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Mrs. Carl Conley Galbraith



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"Progress is the Activity of Today and the Assurance of
Tomorrow"—Emerson

October 26, 27, 28, 1967
West Virginian Hotel
Bluefield, West Virginia

Chairman..... Mrs. John E. Corbitt
Vice Chairmen—Mrs. B. Williams, Mrs. Wm. W. McClaugherty
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Allen, Col. Andrew Donnally, Gen. Andrew Lewis, John
Chapman, John Cooke, Lieut. Daniel Shumate, Matthew
French, Mondongachate, Princess Aracoma, Wilson Cary
Nicholas.

THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER

By Francis Scott Key

Oh, say, can you see by the dawn's early light
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming:
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, through the perilous flight,
O'er the ramparts we watched, 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 support its Constitution; to obey its laws; to respect its flag; and to defend it against all enemies.

—William Tyler Page



"I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands. One nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."





GREAT SEAL OF WEST VIRGINIA

The Great Seal of West Virginia, which also is the Coat of Arms, symbolizes the principal pursuits and resources of West Virginia. Described briefly, the obverse side of the Seal bears the legend, "State of West Virginia," together with the motto, "Montani Semper Liberi" (Mountaineers Are Always Free), a farmer stands to the right and a miner to the left of a large ivy-draped rock bearing the date of the state's admission to the Union; in front of the rock are two hunter's rifles upon which rests a Phrygian Cap, or "Cap of Liberty."

The reverse side of the Seal is not in common use today. It was intended to be employed when the Seal was attached to documents by ribbons and suspended in the manner of a medal.

Joseph H. Diss Debar, of Doddridge County, designed the State Seal in 1863 at the request of the first West Virginia Legislature.

STATE FLAG

Before the design of the present State Flag was officially adopted by the Legislature on March 7, 1929, West Virginia had been represented by several flags which had proved impractical.

Prominently displayed on the pure white field of today's flag and emblazoned in proper colors is the Coat of Arms, the lower half of which is wreathed by Rhododendron. Across the top, lettered on a ribbon, is the constitutional designation—"State of West Virginia." The white field is bordered on four sides by a strip of blue, and for parade purposes all but the staff side are to be trimmed with gold fringe.





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Tickets.....	Mrs. C. William Moore
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Southern District.....	Mrs. Harold Stafford, Princeton
Western District.....	Mrs. Grant P. Hall, Jr., Charleston

Program

THEME—"Education, the Key to America's Future"

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1967

- STATE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT LUNCHEON 12:15 p. m. Club Room
Captain James Allen Chapter.....Hostess
- MEMORIAL SERVICE 2:00 p. m. Bland Street Methodist Church
Presiding.....Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain
Soloist.....Mrs. Frank Hancock
Accompanist.....Mr. Garland Bruce
- STATE OFFICERS CLUB DINNER 6:00 p. m. Club Room
Presiding.....Mrs. Grant P. Hall, Jr., President
Borderland Chapter.....Hostess
- OPENING SESSION 8:00 p. m. Ball Room
Assembly Call.....Trumpeters
Processional—National, State Officers, Honor Guests and Pages
Pianist.....Mr. Garland Bruce
- SIXTY-SECOND ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE Call to Order
Mrs. Carl Conley Galbraith, West Virginia State Regent
Invocation..... Dr. Craig Houston Patterson
Minister, Westminster Presbyterian Church
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.....Led by Miss Lucile Stutler
Northern District Director
The American's Creed..... Mrs. Hersel Henderson, State Historian
National Anthem.....Led by Mrs. Aubrey Ferguson
State Vice Chairman of American Heritage Committee
Welcome to the City of Bluefield....The Honorable Judson Lambert
Mayor of the City of Bluefield
Welcome to the State Conference.....Mrs. John E. Corbitt
West Virginia State Conference Chairman
Response..... Mrs. C. William Moore, State Vice Regent
Greetings from Honorary State Regents.....Miss Virginia B. Johnson
Honorary State Regent and Vice President General NSDAR

Reading of the Minutes.....	Mrs. Vincent Parmesano, Jr. State Recording Secretary
Report of Nominating Committee.....	Mrs. William Cunningham Chairman of Nominating Committee
"Workshop".....	Mrs. William Henry Sullivan, Jr. President General, NSDAR
Group Singing.....	Led by Mrs. Aubrey Ferguson State Vice Chairman, American Heritage Committee
"Moving Forward with America".....	Mrs. Dorothy Ragan Immediate Past Vice President General and Candidate for President General, 1968
Introduction of Mrs. Ragan by.....	Miss Virginia B. Johnson V.P.G. and Honorary West Virginia State Regent
"National Building and Grounds".....	Mrs. Erwin Seimes Chairman of Building and Grounds, Past National Officer and Candidate for President General, 1968
Introduction of Mrs. Seimes by.....	Mrs. William W. McLaugherty Past V.P.G. and Member of Speakers Bureau
Reports of State Officers	
Report of Finance Committee.....	Mrs. C. William Moore, Chairman State Vice Regent
Report of Resolutions Committee.....	Mrs. George H. Neale, Chairman Business
Retiring of the Colors.....	Pages
CONFERENCE LUNCHEON 12:30 p. m.....	Ball Room
Invocation.....	Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain
PROGRAM—NATIONAL DEFENSE THEME	
Presiding.....	Mrs. D. B. Kraybill State Chairman, National Defense Committee
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.....	Led by Mrs. W. H. S. White Honorary State Regent
The American's Creed.....	Mrs. Jack Adams Editor, West Virginia News
Trumpet Solo.....	Mr. William Lilly
Accompanist.....	Mrs. William Lilly
ADDRESS.....	Mr. Fulton Lewis, III
"America".....	Led by Mrs. Aubrey Ferguson State Vice Chairman, American Heritage Committee
Reports of State Chairmen	
Recess until 6:30	
Matthew French Chapter.....	Hostess

BANQUET Honoring Chapter Regents 6:30 p. m......Ball Room
 Processional
 Invocation.....Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain
 Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.....Led by Mrs. William E. Coore
 State Treasurer
 Dinner Music.....Mrs. Frank T. Hancock, Mrs. R. R. Stuart, Jr
 Accompanists.....Mrs. C. W. Feuchtenberger, Mr. Donald Kensing
 Chapter Regents' Reports
 Piano Duet.....Mrs. C. W. Feuchtenberger, Mr. Donald Kensing
 Regents' Reports Completed
 State Chairmen's Awards
 Tellers Report
 Recess until 9:00 a. m. Saturday
 Retiring of the Colors
 John Chapman and Colonel Andrew Donnally Chapters.....Hostesses

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1967

YOUTH ACTIVITIES BREAKFAST 7:15 a. m......Club Room
 Presiding.....Miss Sue Oiler, Junior Membership Chairman
 General Andrew Lewis Chapter.....Hostess

MORNING SESSION 9:00 a. m......Ball Room
 Presentation of Colors.....Pages
 Devotions.....Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain
 Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.....Led by Miss Joan Adams
 State Chairman, Flag of the United States of America Committee
 American's Creed.....Led by Mrs. D. B. Kraybill
 State Chairman, National Defense Committee
 Reading of the Minutes.....Mrs. Vincent Parmesano, Jr.
 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
 Invitation to 1968 State Conference
 Group Singing—"West Virginia Hills", "Blest Be the Tie That Binds"
 Retiring of the Colors.....Pages
 Adjournment of the Sixty-second West Virginia State Conference

CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

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- PUBLICITY AND PRESS RELATIONS**—Mrs. K. S. Addington
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- TIME KEEPERS**—Mrs. Claude R. Hill, Mrs. James J. Johns, Mrs. A. P. Stevenson, Mrs. A. D. Cooke, Mrs. Irma Huettner
- PAGES**
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| Miss Lilli Pat Golden | Miss Betsy Ryan |
| | Miss Susie Strickling |

**NECROLOGY 1966-1967
IN MEMORIAM**

BUFORD CHAPTER

- 243415 Alice June Seltzer Reeser (Mrs. J. W.) December 24, 1966
- 441898 Hazel Lowther Rife (Mrs.) February 1, 1967
- 410202 Gertrude Settle Draper (Mrs. O. W.) February 3, 1967
- 274834 Celeste Homrich Honaker (Mrs. G. F.) March 14, 1967

BEE LINE CHAPTER

- 259309 Nina Magnus (Mrs. Carl C.) October 3, 1966

BLANNERHASSETT CHAPTER

- 388261 Emma Cooper Fry (Mrs. C. H.) August 6, 1966

CAPTAIN JAMES ALLEN CHAPTER

- 317259 Emily L. Johnson (Mrs. G. W.) October 23, 1966
- 189717 Nettie Meade Edwards (Mrs. A. N.) May 20, 1967

COLONEL CHARLES LEWIS CHAPTER

- 408849 Nancy Heslop Rossitor (Mrs. H. L.) October 18, 1966
- 36038 Charlotte McCulloch Steenbergen (Mrs. William) May 23, 1967

COLONEL MORGAN MORGAN CHAPTER

- 406923 Nelle Harden Hawkins (Mrs. J. Guy) January 9, 1966
- 404777 Ora Kinsey Evans (Mrs. W. D.) February 4, 1967
- 420661 Margaretta Henry Getz (Mrs. Homer) September 15, 1967

DANIEL DAVISSON CHAPTER

- 67858 Harriet Maxwell Jarvis (Mrs. Hugh) October 21, 1966
- 130728 Cora Coffman Hill (Mrs. Plummer E.) January 25, 1967
- 481468 Mary Stuart McDaniel (Mrs. W. R.) July 11, 1967

ELIZABETH LUDINGTON HAGANS CHAPTER

- 364450 Etta Morgan Cox (Miss) September 29, 1966
- 233178 Ola Sanders Hall (Mrs. Guy A.) September 30, 1966
- 121328 Anna Hackney Akeroyd (Mrs. J. H.) April 3, 1967
- 242724 Bertha Browning Purinton (Mrs.) July 9, 1967

ELIZABETH ZANE CHAPTER

- 459780 Vivian Ligget (Miss) October 17, 1966
- 112739 Ethel Snodgrass Hall (Mrs. John R.) June 25, 1967
- 212665 Cora Miller Barnes (Mrs.) October 9, 1967

FORT LEE CHAPTER

- 424299 Dorothy Higgins Mower (Mrs. F. C.) March 5, 1967
- 105132 Virginia Chevalier Cork October 29, 1967

GENERAL ANDREW LEWIS CHAPTER

- 452737 Nancy Vallandingham Lilly (Mrs. Robert C. Jr.) January 14, 1967

JAMES WOOD CHAPTER

- 298062 Mayme White (Miss) March 4, 1967
- 296510 Edna Conaway Moore (Mrs. K. Carson) September 15, 1967

JOHN CHAPMAN CHAPTER

- 405795 Jaynette Trayham Mason (Mrs. Hoge) October 13, 1966
- 352237 Blanch Early Stone (Mrs. E. C.) October 13, 1966
- 401262 Nellie Petry Kitts (Mrs. E. K.) October 25, 1966
- 60158 Lydia England Ruff (Mrs. J. W.) December 21, 1966
- 217359 Florence Haynes Hancock (Mrs. B. H.) December 26, 1966
- 413806 Lera Cox Miller (Mrs.) January 19, 1967

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- 246838 Beulah Fleshman Cruise (Mrs. George M.) February 5, 1967
352239 Nanie Stone Tyree (Mrs. E. T.) April 23, 1967
288502 Meta Wright Payne (Mrs. S. B.) June 9, 1967
99884 Elizabeth Tyler Easley (Mrs. F. S.) September 22, 1967

JOHN HART CHAPTER

- 371647 Mary Otelia Owens Luke (Mrs. William A.) December 30,
1966
493786 Mary Bell Barlow (Miss) September 14, 1967
320897 Harriette Virginia Starcher (Miss) October 7, 1967

KANAWHA VALLEY CHAPTER

- 242738 Alma Stevenson Davenport (Mrs. H. B.) December 3, 1966
232411 Isabelle Smith Bays (Mrs. A. E.) December 31, 1966
352984 Maude Lorre Brown Point (Mrs. W. W.) January 4, 1967
426744 Mary Combs Williamson (Mrs. E. V.) April 18, 1967
222315 Sara Burd Cammack (Mrs. H. H.) August 1, 1967

MAJOR WILLIAM HAYMOND CHAPTER

- 348074 Phyllis Walker Everest (Mrs. Frank K.) October 29, 1966
256056 Katherine McCoy (Mrs. Ernest) November 14, 1966
89063 Ethel Fleming Harr Brooks (Mrs. Levi) August 1, 1967
240480 Lelia G. McKay (Mrs. H. C.) September 7, 1967
404867 Naomi Straight (Mrs. Glenn) September 15, 1967

MATTHEW FRENCH CHAPTER

- 184974 Nora St. Clair Epperly (Mrs.) February 6, 1967
178001 Alice Epperly Cornett (Mrs.) July 23, 1967

MONDONALD HATE CHAPTER

- 342547 Maude Hill Price (Mrs. H. C.) November 10, 1966

PACK HORSE FORD CHAPTER

- 249982 Pauline Frye Eutsler (Mrs. Keener) December 30, 1965
124165 Alice Billmyer Freeman (Mrs. Charles) April 25, 1966
249483 Leone Bent Stutzman (Mrs. Ernest) June 12, 1967

SHENANDOAH VALLEY CHAPTER

- 140415 Ida Reynolds Robinson Kilmer (Mrs. J. Nevin) October 14,
1966
459497 Virginia Forest Temple (Mrs.) January 24, 1967

WHEELING CHAPTER

- 228520 Ella Mae Bowers (Miss) March 19, 1967
412424 Thelma Forbes Manos (Mrs. George) October 17, 1967

WILSON CARY NICHOLAS CHAPTER

- 272567 Gladys Herold Vought (Mrs. Robert L.) July 23, 1967

WILLIAM MORRIS CHAPTER

- 391410 Mary Miller Martin (Mrs. John F.) January 20, 1967
203498 Mabel Sutherland (Miss) March 8, 1967

ANNUAL MID-SUMMER MEETING

One of the most enjoyable and informative meetings of the year is our annual mid-summer session at the State 4-H Camp at Jackson's Mill, near West W. Va., with executive board and board of management meetings followed by a luncheon and program of music, reports and a speaker.

Mrs. Galbraith, State Regent, presided at the executive board meeting Friday, July 7, at 8:30 p. m., of state officers, Mrs. Ben Williams, Chaplain, Mrs. Wm. E. Cooley, Treasurer, Mrs. Arthur Ward, Organizing Secretary, Mrs. Hersel Henderson, Historian and Mrs. Vincent Parmesano, Recording Secretary. Impending business was attended to, as well as tentative plans for the coming year.

Mrs. Galbraith presided at the Board of Management meeting the next morning, July 8, 10:30 a. m., where the state packet of letters, with instructions from state officers, and state chairmen, was distributed. Constitution Week materials were available. Important and instructive information from National Board meetings was brought to the chapter regents by Mrs. Galbraith.

Following a delicious lunch, Mrs. C. F. McDermott, State Chairman of the annual meeting, introduced Mrs. Richard J. Cronin, Regent of the hostess chapter, Trans-Allegheny. Mrs. Galbraith gave a short talk and introduced her state officers present. Miss Lucile Stutler, State Magazine Chairman reported on the West Virginia advertising in the February DAR National Magazine.

The speaker, Mrs. Virginia Smith, a member of Trans-Allegheny Chapter, gave an inspiring talk on Kate Duncan Smith School where she worked on their school paper during one winter.

Music was furnished by Diana Boso.

Nathan Davis Chapter of West Union will be hostess for the 1968 luncheon.

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT LUNCHEON

The West Virginia Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, State Board of Management met at a luncheon held Thursday, October 26, 1967, at 12:30 p. m., in Room 315 at the West Virginian Hotel, Bluefield, with Mrs. Carl Galbraith, State Regent, presiding. State officers and fourteen chapter regents were present. The invocation was given by Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain.

Mrs. Galbraith announced that arrangements have been made with the National Library to bind copies of the West Virginia bible records collected by the State Historian for permanent use in the National and State libraries, with a permanent copy for the State Society.

On the recommendation of the Executive Board at a meeting held Thursday morning at 10:30 in the State Regent's reception room, a motion was made by Mrs. Grant P. Hall, Jr., Anne Bailey Chapter, seconded by Mrs. A. D. Cooke, Capt. James Allen Chapter, "That anyone desiring a mimeographed paper back copy of the Bible Records at cost of mimeographing, plus postage, please notify your State Regent by Feb. 1, as only enough copies will be made to supply the requests". The motion carried.

Mrs. Arthur Ward, State Organizing Secretary, reported that a Lowestoft

china tea pot, made to commemorate the death of George Washington, will be offered to the museum, through the Major William Haymond Chapter. The tea pot is a gift of Mrs. E. B. Smith.

Mrs. Galbraith thanked the hostesses, who were members of the Captain James Allen Chapter, for the lovely luncheon, and adjourned the meeting at 1:30 p. m.

MEMORIAL SERVICE – THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1967

Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain conducted a beautiful memorial service beginning at 2:00 p. m., Thursday, October 26, 1967, in the Bland Street Methodist Church, Bluefield.

A prelude, "Hark, a Voice Saith, All Are Mortal", Bach, by Mr. Garland Bruce, organist, preceded the service.

Mrs. Williams opened the service with scripture and prayer. Mr. Bruce accompanied Mrs. Frank Hancock who sang "Be Thou But Near", Bach.

As Mrs. Williams read the names, the pages placed a white carnation on a large green wreath in memory of each of the 64 departed members.

A special tribute was paid Mrs. William (Charlotte McCulloch) Steenbergen, a past State Recording Secretary and former member of Colonel Charles Lewis Chapter, by Mrs. Beugel Henderson, State Historian.

A solo by Mrs. Hancock, "Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi", White, preceded the benediction given by the State Regent, Mrs. Carl Conley Galbraith, and the recessional, "Now Thank We All Our God" – Karg-Elert, by the organist Mr. Bruce.

The memorial wreath was taken to the Monte Vista Park Cemetery where it was placed at the grave of Mrs. D. E. French, Past Regent of John Chapman Chapter, Honorary State Regent of West Virginia and a past Vice-President General, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution.

THURSDAY NIGHT SESSION

The opening session of the 62nd State Conference, West Virginia Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, was declared in session at 8:00 o'clock Thursday evening, October 26, in the Ball Room of the West Virginian Hotel, Bluefield, with Mrs. Carl Conley Galbraith, State Regent, presiding.

