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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

Annual Pilgrimage to Shawnee Mission, Wednesday, Sept. 18, 1935. All Daughters are urged to attend. Executive Board Meeting preceding the noon meal.



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."



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MINUTES OF SPECIAL BUSINESS MEETING, NOVEMBER 28, 1934.

A special meeting of the Board of Management of the Kansas Daughters of the American Revolution was held in Ottawa on November 28, 1934. The passing of Mrs. Pendleton made it imperative that a few business matters be taken care of at this time. It was the unanimous wish of the Board that Mrs. L. E. Rex fill the vacancy as State Regent and Mrs. Rex was authorized to appoint a committee to present resolutions on the passing of Mrs. Pendleton. On motion of Mrs. Guernsey, it was voted to hold the State Conference in Ottawa in 1935 as planned. On motion the Regent was asked to appoint a committee to place a marker on the grave of Mrs. Pendleton and plan a memorial and dedication of the marker at the time of the State Conference in 1935. The State Regent asked that no change be made in the stationery already printed until the State Con-At the request of the State Regent, Mrs. J. W. King consented to continue as State Corresponding Secretary until the next conference. A message was read from Mrs. Russell W. Magna expressing deep sympathy and asking that Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick represent the National Society at this time.

The following were present at the meeting:

Mrs. George T. Guernsey Mrs. R. B. Campbell Miss Catherine Campbell Mrs. J. W. King Mrs. A. J. Berger Miss Marion Seelye

Mrs. J. W. Lane Motion to adjourn. Mrs. C. A. Gibson Mrs. John C. Reese Mrs. A. C. Carpenter Miss Edith Chesney Miss Adelaide Morse Mrs. Chas. F. Adams

Adelaide Morse, Secretary Pro Tem.

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

Ottawa, Kansas, March 26, 1935.

The Board of Management of the Kansas Daughters of the American Revolution met in the committee room of the First Methodist Church in Ottawa, Kansas, at 2:00 P. M. with Mrs. Loren Edgar Rex, State Regent, presiding. All attending stood with bowed heads for a few moments as a memorial to our deceased Regent, Mrs. Pendleton. Miss Miles, State Chaplain, led in prayer. Twenty Regents answered roll call. Mrs. Rex announced the election of a Vice Regent to fill the unexpired term of one year. Leo Steinkirchner, of Newton, nominated Mrs. John C. Reese, of Newton and Mrs. R. W. Graves, of Emporia, nominated Miss Adelaide Morse of Emporia. Nominations being closed, Mrs. Rex appointed Mrs. C. M. Anderson, of Mc-Pherson, Mrs. Jonathan B. Carter, of Wilson, and Mrs. Marcel Duphorne. of Harper, to act as tellers. Ballot spread gave Mrs. Reese thirteen votes and Miss Morse seventeen. Mrs. Warren Jeffrey of Topeka then nominated Mrs. John F. Elden, Jr., of Topeka, for the newly-created office of State Reporter and she was unanimously elected. E. Don Carlos, of Lawrence, moved that a message be sent Mrs. Elden, telling her of her election and expressing sympathy for the illness of Mr. Elden. Minutes of the last regular Board Meeting and the Special Meeting were read and approved. Mrs. Guernsey explained the confirmation of Mrs. Rex as State Regent. Mrs. E. H. Dickinson, chairman of Genealogical Records Committee, presented Volume 2, Genealogy of Early Kansas Settlers, to the State Regent, she in turn to present it to the National D. A. R. Library in memory of Mrs. Pendleton. Permission was given Mrs. Lull, chairman of Approved Schools, to sell hand made goods from Georgia, together with the hand made goods from the other schools. Mrs. Wayne Shaw, Regent of the James Ross Chapter of Kansas City, Kansas, announced the giving of \$10.00 as a nucleus for a fund to purchase memorial for Shawnee Mission, in memory of Mrs. Pendleton. Mrs. C. A. Matson, regent of the Eunice Sterling Chapter of Wichita, reported the theft of 14 out of 16 bronze markers placed by their chapter along the George Washington highway in Wichita. Mrs. Rex expressed hope that Mrs. Manning would re-consider her resignation as chairman of the Filing and Lending of Historical Papers committee.

The Board approved the following recommendations for consideration at the Wednesday morning session:

- 1. That the per capita tax as ordered by Congress for 1935 be allowed.
- 2. That \$25.00 be placed in a petty cash fund for the use of the Chairman of Shawnee Mission committee.
- 3. That \$25.00 be sent Constitution Hall to be used for repairs in the Kansas room.
- 4. That \$50.00 be allowed for the purchase of a C. A. R. flag to be used in Washington, D. C.
- 5. That Kansas Daughters endorse Mrs. W. E. Stanley for the office of Honorary Vice President General, subject to the election at the April Board meeting in Washington, D. C.
- 6. That Miss Pollock be empowered to purchase a book in which the permanent record can be made of our deceased members.
- 7. That \$50.00 be allowed the State Librarian for use in the Kansas State D. A. R. Library.
- 8. That a copy of Volume 2, Genealogy of Early Kansas Settlers be presented to the State Historical Society, the D. A. R. to stand any expense of binding that is necessary.
- Mrs. C. R. Miller, chairman of the Book Plate Committee, reported a proof of the Book Plate selected would be offered for consideration in a few days. Message from Miss Nettleton, Treasurer General, stated \$313.24 had been received for Kansas during the "last round-up" for Constitution Hall Finance. Miss Seelye reported \$586.65 had already been sent for this committee.

Respectfully submitted,

ADELAIDE C. LAIRD, Recording Secretary

MINUTES OF 37TH ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE KANSAS DAUGHTHERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

The formal opening of the 37th annual state conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution was at the First Methodist Church in Ottawa, Kansas, on Tuesday, March 26, 1935, at 8 P. M. The Organ prelude was rendered by Miss Helen Osburn; following the assembly call, the processional entered the main auditorium by the two main aisles. Preceding the honor guests, distinguished members and state officers were twelve pages, one of whom carried the flag, one the Kansas banner and the third one the D. A. R. banner. Conference was called to order by Mrs. Loren Edgar Rex, State Regent of Kansas. Rev. I. A. Smith, pastor of the Federated Church, gave the invocation. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mrs. W.H. McCamish, chairman of the Correct Use of the Flag Committee. assemblage, led by Mrs. W. J. Scott, sang two verses of our national anthem. During the singing the lights were lowered and a spotlight thrown on the beautiful Stars and Stripes; the hidden electric fans made us realize that the "Star Spangled Banner still waves; O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave!" It was a very thrilling sight and one not to be easily forgotten. Miss Adelaide Morse, State Vice Regent led in the repeating of the American's Creed. Greetings from the Hostess Chapter were extended by Mrs. C. A. Gibson, Regent of the General Edward Hand Chapter and from the City by Mayor E. Lister. The response by Mrs. George Thatcher Guernsey was graciously given. The State Regent then introduced the distinguished members: Mrs. Guernsey, Honorary President General; Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick, Vice President General; Mrs. Robert Bruce Campbell and Mrs. W. E. Stanley, both Past Vice Presidents General and all four being Past Regents of Kansas. Then the present State Officers were presented and the honor guest, Mrs. Clinton Morgan, Organizing Regent and Past State Regent of Alaska. The American Legion was represented by F. R. Bennett; the Legion Auxiliary by Mrs. George Okeson, the G. A. R. by Peter Kaiser; the Ladies Circle of the G. A. R. by Mrs. George Rule; the Spanish War Veterans by Mr. Steele; the Boy Scouts by J. B. Stewart and the Girl Scouts by Mrs. H. D. Hutchinson, these in turn were introduced by Mrs. Rex. Harold McGugin, former Congressman, gave a very worth while address on "National Defense."

said in part: "The American pacifist is unwittingly supporting a program which will bring upon America the very thing it does not want-war. We have in our midst the treacherous communist, who is opposing preparedness for America and is boring within our Army and Navy, while his beloved Russia is armed to the teeth. It is well that his civil works be counteracted by the D. A. R., the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and other patriotic organizations." Prof. Everett Fetter, of the Ottawa University, played two violin solos which were ably executed and greatly enjoyed. Following a few announcements, the colors were retired. Following this program at the church, a lovely reception was given at the home of Mrs. A. C. Carpenter for the delegates, state and national officers and all visiting daughters. There were about two hundred guests. It was a perfect setting for the outstanding social success of the conference. The same decorations were used at the reception that were used all through the conference—a profusion of calla lillies, palms and boquets of forsythia.

WEDNESDAY MORNING

Following the call to colors, Miss Helen Osburn played the processional. All state officers were seated on the platform. Miss Kate B. Miles, state chaplain, read the First Epistle of Peter, verses 9 to 12 inclusive, and offered a prayer. Following the Pledge of Allegiance, the minutes of the Board meeting and the Special Business Meeting were read. The minutes of the thirty-sixth annual conference were read, corrected and approved. Mrs. J. W. King, corresponding secretary and chairman of the credentials committee, gave a report of the registrations to date:

Chapter Regents	21
Delegates	38
Alternates	24
State Officers	
National Officers	
Visitors	
Total1	

Mrs. Rex appointed the following on the Resolution Committee: Miss Adelaide Morse, Mrs. Carl M. Anderson, Mrs. Herbert P. Miller, Mrs. Claude F. Bird and Mrs. John Fink.

An organ Solo by Mrs. Harry Cooper proved a restful interlude. The reports of the state officers followed. Mrs.

A. J. Berger, State Registrar, reported 46 chapters in the state, the same number as reported last year, total membership 2273 which is less than a year ago. While this loss may seem discouraging, it is an increase over 1934 when the loss was 202 and in 1933 the loss was 227. The Uvedale Chapter of Hutchinson was awarded the flag for the highest percentage of increased membership during the past year. Eleven chapters show a gain in members and seven have held their own. Miss Marion Seelye reported as State Treasurer:

Cash in General Fund	_\$4,516.99
Total Receipts	5,456.99
Total Dishursements	4 658 68

and a total in the student loan fund of \$2,821.30. Mrs. King, Corresponding Secretary, gave the report of the State Regent, Mrs. Pendleton, from March 1 to November 26 and Mrs. Rex gave the remainder of the year's report. Following the Officers' reports came the reports of the various state chairman of committees and these are always more than interesting and never fail to stimulate interest for the coming year; they record the efforts of the past year and the hopes of each chairman for the future. We are sorry that all the chairmen were not present so that all reports might have been read, however, they are all printed in full in this proceedings. Business was suspended at this time, for the day, as the entire afternoon was devoted to the Memorial service and Dedication of the marker which was placed at the grave of Mrs. Pendleton.

THURSDAY MORNING

Session opened by the State Chaplain reading the second chapter of St. John, the first nine verses and offering the prayer. Following the Pledge of Allegiance, the minutes of the preceding day were read and approved. The Regents' reports were read at this time and we were glad to note a growing interest over the state in the D. A. R. work. More chapters responded to the call of the chairman of the committees and more interesting data was sent for the printed year book. Some of the chapters deserve much praise for outstanding work. The Recording Secretary read the recommendations made by the Board of Management, same were accepted. Mrs. H. E. Don Carlos of the Betty Washington Chapter of Lawrence moved that the

James Ross Chapter of Kansas City be appointed custodian of funds for a memorial at Shawnee Mission in honor of the late Mrs. Pendleton, and that its Regnt be empowered to collect said funds. Motion carried. The Corresponding Secretary gave the final report of the Credential Committee as follows:

Chapter Regents	 24
	46
Alternates	 29
Visitors	 59
State Officers	 10
National Officers	 5
Total	 73

The conference voted a letter of appreciation to be sent to Mr. Pendleton and family for their presence and co-operation during the conference. Mr. Pendleton thanked the assembly for the loving thoughts which had been expressed in many ways to the memory of the one we hold so dear.

There being no further business, conference adjourned to meet with the James Ross Chapter, in Kansas City, in

1936.

Respectfully Submitted
ADELAIDE C. LAIRD,
Recording Secretary

IN LOVING REMEMBRANCE

Genevieve Lingard Pendleton

SHE IS JUST AWAY

I cannot say—and I will not say
That she is dead—she is just away—
With a cheery smile and a wave of the hand
She has wandered into an unknown land.

And left us dreaming how fair It needs must be, since she lingers there, And you—oh you, who the wildest yearn For the old time step and the glad return

Think of her as faring on, as dear In the love of There as the love of Here; Think of her as the same, I say, She is not dead—she is just away.

-- James Whitcomb Riley.



MRS. EDWARD POSTON PENDLETON



Memorial Tribute

to

Daughters of the American Revolution Who Have Untered into Life Uternal March 1934 - March 1935

> March 27, 1935 Ottawa, Kansas

"They are not dead who live in hearts they leave behind, In those whom they have blessed they live a life again."

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

The most impressive part of the conference and the one longest to be remembered by those attending, was the Memorial service held at the First Methodist Church on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. It was our last act of love and appreciation of the life and work of our beloved State Regent and the other twenty-six Daughters who had departed during the past year. Into a beautifully decorated church to the strains of appropriate music, the processional took their places. The officers were preceded by a vested choir of twelve voices. As each name on the Roll of Honor was called, her chapter regent lighted a candle in the candelabra, while a page placed a calla lily in a green cross. The order of service was carried out very impressively by our present State Regent, State Chaplain and State Historian. Following the processional, "Crown Him With Many Crowns," Mrs. Rex read the Call to Remembrance:

Let us now with quiet and grateful hearts remember before God the dearly beloved dead. They have left our earthly companionship, but still they live within our hearts. The remembrance of them is dear and blessed.

Response _____ By Audience

They are not dead who live in hearts they leave behind. In those whom they have made blessed they live a life again. Eternal life is theirs, throughout the years, and time declares their immortality.

Silent Prayer, followed by Lord's Prayer (in unison)

Led by State Chaplain

Solo, "Sunset and Evening Star"Mrs. C. W. Leatherberry
Harp, Loren Latimer Violin, Laura Gruver

Scripture—Romans 14:7, 9; Revelations 14:13; John 14:27
Prayer ______ State Chaplain

Our God we thank Thee that to Thee there are no barriers between this life and the other! and that together, they who have passed on and we who remain, may even now in prayer draw near to Thyself, and to each other. Make thin, O, Lord, make very thin the veil dividing us, by our faith, strengthen our grasp of immortality. We thank Thee for the treasures laid up with Thee in Heaven; for the dear companionship which lives within our memories; for the good examples lived before us and left to us as heritage; for those who by their going have made the unseen Heaven into a Home for our hearts. Turn our thoughts from that

which we have lost awhile to that which we can never lose. And grant to us, we pray, a double portion of Thy spirit that we may be quickened into more faithfulness, more gentleness, more kindness to all who still companion us upon the earth. Amen.

Ave Maria.

Violin, Laura Gruver Harp, Loren Latimer The Light of Loving Remembrance _____State Chaplain "The memory of things precious keepeth warm The heart that once did hold them. They are poor That have lost nothing; they are poorer far Who losing, have forgotten; they most poor Of all, who lose and wish they might forget; For life is one, and in its warp and woof There runs a thread of gold that glitters fair. And sometimes in the pattern shows more sweet Where there are sombre colors. It is true That we have wept. But, O, this thread of gold We would not have it tarnish; let us turn Oft and look back upon the wondrous web And when it shineth sometimes, we shall know That memory is possession." -Jean Ingelow. Roll Call ____State Historian Tributes To Our State Officer _____ Mrs. A. J. Berger Genevieve Lingard Pendleton (Mrs. E. P.) State Regent General Edward Hand Chapter Our 26 Deceased Members _____ Mrs. L. E. Rex May Garfield Parks Gaylord (M. P.)......Atchison Chapter

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Carrie Sandifer Aikman (G. P.)Susannah French Putney
Alta Chase McClure (S. T.)Topeka Chapter
"Fold them, O, Father, in Thine Arms And let them henceforth be

"Fold them, O, Father, in Thine Arms
And let them henceforth be
Messengers of love between
Our human hearts and Thee."

State Chaplain

Benediction State Chaplain
Recessional "Those Eternal Bowers"

At the close of the Memorial Service the conference adjourned to the Highland cemetery for the dedication of the marker placed in memory of Genevieve Lingard Pendleton by the Kansas Daughters of the American Revolution. The officers were met at the entrance of the cemetery by the drum corps from the American Legion of Ottawa, who escorted them to the marker. The Guard of Honor carried arm loads of calla lilies which were placed at the base of the marker.

Bedication of Marker at the Grave of Mrs. Pendleton, Highland Cemetery, Ottawa, Kansas.

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Past Vice Pres. General, Mrs. Robert Bruce Campbell........Wichita

Assembly CallBugler Daughter's Pledge Miss Marion Seelve

Dedicatory Tribute, given at Highland Cemetery by Mrs. Rex.

We, the members of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution in the state of Kansas, have come to this hallowed spot to honour and perpetuate the memory of our beloved Regent. We dedicate this marker, bearing the insignia of our Society. upon the last resting place of Genevieve Lingard Pendleton, in recognition of her fine work and in token of our pledge that we will carry on and hold high the torch of service "Until the Day Break and the Shadows Flee Away."

> "In the quietness of eventide When all our strivings cease Comes the blessing of eternal rest, The beauty of its peace."

Prayer _____ Miss Kate B. Miles Taps.

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Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick

TRIBUTE TO MRS. PENDLETON.

