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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The 37th Annual State Conference will be held at Ottawa in March, 1935.

The 38th Annual State Conference will be held in Kansas City in March, 1936.



PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands. One nation, indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for all.

THE AMERICAN'S CREED

"I believe in the United States of America as a Government of the people, by the people and 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."



MRS. EDWARD POSTON PENDLETON
Kansas State Regent



MRS. JAMES WARREN KIRKPATRICK
Vice President General, National Society D. A. R.

NATIONAL OFFICERS

President General N. S. D. A. R.

Mrs. Russell William Magna

Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.

Honorary President General

Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey

Independence, Kansas

Vice President General

Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick

El Dorado, Kansas

NATIONAL VICE CHAIRMEN

Constitution Hall Finance, Mrs. Robert Bruce Campbell	Wichita
Approved Schools, Mrs. Loren Edgar Rex	Wichita
Better Films, Mrs. L. W. Bixler	Atchison
Student Loan Fund, Mrs. Dan Hopson	Phillipsburg
Girl Home Makers, Mrs. C. P. King	Baxter Springs
Historical Research, Miss Edith Chesney	El Dorado
Publicity, Mrs. J. Frank Imes	Osawatomie

HONORARY STATE REGENTS

Mrs. W. E. Stanley	Wichita
Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey	Independence
Miss Catherine Campbell	Ottawa
Mrs. Robert Bruce Campbell	Wichita
Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick	El Dorado

STATE OFFICERS

Regent, Mrs. Edward Poston Pendleton	Richmond
Vice Regent, Mrs. Loren Edgar Rex	Wichita
Recording Secretary, Mrs. Clarence Stanley Laird	Jetmore
Treasurer, Miss Marion Seelye	Abilene
Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. James Wharton King	Ottawa
Registrar, Mrs. Alexander Joseph Berger	Arkansas City
Historian, Miss Imogene Pollock	Hutchinson
Librarian, Mrs. Paul Augustus Klayder	Neodesha
Auditor, Mrs. Charles Francis Adams	Topeka
Chaplain, Miss Kate B. Miles	Salina

STATE CHAIRMEN OF NATIONAL COMMITTEES

Americanism, Mrs. Moore L. Nix	Dodge City
Approved Schools, Mrs. H. G. Lull	Emporia
Better Films, Mrs. L. W. Bixler	Atchison
Conservation and Thrift, Mrs. Marcel Duphorne	Harper
Constitution Hall Finance, Mrs. L. E. Rex	Wichita
Constitution Hall Memory Book, Mrs. Jack Lane	Winfield
Correct Use of the Flag, Mrs. W. H. McCamish	Kansas City
D. A. R. Library, Mrs. P. A. Klayder	Neodesha
D. A. R. Magazine, Mrs. C. F. Eckelman	Salina
Ellis Island, Mrs. Lacy Haynes	Kansas City
Filing and Lending Historic Papers, Mrs. J. G. Manning	Olathe
Genealogical Records, Mrs. F. H. Dickinson	Pittsburg
Girl Home Makers, Mrs. C. P. King	Baxter Springs
Historical Research, Miss Imogene Pollock	Hutchinson
Manual for Immigrants, Mrs. Wm. Prager	Fort Scott
National Defense Embodying Patriotic Education, Mrs. J. C. Reese, Jr.	Newton
National Registrars, Mrs. A. J. Berger	Arkansas City
Preservation of Historic Spots, Mrs. Effie H. Van Tuyl ..	Leavenworth
Publicity, Mrs. J. F. Elden, Jr.	Topeka
Radio, Miss Gertrude Gilmore	Lawrence
Revolutionary Relics for Memorial Continental Hall, Mrs. S. W. Atkinson	Lawrence
Sons and Daughters of the U. S. A., Mrs. Carl Anderson ..	McPherson
Student Loan Fund, Miss Jennie I. Campbell	Mankato
Shawnee Mission, Mrs. Harry B. Tasker	Topeka

MOLLY FOSTER BERRY CHAPTER OFFICERS

Regent	Mrs. W. W. Patterson
Vice Regent	Miss Clare Nelson
Honorary Vice Regent	Mrs. C. M. Piper
Recording Secretary	Mrs. J. R. Newman
Treasurer	Mrs. W. O. Pratz
Registrar	Mrs. Wm. Prager
Historian	Mrs. Claude Brant
Corresponding Secretary	Mrs. J. F. McGill
Librarian	Miss Mary Goodsell
Chaplain	Mrs. Ella Lindly
Honorary Chaplain	Mrs. J. D. Meade
Parliamentarian	Mrs. C. F. Miller

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT KANSAS D. A. R.

March 26, 1934, Fort Scott, Kansas

The Board of Management of the Kansas Daughters met at the Scottish Rite Temple at 2:30 with the State Regent presiding. The State Chaplain repeated the Twenty-third Psalm and offered prayer. Eighteen Regents or Vice Regents answered the roll call. The State Treasurer, Miss Seelye, presented her report, which was accepted. The Regent reported that the marker ordered last year for the grave of Miss Nettie Cox was placed last June 14th with proper ceremony conducted by Mrs. Berger, state registrar. The Board approved the following recommendations for consideration at the Tuesday morning session:

- 1—That the per capita tax of thirty cents for 1933 be allowed.
- 2—That the per capita tax as ordered by Congress for 1934 be allowed.
- 3—That the \$200.00 pledged for Constitution Hall by Mrs. Pendleton in honor of Mrs. Kirkpatrick be allowed.
- 4—That Mrs. Pendleton use her judgment in the pledge made this year to Constitution Hall.
- 5—That a bill of \$71.70 for aiding in the restoring of Shawnee Mission be allowed.
- 6—That Mrs. Pendleton appoint a committee to investigate the price and advisability of purchasing a book plate.
- 7—That the D. A. R. State Directories on hand be offered for sale at 50 cents each.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick gave a few words of welcome. By request, the poem written by Mrs. Pendleton is printed in the proceedings. Question box followed. Motion to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

ADELAIDE C. LAIRD, Recording Secretary.

Written for Chapter Regents and Read at

Meeting of State Board of Management, March 26, 1934

How dear to my heart is the Regent who writes me,

"Our dues were all paid by the first of the year.

"Our membership growing, our programs inspiring,

"We find joy in service, our duties are clear.

"No member said, 'Drop me, I cannot afford it.'

"None other said, 'Please, I should like to resign.'

"But all said most cheerfully, 'Here is my money,

"The work of the Daughters is right in my 'line.'

"Our Chairmen are busy, our officers faithful,

"I think you will find all reports have been sent

"Of what we have given and how we have managed

"To mark and record some historic event."

So, I welcome the Regents, the dear Chapter Regents,

Whose leadership wins for us power and fame.

I know you have sacrificed business and pleasure

To make of your chapter something more than a name.

GENEVIEVE LINGARD PENDLETON.

MINUTES OF THE 36th ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE KANSAS DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

The 36th annual state conference of the Kansas Daughters of the American Revolution formally opened on Monday evening, March 26, 1934, in the auditorium of the Scottish Rite Temple at Fort Scott, Kansas. The call to colors was given by Bobby Richardson, bugler. Six pages led the processional followed by Mrs. Wm. Becker, National Defense Chairman of the National Society of the D. A. R. in Washington, D. C., Mrs. Edward Poston Pendleton, State Regent of Kansas; Mrs. George Thatcher Guernsey, Honorary President General; and Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick, Vice President General; honored guests and other state officers. The Regent called the conference to order. The invocation was given by Rev. R. O. Penick, pastor of the First Methodist church of Fort Scott. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mrs. W. H. McCamish, State chairman of the Correct Use of the Flag. Mrs. Effie Havens Johnson led the assemblage in singing one verse of the National Anthem. Mrs. Loren E. Rex, Vice Regent, led in the repeating of the American's Creed. Greetings from the Hostess chapter were extended by Mrs. Ladie Simonton and from the city by Mayor Harry Brooks. Response to the greetings by Mrs. Kirkpatrick. A vocal solo by Mrs. Edna Drake, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Hughes, was much enjoyed. Mrs. Pendleton then introduced Mrs. Becker, the speaker of the evening, who gave a splendid address on "National Defense." The Regent appointed the following committees:

Publicity: Mrs. J. F. Elden, Jr.
Mrs. J. Frank Imes
Mrs. Alice McDermott

Resolutions: Mrs. Garland Farrell
Mrs. Jonathan B. Carter
Miss Edith Chesney
Miss Louise Scott
Miss Adelaide Morse

The colors were retired and the processional followed. This lovely program was followed by a reception also at

the Scottish Rite Temple. We regret that Mrs. Becker could not remain with us for the reception and the remainder of the conference.

TUESDAY MORNING

March 27, 1934

The session was called to order by the Regent. Miss Kate B. Miles, State Chaplain, read the 13th Chapter of First Corinthians and offered prayer. 'The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mrs. McCamish, State Chairman, Correct Use of the Flag. A partial report of the Credential committee was given by Mrs. James Wharton King, Corresponding Secretary, as follows:

Total Registration	126
National Officers	3
State Officers	10
Chapter Regents	20
Delegates	54
Alternates	10
Visitors	29

The minutes of the 35th conference and the Board of Management were read by the Recording Secretary, both of which were accepted. Mrs. Farrell, chairman of the Resolutions Committee read the Rules of the conference.

At this time the distinguished members were presented. Mrs. Guernsey, Honorary President General, N. S. D. A. R., Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Vice President General, and Mrs. W. E. Stanley, Past Vice President General, and all three of these Daughters are Past State Regents of Kansas. Mrs. Kirkpatrick gave a short review of her year's work and Mrs. Stanley in her greeting stated that she was present at the first state conference in Kansas in 1899. She was the only one present who had this distinction. The yearly reports of the Vice Regent, Chaplain, Recording Secretary, Treasurer, Registrar, Historian, Librarian, Auditor, and Corresponding Secretary were then offered. Mrs. Berger, the Registrar reported 46 Chapters with 2358 members in Kansas, one new Chapter, Nathan Hale, of Clay Center had been instituted and the Jacob Blaine Chapter of Stockton has been disbanded. Miss Seelye, the Treasurer, reported:

Total Receipts	\$4,174.79
Total Disbursements	3,949.89
Cash in General Fund	3,535.23

Following the Librarian's report, Mrs. Guernsey presented, in behalf of Mrs. Lura Ballard Nordyke, a book entitled "Old Homesteads and Historic Buildings" to the library of the Kansas Daughters. This book was given in honor of Mrs. Nordyke's Mother and a complete history of same is printed in the conference proceedings. Mrs. Rex, Vice Regent, then occupied the chair while the Regent gave her report. This was certainly an inspirational report and was greatly enjoyed. The following motion was made by Mrs. Don Carlos of the Betty Washington Chapter of Lawrence:

Moved; That we have one hundred copies of the State Regent's report mimeographed and sent to the Chapter Regents, State Officers, and committee chairman for communication to their chapters and friends.

We paused here for Mrs. Edna Drake to sing "Spring Is Here" in her usual charming manner.

The reports of the committee chairmen were then read and accepted. These are published in the conference proceedings. Following the report of Mrs. Reese, chairman on National Defense, Mrs. Guernsey suggested a rising vote of thanks to Mrs. Pendleton for the years of faithful service which she gave as chairman of this committee and her untiring loyalty and service in its behalf. Following the report of Mrs. Elden, Jr., chairman of Publicity, it was announced that the Topeka Chapter has not missed sending in a clipping to State and National in the past seven years, a truly remarkable record. Following the report of Mrs. Dickinson, chairman of Genealogical Research, she presented to Mrs. Pendleton a "Genealogy of Early Kansas Settlers" Volume No. 1, so Mrs. Pendleton might present it to the National D. A. R. Library in honor of Mrs. Kirkpatrick under whose term of office these blanks and information were collected.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Immediately following the noon recess, Mrs. Pendleton displayed the gavel in use, stating that it was made from a board used in the house where the first white child was born in Fort Scott, nearly one hundred years ago. A letter was read from Miss Helen and Mr. Kieth Cox, brother and sister of Miss Nettie Cox, our recently deceased historian, in which they expressed their appreciation of the marker, the dedicatory services and the thought. A letter then was read from Mrs. Lois Bailey, regent of the Henry Dawson

chapter of McPherson, withdrawing their invitation to entertain the 1935 conference. The State Regent set aside the regular order of business at this time and called for the Regent's report of the General Edward Hand chapter of Ottawa, following which in behalf of her chapter, she extended an invitation for the 1935 conference.

Several telegrams from civic clubs of Ottawa endorsing the invitation were read. Mrs. Guernsey moved that we accept the invitation. This being the home chapter of our State Regent, a goodly number of their members were present as a testimony of the high esteem they feel for Mrs. Pendleton, who served them as Regent for ten years. Mrs. W. H. McCamish, Regent of the James Ross chapter of Kansas City, Kansas, then invited the 1936 conference and several letters from there were read. Miss Scott of Olathe moved an acceptance of the invitation. The reports of the chapter regents were then read. Many of them show a marked improvement and all show a growing interest in the work. At four o'clock business was suspended for the day and the following Memorial Service, under the direction of Miss Miles, the State Chaplain, Miss Pollock, State Historian, and Mrs. Pendleton were given.

Call to Remembrance	Mrs. Pendleton
Scripture and Prayer	Miss Miles
Vocal Duet—	
“Lest We Forget”	Mrs. John C. Hill
	Mrs. L. A. Tonnies
Roll Call	Miss Pollock
Vocal Solo—“A Memory”	Mrs. John C. Hill
Benediction	Miss Miles
Taps	

As the name of each deceased member was called, a Page placed an Easter lily in a wreath of green ferns, and the regent or representative of the chapter to which the deceased belonged, stood in her memory.

TUESDAY EVENING

At 6:45 Tuesday evening the outstanding social event of the conference was staged. In the lovely dining hall of the First Presbyterian church, the hostess chapter gave a banquet for all visiting daughters and many friends. The decorations were carried out in the gold and brown forming a “Sunflower Trail.” Yellow tapers in gorgeous silver candleabra were at regular intervals on the tables and the menu cards and menu voiced the same color scheme. The various

favors given by the Fort Scott citizens, were emblematic of that city's enterprises. Mrs. L. W. Richardson, pianist, and Bobbie Richardson at the Xylophone played "The Stars and Stripes Forever" followed by the invocation by Mrs. Etta Lindley. A tap dance given by Lucille Kells and Bobbie Richardson was cleverly executed as was the Xylophone solo and tap dance by Bobbie Richardson. A wedding Dress Revue, supervised by Mrs. A. F. Ries, was given and wedding gowns of 1838-1860-1888 and on down to the present were modeled by Fort Scott young ladies. Mrs. W. W. Patterson, regent of the hostess chapter acted as toast mistress, giving a talk on "What Nobody Knows," reminding the guests of the historic spots and celebrities who claim Fort Scott as home. She then introduced Mrs. Pendleton who talked on "What Everybody Knows" and in her usual forceful manner caused us to forget our light, joyous mood of the evening with her admonitions of our care for the future. She voiced her creed that the heart of America is still sound and youth must carry on and preserve our land. Dr. B. W. Young, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, then gave the principal address of the evening on "What Everybody Should Know" and words can hardly express the magnitude of this speech. He quoted that section of the constitution relative to free speech and freedom of the press and brought to our notice how this has been abused. He issued the hope that our song "America, the Beautiful," would never be but a memory and closed with the words from Kipling—

"Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet
Lest we forget, lest we forget."

WEDNESDAY MORNING

Session opened by repeating the Lord's Prayer and singing one verse of "America." Minutes of previous day were read. Mrs. Gilbert Blatchley of Fort Scott was granted a point of privilege at this time. She announced that thru a press error the list of deceased members intended to be used in connection with the Memorial service write-up, was placed with the registration in the Monday's Tribune. Following this in behalf of the family of Mrs. Helen Stanley Tiffany, an aunt of Mrs. Blatchley's, and the last real granddaughter of the Molly Berry Foster chapter, she presented to that chapter the large flag and standard which we had used at the conference. At the time of Mrs. Tiffany's

death, she had several supplemental papers in Washington for verification. The sum returned from these papers was used to purchase the flag. The final report of the Credential committee was as follows:

Total Registration	168
National Officers	2
State Officers	10
Chapter Regents	23
Delegates	61
Alternates	14
Visitors	57
Voting Strength	101

Four chapters failed to send reports on credentials.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick nominated Mrs. W. E. Stanley, Past Vice President General, for the office of Honorary Vice President General, subject to the election at the National Congress in April. Mrs. Stanley then thanked the conference for this endorsement. As the Lois Warner chapter of Junction City had not reported on credentials but had a delegate present Mrs. Guernsey moved that this delegate be allowed to vote. Mrs. F. T. Barteldes of the Betty Washington chapter at Lawrence moved that the State Regent appoint a committee to consider co-operation with the Douglas County Old Settlers Association for the formation of an association for the erection of a suitable monument to the pioneers of Kansas. Mrs. Kirkpatrick made the motion that the Board be empowered to purchase a State and D. A. R. banner to be used in Conference processionals and Mrs. Guernsey amended the motion to read A State D. A. R. banner and a flag of uniform size. The report of the by-laws committee was read by Miss Helen Seelye and accepted. Miss Seelye then read the suggested By-Laws and following a section by section discussion and with some minor changes, Mrs. Seelye moved that the By-Laws as a whole be accepted. The By-Laws, accepted are printed in the proceedings. Mrs. Guernsey moved that the conference purchase a copy of Roberts Rules of Order and Recording Secretary be responsible for same. Mrs. Ferrell as chairman of the Resolutions Committee gave the final report, copy of which is printed in proceedings. Mrs. Pendleton appointed Mrs. C. R. Miller, Mrs. Don Carlos, and Miss Helen Seelye as a committee to act on the advisability of purchasing a book plate for the Kansas D. A. R. The

Flag Award was made to the Peleg Gorton Chapter at Winfield. The 36th Annual Conference then adjourned to reconvene at Ottawa in March, 1935.

Respectfully submitted,
ADELAIDE C. LAIRD,
Recording Secretary.

REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE KANSAS D. A. R.

Fort Scott, Kansas, March 28, 1934.

The Committee on Resolutions recommends to the 36th Annual Conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution in the State of Kansas, in session at Fort Scott, Kansas, March 26, 27, and 28, 1934, the following resolutions:

That we express our sincere appreciation to the hostess, Molly Foster Berry Chapter, for the cordial hospitality extended to the officers, delegates, and guests.

That we thank the Chapter Regent, Mrs. Walter B. Patterson, also Mrs. Ladie Simonton, for cordial greetings from the hostess chapter, and the Mayor of Fort Scott, Mr. Harry Brooks, for his welcome in behalf of the city.

We wish to thank Mrs. Effie Havens Johnson, Mrs. Edna Drake, Mrs. John Hill, Mrs. L. A. Tonnies, and their accompanists, Mrs. G. D. Bates and Mrs. Leah Drake Hughes, for their delightful music, also Miss Mildred Wiggin of Otega, Kansas, for the pleasing piano solo. Also do we thank Mrs. L. W. Richardson, Miss Lucille Kells and Mrs. A. F. Reis for their pleasing entertainment, also the buglers, Donald Casner and Bobby Richardson, also the pages for their helpful services, and the Boy Scouts for their many attentions and courtesies.

That we thank the Rev. R. O. Penick for his spiritual invocation at the formal opening of the Conference, and the Rev. W. B. Young for his masterly address.

We wish to thank the Fort Scott Tribune for the generous amount of space they have given to our Conference.

Resolved, that the Corresponding Secretary send a note of appreciation to our National Chairman of National Defense, Mrs. William A. Becker, for her delightful visit and instructing and inspiring address.

Resolved, that greetings be sent to Mrs. Robert Bruce Campbell and Miss Catherine Campbell, Honorary State Regents.

Resolved, that we express our appreciation to Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey, Mrs. W. E. Stanley and Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick for their helpful presence.

Resolved, that the Corresponding Secretary send courtesy thanks to the Topeka Capital and the Wichita Eagle for the advance publicity given to this Conference.

Whereas, Radio Station WIBW has accorded the Kansas Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, the privileges of its broadcasting facilities on three occasions, and

Whereas, Radio Station KFKI has accorded the Kansas Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, the privilege of its broadcasting facilities on one occasion, be it

Resolved, that the thanks and appreciation of the Kansas State Conference be extended to these Radio Stations for their courtesy and cooperation.