The processional of honor guests and state officers was escorted by the pages, with Mr. Garland Bruce at the piano.

The invocation was given by Dr. Craig Houston Patterson, minister, Westminster Presbyterian Church, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America led by Miss Lucile Stutler, Northern District Director, the American's Creed, led by Mrs. Hersel Henderson, State Historian and the National Anthem led by Mrs. Aubrey Ferguson, State Vice-Chairman, American Heritage Committee.

Messages of welcome were extended by the Honorable Judson Lambert, Mayor of the City of Bluefield and by Mrs. John E. Corbitt, West Virginia State Conference Chairman and Regent of John Chapman Chapter.

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

Miss Virginia Johnson, Vice President General and Honorary State Regent brought greetings from the honorary state regents.

Greetings from the Sons of the American Revolution were extended by Dr. J. Elliott Blaydes, Jr., and from the Children of the American Revolution by Miss Kathryn Johnson, a member of the Lydia Boggs Society.

Mrs. Galbraith presented our guest of honor, the President General, Mrs. William Henry Sullivan, and other distinguished guests, Miss Virginia Johnson Honorary State Regent, National Vice Chairman of Magazine; Mrs. Abner Cornwell, Vice President General from North Carolina; Mrs. W. H. S. White, Honorary State Regent; Mrs. William W. McClaugherty, Honorary State Regent member of the Speakers Bureau; Mrs. T. Ewing Roberts, State Regent of Kentucky; Mrs. Erwin Seimes, Chairman of Building and Grounds, past national officer and Candidate for President General in 1968; Mrs. Dorothy Ragan, Immediate Past Vice-President General and a candidate for President General in 1968. The State Officers: Mrs. C. William Moore, Vice-Regent; Mrs. Ben Williams, Chaplain; Mrs. Vincent Parmesano, Jr., Recording Secretary; Mrs. Arthur Ward, Organizing Secretary; Mrs. William E. Cooley, Treasurer; Mrs. Hersel Henderson, Historian and Mrs. Ernestine Golden, Librarian; and National Vice Chairman of Museum, Mrs. John E. Graham.

Mrs. William W. McClaugherty, Past Vice President General, introduced Mrs. William Henry Sullivan, Jr., President General, who gave an inspiring talk entitled "The Pursuit of Happiness". Mrs. Galbraith thanked Mrs. Sullivan for her challenging message, then issued an invitation to the reception immediately following adjournment of the opening session, until 9:00 o'clock Friday morning.

RECEPTION

A reception for the State Conference was held in the Ball Room of the West Virginian Hotel immediately following adjournment of the opening session. All chapters of the Southern District were hostesses, with Mrs. Samuel Solins, State Chairman of Americanism and DAR Manual for Citizenship Committee, General Chairman of the reception.

REGENT'S CLUB BREAKFAST

The chapter regent's club breakfast was held Friday morning at 7:15 in the Club Room of the West Virginian Hotel, Bluefield, with Mrs. Arthur F. Bush, President, presiding. Mondongachate was hostess chapter for the breakfast. The newly elected nominating committee is composed of Mrs. Claude R. Hill, Chairman, Mrs. Carl Channell, John Hart Chapter and Mrs. A. D. Cooke, Capt. James Allen Chapter.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

The Friday morning session of the 62nd State Conference, West Virginia Society, Daughters of the American Revolution convened at 9:00 a. m., October 27, 1967, in the Bland Street Methodist Church, Bluefield, with Mrs. Carl Conley Galbraith, State Regent, presiding.

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 Miss Sue Oiler, Junior Membership Chairman and Conference Page Chairman; Group singing of "West Virginia Hills" was led by Mrs. Aubrey Ferguson, Vice Chairman, American Heritage Committee and State Chairman, Bicentennial Committee, with Miss Ruth Seibert, at the piano.

Miss Ruth Seibert, Credentials Committee Chairman, reported a total registration at this time of 163, with a voting strength of 99.

Mrs. William E. Cooley, State Treasurer, moved the acceptance of the printed Conference Program, with necessary substitutions and changes because of illnesses and jury duty. Seconded by Mrs. Claude R. Hill, the motion carried.

Mrs. John E. Corbitt, Conference Chairman, read and moved the adoption of the proposed standing rules of order for the 62nd State Conference. Seconded by Mrs. W. G. Farmar, James Wood Chapter, the motion carried.

The minutes of the opening session were read by Mrs. William E. Cooley, Acting Secretary, and approved as read.

Mrs. Cooley also read Article V of the State By-Laws pertaining to "Election of Officers", preceding the report of the Nominating Committee.

Mrs. William Cunningham, Chairman of the Nominating Committee then moved the endorsement of our "Beloved State Regent, Mrs. Carl Galbraith" as a candidate for Vice President General from West Virginia. Seconded by Mrs. H. Courtney Jones, the endorsement was given unanimous consent by the Conference.

The following list of officers was presented for consideration: Regent, Mrs. Ben Williams, John Chapman Chapter, Bluefield, Southern District; Vice-Regent, Miss Lucile Stutler, Nathan Davis Chapter, West Union, Northern District; Chaplain, Miss Ruth Ellen Seibert, Shenandoah Valley Chapter, Martinsburg, Eastern District; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Daniel P. Caulkins, Elizabeth Ludington Hagans Chapter, Morgantown, Central District; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. John E. Corbitt, John Chapman Chapter, Bluefield, Southern District; Organizing Secretary, Mrs. Grant P. Hall, Jr., Anne Bailey Chapter, Charleston, Western District; Treasurer, Miss Joan Adams, Wheeling Chapter, Wheeling, Northern District; Registrar, Miss Irene Eib, John Hart Chapter, Elkins, Central District; Historian, Mrs. F. S. McComas, Kanawha Valley Chapter, Charleston, Western District.

Having no candidate for State Librarian, Mrs. Galbraith's request for nominations from the floor resulted in the nomination of Mrs. William Cunningham, Pack Horse Ford Chapter, Shepherdstown, Eastern District, by Mrs. H. Courtney Jones, James Wood Chapter, seconded by Mrs. Rudolph Stoyer, Regent, Col. John Evans Chapter, the motion carried.

There being no other nominations from the floor, Mrs. Galbraith declared the nominations closed, requested that ballots be prepared, and announced that voting would be in Room 315.

Mrs. Galbraith then presented Mrs. William Henry Sullivan, Jr., President General, NSDAR, who, in her charming and gracious manner presented her "Workshop", bringing us up to date with activities of the National Society. She also told of a former West Virginian, Mrs. Douglas Fairbanks who now resides in New York and who, with her three daughters, plan to file applications for membership on her Mother's papers, Mrs. Epling.

A rising vote of thanks was given Mrs. Sullivan for her enlightening and inspiring message.

Mrs. Galbraith announced the sale of bazaar items; patriotic index, the new DAR Calendar, lineage books and "Bright of America" note paper.

A motion was then made by Mrs. Jack Adams, Wheeling Chapter, seconded by Mrs. Grant P. Hall, Jr., Anne Bailey Chapter, "That the West Virginia State organization request the President General to convey to the personnel of the staff of National Headquarters our appreciation for their loyal and efficient service to the National organization and to individual West Virginia Daughters in particular". The motion carried.

A session of group singing, led by Mrs. Aubrey Ferguson, with Miss Ruth Seibert, pianist, was enjoyed. A song to the tune of "When Irish Eyes are Smiling", written by Mrs. Jack Adams, was sung, and, "Let me Call you Sweet-heart", expressing our love for Mrs. Galbraith, State Regent, and Mrs. Sullivan, our President General.

Mrs. McClagherty, past Vice President General and Member of the Speakers Bureau, introduced Mrs. Erwin Seimes, a past National officer, Honorary State Regent of Delaware, National Chairman of Building and Grounds, and a candidate for President General at the 77th Continental Congress in April 1968, who gave an informative talk on National Society activities.

Miss Virginia Johnson, Vice President General and Honorary State Regent introduced Mrs. Dorothy Ragan who has filled many chapter and state offices and committees, and served on the National Board as State Regent and Vice President General. She is also a candidate for President General, 1968.

State officers' reports will be printed in the yearly proceedings.

Mrs. Kraybill, Chairman of the Blanche L. Reymann Student Loan fund committee, reported the following recommendations made by the committee:

1-That the name of the Blanche L. Reymann State Student Loan Fund be changed to the "Blanche L. Reymann Memorial Scholarship Fund".

2-That income of the "Blanche L. Reymann Memorial Scholarship Fund" be awarded annually to a needy senior West Virginia girl or girls attending denominational colleges in West Virginia.

3-That the \$1,796.12 be invested immediately, either in Federal Savings and Loan, or treasury bills, so that the income could be used as soon as possible.

4-That voluntary contributions be made to increase the fund so the income would amount to at least \$100.00 each year.

5-That the Blanche L. Reymann Memorial Scholarship fund committee be composed of the State Chaplain, State Chairman of National Defense, and the State Chairman of the Student Loan and Scholarship Committee. The said committee to meet at least once during an administration and report to the conference at the direction of the State Regent.

6-Further, we also recommend that these actions become the basis of administering the Blanche L. Reymann Memorial Scholarship fund beginning with the new administration, April 1968.

Signed by members of the committee: Mrs. Henry S. Bell, Mrs. W. W. McClagherty, Miss Hallie Martin, Mrs. Stanley C. Morris and Mrs. David B. Kraybill, Chairman.

A general discussion relative to changing the Student Loan fund to the Blanche L. Reymann Scholarship fund, as to parliamentary procedure, led to a motion by Mrs. Arthur Ward, William Haymond Chapter, seconded by Mrs.

Claude R. Hill, to rescind early resolutions concerning the Blanche L. Reymann Loan fund. The motion carried.

A motion on the first recommendation made by Mrs. Kraybill, seconded by Mrs. Samuel Solins, Col. Andrew Donnally Chapter, was adopted.

A motion on the second recommendation, seconded by Mrs. Byron Steele, Lieut. Daniel Shumate Chapter, was adopted.

A motion on the third recommendation, seconded by Mrs. W. G. Farmar, James Wood Chapter, was adopted.

A motion on recommendations number four, five and six, seconded by Mrs. Ben Williams, John Chapman Chapter, was adopted.

Mrs. Galbraith expressed appreciation to Mrs. Kraybill and her committee and to Mrs. William E. Cooley, State Treasurer for their untiring efforts in searching the records for pertinent information regarding the fund.

Mrs. Worthington, Regent of Wheeling Chapter, announced a \$125.00 donation to the Blanche L. Reymann Memorial Scholarship fund.

The meeting was recessed until 12:30.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The National Defense Luncheon meeting was held in the Ball Room of the West Virginian Hotel, Friday, October 27, 1967, at 12:30 p. m., with Mrs. Carl Galbraith, State Regent, presiding. The invocation was given by Mrs. Ben Williams, State Chaplain.

Mrs. Kraybill, State Chairman, National Defense, introduced the speaker, Mr. Fulton Lewis, III. Mr. Lewis brought an informative, challenging discussion of our changing world.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. W. H. S. White, Honorary State Regent; the American's Creed was led by Mrs. Jack Adams, Editor, West Virginia News; the singing of "America" was led by Mrs. Aubrey Ferguson, with Miss Ruth Seibert at the piano.

Mrs. O. B. French, State Chairman, Approved Schools Committee, gave her report and presented Mrs. Sullivan with a check in full for the balance of West Virginia's contribution of 50¢ per member to the Adele Erb Sullivan Administration building at Tamassee in the amount of \$750.65.

Mrs. Samuel Solins, State Chairman, Americanism and DAR Manual for Citizenship, read her annual report and asked Mrs. Sullivan to present the Americanism award to Mrs. J. N. Jarrett. The award is given for trustworthiness, service, leadership and patriotism. Mrs. Galbraith expressed appreciation to Miss Virginia Johnson, Mrs. Samuel Solins and Mrs. Claude Hill for their efforts in making the presentation at this time and to Mrs. Sullivan for her presentation of the award.

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

TEA

On Friday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock p. m., Mrs. William W. McClaugherty, Vice Chairman of the Conference, entertained all the Conference guests at a tea in her lovely home at 116 Oakhurst.

FRIDAY EVENING SESSION

The banquet honoring Chapter Regents was held in the Ball Room of the West Virginian Hotel, Bluefield, Friday, October 27, 1967, at 6:30 p. m. The invocation was given by the State Chaplain, Mrs. Ben Williams.

Delightful music was furnished by Mrs. Frank T. Hancock and Mrs. Woodbridge, accompanied by Mrs. C. W. Feuchtenberger and Mr. Donald Kensinger.

Mrs. Galbraith introduced the runner-up "Spirit of 1968", Miss Anne Patchall, who expressed her thanks and appreciation to the West Virginia Daughters sponsoring "Our American Heritage Camp", providing girls of junior year at high school the wonderful experience of attending.

The chapter regents' reports were divided into two groups. Following the first half of the reports Mrs. A. F. Bush led the group in singing, with Miss Ruth Seibert at the piano. After the final regents' reports were given, the following awards were presented:

Mrs. Ben Williams awarded first place for the best devotionals to John Chapman Chapter; second place to James Wood Chapter; and third place to Wheeling Chapter.

Mrs. Hersel Henderson, State Historian, presented her awards to the following chapters:

First place, Tygart Valley Chapter.

Second place, Mound Chapter.

Honorable mention to Col. Charles Lewis, William Henshaw, John Hart, Shenandoah and Col. Morgan Morgan Chapters.

Mrs. Samuel Solins, State Chairman, presented awards for Americanism and DAR Manual for Citizenship to:

First place, Anne Bailey Chapter.

Second place, John Chapman Chapter.

Third place, Buford Chapter.

Mrs. Evan Cyrus, State Chairman, Constitution Week, presented three Honorable Mention awards to John Chapman, Matthew French and Colonel John Evans Chapter.

Third place, Princess Aracoma Chapter.

Second place, Major William Haymond Chapter.

First place, Colonel Morgan Morgan Chapter, and a special award was given Mrs. H. Paul Hite, Blennerhassett Chapter. Mrs. Hite was responsible for Constitution Week being observed on the Lawrence Welk Show by writing a letter to Mr. Welk, calling his attention to the DAR observance.

Mrs. A. F. Bush, JAC State Chairman, presented first place to Princess Aracoma Chapter. Miss Mae Wilson of that chapter reported 5,000 JAC members, and ordered books for 10,000 prospective members.

Second place, Col. Charles Lewis Chapter.

Third place, Elizabeth Ludington Hagans Chapter.

Mrs. Percy Gillie, Membership Chairman, announced that more members were lost by death than were gained. Blennerhassett Chapter was given an award for the greatest increase in membership.

Mrs. D. B. Kraybill, National Defense State Chairman, gave first place awards for two perfect reports to James Wood and Buford Chapters, two second place awards to Col. Charles Lewis and Wheeling chapters, and two third place

to Jennie Wiley and Vandalia Chapters, and the following awards for Good Citizenship medals:

First place, Borderland Chapter.

Second place, Col. Charles Lewis Chapter.

Third place, Daniel Davisson Chapter.

Honorable mention to Buford, Shenandoah, Potomac Valley and Col. John

Evans.

Mrs. Charles E. Peters, Public Relations Chairman, gave the following awards:

First place, John Chapman Chapter.

Second place, Matthew French Chapter.

Third place, Wilson Cary Nicholas Chapter.

Honorable mention, Anne Bailey Chapter.

Mrs. Galbraith, in the absence of the chairmen, presented the following awards:

Magazine Subscriptions:

General Andrew Lewis with 103% subscriptions.

Magazine Advertising:

Tied for first place, Wheeling and John Chapman Chapter.

Second place, General Andrew Lewis Chapter.

Third place, Daniel Davisson Chapter.

Year Book: Blue Ribbon awards

Anne Bailey Chapter

Borderland Chapter

Captain James Allen Chapter

Colonel Charles Lewis Chapter

Colonel John Evans Chapter

Colonel Morgan Morgan Chapter

Daniel Davisson Chapter

Elizabeth Cummins Jackson Chapter

General Andrew Lewis Chapter

James Wood Chapter

John Young Chapter

Lieut. Daniel Shumate Chapter

Matthew French Chapter

Mondongachate Chapter

Mound Chapter

Ohio Valley Chapter

Potomac Valley Chapter

Princess Aracoma Chapter

South Branch Valley Chapter

West Augusta Chapter

Major William Haymond Chapter

John Chapman Chapter

Second place to:

Colonel Andrew Donnally Chapter

Elizabeth Ludington Hagans Chapter

Kanawha Valley Chapter

Shenandoah Valley Chapter

Wheeling Chapter

Bee Line Chapter

Third place to:

Colonel Zackquill Morgan Chapter

Paek Horse Ford Chapter

Ye Towne of Bath Chapter

It was announced by Mrs. Henderson, State Historian, that Mrs. W. Ray Proffitt, Program Chairman, will send the Yearbooks to National for judging.

Following the report of the tellers by Mrs. Carroll D. Garrett, Mrs. Galbraith declared the following members elected to state office: Mrs. Ben Williams, Regent; Miss Lucile Stutler, Vice Regent; Miss Ruth Ellen Seibert, Chaplain; Mrs. Daniel P. Caulkins, Recording Secretary; Mrs. John E. Corbitt, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Grant P. Hall, Jr., Organizing Secretary; Miss Joan Adams, Treasurer; Miss Irene Eib, Registrar; Mrs. F. S. McComas, Historian; and Mrs. William Cunningham, Librarian.

Mrs. Galbraith was endorsed as a candidate for Vice President General.

Mrs. Galbraith expressed appreciation to the two chapter hostesses, John Chapman and Colonel Andrew Donnally for the wonderful planning for the Chapter Regents' banquet.

Mrs. Sullivan bid good-bye and expressed thanks and appreciation to West Virginia Daughters for the wonderful time she had had, and for the check for the Tamasee building; complimented the General Andrew Lewis Chapter for their 100% magazine subscriptions and urged everyone to subscribe to the magazine; and extended a most gracious invitation to attend the last Continental Congress of the Diamond Jubilee Year.

Mrs. Seimes, who was also leaving early Saturday morning, expressed her appreciation to the West Virginia Daughters for a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Galbraith thanked the Conference Vice Chairmen, Mrs. Ben Williams and Mrs. W. W. McClagherty, who have also worked diligently towards entertaining the Conference.

On behalf of the CAR, Mrs. J. Marion Bailey, State Chairman, presented Mrs. Sullivan with a gift.

