, the President General's message and a National Defense Report.

A 50-year membership certificate was awarded Mrs. Jessie Fiedler; Good Citizen pins were presented at two high schools; Three American History awards were given and Citizenship medals were presented to students of two high schools and one junior high school. Two girls were sponsored by the chapter to attend "Our American Heritage Camp" at Cedar Lakes.

We were represented by three members at the State Conference in Huntington where we served as Hostess chapter at the Regent's breakfast. Also attended the Western District meeting in Charleston.

Guest speakers were invited for four programs to increase the interest of our members and to broaden our fields of study.

American History Month was well publicised, including a signed Proclamation by the Mayor of Spencer, the Honorable Mr. McCulty. Announcements were made over the local radio station and the ministers were asked to recognize the occasion.

Nina Goad (Mrs. Howard), Regent



TRANS-ALLEGHENY CHAPTER

Trans-Allegheny Chapter held ten well attended meetings. The programs were educational, patriotic, historical and based on the theme

of the year.

We contributed to the up keep of our two county cemeteries.

Clothing was sent to Tamassee School.

Each high school in Lewis County was presented with the Citizenship awards and history awards.

Mrs. Richard J. Cronin, Regent

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TYGARTS VALLEY CHAPTER

Regular monthly meetings were held in the homes of members. Special programs and speakers, planned by Mrs. Hill, have been very interesting.

The Chapter has been presented with two American Flags, one from the Rainbow Assembly of Elkins and one from Stowell V. Kessler, a student at Davis and Elkins College, who was a Korean prisoner of war.

The Chapter sponsored three girls to the "American Heritage Camp"; observed Constitution Week by placing printed preambles and place mats, with other literature, in the schools; sent three boxes of clothing to Tamassee School and contributions to the Kate Duncan School and Indian School.

We have had a very good year with cooperation from the officers and members. We have four new members and seven application papers are pending.

Helen Shiflett (Mrs. Robert), Regent

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VANDALIA CHAPTER

The work and objectives of the DAR were outlined in each program. The President General's message was read at each meeting, and five minutes devoted to National Defense.

Constitution Week was observed with a proclamation published in the Nitro Kanawha Valley Leader newspaper; place mats, tags and the Preamble were placed in different schools; and a program on "The Constitution" in September.

Presented two Good Citizenship awards; five American History awards in the Nitro, Hurricane and Dunbar schools. Books were placed on the Freedom Bookshelf at Nitro Junior High School, and DAR magazines in the Nitro Public Library and Poca High School.

Two girls were sponsored to "Our American Heritage Camp" and one Junior Counselor; Contributions sent to Saint Mary's School, Eleanor H. Smith Scholarship fund and Tamassee School.

Our membership totals sixteen with one application paper pending.

Mrs. F. B. Donohoe, Regent

WEST AUGUSTA CHAPTER

Ten meetings were held with the programs emphasizing the National Theme. The State Organizing Secretary gave a report on the State Conference. An outstanding program was an original paper "Pioneer Women of West Virginia", written and presented by a member of the chapter.

Four History Awards, a High Honor pin, Good Citizen pin and Good Citizenship medal were presented. One girl sent to Rhododendron Girls State, four to Our American Heritage Camp; one book for the Freedom bookshelf at Mannington High School; two DAR magazine subscriptions to high schools and film of "Big Pow-Wow at Gallup" was presented.

Constitution Week was observed with tags distributed, bulletin board displays, posters in store windows, programs were presented by both elementary and high schools.

Money was sent to four schools, box of clothing sent to St. Mary's Indian School.

The chapter lost one member by withdrawal, but gained two new members.

In May a four chapter meeting was held in Fairmont with the State Regent present.

Mildred C. Kendall (Mrs. Claud C.) ,Regent



WHEELING CHAPTER

Fiftieth Anniversary celebrated with Mrs. Carl Galbraith, State Regent, speaker. Miss Stella DeGant was presented a 50 year pin and certificate. Eight pension papers and Molly Stark's gray pot given to USDAR Museum by Mrs. Harold Little. Miss Joan Adams, a member of our Chapter, was chosen West Virginia's Outstanding Junior.