When the autumn leaves had turned from green to gold, God called softly to one of his own—and Genevieve Lingard Pendleton our efficient and beloved State Regent, answered the call of Our Father—but she has left with us many beautiful memories.

In my memory, and perhaps in yours, there lingers a phrase with which Mrs. Pendleton so often prefaced her addresses: "Next to my God, my family and my home, the dearest thing in my heart is the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution." These were not idle words—they were spoken from her heart. One did not need to be a close friend to know of her faith in God and prayer, and her devotion to her family—and we do not need to search our records to learn of her interest and loyalty to the Daughters of the American Revolution. Her record appears before us as an open book, the first entry being made in 1918 when she became a member of the General Edward Hand Chapter of Ottawa. A few years later she was elected Regent of her chapter, an office she held for a decade, and during this time she was appointed our State Chairman of National Defense, a position she held for seven years. Her abilty and splendid work as state chairman earned for her the honor of being appointed a National Vice-Chairman of National Defense. In 1929 she was elected our State Vice-Regent, and four years later she became the State Regent of the Kansas Society, Daughters of the American Revolution. It was while she was busily engaged with the duties of this office and serving her fifteenth consecutive year as a member of our State Board of Management, that she heard our Commander's "Well done, thou good and faithful servant. Enter thou into the joy of the Lord."

Her unswerving loyalty to her family, her home and her friends; her never failing love and faith in the Heavenly Father, and her conscientious devotion to duty have placed the name of Genevieve Lingard Pendleton on our roll of honor, and in the list of those members of our organization whose vision, ability and leadership urge us to work and promote the principles upon which our society is founded. This thought has been beautifully expressed in a poem written by Alba Ashby Hewitt, a member of the General Edward Hand Chapter, and dedicated to the memory of Mrs. Pendleton.

Today, from out the shadows,
Comes a gracious woman's face;
She walks from out the silence,
With serene and stately grace.
I seem to see her coming,
With that sweet and tender smile,

To linger here among us, For just a little while.

How gallantly she led us,
With her soul's consuming fire;
Gave to us her changeless purpose,
From her heart's sincere desire.
Her eyes kept constant vigil,
Where her earnest spirit yearned;
Before her country's altar,
Her candles ever burned.

I seem to hear her saying,
As she laid her distaff down,
"This thread must not be broken,
"Tis for you to carry on.
You must cherish well the vision,
I have held for you to see;
You must keep the spindle turning,
In your memory of me."

'Tis not for us to falter,
Remembering her deeds;
'Tis but for us to follow,
Where her gracious presence leads.
Our heads bent low in promise,
Let us keep the vow she made.
With the sabre of her spirit,
She will give the accolade.

So today, with grieving hearts, but with a feeling of pride in having had this splendid leader and friend, we pause to pay our tribute to Genevieve Lingard Pendleton, whose influence abides with us still, for there are some personalities so strong, so lovely, they will never die.

RUTH NORRIS BERGER (Mrs. A. J.), State Registrar, Kansas D. A. R.

Tribute to Departed Members, given by Mrs. Rex. We have placed twenty six of our faithful members upon the Roll of Honour:

"Yes, they are gone, yet we are not apart
The distance traveled is measured by the heart.
The veil is thin that faith goes shining thru
Like dawn's ray as night recedes to blue.
Send forth your love, their need of it is plain,
So that they can know, we think of them again.
Love spans the space, they stand so near—yet far;
And welcome hands hold Heaven's gate ajar."

OFFICERS' DINNER

The General Edward Hand Chapter was hostess at a formal dinner for the State Officers and other guests on Tuesday, March 26th, at 6:30 P. M., in the private dining room of the North American Hotel. The theme of the decorations was the story of the Marais des Cygnes, the river upon whose banks Ottawa is located. The table cloth was of green tarletan, emblematic of the water, the center piece was a large plateau mirror on which rested a large porcelain swan surrounded by trailing smilax and water The nut cups were smaller swan, also surrounded by the smilax and were given as favors to the guests. Grace Meeker, in a very charming manner, told the story of the Marais des Cygnes. It is an old Indian legend, is sweet, quaint and mythical. It was a lovely courtesy and will long be remembered by all who attended. There were nineteen guests.

D. A. R. BANQUET

The Ottawa Country club was the scene of a lovely banquet on Wednesday, March 27, at 6:30 P. M., when the General Edward Hand Chapter entertained at dinner for all visiting Daughters and other invited guests. The place cards bore the portrait reproduction of General Edward The color scheme was blue, white and gold. table held a ship in a sea of blue cellophane, bouquets of spring flowers and lighted tapers. Small ships were given as favors. Mrs. C. A. Gibson, Regent of the hostess chapter, acted as toast mistress. Over the mantle hung the original Leutze painting of "Washington Crossing the Delaware." This lovely old painting was a gift from the descendants of General Edward Hand to the chapter which bears his name. Several of the descendants were present and were introduced. The invocation was given by Mrs. H. L. Kennedy. Miss Laura Gruver gave two violin numbers, one of which was dedicated to Mrs. Pendleton. -- She is truly an artist on the violin and her numbers were greatly enjoyed. Prof. Kerr, accompanied by Mrs. Kerr, sang a group of three numbers. Miss Grace Meeker of Ottawa, gave the toast to "Oarmanship" and in this she gave the history of the painting mentioned above. Mrs. Rex gave as her toast "Statesmanship" and Mrs. Kirkpatrick on "Citizenship". These were both instructive and interesting

Hon. F. M. Harris, the speaker of the evening gave his address on "Our Ship of State." He is a good speaker and deep thinker and his views and convictions were forcefully expressed. The 184 guests declared the banquet a decided success from every standpoint.

RESOLUTIONS

The Committee on Resolutions recommends to the Thirty-seventh Annual Conference of the Kansas Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, assembled in Ottawa, Kansas, on March 26-28, 1935, the following resolutions:

That, we express to the General Edward Hand Chapter -our Hostess Chapter, to their Regent Mrs. C. A. Gibson. to Mrs. King, to Miss Catherine Campbell and to all their committees, our sincere appreciation of their generous and genuine hospitality and the many courtesies, extended to the officers, delegates and guests.

That, we thank Mrs. A. C. Carpenter and the Hostess Chapter for the delightful reception, and Mrs. Bert Robin-

son and her committee for the banquet.

That, we thank Rev. I. A. Smith for his spiritual invo-

cation at the formal opening of the Conference.

That, we thank Mayor Edmund Lister for his welcome, and Mr. Harold McGugin and Mr. Fred Harris for their addresses.

That, we thank Mrs. W. J. Scott and the music Committee and the following musicians, viz., Miss Helen Osborn, Miss Laura Gruver, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Kerr, Mr. Loren Latimer, Mr. Everett Fetter, Mr. Harry Cooper and the choir for the delightful musical numbers furnished for our pleasure.

That, we offer our commendation to Mrs. Rex and her officers and the General Edward Hand Chapter, for the efficient manner in which they have carried out the program for this conference, according to the plans of our beloved Mrs. Edward Poston Pendleton.

Resolved, that the Corresponding Secretary send a letter of appreciation and love to Mr. E. P. Pendleton and family for their presence and co-operation.

Resolved, that we express our esteem and gratitude to Mrs. George T. Guernsey, Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. W. E. Stanley, Miss Catherine Campbell and Mrs. R. B. Campbell for their presence and helpful advice during the sessions.

Resolved, that our sincere thanks are due to the Buglers, the Pages, the Boy Scouts and the Ushers for their ready assistance at all times; and to the American Legion who contributed so great a part at the dedication of the Marker service for Mrs. Edward Poston Pendleton at Highland Cemetery.

Resolved, that we thank the Ottawa Herald for the generous and accurate publicity given the proceedings of the Conference and the complimentary copies of the paper distributed to our delegates and guests.

That, we thank the Topeka Capital for the space given our organization during the year in reporting the meetings of the Kansas Chapters.

That, we write notes of appreciation to the Radio Stations which have extended to us the privileges of their broadcasting facilities the past year.

Resolved, that we express our grateful appreciation to the Chamber of Commerce and to Mr. F. R. Bennett for prompt transportation when needed.

We also thank the management of the hotel for all courtesies extended.

We have appreciated the use and convenience of the First Methodist Church in which our meetings have been held and extend thanks.

Resolved, that the Kansas Society of the N.S. D.A.R. request a commemorative stamp of Shawnee Mission, to be issued as one of the most historic points west of the Mississippi.

Resolved, that we endorse H.R. 5541 introduced by Mrs. Virginia Jencks of Indiana, in the House of Representatives, which bill provides for the regulation of the display of the American flag on buildings of the Government of the United States and the District of Columbia.

Whereas, Our Government has seen fit to recognize the Soviet Government of the U.S. Soviet Republic, Be It Resolved

That, the Society of the N.S. D.A.R. support the recommendations to our U.S.A. Government as follows:

- 1. That the Communists be informed that they are to adhere strictly to their agreement not to spread literature or propaganda advocating communistism.
- 2. That our Government keep and endeavor to subdue it in the United States.
 - 3. That the immigration laws be strengthened to pre-

vent the admission of communists and provide immediate deportation of aliens.

- 4. That the naturalization laws be amended so as to forbid and cancel the naturalization certificate of a Communist.
- 5. Deny re-entry to the United States of America to any person who has visited Russia to secure Communistic Training.
- 6. To give preference in every case, to citizens of the United States in employment.
- 7. To immediately place daily military training in all C.C.C. Camps.

Resolved, that a copy of these Resolutions be spread on the Minutes of the Thirty-seventh Annual Conference and printed in the Ottawa Herald.

Very Respectfully Submitted,

MISS ADELAIDE MORSE MRS. CARL M. ANDERSON MRS. HERBERT P. MILLER MRS. CLAUDE F. BYRD MRS. JOHN FINK.

NATIONAL RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, in the Providence of our Heavenly Father Mrs. Genevieve Lingard Pendleton, State Regent of Kansas, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, April 1933 to November 1934, has been removed from our sphere of usefulness in the organization; and

Whereas, her enthusiasm was an inspiration not only to her own State but to the Society at large and to the National Board of Management; be it

Resolved, that we, the National Board of Management of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, in session assembled, desire to express our heartfelt sorrow and deepest sympathy to the State of Kansas and to the family of Mrs. Pendleton; therefore be it

Resolved, that copies of the above resolution be sent

to the bereaved family and to the State Society of Kansas, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Committee:

MRS. RAYMOND KIMBELL Chaplain General MRS. LOREN E. REX Acting State Regent MRS. NATHANIEL BEAMAN MISS HELEN HARMAN MRS. C. EDWARD MURRAY

STATE RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, the Daughters of the American Revolution in the State of Kansas, sustained a great loss on November 26, 1934 at Ottawa by the death of their beloved State Regent, Mrs. Edward Poston Pendleton; and

Whereas, Mrs. Pendleton's unusual ability, her keen intellect, and her skill as an orator combined to distinguish her in her own Chapter, in the state-wide organization, and in the National Society, defending at all times our tenet:

God. Home, and Country:

Whereas, Mrs. Pendleton's outstanding ability elevated her to many exalted positions, including Chapter Regent for eleven years, State Vice-Regent, State Chairman of the National Defense for eight years, National Vice-Chairman of National Defense Committee, and mindful that at the time of her death, she was serving as Regent of the State of Kansas; Therefore be it

Resolved, that we, Daughters of the American Revolution in the State of Kansas, express our deep recognition of this our loss, and that we extend our profound sympathy to her bereaved family, and be it further

Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be incorporated in our state records, and that copies be sent to her family and to the General Edward Hand Chapter.

> HELEN B. FERREL Eunice Sterling Chapter, Ch. MRS. E. A. FUNK Betty Bonney Chapter BIRDENE MEEK LANE Peleg Gorton Chapter HELEN O. STEINKIRCHNER Newton Chapter

Officers' Reports

STATE REGENT

April 1933 - November 26, 1934 Ottawa, Kansas

It is with deep sorrow in my heart and an overwhelming sense of inadequacy that I attempt to arrange in proper order the report of our departed State Regent, Genevieve Lingard Pendleton.

Mrs. Pendleton left Kansas City April 11 in company with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Hodges, jr., who was to be a platform Page; (an honor that goes only to the daughter of State Regents or other members of the National Board), to attend the 43rd Continental Congress, April 16-20, 1934 For the Constitution Hall Committee, (Kansas) Mrs. Pendleton reported the following pledges: General Edward Hand Chapter, (by Mrs. B. D. Bennett) \$50.00 in honor of Mrs. Pendleton, Kansas State Regent. Peleg Gorton Chapter of Winfield \$25 in honor of the State Regent, Mrs. Pendleton. Kansas Society \$250.00 in honor of our State Treasurer, Miss Marion Seelye.

Mrs. Pendleton considered it a happy privilege to appear on the platform and accept from the President General for Arthur Barrett Chapter of Frankfort the second prize, an attractive sterling silver ring, offered by the Girl Home Makers Committee for the best story on American Home Life. The prize was won by Miss Laura Emmingham of Frankfort and Mrs. Pendleton had the pleasure of reading her story at the special meeting of the Committee later. Mrs. Bagnell, National Chairman of Sons and Daughters of the U.S.A. clubs announced that our State Chairman Mrs. Anderson, was among those receiving honorable mention and had been awarded a blue ribbon. The State Regents reports must be given in three minutes and it is quite gratifying to know that almost every National Chairmans' report contained something creditable to Kansas.

We are making a special effort to interest young women in our Society, and we have one new Chapter being organized in Wichita. During National Board of Management Meeting, April, 1934 the State Regent of Kansas requested a Chapter authorized at Wichita.

Plans are under way to procure a Kansas book-plate

this year, Mrs. C. R. Miller, Atchison is Chairman of this Committee.

Mrs. R. C. Woodward, Regent of the El Dorado Chapter, has been appointed as State Director, Children of the American Revolution, taking the place of Mrs. F. H. Cron, who resigned.

Last summer, Mrs. Pendleton was requested to write two articles for the D. A. R. magazine. Under D. A. R. Tours for Tourists, in the February issue (1935) you will find her laast contribution, a most interesting article featuring the Old Santa Fe Trail Markers and Shawnee Mis-The second article, on D. A. R. Markers in Kansas was to have appeared when the picture of the Kansas Capitol is used on the outside cover of the magazine.

Between months of April and November, Mrs. Pendleton visited 13 Chapters, attended five meetings of her own Chapter, two district meetings, two meetings of the National Board. Your State Regent had the distinction of being from the farthest point west of any member at the October Board Meeting. Because of the critical illness of our State Regent six definite engagements as guest speaker to other chapters were cancelled in November.

Mrs. Pendleton was asked to assist with the dedication of two D.A.R. markers-Memory Lane Marker, Olathe Chapter, May 31st; Betty Bonney Chapter, Arkansas City,

June 14th, Pioneer Marker.

Many daughters over the State heard Mrs. Pendleton's radio address on September 17, Constitution Day, "The Relation of the Constitution to Human Rights" which was broadcast from WIBW Topeka.

Representatives from twelve Chapters in the State made the Annual Pilgrimage to Shawnee Mission, the third Wednesday in September. About 200 Daughters were present.

October 1st and 2nd Mrs. Pendleton, Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick and Miss Edith Chesney were guests of the Mis-

souri State Conference, at Ozark Beach.

Mrs. C. S. Laird, Jetmore, and Mrs. J. W. King, Ottawa accompanied Mrs. Pendleton when she made the trip in October to the State Park at Scott City especially to inspect the plot of ground and the D.A.R. Monument owned by the State Society, and she felt that it was well worth the effort, as El Quartele Jo attracts the attention of several hundred tourists each year. I might also add that the caretaker is most interested in his work and requested that we send him whatever additional historical data we had available so he might be better prepared to answer questions.

During this period three letters were sent out by the State Regent to the Chapter Regents one June 24th, Sept. 3rd, and Nov. 1st, 1934.

At the National Board of Management Meeting October 1934, Mrs. Pendleton was appointed to serve on two

separate Resolutions Committees..

Last April Mrs. Pendleton was invited to become a member of the National Officers Club and her membership card was received in July, No. 462. She also was invited to join the Kansas Authors Club but this membership was not completed.

Following the October Board Meeting of the National Board of Management, Mrs. Pendleton visited friends in

Orlando Beach, Florida.

In closing I should like to quote one worthwhile thought often used by our departed State Regent, "That we are members of a very worthy and powerful organization of women and that it is our definite duty to use that power for the unity and preservation of the greatest country and the noblest people on the face of the earth."

Very respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE KING
State Corresponding Secretary
Kansas D.A.R.

STATE REGENT

Madam State Vice-Regent, Members of the Thirty-Seventh Conference and Guests:

My report as State Regent begins with the sad duty of the trip to Ottawa for the services of our dear Mrs. Pendleton. A board meeting was held at this time, and it was decided best to hold our state conference, date and place as arranged by our deceased hostess, State Regent. This is still her conference, and in every way possible where her wishes or plans are known everything is as she had arranged it. The beautiful new flags and the bookplate are more of the previous planning. Throughout her term of office it is my desire to complete the work as planned and so well begun by her.

In January, I was a guest at two delightful meetings; one at Argonia and the other at Wellington, where I met

one of the newer members, a lady of eighty-two years. I had an enjoyable trip to Independence and made two trips to Ottawa. It would be impossible to calculate the number of telephone calls made in the interest of the D.A.R. To give you an idea of the number of letters and cards I have written I will say that I have spent something over \$10 in postage in these last four months. Much writing and work was done in organizing the third chapter in Wichita, the name of which is Randolph Loving. This task was begun years ago, and the completed chapter I had hoped to present to Mrs. Pendleton.