Whereas, Socialist advocates have been trying for more than a quarter of a century to incorporate their political theories into the laws of our land, and

Whereas, said theories are inimical to the principles of government defined in the Constitution of the United States, and

Whereas, said advocates have repeatedly stated in effect that those they could not convert to socialist philosophy they would bewilder with legislative proposals offered under the guise of humanitarianism, social and political reform and world peace, and

Whereas, it appears that their success in confusing public opinion is growing to the degree that real patriotism is termed rebellion and sedition patriotism, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we encourage every community within the scope of our influence to employ every means possible; public speakers, class rooms, women's clubs, civic clubs, business and professional organizations; to promote a more general understanding of and respect for the Constitution of the United States.

Whereas: The proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States, giving Congress power, "to limit, regulate and prohibit the labor of persons under 18 years of age," again is being presented to the State Legislature for ratification, and

Whereas, We believe that such a grant of power inimical to our established principles of government and an unwarranted interference in the function of the home and the liberty of individuals, therefore be it

Resolved: That the 36th Annual Conference of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution in Kansas, go on record as opposing this amendment, and be it further

Resolved: That we respectfully urge the Kansas Legislature to take no action towards its ratification.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN B. FERRELL
(Mrs. Garland P.)
MISS EDITH CHESNEY
MRS. JONATHAN B. CARTER
ADELAIDE MORSE
MISS LOUISE SCOTT

REPORT OF STATE REGENT

Year Ending March 1, 1934

Fort Scott, Kansas

Madam State Vice Regent, Members of the 36th Conference, National Officers and Distinguished Guests:

No state Regent has ever come before a Conference with more profound gratitude to those who have contributed to the year's success nor with more eagerness to have all share with her the joy and pride which come with worthwhile achievements, than that with which I come before you this morning.

The State of Kansas is not so old but that it is still our privilege to hear from their own lips the stories of many of the old settlers who survived the hardships of pioneer days and implanted their heroic, self-sacrificing spirit in those who came after them.

Emulating this spirit, Kansas chapters have carried on, despite obstacles that might have paralyzed effort had it not been for the firm conviction that our work was worth while, our cause just.

From the day I was solemnly sworn into office, on the platform of Constitution Hall, made into a veritable fairyland with gorgeous flowers, pretty frocks and happy faces, outglamouring all of which were the beloved blue and white ribbons officially pinned on our shoulders, symbolic, I sup-

pose, of the burdens that from henceforth rested there, I have tried to give you the full measure of service I promised when you honored me with election to this high office.

Two days before I was invested with this ribbon, it was my happy privilege to place in nomination for Vice President General our retiring State Regent, Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick. I am sure you were all gratified when you heard of her election and the additional honor conferred upon Kansas by the National Society. Few states have the honor of having supplied a President General and few the additional distinction of having four members living who have held the office of Vice President General. The insignia of her office was conferred upon Mrs. Kirkpatrick in the same ceremonial to which I have referred, immediately after she had taken this ribbon from her own shoulder and placed it on mine.

If time permitted I should like nothing better than to read you the detailed account of my comings and goings as State Regent since that day, the chapter meetings where I have carried the message of the Society and explained the work of each National Committee, the delightful luncheons, the beautiful flowers, the hospitable homes where I have been entertained and the many, many other courtesies that have been extended me, all of which I am writing in detail in my "Memory Book" for my own pleasure in future years.

But time does not permit and I can give you only an outline of my activities which include visits and addresses to 16 chapters, two district meetings, one radio address, three formal addresses to outside organizations, several trips to Shawnee Mission, a meeting with the State Officers at the home of our State Treasurer, many other small trips in the pursuance of the duties of the office and three meetings with the National Board of Management—two in Washington and one in Chicago.

The meetings of the National Board are always preceded by the Regent's Council, an informal meeting with the President General and National Officers. These meetings are most interesting and helpful and I think I may safely say I have contributed my share to the discussions, bearing in mind I am there to represent my state, and guarding most carefully your interests.

Also on each trip to Washington I have visited the National Offices in the Administration Building, securing information you have requested or that I need for my own and the State's benefit. Of course I always visit the marvelously interesting offices of the National Defense Committee, also the Magazine editor's office. Through Mrs.

Edith Regier, I have secured a beautiful picture of our State Capitol which I am taking with me next month for the Magazine and which will appear on the cover in March, 1935.

At the request of the Treasurer General, early in May, I sent letters to all chapters urging them to give all possible assistance to members who on account of closed banks or other financial difficulties would be unable to meet their dues at the required time. I am happy to say that in our entire chapter membership only 64 have been dropped for non-payment of dues. You have heard the net loss in State membership from other causes in the State Registrar's report and when you heard the State Treasurer's report, I am sure you all rejoiced with me that we had 150 more dues paid by March 1st this year than on the same date last year.

Following instructions from the 35th Conference, I purchased an official D. A. R. insignia, complete in every detail, for the grave of Miss Nettie Cox. Simple dedicatory services were held when Betty Bonney and Peleg Gorton joined Wellington chapter at Wellington for their annual Tri-City Flag Day meeting. As I was in Chicago attending the June meeting of the National Board, my place was ably filled at the dedication by our State Registrar, Mrs. Berger.

June 14th, with the National Board, I was the guest of the Illinois Daughters at A Century of Progress Exposition. The hospitality included a tour of the grounds, a visit to our D. A. R. headquarters in the Social Science building, luncheon, tea and a lecture at the Planetarium. I shall make no attempt to describe the colorful parade in which Kansas was represented by Mrs. Kirkpatrick and myself and my daughter carrying the Kansas banner, the dedication of the Federal Building with our President General, Mrs. Magna, making an inspiring Flag Day address, except to say that it was a Red Letter day in the history of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, and has been duly recorded in the Magazine.

Next to holding our membership, paramount to all other business of the National Society, is the self imposed task of paying off the debt on Constitution Hall, in order to relieve ourselves of the tremendous interest burden, thus releasing that amount of money for other worthy purposes.

I wish to express my heartfelt thanks to the chapters for their generous response to this call for help. \$240 was raised from the birthday parties (not so much as the President's birthday ball yielded, but we have the satisfaction of

thinking that the promoters of the ball got their idea from us) and the pledge I made for you at Congress of \$200 in honor of our retiring State Regent has been paid and approved by the Board of management.

In all my general letters I have stressed the importance of keeping up your membership, helping pay the debt on Constitution Hall, giving aid to the elementary schools sponsored by our Society and the opportunities for service along lines that require more time and effort than money.

The old settlers' blanks, Bible, marriage, church, and cemetery records and many other articles of pioneer history, a total of 1988 pages, reported by the Genealogical Records committee attest the earnest work you have done and will be invaluable to future seekers after ancestral data.

The report of the State Chairman of Preservation of Historic Spots including Old Trails, reads like a story book—Indian history, old settlers, pony express riders, famous men and women—all are woven into the story of the locating and marking of historic spots and old trails, and the making of maps worth their weight in gold to future generations.

We are going to hear from all the State Chairmen this morning. Each has her special message for you and I am sure there is not a chapter in the state that will not say of one or more projects presented "We can do that." I am sure you will find satisfaction in the service required and joy in doing it together.

Just as parents never find the load too heavy to carry when they believe that reaching their destination with it will mean happiness for their children, so, we, Daughters of the American Revolution, do not regret the time, effort and sacrifice we make to carry our burdens for we know that the next generation will reap the benefit of what we have sown.

Another need of our Society is young members. The time is going to come when we older ones shall wish to lay down the gavel, put away the typewriter and simply look on. We shall do so with no misgivings for the future of our organization if there are plenty of younger women, D. A. R. minded and properly trained, to take our places and carry on. One chapter has between 30 and 40 eligible young women on its list of prospective members. Three other large chapters are making such lists and trying in various ways to interest these girls in the Daughters of the American Revolution and its worthy objectives.

I have been impressed by the number of State organizations that have their contributions to the National, State,

Merchant Marine, American Seamen's Friend and other libraries, beautifully marked with their own bookplates. We want one for Kansas and plans are underway for that achievement, next year.

Three thousand copies of the little leaflet we had printed, "What the Constitution Means to You," have been distributed to school children, teachers, business and professional men, club women and wherever even the most casual interest could be aroused in their reading.

I have promptly answered all requests for information on how to become a member, and have sent the leaflet, "What the Daughters Do" with my letters of information.

One new Chapter, Nathan Edson at Clay Center, completed its formation within the year. As I was visiting chapters in the southern part of the state at the time it was organized, my place in the ceremonial was most efficiently filled by the State Treasurer, Miss Seelye, who also explained the work of the various committees.

Articles have been written on request for the National Publicity Bulletin, and Daughters of the American Revolution Magazine.

Linking together all these activities of the State Regent is the endless chain of letter writing. It is not unusual for me to write more than 100 letters within a month. I mention this that you may be patient if your letter is not answered immediately, for I do this without help and sometimes my mail accumulates faster than I can answer it. Owing to reduced train service to my post office I have often made a 25 mile round trip to Ottawa in order to mail answers to letters that required them by return mail. I assure you every letter I receive is most welcome and I trust my reply brings you satisfaction for it is always my pleasure to serve you in any way I can.

There is much I would say to you this morning—commending your tireless service and unflinching loyalty the past year. There is much I would say to clarify the duties that lie ahead. But to a group of women so rich in experience and high ideals, commendation seems superfluous and admonition presumptuous.

We have consecrated ourselves to the safe-guarding of American ideals and institutions, to defending our birth-right of American citizenship. Whether we are over-zealous in these activities or whether our fears are groundless that our cherished liberties are in danger of being supplanted by mis-called social and political reforms, time will tell. But believing them far too precious a heritage to be subjected to chance, I urge you to stand fast in the faith that

the Constitution of the United States is the fairest governmental support the Ten Commandments and the Sermon on the Mount have ever had, and to radiate from your own clear conception of its value, sentiments that are bound to be respected.

Some one has said we are living in an age of swiftly changing ideas; that never before in the history of man has the mind been called upon to consider so many swiftly changing issues. Be that as it may, we should never lose sight of the fact that while issues are changing fundamental principles remain the same. From the rules of human conduct to the governments of nations those which are based on the inexorable laws of God are safe guides for today and tomorrow the same as they were for yesterday.

The words change and progress are not synonymous, the author of that illuminating book, "Sinister Shadows," explains them thus: "Progress implies change but change does not necessarily imply progress. There are both change and progress in the process of graduation from greenness to ripeness in fruit. From ripeness to decay there is change but not progress."

Let us sow our seed on ground proved by the acid test of experience to be sweet and fertile and waste it not on the rocky heights above nor the treacherous swamps below. I have no fear of being accused of standing still or of being passed by. I much prefer to stand on the slowly moving escalator of progress than to run pell mell with the madding crowd toward confusion and decay.

A few years ago when the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, began exposing the sinister efforts to undermine our system of government, nobody liked to take us seriously. The popular idea was that if we "laughed them off" no harm would be done. In vain did we quietly quote the defeatists themselves: "Those we cannot convert we shall bewilder." In that their success has been colossal. Public opinion is being confused to the degree that real patriotism is termed rebellion and sedition patriotism.

We are Daughters of the American Revolution but we may have to assume the role of Mothers of America. And we all know it is Mother who maintains order in the household and sends forth both husband and children to their daily work nourished by her wise counsel and fortified by her faith. We are but a small unit of a great purpose but I am sure that reverence for those who have gone before and deep concern for those who will come after us will fortify

us to continue our efforts toward the perpetuation of the principles upon which America was developed.

In this Holy Week, which means everything to the Christian world, let us dedicate ourselves anew to God, Home and Country and trust that the blessed Easter will be symbolic of the resurrection of all that is good.

(Signed) GENEVIEVE LINGARD PENDLETON,
Mrs. Edward Poston Pendleton, State Regent.

REPORT OF VICE REGENT

With a State Regent so efficient my duties as Vice Regent have not been arduous. It was my pleasure however to accompany Mrs. Kirkpatrick to Independence in October where we met our State Regent and other officers and were entertained at luncheon and attended a very interesting meeting of Esther Lowery Chapter. Their little Chapter house is a gem. Being house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guernsey is a joy always to be remembered.

A little later in October Mrs. Berger and I drove with Mrs. Reese to Mankato to attend the Sixth District Conference with Desire Tobey Sears Chapter hostess. We had an interesting and very happy day. On this same trip we were beautifully entertained by Abilene Chapter and Mrs. Seelye and her good daughters had all of us as house guests. I believe this delightful gathering was called a Board meeting, the remembrance of which is a joy forever.

At home in Wichita we think we are about to organize a lovely new third chapter.

MRS. LOREN EDGAR REX,
Vice Regent.

REPORT OF RECORDING SECRETARY

As your recording secretary, I have tried to attend to the duties of that office as prescribed by our By-Laws to the best of my ability. Am hoping that the second year will be a more successful year. With the endorsement of the printing committee I had the stationery for the officers and committee chairmen printed and mailed to each of them. Have

tried to answer each letter or inquiry promptly. Sent the report blanks to each Chapter Regent and to the committee chairmen one month preceding state conference. Enjoyed the hospitality of the State Treasurer and her mother and sister at a house party in Abilene in October and the Tea given by the Abilene Chapter at the same time.

Respectfully submitted,

ADELAIDE C. LAIRD,
Recording Secretary.

REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

As Corresponding Secretary of the Kansas Daughters of the American Revolution, I submit the following report:

All correspondence pertaining to the office has received careful attention. Files have been kept of all Chapter Officers in the State, and of all Chapter Chairmen as I have received them from lists sent by Regents or from Year Books.

On January 17, 1934, a letter was sent to all Chapter Regents, stating time and place of Conference and enclosing Information Blanks and Credential Blanks. Forty-three Information Blanks and forty-two Credential Blanks have been returned to me. In April, 1933, a complete File of Information Blanks, showing all Chapter officers in the State, was sent to the Organizing Secretary General in Washington.

I attended two District meetings, one at Columbus and one at Mankato. I have also made several other trips over the State, with our State Regent, in the interest of the D. A. R.

I desire to express appreciation for the many courtesies extended to me as State Secretary by the Chapters and their members.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. J. W. KING,
Corresponding Secretary, Kansas D. A. R.

REPORT OF REGISTRAR

Madam State Regent, National Officers, State Officers and Members of the 36th Annual State Conference:

As State Registrar, I wish to submit the following report of changes in membership during the year, March 1, 1933, to March 1, 1934:

Number of Chapters in Kansas March 1, 1933	46
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New members admitted by the National Board	71
By transfer from other states	7
By transfer from membership at large	14
Reinstatements	10
Members received into at-large membership	1
Total increase	103
The decrease has been:	
Through decease of members	28
By transfer to other states	13
By transfer to membership at-large	6
Dropped for non-payment of dues	64
Losses in at-large membership	18
Resignations	176
Total loss in state	305
Membership at-large, March 1, 1934	26
Total membership March 1, 1933	2560
Total membership March 1, 1934	2358
Net loss in state during the past year	202

The chapter making the highest percentage of increase in membership was the Peleg Gorton Chapter of Winfield. This chapter has the honor of winning the annual Flag Award, having gained twenty and seven-tenths percent in membership. This is the third time the Peleg Gorton chapter has won the Flag Award. Nine chapters in the state report an increase in membership during the year. Five chapters have held their own, having the same number of members as at this time last year. One new chapter, Nathan Edson at Clay Center, has organized during the year. One small chapter, Jacob Blaine at Stockton, has disbanded.

We are very proud of the chapters that have increased their membership, and those that have held their own. Our new chapter, Nathan Edson, at Clay Center deserves a special word of praise as they have worked hard to organize and under conditions few of us have ever known before.

In 1931 your past State Registrar, Mrs. Gilson, established the State Card File which consisted of all changes in chapter membership since March 1, 1931. Last summer it was decided to include in the State File the names of all present members of the Kansas Society. In July and August, 1933, letters were mailed to all chapter registrars asking them to send in a complete list, with the necessary information for

the State File, for all present members of their chapter who were admitted prior to March 1, 1931. I am most happy to report that replies have been received from every chapter in the state. All but one of the chapters have sent in the necessary information, and I hope to receive this report soon.

Every chapter registrar deserves a great deal of credit for her work and co-operation in completing the State File. The first chapter with a membership of over fifty that responded to this request was the Topeka Chapter, Mrs. D. C. Caldwell, Registrar. Within one week from the date the request was mailed Mrs. Caldwell sent in the list and complete data on one hundred sixty-eight members. The first chapter with less than fifty members to report was Baxter Springs, Mrs. P. C. King, Registrar. Mrs. King's report on seventeen members was received four days after the request had been mailed. The General Edward Hand Chapter of Ottawa, Mrs. A. C. Carpenter, Registrar, sent in the necessary data typed on the regulation cards and ready to be placed in the State File. It is needless for me to say that this was deeply appreciated.

The request for the data for the State File asked for the necessary information on present members only, but I am pleased to report that seventeen chapters sent in complete data for all members from the date their chapter was organized. Newton Chapter, organized in 1904, and with a present membership of seventy-three, Mrs. H. J. Sprinker, Registrar, was the oldest chapter that sent in complete data from date of organization.

The General Edward Hand Chapter of Ottawa and the Courtney Spalding Chapter of Russell installed chapter card files during the past year, making a total of seventeen chapters that are now using this system. The Esther Lowrey Chapter of Independence has voted to install a card file, and several others plan to install this system during the present year.

Approximately two hundred letters and seventy-five post cards have been written in carrying on the work during the year. One thousand three hundred sixty-nine, of the approximate four thousand cards that will comprise the State Card File, have been typed. Several letters of instruction concerning the installing of chapter card index files have been written in answer to inquiries from chapter registrars. All letters asking for genealogical assistance have been answered and I am always pleased to give any information possible when called upon. It has been impossible to fur-

nish the desired data to all asking for assistance, but the necessary information has been furnished for at least six new D. A. R. lines during the year.

I deeply appreciate the co-operation of every chapter registrar, and trust that next year I shall be able to make a more encouraging report on our membership. While the past year has been a very busy one, I have enjoyed every minute I have given to the work and it has been a pleasure to serve you as your registrar.

Respectfully submitted,
RUTH LORRIS BERGER,
Mrs. A. J. Berger, Registrar, Kansas D. A. R.

REPORT OF THE STATE HISTORIAN AND CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE ON HISTORICAL RESEARCH

We received this year from the Historian General and National Chairman of Research a printed outline for Historical Work for 1933-34, with circular letter. These pamphlets were sent to each of the forty-six Chapters.

We also received and sent to each Chapter with an enclosed letter a printed questionnaire, relative to the teaching of American History and Civil Government in both Private and Public Schools in the State. These questionnaires were compiled by the National Research committee. Twenty-three filled out and returned the questionnaires, eighteen were received by January first and were sent to the Historian General with additional information.

We sent out a total of 110 letters.

We received from 23 Chapters Year Books from which we secured almost all of our information for our report.

We received from Adelaide Morse, a record of the History of Emporia Chapter from December, 1927, to August, 1933. Also Biographies of the Chapter Regents since that date.

Received from Mollie Claude Huston a lineage of members of Peleg Chapter, Winfield. Also History of the Chapter for 1931 to 1934.

Received from Jennie Seelye, Chairman, a copy of the State By-Laws as revised by her committee.

We also prepared and sent to the National Chairman of Historical Research of the N. S. D. A. R. a report of the work done by the Chapters in connection with the outline for Historical Work for 1933-34.

The Chapters sending yearly reports: Olathe, Emporia, Phebe Dustin Chapter, Phillipsburg; Uvedale Chapter, Hutchinson.