Several door prizes were given by the hostess chapters, John Chapman and Colonel Andrew Donnally, in addition to the lovely favors.

Mrs. Galbraith adjourned the meeting until 9:00 a. m., Saturday.

YOUTH ACTIVITIES BREAKFAST

Miss Sue Oiler, Junior Membership Chairman, presided at the Youth Activities Breakfast held Saturday morning in the Club Room of the West Virginian Hotel, Bluefield. Mrs. Abner Cornwell, Vice President General from North Carolina, gave an interesting and informative talk on the Crossnore School. Mrs. Ewing Roberts, State Regent of Kentucky, delighted everyone with the account of her visit to the Hindeman Settlement School. State Chairmen of youth committees gave short reports: Miss Virginia Johnson, American Heritage Camp; Mrs. Frank Comerford, American Indian Schools; Mrs. J. Marion Bailey, CAR; Mrs. O. B. French, DAR Schools; Mrs. Francis W. Baker, DAR Good Citizenship; Mrs. A. F. Bush, JAC Clubs; and Miss Sue Oiler, Junior Membership.

Miss Oiler thanked the members of the General Andrew Lewis Chapter who were hostesses for the breakfast.

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

The closing session of the 62nd State Conference, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held in the Ball Room of the West Virginian Hotel, Bluefield, at 9:00 a. m., Saturday, October 28, 1967.

The invocation was given by the State Chaplain, Mrs. Ben Williams. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by the State Chairman, Miss Joan Adams, and the American's Creed led by Mrs. D. B. Kraybill, State Chairman, National Defense.

The Secretary read the recommendation made by the Board of Management, at the luncheon meeting held Thursday, Oct. 26, "That anyone desiring a mimeographed paper back copy of the Bible Records at cost of mimeographing, plus postage, please notify your State Regent by February 1, as only enough copies will be made to supply the requests". A motion was made by Mrs. Grant P. Hall, Jr., Anne Bailey Chapter, to adopt the recommendation of the Board

concerning Bible Records. Seconded by Mrs. A. D. Cooke, Captain James Allen Chapter, the motion carried.

Minutes of the three preceding meetings were read by the Secretary and approved as read.

Mrs. William W. McLaugherty, Honorary State Regent, spoke on behalf of the West Virginia Society in expressing thanks and appreciation to Mrs. Carl Galbraith, State Regent, to whom credit is due for getting the Blanche L. Reymann Memorial Fund straightened out and on a firm foundation.

On motion of Miss Virginia Johnson, John Young Chapter, seconded by Mrs. A. D. Cooke, Capt. James Allen Chapter, the tellers were instructed to destroy the ballots.

Mrs. Dorothy Ragan, a guest at the Conference, expressed appreciation for the wonderful welcome extended her by the West Virginia Daughters, and her thanks for a most enjoyable visit.

Mrs. W. G. Parmar, Regent, James Wood Chapter, issued an invitation for the 1968 State Conference to be held in Parkersburg with chapters of the Northern District serving as hostesses.

Mrs. C. William Moore, State Vice Regent, presented awards for the Student Loan Fund Committee, to the following chapters: Third place, William Morris; second place, Anne Bailey and first place, Buford Chapter.

Mrs. Galbraith, State Regent, announced the following Press Book awards: First place, John Chapman Chapter, second place, Anne Bailey Chapter and third place, James Wood Chapter.

The final credentials report was given by the Chairman, Miss Ruth Seibert: National officers, 3; National chairmen, 1; National Vice Chairmen, 2; Past National officers, 3; Honorary State Regents, 4; State officers, 8; State Chairmen, 19; Chapter regents, 21; Delegates, 73; Alternates, 12; Members, 19; Pages, 30; Guests, 3; Total registration, 198; voting strength, 106.

Mrs. William E. Cooley, State Treasurer, read and moved the acceptance of the auditor's report. Seconded by Mrs. Hersel Henderson, State Historian, the motion carried.

Mrs. C. William Moore, Finance Chairman, read and moved the adoption of the following budget for 1967-1968: State dues, 55¢; Contingent fund, 10¢; CAR, 5¢; W. Va. DAR News, 13¢; Eleanor Smith Scholarship, 8¢; American Heritage Week Camp, 3¢; West Va. Library, 2¢; West Va. History, 1¢; Tea or luncheon, 1¢; W. Va. Room and Museum, 2¢. Seconded by Mrs. A. D. Cooke, Capt. James Allen Chapter, the motion carried.

Two gifts on which chances were sold, were presented; one, a centerpiece, to Mrs. C. R. Ryan, the other, a sweater, to Miss Lilly Pat Golden, a page.

An invitation from Mrs. Galbraith for pledges to the Blanche L. Reymann Memorial Scholarship fund resulted in the following donations:

Mrs. O. B. French, \$10.

Mrs. A. D. Cooke, honoring Capt. James Allen Chapter, \$10.

Mrs. Baer, Barboursville Chapter, \$10.

Mrs. William Cunningham, Pack Horse Ford Chapter, \$5.

Mrs. W. H. S. White, Pack Horse Ford Chapter, \$5.

Mrs. O. C. Baumberger, Mound Chapter, \$20.

Mrs. Monroe Worthington, Wheeling Chapter, \$5.

Mrs. Dorothy Ragan, The District Daughters, \$5.

Miss Virginia Johnson, honoring Mrs. Frank Tyree, Regent of John Young Chapter, \$10.

Mrs. Charles Peters, Mound Chapter, \$20.

With this pledge it was announced that the fund now amounts to well over \$2,000.00.

Additional pledges were made by Mrs. Frank L. Tyree, Jr., John Young Chapter, \$10, and Mrs. F. S. McComas, Kanawha Valley Chapter, \$10.

Mrs. Galbraith announced there were copies of the West Virginia News available for sale, but urged members to send subscriptions.

Mrs. G. H. Neale, Resolutions Chairman, unable to be present, had prepared in advance the following resolutions which were read and adopted.

WHEREAS, Resolutions adopted by the 76th Continental Congress of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution are of such interest and importance as to deserve special recognition by the members of our State Organization.

RESOLVED, That the West Virginia State Conference reaffirm the resolutions adopted by the 76th Continental Congress.

Following the reading and adoption of the general courtesy resolutions, the following two additional resolutions from the Conference were read and adopted:

(1) WHEREAS, Mrs. George H. Neale, State Chairman, Resolutions, has served the W. Va. State Organization, NSDAR, loyally and faithfully in many capacities for many years, and has consistently and efficiently performed all the duties assigned her, and

WHEREAS, a temporary incapacity has made it impossible for her to attend, and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Neale has performed the duties of the Chairman, Resolutions Committee at great personal inconvenience and sent the completed work to the Conference; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the West Virginia State Organization convey its wishes to Mrs. Neale for a speedy recovery and express its appreciation to her for her devoted and loyal service.

The motion to adopt this resolution was seconded by Mrs. W. H. S. White, Honorary State Regent.

(2) WHEREAS, Mrs. Daniel W. Snyder, Past State Treasurer, has served the West Virginia State Organization, NSDAR, loyally and faithfully in many capacities for many years, and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Snyder has performed a valuable service to the West Virginia Daughters through her painstaking research on and her dedicated personal interest in the Blanche L. Reymann Memorial Scholarship Fund to which she has been a loyal and consistent contributor; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the West Virginia State Organization, NSDAR, express its appreciation and thanks to Mrs. Snyder and solicit her continued assistance in this work.

The motion to adopt this resolution was seconded by Mrs. D. B. Kraybill, Chairman of the Blanche L. Reymann Memorial Scholarship Fund.

It was moved and seconded to send typewritten copies of the last two resolutions to personnel involved.

Honorary State Regents, Miss Virginia Johnson, Mrs. W. W. McLaugherty, Mrs. W. H. S. White and Mrs. Edward Phillips, conferred on Mrs. Carl Galbraith, State Regent, the title of "Honorary State Regent", with unanimous consent of the Conference.

A rising vote of thanks and appreciation was given our beloved State Re-

gent, Mrs. Galbraith, for her untiring efforts in making this conference a success.

Mrs. J. Marion Bailey, CAR State Chairman, announced the Mid-Atlantic Regional meeting of the CAR to be held at the Daniel Boone Hotel in Charleston on August 9-10, 1968, and asked DAR members to please be responsive to all calls for help.

Additional pledges to the Blanche L. Reymann Memorial fund were made. Mrs. Carl Galbraith, honoring Mrs. Harry J. Smith, Honorary State Regent, \$20. Mrs. Wm. W. McClaugherty, honoring the incoming State Officers, \$10. Mrs. J. Marion Bailey, honoring Mrs. John C. Wiley, State Student Loan and Scholarship Chairman, \$5.

The minutes of the Saturday morning session were approved as read.

The meeting closed with the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds", led by Mrs. A. F. Bush, Regent Mondongachate Chapter, with Miss Ruth Scibert, Credentials Chairman, at the piano, followed by retiring of the colors and adjournment of the Sixty-second State Conference by the State Regent, Mrs. Carl Conley Galbraith.

Mary Parmesano, State Recording Secretary

REPORTS OF STATE OFFICERS

STATE REGENT REPORT TO THE 62nd WEST VIRGINIA STATE CONFERENCE NSDAR - 1967

On the occasion of this, the sixty-second birthday of the West Virginia State Conference, NSDAR, I submit my third and final report as State Regent. It is with gratitude, appreciation, and pride that I report the accomplishments of West Virginia Daughters, working under the leadership of their State Officers, State Chairmen, and Chapter Regents, that I greet you. May I express my personal thanks to all of you for your support, encouragement and hours of devoted service as you carried out the educational, patriotic and historical objectives of the National Society . . . I ask your continued cooperation as you work to complete the work of this administration and those that follow.

During 1966-1967 I served the National Society as a member of the Board of Management, attending five meetings in Washington, during which I noted instructions, requests and project reports which I carried back to District Meetings, Summer Jackson's Mill Meeting, and many chapter meetings, giving each a condensed version of the work and organization of the National Society. At Jackson's Mill I held both an executive and a Board of Management meeting, where State business was the order of the day. A State packet including a roster of State Officers, State Chairmen, and Regent and Vice Regents names and addresses was included with officers and chairmen's letters of instruction, plans and report forms, was distributed to augment the packet of the National Society, which is mailed to all chapters for their guidance.

General Bruce E. Clark, Vice Chairman of the Educational Committee of Freedom Foundation, visited our American Heritage Camp, and presented West Virginia with their George Washington Honor Medal and \$100. It was my happy privilege to accept these and present The Medal to Miss Virginia Johnson, Camp

Director. This was the fifth such medal presented to the State Society. The Camp, unique in the United States, presented to Freedoms Foundation of Valley Forge exhibits of camp activities for three successive years, each winning the George Washington Medal. I assisted in carrying out the Objectives of the National Society by teaching a class in American Diplomacy to Junior Counselors and classes in American Documents to all campers. Girls in the Camp Chorus and Choral Reading groups, invited to present a program at The Congress of the National Society in April, appreciated the opportunity and enjoyed the trip.

At National Congress, additional awards were presented in American Heritage, Public Relations, Magazine Advertising, Scholarships, Jr. American Citizens and a Congress Award for an outstanding project. All were presented to West Virginia Daughters in recognition of the devoted service you gave to the work of DAR.

My visits to District and chapter meetings took me from Charles Town in the Eastern edge of West Virginia to Huntington, Point Pleasant, and Parkersburg in the West; from Keyser, Morgantown, and Clarksburg in the North to Logan, Oak Hill, Bluefield, Princeton, and White Sulphur Springs in the South. The gracious hospitality of all was appreciated.

West Virginia has met the assessment for the Adele Erb Sullivan administration building, and given generously to the renovation of Constitution Hall. A new West Virginia State Flag has been placed in Annapolis to replace the badly worn one at the Naval Academy. An interesting and informative quarterly, DAR EWS, has been published through the efforts of a wide awake and capable editor, Mrs. Jack Adams, augmenting and stimulating West Virginia Daughters in carrying out the work of the National and State Societies.

West Virginia Daughters are delighted to have, as their Conference guests, Mrs. William Henry Sullivan, Jr., President General of the National Society from New York, Mrs. Abner Cornwell, Vice President General from North Carolina, Mrs. T. Ewing Roberts, State Regent of Kentucky; and the two candidates for 1968 election to the office of President General of the National Society, Mrs. Erwin Seimes of Delaware and Mrs. Dorothy Ragan of The District of Columbia. We are indeed happy to have as National Defense speaker Mr. Fulton Lewis, III, at our Conference Luncheon.

I am most grateful to the chapters of the Southern District for serving as hostesses for this, the final conference of this administration. Especially do I wish to thank Mrs. John E. Corbitt, Conference Chairman, and her two loyal and capable vice chairmen Mrs. Ben Williams, and Mrs. Wm. W. McLaugherty. They have had the loyal support of their own chapter, John Chapman, and other chapters of Southern District. My thanks go to all who assisted.

As I look to the future of the West Virginia State Society, I anticipate increased membership, and support of the incoming administrations, both State and National. IT IS MY FERVENT HOPE THAT THEY CAN SAY "Well done, West Virginia Daughters".

Ethel W. Galbraith (Mrs. Carl C.)

STATE VICE REGENT

Your Vice Regent reports that she has carried out the duties of her office during the past year. She has attended National, State and District meetings,

served as Chairman of the West Virginia luncheon in Washington and taken care of all mail promptly.

Serving as your State Vice Regent during the past three years has been very worthwhile and rewarding. My appreciation and thanks to all who have made this possible, especially to our State Regent, Mrs. Galbraith, with whom it has been such a pleasure to serve.

Florence H. Moore (Mrs. C. W.)

STATE CHAPLAIN

Writing the history of oldest churches in West Virginia and securing pictures of the churches for DAR Magazine, a project of Mrs. Fred Osborne, Chaplain General, has been completed.

Five devotions and prayers were sent to Chaplain General. Conducted Memorial Service for West Virginia daughters at State Conference. Attended one District Meeting. Visited six Chapters. Gave report of Continental Congress for three Chapters. Gave Program for one Chapter. Attended all State Board meetings, Jackson's Mill, and Continental Congress. Prepared devotions for American Heritage Camp. Wrote one form letter to each chapter, thirty-seven other letters and seventeen postal cards.

The response from Chaplains and Regents has been wonderful. Thank you each one for your cooperation.

The State Chaplain has endeavored to complete all requirements of that office.

Mabel Williams (Mrs. Ben)

STATE RECORDING SECRETARY

It has been a pleasure, Madam State Regent, to share in the work of the West Virginia State Board under your excellent leadership, and I take this opportunity to thank the West Virginia Daughters for affording me the honor and privilege of serving as State Recording Secretary.

Mary Parmesano (Mrs. Vincent, Jr.)

STATE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

Pertinent material compiled by our State Regent, including regents' packets, the Call to Conference and information relating to the annual Continental Congress, was mailed to several National Officers, all West Virginia Honorary State Regents, State Officers, State Chairmen, District Directors and Chapter Regents. Membership cards were mailed as requested.

Your corresponding secretary attended the Northern District Meeting.

Appreciation is extended to our beloved State Regent, Mrs. Carl Conley Galbraith, for her help and understanding. It has been a privilege to be associated with her and to work for our West Virginia State Society.

(Mrs.) Anna M. Allen

STATE ORGANIZING SECRETARY

It is a pleasure to report that two meetings have been held with progress

being made toward organizing a chapter at Fort Ashby. Mrs. Ernest A. See has been appointed Organizing Regent.

With regret I report that the Daniel Taylor Chapter has disbanded. Members have been welcomed into the South Branch Valley Chapter.

Through my mistake the Lieut. Daniel Shumate Chapter was listed as Daniel Shumate Chapter in last year's report.

Connie Ward (Mrs. Arthur)

STATE REGISTRAR

National records show a total of 3,285 West Virginia Daughters. 33 members "at Large".

Reports received from 34 of the 55 chapters show the following statistics:

New members	64
Resigned	18
Transferred in	16
Transferred out	13
Dropped	6
Reinstated	5
Lost by death	35

Madaline Miller Griffith (Mrs. Harley)

STATE HISTORIAN

Thirty-eight chapters reported the following:

Fourteen chapters contributed \$38.00 to cataloging, indexing, etc., of Americana Collection.

One original document, a Bill of Sale, dated 1802, conveying a one-half interest in a *Boate*, built in 1793, contributed to Repository of Americana.

One hundred five Historical Anniversaries celebrated: Famous Men, 35; Famous Women, 12; Famous Events, 58.

One hundred Historical Programs presented: For/by Adults, 72; For/by Children, 28.

Three hundred eighty-eight Historical Broadcasts: Radio, 219; TV, 169.

Historical Tours conducted: For/by Adults, 17; For/by Children, 2.

Graves Marked: Revolutionary Soldiers, 1; DAR Members, 14.

One Historical Restoration begun.

All Chapters observed American History Month.

Sixty-four Bible Records filed.

Letters and questionnaires have been sent to all chapters.

Your State Historian was guest speaker for the Anne Bailey and Colonel Charles Lewis Chapters during American History Month; was speaker for the observance of the Battle of Point Pleasant on October 10, 1966, and assisted with one Memorial Service. She has attended State Conference, two Executive Board Meetings and Jackson's Mill Luncheon.