I am much encouraged in our state membership and I am sure you will be when you hear the excellent reports of our State Registrar and State Treasurer. While we have not made a net gain yet our losses are greatly decreased as compared with the preceding two years. If every Daughter will try to bring in one new member this coming year our next report will be a joy to read. All reports of officers and chairmen are fine, and while we want to push on in every way possible here and now I feel we have much for which to be thankful. There are three chapter regents making no report other than to the State Treasurer of dues paid. Again I say it is wonderful that all chapters are in good standing. In these uncertain times keeping accounts balanced is important and is one phase of conservation and thrift. Another very important influence for us to exercise is Americanism and akin to this National Defense through patriotic education and scatter along with this manuals for citizenship. If we can get this over often enough we need not fear Reds and Communists. Better films may have much to do in reducing robbery and kidnapping. Now the movie is often a good post graduate course in under-world cunning to say nothing of the many other unlovely features in our films of the day.

Publicity is another avenue for much good. If the reader had something desirable and interesting put before him, surely time would not be wasted on what is so much worse than idle and vicious. It is said a Scout is seldom found to be a law breaker. That is the kind of a reputation I expect The Sons and Daughters of the U.S.A. to win. It is well proven that the sooner the young mind is filled with the good, the less taste there is developed for the opposite.

In our approved schools we are still striving to secure a place for the Indian girl along beside the boy at the American Indian Institute, if this institution is to live and carry on. From National I have received notices of the

candidates for President General, Mrs. Gillentine and Mrs. Becker. The latter writes that she will be happy to answer all questions, and wishes it emphatically understood she is not for raising the dues. I have received cards announcing their candidate for Vice President General from Massachusetts, New York, Florida, Pennsylvania, Vermont, Alabama and Ohio. For Honorary Vice President General I have received notices from Texas and North Carolina and District of Columbia. Pages from Kansas for Continental Congress this year are to be Miss Bertha White who is attending Chevy Chase School in Washington and her cousin Miss Mary Ann Dilley who is a student at Wellesley College. Both are members of Council Oak chapter, Miss Toothacker living in Washington and a member of Polly Ogden Chapter. Miss Charlotte Newton living in Washington and a member of Olathe Chapter. Mrs. John Reese of Newton Chapter and Mrs. B. L. Haines living in Washington and a member of Mary Wade Strother Chapter are on the House Committee. A folder is just published and sent out by Mrs. Parcells, Organizing Secretary General called "Suggestions for Organization and Activity of Junior Groups Within Chapters." It says "The object of the Junior Group is to gain the interest and cooperation of the younger members of a chapter in D.A.R. activities. The closing reads "The future welfare of our National Society lies in the hands of these young women." Copies of the leaflet may be obtained by writing to the office of the Organizing Secretary General, Memorial Continental Hall.

Illinois and Missouri Daughters have invited the Kansas Daughters to travel with them on their special trains to the Continental Congress. Your State Regent has received best wishes from the State Regents and invitations to attend the following state conferences: Oklahoma, Illinois, Virginia, South Carolina, Minnesota, Alabama, Nebraska, Iowa, Florida, Kentucky and Texas. To all I declined with thanks, saying I felt that this year I must give my uninterrupted time to D.A.R. duties in my home state. I returned the invitation to them to come to our state conference.

In the D.A.R. magazine for this month I rejoiced to note there were reported one hundred more new members admitted February first than on this date last year. Also fifteen new chapters confirmed as compared to three last year on the same date. Our society now has 2483 chapters. In this same magazine I read with gratitude where Mrs. Magna asked the National board to stand and she spoke of the passing on of our Mrs. Pendleton and a committee

was appointed on Resolutions. Again a beautiful kindness was shown by allowing my name to appear on this committee. On the cover of the April D. A. R. magazine our Kansas Capitol is to be pictured. If we could have had the choice of months I do not see how a better one could have been found, this being the Continental Congress month.

I much appreciated receiving so many fine year books from chapters. Georgia, Alabama, California and Missouri also sent their state year-books all of which was most helpful to me. I wish to thank the National, Honorary and State Officers, all chairmen, chapter officers and every Daughter for your support, encouragment and fine work. I have received many kindly letters and often tucked away with other business or with reports I found many little greetings and best wishes. I can not express in words to you what all of this has meant to me.

We have suffered a great loss but the only way to prove ourselves worthy of so fine a former leader is to push on and out to greater achievement. I hope all of us may meet again next year in Kansas City.

Respectfully submitted,

LEDA FERRELL-REX, (Mrs. Loren E.) State Regent.

VICE REGENT

Members of the thirty seventh conference and guests: My report as State Vice Regent is from the close of conference last March to November twenty-sixth, 1934.

On Flag Day with other state officers, I was a guest at the tri-city picnic. Later in the day I attended the unveiling and dedication of the Pioneer Memorial, which houses the first school bell in Arkansas City. At this time we much enjoyed our visit in the beautiful home of our State Registrar, Mrs. A. J. Berger.

In September I was a guest at Russell for the interesting 6th District meeting.

On Constitution Day I was in Hutchinson as guest of Uvedale Chapter for luncheon which was followed by a very enjoyable meeting. From here I drove as guest of Mrs. Pendleton to Newton. Upon our arrival at the Harvey House we were greeted by our hostesses and then were served a most delicious dinner. From here we went to the lovely old home of Mrs. John Reese where we enjoyed an-

other good meeting. At all these places Mrs. Pendleton gave fine talks. Having had the happy visit so recently with our State Regent made the shock of her sudden passing very great.

Respectfully submitted.

LEDA FERRELL-REX, (Mrs. Loren E.) State Vice Regent.

RECORDING SECRETARY

In May, following our last conference, feeling that we could talk over the printing of the conference proceeding and plan it better in person than by correspondence, I made a trip to Ottawa and spent the day with Mrs. Pendleton, at the home of Mrs. J. W. King. Here the plans were completed for the printing, and may I say here, that we had to have more printing done this year than usual, because we were out of everything, with the exception of the regent's report blanks, which we use in the state work. Hence, we had to have credential blanks, registration cards. by-laws, officers and committee chairman stationery, and Student Loan stationery and the conference report. The changing of Mrs. Pendleton's address held up the printing until about the first of July, but all supplies were mailed out shortly after that date. On June 14th, I attended a house party and unofficial board meeting at the home of our State Registrar, Mrs. Berger, in Arkansas City, and at the same time enjoyed the Tri-City picnic, which is an annual affair of the Betty Bonney Chapter of Arkansas City, the Peleg Gorton Chapter of Winfield and the Wellington Chapter, the unveiling of the monument erected by the Betty Bonney Chapter and the dinner tendered by the same chapter, in the evening at the Osage Hotel. It was a truly enjoyable trip. At that time, Mrs. Pendleton appointed Miss Marion Seelye and myself to act as a committee to purchase the flag and banners, complete, for the state, which we did and are now offering for the first time for your approval. On October the eleventh, Mrs. Pendleton and Mrs. King came to Jetmore, following the official visit to the Larned Chapter, and on the next morning we drove to Scott City and spent the day in the State Park, planning for landscaping of the grounds surrounding the El Quartelejo monument. Much is needed there and Mrs. Pendleton

had planned to take care of this during the year. That evening we drove to Dodge City, where Mrs. Pendleton made her official visit to the Dodge City Chapter. next morning, I watched Mrs. Pendleton drive away from my home, little dreaming what a little while she would yet be with us. In September, I attended the sixth district conference in Russell. In November, because of a raging blizzard in our section of the country, I was unable to attend the last rites of our beloved State Regent. It was my happy privilege to attend the regular January and March meetings, also the Washington Tea of the Topeka Chapter and the January meeting of the Betty Washington Chapter of Lawrence. Also gratefully acknowledge invitation to the Washington Tea of the Polly Ogden Chapter at Manhattan, and the Betty Washington Chapter of Lawrence and the General Edward Hand Chapter of Ottawa. One month preceding the present conference I mailed each regent her report blank, also the officers and committee chairmen their blanks. At the same time, the call for the Board meeting of March 26th, was issued.

It has been a very happy and instructive year as I have learned much of the state work which I did not know, yet it has had its one great sadness which we all regret. I feel very grateful to the Kansas Daughters for giving me the opportunity of serving you as your Recording Secretary, and if at any time, I can be of any assistance to you, or to your chapter, will you please command me.

Respectfully submitted,

ADELAIDE C. LAIRD, State Recording Secretary.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

Madam State Regent and members of the 37th Annual State Conference: Your Corresponding Secretary is happy to submit a report of the activities in her office during the past year.

The number of letters, cards and printed pieces sent out from this department amounts to 543. (I did not check the pieces of incoming mail.) Many varied questions come in through our correspondence and it has been my endeavor to give careful attention to all letters, some are referred to

the proper officers for the desired information, others I have answered directly.

A complete File of Information Blanks, showing all Chapter Officers in the state was sent to the Organizing Secretary General, in Washington, May 15, 1934. June 24, 1934, the State Regent's letter and announcement of appointments by the President General of State Chairmen and National Committees for the ensuing year, was mailed to each of our 46 Chapter Regents. September 11, 1934, list of 46 Chapter Regents was sent to our 23 National and State Chairmen.

December 31, 1934, mailed letter and copy of resolution adopted in March, 1933, to 40 State Senators and 125 State Representatives. (Only 13 acknowledgements received.) January 22, 1935—Conference letter, information blanks, credential blanks mailed to all Chapter Regents, 43 information blanks and 44 credential blanks have been returned to me.

Owing to the untimely death of our State Regent, it was my sad duty to send telegrams and place several telephone calls last November, cards of thanks were mailed in December. However it was impossible to accurately tabulate each written and floral expression of sympathy received.

I accompanied the State Regent several times in trips over Kansas. I was present at the dedication of two markers, attended two district meetings, one at Baxter Springs and one at Russell. Visited nine Chapters, attended two Board meetings and answered roll call five times in my own Chapter. Also had the pleasure of visiting the State Park, north of Scott City, where our beautiful D. A. R. monument, at El Quartele Jo, is located.

I wish in closing to express my deep appreciation of the helpful cooperation and consideration shown by the State Officers, and the members of the State Society. I also wish to assure you that I have thoroughly enjoyed and appreciated the privilege of serving you in the capacity of Corresponding Secretary.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE KING Corresponding Secretary Kansas D. A. R.

STATE REGISTRAR

Madam State Regent, National Officers, State Officers and members of the 37th Annual State Conference:

As State Registrar I wish to submit the following report of changes in membership during the year March 1st, 1934, to March 1st, 1935: Number of chapters in Kansas March 1st, 1934 46 Number of Chapters in Kansas March 1st, 1935 46 New members admitted by National Board 79 By transfer from other states ______15 Reinstatements 23 Members received into at-large membership 15 Total increase in state ______132 The decrease has been: By transfer to other states ______ 13 By transfer to membership at-large Dropped for non-payment of dues ______60 Total loss in state _____203 Total membership March 1st, 19342344 Total membership March 1st, 1935 _____2273 Net loss in state during the past year ______71

Although the above figures fail to show an increase in our entire state membership they do show a decided improvement over the reports of the past two years. Last year our net loss in membership was two hundred two, the year before, two hundred twenty-seven, and this year, seventy-one. I feel greatly encouraged when I compare these figures, and trust this year marks the turning point in our state membership, and from now on, that our gain will exceed our loss.

The chapter making the highest percentage of increase in membership was the Uvedale Chapter of Hutchinson. This Chapter has the honor of winning the annual Flag Award, having gained nineteen and nine-fourteenths percent in membership. I am indeed proud of their report as this year they have received twelve new members by verification. Only one name appears in their decrease in membership, and this member has reconsidered her membership and paid her dues this year. Owing to the fact that her dues were not received in Washington in time to be reinstated at the last meeting of the National Board, it

is necessary for us to list this as a resignation until the next meeting of the Board.

Eleven chapters in the state report an increase in membership during the year, three of these having a net gain of six or more. Seven chapters have held their own, having the same number of members as at this time last year. Last year nine chapters increased their membership and five held their own. Twenty-eight supplemental papers have been approved during the year, an increase over last year's total.

Last year in my report I told of our desire to establish a state card file of all present members. I am most happy to report that every chapter registrar has responded to the request for the necessary data for all present members of her chapter. This is quite a large undertaking, as it requires a great deal of time and typing to prepare the cards, but I hope to complete it this year. If time permits I should like to prepare from our state card file an ancestral file, as I believe this would be of great assistance to a state registrar.

Eighteen of the chapter registrars have sent in complete data for all members of their chapter from date of organization, and one registrar is compiling this data at the present time. This year, Mrs. Gilson, Registrar of the Emporia Chapter and former State Registrar, supplemented her report on present members with the complete data for all members of the Emporia Chapter from the date of organization, March 30th, 1912.

Each chapter registrar deserves a great deal of credit for her work and cooperation in completing our state card file, and without this assistance our file could not be established.

Nineteen of our chapters are now using the card file system. If others are interested, but have hesitated to install this system thinking it is too expensive, they may be interested in knowing of a less expensive file. There is a small tin file box equipped with a card index and one hundred twenty-five white cards, which may be purchased for thirty cents, or with two hundred fifty cards for forty cents.

One new chapter, the Randolph Loving, has held its organization meeting, and we have been advised this chapter will be officially confirmed, with at least twenty-seven charter members, at the meeting of the National Board of Management on April 13th. This will be the third chapter in Wichita, and is named in honor of one of the

ancestors of Mrs. Rex, our State Regent. We shall be most happy to add the name of Randolph Loving to the list of

Kansas Chapters.

This year two thousand two hundred twenty-two cards have been typed for the state card file. Over two hundred letters and one hundred fifty post cards have been written in carrying on the work during the year. All letters asking for genealogical assistance have been answered, and I am always pleased to give any information possible when called upon. Needless to say it has been impossible for me to furnish the desired data to all asking for assistance, but I have been able to obtain the necessary data for nine of our new members.

I deeply appreciate the cooperation of every chapter registrar, and the many lovely courtesies I have received as the guest of several of our chapters, and trust that next year I shall be able to report an increase in our state membership. Although the past year has been a very busy one I have enjoyed every minute I have given to the work, and again I want to tell you that it has been a pleasure to serve you as your registrar.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH NORRIS BERGER (Mrs. A. J.)
Registrar, Kansas D. A. R.

STATE HISTORIAN

Report of the State Historian and Chairman of committee on Historical Research, to the thirty-seventh Annual Kansas State Conference D. A. R. held in Ottawa, Kansas, March 26, 27, 28, 1935.

On the morning of November 26th, 1934, the sad news reached us of the passing away of our beloved State Regent

Mrs. Edward Poston Pendleton, at Ottawa, Kansas.

On December 14th, 1934, received from Helen B. Ferrell, Chairman of Resolution Committee, the following Resolutions prepared on behalf of the daughters of the "American Revolution" in the State of Kansas on the death of our late State Regent Mrs. Edward Poston Pendleton:

Whereas, the Daughters of the American Revolution in the State of Kansas sustained a great loss on November 26th, 1934, at Ottawa, Kansas, by the death of their beloved State Regent, Mrs. Edward Poston Pendleton; and

Whereas, Mrs. Pendleton's unusual ability, her keen intellect, and her skill as an orator combined to distinguish

her in her own Chapter, in the State-wide organization, and in the National Society, defending at all times our tenet: God, Home, and Country;

Whereas, Mrs. Pendleton's outstanding abilities elevated her to many exalted positions, including Chapter Regent for eleven years, State Vice-Regent, Chairman of National Defense for eight years; National Vice-Chairman of National Defense Committee, and mindful that at the time of her death she was serving as Regent of the State of Kansas: Therefore be it

Resolved, That we, Daughters of the American Revolution in the State of Kansas express our deep recognition of this our loss, and that we extend our profound sympathy to her bereaved family, and be it further

Resolved, that a copy of these Resolutions be incorporated into our State records and that copies be sent to her family and to the General Edward Hand Chapter.

Helen B. Ferrell—Eunice Sterling Chapter, Chr. Mrs. E. A. Funk—Betty Bonney Chapter, Birdene Meek Lane—Peleg Gorton Chapter, Helen O. Steinkirchner—Newton Chapter.

This year we did not receive any printed Outline-Work or instructions of any kind from the Historian General and National Chairman of Historical Research, so followed out the Outline Work of last year's.

Sent out a total of forty letters.

Received year-books from twenty-six chapters.

Received splendid yearly reports from the following Chapters: Abilene; Atchison; Martha Vail; Betty Bonney; Dodge City; Emporia; Molly Foster Berry; Frederick Funston; Lois Warner; Uvedale; Betty Washington; Captain Jesse Leavenworth; Polly Ogden; Newton; General Edward Hand; Hannah Jameson; Oceanic Hopkins; Henry Dawson; Topeka; Peleg Gorton; Wichita; Wellington.

Received from Mrs. T. A. Cordry of Hannah Jameson eighteen newspaper chippings of historial interest. This chapter has also spent \$10.00 for one old book valuable in early Kansas History and Lyon County, and material for scrap-book belonging to the D. A. R.

Received from Mrs. T. A. Cordry of Hannah Jameson Chapter a biography of Mrs. Payne Ratner, Regent for the year 1934-35.