- 4 Chapters celebrated Constitution Day.
- 8 Chapters report programs on some parts of the Constitution.
- 2 Chapters Radio programs.
- 6 Chapters National Defense programs.
- 16 Chapters celebrated Flag Day.
- 1 Chapter Flag Lessons at each meeting.
- 2 Chapters Patriotic programs.
- 3 Chapters Correct Use of the Flag.
- 5 Chapters Century of Progress.
- 13 Chapters celebrated George Washington's birthday.
- 1 Chapter celebrated Washington's and Lincoln's birthdays.
- 1 Chapter a Paper on Lincoln and Ludwig.
- 1 Chapter a Program honoring G. A. R., S. A. R., C. A. R.
- 3 Chapters Program on Ellis Island.
- 1 Chapter Program National Recovery Act.
- 3 Chapters Program on Constitution Hall.
- 5 Chapters Program Approved Schools and Americanism.
- 3 Chapters Better Films.
- 4 Chapters Student Loan Fund.
- 1 Chapter used the Study Program as Outlined.
- 1 Chapter Paper on Filing and Lending Bureau.
- 1 Chapter, 4 Essays: (Prairie Fire) (1 on "The Life of Kansas Pioneers").
- 3 Chapters Pioneer Day programs.
- 1 Chapter a Memorial Day program.
- 1 Chapter Six programs from Article National Republic.
- 3 Chapters D. A. R. Magazine Review.
- 9 Chapters Items of interest from Kansas:
 - 1 Chapter a Paper on "Pike's Journey Through Kansas").
 - and Paper, "Old Government Trail from Fort Leavenworth to Fort Dodge."
 - Kansas Legislative Council.
 - Kansas Famous Women.
 - Kansas Songs.
 - Kansas on Cash Basis
 - Our Kansas Ancestors.
 - Territorial Kansas.
 - Who's Who in Kansas.
 - Natural Beauty Spots.
 - Kansas Resources.
 - Minneola, Early Day Capitol of Kansas.
 - Early History of Winfield.
- 1 Chapter report each meeting "Items of Interest from National Committees.
- 1 Chapter Programs of Colonial Days.
- 1 Chapter Book Review "The Border."
- Captain Jesse Chapter, Leavenworth, gave a History Medal.
- Henry Dawson Chapter, McPherson, Gift Box for Mountain School.
- Oceanic Hopkins Chapter, Pittsburg, Contribution for Constitution Hall.
- Phebe Dustin Chapter, a Medal for Excellence in History. Also high school contest. Shower for Ellis Island. Have accomplished a great deal in Historical Research of their own County.
- Olathe Chapter, Olathe. Best Essay on Revolutionary Topics to Senior Olathe high school. Six Historical Papers written and

read at the Chapter meetings. Planted Hard Maple trees in Olathe Cemetery to Memory of Departed Daughters, to be dedicated this Memorial Day. Sponsored a Pilgrimage to Shawnee Mission Memorial State Park September 20. This Pilgrimage to be an Annual Affair on third Wednesday in September by the D. A. R.

Emporia Chapter, Emporia, continued work on Scrap Book; amount expended \$8.50. Prize offer to pupils of eighth grade rural county school for School Histories, \$5.00. A map compiled and framed with short Historic Sketches of county for period of 1854 to 1880. Also smaller map and same Historic Sketches sent to National Library at Washington, cost \$13.90. Work continued Geneological Records of Early Settlers in county cost, \$1.25. Total, \$28.65.

Uvedale Chapter, Hutchinson:

Student Loan Fund	\$ 2.00
Martha Berry School	5.00
Kate Duncan School	10.00
Boy Scouts	2.50
Girl Scouts	2.50
Pinehurst Cottage (Local home for girls who are wards of the Court)	5.00
Milk Fund for Under Nourished School Children	5.00
	\$32.00

Also gave \$36.00 worth of garments through our Conservation and Thrift Committee.

Report Atchison Chapter, Atchison—

\$10.00 in prizes to Junior high school for best grade in History. \$500 to Highland College, Highland, Kansas, Doniphan County. \$5.00 to Seaman's Library Fund.

Observed Memorial Day, May 30th.

Defense and Constitution Day, September 16th.

Luncheon honoring Charter Members, October 7th, with reading on Yorktown.

Mrs. Magna's Birthday, November 4. Collected \$3.00.

4 D. A. R. Magazines taken by Chapter Members.

Had Flag Lesson every month.

Bundle of Magazines and Papers to C. C. C.

Camp near Sugar Lake, Buchanan County, Missouri.

Celebrated Washington's Birthday, February 22nd.

\$7.00 worth of old gold for memory book.

Received from Mrs. Roger Wilcox a newspaper containing the account of Lincoln's death and burial. Said newspaper to be given to Shawnee Mission from Atchison Chapter.

No new members. One transfer from Mariposa Chapter, Phoenix, Arizona. (Miss Alice Smith.)

135 Lineage books, all lineage books except 2 and 5.

Have completed Chapter History.

Two Pioneer papers.

This being first year as State Historian and not being familiar with the work, she has compiled this report to the best of her knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,

IMOGENE POLLOCK,

State Historian

Chairman Committee on Historical Research.

REPORT OF STATE TREASURER, D. A. R.

March 1, 1933, to March 1, 1934

RECEIPTS

From Chapters—

Abilene:	
Dues	\$ 64.00
D. A. R. Library	6.10
State Library	5.00
Indian Institute	5.00
Kate Duncan Smith	5.00
Tamassee	5.00
Student Loan	5.00
Local Work	42.75
Arthur Barrett, Atchison:	
Dues	\$ 62.00
Constitution Hall	3.00
Merchant Marine Library	5.00
Local Work	10.00
Baxter Springs:	
Dues	\$ 12.00
Constitution Hall	5.00
Student Loan	5.00
Tamassee	5.00
Betty Bonney:	
Dues	\$ 62.00
Constitution Hall	6.00
Kate Duncan Smith	5.00
Tamassee	5.00
Student Loan	5.00
Betty Washington:	
Dues	\$121.00
Constitution Hall	25.00
Ellis Island	10.00
Kenmore	5.00
Tamassee	5.00
Local Scholarship Loan	100.00
Local Work	48.00
Captain Jesse, Leavenworth:	
Dues	\$ 47.00
Constitution Hall	5.00
Christiana Musser:	
Dues	\$ 21.00
Student Loan	5.00
Concordia:	
Dues	\$ 32.00
Constitution Hall	3.00
Ellis Island	1.35
Student Loan	2.50
Tamassee	5.00
Council Oak:	
Dues	\$ 34.00
Constitution Hall	5.00
Ellis Island	1.00

Courtney-Spalding:

Dues	\$ 26.00
D. A. R. Library	2.50
Indian Institute	2.00
Tamassee	2.50
Student Loan	5.50

Dana:

Dues	\$ 14.00
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Desire Tobey Sears:

Dues	\$ 56.00
Constitution Hall	9.14
Ellis Island	3.00
Crossnore	5.36
Student Loan	5.00

Dodge City:

Dues	\$ 38.00
D. A. R. Library	4.00
Crossnore	5.00
Student Loan	5.00

Emporia:

Dues	\$ 84.00
Constitution Hall	10.00
Ellis Island	5.00
Kate Duncan Smith	15.00
Tamassee	10.00
Student Loan	10.00
Local Work	38.75

Esther Lowrey:

Dues	\$100.00
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Eunice Sterling:

Dues	\$226.00
Constitution Hall	5.00
Ellis Island	5.00
Crossnore	25.00
Kate Duncan Smith	25.00
Student Loan	25.00
Local Work	10.00

Fort Larned:

Dues	\$ 24.00
Tamassee	5.00

Fort Supply Trail:

Dues (2 years)	\$ 24.00
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Frederick Funston:

Dues	\$ 24.00
Constitution Hall	3.20

General Edward Hand:

Dues	\$ 71.00
Constitution Hall	11.51
Ellis Island	10.00
Crossnore	5.00
Kate Duncan Smith	5.00
Tamassee	5.00
Merchant Marine Library	1.00
Student Loan	5.00
Local Work	10.00

Hannah Jameson:	
Dues	\$ 95.00
Constitution Hall	2.00
Henry Dawson:	
Dues	\$ 33.00
Constitution Hall	1.00
Student Loan	5.00
Tamassee	5.00
Isabella Weldin:	
Dues	\$ 25.00
D. A. R. Library	2.30
Student Loan	1.00
Jacob Blaine:	
Dues	\$ 5.00
James Ross:	
Dues	\$ 96.00
Constitution Hall	10.67
D. A. R. Library	10.00
Ellis Island	5.00
Indian Institute	5.00
Kate Duncan Smith	5.00
Tamassee	5.00
Student Loan	25.00
Local Work	75.00
Lois Warner:	
Dues	\$ 44.00
Student Loan	5.00
Local Work	13.35
Martha Vail:	
Dues	\$ 14.00
Constitution Hall	3.00
Per Capita: National Defense 2.11, Ellis Island, .42	2.53
Crossnore	5.00
Student Loan	5.00
Mary Wade Strother:	
Dues	\$ 59.00
Constitution Hall	2.05
Indian Institute	6.00
Student Loan	6.00
Molly Foster Berry:	
Dues	\$ 56.00
Nathan Edson:	
Dues	\$ 12.00
Neodesha:	
Dues	32.00
Constitution Hall	6.59
Ellis Island	1.08
Local Work	22.00
Newton:	
Dues	\$ 66.00
Constitution Hall	10.00
Ellis Island	5.00
Kate Duncan Smith	5.00
Tamassee	5.00
Student Loan	5.00

Oceanic Hopkins:

Dues	\$ 59.00
Constitution Hall	3.00
Student Loan	5.00
Local Student Loan	5.00

Olathe:

Dues	\$ 30.00
Constitution Hall	5.29
Indian Institute	2.00
Kate Duncan Smith	1.00
Tamassee	1.00
Student Loan	2.00

Peleg Gorton:

Dues	\$ 35.00
Constitution Hall	5.00
Crossnore	3.00
Kate Duncan Smith	3.00
Tamassee	3.00
Student Loan	3.50

Phebe Dustin:

Dues	\$ 30.00
Constitution Hall	1.00
Student Loan	10.00

Polly Ogden:

Dues	\$ 59.00
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Rhoda Carver Barton:

Dues	\$ 32.00
Constitution Hall	3.00
Student Loan	5.00

Samuel Linscott:

Dues	\$ 31.00
Constitution Hall	4.00
Indian Institute	2.00
Local Work	10.00

Sarah Steward:

Dues	\$ 22.00
Constitution Hall	1.00
Indian Institute	2.00
Kate Duncan Smith	1.00
Tamassee	1.00

Sterling:

Dues	\$ 24.00
Constitution Hall	6.00
Indian Institute	5.00
Student Loan	5.00

Susannah French Putney:

Dues	\$ 62.00
Constitution Hall	25.00
D. A. R. Library	7.00
Ellis Island	5.00
Indian Institute	5.00
Kate Duncan Smith	5.00
Tamassee	5.00
Student Loan	10.00

Topeka:

Dues	\$175.00
Constitution Hall	10.00
Per Capita: National Defense \$4.35; Manuals, \$2.90	7.25
Student Loan	10.00
Tamassee	10.00

Uvedale:

Dues	\$ 68.00
Constitution Hall	5.00
Kate Duncan Smith	10.00
Martha Berry	5.00
Student Loan	2.00
Local Work	15.00

Wellington:

Dues	\$ 48.00
Constitution Hall	2.30
D. A. R. Library40
Tamassee	5.00
Student Loan	5.00

Wichita:

Dues	\$ 40.00
Constitution Hall	35.00
Per Capita	12.90
Indian Institute	85.00
Kenmore	2.00
Student Loan	20.00
Local Work	22.00

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS

Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Refund—Entertainment of Pages	\$ 5.50
Interest, Student Loan Fund Notes	66.61
Payments, Student Loan Fund Notes	378.31

TOTAL RECEIPTS \$4,174.79

DISBURSEMENTS

To State Officers, 8 at \$12 each, Conference Expense	\$ 96.00
Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Allowance and Telephone Calls	251.55
Mrs. Lawrence, Secretary	6.52
Miss Chesney, Corresponding Secretary	7.50
Mrs. Gilson, Registrar	3.02
Miss Cox, Historian	7.35
Mrs. Klayder, Librarian	16.00
Miss Seelye, Treasurer	12.50
Mrs. Bixler, Chairman	8.00
Mrs. Bardo, Chairman	9.00
Miss Morse, Chairman	5.55
Mrs. Prager, Chairman	2.65
Mrs. Nix, Chairman	1.25
Mrs. Newton, Chairman	5.85
Mrs. Dickinson, Chairman	3.61
Mrs. King, Chairman	7.53
Mrs. Conley, Chairman	14.27
Mrs. Anderson, Chairman	6.00
Mrs. Hopson, Chairman	9.55
Mrs. Surface, Chairman	2.65
Miss Chesney, for Mrs. Robison	4.06

Council Grove Republican, Proceedings and Printing	135.97
Dodge City Journal, Conf. Programs, \$30; Printing, \$76.21	106.21
Warner Floral Co., Memorial Flowers, \$15.00; Basket for Mrs. Magna \$5.00	20.00
Flowers, Miss Cox Funeral	10.35
Anderson & Simmons, Accountants	15.00
Lora-Locke Hotel, Mrs. Moore's room and one-half Mrs. Magna's room	9.00
Flowers for Congress	25.00
Entertainment of Pages	25.00
Express on State Flag	2.17
Newman Bros., Memorial Tree Marker, \$25.00; Miss Cox's Marker, \$10.00	35.00
Mrs. Pendleton's Allowance and Miscellaneous Expense	501.24
Mrs. Laird, Secretary	5.68
Mrs. Berger, Registrar	10.41
Miss Pollock, Historian	5.17
Mrs. King, Corresponding Secretary	4.74
Mrs. Atkinson, Chairman	1.35
Mrs. Seelye, By-Laws Committee	8.68
Books, State Library	25.00
State Historical Society, Rooms at Shawnee Mission	71.70
Student Loan Fund Notes	660.00
Local Work of Chapters	432.85
Tax on Checks	2.50
Treasurer General—	
Constitution Hall	423.75
National Defense	292.50
Manuals	195.00
Ellis Island	108.85
Publicity	39.00
Tamassee	87.50
Kate Duncan Smith	85.00
Crossnore	48.36
American Indian Institute	43.00
Martha Berry	5.00
Merchant Marine Library	6.00
Kenmore	6.00

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$3,949.89
Cash on Hand 3-1-33	\$2,461.19
Cash Received	4,174.79
Checks Out	849.14
Total Disbursements	\$3,949.89
Balance in Bank	3,535.23

	\$7,485.12	\$7,485.12
Balance in General Fund		\$1,910.07
Balance in Student Loan Fund		689.10
Balance in D. A. R. Library Fund		51.27
Balance in State Library Fund		35.65

STATEMENT—STUDENT LOAN FUND		
Balance in Fund	\$	689.10
Notes Receivable		1,827.09
Total in Fund		\$2,516.19
Increase for Year		\$274.11

Respectfully submitted,
MARION SEELYE, Treasurer.

REPORT OF AUDITOR

To the Kansas Daughters of the American Revolution:

I have examined the beautifully kept records of Miss Marion Seelye, the State Treasurer, also the report of the Certified Accountant and find same to be correct.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSALIA H. ADAMS,
State Auditor.

REPORT OF STATE CHAPLAIN

The duty of the State Chaplain is to try to create by special study and the dissemination of friendliness, good will and cheer, an atmosphere of distinct spiritual nature which should be felt in every session of the state meeting.

She should hold herself ready to give advice to the various local Chapters in matters of spiritual nature. In answer to such a plea for help in a special Memorial service, sent by one of the local Chapters the present Chaplain wrote a tentative outline for such a service.

The main duty, however, is to conduct devotional services at every business session of the state meeting and under the direction of the State Historian, to conduct the annual Memorial Service in such a manner as to inspire hope and a renewal of joy in the hearts of those who mourn and also to do honor in a fitting way to those "whom we have loved and lost a while."

The chaplain recognizes to the full the rather narrow groove in which she moves as compared with the other state officers, but hopes, relying on Divine Guidance, to do her part to the very best of her ability and to show her undoubted loyalty to her D. A. R., her country and her God.

KATE B. MILES.

REPORT OF STATE LIBRARIAN AND CHAIRMAN OF N. S. D. A. R. LIBRARY

Following the request of our State Regent we are segregating our report this year, leaving to each Chapter the joy of telling us about the gifts they have made and the work they have done the past year. However, we feel it a privilege to say to you that our work has been a great pleasure; while not as voluminous as we should have wished we can see a growing interest in both the National and State Libraries.

The Kansas State D. A. R. Library continues to be one of the outstanding interests of the state work. Money, genealogical books; Bible, cemetery and court records have been added making this library very much worth while. We are completing the files of the D. A. R. Magazine for the use of the library and also assisting Chapters in the state who so desire, to complete their files.

We are gradually proving to the Chapters the importance of having each Chapter Librarian serve as chairman of the National Library committee. It is also our desire that the chairman of genealogical records work in conjunction with their Chapter Librarian, thus getting a check up on all this work to avoid duplication. At this time 45 Chapters have Librarians.

In accordance with a request sent out by the Librarian General we have asked each Chapter to have a book shower for the hospitals in their county. Several have responded. The most outstanding of which is the Neodesha Chapter. They placed a sectional book case with 112 books in the Wilson County Hospital, located in Neodesha.

Books have been sent to the American Merchant Marines, various approved schools and other sources.

The State Librarian is pleased that many Chapters have followed her suggestion and that the State D. A. R. Library has a bibliography of history and genealogy owned by so many D. A. R. in Kansas.

A book plate for Kansas D. A. R. is under consideration.

Two circular letters have been sent to each Chapter. Every letter of inquiry has been answered. We have looked up references, copied data and have helped many to add to their application papers.

The State D. A. R. Library has been visited by many interested parties, numerous loans have been made.

This year the State D. A. R. Library has received 24 Chapter Year Books, 23 valuable histories and genealogies, 4 manuscripts, Bible records from 38 sources, a good collection of cemetery and marriage records and \$30.00 in cash. We have made six purchases.

We have presented to the National D. A. R. Library 1 Historical Map, 4 valuable books which have long been on their want list, and \$51.27 in cash.

Respectfully submitted,
MARY TWYMAN KLAYDER,
(Mrs. Paul A.)

Kansas State Librarian and Chairman N. S. D. A. R. Library Committee

AMERICANISM

Madam State Regent—National Officers and Daughters of Kansas

Kansas is very fortunately situated. Because of this, few foreigners have come to us this year, hence our percentage of illiteracy is low. This simplifies the work of the Americanization committee.

Our work for the year was divided into five divisions: Illiteracy, Incoming Foreigners, Prizes, Patriotic Days Observed, and Support of Schools. We have something to report on each.

Oceanic Hopkins Chapter had their yearly Flag Pageant for the Boy Scouts. James Ross Chapter conducted a night school for adults. Betty Washington Chapter taught sewing, cooking, canning, and medical care of children to her foreigners.

Emporia Chapter conducts a summer school at the Mexican Mission. Two classes are financed by them. A cooking and a sewing class. This year they bought hymnals for the Mission Sunday School. Salina Chapter has a very important place in the Americanization center. Here patriotic days and holidays are observed. English, sewing, a four roomed American home is maintained for visitation and example.

Eunice Sterling Chapter carried on their Syrian Club very successfully. The usual club activities are enjoyed and all sick members remembered with cards; gifts are given all brides.

Phebe Dustin Chapter conducted a contest for all county high schools and gave a prize for the best essay on "The Most Interesting Story My Grandmother Told Me."

Uvedale Chapter reported the greatest number of patriotic days observed, 7.

Chapters giving prizes	9
Prizes given	18
Cost of prizes	\$60.25
Cost of hymnals	3.50
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Total Expenditures	\$63.75

Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs. Moore L.) IRENE NIX.

CONSERVATION AND THRIFT COMMITTEE

National Chairman
MRS. ROY A. MAYSE
1744 West Mulberry Street
Kokomo, Indiana

State, Kansas. Chairman—Mrs. Marcel Duphorne

Number of Chapters. 47.

Number having a Chairman of Conservation and Thrift,
33.

I

Number of Chapters reporting work in human conservation, 29.

Number of Daughters who aided in Red Cross, community, or other drives, 345.

Number who actually engaged in some form of relief work, 463.

Nature of Work: Human Conservation.

Donation of food and clothing, Associated Charities, Public Health work.

Number of Chapters giving money to local relief, 14.

Amount of money given, \$187.80.

II

How many trees planted through D. A. R. Activity? 770 trees, 2600 bulbs, 1650 shrubs.

Has your State a D. A. R. Forest? No. Acreage, none.

Number of historic trees reported this year, with photographs, one.

III

Number of Chapters devoting a whole or a part of one meeting to Conservation and Thrift topics, 14.