This is my final report to you. My thanks to each of you for your help, your cooperation and for every courtesy extended to me during my term of office as your State Historian. And last, but certainly not least, my sincere

State Treasurer's Report

I hereby submit the following report from Aug. 15, 1966 to Sept. 15, 1967:

Balance in Security National Bank & Trust
Co. Aug. 15, 1966 ----- \$ 4,802.06

RECEIPTS:

American Heritage		
West Virginia Chapters -----	\$6,887.00	
Out of State DAR -----	84.00	
West Virginia DAC -----	84.00	
Junior Bazaar -----	240.67	
State Assessments -----	98.62	
Award -----	3.00	7,397.29
State Dues -----	1,914.20	
Conference Dues -----	1,767.86	
Contingent Fund -----	335.40	4,017.46
Miscellaneous Receipts:		
CAR -----	162.70	
W. Va. Room and Museum -----	71.08	
Eleanor H. Smith Scholarship -----	265.32	
West Virginia Library -----	67.08	
W. Va. DAR News -----	619.87	
Student Loan -----	5.35	
Gen. Adam Stephen House -----	15.00	
Con. Cong. Tea or Lunch -----	527.54	
W. Va. History -----	33.54	
National Library—Microfilming -----	105.60	
—Bookbinding -----	13.60	
Kate Duncan Smith -----	319.55	
Tamassee -----	342.60	
Helen Pouch -----	12.75	
American Indians -----	25.00	
National Museum, Friends and Air Cond. -----	63.00	
Investment Trust Fund -----	110.00	
National Defense -----	40.00	
Crossnore -----	18.00	
Occupational Therapy -----	7.00	
Bacone -----	11.00	
St. Marys -----	142.50	
Preservation Americana -----	35.50	
Banquet Tickets, W. Va. Table -----	90.00	
Reimbursement Good Citizen Bond -----	75.00	
Magazine Advertising -----	562.50	
A. E. Sullivan Building, Tamassee -----	924.30	
Cons. Hall, Air Cond. and Renov. -----	1,354.40	
American History Scholarship -----	86.00	
Good Citizen U. S. A. -----	1.00	
Flag, U. S. A. -----	1.00	
Historian General -----	1.00	
Helen Pouch Stat. -----	38.75	
Sullivan Glassware -----	110.00	

Gen. Research -----	1.00	
DAR Good Citizen -----	1.00	
McClung Memorial -----	12.00	6,271.53
TOTAL RECEIPTS -----		<u>\$22,488.34</u>

DISBURSEMENTS:

State Dues:

Mrs. Ben Williams, postage -----	\$ 5.00	
Mrs. Carl Galbraith, expenses and stapler -----	605.62	
Mrs. Wm. Cooley, Treas., postage -----	27.00	
Treas. General N.S.D.A.R. -----	30.25	
Pettit-Seevers, printing -----	61.00	
Howard T. Sweeney, printing -----	45.83	
Mrs. V. F. Phillips, postage and supplies -----	16.54	
Marilyn Stegner—Mimeographing -----	136.66	
Mrs. D. B. Kraybill, postage -----	1.24	
Printcrafters, Conf. Proceedings -----	628.72	
Parkersburg Office Supply, supplies -----	8.70	
Central Office Supply, supplies -----	3.30	
Mrs. Anna Allen, postage -----	18.59	
Miss Irene Eib, postage and mimeographing -----	13.44	
Mrs. Frances Baker, Good Citizen Bond -----	75.00	
Mrs. Frances Baker, Postage and clerical exp. -----	14.50	
Wheeling Office Supply, supplies -----	6.20	
Mrs. Chas. E. Peters, Public Relations exp. -----	19.48	
Mrs. Robert Sweeney, Amer. His. Sch. Medals -----	4.50	
Mrs. Walter Zimmerman, postage -----	5.00	
Mrs. Ernestine Golden, postage -----	7.03	
American Heritage Week Camp Treas. -----	295.66	2,029.26

Conference Dues:

Marilyn Stegner, Mimeographing -----	25.27
Anna Allen, postage -----	7.01
Parkersburg Office Supply, supplies -----	9.80
Mrs. D. B. Kraybill, supplies -----	3.67
Miss Virginia Johnson, supplies -----	3.00
Stonewall Jackson Hotel, Rooms and meals -----	1,159.74
Mrs. Ira Baer, refund on ticket -----	3.25
The Printcrafters, programs -----	135.24
Miss Ruth Seibert, postage -----	7.70
H. L. Wohlfarth, supplies -----	35.50
Mrs. Betty Spurlock, mimeographing -----	9.10
Duplicating Products,	

mimeographing -----	10.20	
Parsons-Sauders, supplies -----	14.37	
H. T. Sweeney, printing -----	16.92	
Y.W.C.A. Clarksburg, rental -----	5.00	
Dudley's Florist, flowers -----	129.87	
Clarksburg Engraving Co., Photos -----	47.46	
Capt. James Allen Chapter, dues overpayment -----	18.00	1,641.10

Miscellaneous.

W. Va. News -----	849.27	
Cons. Hall Air Cond. and Renov. -----	1,354.40	
Sullivan Building, Tamassee -----	644.45	
Kate Duncan Smith -----	319.55	
Tamassee -----	342.60	
Helen Pouch -----	12.75	
Con. Cong. Banquet -----	90.00	
W. Va. Tea or Lunch -----	513.20	
American Heritage Week Camp -----	7,429.59	
Crossnore -----	18.00	
Bacone -----	11.00	
St. Marys -----	142.50	
National Defense -----	40.00	
W. Va. Library -----	24.80	
National Museum -----	63.00	
Investment Trust Fund -----	110.00	
American History Scholarship -----	86.00	
Preservation Americana -----	35.50	
Magazine Advertising -----	602.48	
Sullivan glassware, postage -----	12.00	
National Library, Microfilm -----	105.60	
National Library, Bookbinding -----	13.60	
American Indians -----	25.00	
DAR Good Citizen -----	1.00	
Helen Pouch Stat. -----	28.00	
Occupational Therapy -----	7.00	
CAR -----	163.30	
Eleanor H. Smith Scholarship -----	250.00	
Historian General -----	1.00	
Gen. Research -----	1.00	
Flag U.S.A. -----	1.00	
Citizen U.S.A. -----	1.00	

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS -----	\$16,968.95	
BALANCE IN FUNDS SEPT. 15, 1967 -----	5,519.39	
	<u>22,488.34</u>	

BALANCE IN FUNDS

*State Dues—\$1,218.13 + \$7.40 transfer -----	\$1,225.53
*Conf. Dues—\$1,262.96 + \$10.20 transfer -----	1,273.16
Contingent Fund -----	1,018.72
CAR -----	1.25

*W. Va. Room and Mus. \$571.41 — \$488.27 transfer -----	83.14
*Eleanor H. Smith Sch. \$59.32 + \$154.90 transfer -----	214.22
W. Va. History -----	100.37
W. Va. Library -----	147.80
West Virginia News -----	311.04
*Student Loan \$5.35 + \$488.27 transfer -----	
Disbursement transfers = \$493.62 -----	
- 172.50 -----	321.12

Adam Stephen House -----	20.00	
McClung Memorial -----	100.00	
American Heritage -----	.03	
West Virginia Tea -----	217.89	
National Defense -----	8.10	
Good Citizen Pins -----	8.40	
Magazine Ads -----	80.02	
Helen Pouch Stat. -----	10.75	
Sullivan glassware -----	98.00	\$ 5,519.39

BALANCE IN BANK SEPT. 15, 1967 ----- 5,519.39

*The above transfers were made in connection with the Student Loan Fund and in compliance with action taken by the Board of Management, Jackson's Mill, July 8, 1967.
Outstanding checks:

Check No. 225—Col. Zuckquill Morgan Chapter -----	2.14	
Check No. 240—Mountaineer Chapter -----	2.14	
Check No. 241—Nathan Davis Chapter -----	2.14	
Check No. 247—Tygart Valley Chapter -----	18.00	
Check No. 269—Treas. Gen. N.S.D.A.R. -----	153.00	
Check No. 270—Pettit-SeEVERS -----	7.65	
Check No. 272—Mrs. Ernestine Golden -----	94.00	281.21
Check No. 273—Treas. Gen. N.S.D.A.R. -----		

Balance in Security National Bank & Trust Co., Wheeling, W. Va. -----	\$ 5,800.60
Student Loan Fund—Bonds—Cash Value -----	\$ 1,475.00
West Virginia Room—Savings Account, Security National Bank & Trust Co., Wheeling, W. Va. -----	\$ 796.75

Marguerite P. Cooney, State Treas.

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., Sept. 15, 1967.

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

CHAPTER	Total Received	State Dues	Conference Dues	Contingent Fund	C.A.R.	W. Va. Room & Museum	Eleanor H. Smith Scholarship
1 ANNE BAILEY	428.00	49.50	18.00	9.00	4.50	1.80	7.20
2 ANN ROYALL	76.25	24.75	9.00	4.50	2.25	.90	3.60
3 BARBOURSVILLE	161.00	18.15	9.00	3.30	1.65	.66	2.64
4 BEE LINE	137.00	22.00	9.00	4.00	2.00	.80	3.20
5 BLACKWATER	32.00	12.65	9.00	2.30	1.15	.46	1.84
6 BLENNERHASSETT	122.00	25.30	9.00	4.60	2.30	.92	3.68
7 BORDERLAND	122.00	25.85	9.00	4.70	2.35	.91	3.76
8 BUFORD	1,118.40	116.60	27.00	21.20	10.60	4.24	16.96
9 CAPT. JAMES ALLEN	386.55	28.05	18.00	5.10	2.55	1.02	4.08
10 CHARLESTON	127.00	21.45	9.00	3.90	1.95	1.78	3.12
11 COL. ANDREW DONNALLY	82.00	14.30	9.00	2.60	1.30	.52	7.08
12 COL. CHARLES LEWIS	378.70	62.70	18.00	11.40	5.70	2.28	9.12
13 COL. JOHN EVANS	193.45	53.90	18.00	9.50	4.90	1.96	7.84
14 COL. MORGAN MORGAN	331.60	59.40	18.00	10.80	5.40	2.16	8.64
15 COL. WM. LOWTHER	31.00	12.10	9.00	2.20	1.10	.44	1.76
16 COL. ZACKQUILL MORGAN	54.00	11.00	9.00	2.00	1.00	.40	1.60
17 DANIEL DAVISSON	222.00	52.25	18.00	9.70	4.75	1.90	7.60
18 ELIZ. CUMMINS JACKSON	71.80	19.80	9.00	3.60	1.80	.72	2.88
19 ELIZ. LUDINGTON HAGAN	383.50	78.65	18.00	11.30	7.15	2.86	11.44
20 ELIZ. ZANE	201.50	39.05	18.00	7.10	3.55	1.42	5.68
21 FORT LEE	335.00	28.05	18.00	5.10	2.55	6.02	4.08
22 GEN. ANDREW LEWIS	101.75	14.30	9.00	2.60	1.30	.52	2.08
23 JAMES BARBOUR	53.00	14.30	9.00	2.00	1.00	.52	2.08
24 JAMES WOOD	1,101.35	92.40	18.00	16.80	8.40	3.36	13.44
25 JENNIE WILEY	25.00	8.80	9.00	1.60	.80	.32	1.28
26 JOHN CHAPMAN	906.50	72.05	18.00	13.10	6.55	2.62	10.48
27 JOHN COOKE	72.00	11.55	9.00	2.10	1.05	.42	1.68
28 JOHN HART	1,090.50	51.70	18.00	9.40	4.70	1.88	7.52
29 JOHN YOUNG	508.70	59.40	18.00	10.80	5.40	2.16	8.64
30 KANAWHA VALLEY	296.00	51.15	18.00	9.30	4.65	1.86	7.44
31 KING'S WOOD	324.00	11.00	9.00	2.00	1.00	.40	1.60
32 LT. DANIEL SHUMATE	152.00	8.80	9.00	1.60	.80	.32	1.28
33 MAJ. WM. HAYMOND	488.00	46.75	18.00	8.70	4.25	1.70	6.80
34 MATTHEW FRENCH	968.35	49.50	18.00	9.00	4.50	1.80	7.20
35 MONDONGACHATE	114.00	14.85	9.00	2.70	1.35	.54	2.16
36 MOUND	217.00	36.85	18.00	6.70	3.35	1.34	5.36
37 MOUNTAINEER	47.00	6.60	9.00	1.70	.80	.24	.96
38 NATHAN DAVIS	150.50	21.45	9.00	3.90	1.95	.78	3.12
39 OHIO VALLEY	34.00	13.75	9.00	2.50	1.25	.50	2.00
40 PACK HORSE FORD	114.30	17.05	9.00	3.10	1.55	.62	2.48
41 POTOMAC VALLEY	134.50	26.95	9.00	4.90	2.45	.98	3.92
42 PRINCESS ARACOMA	118.00	33.00	18.00	6.00	3.00	1.20	4.80
43 RAVENSWOOD	211.00	15.95	9.00	2.90	1.45	.58	2.32
44 SHENANDOAH VALLEY	300.70	46.20	18.00	8.40	4.20	1.68	6.72
45 SPENCER ROANE	30.00	11.55	9.00	2.10	1.05	.42	1.68
46 SOUTH BRANCH VALLEY	372.50	25.30	9.00	4.60	2.30	.92	3.68
47 TRANS ALLEGHENY	60.00	19.80	9.00	3.60	1.80	.72	2.88
48 TYGART VALLEY	128.10	10.15	9.00	1.90	.95	.38	1.52
49 VANDALIA	81.00	8.25	9.00	1.50	.75	.30	1.20
50 WEST AUGUSTA	273.00	32.45	18.00	5.90	2.95	1.18	4.72
51 WHEELING	470.40	86.90	18.00	15.80	7.90	3.16	12.64
52 WM. HENSHAW	353.00	36.85	18.00	6.70	3.35	1.34	5.36
53 WM. MORRIS	194.45	22.55	9.00	4.10	2.05	.82	3.28
54 WILSON CARY NICHOLAS	534.00	14.30	9.00	2.60	1.30	.52	2.08
55 YE TOWNE OF BATH	87.00	21.45	9.00	3.90	1.95	.78	3.12
TOTALS	15,112.15	1,789.70	711.00	325.40	162.70	71.08	265

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CHAPTER	Total Received	State Dues	Conference Dues	Contingent Fund	C.A.R.	W. Va. Room & Museum	Eleanor H. Smith Scholarship	W. Va. Library	W. Va. D.A.R. News	Student Loan	Kate Duncan Smith	Timassee	Helen Pouch	National Defense	Conf. Congress Ten or Lunch	W. Va. History	American
1 ANNE BAILEY	428.00	49.50	18.00	9.00	4.50	1.80	7.20	1.80	11.70					5.00	.90	.90	12
2 ANN ROYALL	76.25	24.75	9.00	4.50	2.25	.90	3.60	.90	5.85						.45	.45	
3 BARBOURSVILLE	161.00	18.15	9.00	3.30	1.65	.66	2.64	.66	4.29						.33	.33	8
4 BEE LINE	137.00	22.00	9.00	4.00	2.00	.80	3.20	.80	5.20		2.50	2.50			.10	.10	4
5 BLACKWATER	32.00	12.65	9.00	2.30	1.15	.46	1.84	.46	2.99						.23	.23	
6 BLENNERHASSETT	122.00	25.30	9.00	4.60	2.30	.92	3.68	.92	5.98		5.00	5.00			.46	.46	4
7 BORDERLAND	122.00	25.85	9.00	4.70	2.35	.94	3.76	.94	6.11	1.00	1.00		1.00		.47	.47	4
8 BUFORD	1,118.40	116.60	27.00	21.20	10.60	4.24	16.96	4.24	27.56		90.50	62.75		10.00	2.12	2.12	46
9 CAPT. JAMES ALLEN	386.55	28.05	18.00	5.10	2.55	1.02	4.08	1.02	6.63		50.00	24.00			.51	.51	21
10 CHARLESTON	127.00	21.45	9.00	3.90	1.95	.78	3.12	1.78	5.07		1.00		1.00		.39	.39	4
11 COL. ANDREW DONNALLY	82.00	14.30	9.00	2.60	1.30	.52	7.08	.52	3.38						.26	.26	
12 COL. CHARLES LEWIS	378.70	62.70	18.00	11.40	5.70	2.28	9.12	2.28	14.82						1.14	1.14	
13 COL. JOHN EVANS	193.45	53.90	18.00	9.50	4.90	1.96	7.84	1.96	12.74						.98	.98	
14 COL. MORGAN MORGAN	331.60	59.40	18.00	10.80	5.40	2.16	8.64	2.16	14.04			5.00			1.08	1.08	8
15 COL. WM. LOWTHER	31.00	12.10	9.00	2.20	1.10	.44	1.76	.44	2.86						.22	.22	
16 COL. ZACKQUILL MORGAN	54.00	11.00	9.00	2.00	1.00	.40	1.60	.40	2.60						.70	.70	
17 DANIEL DAVISSON	222.00	52.25	18.00	9.50	4.75	1.90	7.60	1.90	12.35						.95	.95	
18 ELIZ. CUMMINS JACKSON	71.80	19.80	9.00	3.60	1.80	.72	2.88	.72	4.68			5.00			.36	.36	
19 ELIZ. LUDINGTON HAGAN	383.50	78.65	18.00	14.30	7.15	2.86	11.44	2.86	18.59		20.00	20.00			1.43	1.43	
20 ELIZ. ZANE	201.50	39.05	18.00	7.10	3.55	1.42	5.68	1.42	9.23		12.50	12.50			.71	.71	
21 FORT LEE	335.00	28.05	18.00	5.10	2.55	6.02	4.08	1.02	6.63		5.00	5.00			.51	.51	2
22 GEN. ANDREW LEWIS	104.75	14.30	9.00	2.60	1.30	.52	2.08	.52	3.38			5.00	2.75		.26	.26	
23 JAMES BARBOUR	53.00	14.30	9.00	2.60	1.30	.52	2.08	.52	3.38		10.00				.26	.26	
24 JAMES WOOD	1,104.35	92.10	18.00	16.80	8.40	3.36	13.44	3.36	21.84		5.50	105.50		10.00	1.68	1.68	4
25 JENNIE WILEY	25.00	8.80	9.00	1.60	.80	.32	1.28	.32	2.08						.16	.16	
26 JOHN CHAPMAN	906.70	72.05	18.00	13.10	6.55	2.62	10.48	2.62	17.93						.16	.16	
27 JOHN COOKE	72.00	11.55	9.00	2.10	1.05	.42	1.68	.42	2.73						.21	.21	
28 JOHN HART	1,090.50	51.70	18.00	9.40	4.70	1.88	7.52	1.88	12.22						.94	.94	8
29 JOHN YOUNG	708.70	59.40	18.00	10.80	5.40	2.16	8.64	3.16	14.04		10.85	10.85			1.08	2.08	12
30 KANAWHA VALLEY	296.00	51.15	18.00	9.30	4.65	1.86	7.44	1.86	12.09						.93	.93	
31 KING'S WOOD	324.00	11.00	9.00	2.00	1.00	.40	1.60	.40	2.60						.20	.20	2
32 I.T. DANIEL SHUMATE	152.00	8.50	9.00	1.60	.80	.32	1.28	.32	2.08						.16	.16	1
33 MAJ. WM. HAYMOND	488.00	46.75	18.00	8.50	4.25	1.70	6.80	1.70	11.05		25.00				.85	.85	2
34 MATTHEW FRENCH	968.35	49.50	18.00	9.00	4.50	1.80	7.20	1.80	11.70	4.35			5.00	5.00	.90	.90	6
35 MONDONGACHATE	114.00	14.85	9.00	2.70	1.35	.54	2.16	.54	3.51		3.00	3.00			.27	.27	
36 MOUND	217.00	36.85	18.00	6.70	3.35	1.34	5.36	1.34	8.71		10.00	5.00			.67	.67	
37 MOUNTAINEER	47.00	6.00	9.00	1.70	.80	.32	1.28	.32	2.08						.12	.12	
38 NATHAN DAVIS	150.70	21.45	9.00	3.90	1.95	.78	3.12	.78	5.07						.39	.39	
39 OHIO VALLEY	34.00	13.75	9.00	2.70	1.25	.50	2.00	.50	3.25						.25	.25	
40 PACK HORSE FORD	114.30	17.05	9.00	3.10	1.55	.62	2.48	.62	4.03		1.00	25.00			.31	.31	
41 POTOMAC VALLEY	134.50	26.95	9.00	4.90	2.45	.98	3.92	.98	6.47		5.00	5.00			.49	.49	
42 PRINCESS ARACOMA	118.00	33.00	18.00	6.00	3.00	1.20	4.80	1.20	7.50						.60	.60	
43 RAVENSWOOD	211.00	15.95	9.00	2.90	1.45	.58	2.32	.58	3.77						.29	.29	1
44 SHENANDOAH VALLEY	300.70	46.20	18.00	4.20	1.68	6.72	1.68	10.92		12.50	12.50				.84	.84	
45 SPENCER ROANE	30.00	11.55	9.00	2.10	1.05	.42	1.68	.42	2.73						.21	.21	1
46 SOUTH BRANCH VALLEY	372.50	25.30	9.00	4.60	2.30	.92	3.68	.92	5.98						.46	.46	
47 TRANS ALLEGHENY	60.00	19.80	9.00	3.60	1.80	.72	2.88	.72	4.68						.19	.19	
48 TYGART VALLEY	128.10	10.45	9.00	1.90	.95	.38	1.52	.38	2.47						.15	.15	
49 VANDALIA	81.00	8.25	9.00	1.50	.75	.30	1.20	.30	1.95		1.00	13.00			.59	.59	
50 WEST AUGUSTA	273.00	32.45	18.00	5.90	2.95	1.18	4.72	1.18	7.67		5.00	5.00			1.58	1.58	
51 WHEELING	470.40	86.90	18.00	15.80	7.90	3.16	12.64	3.16	20.54		25.00	5.00		5.00	.67	.67	
52 WM. HENSHAW	353.00	36.85	18.00	6.70	3.35	1.34	5.36	1.34	8.71		5.00	5.00	3.00		.41	.41	
53 WM. MORRIS	194.45	22.55	9.00	4.10	2.05	.82	3.28	.82	5.33						.26	.26	
54 WILSON CARY NICHOLAS	534.00	14.30	9.00	2.60	1.30	.52	2.08	.52	3.38		1.00				.39	.39	
55 YE TOWNE OF BATH	87.00	21.45	9.00	3.90	1.95	.78	3.12	.78	5.07								
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CHAPTER RECEIPTS