Received from Mrs. O. F. Hummell, chapter Historian of Wellington Chapter, a typewritten History of Wellington Chapter from 1923 to 1935.

Received from Mary Buck Miller of Atchison Chapter

a paper on Historical Book Plates.

A summary of the activities of the Chapters from which we received year-books and written reports:

Abilene Chapter:

Interesting papers written for D. A. R. programs.

Chapter Members sponsoring the gathering and preserving of County Historical Data for Dickerson County Historical Organization.

Awarded two good Citizenship Medals in Junior High

School.

Observed Washington's Birthday.

Program on Constitution and By-Laws.

Martha Vail Chapter, Anthony:

Observed Washington's Birthday; Flag Day. Roll Calls—Patriotic Quotations; Colonial Women. Kansas Industries: Government Activities.

Betty Bonney Chapter, Arkansas City:

Chapter Programs miscellaneous.

Papers on Shawnee Mission; On National Headquarters; Washington's Friend Lafayette and a Patriotic Pilgrimage to Eastern Parks.

Observed Guest Day; Flag Day; Kansas Day; Mrs. Magna's Birthday; Memorial Day, with appropriate

programs.

A member of the Chapter gave several lectures at Junior High School, on "Pioneers of Kansas and Arkansas City.

Had a Flag Pageant displaying replicas of Flags used in America from the time of Columbus to the present time.

Atchison Chapter:

Observed Flag Day; Columbus Day; Made a Pilgrimage to Shawnee Mission Sept. 20th.

Observed Mrs. Magna's Birthday

Contribution \$3.00

Papers on Christopher Columbus; National Buildings, Property, etc.; National Defense and also Readings. One paper to committee for filing and lending of Historical papers.

Distributed 3 manuals for immigrants, one at High School Library, one at Public Library and one in the Chapter.

4 Magazines taken by Chapter members.

27 historical spots located.

5 Medals for Girl Homemakers by Mrs. Guy Bromley

2 Genealogical Records.

Early Doniphan Paper.

Flag Lesson at every meeting.

Sent \$1.25 to Ellis Island.

Gave magazines to C.C.C. camp at Sugar Creek, Mo. Box to Tamassee.

Gave \$5.00 to student loan.

\$10.00 in cash prizes to history class in Junior High School.

Observed Washington's birthday.

Dodge City Chapter:

Gave 2 medals for excellence in History in the schools. Observed Washington's Birthday; Flag Day. Keeping a Scrap-Book of local history and D. A. R.

Emporia Chapter:

Gave two medals for excellence in History in the schools. Observed Washington's birthday; Flag day. Keeping a scrap-book of local History and D. A. R., also of Emporia Chapter and Biographies of Chapter Regents.

Molly Foster Berry Chapter, Fort Scott:

Observed Washington's Birthday; Flag Day; all special days; all anniversaries.

Boxes to Soldiers; County Farm Treat.

Humboldt Chapter:

Observed Kansas day; Flag day.

Gave medal for best grade in American history in Junior high school.

Gave a framed picture of ship "Constitution" to the school.

Filled out several old settlers' blanks.

Programs on Items of Interest from National committees.

Roll calls, excerpts from the Constitution of the U.S.

Lois Warner Chapter, Junction City:

Historical programs on Kansas and National. Observed Washington's birthday; Flag day.

Fort Larned Chapter, Larned:

Observed Constitution day; Washington's birthday; Flag day.

Magazine reviews.

James Ross Chapter, Kansas City:

Observed Silver anniversary of the Chapter, which was organized in 1909.

Attended regional picnic at Shawnee Mission, September 19th.

Observed Washington's birthday; Flag day.

Programs based on Items of Interest from chairman of National Work.

Betty Washington Chapter, Lawrence:

Observed Flag day; Washington's birthday.

Gave luncheon celebrating 38th anniversary of the Chapter.

An address on National Defense.

A discussion on the Amendment to the Constitution by the Judge of the District Court.

A talk on the Honoring of the Pioneers of Kansas by a member of the University faculty.

Attended regional picnic at Shawnee Mission.

Two outstanding papers: The Santa Fe Trail; The Oregon Trail.

Jesse Leavenworth Chapter, Leavenworth:

Observed Flag day; Constitution day; Kansas day; Washington's birthday.

Attended picnic at Shawnee Mission September 17 and June 14.

Observed 28th birthday of Chapter.

Paper on the Life of Captain Jesse Leavenworth.

Medal to student receiving highest grade in history in junior high school.

Contributed to Girl Scouts; presented them with Flag.

McPherson Chapter:

Programs on early American Period.

Papers on Colonial Homes, Furniture, Silver and China. Observed Flag day; Washington's birthday.

Gift box for Mountain Schools.

Polly Ogden Chapter, Manhattan:

A Talk on Indian Culture in America.

A Paper written by Grace Milan Force, entitled "Patriotic Organizations other than the D. A. R.; their Anniversaries and Requirements."

Observed Flag day; Washington's birthday.

Desire Tobey Sears Chapter, Mankato:

Talk on the Constitution.

Observed Flag day; Kansas day; Washington and Lincoln's birthdays.

Newton Chapter:

Study of Constitution.

Observed Flag day; Washington's birthday; Kansas day.

Presented to the City Good Will room a framed Constitution.

Marked all departed members' graves with Official markers.

A Paper on Book Plates by Mrs. Sprinker.

General Edward Hand Chapter, Ottawa:

Pilgrimage to Shawnee Mission, September 19.

Observed Flag day; Constitution day; Washington's birthday; Mrs. Magna's birthday.

Keeping Clippings and Pictures of National and State Importance.

Hannah Jameson Chapter, Parsons:

A Talk in Three history classes in junior high school. Papers on Genealogy and Family Lore.

Observed Flag day; Washington's birthday.

Saving Obituaries of Pioneers.

Gave public recital for a former Parsons girl and her daughter.

Gave \$50.00 for Scholarship Loan Fund.

Spent \$24.00 for Lineage Books the past year.

Oceanic Hopkins Chapter, Pittsburg:

Roll calls, Kansas Historical Notes.

Observed Flag day; Constitution day; Navy day.

Observed Washington's birthday with a pageant written by one of the chapter members, entitled "Makers of America."

Collected about 500 records from old cemeteries.

Ten dollars spent for Genealogical Research.

Raising funds to mark old Military Trail south from Fort Scott.

Topeka Chapter:

Programs, 5 minute talks on Items of Interest from National committees.

Observed Flag day; Washington's birthday.

Peleg Gorton Chapter, Winfield:

Observed Flag day; Mrs. Magna's birthday; Consti-

tution day; Washington's birthday.

Address on National Defense.

Magazine Reviews.

Secured old Cemeteries Records.

Wellington Chapter:

Observed Surrender of Yorktown; Flag day; Kansas day; Washington's birthday.

Placing in City Library a complete History of Wellington and Sumner county.

Held Memorial Services for departed Daughters since organization of Chapter.

Essay "Historical Pony Express."

Keeping a scrap-book.

Observed Wellington's birthday.

All programs of Historical Character, both State and National.

Wichita Chapter:

Gave \$5.00 to Indian in Wichita University with highest American History grade.

D. A. R. Magazine Reviews.

Series of Talks by Dr. Hugo Wall of Wichita University on our International Relations from November 15 to April 18.

Eunice Sterling Chapter, Wichita:

Observed Flag day; Washington's birthday.

Uvedale Chapter, Hutchinson:

Observed Flag day; Constitution day at our October meeting, Mrs. Pendleton, State Regent, guest and speaker; Mrs. Magna's birthday; the birthday contribution \$11.77; Washington's and Lincoln's birthdays. December meeting held Memorial Services for our late State Regent, Mrs. Pendleton.

Have D. A. R. Magazine in Public Library and High School Library.

We gave money to the following organizations:

Tamassee School	J.UU
Martha Berry School	5.00
Kate Duncan Smith School 10	00.0
Student Loan Fund 2	2.00
Ellis Island5	5.00
Constitution Hall 11	.77
(Contributed at Mrs. Magna's birthday part	y)
Pinehurst Cottage a local home for girls who	

Local Milk Fund, for undernourished children	5.00
Boy Scouts	2.50
Girl Scouts	
Needle Guild of the local associated charities	
(also 44 garments)	$3.00 \cdot$
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State Historian and Chairman of Historical Research

STATE TREASURER, D. A. R. March 1, 1934, to March 1, 1935.

RECEIPTS-

From Chapters—	
Abilene:	
Dues\$	61.00
D. A. R. Library	6.00
State Library	5.00
Ellis Island	4.00
Kate Duncan Smith	10.00
Tamassee	5.00
Student Loan	5.00
Arthur Barrett:	
Dues	52.00
Atchison:	
Dues	53.00
Constitution Hall	3.00
Ellis Island	1.25
Student Loan	5.00
Local Work 2	20.00
Baxter Springs:	
Dues1	13.00
Constitution Hall	2.00
Tamassee	5.00
Student Loan	5.00
Betty_Bonney:	
Dues	36.00
Constitution Hall	5.00
Ellis Island	2.00
Kate Duncan Smith	5.00
Tamassee	5.00
Student Loan	5.00
Local Work	5.00

Betty Washington:	
Dues	112.00
Constitution Hall	13.70
Ellis Island	10.00
Local Scholarship Loans	
Local Work	87.00
Captain Jesse Leavenworth:	
Dues	
Ellis Island	4.00
Christiana Musser: Dues	11 00
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Tamassee	5.00
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Indian Institute	2.50
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Pine Mountain Settlement School	
Tamassee	10.00
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Esther Lowry:	107.00
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Eunice Sterling:	
Dues	174.00
Constitution Hall	10.00
Ellis Island	5.00
Indian Institute	25.00
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Kate Duncan Smith:	2.00
Tamassee	2.00
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Frederick Funston:	
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Constitution Hall	3.50
Student Loan	1.00
General Edward Hand:	
Dues	79.00
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State Library	1.00
Student Loan	1.00
Local Work	2.00
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Hannah Jameson:	
Dues	69.00
Henry Dawson:	
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Constitution Hall	5.00

Ellis Island	2.50
Tamassee	5.00
Student Loan	10.00
Local Work	5.00
Isabella Weldin:	
Dues	22.00
D. A. R. Library	2.20
Ellis Island	1.00
Martha Berry School	1.00
Student Loan	1.00
James Ross:	
Dues	93.00
Constitution Hall	5.00
D. A. R. Library	10.00
Ellis Island	5.00
Indian Institute	5.00
Tamassee	5.00
Student Loan	25.00
Local Work	97.35
Lois Warner:	
Dues	44.00
Constitution Hall	10.00
Kate Duncan Smith	5.00
Tamassee	5.00
Student Loan	5.00
Local Work	11.00
Martha Vail:	
Dues	14.00
Constitution Hall	2.70
Martha Berry School	5.00
Mary Wade Strother:	
Dues	
Constitution Hall	2.50
Kate Duncan Smith	4.80
Tamassee	4.80
Student Loan	4.80
Molly Foster Berry:	
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D. A. R. Library	5.00
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National Defense	3.80
Shawnee Mission	5.00
Student Loan	5.00
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Constitution Hall	3.80
Ellis Island	1.00
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Polly Ogden:	
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Rhoda Carver Barton:	
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Constitution Hall	3.65
Samuel Linscott:	
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Sarah Steward:	
Dues	15.00
Constitution Hall	
Sterling:	•
Dues	32.00
Constitution Hall	5.00
Susannah French Putney:	•
Dues	59.00
Constitution Hall	10.00
Ellis Island	5.00
D. A. R. Library	7.00
Indian Institute	5.00
Kate Duncan Smith	5.00
Tamassee	5.00
Student Loan	10.00
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D. A. R. Library	3.10
State Library	2.00
Kate Duncan Smith	3.00

Tamassee	5.00
Student Loan	5.00
Wichita:	
Dues	43.00
Constitution Hall	5.00
Indian Institute	
Kenmore	1.00
Student Loan	5.00
Local Work	10.00
MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS	
Mrs. Berger, Sale 5 Directories	2.35
Miss Chesney, Copy of Proceedings	1.60
Mrs. McCamish, Sale of Flag Codes	2.68
Interest, Student Loan Notes	128.81
Payments, Student Loan Notes	852.61
TOTAL RECEIPTS\$	5,456.99
DISBURSEMENTS	
To State Officers, 10 at \$12 each, Conference Expense\$	120.00
Mrs. Pendleton, allowance and Telephone-Telegraph charges	253.85
Mrs. Laird, Secretary, supplies	23.05
Mrs. Berger, Registrar	3.90
Miss Seelye, Treasurer	14.67
Mrs. J. W. King, Corresponding Secretary,	2 2.01
Telephone-Telegraph charges	27.62
Mrs. Klayder, Librarian	11.13
Miss Pollock, Historian	1.93
Mrs. Bixler, Chairman	7.00
Mrs. Dickinson, Chairman	14.02
Mrs. Manning, Chairman	7.29
Mrs. Prager, Chairman	2.80
Mrs. C. P. King, Chairman	7.19
Mrs. Reese, Chairman	25.00
Mrs. Lane, Chairman	2.50
Miss Gilmore, Chairman	3.75
Mrs. Nix, Chairman	2.75
Mrs. Lull, Chairman	7.62
Mrs. Duphorne, Chairman	3.40
Mrs. Eckelman, Chairman	3.78
Mrs Elden Chairman	19 81

Mrs. McCamish, Chairman	3.57
Miss Campbell, Chairman	
Mrs. Van Tuyl, Chairman	4.75
Mrs. Uhl, Express State Flag	1.75
Dodge City Journal, Proceedings, Stationery, By-Laws,	
Supplies	
Ottawa Herald, Constitution Leaflets	
Filizola Office Equipment Co., Mimeographing	_ 5.73
Fort Scott Tribune, Conference and Memorial Service	
Programs	
Fort Scott Greenhouse, Memorial Flowers	
C. Jacobus, Flowers, Mrs. Klayder's Mother	
Goodlander Hotel, Mrs. Becker's Expense	
Anderson & Simmons, Accountants	
H. M. Howard, Treasurer's Bond	
Flowers for Congress and Entertainment of Pages	
Tasker Book & Stationery Co., Roberts' Rules of Order	
W. L. Fry & Sons, Shades, Shawnee Mission	
Mary H. Austin, Typing Genealogical Records Comm.	
Books, State Library	
Student Loan Fund Notes	
Local Work of Chapters	•
Tax on Checks	1.78
Treasurer General—	
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Balance in General Fund	.\$2,314.86
Balance in Student Loan Fund	1,070.82
Balance in D. A. R. Library Fund	93.07
Balance in State Library Fund	10.65
Balance in Shawnee Mission Fund	5.00
STUDENT LOAN FUND STATEMENT Increase in Fund for Year	.\$ 304.11
Cash on Hand	1,080.82
Notes Receivable	1,750.48
Total in Fund	

Respectfully Submitted,

MARION SEELYE, Treasurer.

#### STATE AUDITOR

Ottawa, Kansas, March 25, 1935.

Madam State Regent, National Officers and Daughters of Kansas:

I have made a cursory examination of the records of our State Treasurer, Miss Marion Seelye, as well as the Report of the Certified Accountant, and find them all in accord.

(Mrs. Charles F.) ROSALIE H. ADAMS, State Auditor.

Ottawa, Kansas, March 26, 1935.

#### STATE CHAPLAIN

In the year which this meeting crowns, the duties of the State Chaplain have been very light; an expression of opinion in some matter affecting a local chapter, a visit to our sister chapter at Abilene where she heard a wonderful program on the Victorian Age and a correspondingly interesting display of costumes of that period and a visit and address of our State Regent, who came to Salina Chapter in October, were special features of the passing year.

Our State D. A. R. has received a staggering blow in the death of our State Regent, Mrs. Pendleton, who was bending all her energy in an effort to uphold our nation in her struggle with the problems of the present time; and while it would be easier to lower our flag and sink in the gloom of despair, it is our sacred duty to carry on in the way our beloved leader, vanished from our sight, would have had us do.

The duty of the Chaplain is to try to create, even in the midst of reverses, that strength which can come only from a closer walk with God.

It is her wish that our State Meeting should be so imbued with a firm religious faith that the session will take on the nature of a crusade for a higher standard of morals in our national life and a feeling of certainty that "God is still standing in the shadow keeping watch over His own."

The chief duty of the chaplain is to do faithfully and efficiently her part in a fitting memorial to those that have "outsoared the shadow of our night" and gone to be with God.

It is her prayer that this service may be such as to bring comfort to those bereaved and hope for a brighter future.

> KATE B. MILES, State Chaplain.

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

(For the year March 1, 1934, to March 1, 1935.)

Madam State Regent, National Officers, State Officers and Members of the 37th Annual State Conference:

Following the plan called for last year we are again summarizing our report so that each individual chapter may have an opportunity to tell the work they did this past year for the National and State Libraries.

This has not been a very profitable year for the library, nevertheless we are proud to submit this report to you.

In October every chapter in the state received a letter from the librarian outlining plans for the year's work and urging them to put forth an effort to make the work of their chapter outstanding in library work. Again the first of February they were asked for results of their efforts.

All books, magazines, manuscripts, and records in the State D. A. R. Library were listed and indexed. It was suggested by the librarian that much expense could be saved if each chapter would have a copy made for their own convenience. Fifteen chapters have made copies.