Did the program at your last State Conference include any speaker on this timely subject? No.

Entire amount of money expended in your state for work of this committee (including human conservation work), \$1,269.50.

Uvedale Chapter, Hutchinson, Kansas, reports \$1000 of this from members.

IV

What was the outstanding work in your state this year (may be efforts of some one chapter)?

One Chapter contributed 487 garments for layette for city nurse.

Thirty-one members in one Chapter sewed for Red Cross.
Life membership in Genealogical Society.

One Chapter planted forty hard maple trees on either side of winding drive in cemetery, in memory of departed D. A. R. members.

One Chapter gave scholarship to young woman in Junior College.

One Chapter purchased Lineage Books.

Human conservation in many ways.

V

Number of Chapters reporting work done in beautification of highways, parks, etc., 10.

Kind of work done? Planting trees, flowers, and grass.

Beautified grounds around marker of Oregon Trail on highway.

Replaced three markers on Santa Fe Trail.

Iris to beautify Country Club.

VI

Number of Chapters and actual work done in:

(a) Elimination of obnoxious weeds, 10.

Rewards to children for pulling weeds.

Articles in local newspapers, especially for farmers.

Individual care of lawns, etc.

(b) Elimination of forest fires. No forests in Kansas.

(c) Preservation of wild flowers and wild life, 8.

One Chapter signed wild flower pledge.

One member has wild flower garden.

One Chapter had talks on the subject, and all its members try to influence preservation of wild flowers and wild life.

VII

There is a movement on foot to have Congress designate one certain tree as "The National Tree."

Those most prominently mentioned are: Sequoia, black walnut, pine, hickory, American elm.

Suggest to Chapter Chairman that they mention this to Chapters—it will stimulate interest in trees.

VIII

Our President General, Mrs. Magna, has accepted membership on the Women's Committee of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, which is endeavoring to look out for the welfare of the unemployed women of our country. Some states have already had meetings of this organization. If you can, in any way, cooperate with this movement. It will soon be nation-wide, and sponsored, as it

is, by Mrs. Roosevelt, will be a great power for good. Report any efforts you may put forth for the F. E. R. A.

Two Chapters organized and taught classes in F. E. R. A.

BONNIE H. MAYSE,
National Chairman.

RUTH G. DUPHORNE,
State Chairman.

Harper, Kansas,
March 6, 1934.

REPORT OF KANSAS CONSTITUTION HALL FINANCE

Committee for year ending March 1, 1934

Total amount, \$431.75. \$200.00 is from the State Fund and the remainder came from 33 Chapters. Mrs. Magna urges birthday parties again this year and stresses much the "Penny A Day" plan.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. L. E. REX,
Chairman.

REPORT OF CONSTITUTION HALL MEMORY BOOK AND OLD GOLD

Following is a list of acknowledgments and donors from the 86 Chapters of Kansas and part of Iowa.

Chapter Regents and Chairman:

There were only five who sent to me or direct to Mrs. G. H. L. Brosseau, Past President General, National Chairman of the Old Gold Memory Book.

1. Topeka Chapter, Mrs. Rosalie H. Adams, Regent donor.
Topeka Chapter, Mrs. Wm. A. Timken, Chairman.
2. Wichita Chapter, Mrs. Leda Ferrell Rex, Regent donor.
3. Betty Bonny, Arkansas City, Mrs. Funk, Regent donor.
4. Atchison Chapter, Mrs. Mary B. Miller, Chairman.
5. Mrs. Jno. Fink, Regent, Oceanic Hopkins, donor.
6. Peleg Gorton Chapter, Winfield, Mrs. Martha Godbey, Regent, and Mrs. Jack Lane, Acting Regent, donors.

Acknowledgements

1. Mrs. Edwind D. Morrison, Ft. Dodge, Iowa, Chairman of Ft. Dodge Chapter.

2. Mrs. (S. M.) Elsel M. Martin, Regent and, Mrs. Claude R. Curtis, Chairman of Old Gold Chapter, Ft. Madison, Iowa.
3. Katherine Knowles, Corresponding Secretary, Wellington Chapter.
4. Elva Colglazier, Regent, Uvedale chapter.
5. Mrs. W. S. Kerr, Chairman Old Gold Committee.

MRS. JACK LANE,
Chairman.

REPORT OF STATE CHAIRMAN

"CORRECT USE OF THE FLAG"

Madam Regent, Officers, and Members of the Daughters of the American Revolution:

Thirty-four chairmen of "Correct Use of the Flag" have sent me reports of their work.

All Chapters report that their members know the Pledge of Allegiance and repeat it at all of their meetings. It is printed in all D. A. R. year books.

Decorating with Flags is discouraged so red, white and blue flowers, candles and favors are used when patriotic programs are given.

Many Flags have been presented to members, schools, churches, new citizens and public organizations.

A copy of Flag Lessons was sent to each of the 46 Chapters by your National Chairman through your State Chairman. Four Chapters sent for 41 copies in all. Your National Chairman will send a copy of Flag Lessons to any one upon request and the receipt of a 3-cent stamp for each copy.

Few Chapters presented Flag Codes but even then 300 copies were given to members, schools, and new citizens.

The Chapter chairmen are anxious and willing to spread the knowledge of the Correct Use of the Flag. They are willing to make talks before schools, and organizations and also to prepare articles for the local newspapers.

The cooperation of the teachers is necessary to take this work into the schools.

To witness an assembly of twelve to fifteen hundred Junior high school children giving the Pledge of Allegiance and the Salute to the Flag certainly is an inspiring sight. We feel that they are good citizens in the making.

Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Girl Reserves, and Camp Fire Girls are good agents through whom much Flag knowledge can be circulated.

A Flag in each home and displayed on Flag Days expresses patriotism.

One Chapter always hangs out the Flag to mark the place of D. A. R. meeting.

Another Chapter has drills in Flag etiquette at their meetings. These should be helpful.

A committee to assist American Legion and Women's Relief Corps in placing Flags on graves is part of one Chapter's work.

The Flag should never be used as an advertisement in any way.

Many manuals have been presented to schools, private homes, and to Americanization classes. One was given to clerk of district court and another to a high school teacher. Both felt that the manuals could be used to good advantage in their work.

I have written 50 letters, 46 of these were to Chapter chairmen of "Correct Use of the Flag"; also mailed 46 Flag Lessons and 46 Questionnaires.

Flag Day is pretty generally celebrated with appropriate patriotic programs.

I am grateful to the chairmen who have so generously given their time to this work and for the splendid reports sent to me.

Your National Chairman says: "Let us continue to buy 'Flags made in America, by Americans for Americans.'"

Respectfully submitted,

(Mrs. W. H.) STELLA R. McCAMISH,

Kansas State Chairman.

"Correct Use of the Flag"

March, 1934.

REPORT OF THE MAGAZINE CHAIRMAN

During the past three years, together with every other periodical, the D. A. R. Magazine has suffered loss both in circulation and advertising. As your State Magazine Chairman it was my duty and pleasure to further the plans of the National Chairman to overcome this loss. Our greatest revenue comes from advertising but only by increased circulation can any publication sell advertising.

Success or failure for the Magazine of our National Society lies in the number of subscriptions gained by the Chapters.

In September each Regent or Chapter Chairman received a letter explaining a new plan to increase circulation. This year, with the approval of the National Society, each Chapter was allowed to retain for its own treasury 10% of each subscription. Chapter Chairmen were urged to emphasize this in their campaign for subscriptions.

Through the Chairmen in the larger towns we made an earnest effort to sell some advertising. So far we have had no positive results but we feel that, in bringing the merits of the Magazine to the attention of the larger industries and retail establishments, we have made some progress. In this day of slogans, I hope the Magazine Committee of next year will adopt this one:

“At Least One Kansas Advertisement
in the D. A. R. Magazine.”

In many of the yearbooks received from the Chapters, it was gratifying to note that the contents of the Magazine furnished a part of their monthly programs. Letters were sent to four Chairmen who requested material and suggestions for an entire Magazine program. I wish to urge all Chapters to devote either one whole program or a part of each program to a study of the Magazine next year. The material to be found in it will prove most interesting and inspirational.

Every member should read the Magazine, whether or not she is a subscriber. By reading it regularly we become better acquainted with the achievements and aims of the National Society, of which each one of us is a part. I urge each Chapter to place a copy in the Public Library that it may be available, not only to members but to the public. One Chapter places four copies each month in Public Reading rooms. It is a periodical of which we may feel truly proud.

In the November issue there appeared a splendid article by our State Regent on the work of the Daughters in Kansas, and Chapter Chairmen were urged to see that all their members had the opportunity of reading it.

I am very grateful for the cooperation of those Chairmen who responded to my Fall letter. While the result may not seem indicative of the effort made, we have the satisfaction of knowing we did our best.

Total number of subscriptions, 126.

To Peleg Gorton Chapter goes the honor of having the most subscriptions for the number of members, and to Uvedale Chapter for procuring the most subscriptions.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. C. F. ECKELMAN,
State Magazine Chairman.

REPORT OF STATE CHAIRMAN OF APPROVED

SCHOOLS, '33-'34

Number of Chapters in the State	46
Number of Chapters Reporting	35
Chapters Carrying on the Work	26
To Schools Approved by N. S. D. A. R.	\$268.36
To Other Schools	81.85
To Scholarships	180.00
To Medals and Prizes	35.50
Total	\$565.71

To TOMASSEE:

Baxter Springs Chapter	\$ 5.00
Betty Bonney, Arkansas City	5.00
Betty Washington Chapter, Lawrence	5.00
Concordia Chapter, Concordia	5.00
Emporia Chapter, Emporia	10.00
Ft. Larned Chapter, Larned	5.00
General Edward Hand Chapter, Ottawa	5.00
Henry Dawson Chapter, McPherson	5.00
James Ross Chapter, Kansas City	5.00
Newton Chapter, Newton	5.00
Olathe Chapter, Olathe	1.00
Peleg Gorton Chapter, Winfield	3.00
Sarah Stewart Chapter, Smith Center	1.00
Topeka Chapter, Topeka	10.00
Wellington Chapter, Wellington	5.00
Total	\$75.00

To KATE DUNCAN SMITH:

Betty Bonney Chapter, Arkansas City	\$5.00
Emporia Chapter, Emporia	15.00
Eunice Sterling Chapter, Wichita	25.00
General Edward Hand Chapter, Ottawa	5.00
James Ross Chapter, Kansas City	5.00
Newton Chapter, Newton	5.00
Olathe Chapter, Olathe	1.00
Peleg Gorton Chapter, Winfield	3.00
Sarah Stewart Chapter, Smith Center	1.00
Uvedale Chapter, Hutchinson	10.00
Total	\$75.00

To AMERICAN INDIAN INSTITUTE:

Eunice Sterling Chapter, Wichita	\$10.00
James Ross Chapter, Kansas City	5.00
Olathe Chapter, Olathe	2.00
Samuel Linscott Chapter, Holton	2.00
Sterling Chapter, Sterling	5.00
Wichita Chapter, Wichita	35.00
Total	\$59.00

To CROSSNORE:

Dodge City Chapter, Dodge City	\$ 5.00
Desire Tobey Sears Chapter, Mankate	5.36
Emporia Chapter, Emporia	10.00
General Edward Hand Chapter, Ottawa	5.00
Martha Vail Chapter, Anthony	5.00
Peleg Gorton Chapter, Winfield	3.00
Sarah Stewart Chapter, Smith Center	1.00
Eunice Sterling Chapter, Wichita	25.00
Total	\$59.36

To MARTHA BERRY:

Uvedale Chapter, Hutchinson	\$5.00
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To OTHER SCHOOLS:

Baxter Springs Chapter, Baxter Springs	
Box of clothing to Kate Duncan Smith	\$19.00
Betty Washington Chapter, Lawrence,	
For under-nourished and crippled children	25.00
Emporia Chapter, Emporia,	
Six English Bibles to the Mexican Mission	3.00
Home Economics Class of the Mexican Mission	10.00
Eunice Sterling Chapter, Wichita,	
Washington's picture to Boys' Detention Home.	
Henry Dawson Chapter, McPherson,	
Clothing for Tomassee.	
Miscellaneous Gifts to Tomassee.	
Lois Warner Chapter, Junction City,	
Local School Lunches	14.85
Olathe Chapter, Olathe,	
Books for Marines.	
Miscellaneous Gift box to Indian Institute.	
Sarah Stewart Chapter, Smith Center,	
Two Pairs Curtains.	
Uvedale Chapter, Hutchinson,	
36 new garments for local relief.	
To Boy Scouts	2.50
To Girl Scouts	2.50
To Pinehurst School for Girls	5.00
Total	\$81.85

Scholarships for N. S. D. A. R.

To American Indian Institute, Wichita Chapter	35.00
To Martha Berry, Uvedale Chapter	5.00
Total	\$40.00

Scholarships for Other Schools:

Kansas University, Betty Washington Chapter	\$100.00
Ottawa University, General Edward Hand Chapter	10.00
Junior College, Kansas City, Kansas, James Ross Chapter ..	70.00
Manhattan State College, Polly Ogden Chapter.	
Washburn College, Topeka, Topeka Chapter.	

Total	\$180.00
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Medals and Prizes:

Atchison Chapter, Atchison,	
Cash Prizes for Excellence in U. S. History.	
Emporia Chapter, Emporia,	
3 Medals for Excellence in U. S. History	\$15.00
1 Bicentennial Plate for H. S. Home Econ.	1.50
Ft. Larned Chapter, Larned,	
H. S. Prizes for Excellence in U. S. History.	
General Edward Hand Chapter, Ottawa,	
Medal	2.00
Peleg Gorton Chapter, Winfield,	
History Medal to High School	5.00
Rhoda Carver Barton Chapter, Fredonia,	
2 Flags for Excellence in U. S. History.	
Wichita Chapter,	
To Indian Institute for Excellence in History	5.00
Frederick Funston Chapter, Humboldt,	
Medal to Local Junior High School for Excellence	
in U. S. History	5.00

Total	\$35.50
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No Report From:

Abilene Chapter, Abilene; Arthur Barrett Chapter, Frankfort; Ashland Chapter, Ashland; Captain Jesse Leavenworth Chapter, Leavenworth; Christian Musser Chapter, Chanute; Courtney Spalding Chapter, Russell; Dana Chapter, Columbus; Hannah Jameson Chapter, Parsons; Jacob Blaine Chapter, Stockton; Mary Wade Strother Chapter, Salina; Susannah French Putney Chapter, El Dorado.

Nearly every Chapter reporting, reports boxes and baskets of food and clothing given for local relief.

Respectfully submitted,

MALLAH G. LULL.

BETTER FILMS

My report for Better Films is as follows:

September 23, wrote letter to each of the 46 Chapters enclosing bulletin on Better Films from Mrs. Mildred Lewis Russell. At this time each Chapter Chairman or Regent received a copy of the postal card review. Ten Chapters wrote for more information and I sent it.

Four Chapters placed these Card Reviews in the Library. Only ten Chapters reported ordering these Postal Card Reviews.

1059 Winfield women signed a petition to our President of the U. S. to not sign the Block Bill.

Film talks given at regular meetings, and list of desirable pictures read.

Six Chapters co-operated with other organizations. One Chapter could do nothing.

(Mrs. Louis W) EVA BIXLER,

ELLIS ISLAND

To the State Regent, Officers, Members, and Friends of the D. A. R. in Kansas:

It is a source of pride in the Kansas Chapters to find the high interest in the Ellis Island work of our National Organization in 1933, notwithstanding it was a year of economic distress, and that every community had its own problems to meet. However, only twelve Chapters reported it necessary to completely lay aside their work for Ellis Island in the interest of home charity work. Of the thirty-three Chapters sending in reports of their activities twenty-one reported the sending of contributions to Ellis Island. Some of the Chapters that were unable to contribute had "Ellis Island" programs. The contributions included \$50.36 in cash, twice the amount reported last year. Boxes valued at \$19.50 were sent direct to Ellis Island. I trust that more Chapters will send boxes next year as our national chairman, Mrs. Perkins, prefers boxes to money, as each Chapter pays a per capita tax and she has that fund to draw upon. It should be of major interest to all of our members to know that Mrs. B. D. Bennett, chapter chairman of Ellis Island for the Ottawa Chapter, gave a personal gift of \$10.00 in cash to the Ellis Island committee.

Fourteen Chapters in the state made no report to your Ellis Island state chairman, and I believe we should make an effort to inform the Chapters not reporting of the importance of such information. I feel sure that at least in some cases the Chapters not reporting are failing to get credit due them in my state report, because they failed to make a report to me of their contributions. I regret this, as I feel each Chapter should have credit for their activities.

Respectfully submitted,
MARY L. HAYNES,
Mrs. Lacy Haynes.

Abilene—No report.
 Anthony—Per Capita sent to Treasurer.
 Arkansas City—Unable to contribute.
 Atchison—Per Capita sent to Treasurer.
 Ashland—No report.
 Augusta—Unable to contribute.
 Baxter Springs—Box—Value \$1.50.
 Chanute—No report.
 Concordia—Per Capita sent Treasurer.
 Columbus—No report.
 Council Grove—\$1.00 sent to Treasurer.
 Dodge City—Box of materials.
 El Dorado—\$5.00 and Per Capita.
 Emporia—\$5.00 sent to Treasurer.
 Frankfort—No report.
 Fredonia—Unable to contribute.
 Fort Scott—Unable to contribute.
 Holton—Unable to contribute.
 Humboldt—No report.
 Hutchinson—Unable to contribute.
 Independence—No report.
 Junction City—Box—Value \$7.00.
 Kansas City—\$5.00 sent to Treasurer.
 Larned—No report.
 Lawrence—\$10.00 sent to Treasurer.
 Leavenworth—No report.
 McPherson—No report.
 Manhattan—Unable to contribute.
 Mankato—\$3.00 sent to Treasurer.
 Neodesha—Per Capita sent to Treasurer.
 Newton—\$5.00 sent to Treasurer.
 Olathe—Unable to contribute.
 Ottawa—Personal gifts of \$10.00 and \$1.00.
 Parsons—Box of yarn.
 Phillipsburg—Materials and \$.75.
 Pittsburg—Unable to contribute.
 Russell—No report.
 Salina—Unable to contribute.
 Smith Center—Box—Value \$1.00. Cash \$.50.
 Sterling—Box—Value \$3.00.
 Stockton—No report.
 Topeka—Unable to contribute.
 Wellington—Unable to contribute.
 Wichita—No report.
 Wichita—Unable to contribute.
 Winfield—Box—Value \$6.00.

REPORT OF FILING AND LENDING HISTORICAL PAPERS COMMITTEE

Madame State Regent, Officers and Delegates:

As your State Chairman on Filing and Lending Historical Papers, I submit the following report:

Have written six form letters to the 46 Chapters and a number of personal letters in regard to the year's work.

Mailed each Chapter a copy of the 1933 Supplemental List of Papers.

37 Chapters reported having appointed chairmen.

16 Chapters sent year books to your State Chairman.

27 Chapters sent in report of year's work.

36 papers were entered in the contest this year.

22 papers were approved by this Committee and sent to Washington.

4 Chapters reported borrowing papers.

4 Chapters reported having used Patriotic Lectures with Lantern Slides.

1 Chapter reported having borrowed 2 plays or pageants.

9 papers were borrowed from the Filing and Lending Bureau.

4 Patriotic Lectures with Lantern Slides were rented.

Emporia Chapter reports their George Washington film was used by the City schools February 17 and 1000 school children attended the showing.

1 poem was received by this committee. This is a lovely little poem, entitled, "Sunset in Kansas," by Alba Ashby Hewitt of General Edward Hand Chapter of Ottawa. We deeply regretted that it could not be used in the Contest as poems are not accepted. It is our hope that a place can be made for it.

I wish to call your attention to the fact that out of 36 papers entered in the Contest this year, 9 of these were submitted by the Winfield Chapter of which Mrs. Berdene Lane is Chairman. This shows splendid co-operation from Winfield. Olathe is second on the list with 6 papers submitted.

I wish to thank the Chapter Regents and Chairmen who have co-operated so splendidly this year with this Committee in its effort to make a place for Kansas in this National Contest.

Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs. Jas. G.) VIOLA MANNING,
State Chairman.

EXPENSE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 1933-34

Filing and Lending Historical Papers Committee

Stamps	\$5.83
Stencils	1.11
Post Cards35

(Mrs. Jas. G.) VIOLA MANNING,
State Chairman.