Six Good Citizenship medals and five American History medals presented at Graduation assemblies. Three Good Citizens and two American History Essay winners guests of Chapter. Sent four girls to Heritage Camp and a member sent one.

Contribution of \$160.00 to refurbishing of Constitution Hall given at Continental Congress. Other monetary contributions are included in the State Treasurer's report. Sent clothing to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassce, jewelry to Bacone. Twelve magazine subscriptions to schools and public library. "In Washington" presented to two local libraries.

Chapter was represented at all state and national meetings. National Defense reports at all meetings; special activities planned for Constitution Week. Excellent publicity, T. V. program on American History Month.

Helen Coffey Hartlieb (Mrs. N. Brooks), Regent

WILLIAM HENSHAW CHAPTER

Ten monthly meetings were held, opening with DAR ritual followed by the President General's message and a National Defense report. Interesting programs included 'The Constitution', Hawaii, Old Churches of Virginia and The United Nations. A program on the Flag of the United States of America was given by the CAR.

We presented three Good Citizenship awards to high school seniors. The DAR Magazine was sent to four high school libraries and the Martinsburg Public Library. Five girls were sponsored to the American Heritage Camp, and five cartons of clothing valued at \$518.25 was sent to Crossnore. We co-sponsor the CAR Society and sponsor JAC groups.

Over 200 inches of publicity was reported, including report of girls sent to American Heritage Camp.

Contributions were made to the General Adam Stephen Memorial; National Museum; Helen Pouch Scholarship; Kate Duncan Smith and Tamasee Schools:

Represented at Continental Congress, State Conference, District meeting and Jackson's Mill.

Mrs. Luke E. Terry, Regent

WILLIAM MORRIS CHAPTER

William Morris Chapter now has forty-one members, having lost two in the past year through transfers.

The program as suggested by the national organization has been followed as far as practicable. National Defense was stressed at each meeting.

Delegates were sent to the Continental Congress and State Conference.

Two scholarships were given to college students—one in the school of nursing and one in the school of music.

One advertisement was placed in the DAR magazine. Subscriptions to the magazine were given to two high schools and one junior high school.

Money gifts were sent to two approved schools.

One girl was sent to the American Heritage Camp.

The Chapter was asked to display quilts at the Glenville Festival.

Continued interest in CAR has been evident during the past year with special emphasis since one of our members is Senior CAR President.

Ethel R. Miller (Mrs. Gaither W.), Regent

WILSON CARY NICHOLAS CHAPTER

The Special Project—this year and years to come—a Permanent Museum for Wilson Cary Nicholas Chapter. Location of museum is in the newly constructed City Municipal Building. Our first Installation was three lovely brass door and wall markers identifying our museum. These markers were purchased by a \$5.00 contribution from each member. Our second installation is near completion. Members of our Chapter are refinishing old display cases to place in the museum. When completed, we will be ready to place a few historical relics for public viewing. This project will continue indefinitely as many articles will be needed for the museum.

Honorable mention was granted our Chapter this year.

Vice regent, Mrs. B. N. McCutcheon and Mrs. Gladys Vaught, yearbook chairman, attended State Conference. Mrs. Vaught received second place yearbook award for our Chapter.

Nine Nicholas County girls participated in American Heritage Camp activities.

One Good Citizenship pin was awarded a graduating senior girl in 1966. Chapter contributed to Kate Duncan Smith School, Tamassee School, and West Virginia's page in the DAR Magazine.

Three new members have been accepted this year.

American History Month and Constitution Week were observed in the traditional manner, locally.

Report by Nancy Ballengee Brown (Mrs. B. P.), immediate Past Regent.

Mrs. Ralph Jones, Regent



YE TOWNE OF BATH CHAPTER

Our meetings are opened with the ritual, followed by the President General's message and a report on National Defense.

Constitution Week was observed by flying flags, by radio and press coverage and in the schools.

Programs are devoted to American History, the 75th NSDAR Anniversary, American Indians, and National Defense.

Two Good Citizen pins were awarded to students.

Contributions made to: Kate Duncan Smith DAR School, St. Mary's School for Indians, State Microfilming and Adam Stephen Memorial project.

The Chapter was represented at Continental Congress and the 75th NSDAR Anniversary in Washington.

Mrs. Etta H. Smith, Regent