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Investment Trust Fund	St. Mary's	Junior Bazaar	Havone	Crossnore	National Library	Microfilm and Bookbinding	Magazine Ads.	American Indians	Preservation Americana	Occupational Therapy	A. E. Sullivan Building Tennessee	Cons. Hall Air Cond. and Renov.	National Museum and Friends	Adam Stephen House	American History Scholarship	DAR Good Citizen	Historian General	Genealogical Records	Flag U. S.A.	Citizen U.S.A.
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thanks and my gratitude to our beloved State Regent, Mrs. Carl Conley Galbraith.

Mabel Eads Henderson (Mrs. Hersel A.)

STATE LIBRARIAN

Your State Librarian wrote each chapter several letters advising them of the latest information and requests concerning our National Library.

I regret we have been unable to locate Volume 3 of the Jefferson County, West Virginia Historical Society Magazine. I would like to take this opportunity to appeal to all to make a concerted effort to search for this book.

Since our State Convention last year, the State Organization and various chapters have contributed 17 books to the National Library, an increase over last year. I feel highly honored to report that West Virginia has far exceeded her quota for the Microfilm Fund, which is to purchase legible microfilms of the 1850 Federal Census Schedules.

My thanks to all of you for your outstanding cooperation. It is only through your efforts I am able to have the privilege of presenting such a fine report. I am certain Mrs. Sullivan will agree with me when I say you are truly "Doers of the Word". Let us strive to do even better this coming year in all phases of our D.A.R., so we can uphold the West Virginia tradition.

Mrs. Ernestine S. Golden

REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN OF NATIONAL COMMITTEES

AMERICAN HERITAGE COMMITTEE

Due to the almost perfect cooperation of all the chapters in West Virginia our American Heritage Committee has broken every record for awards and accomplishments. Since every chapter in our state actively participates in sponsoring Our American Heritage Week, and since it was the Camp which brought so much honor and glory to our West Virginia State Organization your chairman feels greatly indebted to every chapter chairman and every chapter American Heritage Committee for our wonderful record of the past year.

First of all, the West Virginia State American Heritage Committee won a Freedoms Foundation Honor Medal and one hundred dollars for Our American Heritage Week.

In national competition with all other state organizations with a membership under 3,500 (and that is most state organizations) West Virginia won the first prize of the National American Heritage Committee for our sponsorship of Our American Heritage Week. In addition the Camp as demonstrated by perfectly beautiful scrapbooks won a National Citation from the Junior American Citizens Committee and another National Citation from the Public Relations Committee.

The Camp Chorus was invited to sing in Constitution Hall for the Thursday morning session of Continental Congress. A busload of our attractive campers appeared before the Congress in a program of American patriotic music and choral readings. The group also appeared at the West Virginia Luncheon.

In addition reports indicate that practically every chapter has encouraged the appreciation of American music, literature, and our American Heritage.

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

AMERICAN INDIANS COMMITTEE

The American Indians Committee reports the following:

Thirty-five chapters reported. Ten of these sent cards naming chapter chairmen; twenty-five returned the questionnaire covering the period October 1, 1966 to October 1, 1967.

Sixteen chapters had an American Indians Program which included: A review of St. Mary's School and Bacone College, slides of Bacone, guest speakers of authority on Indian lore and history, and programs presented by chapter members.

Twenty chapters are planning programs for this year.

Ten chapters gave financial assistance to St. Mary's with Elizabeth Ludington Hagans and Wheeling Chapters each contributing \$25 and Shenandoah Chapter \$22.

St. Mary's also received one box of clothes and two boxes of jewelry while two financial contributions and a box of jewelry were sent to Bacone.

Two chapters sent boxes of clothing but did not designate the school.

Plan this year to help our First Americans first!

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

AMERICANISM AND DAR MANUAL FOR CITIZENSHIP COMMITTEE

Reports have been received from 22 chapters. The three considered best were from Anne Bailey, John Chapman and Buford.

Anne Bailey awarded an Americanism medal, pin and certificate to an American citizen who was formerly an alien, with appropriate ceremony.

Anne Bailey and John Chapman chapters did outstanding work with the Federal Court Naturalization programs.

Buford Chapter sponsored radio programs using the tape CITIZEN U.S.A., and donated the tape to a high school for use in history and government classes. Buford also purchased a patriotic play for use in the high school. Five chapters reported assisting with Naturalization ceremonies; thirty-one programs on Americanization were reported; 115 manuals were given to new citizens, schools, teachers and libraries; 13 patriotic films were used; ten chapters reported making special effort to promote AMERICANISM by giving special program material to schools and clubs.

Kanawha Valley Chapter assisted with the United States District Court procedure in negating the dual German-American citizenship of a 14-month-old boy, making him a 100% American citizen. This also had attending publicity with a newspaper picture showing the 14-month-old citizen, his happy mother and a credit line to the Kanawha Valley Chapter.

The Wilson Cary Nicholas Chapter has no chairman, but the Regent, Mrs. Ralph Jones, ordered, delivered and returned 13 patriotic films for use in the local schools, which is a very outstanding contribution and shows true interest in promoting AMERICANISM.

Reports were received from chapters: Anne Bailey, Ann Royall, Bee Line,

Borderland, Blennerhassett, Buford, Charleston, Colonel Andrew Donnally, Colonel Zackquill Morgan, John Chapman, John Hart, Kanawha Valley, Kings Wood, Lt. Daniel Shumate, Potomac Valley, Princess Aracoma, Shenandoah Valley, South Branch Valley, Wheeling, William Morris, Wilson Cary Nicholas and Ye Towne of Bath.

Bertha Ballard Solins (Mrs. Samuel), State Chairman

CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Membership gains brought honor certificates from the National Society Children of the American Revolution to three West Virginia societies this year. Those cited are: Charleston, Col. Andrew Donnally, and Little Kanawha.

Daniel Davisson Society became inactive this year because of failure to find leadership. The reactivation of Lydia Boggs Society, however, kept our total at eight.

Mrs. Edwin H. Tiemeyer, Senior National President, honored the West Virginia State Society by attending the State Meeting in Charleston in April. Steve Cruikshank, of Little Kanawha Society, was elected State President. Retiring President Jane Meisel, of Col. Andrew Donnally Society, was given a citizenship award by the Sons of the American Revolution.

Delegations attended both the National Convention in Washington in April and the Mid-Atlantic Regional Meeting held in Charlottesville, Va., in August. At the latter meeting James Bailey, State Second Vice-President, represented the State Society as he extended an invitation to the Children of the American Revolution of the Region to meet in West Virginia in 1968. The invitation was accepted; the Daniel Boone Hotel in Charleston has been selected as headquarters, with August 9-10 and 16-17 tentatively reserved pending the decision of National and Regional officers.

Getting to know Children of the American Revolution is the best way to find hope in this restless age. You find them producing historical plays, studying American literature, singing American songs, planning ways to convince other young people that there is something in C.A.R. that exists nowhere else, placing wreaths to honor heroes of the past, and showing respect to the flag of the United States of America. You also find them having fun and accepting leadership in school and church activities.

Your Chairman, the Senior State President of the Children of the American Revolution, also served as chairman of the State Convention in Charleston. She attended all State Board Meetings, the Annual Meeting of the National Society in Washington, the Mid-Atlantic Regional in Charlottesville, and the meetings of three societies.

Jean Morris Bailey (Mrs. J. Marion), State Chairman

DAR GOOD CITIZENS COMMITTEE

After a slow start, the year ended with 44 chapters participating in the Good Citizens program, if not the contest. The majority entered the contest, but a few preferred to give pins and certificates only. In all, 126 pins have been awarded since October 1966.

All chairmen worked tirelessly and did a splendid job, as did the committee in choosing the top three contestants. Their decisions were based on the follow-

ing points: All questions answered, sincerity and quality of answers, named person who supervised the test, gave sponsoring chapter's name, and neat appearance of paper.

STATE GOOD CITIZEN is Cathy Cale Hoskins, Wheeling, sponsored by Wheeling Chapter; Mrs. R. S. Robbins, Chmn. Cathy was given a hundred-dollar bond and the State Good Citizen's pin. FIRST RUNNER-UP is Paula Marlene Perdue, Beckley, sponsored by Capt. Jas. Allen Chapter; Mrs. A. P. Stevenson, Chmn. SECOND RUNNER-UP is Dorothy Hale McFarland, Bluefield, sponsored by Matthew French Chapter, Mrs. Roger Hughes, chairman.

Coverage in newspapers, particularly, of Good Citizens by individual chapters was excellent. Some chapters supplemented pins and certificates with other gifts. It has been suggested that chapters give their Good Citizens copies of IN WASHINGTON - THE DAR STORY.

The State Chairman is most grateful for the continued support of the Good Citizens program, and regrets her inability to express her appreciation in person.

Mae Gwen Baker (Mrs. Francis W.), State Chairman

DAR MAGAZINE

General Andrew Lewis Chapter, for the second consecutive year, was presented a certificate of recognition for having 100% subscriptions to the DAR Magazine. In fact, they reported 103%.

Of the 24 chapters who reported, four have 50% subscriptions.

Special recognition goes to Mrs. Omer C. Gardner of James Wood Chapter for securing 25 new subscriptions.

To each of the chapter magazine chairmen, who are too numerous to mention and who, I am sure, are working diligently to obtain new subscribers, I extend my thanks and appreciation for their efforts during my term as State Magazine Chairman.

Mrs. Charles I. Rhodes, State Chairman

DAR MUSEUM

NATIONAL MUSEUM - This outstanding collection of items of historic interest is one of which the Daughters can be justly proud. It is open at all times to the public, and each year thousands visit it. Items donated must be cleared through your State Chairman, who in turn, will clear with Mr. Frank Klapthor, Director Curator of the DAR Museum.

WEST VIRGINIA STATE ROOM - forms an important focal point for all West Virginia Daughters and friends. State Rooms are now being renovated and significant additions and changes are being made. Reproductions are being replaced with originals. This committee will accept donations from chapters, but all must be cleared through Mr. Klapthor. The rooms will be entirely authentic. Lovely color slides of the period rooms are available for chapter use. There are also illustrated brochures and postal cards in color, with Museum scenes reproduced. The new book, WASHINGTON, THE DAR STORY, contains some beautiful illustrations in color of the period rooms and the Museum. Plans are being made for air conditioning the DAR Museum Gallery, in order to preserve

the many objects placed there on display. Contributions toward this project of the Diamond Jubilee year would be most welcome.

GENERAL ADAM STEPHEN MEMORIAL – is a state project, but is listed under Museum to synchronize collection of items. The house is almost completed and grounds are being prepared for landscaping.

FRIENDS OF THE MUSEUM – Individuals may give personal contributions in money to this committee which serves as a fund-collecting group to secure rare specimens for the Museum. This is an opportunity to present a memorial to a loved one.

It is a distinct privilege to have the opportunity of serving you as West Virginia Museum Chairman.

Mary Ford McNutt (Mrs. Charlie F.), State Chairman

DAR SCHOOLS

I wish to extend my sincere appreciation to the chapters whose members worked so faithfully to attain our National School Project.

The dedication of the Adele Erb Sullivan Building at Tamasee was held October 23, 1967. It really was a marvelous project and the West Virginia DAR is to be highly commended for its generous support. No school project can be successful without the enthusiastic support of the chapter regent and her committed chairman.

Twenty-one chapters returned the questionnaire prepared by your State Chairman and sent in the regent's packet by Mrs. Galbraith.

The results were: Fourteen programs given on DAR Schools; \$750.65 contributed to the Adele Erb Sullivan Building; \$186.85 in money gifts given to Tamasee; and \$243.70 donated to Kate Duncan Smith. Twelve packages, plus 325 pounds of clothing, were sent to our schools. The clothing was valued at \$686.00. I am sure Mrs. Cooley, our State Treasurer, has a more accurate report. Please remember that cash gifts must be sent through the state treasurer in order for your chapter and state to receive credit.

This is my last report to you, so I wish to thank each one who has given me such fine cooperation.

Now, it gives me a great deal of pleasure to present to Mrs. Sullivan, our President General, a check in the amount of \$1,642.50. This represents fifty cents per member from our total membership of 3,285 West Virginia Daughters.

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

GENEALOGICAL RECORDS

Some of the following valuable genealogical material has been sent to the National Library, others will be included in a State volume in order that small important contributions from chapters may be preserved and made available for use in the NSDAR Library:

Colonel Andrew Donnally Chapter – Early History of Monroe (by Monroe County Historical Society) and Marriages, 1804-1805, sent by Mrs. Samuel Solins.

Colonel Morgan Morgan Chapter – Monroe County, Ohio, Genealogical Records, Vol. V, by Catherine Focraker, sent by Mrs. Curt Amos.

Daniel Davisson Chapter – West Virginia Church Records of Rev. James C.

Cox, Baptist Minister compiled by his daughter, Ruby Cox Andre, contributed through Mrs. Oscar Andre.

John Hart Chapter – Descendants of Jacob Nestor, 1761-1844 prepared by Carl K. Nestor, presented by Mrs. Charles Chapman (Odie Nestor Chapman). Two copies of the Magazine of History-Biography, Fourth and Fifth Annual, by the Randolph County Historical Society, presented by Miss Hallie Martin.

Kanawha Valley Chapter – Presented by Mrs. C. L. Lantz – Davison Family by A. A. Davison; and a map of Kanawha County. Also contributed were cemetery records of Blain's Cemetery near Cottageville; a record of Siloam Cemetery in Mason County. Mother Earth, Land Grants in Va., 1607-1699 by W. S. Robinson, Jr., and the Virginia County of London 1606-1624, by Wesley Frank Craven.

Mound Chapter – contributed ten pages of cemetery records from the vicinity of Moundsville, sent by Mrs. Wm. Boyd.

Shenandoah Chapter – Record of the private graveyard of the Tabler Family near Greensburg, Berkeley County, W. Va., sent by Mrs. Russel J. Bergen. Also a contribution to NSDAR for binding volumes.

Wheeling Chapter – Mrs. Jack Adams prepared a record of forty-four pages of the Peninsula Cemetery Reinterments of Wheeling, W. Va.

Colonel Charles Lewis Chapter – sent a \$10.00 contribution to the Micro-filming project NSDAR in honor of Mrs. William Steenbergen who passed away May 23, 1967.

James Wood Chapter – contributed \$8.35 to the Microfilming fund.

Other chapters report research being done but not yet completed. The preservation of vital records and making them available for use is one of the most important functions of NSDAR. Let us continue our efforts to collect all genealogical material we can. Research can be most rewarding.

(Miss) Irene E. Eib, State Chairman

HONOR ROLL

Of the 55 chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution in the state, 11 will receive an honor roll award: Three – GOLD; Five – SILVER; and Three – HONORABLE MENTION. All but 18 of the chapters did report to the state chairman.

The Honor Roll questionnaire is changed somewhat from year to year, according to national activities, but the worksheet is sent to Regents in July, which allows ample time for plans to qualify for a "Yes" answer to each question. The blank to be filed with your state chairman is received by the Regent in December – please be careful with this blank – do not lose or dispose of it – this report is due March 1.

The most important thing to remember is to answer every question completely – there may be more than one part of a question, or an explanation may be required, to be written on the reverse side. This year your chairman returned many blanks due to partially answered questions or incomplete information. Read the questionnaire very carefully, study it well, during the summer – not in January.

Try for an increase in membership, including a Junior member; start early to get dues in on time; plan meetings to meet requirements in different cate-

gories; sell the magazine; check with the treasurer to make sure the necessary donations to DAR funds are made – no matter how small; keep account of your press, TV and radio activities, as well as associations with other patriotic and civic groups; be sure forms are signed correctly and sent in on time. These are just a few suggestions on questions that come up every year.