REPORT OF GENEALOGICAL RECORDS 1933-34

Volume I of Kansas Old Settlers.

(Last year's blanks—copied, indexed and bound, containing 671 pages.

Old Settlers Blanks Received this year:

Chapter	Number
Betty Washington	21
Christiana Musser	3
Concordia	1
Dodge City	1
Emporia	24
Eunice Sterling	25
General Edward Hand	1
James Ross	5
Martha Vail	12
Mary Wade Strother	2
Molly Foster Berry	5
Newton	81
Oceanic Hopkins	6
Phebe Dustin	18
Rhoda Carver Barton	2
Sarah Steward	6
Uvedale	1
Wellington	8
Wichita	3
Total	225
Pages	1000

OTHER DATA

Abilene Chapter:

A copy of a Supplement to the Gettysburg Compiler of
January 22, 1900.

Betty Washington Chapter:

Old Land Certificate Number 326.

Souvenir Program of 75th Anniversary Celebration of the
Founding of Lawrence, Kansas.

A Brief Memior and Account of the Military Services of
Deacon Nathaniel Holmes of Petersburg, N. H., in
the Revolutionary War.

Records from Lawrence Pioneer Cemetery.

Marriage Records in Douglas County, Kansas, January
23, 1863, to October 12, 1864.

Notes of Historical Interest.

Some Court Records of Douglas County.

Pioneers of Lawrence, Kansas.

She Watched K. U. Grow—Miss Oliver.

W. A. Starrett, a Builder.

Christiana Musser:

First Kansas Mission.

Obituaries as follows: Mrs. S. G. Isett, Col. Ambrose
Beebe, Harrison Stauffer, E. B. Cottrell, Mrs. W. W.
Little, Mrs. Amelia Mabel, Mary Eliza Tyson, Mrs. L.
Rose Evans, Edgar Bennett, Clarissa Lillie Hatch, Mrs.
Margaret Gabriel, Mrs. Mary Watt.

Council Oak:

Bible Records: William M. Cole, William White, Levi
Brigham, Enoch Hutchinson.

Emporia:

The Whitmore Family Reunion.

The Will Larson Family Reunion.

The Charles G. Johnson Family Reunion.

The Albin and Nelson Family Reunion.

The Pacht Family Reunion.

The Elmendaro Township Picnic.

The Mrs. Lydia E. Hart Family Reunion.

The Moon Family Reunion.

The Present Home and the First Home of the First
Christian Church.

Obituary of Will Wayman.

The Arrival of the Holderman Family in Lyon County,
Kansas.

Frederick Funston Chapter:

McKnight Bible Records.

Marriage Records of Allen County.

August 14, 1856, to June 4, 1863.

Mary Wade Strother:

Marriage Records of Saline County, Kansas,

August 22, 1870, to December 31, 1871.

Early Date History.

Your Beloit and Mine.

Neodesha Chapter:

Cemetery Records.

Newton Chapter:

The Newton Kansan—Newton Kansan 50th Anniversary
Number, August 22, 1922.

Oceanic Hopkins Chapter:

Cemetery Records of Cemetery in Crawford County State
Park.

Sutfin Date to be added to Case Data.

Copy of Letter to Dr. O. P. Dellinger from Miss Nettie
Cox.

Olathe Chapter:

Marriage Records of Johnson County, Kansas,

June 15, 1857, to March 27, 1873.

Peleg Gorton:

Marriage Licenses in Cowley County,

August 16, 1870, to December 31, 1872.

Inscriptions of Stones in Yeager Cemetery, Cowley,
County.

Phebe Dustin Chapter:

Letter of Interest from A. L. Fisher.

Old Civil War Sailor Tells His Life Experience.

Experiences of a Civil War Veteran.

An Interview with Mr. Gilman Carle.

A. J. Fleming Family History.

Asa Cheadle Family Record.

Dodge Family Record.

Life of a Pioneer—Amos Cole.

Thomas Jewell.

William Fletcher.

Robert Fletcher.

The Skelton Family in Phillips County.

A Civil War Nurse.

Mrs. Blaksley's Experience in the Civil War.

The Life of a Kansas Pioneer—George Cole.

Civil War Veteran and Kansas Pioneer—John W. Myers.

Early Settlers in Kansas—Mrs. John McClure.

Life History of Wheeler.

(This Chapter is compiling a scrap book of genealogical
data.)

Susannah French Putney:

Marriage Records of Butler County, Kansas,

August 11, 1861, to May 10, 1873.

Butler County Cemetery Inscriptions.

Wellington Chapter:

Marriage Bonds of Sumner County, Kansas,

November 17, 1871, to January 21, 1877.

This makes a total of 295 pages.

Adding all the pages gives us a total of 1966 pages of work done for this year under this committee. The 1000 pages for our Old Settler Blanks collected this year can not be reported to Washington until next year after they have been copied, indexed and bound. They have been reported only as work done for this year—not as work sent in.

26 Chapters have sent something for this year's work, which is quite an increase over last year.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. F. H. DICKINSON,

Genealogical Records Committee.

1717 South Olive,

Pittsburg, Kansas.

ADDITIONAL OLD SETTLER BLANKS

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OTHER DATA

Desire Tobey Sears:

Jewell County, Kansas, Marriage Records,

June 12, 1871, to September 28, 1872.

Betty Bonney Chapter:

Obituary, Jacob L. Wilson.

George Moore Bible Record.

Thos. Cook Bible Record.

Setzer Bible Record.

Slagle Bible Record.

George Leonard Bible Record.

Teuce Massy (Clippings).

Clippings from The Ashtabule Sentinel.

Family History of Mrs. W. E. Moore.

Certificate of Death from Clerk's Office—Martha Green.

Family Data given by Mrs. Betty Wellman.

Data from the Westmoreland Intelligencer.

REPORT OF GIRL HOME MAKERS' COMMITTEE

Madam Regent, Officers and Members of The 36th Annual State Conference:

It gives me much pleasure to bring to you the Fourth Annual Report of the Girl Home Makers' Committee, Kansas D. A. R.

Since my last report I have visited three Chapters and explained the Aims and Ideals of this committee.

Made three talks to Girl Scout units on "Activities of Communist Organization in U. S."

Attended District meeting in Columbus.

Made six out of town trips, at my own expense, in interest of this Committee.

Written 166 letters, 28 post cards, mailed 46 Leaflets, 46 National Contest Information sheets, 16 Hand Books of Instruction, and 45 Awards of Merit.

All Kansas Chapters have received definite data in regard to activities of this Committee.

Several Chapter chairmen did not send reports due to the "Depression" and other causes.

28 Chapters now have chairmen covering this work.

9 Regents who will assume office in May, 1934, have advised that they will appoint chairmen.

Chapter Chairman Report as follows:

Abilene—Work covered by other organizations.

Arthur Barrett—Will present four (4) Awards of Merit. One girl entered National Contest. Is sponsoring four (4) "Pig Projects." This is very outstanding work and should be investigated by all Chapters interested in 4-H clubs.

Atchison—Sent Year Book. Their offer to work with schools was declined "with thanks," as faculty thinks "outside organizations hinder, rather than help."

Baxter Springs—Will present four (4) Awards of Merit and other prizes to the value of \$5.00, to girls standing highest in cooking and sewing in high and junior high schools.

Betty Bonney—Sent Year Book. One member gave room and board to needy school girl. Four (4) members active with Girl Reserves and 4-H clubs.

Betty Washington—Chapter and individual members are assisting needy girls through school, co-operating with other organizations, and are ready at any time to offer assistance to needy girls.

Courtney Spaulding—Members active with girls' organizations. One member helped buy coat for needy girl and four gave other clothing. All members are co-operating in "Gift and Invisible Mother" plan. Each "Invisible Mother"

is assigned a girl to whom she sends a gift. At a banquet to be given later, the name of the "Invisible" Mother is revealed. This is an excellent plan. Try it.

Dana—Sent Year Book. No report. Letters were not answered.

Desire Tobey Sears—Will present four (4) Awards of Merit. One member is very active with girls' organizations. Others are ready to help when called upon.

Dodge City—Sent Year Book. Letters unanswered.

Emporia—Sent Year Book. Will present one Bi-Centennial Plate for Excellency in Home Economics in the high school.

Esther Lowery—Sent Year Book. No report, chairman resigned.

Hannah Jameson—Sent Year Book. No report. Work covered by other organizations and Chapter not interested.

Henry Dawson—No report.

Isabella Weldon—Work covered by other clubs.

James Ross—No report. Letters not answered.

Martha Vail—Will present four (4) Awards of Merit. Six (6) members active with girls' organizations.

Mary Wade Strother—Chairman, Miss Kate B. Miles, does outstanding work with girls' organizations, for which the Chapter receives much credit.

Molly Foster Berry—Sent Year Book. No report. Letters unanswered.

Neodesha—Will present twelve (12) Awards of Merit. Three members active with Girl Scouts. Girl Home Makers' chairman is also chairman of committee which is installing a Library in Wilson County Hospital.

Newton—Sent Year Book. No report. Letters were not answered.

Oceanic Hopkins—Sent Year Book. No report. Letters not answered.

Peleg Gorton—Sent Year Book. Two members active with Girl Reserves. One member is helping needy girl through school.

Phebe Dustin—Sent Year Book. No report. Letters not answered.

Polly Ogden—Gave \$10.00 to Girl Scout cabin. Gives room and board to six (6) needy girls. Four (4) girls assisted with Loan. Chapter Chairman is much interested in girls work and thinks this committee excellent.

Sarah Steward—Several members active with girls organizations.

Sterling—No report. Letters not answered.

Susannah French Putney—No report. Letters were not answered.

Uvedale—Sent year book. Many members active with girls organizations. Gave \$5.00 to Under-nourished children, \$2.50 to Girl Scouts, \$5.00 to "Pinehurst," a home for unfortunate girls, \$15.00 to the Mission school. All members are ready, at any time, to help needy girls.

Chapter Regents Report as follows:

Topeka—No activity along this line.

Frederick Funston—Found Leaflet and Hand Book very instructive and will try to take up this work next year.

Rhoda Carver Berry—Chapter has lost many members and done nothing for this committee. Hopes to take up the work next Fall.

Wellington—No activity along this line.

In closing my report, I wish to again stress the fact that this committee co-operates with all girls organizations, Religious, Patriotic and educational.

I sincerely appreciate the co-operation and support of those Chapter chairmen and Regents who have helped to make this committee a partial success and I hope that next year, not only every Chapter will have a chairman, but that each chairman will be interested to the extent of acknowledging correspondence.

Respectfully submitted,

BESSIE C. DENT KING,

(Mrs. Charles P. King) Chairman Girl Home Makers.

MANUAL FOR IMMIGRANTS

March 1, 1933, to March 1, 1934.

Wichita, Eunice Sterling	33
Towanda	1
Ottawa	6
Concordia	11
Junction City	10
Phillipsburg	200
Fort Scott	275
Sold two in English by State Regent; money sent to National, forty cents.	

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English	308
Italian	102
German	37

Spanish	29
Swedish	7
French	27
Polish	2
Yiddish	2
Hungarian	2
Russian	2
Greek	2
Portuguese	2
Norwegian	2
Bohemian	2
Lithuanian	2

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The Manuel was distributed to Rural Schools, The office of the Clerk of the Court, to be given to those asking for naturalization information, civic classes in local schools, towns settled by Italians, Germans and French, near Ft. Scott, and to libraries.

Respectfully submitted,
LILLIAN S. PRAGER.

NATIONAL DEFENSE ACTIVITIES OF KANSAS

The Daughters of the American Revolution have for their motto: For God, Home, and Country. Today this must be our first allegiance.

The time is here for all Chapters, including every member to be working untiringly in behalf of her country. When we stop to consider that one-half of the citizens of the U. S. A. are foreign born that accounts in part for the unrest and many of the ideas to change our Constitution. There is also a desire on the part of some of the moderns for a change of any sort. This may be illustrated by a professor, who gave a lecture on liquid air in Newton, Kansas. After his lecture he stated to people that he talked to that he was a communist and proud of it, because anything was better than present day conditions. Another wise (?) man, W. K. Wallace, has written a book, "The Obsolete Constitution." He advocates scrapping it, but as usual with the people of this type he has nothing to take its place.

Daughters of the American Revolution arise! It is time to do more than mere lip service. To stand by our Constitution, to defend it with every ounce of energy you can possibly muster. The time has come to study legislation,

the bills before congress, and to read the 27 books written about the Constitution that tell you that England's greatest statesman said: "It is the greatest document of its kind ever written." This statesman, Gladstone, at the time he said that was supposed to be our enemy. It is as alive today as it was the day it was written.

It is our duty to inform everyone, housemaid, chauffeur, ditch digger, greater lights and ourselves as well the worth of our Constitution, the value of freedom, personal liberty, property ownership and the right to worship God. Democracy means your vote.

You will all remember how our state Regent, Mrs. E. P. Pendleton, pioneered for this. She really blazed the trail for National Defense in Kansas for our organization. Now it is time for us all to carry our torches along with her or we may wake up to find that which we prize gone the same way that religion and refinement of Russia are sunk in the mire of communism without God, with no more regard for marriage than cattle in a barnyard.

Thousands of school children in America are out of school because there are not sufficient funds to maintain the schools. This too, should be our great concern. That great criminal lawyer, Clarence Darrow, has said: "Empty schools today make full jails tomorrow." If children do not learn in the schoolroom they will learn in the gutter.

Let us ask ourselves the question. Am I doing all I can for my country? Is my Nation's life at hazard?

Every Chapter in the state has been sent two circular letters, one questionnaire and an answering letter to each year book received by chairman.

A book of lectures and a book, "Inevitable War," were ordered, received, read and reviewed by your chairman. Inevitable War is marvelous. It is a regular encyclopedia on war. The writer, Lieut. Col. Richard Stockton the VI, convinces the reader that war is inevitable. It is a resume of our past wars, our unpreparedness, what other nations think of us and the extreme necessity of preparedness. He likens a pacifist to an ostrich that sticks its head in the sand and thinks that it is safely hidden. I would like to see this book reviewed in every chapter.

Your chairman has made talks at the following places: National Defense talks at Halstead to the Harvey Co. Federation; at Hutchinson to D. A. R.; at Newton to Daughters of Union Veterans, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Congregational Missionary Society, The Themien club, Auxiliary to Sons of Veterans, Auxiliary to American Legion, and to the American Legion. Also conducted two N. D. afternoons of

Newton Chapter with outside speakers. One speaker was Mrs. L. Moore, who coached the National H. S. orators on the Constitution.

Also talked to Hutchinson D. U. V.; at Wichita, P. T. A.; at Abilene, talked on Citizenship over radio.

Personally presented Newton's first Eagle Boy Scout with equipment. The Sons and Daughters of the U. S. A. have met regularly in your chairman's home and have given programs for many organizations in Newton with out of town guests.

The following Kansas Chapters have responded to the N. D. questionnaire: Dodge City worked within their Chapter. McPherson reports many speeches made for N. D.

McPherson gave G. C. Medals, worked with other organizations and presented a pageant.

Fort Scott reports lectures, study of Government and state Regent's address.

Smith Center reports three N. D. programs and Flag lessons.

Topeka reports study of Legislation.

Wichita Chapter reports two G. C. Medals to be presented.

Hutchinson had Ministers talk for Constitution Day. Had A. C. Malloy, lawyer, talk at Rotary and Girl Reserve, contributed to Boy Scouts, entertained N. D. chairman and had her talk. Also had Major Kiser talk N. D. to Chapter.

Sterling gave N. D. programs. Takes N. D. News.

Abilene studied Legislation. Giving G. C. Medal. Chairman studied N. D. to impart to Chapter and classroom.

Rhoda Carver Barton observe patriots birthdays.

Olathe N. D. chairman is principal of Central grade school therefore instills patriotism in classroom.

El Dorado gives Medal for Excellency in history and has one N. D. program per month. Studies bills before congress.

Frederick Funston has N. D. News published in local papers.

Winfield, Peleg Gorton, giving G. C. Medals. Active interest in Boy Scouts. N. D. News published in local papers.

Pittsburg, Oceanic Hopkins, reports very active in combating subversive activities. Study of Legislation. Helps Boy and Girl Scouts.

Lawrence had N. D. talks. Giving Medal for A history. Study of Legislation.

Wellington reports one program for N. D. study of Legislation and Vote. Local papers print the N. D. News. Also placed it in local Library.

Ft. Larned has nothing to report.

Betty Bonney takes N. D. News.

Salina observed Constitution Day. Americanism of Mexicans. Study of Legislation.

Ft. Supply Trail, no report.

Desire Toby Sears study of Constitution. Flag Day observed. Had State Regent.

Neodesha giving G. C. Medal. Flag drills. Had State Regent.

Manhattan Chapter has been ill but gave out N. D. literature.

Newton had two afternoons devoted to N. D. with excellent outside speakers. Placed D. A. R. Magazine and N. D. News in local library. Gave two G. C. Medals to junior high students. Helped Boy Scouts. Entertained Sons and Daughters of U. S. A.

Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs. John C. Reese) CORNIS R. REESE.

PRESERVATION OF HISTORIC SPOTS

(Including National Old Trails)

Kansas State Conference, 1933-34

We have 46 Chapters in our state, and I have written to each chairman of my committee or to the Chapter Regent, when unable to locate a chairman, giving them a full outline of the work of said committee, as given to me, by our national chairman, mentioning some of the most important features which include:

Locating and marking the graves of the Real Daughters and Revolutionary Soldiers, Old Trails, Old Forts, Battlefields, Historic Trees, Fords, Bridges, Taverns, Stage Coach Lines, Government Roads, Milestone Post Roads, Pony Express Routes, Spots Where Treaties Were Signed, Maps and Histories of Historical Spots and Trails, Birthplaces of Noted People and Programs given on the subjects by local Chapters. I have received reports from the following Chapters:

(1) Uvedale, Hutchinson—Under the auspices of Mrs. F. F. Prigg gave a program which included papers and talks on Old Trails and Historic Spots. They have located a Road House and stable, with rock walls, where they will place a marker.

(2) Dodge City—Report says that Mrs. Sutton read a very interesting paper before the Chapter, on "The Early American Navy."

(3) Emporia—Has presented a map of Lyon County to their Public Library. This map is 60 inches by 40 inches, framed, showing trails, trading posts, post offices, cemeteries, single graves, stores, school houses, churches, coal mines, lime kilns, mills, stage barns, and locations of settlers in 1854-55-56 and also a brief history of Lyon County. They also presented a copy of the map 40 x 30 and a copy of the history to the National D. A. R. Library in Washington, D. C. The cost of the above gifts was \$13.90. Mrs. E. B. Barnes, Mrs. R. L. Jones and Mrs. Chas. Ware spent several months preparing the maps and histories. Their January program consisted of a talk by Prof. J. W. Mayberry, subject, "Kansas Historic Spots not Marked."

In December, 1933, Salina was the scene of a very imposing celebration, when a marker was placed at the site of the landing of the first Free Ferry in Kansas, over the Smoky Hill River, near the approach of the Iron Avenue Bridge. The marker was unveiled by Mrs. Chester Campbell Loomis of Omaha, Nebraska, daughter of the late A. M. Campbell who operated the ferry. Mrs. Loomis was the first white child born on the Salina townsite. A large number attended the ceremony. The marker was presented to the city and adjacent territory, in celebration of the 75th anniversary of the founding of Salina. The site of the ferry landing was granted by the officials of the Union Pacific Railroad in 1858 and operated until 1867. The stone is of gray granite five feet in height, wording "Site of First Free Ferry, on Smoky Hill River, 1858-1867," and carries a picture of the old Ferry, and was given by the Salina Chapter of Native Daughters of Kansas, whose membership includes many members of the Mary Wade Strother Chapter D. A. R. of Salina, who also assisted in this work.

(4) Abilene has located some points of historical interest which they hope to mark next year.

(5) Molly Foster Berry Chapter, Fort Scott, reports a small magnolia tree, 6 years old, grown from the seed and brought from Mt. Vernon, on the lawn of one of their citizens, which they expect to mark with a tablet.