Many requests for genealogical help have received attention. Data has been given to add to at least sixteen

different lineages, and since our source of information is limited we have had to express our regrets to as many more.

We have made fifty-six loans and have copied many references for this assistance. Twenty-five or more callers, representing nine chapters; have searched through the genealogical and historical collections in the State D. A. R. Library.

We have acknowledgements and answered fifty letters

of inquiry.

Thirty-two year books were filed in State D. A. R. Library and eight for former years were added to complete the files for one chapter. Nine D. A. R. Lineage Books (the first to be presented) make a good start in that line.

Forty or more D. A. R. Magazines; nineteen S. A. R. Magazines; nine Pennsylvania Magazines and many valuable books, manuscripts, cemetery and Bible records have been added. This brings our collection in the State D. A. R. Library to date to approximately one hundred valuable books; one hundred and fifty manuscripts; eighteen different collections of historical and genealogical magazines; fifteen Kansas County Marriage records; twenty cemetery records and fifty Bible records, with a total of \$27.65 on hand and a cash gift of \$76.07 for the National D. A. R. Library.

Many chapters have given book showers to city libraries and hospitals.

Several books were sent to the National D. A. R.

Libary.

Following a request for suggestions for State D. A. R. Library work we are taking the liberty to give you two of the most outstanding:

- (1) Have an itinerary for the State Librarian. State to hire a car and chapters visited to share the cost. That each chapter include in the budget \$5.00 cash for library work. That one meeting have as its purpose "Library Day" to collect, distribute and consider books.
- (2) Can't we have a plan to keep so many departments from overlapping in their work?

Both suggestions are good for us to consider.

Respectfully submitted,

# MARY TWYMAN KLAYDER, (Mrs. Paul A.)

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

# Reports of Committee Chairmen

### **AMERICANISM**

This is a time when all D. A. R. members should be awake to conditions and interested in the subject of this committee.

Were we able to teach love of country and loyalty to a principle to all illiterates and foreign born, much of our internal friction would be cured.

Our program covers work for these two classes. We observe special days, promote education. Calls were made on foreign mothers. In several chapters we were part of the Americanization center program. The Syrian Club assisted by Eunice Sterling Chapter carries on a fine piece of work.

May we remember this part of our program as D. A. R.'s and grow to be better American citizens.

Respectfully submitted.

IRENE NIX. (Mrs. Moore L.)

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# APPROVED SCHOOLS, 1934-1935.

Number of Chanters in the State

Number of Chapters in the State	
Number of Chapters Reporting	
Number of Chapters Carrying on the Work	31
To Schools Approved by N. S. D. A. R.	\$343.10
To Other Schools	28.00
To Scholarships	300.00
To Medals and Prizes	36.30
Total	8707 40
To TAMASSEE:	p101.40
Abilene Chapter	
Baxter Springs Chapter	5.00
Betty Bonney Chapter, Arkansas City	5.00
Concordia Chapter, Concordia	5.00
Courtney-Spalding Chapter, Russell	2.00
Emporia Chapter, Emporia	10.00
Fort Larned Chapter, Larned	2.00
Henry Dawson Chapter, McPherson	5.00
James Ross Chapter, Kansas City	5.00
Lois Warner Chapter	5.00
Mary Wade Strother Chapter	4.80·

Neodesha Chapter	2.50
Peleg Gorton Chapter, Winfield	2.00
Sarah Stewart Chapter, Smith Center	
Susannah French Putney Chapter	5.00
Topeka Chapter, Topeka	10.00
Uvedale Chapter, Hutchinson	10.00
Wellington Chapter, Wellington	5.00
Total	\$ 89.30
To KATE DUNCAN SMITH:	·
Abilene Chapter, Abilene	\$ 10.00
Betty Bonney Chapter, Arkansas City	5.00
Emporia Chapter, Emporia	
Eunice Sterling Chapter, Wichita	
Ft. Larned Chapter, Larned	
Lois Warner Chapter	
Mary Wade Strother Chapter	
Nathan Edson Chapter	
Newton Chapter, Newton	
Peleg Gorton Chapter, Winfield	2.00
Susannah French Putney Chapter	
Uvedale Chapter, Hutchinson	
Wellington Chapter, Wellington	
Total	\$ 93.30
To AMERICAN INDIAN INSTITUTE:	
Courtney-Spalding Chapter, Russell	
Emporia Chapter, Emporia	2.50
Eunice Sterling Chapter, Wichita	
James Ross Chapter, Kansas City	5.00
Olathe Chapter, Olathe	
Peleg Gorton Chapter, Winfield	
Sarah Stewart Chapter, Smith Center	
Susannah French Putney Chapter	
Wichita Chapter, Wichita	75.00
Total	\$119.50
To CROSSNORE:	
Dodge City Chapter, Dodge City	\$ 3.00
Emporia Chapter, Emporia	
Peleg Gorton Chapter, Winfield	
Total	\$ 25.00

To MARTHA BERRY:	
Isabella Weldin Chapter\$	1.00
Martha Vail Chapter, Anthony	5.00
Neodesha Chapter, Neodesha	2.50
Uvedale Chapter, Hutchinson	5.00
Total\$	13.50
To PINE MOUNTAIN:	
Emporia Chapter, Emporia	.\$2.50
Total	\$2.50
To OTHER SCHOOLS:  Betty Washington Chapter, Lawrence, Local Relief	13.00
ture of Washington to Girls' Detention Home.  Lois Warner Chapter, School lunches for under nourished children	10.00 5.00
	28.00
Scholarships for Other Schools:	
To Kansas University, Betty Washington\$	300.00
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Medals and Prizes:  Abilene Chapter, Abilene, Two medals to Junior High School for Good Citizenship.  Emporia Chapter, Emporia, Medals to 3 Junior High Schools for Excellence in History.  Ft. Larned Chapter, Larned, Medals for Excellence in History.  Olathe Chapter, Olathe, Medal for High School Essay on	12.00
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Miscellaneous Gifts to Approved Schools:

Peleg Gorton Chapter, Clothing to Crossnore, value \$15.00.

Mary Wade Strother Chapter, Yard Goods to Crossnore.

Henry Dawson Chapter, Clothing to Tamassee.

Oceanic Hopkins Chapter, Clothing to School of Ozarks, value \$15.00.

No Report From:

Ft. Supply Trail Chapter, Ashland; Dana Chapter, Columbus; Arthur Barret Chapter, Frankfort. (Courtney-Spalding reported only to Treasurer.)

Respectfully submitted,

MALLAH G. LULL.

Chairman

#### BETTER FILMS

Post Card reviews ordered by following chapters:

Abilene: (Ordered Card Reviews. Receive Motion Picture Magazine. Card Reviews and Magazine passed around each meeting then put in City Library.)

Atchison: (Pictures shown before cards arrive.)

Baxter Springs: (Receive card reviews. Printed in local paper. Talk on Better Films before Civic Club.)

Desire Toby Sears.

Peleg Gorton: (Purchased Post Cards (25). Read all material received, to Chapter.

No Post Card Reviews ordered by the following:

Betty Washington: (Co-operate with Civic Club. No Post Card Reviews. Pictures in advance of Reviews.)

Concordia: (Reviews came after pictures shown.)

Dodge City: (\$2.50 for Films shown in school.)

Emporia: (4 members on Better Films Committee with Woman's Clubs.)

James Ross: (Sponsored a benefit on Little Minister on Feb. 7 and 8. Cleared \$57.25. Paper on Better Films.)

Molly Foster Berry: (Co-operates with Clubs.)

Polly Ogden: (Benefit Constitution Hall.)

Hannah Jameson Frederick Funston Isabella Weldin Sterling Neodesha
Newton
Rhoda Carver Barton
Henry Dawson
Topeka
Gen. Edward Hand
Wellington
Ft. Supply Trail
Wichita
Ft. Larned
Uvedale
Leavenworth
Martha Wade Strother
Betty Bonny

Eunice Sterling
Sarah Steward
Esther Lowery
Samuel Linscott
Dana Columbus
Phebe Dustin
Courtney Spalding
Olathe
Council Oak
Oceanic Hopkins
Christiana Musser
Nathan Edson
Lois Warner
Arthur Barrett.

EVA BIXLER, Chairman

# CONSERVATION AND THRIFT

Number of chapters, 46.

Number having a chairman of Conservation and Thrift, 26.

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Type of tree sent to Mrs. Magna's "Grove of Happy Memories."

By whom sent and history.

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How many trees planted through D. A. R. activity? 1525.

Has your state a D. A. R. forest? No.

Plans for one? No.

Number of historic trees reported this year, with photographs? One planned for April.

#### III

Number of chapters reporting work done on beautification of highways, parks, schoolgrounds, etc. and nature of work. 6.

Planting of bulbs, shrubs and trees.

Seeds scattered on highways.

#### IV

Number of chapters and actual work done in: 9 chapters.

- (a) Elimination of obnoxious weeds: 6 chapters report individual work.
- (b) Preservation of wild life and wild flowers: 9 chapters. Members of wild flower pledge, also interested individually.
- (c) Have you co-operated with any state agencies in conservation projects? 2 chapters. One five-acre pond reported. Co-operated with State and Federal Relief Projects.

#### $\mathbf{v}$

Number of chapters devoting a whole or a part of one meeting to Conservation and Thrift. 14.

#### VI

Did your State Conference have a speaker on this subject? No.

#### VII

Number of chapters reporting work in Human Conservation. 18.

- (a) Number of chapters aiding in Red Cross, Community, or other drives. 24.
- (b) Number chapters engaged in other forms of relief work. 22.

#### Kind of work:

Y. W. C. A., Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Girl Reserve, P.-T. A., Needlework Guild, Americanization (Mexican), Selling Tuberculosis Seals, Provisions for needy at Thanksgiving and Christmas, Children's Home, County Hospital, County Farm, Milk Project in Schools, Public Health, Box to Ellis Island worth \$9.00, Boxes to Soldiers, Clothing to Americanization Center. One chapter furnished materials and made 595 garments for layettes to be distributed by city nurse. One chapter did extensive Human Conservation in way of Crippled Children work.

#### $\mathbf{v}\mathbf{m}$

Number chapters giving money to local relief, 12. Amount of money given, \$248.50.

#### IX

Entire amount of money expended in your state for the work of this committee (include human conservation). Impossible to answer definitely.

#### X

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

#### **HUMAN CONSERVATION**

One chapter furnished 595 garments for layettes.

One chapter has two members devoting many hours each month to crippled children work.

One chapter gave \$50.00 toward recreation rooms for a Mexican Mission, and \$13.00 toward supplies for a cooking school for Mexican women.

RUTH G. DUPHORNE (Mrs. Marcel Duphorne), State Chairman.

# CONSTITUTION HALL, 1934-1935

Amount contributed from Kansas for the year is \$907.74. From the State funds a lobby chair was bought at a cost of \$225.00 in memory of Mrs. E. P. Pendleton, State Regent. Other than this one item all money was given by chapters and individuals. The debt is now considered cancelled. In closing my last report I wish to thank every contributor and everyone who assisted in any way in this big task.

Respectfully submitted,

LEDA FERRELL-REX.
(Mrs. Loren Edgar)

Kansas State Chairman Constitution Hall Finance om.

#### CORRECT USE OF THE FLAG

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

Thirty-eight Flag Chairmen have sent reports of the year's work showing that interest in the Correct Use of the Flag has greatly increased.

The Pledge of Allegiance is printed in all D. A. R. year books, is known by the members, and is repeated at Chapter meetings.

Flags were given to students making the highest grades in American History, to new citizens, and to others.

More codes were bought and given away this year than ever before. Nine hundred or more codes were distributed by members of the D. A. R. This was a National project.

Flag Chairmen were quite successful in persuading

persons to discontinue the use of Flags for decorative purposes.

Betty Bonny and Desire Tobey Sears Chapters each unveiled a monument and had the Flag in the place of honor at the ceremony. Bronze markers were placed for five miles of George Washington Boulevard by Eunice Sterling Chapter.

Fifteen Chapters reported the exact number of Flags owned by their members, which totaled 838. The National asked for an actual count.

Flag Day is another National project. Nearly all Chapters report having celebrated June 14th last year and all expect to celebrate that date this year.

Few Chapters observe the entrance and retiring of the Flag at their meetings. Room space prevents doing so.

Wellington Chapter responded in a splendid way to my request that publicity be given the correct use of the Flag just before Armistice Day. This message and the history of the Flag were brought in a most impressive way to 2000 school children by means of talks and programs in the schools, also by articles in the local newspapers.

One Chairman wanted to know if there is a Kansas statute requiring all schools to fly the Flag during school hours. There is such a statute, also one requiring the Flag be displayed in each school room. Failure to display Flag is punishable by fine.

Forty-six letters of instruction were sent out by your State Chairman to Chapter Chairmen in October, 46 blank reports and letters in January, and 46 follow-up cards and letters in February. Many other letters were written and codes mailed.

I want to thank my Flag Chairmen for their splendid co-operation and urge them to diligently carry on their good work.

Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs. W. H.) STELLA R. McCAMISH,
Chairman.

# D. A. R. MAGAZINE, 1935.

As your State Chairman, I am glad to report an increase this year both in subscriptions and interest in the Magazine. I feel sure that as we grow in knowledge of the aims and achievements of the National Society, through

the pages of our Magazine, we will also become more worthy members of that Society.

We have tried, as a committee this year, to urge more Readers rather than Subscribers. In many chapters, club subscriptions have been easier to procure than single ones, so that the subscriptions reported, do not indicate the actual number of members regularly using the Magazine.

Since last September, your Chairman has presented the aims of the Committee to the Sixth District Chapters at their meeting in Russell, to Newton Chapter, at Newton, and to Abilene and Nathan Edson Chapters, at Abilene. In each instance the members were urged to consider the Magazine as the official publication of their National Society and to read it regularly.

Thirteen chapters did not reply to any correspondence. From the remaining thirty-three chapters there is reported a gain of sixteen subscrpitions over last year's total. This is particularly gratifying since many sent in last year were two-year subscriptions and not renewable this year.

Kansas Chapters are placing twenty-nine copies each month in Libraries and other public reading rooms—a very fine service. Eunice Sterling Chapter places three such copies and Topeka and Uvedale Chapters each give two.

Special mention must be given to Susannah French Putney, Peleg Gorton and Wichita Chapters, each of which showed a gain of four subscriptions over last year's report. Again Peleg Gorton Chapter sets the pace for Kansas with twelve subscriptions to its credit.

Last year's total subscriptions ______126
This year's total subscriptions _____142
Respectfully submitted,

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

### ELLIS ISLAND

In the early autumn your state chairman of Ellis Island urged every chapter in the state to make a special effort to make this a banner year for the Island. With the splendid co-operation of the majority of the chapters, I feel that our help to Ellis Island has been a great help to the aliens. Following is a condensed statement of chapters responding:

Thirty-five chapters acknowledged requests.

Twenty-nine donated by box or check. Six donated both box and checks. Six responded—no report.

I have received 23 year books from as many chapters and I appreciate and thank each one of these. I received several requests for material for Ellis Island programs. I answered each and referred them to the National proceedings of the 43rd Continental Congress and the April Magazine, 1933. One chapter without a chairman donated \$2.00; two others in the state have no chairman. Hope they will decide to appoint one for 1935-1936. I want to thank each and every Ellis Island chairman and regent of the chapters who responded to my letters for requests for boxes and checks for the relief and comfort of the aliens on Ellis Island. Because of increased work three social service nurses are employed and paid from the 3% per capita allowed. Any cash donations are needed and appreciated. Samples of work done on the Island by those detained there may be had by any chapter that wishes to have them for display and sale, by writing Mrs. Edith Jackson, Box 128, Del Norte, Colo., and the chapters holding them to keep on display until further instructions for forwarding are received. The demand for materials needed for this work is even greater now that the D. A. R. has extended this occupational therapy to the U.S. Marine Hospital at the request of the commission of immigration and the medical officers in charge of the Public Health Service. This extension will not affect the original unit of work, as the supplies for both are drawn from the same store room. Mrs. J. Warren Perkins, National Chairman of Ellis Island, gave two radio broadcasts: one, a Christmas festival; the other, an address on Ellis Island. As a result chapters have written that they were so inspired that they would do more for the Island next year. There is a new Ellis Island film available. It is a film to be used in homes, not regular picture show houses. It takes thirty minutes to run and shows work done among the immigrants, aliens and patients in the hospital. There is no expense to the chapter except transportation both ways. It must be sent insured, postpaid, and each chapter is held responsible for its safe return, and in good

condition. For reservations, address: Mrs. Arthur H. Churchhill, 20 Westover Road, Montclair, New Jersey.

I have been extremely interested in this work. I have sat up many nights until the wee small hours of the morning, answering requests and keeping my reports up. I have always received a thrill when the postman brings a letter marked Ellis Island.

Respectfully submitted,

(Mrs. J. W.) BIRDENE MEEK LANE.

#### FILING AND LENDING HISTORICAL PAPERS

Madame State Regent, Officers and Daughters:

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

Have written three 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 1934 Supplemental List of Papers.

Sent out report blanks for the year's work to all chapters.

Thirty-eight chapters reported having appointed chairman.

Twenty-five chapters sent in report of year's work.

Sixteen chapters sent year books to your State Chairman.

Ten papers and one playlet were sent in to this Committee and forwarded to Washington.

Nine papers were borrowed from the Filing and Lending Bureau at Washington.