Be proud of the work you do, and if this questionnaire seems like one more added chore, when finished, it does help make you proud of your efforts.

Mrs. Walter R. Zimmerman, State Chairman

JUNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS

Sponsor	No. of Clubs	Number of members
Princess Aracoma	195	4912
Col. Charles Lewis	8	225
Elizabeth Ludington Hagans	5	115
Barboursville	3	130
William Henshaw	2	65
Charleston	1	22
Mondongachate	1	65
Col. Morgan Morgan	1	21
John Chapman	<u>1</u>	<u>35</u>
Total	218	5590

Two hundred sixteen girls used J.A.C. handbooks during camp at Cedar Lakes.

West Virginia had contest entrants from three chapters: Princess Aracoma, Elizabeth Ludington Hagans and Mondongachate.

Princess Aracoma had four National essay and poster awards and there were 25 state ribbons awarded to all three chapters.

Miss Virginia Johnson, Camp Director, made a huge scrap book especially for J.A.C. on the proceedings at Cedar Lake Camp. This project took a first prize in Washington.

The National J.A.C. Chairman and the Vice-Chairman attended the luncheon at the Washington Club during the National Conference.

We have the promise of a new club soon. Ohio Valley seems to be interested in J.A.C.

Mrs. A. F. Bush, State Chairman

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP

Of the 104 new DAR members admitted into the West Virginia State Organization last year, 31 of these were Junior-age, with 19 chapters increasing their Junior membership.

One chapter reported.

Proceeds from the 1966 State Conference Bazaar, individual chapter bazaars and the chapter camp assessment, sent all eligible West Virginia C.A.R. girls to the fifth annual session of "Our American Heritage Week" camp.

It has been a pleasure to work with you and I do appreciate the help and encouragement the State Regent has given this committee.

(Miss) Sue Oiler, State Chairman

LINEAGE RESEARCH COMMITTEE

Report blanks have been sent to all of the fifty-five chapters, thirty-five of whom now have a Lineage Research Chairman. Twenty-one chairmen have made reports.

Seven additional county maps have been sent to Washington, seven lineage research kits have been purchased by chapters, forty-three requests for help have been received, and forty-three potential members have been assisted. Ten members have assisted or instructed others in their chapter to help in research.

Your chairman made a short report at the Central District meeting and has been invited to give a program at one chapter meeting later this year.

Beryl M. Amos (Mrs. Curt E.), State Chairman

MEMBERSHIP

Your membership chairman submits the following report:

Fifty-five chapters with 3,285 members on October 1, 1967; 3,285 members at large. We regret that a number of Chapters failed to report. To date we have lost 49 members by death, 25 by transfer, 20 by resignation (5 of these are C.A.R. Members, who have married and moved away); eight dropped for non-payment of dues; a loss of 102 members. We have gained 47 new members, accepted by National; seven reinstated, 19 received by transfer – a total gain of 73; plus 16 C.A.R. Members added – total 89.

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 D.A.R. can only be as strong and effective as the number of members who believe and work for its growth.

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.

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, but always remember, the *reports* of your Chairman depend upon *your* reports. This is an incomplete report because so many Chapters failed to send in their membership statistics.

Mary Gillie (Mrs. Percy), State Chairman

MOTION PICTURE COMMITTEE

Perhaps my observations are based more on hope than real evidence, but it seems to me that the general tone of films shown in the motion picture theatres of this state has measurably improved since the National Society.

Daughters of the American Revolution renewed their crusade to upgrade them. I cannot hope to visit many theatres, but I have carefully scanned theatre advertising in numerous newspapers published in diverse parts of the state.

In July your state chairman wrote a long appeal, setting forth the objectives and methods of the National Chairman, Mrs. Maurice E. McLoughlin. This letter was transmitted to each chapter regent in the state, requesting that a chapter chairman be designated. The cooperation was most heartening.

From thirty of the chairmen so designated I have received encouraging reports of the efforts they are making to work with the motion picture theatre managers in each city. They are encouraging the showing of better pictures, and are making efforts to reward the cooperating theatres by bringing about good attendance at the showing of patriotic and other truly meritorious films. It will not be possible to exclude all undesirable films until the millennium, until the objectives of the DAR have been achieved forever, but each step toward a more wholesome repertoire of films is desirable.

As I praise the effective work of the chapter chairmen, I most earnestly request that they renew their efforts. The results are hard to see and appraise, but if the soul of the nation is to be saved, each of us must continue to do our part.

Lena Worthington (Mrs. Monroe), State Chairman

NATIONAL DEFENSE COMMITTEE

"Liberty implies duty, not privilege"—Albert Camus

Your State Chairman is happy to report six additional chapter National Defense chairmen sending reports than were received last year. The following is a tally from the questions listed on the report blanks:

1. Twenty-six chapters had an entire program on a National Defense subject.
2. All chapters reporting devoted at least five minutes of time to National Defense.
3. Twenty-six chapters discussed the 1967 resolutions.
4. All chapters reporting had National Defense material at each meeting.
5. National Defense material was made available to 14 schools; 9 libraries; and at least 50 individuals other than DAR members.
6. Ninety-four Good Citizenship medals were presented.
7. Publicity was given this project in 35 newspapers.
8. One hundred dollars was contributed to Defense dollars.
9. Labor-Management Kit was given to 16 high schools.
10. Fifteen chapters made an effort to increase subscriptions to National Defense mailings.
11. One hundred and thirty-two individuals wrote to members of Congress concerning pending legislation and treaties.
12. Topics of greatest interest discussed were: Vietnam—10, Panama—10, National Deficit—9, Communism—15, Consular Treaty—7, Joan Baez—5, United Nations—5, What's happening to our Patriotism—5, Flag Burning—10, Rape of Tibet—2, Fire Arms—2, Supreme Court—6, Crime—10, "The New Left" in the form of a book review, Cuba—12, Internal Disturbances—9 and changing of our national holidays—3.

Your chairman has visited six chapters and talked on some phase of National Defense, has addressed five civic organizations on the subject of "The Communist Youth Movement", and presently is discussing the same subject with teen-age church groups.

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

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

During the past three years, there has been marked and increasing improvement in Chapter programs, chapter yearbooks and in the number of chapters sending reports. The credit goes to our National Program Chairman, Miss Laura Dickerson, who has sent program suggestions and helps to each chapter. She has inaugurated a "standard" for judging yearbooks, whereby, rather than one, we now have many award-winning books.

Your State Chairman has attempted to carry out these instructions, and thanks you for your cooperation.

Forty-one chapters have reported. All have built their programs around the three DAR objectives. All have had five to ten minute reports on National Defense; all have had the President General's Message presented at meetings; all have observed Constitution Week. Thirty-five have had a complete program on National Defense. That is good, and I am proud of you.

Twenty-two yearbooks have been received. I hope to receive many more, and my final report on them will be in the DAR News before Continental Congress.

Mrs. W. Ray Proffitt, State Chairman

PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Publicity – newspapers, magazines and other publications:

Total column inches	8,907
Photographs (inches)	2,282
Photographs (number)	387

Publicity – radio and television:

Radio	4 hours
TV	18 spots

Reports, other than clippings from Chapters:

Number reporting	32 chapters
Clippings from American Heritage Camp	
Clipping inches	1,822
Picture inches	599
Number of pictures	142

Awards for News Publicity	Clipping inches	picture inches
John Chapman Chapter	794	293
Matthew French Chapter	759	112
Wilson Cary Nicholas Chapter	725	277
Anne Bailey Chapter	623	210

Myrtle S. Peters (Mrs. Charles E.), State Chairman

STUDENT LOAN AND SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Number of Chapters reporting	13
American History Scholarship	\$13.00
Contributions from four chapters	
Number of loans granted by chapters	48
Amount of loans granted by chapters	\$3,359.02
Number of scholarships given by chapters	2
Amount of scholarships given by chapters	\$310.00

The following chapters deserve special recognition: Buford Chapter loaned \$1,852.52 to students at Marshall University. Anne Bailey Chapter loaned \$1,506.50 to West Virginia University students. William Morris Chapter gave \$300.00 to a student nurse at Marshall University.

Laurie Wiley (Mrs. John C.), State Chairman

THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Chapters throughout the state report the presentation of 37 large flags, 157 small flags and 825 flag codes. Twenty-five chapters studied the flag code and 33 chapters had an entire program on the Flag. Your State Chairman has visited four chapters to give a program and teaches courses on the Flag each year at "Our American Heritage Camp".

We have had good public relations through many newspaper items, some radio broadcasts and TV publicity.

(Miss) Joan Adams, State Chairman

TRANSPORTATION

Out of 55 DAR Chapters, 18 have reported transportation chairmen.

Five chapters have had a program on traffic safety.

All of our chapters provided transportation for the elderly.

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

Forty-one members of the American Heritage Camp Choral Reading Group and Chorus traveled by bus to Washington, D. C., to participate in the Congress program.

Our State Regent served on traffic jury.

Each chapter provides transportation for the State Regent when she attends their meetings. This amounts to over 1,600 miles of transportation furnished.

Mrs. H. Courtney Jones, State Chairman

V REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN OF SPECIAL NATIONAL COMMITTEES

AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH REPORT

The various chairmen of the American History Month Committee in West Virginia have worked hard this past year and show much improvement. However, I do urge more Chapters to enter the ESSAY CONTEST. This year we

had seventeen Chapters sponsoring the contest, five more than the previous year. They were Lt. Daniel Shumate, Mound, Nathan Davis, Ravenswood and Elizabeth Cummins Jackson. Through the activities of the American History Month Committee, the DAR encourages the study of American History in all grades of school; urges National and State legislation and proclamations to promote the observance of February as American History Month; and attempts to create deeper understanding of our American Heritage in order to preserve our freedom.

The American History Month Essay Contest is the most important project of this committee. Every DAR Chapter is strongly urged to sponsor a contest and to give as many awards as possible.

There are American History films available from National and displays and posters all help to make the public aware of American History Month.

The success of reports for 1967-1968 depends on your support and participation.

Virginia Phillips, State Chairman

CONSTITUTION WEEK

Our warmest congratulations to the Daughters of West Virginia for the finest Constitution Week report to date!

Reports were received from almost 75% of the Chapters. Parkersburg lead the state in points earned with Colonel Morgan Morgan first, and Major William Haymond Chapter second. The Logan Chapter, Princess Aracoon, was a close third. Honorable mention was given three chapters, Colonel John Wynn, Morgantown; Matthew French, Princeton; and John Chapman, Bluefield. Many chapters earned extra points for original ideas.

This year a Special Award was presented Blennerhassett Chapter, Parkersburg, for the most outstanding original idea. Last summer their Regent, Mrs. H. Paul Hite, wrote a letter to Lawrence Welk. Because of Mrs. Hite's thoughtful foresight the whole nation was able to enjoy a most fitting climax to a very wonderful Constitution Week when Mr. Welk and his Champagne Music Makers concluded their program on Saturday, September 23, with a patriotic music and poetic tribute to our great Constitution.

Our grateful thanks to Mrs. Hite and to every other Daughter who helped make Constitution Week a very significant experience for me during these last three years.

Margaret B. Cyrus (Mrs. Evan M.), State Chairman

INSIGNIA

Madam State Regent, it has been a pleasure to serve as your Insignia Chairman and I am happy to report the following insignia news from these chapters:

John Chapman Chapter, State Chaplain bar; Ex-regent bar; DAR emblem pin and ancestral bar.

Potomac Valley Chapter, Ex-regent pin.

Wheeling Chapter, 50-year membership pin; state chairman pin; two ancestral bars; one button pin.

Point Pleasant Chapter, State Historian bar; State chairman bar; state conference pin; junior pins.

Kanawha Valley Chapter, Ex-regent pin.

Shenandoah Valley Chapter, two 25-year insignia pins; one West Virginia pin.

Wilson Cary Nicholas Chapter, one Ex-regent pin.

John Young Chapter, Vice President General bar for Miss Johnson; two 50-year pins; Ex-regent bar.

Colonel Charles Lewis Chapter, State Conference rider; state historian bar; state chairman bar; Ex-regent bar; DAR banner for chapter room.

Captain James Allen Chapter, Ex-regent bar.

Bee Line Chapter, a 50-year pin; insignia and ancestral pin.

Mrs. A. D. Cooke, State Chairman

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REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN OF ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEES

WEST VIRGINIA DAR NEWS

West Virginia DAR News was issued quarterly to 580 paid subscribers, distributed through the chapters; to six Honorary State Regents and to the DAR Magazine. Twenty-five copies were sent to National officers and committee chairmen as complimentary copies; 15 copies to the editor; two copies each to the DAR Scrapbook and the Freedoms Foundation Scrapbook.

Mrs. Jack R. Adams, Editor

Miss Geraldine Marshall, Circulation Chairman

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REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN OF STATE COMMITTEES

OUR AMERICAN HERITAGE WEEK CAMP REPORT

During the past year Our American Heritage Week Camp won the George Washington Honor Medal and \$100 from Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge for W. Va. DAR.

The camp chorus sang at the Continental Congress with Mrs. Dwight P. Cruikshank, State Chairman, American Heritage Committee, directing. Each girl paid her own way. Mrs. S. J. Watson, Camp Treasurer, chaperoned the group throughout the trip.

The 1967 camp was an unqualified success with 217 in attendance. Mrs. Galbraith, State Regent; Mrs. Cruikshank, Miss Adams, Mrs. Worthington, and Carolyn Cruikshank were the full time West Virginia adults on hand at camp. Mrs. Cruikshank was the camp casualty with a nasty fall and broken ribs!

Mrs. Frederick Griswold, National Chairman of National Defense spent the week with us and added evidence to my conviction that the good Lord is taking care of camp. In addition to her scheduled address she filled in for a speaker who cancelled out the day before camp started, found in Washington and brought the film "White Brave Men Die" which had not arrived in time to use.

spent the week seeing what needed to be done and doing it, and on top of that, giving us a week of hard work, long hours, pleasant companionship and unflinching inspiration, made a substantial financial contribution to the camp!

I'm continually amazed and thrilled at the high calibre of the speakers who give us their time and talents and inspiration. This year the list included Judge Thornton Berry of the W. Va. Supreme Court, General Bruce C. Clarke, U. S. Army Retired, Cecil Underwood, Vice President of Monsanto with offices in Washington, Charles Hopkins, an authority on the lives of the Presidents, Rev. Aldred P. Wallace, F.B.I. Special Agent Dr. Fern Steukenbroeker and Mrs. Robert V. H. Duncan, Honorary President General. Mrs. Duncan visited several days and also made a contribution to the camp. John Noble was paid a nominal honorarium.

Scrapbooks have been prepared of the 1967 camp and Mrs. McLaugherty took the one for the National Defense Committee and the one for the American Heritage Committee to Washington for us. The camp has been nominated for an award from Freedoms Foundation again this year and a scrapbook submitted.

I want to thank each of you for the high calibre of campers you have selected to attend camp and for all the help you have given to the camp program. Again you have confirmed my conviction that the West Virginia Daughters are the most wonderful people in the world.

(Miss) Virginia B. Johnson, Director

ELEANOR H. SMITH SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The recipient of the 1967 Eleanor H. Smith Scholarship is Miss Gwendolyn Edith McClure of Patterson Creek who was graduated from Fort Ashby High School, Fort Ashby, W. Va. While attending high school, Gwendolyn received awards for typing, biology, shorthand and American history; attained recognition in 4-H work, was selected to attend a Junior Executive Conference and a Cultural Up-Lift Science Seminar. She was a most happy and appreciative young lady upon receipt of the West Virginia DAR Scholarship.

Miss McClure is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McClure and is attending West Virginia University, majoring in home economics.

The Potomac Valley Chapter of Keyser, Mrs. Eltin D. Gourley, Regent, sponsored the scholarship.

Twelve young ladies participated this year, and the applications were judged by the District Directors.

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

GENERAL ADAM STEPHEN MEMORIAL

Work on the General Adam Stephen house has gone forward during the past year. Using local contributions a permanent tin roof has been put on the "Triple Brick" house. It has also been boarded up against weather and vandalism.

In the main house all plaster work is done and painting on first floor completed. Electric heat has been installed and in use.

The Association is very hopeful that the Governor of West Virginia will see

fit to allocate additional funds to replace two buildings, the foundations of which are still standing on the property.

The County Court of Berkeley County gave the Association \$750 this summer and the residents of the Martinsburg area in general are showing more interest and enthusiasm in this project.

May I urge you to include the Adam Stephen house in your budget. I am sure you will look with a great deal of pride on the project when completed if you had a part in preserving this historic home of the founder of Martinsburg.

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

JACKSON'S MILL

One hundred nine members and guests registered at the annual Jackson's Mill meeting held July 8, 1967, with Trans-Allegheny Chapter, Weston, the hostess chapter.

Following the invocation given by Mrs. Thomas Covey, Chaplain of Trans-Allegheny Chapter, the Regent, Mrs. Richard J. Cronin welcomed guests and members and introduced the State Regent, Mrs. Carl G. Galbraith who gave an interesting and instructive talk. Reports were given by Miss Lucile Stutler, State Chairman, DAR Magazine and by Mrs. Virginia Smith, a member of Trans-Allegheny Chapter who spent one winter at the DAR Kate Duncan Smith School where she worked as a member of the newspaper staff.

Mrs. W. H. S. White, Honorary State Regent, received a gift as the oldest member present.

Music was furnished by Diana Boso.

Hostesses for the 1968 meeting will be members of the Nathan Davis Chapter of West Union.

Reba G. McDermott (Mrs. C. F.), Chairman

REPORTS OF CHAPTER REGENTS

ANNE BAILEY CHAPTER

Anne Bailey Chapter has been on the Gold Honor Roll for ten consecutive years. The Chapter has a chairman for each National Committee whose work is reflected in reports of State Chairmen and the State Treasurer. Most outstanding events included the presentation of Americanism medal to a naturalized citizen demonstrating outstanding service to his adopted country; placing books on the Freedom Book Shelf in honor of speakers; all area DAR Chapters and SAR members were guests at the December meeting to view the film, "While Brave Men Die"; aided 22 students at WVU through student loans; sent seven girls to American Heritage Camp; gave three Good Citizen pins and four American History awards. We celebrated all historical anniversaries with appropriate programs and carried out the work of the National Defense and Constitution Week Committees as requested by the National Society.