(6) Atchison gave a program in October when they discussed "Early Atchison Homes" and among those mentioned were the homes of the late John J. Ingalls and Amelia Earhart. The members of the Chapter also attended in a body the unveiling of the Amelia Earhart tablet, which was placed in the Library by the Women's Kansas Day Club, recognizing her as one of the outstanding women of the world. Mrs. Hole, who is a D. A. R. presided at the ceremony. On February 22, at a Colonial Tea, Dr. J. L. Howe

and a student of Highland College gave a program entitled, "High Lights on the Old Indian Mission at Highland." March 3, Mrs. Reeder read an interesting paper on "Pike's Journey Across Kansas," which covered points of interest along his route.

(7) The Edward Hand Chapter of Ottawa had the pleasure on March 10 of hearing Miss Grace Meeker tell about "Minneola" an early capital of Kansas.

(8) Peleg Gorton Chapter of Winfield will hear Mrs. A. J. Drescher at the May meeting give a talk of the "Early History of Winfield."

(9) Esther Lowery Chapter, Independence, has given two programs for our committee. One in January featuring historical events and the other in February when Mrs. R. R. Bittman gave a talk on the "Preservation of Historic Spots and Old Trails."

(10) The Lois Warner Chapter of Junction City has completed a most interesting map of Geary County. This map contains the marked location of five fords, namely: Lyonsdale Ford which crosses Lyon Creek near its mouth where it empties into the Smoky Hill River. The Junction City Ford which crosses the Republican River at Junction. The Milford Ford which is on the Republican River in the northeastern part of the county. Kansas Falls Ford across the Smoky Hill River in the southwestern part of the county and the Werlford crossing Lyon Creek near its entrance to the Smoky Hill River. The markers designated upon this map include a D. A. R. plate placed upon a stone at Fort Roiey, which marked the place of an early Indian Skirmish, also markers placed at Lone Indian and Quivera, in the southwest part of the county and one placed near the Fort on the Old trail from Junction City to Fort Leavenworth in honor of General Ogden. This also marks the Geographical Center of the United States. The Old Government Road from Junction City passing through Fort Riley to Fort Leavenworth is well outlined as is the old trail which follows the same direction passing a few miles to the north of the Old Government Road. Great credit is due to Mrs. H. V. B. Pickering for compiling this record.

(11) Phebe Dustin Chapter of Phillipsburg have located and expect to mark the battle site of the engagement between the 18th and 19th Vol. Cav. and the Indians in August, 1868, which took place at Prairie Dog Creek in the northeastern part of the county. Major Armes, Regular Army, in command and Captain Frank Stahl, now of Burlingame, Kansas, led the advance guard. A spot called Indian Bend, located on the Clarence McIlvain place, about

two and one-half miles north of Phillipsburg was an early Indian camping ground and two of their dead were buried in the trees when this land was homesteaded in 1871. The Indians would strip the bark from the Cottonwood trees to feed their ponies in winter. The Chapter gave splendid assistance when the Women's Kansas Day Club placed a marker in the Court House Square in October as a memorial to Mrs. Wm. Bissell, who was a pioneer and first resident mother of Phillipsburg and who also gave great service to the early development of the town. Our chairman also calls our attention to a new book, entitled, "The Desert's Hidden Wealth," written by Mr. Wm. Walls of California, formerly of Phillips County which gives a fine history of the counties in northwestern Kansas. Mrs. Hershner recently submitted to the Chapter giving the history and life of J. B. Wheeler (Wild Jack Wheeler) who was the first white settler in Phillips County, having gone there in 1859 and took up land near Woodruff. His widow is still living at an advanced age, on the original claim. This is a valuable paper and a copy has been filed with the Kansas State Historical Society in Topeka.

(12) Concordia Chapter presented a George Washington program when many relics of historic interest were displayed, colored slides of Mt. Vernon were flashed on the screen and some beautiful Colonial costumes were worn by the members.

(13) The chairman of the Mankato Chapter, Mrs. Wiggins, reports that the first settlement in Jewell County was made on the White Rock by Wm. Harshbarger in 1862. There was no permanent settlement in this county until 1870, although numerous attempts were made in 1866-67-68-69. These early settlers were nearly all killed by the Indians and buried in Jewell County. In one place E. H. Honey, an Indian Scout buried Nicholas Ward and his son and a Mrs. Sutzer, who were killed by the Indians in 1867. She also reports there was a fight between six buffalo hunters and a band of Cheyennes, south of Buffalo Creek, in Allen township when six men were killed. There was a block house in Jewell County built in 1870 by early settlers as a defense against the Indians. The Chapter voted to place a marker upon this site. There was also an Indian Massacre in this county known as the White Rock Indian Massacre.

(14) The Betty Bonny Chapter of Arkansas City has placed a marker near their city which will be dedicated in June by the State Regent, Mrs. Pendleton.

(15) The Capt. Jesse Leavenworth Chapter devoted one

meeting to our committee when your state chairman read a paper describing the different trails from coast to coast which are marked by our beautiful "Madonna of the Trail," also giving a brief history of the points of interest over these trails. In January a meeting was devoted to early Kansas history. We have also located the route and stops made by the Pony Express Riders from St. Joseph, Mo., to Leavenworth. Wm. F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) lived here and was one of these riders as well as a government scout and buffalo hunter and an Indian scout. His home was in Salt Creek Valley, a few miles from the city on Highway 73 East. His home was located on Cody Hill. His father, who was a Free Statesman, Isaac Cody, died when Wm. was quite young and we find that he was buried at Pilot Knob. The cemetery was abandoned years ago and Buffalo Bill came here several times to locate his Father's grave but was not successful. The Chapter is still trying to have the gate placed at the entrance to the Fort which will enable us to place our Old Trail Marker at the entrance of the city. We have given quite a sum of money to help preserve our rooms in Shawnee Mission and hope to have them furnished in the early Summer.

The following Chapters have reported no work accomplished this year in our line: Topeka, Newton, Polly Ogden, Manhattan, Olathe, Carver Barton, and Fredonia.

The remaining Chapters have not responded to my committee. I want to urge the locating and preserving of the historic spots and Old Trails which can be accomplished at this time with work and little expense as we have so little to spend, but hope later to place more tablets and markers. We must try not to let the name Old Trails be lost, lest the interest die out in the numerous states where the marking of the trails is only begun.

(16) Just received report from McPherson, stating that they placed a marker on the grave of the Chaplain, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Colburn. Appropriate memorial services were held. Each year they place a marker on the grave of some departed member.

(17) Atchison Chapter reports that Mrs. C. R. Miller, local chairman for Historic Spots, has sent me the following which was received March 9: She has located the following Historic Spots: The Village of Twenty-four, and Father Marquette's notes of "Kanza" on his map of 1673 is the first record of this Village we of today have any knowledge of, and statistics point out that half century passed before M. de Bourgmont, Commander at Fort Orleans, recorded his trip north of the Kansas River in 1724 on his expedition to

the Padouca Tribes, in the West. He states the general rendezvous of the other being at the "Canza" Village, (of which there were two.) The "Village of Twenty-four," a little above the mouth of Independence Creek on the south bank of the river, on an extensive and beautiful prairie. When Lewis and Clark camped on this old village in 1804, enough of the remains were left to show at that time that the village had been quite extensive in by-gone times.

The Historical Old Julia M. Russell Place of 1000 acres on the Oregon Trail near White Clay (School). The first white child born in Atchison County May 9, 1855, near the N. E. Lancaster township line, was Frances, daughter of Daniel Miller.

Old Towns in the County:

Pardee—1857. Honoring Pardee Butler.

Caleb May, in October, 1854, made first settlement in Center township.

Old Huron.

Old Muscotah, an Old Indian Trading Post.

Old Martinsburg, near the present site of Potter.

Oak Mills, an Old Indian Mission.

Ocena.

Sumner, the home of Minnie Hawk, John J. Ingalls, and others.

Mt. Pleasant, founded by Thomas Fortune, the inventor of steam wagons, 1854.

Locust Grove, 1862.

Kennekuk, 1857, the first Tavern established in Grasshopper township. It is said that Abraham Lincoln spent a night at this place.

Arrington, 1854, the first steam saw-mill owned by Thos. Hooper was in Kapioma township. The old grist water-mill still stands, a land mark of by gone days, 1854.

Bennett Springs, now Potter.

Eden, established March 26, 1858.

Mashena, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 2, Township 5, Range 17.

Elmwood, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 2, Township 6, Range 20.

Concord, W $\frac{1}{2}$, Section 1, Township 5, Range 7.

Cayuga, on the Old Military road 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles from Lancaster township line, on part of E $\frac{1}{2}$, Section 18, Township 5, Range 18.

Helena, on East Branch of Little Grasshopper River, about 15 miles from Atchison and north of the old Ft. Laramie and California Trail. Section 28, Township 5, Range 18.

Port-Williams, the first Postoffice in Walnut township was established there April, 1855.

Bunker Hill, 1858, on Independence Creek, ten miles from Atchison—St. Nicholas, SW Corner Section 6, Township 7, Range 20.

Dead Man's Corner.

Monrovia, 1856, established by Caleb May.

A few old cemeteries:

Oak Grove, established 1857.

Oak Hill, established 1872.

Mt. Vernon, established 1864.

Mt. Calvary, near Atchison.

Mt. Pleasant, said to be the oldest in the county.

Locust Grove.

Round Mound.

Seven Day Lay.

Camp Creek.

Lancaster, 1857, Josephine Buck Langston, a daughter of 1812, is buried there.

Old Muscotah, over 60 years old.

Alderson and Mt. Calvary at Good Intent.

Evergreen, near Monrovia.

Effingham.

Sapps Grave Yard, near Oak Mills.

Pleasant Grove, at Farmington.

A few ferries:

Farleys.

George Million's Ferry, Atchison.

Lewis Point, above Oak Mills.

Sumner Ferry.

Grand De Tour.

The Russell—Bradford's Tavern, Ft. Riley Junction.

Eleven Mile Place, at Lancaster. The Old Trail Well on the Old Singleton Buck Farm, Lancaster, Township 6, Section 1, Range 19.

Seven Mile Place.

Mrs. Miller has spent a great deal of time in compiling this history of her county and she should have a vote of thanks for her untiring efforts and splendid work.

Respectfully submitted,

EFFIE HIATT VAN TUYL.

REPORT OF STATE PUBLICITY CHAIRMAN

This is my first report to you as State Chairman of Publicity and although it covers twelve months of activity, from March, 1933, to March, 1934, I have been active in the work

only ten months of that time, as my appointment came on May 15. However, I received all the back clippings from the former State Chairman and put them into shape, so that I have a complete report for the whole time. Having served as Vice-Chairman on this Committee for several years, I was already familiar with the work.

With the help of my Vice Chairmen, Miss Jean Hamilton of Wichita and Miss Harriet Tomson of Topeka, much has been accomplished in the way of publicity over the state.

Special articles were written about the celebration of our President General's Birthday throughout the state and the gifts to Constitution Hall. The radio broadcasts were written up for the press as well as our State Regent's visits to the various Chapters. Preservation of historic spots, marking of old trails and other records of achievement were given wide publicity as well as social activities of the different Chapters.

Some of the Chapters do not respond to letters asking for a record of publicity. In our state book, where these clippings are kept, these delinquent Chapters have their pages left blank. If you delegates of Chapters whose names are not on the Honor Roll would, on your return home, make it a point to see that all clippings are sent to me promptly after each meeting, my records would be much more complete in the future. By "Honor Roll" is meant immediate response with write-ups in the local press of all activities of the D. A. R. in that region.

Publicity on the whole has been very good. Articles are sometimes cut short or omitted altogether by the editor of the Club News of a newspaper, and this is no fault of your Chairman or her assistants.

Following is a statistical resume for the year according to Chapters:

March, 1933, 18 Chapters reporting with 140 inches.

April, 1933, 21 Chapters reporting with 124 inches.

May, 1933, 22 Chapters reporting with 130 inches.

June, 1933, 17 Chapters reporting with 125 inches.

September, 1933, 16 Chapters reporting with 117 inches.

October, 1933, 25 Chapters reporting with 146 inches.

November, 1933, 27 Chapters reporting with 260 inches.

December, 1933, 21 Chapters reporting with 164 inches.

January, 1934, 24 Chapters reporting with 245 inches.

February, 1934, 24 Chapters reporting with 201 inches.

making a total of 1662 inches of space, or over 92 newspaper columns of news. Topeka Daily Capital carried 208 inches of D. A. R. news, and Wichita Eagle or Beacon carried 60 inches.

The following Chapters through their respective publicity chairmen have attained the Honor Roll of 100 per cent:

Arkansas City, Atchison, Baxter Springs, Concordia, Dodge City, Susannah French Putney at El Dorado, Emporia, Rhoda Carver Barton at Fredonia, Uvedale at Hutchinson, Lois Warner at Junction City, Larned, Betty Washington at Lawrence, Henry Dawson at McPherson, Desire Tobey Sears at Mankato, Neodesha, Newton, Pittsburg, Mary Wade Strothers at Salina, Topeka, Eunice Sterling at Wichita, and Winfield. Abilene would have been included in this list had she sent her clippings on time. They were complete. This means twenty-one Chapters are on the Honor Roll, an excellent showing. May we have perfect reports from more of our Chapters next year.

Respectfully submitted,

(Mrs. John F.) BESS M. ELDEN,
Chairman.

RADIO REPORT FOR KANSAS

March 1, 1934

We had hoped to have one radio talk each month, but am sorry to report we fell short of our plans.

Mrs. E. P. Pendleton, our State Regent, opened our program on Constitution Day, September 17. Mrs. Pendleton gave a very interesting and informative talk on "The Constitution," over WIBW.

On October 19th, Dr. R. A. Schwegler, Dean of School of Education of University of Kansas, broadcasted over WIBW on Education. Dr. Schwegler is a forceful speaker and gave a worth while talk.

December the 19th, over Station KFBI, Abilene, Mrs. John Reese, Jr., our State Chairman of National Defense and Patriotic Education, gave a splendid talk on citizenship for D. A. R.

We celebrated our State birthday January 29 with a broadcast by Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick, Past State Regent of Kansas, now Vice President General of D. A. R. Mrs. Kirkpatrick spoke over WIBW on a very interesting subject, "Old Trails and Landmarks in Kansas."

The two radio stations which we used were very gracious in giving us time. Emporia Chapter reported a card of appreciation sent to WIBW. Allow me now to take time to urge all Chapters to send notes of appreciation to the vari-

ous radio stations which allow us to broadcast.

I notified each Chapter in the state preceding each broadcast. I also notified the various Chapters of our President General's talk in October as the date had been changed after the D. A. R. magazine went to press.

Martha Vail Chapter reported that they did not always have the notice in time to remail notices, as the majority of their members must be notified by mail. That is not the fault of anyone. Another year that could be remedied by announcing our programs some two months in advance.

Respectfully submitted,

GERTRUDE GILMORE,
State Radio Chairman.

REPORT ON REVOLUTIONARY RELICS FOR MEMORIAL CONTINENTAL HALL

I regret to report that Kansas at this time has nothing worthy to contribute to the Museum of Continental Hall.

(Anna P.) MRS. S. W. ATKINSON,
State Chairman of Revolutionary Relics of Continental Hall.

SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF THE U. S. A.

Madam State Regent, National Officers, State Officers, and Daughters:

This is the third annual report of work on the Sons and Daughters of the U. S. A. and while not so gratifying it is inspiring.

It has been a pleasure and a privilege to do what I could in the interest of this work.

The stability of America depends on intelligent citizens. These Clubs can and should be the nucleus for ideal citizenship and all it implies. The National security and public safety of America requires proper teaching in the home, church, and the school—studies in practical government and civics. The obligations and responsibilities of what it means to be a constructive patriot and intelligent citizen can be had through these clubs.

Our State Regent has asked us to define our object and aim. The object of the S. & D. of the U. S. A. is to instill

patriotism and love of our Country in the mind and heart of children. Our aim is to reach as many children as possible under the age of twelve.

Lessons and habits well learned during these years are never to be forgotten and lessons taught in the Handbook used by this committee, if enough children are reached, will be the means of building a foundation by which the security of this United States will be assured. Can we as D. A. R. shirk such an opportunity?

It is a great Regent to me that work in the D. A. R. overlaps, but will each Chapter, please, give one program over to this Handbook and do that in October, 1934, and really study it and understand it fully.

All Chapters reported to me but more than 50% have no Chairman for this work. Some Chapters have had a program pertaining to the work and I sincerely trust this means the foundation of work among the children of their respective communities. Children love their Clubs and are so proud of their achievement.

Several Chapters are doing good work in the school system and after all, reaching the child with a stimulus for patriotic endeavor is the objective.

I am pleased to report five new Clubs through Wichita Chapter, Mrs. L. E. Rex, Regent, and Mrs. F. L. Carson, Chairman.

Namely:

Papooses Club	11 members
Hiawatha Club	16 members
Red Cloud Club	12 members
George Washington	29 members
4th Grade Club (no name chosen yet)	
Virginia Stephens, President	30 members

One Club has been re-organized, which really makes six. But we may claim five new Clubs with 98 new members and I am proud of it.

One new Club is under way in McPherson but was not completed in time to report for this year.

The Newton Clubs are flourishing and doing fine work. I commend them and their leader, Mrs. John Reese, highly.

I appreciate every tiny bit of cooperation from the bottom of my heart.

Respectfully submitted,

(Mrs. C. M.) KATHRYN B. ANDERSON,
State Chairman.

REPORT OF THE KANSAS STATE D. A. R. STUDENT LOAN FUND

Madam State Regent, Kansas Daughters and Guests:

This Chairman never expected to be asked to carry on the D. A. R. loan and collection business for the senior girls of Kansas. The request came as she was preparing to attend the fortieth reunion of her own college class and appeared to be a challenge to service.

Later when she would gladly have been freed from the work and its vexations, she found herself as one who has grasped a live wire, held by the current of human interest.

The files came to us from Mrs. Hopson, former chairman. Kansas has been fortunate in its two former Student Loan Chairmen.

Miss Hulse, who was in Mankato during our absence, received the files, familiarized herself with the contents and aided us greatly in planning the year's work.

Our late August letters to 16 college presidents brought return-mail replies of gratitude. Several requested that we reduce the size of the loans and so increase the number of borrowers.

This has not been an easy year for your committee. A thoughtless Miss, who came to the library for Mary Johnston's "To Have and To Hold," asked for "To Long and To Last," and gave us the year's slogan—For senior girls to long for us to hope for energy, courage, wisdom, and tact enough to last until this cause has been so presented that every Chapter may know the joy of participation.

In the consideration of applications, four standards have been adopted:

1. Scholarship.
2. Ability to make valuable contacts.
3. Probable ability to get and to keep a job and so repay the loan.
4. The family reputation for meeting its obligations when due.

We now require the signature of a parent, guardian, or next of kin on all notes. We also ask all candidates to interview Chapter Regents, where possible. Several Regents have given generously of their time in furthering our efforts to place your new loans wisely and to collect from former borrowers. The committee is especially indebted to Mrs. Felt of Salina.

Fifteen applications from senior girls have been carefully investigated. One loan is pending and six have been made as follows: Four of \$100.00 each, one of \$150.00, and

one of \$110.00, a total of \$660.00. The borrowers attend Battle Creek College, Michigan, Kansas State College; McPherson; Southwestern, Ottawa University, and Bethany at Lindsborg.

The fund amounts to \$2516.19. Of this, \$1827.09 is notes receivable and \$689.10 in cash. The balance in cash at the beginning of the year was \$696.68. We are gratified to be able to report a gain of \$273.61 this year, when gains mean work and sacrifice.

The Chapter support of this cause is most encouraging. We had formal reports from 37 Chapters often accompanied by letters of regret or encouragement. Five Chapters increased the amount of their contribution over that of last year, two contributed for the first time. A total of \$207.30 or about thirteen cents per capita from the contributing Chapters.

Received from 29 Chapters:

Abilene, \$5.00; Baxter Springs, \$5.00; Betty Bonney, \$5.00; Christiana Musser, \$5.00; Concordia, \$2.50; Courtney-Spaulding, \$5.50; Desire Tobey Sears, \$5.00; Dodge City, \$5.00; Emporia, \$10.00; Eunice Sterling, \$25.00; General Edward Hand, \$5.00; Henry Dawson, \$5.00; Isabella Weldin, \$5.00; James Ross, \$25.00; Lois Warner, \$5.00; Martha Vail, \$5.00; Mary Wade Strother, \$6.00; Newton, \$5.00; Oceanic Hopkins, \$5.00; Olathe, \$2.00; Peleg Gorton, \$3.50; Phebe Dustin, \$10.00; Rhoda Carver Barton, \$5.00; Sterling, \$5.00; Susannah French Putney, \$10.00; Topeka, \$10.00; Uvedale, \$2.00; Wellington, \$5.00; Wichita, \$20.00.