Winfield again leads the State with seven papers submitted. Baxter Springs heads the list with five papers borrowed from the Filing and Lending Bureau followed by Clay Center with three.

Dodge City reported that they contributed toward the production of historical slides for the public schools.

There are 15 new papers filed in Washington which were submitted by Kansas chapters last year as follows:

Olathe	4
Peleg Gorton	3
James Ross	2
Council Oak	
Desire Toby Sears	1
General Edward Hand	1
Polly Ogden	
Susannah French Putney	

These are all exceptional and worthwhile papers and I urge that you use some of them on your programs for next year. There is a very nominal rental charge of 25 cents for each paper borrowed and it may be kept thirty days. This Committee sends out each year to all chapters a list of papers which have been filed in the Lending Bureau for your use and you will find almost any subject you might wish. There were over 650 new papers filed last year, all of them of outstanding merit, and any of which would be a worthy addition to any program. If your chapter has not availed itself of the opportunity of using these 'splendid papers on its program, let me suggest that you use one or more for the coming year.

I wish to thank the Chapter Regents and Chairmen who have co-operated so splendidly with me the past two years, and trust next year will be a bigger and better year than ever before.

Respectfully submitted,

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

# GENEALOGICAL RECORDS, 1934-1935

I have compiled Vol. II of "Kansas Early Settlers," which contains 239 blanks (the work of last year). This volume contains 956 pages and will be sent to the National D. A. R. Library. I have also made a complete copy of all blanks thus compiling a duplicate volume of our work to be presented to the Kansas State Historical Society. These are not yet bound but await the action of the D. A. R. board as to how they shall be presented to that organization.

I have sent letters concerning Genealogical work to all Kansas Chapters. I wish to place in my report a word of thanks to Mrs. Pendleton. She always gave any chapter which she visited a better understanding of Genealogical Records Committee work and thus gave me much help in creating interest.

Following is the Report of work done by Chapters: Abilene Chapter:

Dickinson County Marriage Records, Book A.

# Atchison Chapter:

History of Emily Jane Vest Harding.

Clipping from Compendium of American Genealogy showing lineage of Mrs. Charles Robert.

# Betty Bonney Chapter:

Eleven pages of Bible Records.

Jeremiah Price Stewart Bible. James Harvey Campbell Bible. Hawley and Nason Ancestry.

Sidney P. Sherman Bible. Goodell Bible Records.

# Betty Washington Chapter:

Twenty-three Cemetery Inscriptions from Oak Hill Cemetery, Lawrence, Kansas.

# Council Oak Chapter:

Sketches of Ancestors of eleven Chapter Members.

Minutes of First Meeting of First Congregational Church.

Data concerning Old Germantown Bible with Record of Casper Sherfey's family.

Thirty-five Inscriptions from Tombstones in Greenwood Cemetery, Council Grove, Kansas.

# Courtney-Spalding Chapter:

Twelve hundred Cemetery Inscriptions from Russell Kansas.

Bibliography of Hays and Webster, Kansas.

# Desire Tobey Sears Chapter:

Forty-four Jewell County Marriage Records, July 1, 1872, to Jan. 26, 1874.

# Dodge City Chapter:

Twelve hundred fifty Records of Deaths and Burials at the Kansas State Soldiers Home, Fort Dodge.

# Emporia Chapter:

Clipping of the death of W. H. Brooks.

Mary Wa	de Strothei	r Chapter:
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Marriage Records recorded at Salina from Jan. 5, 1872, to Dec. 30, 1873.

# Molly Foster Berry Chapter:

Robert Edward Matthews Bible Records. Charles W. Libby Bible Records.

#### Oceanic Hopkins Chapter:

Eight hundred eighty-three Inscriptions from six Crawford County Cemeteries.

Genealogy of the Goss Family (a synopsis taken from a framed family tree).

Calvin Bible Records.

#### Peleg Gorton Chapter:

One hundred eighteen Cemetery Inscriptions from Union Cemetery, Winfield, Kansas.

# Phebe Dustin Chapter:

John Moore Bible Records.

John North Bible Records.

### Wellington Chapter:

Two hundred Marriage Records of Sumner County, Kansas.

John Cannell Bible Record. Thomas Ward Bible Record.

#### Wichita Chapter:

Geo. D. Fitzhugh Bible Record.

# EARLY SETTLER BLANKS

Betty Washington	11
Courtney Spalding	
Emporia	
Frederick Funston	
General Edward Hand	6
Isabeila Weldin	6
Martha Vale	2
Nathan Edson	2
Newton	5
Oceanic Hopkins	
Susannah French Putney	
	20
Wellington	5
Total	84

Pages of other data		
Total	649	
This is only for work done this year. Our report to Washington will contain the bound vol-		
ume of last year's work which will add	956	pages
Making total number1	605	pages

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Twenty-four chapters have sent in a report for this year and almost every chapter has replied to letters and cards sent to them for which I wish to thank them and say that I feel that interest will be greater next year.

Respectfully submitted,

JENNIE M. DICKINSON, Chairman of Genealogical Records for Kansas.

#### GIRL HOME MAKERS COMMITTEE

Since my last report, I have visited five chapters and explained the Aims and Ideals of this committee. Attended one District Conference and one State Conference. Written 149 letters, 20 post cards, mailed 40 Hand Books of Instructions, 100 Awards of Merit, and 18 Leaflets.

Thirty-three chapters now have chairmen for this committee.

Chapter chairmen report as follows:

Abilene-Work covered by other organizations.

Arthur Barrett—Will present cash prizes of \$3, \$2, and \$1, to three pupils ranking highest in History in eighth grade in County examinations. Chapter is sponsoring four pig projects for 4-H Clubs.

Atchison—Will present four Awards of Merit. Regent is sponsor for Girl Reserves. Historian active with Girl Reserves. Made donation to Student Loan. Give benefit card party for Girl Reserves.

Baxter Springs—Will present four Awards of Merit. Other prizes to the value of \$5.00 to girls standing highest in cooking and sewing in High and Junior High. Bought seven double boilers and twelve dish pans for Domestic Science class, value \$6.40.

Betty Bonney—Seven members work with Girl Reserves.

Betty Washington-No report.

Courtney-Spalding — Two members active with Girl Reserves. One member Captain Girl Scout troop. One member chairman Girl Scouts. Chapter chairman is member of State Y. W. C. A. and active with high school girls.

Dana—No report.

Desire Tobey Sears—Will present four Awards of Merit to girls standing highest in cooking, sewing, and Girl Reserve work. One member trains school girls in Library work.

Dodge City—No report.

Emporia—Will present one Colonial plate to girl standing highest in Domestic Science in Emporia High School, three other medals to pupils making best grade in U. S. History in Emporia Junior High School, Roosevelt Junior High School of the Kansas State Teachers College, and in Lyons County schools. Members are active with girls organizations and several are assisting girls through school by providing part time employment.

Esther Lowery—No activity.

Frederick Funston—Will present four Awards of Merit. Two members are active with Girl Reserves and others are assisting girls through school.

Gen. Edward Hand—One member is Natural History Counselor for three Girl Scout troops. One member is chairman of White Swan Troop. Chapter gave \$10.00 to Woman's Educational Society of Ottawa University and \$5.00 to girl violinist. One member assisted fall semester girl in K. U. and provided formal dress for violin soloist. Two members provide board and room for two college girls. One member provides board and room for student in Ottawa Business College. One member has supplied cash and clothing for high school student for two years.

Hannah Jameson-No report.

Henry Dawson-No report.

Isabella Weldin—Presented large American Flag in a holder to Girl Scouts.

James Ross—Will present Awards of Merit. Chapter works through Secretary of Y. W. C. A. and County Director of 4H Clubs. Part of one meeting devoted to Girl Home Makers.

Martha Vail—Will present sixteen Awards of Merit in four different schools. Several members active with girls' organizations.

Mary Wade Strother—Will present twelve Awards of Merit. Chairman give talk on Girl Home Makers at chapter meeting. Three members active with Girl Reserves. One member active with Girl Scouts. As active members of Woman's Club and A. A. U. W. members assisted girls through school with Student Loan Fund.

Molly Foster Berry—Will present five Awards of Merit to girls standing highest in sewing in junior and senior high schools and 4H Clubs.

Nathan Edson—Will present four Awards of Merit to girls standing highest in cooking, sewing, literary work and citizenship. Books and clothing were provided for needy school girls. An article written by State chairman and published in Topeka Capital was read at one chapter meeting.

Neodesha-No report.

Newton-Work covered by other organizations.

Oceanic Hopkins-No report.

Olathe—No report.

Peleg Gorton—No report.

Phebe Dustin—Will present medal for best Essay on Pioneer Experiences. Medals for highest grade in American History and Civics in Phillips county. Two members are active with Girl Scouts and Girl Reserves. Four members teach Sunday school classes, in two of which classes Home Making is taught. Several members have given or obtained employment for needy girls who otherwise could not have attended school. One member made entire wardrobe for school girl of material furnished by other organizations.

Polly Ogden—Six members active with Girl Scouts. Three members give a total of twelve hours a week to Girl Scout work as captains, leaders and record clerks. Chapter asists three or four students through Student Loan. Several members provide clothing for needy girls. Eight members provide room and board for needy school girls. Chapter presented American Flag to Girl Scouts.

Rhoda Carver Berry-No report.

Sarah Steward—Will give cash prizes of \$5.00 and \$3.00 for two best essays written by students of English class on the Life of a Real Smith County Pioneer. Three

members active with Girl Reserves. Three members provided room and board for needy school girls in return for work.

Susannah French Putney—No activity.
Uvedale—No report.
Chapter Regents report as follows:
Concordia—Contributed to Educational Fund.
Fort Larned—Work covered by other organizations.
Lois Warner—Work covered by other organizations.
Wellington—Chapter not interested in the work.

I sincerely appreciate the co-operation of those chapter chairmen and Regents who are giving me such valuable assistance with the work of this committee, and I hope that next year every chapter will have an active chairman who will acknowledge correspondence.

Respectfully submitted,

BESSIE C. DENT KING, (Mrs. Charles P. King) Girl Home Makers Committee

#### MANUAL FOR CITIZENSHIP

Madam State Regent, National Officers, State Officers and Members of the 37th Annual State Conference:

Manuals ordered	1678
Manuals left over from last year (Eunice Sterling)	5
Total	1683
Manuals used	1671
On hand, in English	12
Distribution:	
Atchison	4
Betty Washington	18
Council Oak	500
Courtney-Spalding	
Desire Tobey Sears	18
Dodge City	175
Emporia	28
Eunice Sterling	177

Mary Wade Strother	9
Oceanic Hopkins	50
Olathe	18
Peleg Gorton	25
Phebe Dustin	551
Wellington	18
Susannah French Putney	18
Mrs. E. P. Pendleton, State Regent	1
Mrs. Charles Marcot, Kansas Federation	1
Principals of High Schools, Secretary Community Chest, City Manager, Chief of Police, Wichita U., and Friends	
U., Wichita	7
One sent to each Chapter Regent	46
Sixty cents sent Treasurer General for three	3
Languages:	
English1311 Japanese	13
Armenian12 Lithuanian	13
Bohemian 13 Norwegian	14
Finnish 13 Polish	13
French 20 Portuguese	13
German	13
Greek	112
Hungarian 13 Swedish	14
Italian 14 Yiddish	17
Number of Chapter Chairmen M. for C., 28.	

Number of Chapters doing Manual work, 15; increase of eight over last year. One hundred one letters and 50 post cards have been written. Quota paid 100%, totaling \$195.00. All Regents who have not sent names of Chairmen M. for C., were requested to do so, and asked to appoint one in case this had not been done. Endeavored to have all Chairmen M. for C., send in orders. Wrote cards to each Chapter to see that their City Library was supplied with a Manual in each language we have printed.

Mannuals were placed in courts, libraries, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., Universities, Indian Schools, High Schools, Parochial Schools, Mexican Missionaries and jails. One Chapter reports using excerpts from Manual for roll-call material. Had a press notice of gift to Wichita City Library of full file of Manuals, thus enabling foreigners to know where to find them.

The following letter from Chief of Police Wilson of Wichita should cause every Chapter Regent to see that her Chapter has a Chairman and get behind our Manual for Citizenship work:

"The Daughters of the American Revolution are performing a genuine service in supplying the Manuals for Citizenship. I examined the one you so kindly sent and was much impressed with its usefulness to both the prospective citizen as well as to the men who were born and reared in God's country. Will you please furnish us with twenty in English, two in Spanish and one in Norwegian?"

Respectfully submitted,

M. BLANCHE RYAN (Mrs. J. N. Ryan).

#### NATIONAL DEFENSE

Madam Regent, National Officers, State Officers, and Members of the 37th Annual State Conference:

Your chairman of National Defense submits the following report, with deep appreciation for your co-operation, and a great desire to carry on as Mrs. Pendleton would have expected her to do. Thanks to all chapters who responded like good soldiers to this work that was the cherished ambition of our late regent as well as that of our present regent, Mrs. Rex.

Your chairman cannot emphasize too strongly that the National Defense is non-political and impersonal, that it deals with principles, and aims to carry out the resolutions as passed by the Continental Congresses. It is an educational program for building citizenship. Every Daughter of the American Revolution must be well informed. It is your chairman's earnest plea that you read all National Defense news and data to your chapter.

In Europe the people of a dozen Nations laughed off Communism. The handful of Reds who were visibly active, were puny, puerile, impotent, laughable. Within a year or two shocking revelations came—too late. That is why Europeans who laughed, now goosestep under dictatorship.

Let every D. A. R. member arise, inform herself, and be a crusader opposing subversive activity in the U. S. A.

Of the 47 chapters, 20 responded with good reports. Your chairman sent three form letters to each chapter in the state and several series of post cards.

She made one radio talk over KFBI at Abilene. And appeared in 22 different towns, the larger towns in Kansas,

to talk National Defense to the Daughters of Veterans and their guests. In Kansas City, Kansas, she had an audience of 200 people and in no town were there less than 20 on the tour. She gave out great quantities of literature. She gave talks to the Boy and Girl Scouts. She asked them to talk scouting for a number of different organizations.

She wrote a 2000-word article for the Topeka Capital, Wichita Eagle and the Harvey County News. Letters of commendation were received from the Superintendent of the Halstead schools, from Ellsworth, Kansas, and many other places. For her Radio broadcast she received 27 letters, two of them came from the State of Wisconsin, saying they heard her perfectly and approved her N. D. theme.

Mrs. Reese has made five-minute talks all winter at the Ladies Reading Circle, Newton, on Legislation. Through her efforts a framed Constitution of the U.S. was hung in several public places. This does not cost so much and would be a fine thing for the chapters to do.

If you care to have a good Bible reference for N. D. at church meetings the 25th chapter of Matthew is very fine for that.

Winfield has the distinction of having done the best N. D. work for the year. They had five N. D. meetings with five N. D. speakers and gave good citizenship medals. Observed all patriotic days. They placed four N. D. News in public places and had it reviewed at each meeting. They opposed Child Labor Amendment and disarmament petitions. Helped with G. A. R. Reunion, Memorial Day and Armistice Day parade. Also sent G. A. R. flowers and met with them. They had a Flag lesson in the paper each time before a day that the Flag should be raised. Had Constitution Sidelights for roll call. Had four books reviewed on the Constitution. Listened to all N. D. radio broadcasts and read state chairman's letters in the meeting. This is excellent. Thank you, Winfield.

Salina had good report. Three N. D. speakers. Met with other organizations for N. D. The N. D. News read at every meeting and one special meeting for the Hand Book. Gave instruction to Girl Scouts. Used state chairman's articles and clipped all newspaper articles regarding subversive activity in the U. S. A. and read at the meetings.

El Dorado had a very fine report, with a number of N. D. programs, one at which the book, "Inevitable War," was reviewed and N. D. News was placed in the Library. Gave two Good Citizenship Medals and American History

Medals. One study group for International Relations. Gave patriotic play to two audiences, D. A. R. and D. U. V. Observed Constitution Week and presented layettes for the city's poor. Opposed Child Labor Amendment.

Mankato deserves honorable mention because it is small and the members do not all live in the town. They had three N. D. meetings, at one, the book, "Inevitable War," was reviewed and N. D. News was used at each meeting. They worked and gave to the Girls' Scholarship Fund.

Dodge City had three N. D. talks. Helped in community welfare work. Patriotic Movie for the schools and used the N. D. News at meetings.

Lawrence had one talk on the Constitution.

Phillipsburg had N. D. News reviewed at each meeting and gave Good Citizenship Medals, also history prizes. Studied Kansas History, listened to N. D. broadcasts and observed all patriotic days.

Pittsburg had 12 guest speakers, conferred with G. A. R., worked with American Legion and helped the poor. Used Hand Book and gave play, "Makers of America." Worked in schools, gave D. A. R. dinner with five college professors speaking.

Olathe—Four N. D. programs, opposed Child Labor Amendment, and World Court. Wrote protest to senators and worked in schools.

Hutchinson co-operated with organizations to suppress subversive activity, had five outside N. D. speakers and placed N. D. News in Library. Hutchinson did good work.

Humboldt had two patriotic days, gave history award, had N. D. News at each meeting, had local paper carry excerpts from N. D. News.

Newton had three guest speakers, had framed Constitution hung in town hall, worked with Boy and Girl Scouts, have a very active Sons and Daughters of the U.S. A. and the chairman made many speeches in behalf of N.D.

Leavenworth gave history medal and had N. D. News reviewed at each meeting.