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

BARBOURSVILLE CHAPTER

Our chapter received a "Blue Ribbon" award for the Program Book. Programs for the ten regular meetings were centered on "The Constitution", Flag Day, Conservation, American Pewter, National Defense, and American History, among others. A special program on "Your Flag and My Flag" was given by the chapter chairman with several JAC girls assisting. Small flags were presented to JAC members. Constitution Week was observed by Mayor's proclamation, copies of which were placed in schools in Barboursville. Tags and flag booklets were distributed. One girl was sponsored to American Heritage Camp, twelve subscriptions were sent in for DAR magazine and a contribution to the microfilm project. American History medals and awards, National Defense medals and JAC pins were given to elementary, junior and senior high school students in the area. A donation of \$25 was made to "Friends of the Museum Committee," of which our Mrs. Alden Bryan is State Chairman. Four books were donated to the chapter to be placed on the DAR bookshelf in the new library dedicated October 8, 1967 in honor of our founder, Mrs. W. H. Daniel.

(Mrs.) Marguerite Johnston, Regent

BEE LINE CHAPTER

The chapter was well represented at National, State and District meetings. Excellent programs were presented at each meeting, including "The Constitution". One meeting was held in our local museum where slides from the DAR national museum were shown. One program on flag etiquette, with slides, another with a director from the National Park Service from nearby Harpers Ferry who showed historical and conservation slides of Williamsburg in the early days. Special recognition was given Miss Edith S. Gardner, a fifty year member, who was presented with a pin and certificate. A copy of "Heads of Families at the First Census of the United States 1790, Maryland" was presented to our National Library, a gift from Mrs. Pauline D. Houser, member of Bee Line. We have four new members, also two transfers into the chapter, with two applications pending, one of these a Junior member. The chapter marked graves on July 4th, observed Washington's birthday, gave history and good citizenship medals in local high school and displayed flags on all occasions. Contributions were made to the Conservation workshop towards sending a teacher to Conservation School at West Virginia University; also to the DAR schools, the Adele Erb Sullivan building at Tamasee and Constitution Hall renovation.

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

BLACKWATER CHAPTER

Our membership is now 23, with one paper pending. Programs were interesting and timely. The President General's message was read and a National Defense report of five minutes or more given at each of our six regular meetings. Good Citizenship medals were given to a boy and girl of the senior class in each of the two county high schools. Members attended the State Conference and Central District meetings.

(Mrs.) Lalah Fankhauser, Regent

BLENNERHASSETT CHAPTER

Our chapter meetings were opened in the required manner. Excerpts from the President General's message were included in the chapter news release to the newspapers. Programs were given on "The Constitution", Conservation (water pollution), DAR Schools, American Music, American Heritage, American Indians, American History, including local history, National Defense - one full program and five to ten minutes at each meeting, Americanism, the Flag of the United States of America and the DAR Schools. We sponsored one girl to American Heritage Camp and awarded one Good Citizen medal. Contributed to Tamassee and K.D.S. Schools. Eight members attended the Northern District meeting. American History Month and Constitution Week were observed with special meetings and by supplying patriotic material for bulletin boards in ten schools, as well as in the business area.

Alberta Schultz Hite (Mrs. H. Paul), Regent

BORDERLAND CHAPTER

Our chapter membership of 49 includes three new members, one of which is a Junior. Programs given include American Music, American Indians, American History Essays by 5th, 6th and 8th grade winners, Christmas legends, book reviews of "World Aflame", by Billy Graham, and "These Were the Women", by Mary F. Whitman, West Virginia History, Folklore, a report on Continental Congress and the Resolutions and the Story of The Star Spangled Banner. The State Regent, Mrs. Galbraith, was guest of honor and speaker in June, also attending were three of our eight "Good Citizens". Awards received are, second place for the third consecutive year for Constitution Week, and Silver Honor Roll status. Awards given included 15 Good Citizenship medals and pins, 8 Good Citizen pins and certificates, 30 bronze medals, 25 certificates and 60 DAR ribbons to students of American History and a silver medal to each of the three winners in the American History Essay Contest. A girl was sponsored to Rhododendron Girls' State and one to American Heritage Camp. All required contributions were made, we had 440 inches of publicity and our chapter sponsors the "Betty Henry" CAR Chapter. A new flag was presented to the Fayette County Historical Society for their reconstructed "one room school house".

Mrs. Erskine Phillips, Regent

CAPTAIN JAMES ALLEN CHAPTER

American History Month was celebrated by publication of a proclamation signed by the Mayor of the City; by daily spot announcements during the week on radio. An essay contest was conducted in which 826 essays were submitted from four grades in six schools. A cash prize of five dollars was given the winner in each grade at each school, in addition to a certificate. The county-wide winner in each grade was given a medal. Our Fifth Grade History Essay won the State Award. Constitution Week was observed by announcements in church bulletins; on radio; newspaper publicity; two store window displays; and a banner across Main Street. We contributed a dollar per member for Constitution

Hall renovation and 25¢ per member for the Sullivan Tamassee building. Other contributions include \$50.00 to KDS and \$100.00 worth of clothing; 50¢ per member to Tamassee for building repair, plus \$24.00 in cash and a box of clothing valued at \$100.00; clothing to Bacone College; \$12.00 to St. Mary's Indian School; and a donation to the National fund for microfilming genealogical records, awarded six Good Citizen medals with certificates and a copy of "In Washington, DAR Story". Sponsored five girls to American Heritage Camp.

Marguerite Baritell (Mrs. James), Regent

CHARLESTON CHAPTER

Our chapter is still young and suffering "growing pains". American History Month observance was unique. In that American history questionnaires were used for 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th grade students with a silver award offered for first place and a bronze award for second place winners, the awards being donated by a friend. These children, with their parents, were guests at a chapter meeting. The enthusiastic story of our "Good Citizen" made us proud that she is an American. A civil defense program, held at the West Virginia National Air Guard Base, was deeply enlightening. We must mention the illuminating "Head Start" program in Kanawha County. Last, but almost first in interest, is our Freedom Book Shelf, with more than 20 books in South Charleston High School. Proof of its constant interest and use is that often only a single book is left on the shelf. Next year a new regent and more wonderful reports.

Kitty Beddow (Mrs. Herbert M.), Regent

COLONEL ANDREW DONNALLY

Constitution Week and American History Month were observed through newspaper publicity, radio broadcasts and special patriotic programs. Four essays were submitted by students for the American History contest. Programs included "The Modern Revolution and You", DAR Schools, "The Day of Infamy", "Our first Foreign War", a visit to Mt. Vernon, "Social changes of 100 Years in the U. S. A.", The statue of liberty and "Whither Arms Control". Members attended State Conference, Continental Congress and the Southern District meeting. Good Citizen medals and pins and American History certificates were given to high school seniors. Assisted with plans for a Veteran's Day celebration, including a concert given by the U. S. Naval Academy Band, a parade and luncheon at which the speaker was Admiral David L. McDonald, Chief of Naval Operations, The Pentagon. Donations were made to the Tamassee building fund, Library microfilming, Eleanor Smith Scholarship fund and student loan fund. Our chapter is a member of the hostess committee for the DAR State Conference in October 1967.

Bertha Ballard Solins (Mrs. Samuel), Regent

COLONEL CHARLES LEWIS CHAPTER

Ceremonies were held October tenth to commemorate the first battle of the American Revolution, on the site of the battle. Participating were the American Legion, the Point Pleasant High School Band and Mrs. Hersel Henderson, State

Historian, who gave the history of the battle. Ten meetings were held with outstanding programs stressing the National objectives. The Chapter's sixty-sixth year was celebrated with a luncheon meeting, with Mrs. Carl Galbraith, State Regent, the speaker. Twenty-two grades conducted American History Month essay contests. Four medals and nineteen certificates were awarded. Constitution Week was widely covered, both press and radio, posters, place mats and a window display were used. Fifteen American History Medals, twelve Good Citizenship and three Good Citizen Medals were presented. One girl was sent to American Heritage Camp. Death claimed Mrs. Charlotte McCulloch Steenbergen, our last charter member. The chapter was represented at district, state and national meetings.

Mrs. Charles Proffitt, Regent

COLONEL JOHN EVANS CHAPTER

Organized October 5, 1909, our membership now totals 98, including one new Junior member. Outstanding programs were enjoyed at our ten meetings, with speakers well received. The National Defense program speaker was Attorney Albert Morgan. The chapter joined the Sons of the Revolution for their annual George Washington Dinner. The Regent gave a talk on "The Constitution of the United States" over Radio Station WAJR. She also gave a talk on the same subject before the Junior High School assembly. She has completed 20 years of service as sponsor for "The Overseas Wives Club". American History Month was observed with radio broadcasts. DAR Magazine subscriptions given to Junior High School and Public libraries. Members attended State Conference, Continental Congress, Central District and Jackson's Mill meetings. A girl was sent to "Our American Heritage Camp", a good citizen pin and 20 American History medals given in the schools. Contributions made to DAR Magazine advertisement and to Tamasee and KDS Schools.

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

COLONEL MORGAN MORGAN CHAPTER

Our chapter received the Silver Honor Roll Award, also first place award for our observance of Constitution Week. We presented fifteen American History awards and two Good Citizen awards at the May meeting at which parents and teachers were guests. Members attended Continental Congress, District and Jackson's Mill meetings. We sponsored three girls to Our American Heritage Week Camp. Sent clothing and money to Tamasee and KDS Schools. Observed American History Month. Twenty-five percent of our membership subscribes to the DAR Magazine, and we have an increase in membership. Programs were strictly DAR and developed our National theme. Press and other news media cooperation has been excellent.

Jean L. Pigott (Mrs. George E.), Regent

DANIEL DAVISSON CHAPTER

Our chapter ended the year with 94 members – one new, one reinstated and three lost by death. We had nine regular meetings with interesting Patriotic, Educational and Historical programs. The two most outstanding were "Ameri-

ca's Contribution to Music" and "The DAR Story". Constitution Week was observed. We entertained the State Conference and the Central District meeting. Our chapter was represented at the Jackson's Mill meeting. We contributed to the magazine fund and procured an ad for the February issue of the magazine. Sent money and clothing to KDS and Tamassee schools. We gave nine Good Citizen awards and sponsored one girl to Our American Heritage Camp.

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

ELIZABETH CUMMINS JACKSON CHAPTER

Membership now totals 36. We had outstanding programs at our ten meetings, and won a red ribbon award for the Yearbook. Constitution Week was observed with a speaker, good newspaper and radio publicity. Observed American History Month with radio spot announcements twice daily; good coverage in newspapers; and gave cash awards for American History Essay contest. One of our contestants was a state winner, gave two Good Citizen pins and certificates. Contributed to Tamassee and St. Mary's schools and to the magazine fund. Members attended State Conference and the District meeting in Clarksburg, and the annual meeting at Jackson's Mill. Four historical books were presented to the Grafton Public Library in the name of our chapter.

Mildred Debendarfer (Mrs. H. K.), Regent

ELIZABETH LUDINGTON HAGANS CHAPTER

Charter issued June 11, 1904; membership now totals 143. Joint meetings with other local chapters include a brunch in December and a Washington's birthday dinner with the Sons of the American Revolution in February. The Regent attended State Conference and the Jackson's Mill meeting. Chapter members residing in Washington, D. C., attended National Conference and sent reports to the chapter. The Chapter sponsored Judy Childs to Jackson's Mill; gave three subscriptions to high schools; awarded Good Citizenship medals and certificates to nine junior high school and two senior high school students. Mr. John Sisler gave an award to a homemaker in the high school honoring his mother, Florence Sisler. A total of \$350 has been contributed to DAR Indian Schools; local projects; Constitution Hall renovation; and the Adele Erb Sullivan building at Tamassee. Nine past regents were honored with gifts of flowers and a copy of "What the Daughters Do"; seven members, including one charter member, were presented with 50-year pins. Mrs. Galbraith, State Regent, attended the June meeting and installed our newly elected officers.

Susie L. Tapp Caulkins (Mrs. Daniel P.), Regent

ELIZABETH ZANE CHAPTER

Chapter membership of 69 includes one member who has passed her 102nd birthday. Lost three members by death. Each meeting is opened with the required procedure, with programs including "The Constitution", reports of three girls attending American Heritage Camp, American Indians, members reporting on District meeting, State Conference and Continental Congress, "Life and Outstanding Events of George Washington", seal and insignia of the DAR, a Christmas party with the speaker an exchange student from Brazil, and members giv-

ing donations for our approved schools in place of a gift exchange. Contributions to DAR schools in the amount of \$35.00; one dollar per member for Constitution Hall renovation; fifty cents per member for Administration building at Tamasee; a ten dollar ad in the DAR Magazine. Locally, \$25 to YWCA where some of our meetings are held, and remembered our sick and shut in members with Christmas flowers.

Klara H. Dulaney (Mrs. T. William), Regent

FORT LEE CHAPTER

We have had a very rewarding year, having achieved Gold Honor Roll status. We have stressed the "Full DAR Story" having in our programs and committee reports the 3-Fold objectives of the Society: Historical, Educational and Patriotic. Programs included The Constitution of the United States, American History, Americanism, The Flag of the United States, American Heritage, American Indians, a talk on a Colonial Church at Williamsburg and an interesting and inspiring talk on Early Folk Music and its history. Our membership is now 49, a net increase of four, including two Junior members. Eighty pounds of Christmas gifts were sent to Tamasee and two large boxes of used clothing to St. Mary's School for Indian Girls. We presented two Good Citizenship Medals and pins and had two DAR Good Citizens. We sponsored four young ladies to Our American Heritage Camp and awarded two Silver Medals and one Bronze Medal to Junior High School History Essayists.

Adelaide Anderson (Mrs. Fennell), Regent

GENERAL ANDREW LEWIS CHAPTER

Our chapter was organized in 1954. This year has been very successful. We have had excellent publicity of our nine interesting, timely and educational meetings, with five minutes or more given to National Defense reports and the reading of the President General's message. Members attended the District meeting and the State luncheon at Jackson's Mill. American History certificates were presented to students at the elementary and junior high schools. One girl was sponsored to "Our American Heritage Camp" and one boy to "Citizenship Camp", which is held in Greenbrier County. Clothing and contributions were sent to KDS and Tamasee schools. We also fulfilled our commitments to National, State and District. The year closed with a June luncheon meeting with invited guests.

Mrs. Charles W. Graves, Regent

JAMES BARBOUR CHAPTER

Our chapter originated and still sponsors a Memorial service at Fraternal Cemetery each 30th of May. We are assisted by the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, their Auxiliaries, the high school band and other local organizations. The community appreciates this service. Constitution Week was observed by proclamation and a special program. Programs at regular meetings are based on the theme of the year. At least ten minutes is given to National Defense at each meeting. Music is the theme of our Christmas dinner meeting. Two Good Citizenship medals were awarded to high school students; one American

History medal and four certificates to fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grade students. A donation of \$10 sent to Kate Duncan Smith and \$8 to Crossnore. Our chapter is small, but several prospective members plan to present application papers soon.

Audra G. Lambert (Mrs. B. B.), Regent

JAMES WOOD

Membership is 171, including two new Junior members. Patriotic, Historical and Educational programs included American Heritage Camp girls, American History, American Indians, Holy Land, DAR schools, "DAR Story" with Miss Laura Dickerson, Christmas English Bells and a National Defense open meeting with 1st Div. Army, Ft. Meade, Boy Scouts, a flag ceremony and eight guest chapters. In addition to required contributions, articles and money sent to Vietnam through the Red Cross and American Legion; contributions to the heart and cancer funds; \$18 to National Defense; a \$10 book to the library; 17 copies of "DAR Story" and 23 new national magazines to library and schools; 2 flags, poles and books to YMCA, also landscaping; 2 Good Citizen awards, \$20; 2 winners "Most outstanding Young American Women"; 913 inches of press book publicity, letters written to Congressmen and Senators on controversial subjects; members attended Jackson's Mill, District and State meetings. Received awards for work in Approved Schools Committee, the Chapter Year-book, National Defense and Constitution Week. Also, from National, "Silver" Honor Roll certificate and ribbon.

Mrs. W. G. Farnar, Regent

JOHN CHAPMAN CHAPTER

Programs and contributions of our chapter covered all phases of the work of the National Society. Programs included The Constitution, reports from National and State meetings, approved schools, DAR Museum, National Defense, American Heritage, American music, Resolutions, The Flag of the United States of America, and American Indians. Contributions were made to Dollars for National Defense, Americana Collection, microfilming, investment trust fund, Veteran's hospital Christmas fund, American History Scholarship fund, DAR sponsored and approved schools, and renovation of Constitution Hall. These efforts won for us the Silver Honor Roll award from National, a red ribbon on our Year Book and a blue ribbon from DAR Museum for the presentation of a Parian vase to the Museum. Members attended State Conference, Continental Congress, Southern District and Jackson's Mill meetings. Seventeen Bluefield girls attended Our American Heritage Camp. Good Citizen and American History awards were given in the schools and a flag presented to the city. Extensive programs held in court for newly naturalized citizens. Second place State award received for DAR Magazine Advertising.

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

JOHN COOKE CHAPTER

All programs included the basic objectives of the national society. Constitution Week was proclaimed by the Mayor, by a DAR family dinner with

special speaker, spot announcements in all county high schools; formal flag raising at local high school, free tag day and good publicity on all activities. American History Month was observed in local high school with American History and American Government classes participating. An American History award was given, and an essay contest conducted. Good Citizenship medals were presented to a girl and boy at Pineville High School. One girl was sponsored to American Heritage Camp. Four applicants for membership were given assistance and all papers completed. Articles of historical interest have been written and published by our chapter historian, Mary K. Bowman. We tell the DAR Story through good publicity and DAR Magazine subscriptions to our county high schools.

Virginia Smith (Mrs. Thomas Hugh), Regent

JOHN HART CHAPTER

Organized March 1907, now has a membership of 94. Our programs and contributions covered all phases of the National Society. The American Heritage Chairman selected and got sponsors for twenty girls to attend the camp. Had a most successful Constitution Week observance with a special program. Nine American History awards were presented to students. Other programs include one on National Defense; American History – George Washington's "Farewell Address"; and American Music. Members attended Continental Congress, State Conference and Jackson's Mill meeting. We have contributed to the state page of advertising in the DAR Magazine; paid our assessment in full for the renovation and air conditioning of Constitution Hall, also our pledge to Tamasee. In June we honored six of our members with fifty-year membership certificates. Two of the six have been members of the John Hart Chapter for sixty years.