Nineteen persons have used the fund this year. Six are new borrowers. Three have completed all payments. Three have positions and are making payments. However, one paid in non-cashable warrants, is helped by her family; another pays in small monthly installments. Two now have C. W. A. positions and are paying. Three are either at home or working for board and doing college work. One has been able to pay interest only. One is still entirely in default. \$378.81 has been received on principal of notes and \$66.11 on interest.

We close the year with a record so much better than seemed possible on January first, that we know that

"You must have faith, and so,

if you work, if you wait, you will find the place
Where the four-leaf clovers grow."

We wish to express our thanks to Mrs. I. M. Platt, who has aided in every way possible and to the treasurer, Miss

Seelye, to whom we have often turned for aid and encouragement.

Five Chapters have local funds: The Victor Blakeley Memorial of Topeka at Washburn, \$1250.00; General Edward Hand at Ottawa, \$130.00; Polly Ogden at Kansas State College, \$672.75; Betty Washington at Kansas University, \$1376.35; Eunice Sterling has an inactive fund of \$1000.00.

The total of all student loan funds of the Kansas D. A. R. is now \$6954.34, a gain of \$318.80. These funds have been used by thirty-one boys and eighty-three girls, by nine boys and thirty-eight girls this year.

Daughters—you entrusted to us your five talents. We present to you a working balance of \$689.10 for the new year—this is your five talents. Other five talents we bring—six more young women who will soon go out better prepared to meet the stress and strain of the new day when for some of us the sun of usefulness has set.

Respectfully submitted,

JENNIE I. CAMPBELL,
Chairman.

REPORT OF SHAWNEE MISSION

Warned by a request from the Shawnee Mission Indian Historical Society, for the use of the D. A. R. rooms at Shawnee Mission as an overflow for their collection, the State Regent and the Shawnee Mission Committee decided the time had come to prepare the rooms for use as a museum.

The first activity of 1933 was a covered dish luncheon served by the Olathe Chapter at Shawnee Mission on Wednesday, September 20. All Chapters within driving distance were invited. Mrs. Chas. F. Adams, Regent of the Topeka Chapter and eight other members of that Chapter were present. Mr. Kirke Mechem, secretary of the Kansas State Historical Society met with Mrs. Pendleton and financial arrangements were made for repairing and re-decorating the D. A. R. rooms. It was voted to make this visit to Shawnee Mission an annual event.

As the amount allowed by the State of Kansas for the maintenance of Shawnee Mission, \$750.00 per year, is inadequate for even necessary repairs, it was arranged that the State of Kansas and the Kansas D. A. R. should each pay half of the amount required for the renovation of the rooms.

A charming Colonial wall paper, the design silhouettes on an ivory ground, was selected. The floors were levelled and strengthened, patched where necessary to make them mouse proof, and refinished. We were fortunate in being able to keep the old floor of wide boards. All wood work was painted, the plaster patched and paper hung. The work was done by local workmen under the direction of the State Architect. The total expense was \$143.43, of which our share, \$71.70, has been paid by Miss Seelye, our State Treasurer.

I quote from the letter from the Secretary of Kansas State Historical Society, enclosing the bill for repairs: "I have inspected the rooms and am very much pleased. I think the paper you selected is very attractive and carries out the desired effect. We are considering placing iron bars on all the windows. I hope to be able to have this taken care of within the next month or two."—Signed K. Mechem, Secretary. The D. A. R. is not expected to help with this expense.

The rooms have each two casement windows and a fire place, with cupboards. We have had two mantle clocks and a Grandfather's clock and a framed print of Washington and his family promised us, and a six piece tea set about one hundred years old bequeathed us by a deceased member. Our next undertaking will be shades and draperies for the windows.

The committee asks all members to look through their homes and decide what antiques of date prior to 1865 can be spared to Shawnee Mission. We feel that the D. A. R. Rooms and the quaint old building will furnish a beautiful setting for such a collection.

Communications and donations may be sent to Dr. T. G. Vernon, Caretaker, Shawnee Mission, 52nd and Shawnee Mission Road, Kansas City, Kansas, or to Mrs. Harry B. Tasker, Chairman Shawnee Mission Committee, 1406 Buchanan St., Topeka, Kansas.

ANNA CAMPBELL TASKER,
Chairman.

REPORT OF STATE REGENTS

ABILENE CHAPTER

Abilene

Miss Blanche Edwards, Regent

62 Members

Gave \$15.00 to Approved Schools, and presented flags and manuals to newly naturalized citizens. Sent old newspaper of historic value and \$5.00 to State Library of the D. A. R. Have observed flag days and national holidays. Are improving and restoring an old cemetery near here, where several Kansas pioneers and Indians are buried. Gave \$10.00 to American Institute of Genealogy, \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund and \$6.00 to D. A. R. Library at Washington, D. C.

ARTHUR BARRETT CHAPTER

Frankfort

Mrs. G. H. Montague, Regent

22 Members

We have been active in the Girl Homemakers and have aided considerably with the Boys 4-H activities in this community. We placed a marker on the Oregon Trail near here and are now beautifying the surrounding grounds which is deeded to our Chapter. We entered an essay in the contest of the National Society and were very happy to receive second place and the Award was made to our State Regent at the National Congress in Washington, D. C., this year. We have located the graves of two Revolutionary Soldiers and are planning to mark these soon.

ATCHISON CHAPTER

Atchison

Mrs. Wallace J. Brockett, Regent

55 Members

Gave \$10.00 as history prize hoping to encourage patriotic education, \$5.00 to Seamen Library and \$3.00 to Constitution Hall Finance. Observed Flag, Memorial, and Constitution days with appropriate services. Sent \$7.00 worth of old gold to Continental Hall Memory Book. Sent old newspaper containing write up of Lincoln's death to Shawnee Mission. Observed Washington's Birthday with annual tea. Sent in some good material to the Preservation of Historic Spots committee.

BAXTER SPRINGS CHAPTER

Baxter Springs

Mrs. F. H. Bartlett, Regent

15 Members

Gave \$5.00 to Approved Schools, sent box of clothing to Kate Duncan Smith valued at \$19.00, and Ellis Island box valued at \$1.50, to Constitution Hall Finance \$5.00 and \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund. Made awards to High School students of \$6.00, in accordance with Girl Homemakers committee. Observed Flag Day, Washington's Birthday and Constitution Day. Had programs on National Defense and National Committee work.

BETTY BONNEY CHAPTER

Arkansas City

Mrs. E. A. Funk, Regent

59 Members

Erected a marker to the Pioneers of Arkansas City at a cost of \$160.00. Sent \$10.00 to Approved Schools, placed two framed Flag codes, \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund, \$5.00 to Constitution Hall Finance, observed Flag and National Days, and aided in several civic improvements.

BETTY WASHINGTON CHAPTER

Lawrence

Mrs. F. T. Barteldes, Regent

126 Members

Gave \$5.00 to Approved Schools, \$25.00 to Constitution Hall Finance, \$10.00 to Ellis Island, spent \$25.00 on Americanization work among the Mexicans, and have one member who gives much of her time to this work. We gave \$100.00 in a Loan Scholarship at K. U. and several gifts of a civic nature. Our Lineage Book file is complete. We observed Flag Day and Washington's Birthday.

CAPTAIN JESSE LEAVENWORTH CHAPTER

Leavenworth

Mrs. F. D. Webster, Regent

51 Members

Gave \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund, sent box of clothing to Crossnore, and distributed manuals to the newly naturalized. We have stressed in our programs this year National Defense and Patriotic Education and have given a medal in the Junior High for best student in American History.

CHRISTIANA MUSSER CHAPTER

Chanute

Mrs. Zora Zinn, Regent

21 Members

Have distributed manuals and pamphlets on the Constitution to city schools and other places where needed and gave \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund. Observed Flag Day. Aided in civic work. Used the Constitution of the United States as the basis of our programs for the year.

CONCORDIA CHAPTER

Concordia

Mrs. R. H. Hanson, Regent

31 Members

Sent \$5.00 to Approved Schools and aided in civic work.

COUNCIL OAK CHAPTER

Council Grove

Mrs. L. H. Brigham, Regent

35 Members

Gave \$1.00 to Ellis Island and \$5.00 to Constitution Hall Finance, observed Flag Day and Washington's Birthday, aided in civic affairs and were associated in the erecting and unveiling of a marker to the memory of a pioneer of Council Grove.

COURTNAY-SPAULDING CHAPTER

Russell
Mrs. J. C. Ruppenthal, Regent
26 Members

Gave \$4.50 to Approved Schools, \$5.50 to Student Loan Fund, and four Awards of Merit to High School Girls. Observed Washington's Birthday with annual tea. Have done quite extensive work with Girl Homemaker's Committee.

DESIRE TOBEY SEARS CHAPTER

Mankato
Mrs. E. E. Duncan, Regent
46 Members

Sent \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund and \$5.36 to Approved Schools, \$3.00 to Ellis Island and \$6.64 to Constitution Hall Finance. Presented four Awards of Merit to girls for Excellency in sewing, home management, cooking, and etiquette. Much good material was sent to the chairman of Genealogical Research. Have observed the National Days.

DODGE CITY CHAPTER

Dodge City
Mrs. Harry A. Hart, Regent
43 Members

Sent \$8.00 to Approved Schools and \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund, also a box, valued at \$7.00, to Ellis Island. Observed Patriotic Days in a profitable way and did our bit in civic work.

EMPORIA CHAPTER

Emporia
Miss Lucina Jones, Regent
95 Members

Gave \$35.00 to Approved Schools, \$23.00 for Americanization, \$5.00 for Ellis Island, \$10.00 for Student Loan Fund, \$5.00 for Constitution Hall Finance, \$1.25 for Girl Homemakers, \$15.00 for three gold medals for Excellency in American History. Assisted in the placing of marker of Kansas pioneer. Sent several papers to Genealogical Research.

ESTHER LOWERY CHAPTER

Independence
Mrs. E. M. Mulvaney, Regent
95 Members

We sent \$10.20 to the Constitution Hall Finance Committee and our Lineage Book file is complete. We own our own Club House and are very proud of it, but it has been an effort to meet the necessary payments this year and in doing this we have neglected to contribute to many other worthy causes. This building is one of the oldest church buildings in our town and we feel that in restoring it we are preserving one of the landmarks of Independence.

EUNICE STERLING CHAPTER

Wichita
Mrs. Lizzie Throckmorton, Regent
215 Members

Gave \$60.00 to Approved Schools, \$25.00 to Student Loan Fund, \$5.00 to Constitution Hall Finance, \$5.00 to Ellis Island, \$24.00 to Americanism, and aided financially in several civic activities. The conservation and thrift committee were especially active. Six D. A. R. lineage books were added to our library and good work was accomplished by the Genealogical Research committee.

FORT LARNED CHAPTER

Larned

Mrs. D. E. Fox, Regent

26 Members

Sent \$5.00 to Approved Schools, and gave Award of Merit medal to high school student with best grades in American History and Civics. Observed Flag Day, Armistice Day and Washington's Birthday.

FREDERICK FUNSTON CHAPTER

Humboldt

Mrs. J. J. Amos, Regent

20 Members

Presented medal for Excellency in American History for Junior High student, and sent \$3.60 to Constitution Hall Finance. Have sent several reports to the chairman of Genealogical Research.

GENERAL EDWARD HAND CHAPTER

Ottawa

Mrs. C. A. Gibson, Regent

75 Members

Gave \$15.00 to Approved Schools, \$11.50 to Constitution Hall Finance, \$10.00 to Ellis Island, \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund, \$1.00 each to Marine and State Library and presented medals to boy and girl who excelled in Citizenship in the High School. Gave to several local activities.

HANNAH JAMESON CHAPTER

Parsons

Mrs. Harriet Webb Simpson, Regent

60 Members

Sent a box to Ellis Island and \$2.00 for Constitution Hall Finance Committee. Observed Memorial Day, Flag Day, and Washington's Birthday and aided in several civic activities. Placed a large flag in the Episcopal church here in memory of our founder, Mrs. Ella Woodward Ballard.

HENRY DAWSON CHAPTER

McPherson

Mrs. J. G. Bailey, Regent

33 Members

Sent \$5.00 to Approved Schools, \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund and \$1.00 to Constitution Hall Finance. Also sent a large box of clothing to Tamassee at Christmas time. Are marking the graves of our deceased members with D. A. R. markers and have had appropriate services at these dedications.

ISABELLA WELDIN CHAPTER

Augusta

Mrs. Ward Parry, Regent

23 Members

Sent \$1.00 to Student Loan Fund and \$2.30 to D. A. R. Library. Have made the programs for this year's study along the work of the national committees of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

JAMES ROSS CHAPTER

Kansas City

Mrs. W. H. McCamish, Regent

98 Members

Sent \$15.00 to Approved Schools, \$5.00 to Ellis Island, \$10.67 to Constitution Hall Finance, \$25.00 to Student Loan Fund and have

made several worth while contributions to local activities. We have given manuels and flags to the naturalization classes, also distributed flag codes.

LOIS WARNER CHAPTER

Junction City

Mrs. W. A. Scothorn, Regent
43 Members

Sent \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund and a box to Ellis Island valued at \$7.50 and made donations to several local needs. Placed manuels in the public schools and observed the National Holidays.

MARTHA VAIL CHAPTER

Anthony

Mrs. Wm. A. Small, Regent
15 Members

Sent \$5.00 to Approved Schools, \$3.00 to Constitution Hall Finance, \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund and \$2.11 to National Defense. Gave Awards of Merit to Girl Homemakers from four different high schools, sent in twelve pioneer reports, observed the National holidays and aided in local charities.

MARY WADE STROTHER CHAPTER

Salina

Mrs. H. S. Felt, Regent
53 Members

Sent \$6.00 to Approved Schools, \$6.00 to Student Loan Fund, \$2.05 to Constitution Hall Finance, material to Crossnore valued at \$3.30 and \$4.30 to Americanism and made other local donations. Have sent in several reports to the Genealogical Research. Observed Constitution and Armistice Days.

MOLLY FOSTER BERRY CHAPTER

Fort Scott

Mrs. W. W. Patterson, Regent
56 Members

We have observed Flag Day, Constitution Day, Navy Day and Washington's Birthday and had splendid programs at all meetings. Are stressing the Approved Schools in our Chapter and are sponsoring an exhibit for several of them for State Conference.

NATHAN EDSON CHAPTER

Clay Center

Mrs. Vernon Van Noy
13 Members

As we were the youngest Chapter in the state and hardly had our work outlined yet, we have very little to offer in this year's report.

NEODESHA CHAPTER

Neodesha

Mrs. Chas. Boatman, Regent
31 Members

Sent \$6.59 to Constitution Hall Finance and \$1.08 to Ellis Island. Gave Twelve Awards to the students excelling in Domestic Science in the Junior and High Schools. Assisted the public school in observing Constitution Day and instituted a library at the Wilson County Hospital. Distributed several different authorized leaflets.

NEWTON CHAPTER

Newton

Mrs. Walter O. Foltz, Regent

73 Memberes

Gave \$10.00 to Approved Schools, \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund, \$10.00 to Constitution Hall Finance, \$5.00 to Ellis Island. Sent in several Pioneer reports to Genealogical Records. We are giving two Awards in the Junior High School to the boy and girl who offer the best essay on "Citizenship." Have a Sons and Daughters of the U. S. A. club. Have had several out of town speakers at our various meetings. Presented an old clock to Shawnee Mission.

OCEANIC HOPKINS CHAPTER

Pittsburg

Mrs. John Fink, Regent

61 Members

Sent \$3.00 to Constitution Hall Finance, \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund, and gave donations to local needs. Distributed manuells at the naturalization court. Observed Flag Day, Memorial Day and Washington's Birthday.

OLATHE CHAPTER

Olathe

Miss Louise Scott, Regent

25 Members

Sent \$4.00 to Approved Schools, \$5.29 to Constitution Hall Finance and \$2.00 to Student Loan Fund. Gave a gold medal for the best essay on a revolutionary topic sent in by a high school student. Observed the national holidays and Flag Day. Planted the Memorial Lane at the Olathe Cemetery, dedication of which comes in next year's work.

PELEG GORTON CHAPTER

Winfield

Mrs. M. I. Godby, Regent

35 Members

Gave \$9.00 to Approved Schools, \$3.00 to Student Loan Fund, \$5.00 to Constitution Hall Finance, box to Ellis Island valued at \$6.00. Medals given to outstanding students in American History, sent letters at Christmas time to the seven Real Daughters. Have aided in local reliefs.

PHEBE DUSTIN CHAPTER

Phillipsburg

Mrs. F. C. Dickey, Regent

29 Members

Sent \$10.00 to Student Loan Fund and \$1.00 to Constitution Hall Finance. Sent box to Ellis Island. Awarded medals for best grade in civics and American history in the county and the best essay on any patriotic subject, contestants entered from three schools. Assisted in placing marker for Pioneer Mother of Phillips County. Have sent in some good material of early history and several genealogical reports. Distributed 200 manuells.

POLLY ODGEN CHAPTER

Manhattan

Mrs. W. E. Force, Regent

59 Members

Sent \$10.00 to Student Loan Fund and assisted several local organizations, both financially and through our Chapter. We are collecting books for the Hospital library at Osawatomie.

RHODA CARVER BARTON CHAPTER

Fredonia
Mrs. D. B. Ludwick Regent
29 Members

Sent \$5.00 to the Student Loan Fund, \$3.00 to the Constitution Hall Finance. Awarded two flags as prizes to the Junior High student of Fredonia and Benedict who made the highest average in U. S. History. Observed the National Holidays with special programs.

SAMUEL LINS COTT CHAPTER

Holton
Mrs. W. B. Spears, Regent
24 Members

Sent \$2.00 to Approved Schools, and \$4.00 to Constitution Hall Finance. Awarded \$10.00 as prize for Excellency in American History. Have assisted in local charities and relief work.

SARAH STEWART CHAPTER

Smith Center
Mrs. L. C. Uhl, Jr., Regent
20 Members

Sent \$3.00 for Approved Schools, and \$1.00 to Constitution Hall Finance. Sent a collection of Old Gold for the Memory Book Clasps, and a box to Ellis Island. Observed National Holidays.

STERLING CHAPTER

Sterling
Mrs. Malcolm Blackhall, Regent
31 Members

Sent \$5.00 to Approved Schools, \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund, \$5.00 to Constitution Hall Finance, and \$3.00 to Ellis Island. Also aided several local charities. Observed Washington's Birthday, Flag Day and Armistice Day. Read President General's message at each meeting, and strive to plan our programs along the plan of the State and National instruction.

SUSANNAH FRENCH PUTNEY CHAPTER

El Dorado
Mrs. R. C. Woodward, Regent
61 Members

Gave \$15.00 to Approved Schools, \$10.00 to Student Loan Fund, \$5.00 to Ellis Island, awarded medals in the High School for Excellency in history. Sent in a nice lot of material to the Genealogical Research committee, and \$7.00 to the State D. A. R. Library. Also sent \$20.00 to the Constitution Hall Finance, and aided in local work. Observed several Patriotic Days with suitable programs and have been aided in these by our Chapter of the C. A. R. of which we are duly proud.

TOPEKA CHAPTER

Topeka
Mrs. Chas. F. Adams, Regent
167 Members

Gave \$10.00 to Approved Schools, and \$10.00 to Student Loan Fund. Kept the Clerk of the District Court office well supplied with manuals and flags to be given to the naturalization classes. Sent 53 pwt. of gold for Constitutional Hall Memory Book. Have observed the usual holidays with suitable programs.

UVEDALE CHAPTER
Hutchinson
Miss Elva Colglazier, Regent
56 Members

Gave \$15.00 to Approved Schools, \$6.00 to Constitution Hall Finance, and \$2.00 to Student Loan Fund. Have assisted in several local campaigns. Have sent some material to the State Library and chairman of Genealogical Research. Have had many interesting programs always bearing in mind the committee work and National Defense work of the D. A. R. Have had many local activities which are interesting but can not list them all because of lack of space.