Abilene observed three patriotic days, \$1.50 for essays contest, N. D. News at each meeting, placed it in the Library and used Hand Book.

Fort Scott used N. D. News, two speakers and observed three patriotic days.

Parsons observed two N. D. meetings, used N. D. News at all meetings, placed it in Library and used at club.

Wellington attended Tri-City meeting, celebrated two patriotic days, and placed N. D. News in Library.

Anthony used Flag code, one patriotic day and used N. D. News.

Emporia gave three History Medals and worked with Mexicans.

McPherson worked with Boy Scouts and Adult groups in N. D., wrote Congressmen, gave out N. D. News and they have an organized group of Sons and Daughters of the U. S. A.

Eunice Sterling, Wichita—Three National Defense Talks. The N. D. News used at meetings. Contacts with National Subversive Research Organization. A volume on Research used. Worked to eradicate radicalism from schools and churches. Local radical organizations reported to National Organizations fighting crime and subversiveness in U. S. A. In work with schools one Principal was diplomatic while another was belligerent and insulting.

Baxter Springs—Attended 15 committee meetings, Major Charles Wilson and Mrs. Charles King gave N. D. talks. Mrs. King attended two district conferences. Made nine talks on Communism in community.

Sarah Steward, Smith Center—Lecture on preparedness. Celebrated patriotic days. Studied Hand Book. Gave patriotic playlet.

Atchison—Had a number of N. D. talks. Used Hand Book and N. D. News. Celebrated patriotic days. Wrote Senator.

Respectfully submitted,

CORNIS R. REESE, Chairman.

# PRESERVATION OF HISTORIC SPOTS (Including Old Trails)

Kansas State Conference, March 1934-1935
I have written to each of the 46 Chapter Chairmen of this Committee, on the Regents giving them a full outline of our work, with instructions as given by our National Chairman, calling their attention to the outstanding features of historical interest, which includes locating and marking the graves of Revolutionary Soldiers and Real Daughters.

#### Old Trails:

Stage Coach Lines, Government or Military Roads, Post Roads, Pony Express Routes, Inns, Taverns, Bridges, Fords, Battlefields, Milestones, First Settlers of your Counties, Spots where treaties were signed, Maps of Historical Spots and trails. Birth places of noted people. Places where noted and famous people have lived or visited.

#### OLD CEMETERIES—

Bonnell, private cemetery, north of Effingham.

Norfsinger, 1860, south of Effingham.

Monrovia, established 1860.

Wheatland, Spring Hill and Whitland, near Whiting.

Wetmore, established in an early day.

St. Patricks, Mt. Pleasant Township, Atchison County.

Old Doniphan, established in an early day, Northeast Kansas.

Olive Branch, established in an early day, Northeast Kansas.

White Cloud, established in an early day, Northeast Kansas.

Wathena, established in an early day, Northeast Kansas.

Also the following Pioneer Townships:

Doniphan Station, Highland, Wathena, Wolf River. Smithton, Northeast Kansas.

Larkingsburg Kapioma Township.

Prairie View, Benton Township.

Monney Creek, High Prairie and Netawaka, Harmony Garden, Battle Row, East Atchison.

Kickapoo and two Real Daughters' graves.

Mrs. May gave a talk on the Old Government Trial at their January meeting, and also an interesting sketch of the charmed life of the Liberty Bell.

Mrs. Lindley gave a reading on the home of Charles Carroll and Mrs. Hole had on the same date, as her subject, the Signers of the Declaration.

Abilene Chapter, Abilene: Miss Seelye, chairman, has sent the following report:

The first white man to settle in Dickinson County was G. W. Freeman, who located in the fall of 1855, on Chapman Creek, on parts of Section 1 and 6, Noble township. Here

the first white child was born in the county, Priscilla J. Freeman, January 17, 1856. Her mother, Sophrona E. Freeman, died a short time later, and was the first white woman buried in the county. The child died the following August. Both were buried on the Freeman farm, in the center of a 10-acre plot in the southeast corner of the southeast quarter of Section 1, Noble Township. The Freeman lot is enclosed by a cement wall with an iron gate and markers were erected at the graves, a few years ago. This cemetery was deeded by the family to the Christian Church at Sutphen's Mill.

The first county seat of Dickinson County was Newport, located in a plot covering several acres along the line between Sections 2 and 3 of Centey Townships and divided by the roadbed of the Kansas Pacific Railroad, now the Union Pacific. No signs of the town remain, except for the shallow depression of an old well hole in a field.

Baxter Springs Chapter Regent, Mrs. King reports that the Old Military Trail passing through Baxter Springs has been located and that the main street is known as Military Street.

Council Oak Chapter, Council Grove: Mrs. Brigham states that their chapter sent a signed protest to the City Commissioners asking that the Old Stone Wall, in front of the cemetery, which faces the Old Santa Fe Trail, and was built in 1871, be spared from destruction and preserved as an old landmark.

The rock in the wall was to be used to build a Boy Scout cabin. The Commissioners granted the request of the chapter and one more historical landmark had been saved, owing to the prompt attention and action taken by the D. A. R. The building of this wall gave to C. G. the county seat as the workmen on the wall, voted in its favor at the election in 1781.

The chapter also placed a bronze tablet in Madonna Park, honoring Mr. L. W. Whiting, the donor of the park site to the D. A. R. and city of Council Grove.

The tablet was unveiled with appropriate ceremony December 17, 1934. Mrs. Brigham presided and arranged the program for the services.

Among other things Mr. Whiting has accomplished to help build Council Grove was a church built by him in the early day. He built the first picture show building, the first garage, and wiped out the old time saloon at the Old

Tavern on the Old Trail which he restored, and was redecorated a few years ago by the D. A. R. with a luncheon given by Mr. Whiting for the chapter and citizens of Council Grove.

Arthur Barrett Chapter, Frankfort:

Mrs. Mary Bush and Mrs. Minnie Montgomery, chairmen of our committee, are trying to locate the graves of two Revolutionary Soldiers, who are supposed to have been buried near Frankfort.

Uvedale Chapter, Hutchinson:

Mrs. F. F. Priggo, chairman, has located the spot where the last skirmish, between the white men and the Indians took place. It is one-half mile from either highway, located on Cow Creek, where the banks overflow, and it would be impossible to place a marker at that place.

Peleg Gorton Chapter, Winfield has nothing to report. Expect to mark one historic spot next year.

Junction City: Chairman of Junction City gave a very complete report last year of their historical trails, monuments and have no report this year.

Newton Chapter, Newton, one of the pioneer chapters to mark and locate historical spots. Have finished the work in their county.

Wichita, chairman of Wichita has reported that they are very much interested and will preserve and mark several spots during the coming year.

General Edward Hand Chapter, Ottawa:

The chairman, Mrs. W. S. Jenks, has sent the following splendid report:

One of the first permanent white settlements of the State of Kansas was made about two miles northeast of the present town of Ottawa by Jotham Meeker and his wife, who located among the Ottawa Indians in July, 1837. A mission farm was opened, mission building erected and this became the center of Indian civilization for the locality.

Jotham Meeker had been engaged in mission work for many year and had devised a system of applying the English alphabet to the phonetic spelling of the Indian words. In 1833, he came to Kansas and brought with him an old-fashioned hand printing press, the first ever brought to Kansas for the purpose of printing books in the Indian language.

After working in the Baptist Mission in Johnson County for some years, Jotham Meeker came to the Ottawa Reservation, bringing with him his printing press. tinued in charge of this mission until the time of his death He was buried near the place where he worked with his printing press. Others prominent among the Indians were buried nearby, among them Rev. John T. Jones, an Ojibway Indian, who had been educated at Colgate College, Hamilton, New York. He also was a missionary and he was the one who suggested that the white Baptists join with the Ottawa Indians in establishing a school on the Ottawa Reservation in Franklin County. This proposition was made to the Kansas State Baptist Convention which held its first meeting at Atchison, in June, 1860. This was the beginning of Ottawa University. Another important personage buried upon this plot of ground was James Wind, the chief of the Ottawa Tribe.

In 1864, the lands of the Ottawa Indians were set off to the Indians individually and were soon sold by them and most of the Indians moved to an Ottawa reservation in Okla-Many other Indians were buried upon this plot of ground and it passed into the ownership of a board of trustees and was known as the Mission Cemetery, or Ottawa Mission Cemetery. Later, title to this cemetery was trans-This cemetery is located ferred to Ottawa University. somewhat back from the road extending east and west from Ottawa, and in 1917 Edward Hand Chapter, D. A. R., Ottawa, Kansas, purchased a driveway from the main road to the cemetery and erected a gateway with sandstone pillars at the road. Later the chapter transferred the title to the driveway to Ottawa University with the undersanding that Ottawa University would maintain and care for the cemetery. When this project was undertaken, Miss Catherine Campbell was regent and Mrs. Rathbun, a former regent of the chapter, was chairman of the committee directing the work.

Rev. John T. Jones was a historic character. He acted as interpreter for the mission and acted generally as business agent on behalf of the Indians, making several trips to Washington. He was also known as Ottawa Jones and Tauy Jones.

Tauy Creek, which runs near this mission cemetery, bears his name, and the oldest building on the Ottawa University campus is known as Tauy Jones Hall.

Jotham Meeker constructed a mission chapel and that stood about 20 feet north of Jotham Meeker's grave.

Wellington Chapter, Wellington:

Mrs. Henery, chairman, reports that their chapter has been tracing the route of the Old Chisholm Cattle Trail through Summer County.

The Oklahoma Historical Society has traced the trail through Oklahoma to the Kansas line near Caldwell and a Mr. Matthews, of Wichita, is also working on this trial. He has traced from Wichita, south to the Ninnescah River. Mrs. Henry expects to have an accurate map of this trail for next year's report. The grave of Capt. Payne is located at Wellington.

Emporia Chapter, Emporia:

Mrs. F. H. Eckdall, chairman of our committee, has written a most interesting letter in regard to some of the historical buildings in Kansas, that are located some distance from our D. A. R. Chapters, that should be preserved and marked at Lecompton, Kansas. The building which was at one time the capital of the Kansas Territory, is now used by the Odd Fellows Lodge. Lane University was built upon the foundation of what was intended to be the capitol building of the territory.

The Rowena House, the old jail, that marks the site where Governor Robinson and other Free State men were confined, as prisoners during the early troubles, also the lovely old colonial home of Frederick F. Stanton who twice acted as governor of the Kansas Territory.

This chapter has sent eight clippings to the State Research Committee on historical spots that have been marked this year in various parts of the state.

I feel that the most important part of Mrs. Eckdall's report is the fact that her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Swigert Mitchell was a "Real Daughter" and is buried at Iola, Allen County, Kansas, in the cemetery lot of the E. H. Funston family. She was the daughter of Philip Swigert who served in the Revolutinary War, in Capt. Bowman's company (the 8th Company) of the First Class, Fifth Batallion, Lancaster County, Pennnsylvania Militia, 1780. She is also the mother of our beloved General Frederick Funston.

Capt. Jesse Leavenworth Chapter, Miss Laure Tarr, chairman, reports Leavenworth is the oldest town in Kansas. It was founded June 13, 1854. Named for George H. Leavenworth, who established Fort Leavenworth. It is well known that a number of people had settled here to be near

Fort Leavenworth before the town was incorporated. General George W. Gist surveyed and laid out the town site. He was also the first president of the town court.

Mr. W. H. Adams, was the owner and proprietor of the "Kansas Herald," the first newspaper published in the territory. The first number was set up and printed by Mr. Adams, under the shade of the old elm tree near the northwest corner of Front and Cherokee Streets.

The first hotel in Leavenworth was built by George Keller. Mr. H. L. Kyle in the summer of 1854 on the northeast corner of Main and Delaware. Elder W. G. Caples, elder in the Methodist Church in Northwestern Missouri, held the first religious service, 1854, on the river bank in a grove in the northern part of the town.

The first white child born in Leavenworth was Cora Leavenworth Kyle, December 5, 1855, in the old Leavenworth Hotel. The first store room erected was in the summer of 1854 by Lewis N. Reese on the northwest corner of Delaware street and the levee. It was 24x40 feet, with a warehouse in the rear.

The brick was brought from St. Louis by steamboats. Mr. Reese was the postmaster and kept the office in his store.

The first dwelling house used exclusively as such was 16x24 feet, and built of cottonwood by Jeremiah Clark where the Carney House now stands on the southwest corner of Walnut and Fourth. It was built in the fall of 1854, when Mr. Clark built the splendid structure that was later known as the Carney House. He moved the first house and it now stands on an alley between Olive and Spruce Streets, half way between Fourth and Fifth.

The first bridge built here was a temporary pole bridge constructed by Russell, Wadell & Majors, across the creek between Seventh and Broadway on Delaware Street, to enable his freight wagons to reach the levee or steamboat landing. Most of the business of the town in 1854 and 1855 was conducted near the river or levee and waterfront.

The steamboats on the Missouri River were the great highway of communication for travel and freight. There were often from four to five steamboats at the levee at one time. The great freighting firm of Majors, Russell & Wadell received most of the government freight and started the long trains across the plains from this point. We have also located the spot where President U. S. Grant delivered a talk in Leavenworth when he was the guest of Senator Alexander Caldwell. General Grant stood under a large spreading tree on the lawn of Mr. Caldwell's home on North Broadway. President Lincoln also delivered an address from the steps of the old Planters Hotel.

Oceanic Hopkins Chapter, Pittsburg:

Chairman Mrs. J. W. Dixon, reports that they have located the old Military Road, which crossed Crawford County and are having a marker made of gray granite with a bronze plate 18x24 with the name and date, 1837-1935, inscribed. It will be placed at the intersection of the present Highway 57 and the old Military Road.

Another historic spot located which is of interest is the old Stevens Tavern, located on the military road, one mile southeast of Pittsburg. This committee located six cemeteries and copied over 1,000 inscriptions.

Mary Wade Strothers Chapter, Salina:

Mrs. H. S. Felt, chairman. This chapter has saved their money which they will apply upon a marker in the near future.

Respectfully submitted,

EFFIE HIATT VAN TUYL, (Mrs. William Russell), State Chairman.

#### STATE PUBLICITY

It is gratifying to report that publicity for our D. A. R. activities in Kansas has shown a marked increase in the past year. Chapters that in former years have failed to respond to letters and requests, are now sending their monthly clippings promptly and faithfully. With such fine cooperation from chapter publicity chairmen my work has been most interesting. With each chapter chairman assuming her responsibility, we are making known to the public what our organization really accomplishes.

The most worthwhile publicity is that which pictures a chapter, or the D. A. R. as a whole, actually at work, carrying out the fundamental purposes for which our organization was founded. Chapter publicity chairmen often think they have no material for the press between monthly

meetings, but interesting articles could always be written on specific activities of the chapter, in addition to their social affairs.

During the summer, when there were practically no club meetings, I thought it would be a good idea to use the extra space available to publicize our various D. A. R. projects and accomplishments. With the cooperation of the state chairmen of the various committees, several columns of news were printed, telling the public in an interesting way, what the D. A. R. does. Outstanding articles were contributed by Mrs. H. G. Lull, of Emporia; Mrs. John C. Reese, of Newton, Mrs. Charles P. King, of Baxter Springs, and Mrs. Harry B. Tasker of Topeka. Miss Jean Hamilton, of Witchita, has been of much help to me as vice-chairman of the state committee.

Several articles have appeared or are to appear soon, in the D. A. R. Magazine, through the work of my committee, an illustrated article "At the Gateway to the West," by the late Mrs. Pendleton in the February issue; a report of our state conference at Fort Scott and a story of early Kansas history which is to appear soon with a picture of our state capitol building on the cover of the magazine, the latter two written by myself, and an illustrated Shawnee Mission article, prepared by Mrs. Harry B. Tasker, soon to be printed in the magazine.

The D. A. R. Magazine is your magazine and any interesting contributions for it will be gratefully received by me.

Condensation of the news of Continental Congress from a week's issues of Washington, D. C. newspapers, for printing in Kansas newspapers, was my task in April.

Radio broadcasts were written up for the press, as well as the visits of the state officers to the various chapters, the marking of old trails, birthday celebrations in honor of the birthday of our President General, Mrs. Pendleton's brilliant speeches over the state, and articles on heraldry and genealogical records. Publicity for the conference at Fort Scott was especially good, owing to the fact that a D. A. R. member, Mrs. Alice McDermott, was connected with the Fort Scott Tribune.

A considerate amount of advance publicity has been obtained for this conference at Ottawa, and pictures of five of the state officers have been printed in nine papers throughout the state. It was my intention to have all of

the state officers pictured, but the papers said it would be impossible to use more than five pictures.

Last May I made a delightful visit to the Atchison Chapter, accompanying Mrs. Pendleton and Mrs. J. W. King.

I wish especially to commend the following chapters who have attained the Honor Roll, responding 100 per cent with clippings about each meeting throughout the year:

Arkansas City, Atchison, Baxter Springs, Clay Center, Concordia, Dodge City, Susannah French Putney at El Dorado, Emporia, Fort Scott, Humboldt, Uveldale at Hutchinson, Lois Warner at Junction City, Betty Washington at Lawrence, Henry Dawson at McPherson, Polly Ogden at Manhattan, Desire Tobey Sears at Mankato, Neodesha, Newton, Oceanic Hopkins at Pittsburg, Mary Wade Strother at Salina, Sterling, Topeka, Wellington, Eunice Sterling at Wichita, and Winfield, a total of 25 chapters, which is an increase of four over last year.