Frances R. Channell (Mrs. Carl), Regent

JOHN YOUNG CHAPTER

Our chapter extends greetings to the National and State Officers, members and delegates to the West Virginia State Conference of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution. We are honored to have Miss Virginia B. Johnson, Vice President General from West Virginia, and Mrs. Charles McNutt, State Chairman, DAR Museum, as members of our chapter. We have awarded two fifty-year pins. Our two most outstanding programs – a review of Phillip Abbott Luce's book, "The New Left in the United States" for National Defense, and "Myth and Reality and the Historian's Duty to America", a Flag Day program. We have gained three new members, reinstated one former member, transferred one and lost two by resignation. Total membership to date – 109. The budget reflects our continued support of the many national and state projects, including a contribution of \$87.00 to Constitution Hall renovation and \$46.50 to the Adele Erb Sullivan building at Tamasee DAR School.

Frances H. Tyree (Mrs. Frank L.), Regent

KANAWHA VALLEY CHAPTER

A Bill of Sale dated 1802, covering the sale of a boat to a Revolutionary soldier, has been accepted and sent as a permanent exhibit in the DAR Ameri-

cana Collection, sent by our Historian. Two books have been sent to our National Library: "History and Genealogy of the Thomas Hollandsworth Family", pertaining to another Revolutionary soldier, established last fall, whose lineage had been procured by our Registrar; and "John Hanson and some of his Descendants", a book which we had bound in memory of a deceased member, of material which she had compiled. We have been represented at each New Citizenship Class and had the privilege of assisting one young mother in obtaining an American Citizenship for her child, though born of American parents while stationed in Germany, whose birth was also registered there. Proclamations were signed by the Mayor for both Constitution Week and American History Month. Fifteen local schools cooperated in observing Constitution Week; spot announcements were broadcast over radio; a window display in the public library was photographed for the newspaper, and literature was distributed from the library. Place mats and grace cards were used in a restaurant and posters placed in store windows.

Mrs. F. S. McComas, Regent

LIEUTENANT DANIEL SHUMATE CHAPTER

Programs for the year met the specified requirements and included National Defense, Conservation, Constitution and Bylaws, History of the American Flag, History of DAR, Origin and Observation of Flag Day and a film strip - Civil War. A DAR Magazine subscription was placed in the library of each Wyoming County High School. In observance of Veterans Day our chapter bought seven sets of flags of the United States of America. A flag was presented to each sixth grade with a dedication ceremony in which students and a DAR member participated. Brownie Scout Troops sold flags. Our goal - "A Flag in Each Home in Wyoming County". We sponsored an American History Essay Contest, limited to eighth grade students. A prize of \$5.00 was given to the winner. The local radio station carried spot announcements of the contest. Three girls were sponsored to American Heritage Camp. We applied to the Wyoming County Court for space in the Court House for a DAR Museum. Constitution Week was observed by the Mayor's proclamation, by flags displayed at places of business and with a flag raising ceremony by Mullens High School Chapter FHA.

Mrs. Byron Steele, Regent

MAJOR WILLIAM HAYMOND CHAPTER

In our nine interesting and instructive meetings we fulfilled all requirements and objectives of our organization. We sent delegates to Continental Congress, District meeting and Jackson's Mill luncheon. We sponsored a girl to Rhododendron Girls' State and one to American Heritage Camp, obtained sponsors for four others. We contributed to the Marion County Film Library and to the Student Loan fund at Fairmont State College. We gave Good Citizen awards in four high schools and have made all suggested contributions of clothing and money to DAR schools. We have just bought a copy of "The Patriot Index" for our local library. Constitution Week was observed in the schools, libraries, newspapers, radio and television. We gave a framed picture of the "Signing of the Constitution" to Rivesville High School, where the senior students performed an excellent original skit on the signing. Our September meeting will feature a report

from this committee and a program on the museum and our National DAR Magazine, with a special attempt to secure additional subscriptions to the magazine.

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

MATTHEW FRENCH CHAPTER

Our chapter is responsible for 225 flags of the United States of America being flown on the streets of Princeton on appropriate holidays. A one hundred dollar memorial scholarship was given a senior high school girl; American History awards presented in two high schools; ribbon awards given to 5th grade history students in six schools; and four Good Citizens were chosen, one being a second place winner in the state who was referred to National Honor Roll requirements were met in DAR Magazine subscriptions. Contributions have been made to Tamasee building; Constitution Hall renovation; and money and clothes to DAR schools. Constitution Week was observed and widely publicized in Princeton. Sixteen girls, plus one counselor, were sent to Our American Heritage Camp. We consider this to be an outstanding investment for America—both today and tomorrow. Our Chapter Yearbook won an award at State Conference in 1966.

Mrs. William S. Winfrey, Regent

MONDONGACHATE CHAPTER

Our first meeting of the fall was a Constitution Week luncheon, with Mrs. W. W. McClougherty the speaker. Several state dignitaries and Chapter Regents were present, and one of the girls who attended American Heritage Camp spoke of her happy experience there. Constitution Week was observed by Mayor's proclamation; through newspaper and radio publicity; and with window displays. Four history medals, one homemaker pin and one good citizenship medal were presented to students; one girl sent to American Heritage Camp; and we sponsor a JAC Club. Contributions were made to the DAR approved schools; to the museum fund; and to the state spread in the DAR Magazine, as well as two ads for the advertising section. Our quota for subscriptions to the magazine was met.

Mrs. A. F. Bush, Regent

MOUND CHAPTER

Our chapter sent DAR Magazine subscriptions to five Marshall County High School libraries and one to the City-County Library. These books were added to our own library, "DAR Patriot's Index" and "Hessian Soldiers in American Revolution—1776-1783". Money and boxes of clothing were sent to KDS, Tamasee and Crossnore schools. Contributions were made to Adele Erb Sullivan building fund, Museum fund, Investment trust fund, NSDAR American History Scholarship fund, the Americana Collection, an ad to DAR Magazine and we sponsored one girl to Our American Heritage Camp. Fifty-four grade school children participated in the American History Essay Contest on the topic "Great American Battles". Certificates and medals were awarded. The State Scrapbook, compiled by our own Mrs. Charles (Myrtle) Peters, won first place. Our

chapter won the Silver award. Programs stressed National Defense, President General's message at each meeting. Constitution Week observed, as was Flag Day. American History Month, with a special program. A paper on lineage was written and presented by Mrs. William (Merle) Boyd, our Registrar.

Katheryn Chaddock (Mrs. H. W.), Regent

MOUNTAINEER CHAPTER

Our chapter has as its motto, "Montani semper liberi". We are particularly interested in National Defense programs. Mrs. V. Eugene Holcombe, past State Regent, was guest speaker for the DAR approved schools program. We were honored to have Mrs. John Scott of Oak Hill, W. Va., as Constitution Week speaker. The chapter extended an invitation to our State Regent, Mrs. Galbraith to join us at our Constitution Week luncheon, but unfortunately, she had a previous engagement. We hope to have her visit us at a later date. We endeavor to carry out recommendations of national and state officers in planning programs and projects.

Mrs. Lafayette Marcum, Regent

OHIO VALLEY CHAPTER

Ohio Valley Chapter, after fifteen years of inactivity, was reorganized at a meeting in May. The new regent had a summer workshop to make plans for the year with the State Regent attending as advisor. The first chapter yearbook won a blue ribbon at state conference; we contributed to the American Heritage bazaar; and sent a member who served as the President General's page. The chapter had an active Constitution Week program, earning 14,000 points on the state rating sheet, and sponsored a Constitution Week dinner with West Virginia Senator Deem as guest speaker. Six JAC Clubs were organized and plans made to organize a CAR group. We entertained the State Regent as guest speaker at the November meeting. Plans were made at that time for an American History Month window display, a TV broadcast and school participation. One new member has been secured and one transfer, with seven possible members working on papers.

(Miss) Alfaretta Triplett, Regent

PACK HORSE FORD CHAPTER

A net gain of three members for our chapter includes one junior member and one reinstatement. Members attended State Conference, National Congress and board meeting at Jackson's Mill. Constitution Week was observed with a window display, bulletin board displays in two schools, a published proclamation signed by the Mayor, a radio announcement and prayers in three churches. Contributions were made to DAR schools, including a \$25.00 memorial gift to Tamassee, American History Scholarship fund, microfilm fund and one dollar per member for Constitution Hall renovation. DAR Magazine subscriptions were given in two schools and the Shepherdstown Library; a good citizenship pin to a senior high school girl; and a \$25 ad in the DAR Magazine. During American History Month a special flag program was given and the book, "Flags of America", presented to the Shepherdstown High School. The chapter was hostess

to the Eastern District meeting, followed by a tour, and a tea honoring the State Regent.

Mrs. J. S. Phillips, Regent

POTOMAC VALLEY CHAPTER

All programs have included the basic objectives of our National Society and earned for us a blue ribbon award for our yearbook. We received wide publicity in our newspapers, which gave more interest and meaning to our work. Two meetings each year are held at "The Fort", Fort Ashby, W. Va., where, this summer, a West Virginia University student was hired to keep the Fort open to visitors. Nine hundred fifty visitors from the United States and Canada registered during the summer. Contributions were made to Kate Duncan Smith, Tamasee, St. Mary's School for Indian girls, JAC's of Keyser, DAR Magazine advertisement, Constitution Hall renovation and the Adele Erb Administration building at Tamasee. Constitution Week evidenced much interest. A window display of an ammunition trunk carried through the Revolutionary War by one of the Regent's ancestors was of special interest. Four mayors signed our proclamation. The Eleanor H. Smith Scholarship was won by the Fort Ashby Elementary School Valedictorian and her brother received an award for the best essay on American Naval Battles. We gave nine essay awards and two Good Citizenship awards. A coverlet made by Miss Lilly Wagoner's mother was given by her to the National DAR Museum. Members attended the Eastern District Tri-State Conference and Continental Congress in Washington.

Mrs. Eltin D. Gourley, Regent

PRINCESS ARACOMA CHAPTER

It is with regret that Princess Aracoma Chapter accepted the resignation of Mrs. Frank White as regent of the chapter, due to illness in her family. Most of the work reported here was done and reported by her in the March report. Programs for our nine meetings have followed the three fold objectives of the national society, historic, educational and patriotic, including a Constitution Week luncheon and a Flag Day dinner. Twenty-four subscriptions to the DAR Magazine were sold, 12 new ones, eight renewals and subscriptions were given to four county high schools. Two books were placed in our public library in memory of two deceased members. Four Good Citizenship certificates and pins were awarded; one girl sent to Rhododendron Girls' State; 33 Logan County students won awards and recognition on the state and national level for their entries in the Essay-Poem and Art Poster Contest. American History Month was observed with radio and newspaper publicity. Constitution Week observance included use of 5,000 place mats; window displays; flying of flags; preamble book marks; speakers; church and school bulletin boards.

Martha Jane Becker (Mrs. Wm. P.), Vice-Regent

RAVENSWOOD CHAPTER

Two Good Citizen pins and certificates and eight American History awards were presented in both Ravenswood and Ripley junior and senior high schools. We sponsored the American History Essay Contest and presented two bronze

medals, two certificates, and certificates of participation to all entries. An entry for the American History Scholarship received "Honorable Mention" from the state chairman. Contributions include \$5 to American History Scholarship fund; a \$10 DAR Magazine ad; and \$1.50 to the microfilming fund. Constitution Week was observed with spot announcements on radio; the tape, "Citizen-USA" presented to Ripley High School; and a copy of "In Washington, The DAR Story" placed in the Ravenswood High School Library. National Defense material, subscriptions to the Liberty Lobby Letters and copies of Your Influence Counts, Use It, were given to the Problems of Democracy classes in the two county high schools. Three girls were sponsored to American Heritage Camp.

Madaline McMasters Krum (Mrs. Karl L.), Regent

SHENANDOAH VALLEY CHAPTER

Programs featuring heritage included speakers and movies on National Parks, Holy Land, American Revolution, Christmas in Legend and Song. Courtship of George Washington. Highlight of the year was entertaining the State Regent, Mrs. Galbraith. All District chapters were invited to attend our meeting, and it was my pleasure to escort Mrs. Galbraith through Boydville-Adam Stephen Memorial. Miss Ruth Seibert and her mother drove Mrs. Galbraith to National Congress at the time of the B&O Railroad strike. Members attended National Congress, State Conference and District and Jackson's Mill meetings. Contributions included Constitution Hall renovation, Adele Erb Sullivan building at Tamasee, DAR Schools, DAR Magazine and six boxes to Crossnore School valued at \$350.00. Our chapter gave eight Good Citizenship medals, four American History medals and 48 certificates for excellence in American History. We sent 30 columns for West Virginia scrapbook and eight new subscriptions to DAR Magazine.

(Miss) Hilda Lingamfelter, Regent

SOUTH BRANCH VALLEY CHAPTER

Our present membership is 55, seven members by transfer into the chapter, three new members and one death. Four books were given to four libraries; four girls sponsored to American Heritage Camp; two Revolutionary soldier graves marked; and five boxes of clothing sent to DAR Schools. Contributions were made to Tamasee Administration building, Constitution Hall renovation, American Indians, DAR Magazine, St. Mary's Indian School, DAR Museum, West Virginia Room fund; Friends of the Museum; microfilm fund; and four Good Citizen pins. Two joint meetings were held with ten of the Tri-State area chapters attending. We also attended a special Flag Day luncheon.

Margaret Lawrence (Mrs. Charles), Regent

SPENCER ROANE CHAPTER

Programs for our nine regular meetings included Constitution Week observance, "The First Thanksgiving Proclamation", slides of Honduras, a musical Christmas program; a lecture by Mrs. Roland Heffner of Taiwan, with slides; a

report on Continental Congress by Mrs. Jessie Fiedler, delegate, who has been a DAR member for more than fifty years. A donation was made to the Adele Erb Sullivan building at Tamasee. Two Good Citizenship pins were presented to students at Spencer High School and Walton High School. History medals and Good Citizenship awards were given in three schools.

Mrs. Howard S. Goad, Regent

VANDALIA CHAPTER

Our present membership is 17, with a net gain of two for the year. All obligations have been met. Following the regular order of business, giving particular attention to the message of the President General, our programs have included the following: Constitution Week speaker; American Heritage Week Camp, with Miss Virginia Johnson, camp director, present with three of the girls sponsored by our chapter; a speaker on American Indians; "The Spirit of Christmas" done in speech and song by guests and members of the Nitro High School Choir. Contributions made to the "Spirit of Christmas Fund" were sent to Tamasee. "Good Citizenship" was the subject of a guest speaker when Good Citizenship pins were presented to senior girls from two high schools, "Our 50th State, Hawaii", the speaker, in native costume, showed slides and gave detailed data with reference to the legal aspect of its becoming our 50th state; a program on American History with reports of awards presented to three schools in the area; and one full National Defense program.

Mrs. Harold L. VanNetta, Regent

WEST AUGUSTA CHAPTER

Programs at our ten meetings emphasized the objectives of the National Society and included reports on the State Conference and Continental Congress. An outstanding program was a paper "Christmas in the White House through the Years", written and presented by a member of the chapter. We presented four American History awards; a high honor pin; Good Citizen pin and a Good Citizenship medal. One girl was sponsored to Rhododendron Girls' State and four girls to "Our American Heritage Camp". One book given to the Mannington Public Library for the Freedom Bookshelf and two DAR Magazine subscriptions to high schools. Contributions were made to four DAR schools and a box of clothing sent to St. Mary's Indian School. Our chapter contributed 100% to Constitution Hall renovation and the Adele Erb Sullivan Tamasee building. Constitution Week was observed with bulletin board displays, posters in store windows, tags distributed and programs presented in both elementary and high schools.

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

WHEELING CHAPTER

The great ideals of the American founding fathers were emphasized in the year's activities of Wheeling Chapter. For the greater part of the year the chapter had the good fortune to have Mrs. Brooks Hartlieb as Regent. One of our essay contest winners won a state American History award. Constitution Week was observed. Four girls were sent to American Heritage Camp, where your

Regent had the pleasure of teaching a class. Our chapter won the State Good Citizenship award, and a red ribbon award for our yearbook. Three high school seniors won American History medals for their excellence in study of the lessons of our nation's past. It was with special pleasure that we welcomed as third generation members the daughter of a former State Regent, Alice Phillips, and the granddaughter of another, Blanche Reymann. TV coverage was given the dedication service when a bronze marker was placed at the grave of Revolutionary ancestor, Col. David Shepherd. Members of Wheeling Chapter participated in welcoming Sons of the American Revolution when their annual conference met in Wheeling.

Lena Worthington (Mrs. Monroe), Regent

WILLIAM HENSHAW CHAPTER

The oldest chapter in the state, William Henshaw was organized April 5, 1899. Programs in accordance with the National Society recommendations have been planned for our ten meetings. We sponsored five girls to the American Heritage Camp; presented three Good Citizenship pins to high school seniors; sent DAR Magazine subscriptions for three high school libraries and the Martinsburg Public Library; sponsored a CAR Society and JAC groups. Contributed to the General Adam Stephen memorial; Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee schools; the Helen Pouch Scholarship and the renovation of Constitution Hall. We sent five cartons of clothing valued at \$639 to Crossnore. Our Historian submitted a picture and report of Old Christ Church for the February issue of the DAR Magazine, and seven Bible Records were sent to the State Historian. Constitution Week was observed with window displays, church bulletin, radio and newspaper publicity, and in some of our schools. Members attended National Congress and the District meeting.

Mrs. Luke E. Terry, Regent

WILLIAM MORRIS CHAPTER

During the year the chapter has kept well to the objectives of the National Society. All assessments have been paid; a donation was made to Bacone School; two scholarships from the Julia Wintz Morris fund were awarded; one girl was sponsored to the American Heritage Camp. No new members were added, two have been lost by death, membership at present, 39.

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

WILSON CARY NICHOLAS CHAPTER

Our chapter, organized October 18, 1961 has a membership of 27, including two new members. One dear member lost by death, Mrs. Gladys Vaught, who was Registrar and Program Chairman, was given a memorial service at our August meeting. We received the National Gold Honor Roll award for 1966-1967 and a Blue ribbon award for our yearbook. Eight girls attended American Heritage Camp, four Good Citizenship medals were given to 6th grade students at a PTA meeting and Good Citizen pins were given to a graduating senior girl in our two high schools. The chapter's permanent museum in the Municipal building contains four display cases with historical items for public viewing.

American History Month was observed with window exhibits, book review and many other activities. Much was done during Constitution Week. The highlight of the week was a beautifully decorated window with truly patriotic material.

Eugenia Jones (Mrs. Ralph), Regent