WELLINGTON CHAPTER
Wellington
Mrs. Xenia Downing, Regent
41 Members

Sent \$5.00 to Approved Schools, \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund and \$2.30 to Constitution Hall Finance. We have placed markers at the graves of our two departed members. Had a Guest Day on Kansas Day and a Colonial Tea on Washington's Birthday. Have read the Flag Lessons at the different meetings and continued our study of Historical nature.

WICHITA CHAPTER
Wichita
Mrs. Loren Edgar Rex, Regent
41 Members

Sent \$30.00 to Approved Schools, and \$10.00 to Student Loan Fund. Gave an award of \$5.00 to the Indian at The American Institute having the highest grade in American History. Sent \$30.00 to Constitution Hall Finance, sold \$59.46 worth of hand made goods sent us by the different Approved Schools, have tried in various ways to make the lives of the inmates at the Veterans' Hospital a little more happy and have aided in many ways in the local activities and charities. Have sent material both to the State and National Libraries.

DECEASED MEMBERS KANSAS D. A. R.

March 1, 1933, to March 1, 1934

Name of Chapter	Date of Death
Abilene:	
Gilbert, Edna Lawton (Miss)	October 13, 1933
Baxter Springs:	
King, Elizabeth Eyster (W. S.)	January 20, 1934
Betty Bonney:	
Ormiston, Florence Paddock	August 26, 1933
(G. D.) Tyler, Mary Marsh (Mrs.)	May 14, 1933
Betty Washington:	
Cahill, Anna Buckland (John)	March 23, 1933
Johnson, Minnie G. Orton (J. B.)	January 5, 1934
Capt. Jesse Leavenworth:	
Myers, Amanda Collins (Edward W.)	May 30, 1933
Christianna Musser:	
Griggs, Eva White (Harry L.)	July 20, 1933
Desire Tobey Sears:	
Gordon, Julia Muffly (Wm. L.)	April 25, 1933
Emporia:	
King, Juliet Stuart (Robert)	December 28, 1933
Swan, Mary Celena (Miss)	December 27, 1933
Esther Lowery:	
DeVore, Carrie Ulmer (Arthur)	March 26, 1933
Eunice Sterling:	
Piatt, Alma Fellows (R. M.)	October 9, 1933
Hannah Jameson:	
Arnett, Nannie Watson (A. D.)	April 4, 1933
Elledge, Alice Marshall (S. B.)	March 4, 1933
James Ross:	
Bowman, Julia Sanford (W. S.)	September 19, 1933
Mary Wade Strother:	
Barber, Ethel Barker (Everett G.)	February 1, 1934
Pierce, Sarah Locke (W. P.)	June 27, 1933
Molly Foster Berry:	
Hall, Francis Emily (Miss)	March 18, 1933
Polly Ogden:	
Purcell, Mary Caldwell (Miss)	May 13, 1933
Rhoda Carver Barton:	
Creager, Estelle Olmstead (C. E.)	February 3, 1934
Gilmore, Florence Barton (J. S.)	January 10, 1934
Mrs. Gilmore was organizing Regent of Rhoda Carver Barton Chapter.	
Topeka:	
Matthews, Luvena E. Arrington (C. H.)	July 11, 1933
Miller, Florence Woodbury (M. M.)	March 16, 1933
Wellington:	
Broderon, Grace Jacobus (Peter A.)	September 5, 1933
Wichita:	
Stanley, Jetta Campbell (Claudius C.)	April 19, 1933
Tucker, Harriet Roach (Gilbert C.)	October 14, 1933
Eunice Sterling:	
Slater, Julia C. Foster (Mrs. John O.)	January 22, 1934

A GIFT TO THE KANSAS D. A. R. LIBRARY

As Mrs. Klayder, the State Librarian closed her report of the year's work, Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey, Honorary President General of the N. S. D. A. R. presented to the Kansas D. A. R. Library, a volume of which any library would be justly proud. The following extracts from the letter received by Mrs. Guernsey will explain the gift in detail:

Tenafly, N. J., March 5, 1934.

Mrs. George T. Guernsey,
Honorary President General, N. S. D. A. R.,
Independence, Kansas.

My Dear Mrs. Guernsey:

I am writing you as a former Kansan and the daughter of Mrs. John D. Ballard, deceased in 1915. She resided at Parsons and was the founder of the Hannah Jameson Chapter. I am a member of the Manhattan Chapter, New York City, and have had the pleasure of meeting you when I attended sessions of the National Society. It was during my term of office (1927-1930) as Historian of the Manhattan Chapter that I got the members interested in collecting photographs of the old homes of their families and some data concerning them. Some of the members did not have photographs but wished to be represented in the activity, so they contributed genealogy and family lore. There was much that had never been previously made of record, so I compiled it and had it published in book form to preserve the data for future reference and historical research. It will give me great pleasure to present a copy of the book which is entitled, "Old Homesteads and Historic Buildings," to you, in honor of my Mother, Ella Woodward Ballard. I should like, also for you to make the presentation of a copy to the Kansas State Society which will convene at Fort Scott, March 26, if it is agreeable to you. I would greatly appreciate the honor. I am sending a list of the libraries where the book has been placed, which may be interesting to you in presenting the book. There is an account of the Hannah Jameson Chapter on Page 33, in which your name is mentioned.

LURA BALLARD NORDYKE.

Following is the list of libraries mentioned above:

British Museum Library, London, England.
Bodleian Library, Oxford, England.
American Library, Paris, France.
National Museum Library, Zurich, Switzerland.
Library of Kyota, Kyota, Japan.
D. A. R. Library, Washington, D. C.
National Congressional Library, Washington, D. C.
National Geographic Society Library, Washington, D. C.
College of William and Mary Library, Williamsburg, Va.
Virginia Historical Society Library, Richmond, Va.
Harvard University Library, Cambridge, Mass.
Metropolitan Museum of Art Library, New York City.
Museum of the City of New York, New York City.
Public Library, New York City.
Los Angeles Public Library, Los Angeles, California.

A copy to each of the seventeen approved D. A. R. school libraries and to each member of the Hannah Jameson Chapter of Parsons, Kansas.

The Kansas Society feels very highly honored to receive this volume, not only for its historic records and lovely photographs, but because

it was collected and compiled by a Daughter of Kansas, and presented in memory of her Mother, who was one of the pioneer D. A. R. workers of our state.

CHAPTER REGENTS (1934-35)

Abilene:	
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Mrs. Mamie Bush	Frankfort
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BY-LAWS
of the
KANSAS STATE SOCIETY
of the
DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

PART I
ARTICLE I

NAME

This Organization shall be known by the title and name of the Daughters of the American Revolution in the State of Kansas.

ARTICLE II
OBJECTS

SECTION 1. This Organization pledges fidelity and loyalty to the Constitution and By-Laws of the National Society of the D. A. R., the objects of which are:

(1) To perpetuate the memory and spirit of the men and women who achieved American Independence, by the acquisition and protection of historical spots, and the erection of monuments; by the encouragement of historical research in relation to the Revolution and the publication of its results; by the preservation of documents and relics, and of the records of the individual services of Revolutionary soldiers and patriots, and by the promotion of celebrations of all patriotic anniversaries.

(2) To carry out the injunction of Washington in his farewell address to the American people, "to promote, as an object of primary importance, institutions for the general diffusion of knowledge," thus developing an enlightened public opinion, and affording to young and old such advantages as shall develop in them the largest capacity for performing the duties of American citizens.

(3) To cherish, maintain, and extend the institutions of American freedom, to foster true patriotism and love of country, and to aid in securing for mankind all the blessings of liberty.

SECTION 2. Its purpose shall be to further the above plans of the National Society and to maintain harmonious cooperation among the Chapters in Kansas and to plan and execute patriotic and historic work in the state.

ARTICLE III

MEMBERSHIP

SECTION 1. The membership of this Organization shall include all Daughters of the American Revolution who are members in good standing of some Chapter in Kansas.

Good standing shall be interpreted to mean that all National and State dues have been paid.

SECTION 2. Chapters failing to pay State dues shall not be entitled to representation at State Conference, to receive State communications or participate in any State affairs until all back dues are paid to the State Organization.

ARTICLE IV

OFFICERS

SECTION 1. The officers shall consist of a Regent, Vice-Regent, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Registrar, Treasurer, Historian, Librarian, Reporter and Chaplain.

SECTION 2. There shall be an Executive Committee, consisting of the Regent, Vice-Regent, Recording Secretary, Registrar and Treasurer.

SECTION 3. Officers of the National Society who are members of any Chapter in Kansas, the elective State Officers of this organization, and the Chapter Regents, shall constitute a State Board of Management.

ARTICLE V

ANNUAL CONFERENCE

SECTION 1. The supreme governing body of this Organization shall be a Conference to be held during the last week in March in each year and known as the Annual State Conference.

SECTION 2. In case for that year some emergency shall arise making the changing of the date necessary, the

State Board of Management shall have power to change the meeting place, date of meeting, or both, during the month of March provided two-thirds of the Board, voting, vote for such a change, subject to the approval of the hostess Chapter. This vote may be taken by mail.

SECTION 3. The purpose of this Conference shall be to receive reports of the State Officers, Chapter Regents and of State Chairmen of Committees; for the election of officers and for any other business that may arise.

ARTICLE VI

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

SECTION 1. No person shall be eligible to nomination or election to office who is not in good standing in her Chapter and who has not been a member of the State Organization at least one year.

SECTION 2. The Regent, Vice-Regent, Recording Secretary, Registrar, Treasurer, Historian, Librarian, Reporter and Chaplain shall be elected by ballot by a majority vote of the voting members present and voting at the Annual State Conference every second year, the election of the Regent and Vice-Regent to be confirmed by the Continental Congress of the National Society.

SECTION 3. The Corresponding Secretary shall be appointed by the Regent.

TERMS OF OFFICERS

SECTION 4. The Officers of this Organization shall hold office for two years or until their successors are elected and confirmed, and their terms of office shall begin with the close of the Continental Congress, held next after their election. A person serving an unexpired term, shall be considered as having served a full term if she has been in office half the term.

SECTION 5. The next election shall occur in 1936.

ARTICLE VII

NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS

SECTION 1. Nominations shall be made from the floor on the second day of the Conference, but no nomination shall be made without the consent of the nominee, who shall have the endorsement of her own Chapter. A Chapter may endorse one name only for the same office.

SECTION 2. Chapters wishing to present candidates

for office may send announcements of such candidacy to all Chapters in good standing, and to the State Officers before the State Conference.

SECTION 3. The election shall take place the last day of the Conference. The election shall be by ballot unless dispensed with by unanimous vote. A majority of those present, qualified to vote and voting, shall constitute an election.

ARTICLE VIII

DUTIES OF OFFICERS

SECTION 1. The Regent, in addition to performing the duties which pertain to her office, according to the Constitution and By-Laws of the National Society, shall preside at all meetings of this Organization, of the Executive Committee, of the State Board of Management and of the Kansas Delegation to the Continental Congress. She shall appoint all committees not otherwise provided for, sign all orders drawn on the Treasurer for moneys appropriated by the Organization, and may call meetings of the Executive Committee or Board of Management whenever she may consider it important and necessary. She shall, with the assistance of the hostess Chapter, prepare the program for the Annual State Conference. She shall present at the Annual State Conference all amendments proposed to the Constitution and By-Laws of the National Society and such other matters as she may deem worthy of consideration. She shall be a member of the Printing Committee. She shall be ex-officio a member of all committees.

SECTION 2. The Vice-Regent, in the absence or disability of the Regent, shall perform the duties pertaining to the office of Regent. She shall be a member of the Executive Committee.

SECTION 3. The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of all meetings of the Organization, the Executive Committee and the Board of Management. She shall be chairman of the Printing and Stationery Committee; countersign all orders drawn on the Treasurer and signed by the Regent, give notice of all meetings of the Executive Committee and Board of Management, and perform such other duties as pertain to her office, or that may be directed by the Organization, the Executive Committee or the Board of Management.

SECTION 4. The Corresponding Secretary, under the direction and supervision of the Regent, shall notify all State Officers and the Regent of each Chapter in good stand-

ing of the time of the Annual Conference not less than four weeks previous to the day designated. She shall be chairman of the Committee on Credentials, and she shall send to the Organizing Secretary General, each year immediately after the close of Continental Congress, a typewritten list of the names and addresses of the officers of the various Chapters.

SECTION 5. The Registrar shall keep the card file as established; she shall assist organizing Chapter Regents in proving eligibility claims for which service applicants shall pay a reasonable fee, not to exceed fifty cents an hour. She shall prepare supplements to the Kansas Directory Daughters of the American Revolution, when ordered by the Organization. She shall be a member of the Printing and Stationery Committee. In co-operation with the Treasurer, she shall keep a list of all members in the various Chapters which are in good standing. She shall be a member of the Executive Committee.

SECTION 6. The Treasurer shall collect all moneys and disburse the same only upon orders signed by the Regent and countersigned by the Recording Secretary. All moneys received by the Treasurer shall be deposited in some reliable bank in her name as State Treasurer, and all payments made by her shall be by check. She shall keep an itemized account of all receipts and expenditures, close the books on the first day of March and submit the same to a Certified Public Accountant before the Annual Conference of the Organization. She shall be bonded by the State Organization for the sum of \$2,500.00 for the faithful discharge of the duties above defined. She shall keep a separate account of all Student Loan Funds and receive payment of all Student Loan Notes. After July first, she shall furnish a complete list of the paid state membership to the Registrar. She shall be a member of the Executive and Credentials Committees.

SECTION 7. The Historian shall keep all the historical papers received by the Organization and shall prepare and preserve such addresses or articles of a historical character as may be desired for publication. She shall be chairman of the Memorial Committee. She shall prepare the Smithsonian Report.

SECTION 8. The State Librarian shall collect state, town and county histories, also vital records, baptism and marriage records, histories of old churches and cemeteries, family histories and genealogies. These books and gifts, either from authors, Chapter members or Chapters, are to be sent directly to the State Librarian who will send them

to the National Society. The Kansas State D. A. R. Library shall be under her supervision.

SECTION 9. The Reporter shall furnish articles concerning the activities of the State Organization to leading newspapers in this territory, from time to time, and upon occasion, to newspapers in Washington, D. C. She shall be State Chairman of the Publicity Committee and Chairman of the Conference Press Committee. She shall keep a copy of each article published, for the files (or Scrap Book) and shall send monthly reports to the National Chairman of Publicity at Washington, D. C.

SECTION 10. The Chaplain shall officiate in the offering of prayer and in other religious services when requested by the Regent. She shall be a member of the Memorial Committee.

SECTION 11. In the interim between the meetings of the Conference, the Board of Management shall have power to do and transact any business that might be transacted by the Annual Conference. It shall hold a meeting immediately preceding the Annual Conference, and other meetings upon the call of the Regent or upon written request of ten members of the Board. It shall recommend to the Annual Conference such patriotic and historic work as seems desirable to be undertaken by the Organization. Fifteen members shall constitute a quorum.

SECTION 12. The State Board of Management shall have power to fill vacancies in office until the next election; the election to fill said vacancies shall be by ballot, notice of the vacancy having been given in the call for the meeting of the State Board.

SECTION 13. All Officers, the Board of Management, Committees and Chapter Regents shall make reports of their work for the year, at the Annual State Conference.

SECTION 14. All Officers and Committee Chairmen upon retiring from office shall deliver to their successors all moneys, accounts, record books, papers or other property belonging to the Organization.

ARTICLE IX

ANNUAL CONFERENCE

SECTION 1. The voting members of the Annual State Conference shall be its elective Officers, Officers and Honorary Officers of the National Society whose membership is within the state, Chapter Regents, or in their absence, the first Vice-Regent or alternate, and the delegates or their alternates, regularly elected by Chapters as herein-

after specified, provided they have been members of their Chapter for one year and are in good standing.

SECTION 2. Twenty-five voting members shall constitute a quorum at the meeting of the Annual State Conference.

DELEGATES

SECTION 3. Chapters of less than fifty members shall be entitled to representation at the Annual State Conference by the Regent and two delegates. Chapters having a membership of fifty to one hundred shall be represented by their Regent and five delegates. After the first hundred, representation shall be in the ratio of three delegates for every subsequent one hundred. Alternates shall be elected for each Chapter Regent and delegate.

SECTION 4. Delegates and alternates shall be elected at the January meeting of their Chapter in each year, and certificates of their election signed by the Regent and Treasurer of their Chapter, shall be sent to the State Corresponding Secretary for the Committee on Credentials by March first. Vacancies that occur in the delegation may be filled by the Regent from alternates duly elected for that purpose at the January meeting.

ARTICLE X

COMMITTEES

SECTION 1. The Regent shall appoint a Student Loan Committee consisting of three members, who shall supervise the Kansas D. A. R. Student Loan Fund.

The Regent shall appoint a Conference Press Committee which shall consist of the Reporter and two other members.

There shall be a Printing and Stationery Committee which shall consist of the Recording Secretary, Registrar and Regent.

The Memorial Committee shall consist of the Historian, Chaplain and one other member.

The Committee on Credentials shall consist of the Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer and one other member.

ARTICLE XI

STATE FUNDS

SECTION 1. Each Chapter, belonging to the State Organization, shall pay annually to the State Treasurer on or

before January first of each year the sum of \$1.00 for each member in good standing on the Chapter rolls on that date.

Chapter Treasurers shall furnish, with each remittance of dues, a list of members for whom she is paying.

Chapters failing to pay above per capita tax shall be delinquent March first and not entitled to representation at State Conference.

Representation of Chapters shall be based upon number of dues in the hands of the State Treasurer by March first.

The Treasurer shall notify Chapters of their standing on February first.

SECTION 2. Daughters who became Life Members before April, 1921, shall be exempt from payment of State Dues.

SECTION 3. Stationery and postage, and in cases of emergency, telephone and telegraph charges, which charges shall be validated by the Executive Committee, shall be furnished to the State Officers and State Committees.

SECTION 4. A sum not to exceed \$500.00 per year shall be allowed the State Regent for her expenses in carrying on her work.

SECTION 5. A sum of \$12.00 for expenses shall be allowed each State Officer attending the entire State Conference.

SECTION 6. No provision is made for expenses of Honorary State Officers.

SECTION 7. In addition to the obligations specified in these By-Laws, no debts or liabilities shall be incurred except by vote of the Conference.

ARTICLE XII

CHAPTERS

SECTION 1. The election of officers for the various Chapters shall be held at the January meeting of each year and their terms of office shall begin at their first meeting after the close of Continental Congress, which is held the week of April 19. Immediately after the election of officers, the Chapter Secretary shall send three typewritten lists of the names and addresses of the newly elected officers to the State Corresponding Secretary on blanks to be furnished by the Corresponding Secretary.

SECTION 2. The State Regent, upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee, shall be empowered to request the disbandment of a Chapter failing to pay any State dues by July first of each year.

ARTICLE XIII

AMENDMENTS

SECTION 1. These By-Laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote at any State Conference, provided that a copy of the proposed amendments has been sent to the State Regent and each Chapter at least sixty days before the Annual State Conference.

SECTION 2. Amendments to these By-Laws shall take effect at the close of the Annual State Conference at which they are adopted.

ARTICLE XIV

PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY

SECTION 1. Robert's Rules of Order shall govern this Organization.

STANDING RULES

ARTICLE I

SECTION 1. The Regent shall see that arrangements are made for the publication of proceedings of the State Conference which are contained in the files of the Recording Secretary, the expense of such report to be borne by the Organization.

The Recording Secretary shall send a copy of this report to all State Officers and Chapter Regents.

SECTION 2. Board meetings may be attended by State Chairmen, Regents' representatives and other interested members, on invitation of the State Regent, except when the Board is in Executive Session.

ARTICLE II

SECTION 1. \$25.00 shall be allotted the Kansas delegates for the courtesy of flowers for the Kansas Regent at the Continental Congress.

SECTION 2. \$25.00 shall be allotted the State Regent for the entertainment of Pages at Congress.

SECTION 3. Daughters attending Conference and accepting the courtesies thereof, shall pay a registration fee of \$2.00, such fee to be allowed the Hostess Chapter.

ARTICLE III

SECTION 1. These rules may be amended, suspended or repealed at any annual meeting by a two-thirds vote of voting members present.