Over 150 newspaper columns or 3,016 inches of news were printed and adding to this the several pages of magazine articles, I am pleased to report that our publicity for this past year has been nearly doubled.

Respectfully submitted,

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

#### RADIO

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

When I began my work in the fall, I fully expected to have a complete program to report but I regret to say, owing to the extreme heat of the summer and early fall, Mrs. Pendleton and I were unable to meet the plan for the year. Then came the illness and death of our very much beloved Regent. I have tried to carry on, but it has been extremely difficult and I know that all of you have had the same trouble.

On Constitution Day, September 17, over WIBW, a splendid and forceful talk on the Constitution was given by our late Regent, Mrs. E. P. Pendleton. In October, Mrs. John C. Reese, Jr., chairman of National Defense and Patriotic Education, gave an interesting broadcast over KFBI.

In December, there was a Christmas Festival Broadcast direct from Ellis Island, but I was not informed over which network so I fear that very few heard the program. Again in January, we had a broadcast concerning Ellis Island by our National Chairman, Mrs. J. Warren Perkins. On the birthday of our state, January 29, our Vice-President General, Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick spoke on "Conservation of Youth." It was a worthwhile talk and I hope that every D. A. R. heard it. One listener up in Nebraska, was interested to the extent that he wrote to WIBW, asking for a copy of the talk. On March 1, we had an interesting broadcast by the National Chairman of Approved Schools, Mrs. William H. Pouch.

I have notified each Chapter in advance of every broadcast. Sometime the National Broadcast gave me very little time in which to pen 46 post cards and I realize that the chapter chairman had to work like minutemen but in time these things will be ironed out.

Some of the chapter chairmen have reported that their members have been interested in the broadcasts.

The radio stations have been most gracious in giving us space on their programs. I urge every Daughter who hears the broadcast to write the station.

I want all of you to remember that Radio is in its ininfancy but the day is not far off when every daughter will look forward to these broadcasts and will not only hear an inspiring talk, but will learn what worthwhile things are being accomplished by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Respectfully submitted,

GERTRUDE GILMORE, State Radio Chairman.

#### SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF THE U.S. A.

Madam State Regent, Officers and Members:

It is my deep conviction that through our children will our Nation be kept the "Land of the Free and the Home of the Brave."

This may be accomplished only by loyalty and love of country, and that can only be through knowledge of the fundamental principles of our country.

The majority of the chapters have reported on this work and have carried out a program.

Abilene—Reports no activity.

Arthur Barrett-No report.

Atchison—Miss Elsie Underwood, chairman, distributed flag codes purchased by chapter.

Betty Bonney—Chairman, Mrs. Sidney Woodman, gave three patriotic lectures to Girl Reserves and junior high school groups.

Baxter Springs-No report.

Betty Washington-No report.

Captain Jesse Leavenworth — Ellen LeGore Nichols, chairman, sponsors a club, will observe Flag Day, Kansas Day Program, Washington Birthday Party, Constitution Day at Shawnee Mission; on May 18 will present medal to student in junior high school, having highest grade in history.

Christiana Musser-No report.

Concordia-No report.

Desire Tobey Sears—Mrs. D. H. Stafford, chairman, no club, gave party for S. A. R. members and G. A. R. veterans.

Dana-No report.

Dodge City—No report.

Emporia—Mrs. John N. Dunsworth, chairman, children guests at Washington Birthday Party.

Esther Lowry—Mrs. Walter McVey, chairman, no activity.

Eunice Sterling—No report.

Frederick Funston—Mrs. Walter Stevens, chairman, medal to history student in eighth grade ranking highest, framed picture of ship "Constitution" to History Room.

Fort Supply Trail—No report.

Ft. Larned—No report.

Gen. Edward Hand-No report.

Hannah Jameson-Mrs. E. L. Burton, chairman, no activity.

Henry Dawson—Mrs. Paul Engborg, chairman, patriotic talks, new club in rural school.

Isabella Weldin—No activity.

James Ross-No report.

Lois Warner—No activity.

Martha Vail-Plans laid for club, incomplete.

Mary Wade Strother-No activity.

Molly Foster Berry-Mrs. J. F. McGill, chairman, no activity.

Nathan Edson-No report.

Neodesha-No report.

Newton—Mrs. John C. Reese, chairman, Pendleton Club S. D. of U. S. A., 50 members. Meet once or twice a month with a story teller telling pioneer stories, study flag rules, children give patriotic recitations and plays, made scrap book for orphan's home.

Oceanic Hopkins—No activity.

Olathe—No report.

Phebe Dustin—Miss Lois Wilkin, chairman; Miss Wilkin uses the handbook in her own school and has loaned it to other teachers.

Peleg Gorton—Mrs. Chas. Sponenburg, chairman; two citizenship awards to junior high school pupils. Sent newspaper clippings.

Polly Ogden—No report.

Rhoda Carver Barton—Observe and celebrate patriotic days.

Samuel Linscott—Ten dollars in prizes to local schools for history papers.

Sarah Steward-No activity.

Sterling—Mrs. Ella Hood, chairman, D. A. R. Magazine reviewed at each meeting and work of S. and D. of U. S. A. discussed.

Susannah French Putney—No report.

Topeka—Unsigned report, no work.

Uvedale—Mrs. J. W. Jarrott, chairman, no additional work this year. I trust the interest in this work in the schools has not been dropped.

Wellington—Gave flag programs in the schools Armistice Day, no club.

Wichita-No report.

MRS. C. M. ANDERSON, Chairman S. and D. of U. S. A.

#### SHAWNEE MISSION

A very large attendance was reported at the second picnic luncheon, an annual event sponsored by Olathe Chapter, held at Shawnee Mission September 19, 1934. Mrs. Pendleton, late State Regent, was present as were many other state officers and chairmen of state committees. Many beautiful, authentic and interesting gifts were presented on this occasion.

The largest collection came from the Betty Washington Chapter in Lawrence, which presented a large walnut urn marked by a copper plate bearing the inscription "Made of Wood from John Brown's Cabin, Linn County, Kansas." This was presented to H. E. Don Carlos, of Lawrence, by P. F. Remington, together with a letter from Mr. Remington. concerning the gift given to the mission by Mrs. Don Carlos, regent of the chapter. A mahogany foot stool with the original horsehair covering from the home of former Governor Robinson was presented by Mrs. E. R. Learned, of Lawrence. A large framed picture of Jim Lane (Gen. J. H. Lane), a small framed photograph of Josiah Miller, who when a member of the Kansas Legislature of 1866, selected the motto of Kansas, "Ad Astra Per Aspera," from Mrs. William Miller, a sister-in-law; a biographical sketch of Josiah Miller, and a St. Louis newspaper dated 1850, were presented by Lena Miller Owen, of Lawrence. Mrs. S. W. Atkinson, a member of the State Shawnee Mission committee, gave an antique hooked rug, a large mantel clock run by iron weights, and a peacock feather fly brush.

The Topeka Chapter of the D. A. R. placed in the rooms a walnut bureau brought from Massachusetts in 1854 by Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Horne, but believed to be much older than that date. (Mr. Horne was a member of the Topeka Town Company, which founded Topeka.) The bureau was given by Miss Maude Bishop. A blue and white homespun bedspread, formerly owned by Mrs. Anthony Ward, who lived at Shawnee Mission while the Indian school was in operation, was loaned by her great granddaughter, Miss Jane Ewart.

The bedspread which has been prepared for use as portieres in Mrs. Ward's home has been hung in the archway between the two D. A. R. rooms at Shawnee Mission.

Elva Moore Fernald (Mrs. W. H. Fernald) presented an antique blue china plate from the home of her father, David Hanson Moore, who came to Kansas in 1855 from South Berwick, Mo.

A framed picture of Margaret Wright Browne, real daughter of William Wright, a soldier of the American Revolution, has been hung. It was presented by her daughter, Lucy Brown Johnston (Mrs. William A. Johnston), member of Topcka Chapter, whose framed photoghaph, taken at the time she was state regent, 1901-1902, has also been received. Mrs. L. S. Ferry, of Topeka, gave a framed picture of Mrs. Fannie Geiger Thompson, state regent of the Kansas D. A. R. from 1902 to 1903.

A large leather-bound Bible, published in Philadelphia in 1815, has been loaned to the mission by Mrs. W. L. Clapp, of Arkansas City.

A cashmere shawl of about 1830, owned by Mrs. Evans, of Tazewell County, Illinois, was given by her great-grand-daughter, Cora Leonard Bennett, of Betty Bonney Chapter.

From General Edward Hand Chapter, Ottawa, three rush-bottom chairs, presented by Miss Grace Meeker and a D. A. R. door plate painted by Miss Betty Gibson, daughter of Mrs. C. A. Gibson, regent of the chapter. This was given in honor of Mrs. E. P. Pendleton, state regent, a member of General Edward Hand Chapter. A large antique china platter and a braided rug were sent in without names attached.

A framed newspaper containing an account of the funeral of Abraham Lincoln was brought in by members of the Atchison Chapter.

A donation of \$5.00 is reported from Peleg Gorton Chapter, Winfield. A book of six sermons on Temperance by Lyman Beecher, published in Boston, 1828, has been presented by Mrs. A. J. Berger, registrar of Kansas D. A. R., of Betty Bonney Chapter.

Samuel Linscott Chapter, Holton, has sent to the chairman a framed photograph of Mrs. Martha A. Hand, organizing regent of Kansas D. A. R. Dr. Vernon reports that the antique china tea set, recently sent by Sterling Chapter, has arrived at Shawnee Mission. This was bequeathed to the D. A. R. by the late Mrs. Bond, of Sterling, Kansas, and was formerly owned by her mother, Mrs. Eno.

In accordance with Mrs. Pendleton's expressed wish, the following chapters have reported to the state chairman

the appointment of local Shawnee Mission committees: Abilene, Atchison, Betty Bonney, Desire Tobey Sears, Emporia, Frederick Funston, Henry Dawson, James Ross, Lois Warner, Mary Wade Strother, Neodesha, Newton, Oceanic, Hopkins, Peleg Gorton, Polly Ogden, Sterling, Wichita, and Topeka. Their work is proving most helpful to the state committee.

The committee has issued post cards to all the chapters on three different occasions; first, in 1931, asking them to write their legislators asking their support for an increase in the appropriation for maintenance of Shawnee Mission; second, in 1933, after the D. A. R. rooms had been renovated and repaired, asking for contributions of antiques or other donations; third, in 1934, asking their attendance at the September meeting at Shawnee Mission.

Shawnee Mission rooms are in need of cases or cabinets; several collections have been reported as available when we have one or more cases for their protection. Also, we are anxious to hang drapes at the windows as they will add so much to the finished appearance of the rooms.

MRS. HARRY TASKER, State Chairman Shawnee Mission Committee.

#### STUDENT LOAN FUND

To the women of vision and faith who established this loan fund, we bring a tribute of gratitude and appreciation from the young college women who profited by it.

To those Daughters who have given time, money and advice to increase and to protect the fund we offer a message of encouragement.

The state fund established in 1926 has been loaned to 36 girls who have received a total of \$5,009; \$775 has been loaned to eight girls since March 1, 1934, and \$160 of that sum has already been returned with interest.

On the \$660 loaned last year \$371.76 of the principal has been repaid with \$50 not yet due. There has been a most gratifying response from all borrowers, but two, who have been in arrears for a considerable period. With the exception of these two cases all interest is paid to February

1, 1935, and some payments have been made on all overdue notes. As against payments in 1934 of \$378.81 in principal and \$66.11 interest, we are able to report for 1935 note payments of \$852.61 and \$128.81 interest, a total of \$981.42. The fund now amounts to \$2,821.30, a gain for the year of \$304.11.

Eight loans have been made, five of \$100 each, one of \$150, one for \$75 and one for \$50. The borrowers attended Denver University, Washburn, Kansas Wesleyan, Bethany at Lindsborg, Pittsburg Teachers' College, McPherson and Sterling.

Fearing a decrease in chapter contributions, attention was directed to the collection of note arrears. With the friendly, individual long-hand letters sent to all borrowers in September there was a memorandum of the amounts which would be due November 1. Shorter, but still friendly personal typewritten letters with enclosed memorandum of notes due February 1, went out in January.

In cases where no response was made a third letter, no less friendly, but more insistent followed. The resulting repayments have been much beyond our hopes so that in all, but two cases, the interest is paid and considerable on the principal. All money has been acknowledged by letters of congratulation.

The chapters added \$175.30 to the fund, in three cases at least through the generosity of the regent or fund chairman. Reports have been received from 34 chapters. The large contributions have been welcome indeed, but the dollar "squeezed out" for the fund also encouraged us greatly.

Contributions from 26 chapters—

Abilene, \$5; Atchison, \$5; Baxter Springs, \$5; Betty Bonney, \$5; Courtney-Spalding, \$3; Emporia, \$7.50; Eunice Sterling, \$25; Frederick Funston, \$1; General Edward Hand, \$1; Henry Dawson, \$10; Isabella Welden, \$1; James Ross, \$25; Lois Warner, \$5; Mary Wade Strother, \$4.80; Newton, \$5; Oceanic Hopkins, \$10; Olathe, \$2; Peleg Gorton, \$5; Phebe Dustin, \$10; Susannah French Putney, \$10; Topeka, \$10; Uvedale, \$2; Wellington, \$5; Wichita, \$5; Desire Tobey Sears, \$5; Dodge, City, \$3.

There is on hand, cash \$1,070.82; notes receivable, \$1,-750.42. Of these notes \$625 is not yet due. Another loan of \$100 has been made since March 1.

In the consideration of loans to senior college girls the standards formulaated last year are:

- 1. Scholarship.
- 2. Evidence of capacity to make valuable contacts.
- 3. Probable ability to get and keep a position.
- 4. Family reputation for meeting financial obligations.

A parent's signature to a note is required. Candidates are expected to consult regents. Our thanks are to regents and fund chairmen for interviews and investigations, to Miss Hulse for meeting a candidate and to Mrs. I. M. Pratt and Miss Hulse for their careful painstaking work in furthering the usefulness of the fund. Miss Seelye's work is invaluable. Some of the borrowers in arrears have a habit of installment paying with which she has been most patient.

Five chapters have had local funds, two have increased, three are inactive this year.

The Victor Blakely Memoria, of Topeka, at Washburn, \$1,250; the Betty Washington Loan Fund, of Lawrence, \$1,389.94; Polly Ogden, at Manhattan, as of last year, \$672.75; General Edward Hand, of Ottawa, \$130, and Eunice Sterling, in Wichita, (inactive) \$1,000.

The total of all student loan funds of the Kansas D. A. R. is now \$7,263.99. This has been used by 32 boys and 93 girls of whom nine boys and 42 girls are using it this year.

The committee comes to the end of the year with surprise at its success with collections for this worthy cause. We have loaned more money, to more girls, and though we feared a depleted treasury there is instead more money for more girls next year.

Daughters, we hope that even more of you may know the joy of aiding these courageous, resourceful young Kansas college women.

Respectfully submitted,

JENNIE I. CAMPBELL.

## REPORTS OF STATE REGENTS

ABILENE CHAPTER

A.bilene

Miss Bertha Lesher, Regent

62 Members

Gave \$15 to Approved Schools, \$5 to Student Loan Fund, \$5 to Kansas Traveling Library, \$6 to D. A. R. Library at Washington, \$8 cash and box valud at \$4 to Ellis Island, placed D.A.R. Magazine in city and high school libraries, gave Good Citizenship medals in junior high and awards in Girl Home Makers, gave manuals and flags to newly made citizens, special interest taken in Mexican settlement, purchased 5 postals from Better Film Chairman, placed five volumes on Memorial shelf in City Library, valued at \$10.75, all juniors and seniors are participating in the "Good Will" essay contest and observed national holidays and flag days.

ARTHUR BARRETT CHAPTER

Frankfort

Mrs. Minnie M. Montgomery, Acting Regent

20 Members

Gave prizes for history grades in the schools of Marshall county. Are planning to preserve Alcove Springs, located on the Blue river, and is the oldest Oregon Trail crossing in the county; a patriotic program was featured at the February meeting with a speaker from Kansas University.

#### ATCHISON CHAPTER

Atchison

Mrs. W. J. Brockett, Regent

52 Members

Gave \$10 in history prizes to high school students, \$5 to Student Loan Fund, \$3 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee, \$1.25 to Ellis Island, have observed all patriotic holidays, have sent magazines and papers to the CCC camp, distributed 100 flag codes, sent Better Film cards, awarded five Girl Home Makers medals, located 26 historical spots, had flag lessons at each meeting.

BAXTER SPRINGS CHAPTER
Baxter Springs
Miss Grace Perkins, Regent

13 Members

Gave four awards to high school girls for excellency in cooking and sewing, \$5 to Student Loan Fund, \$2 to Constitution Hall Finance, \$5 to Tamassee, box of clothing valued at \$12.75 to Kate Duncar Smith School, box of material valued at \$3.50 to Ellis Island, observed flag day, borrowed five papers from the filing and lending of historical papers committee, and celebrated Washington's birthday with a guest day dinner.

BETTY BONNEY CHAPTER Arkansas City Mrs. E. A. Funk, Regent

65 Members

Gave \$10 to approved schools, \$2 to Ellis Island, \$5 to Student Loan Fund, \$5 to Constitution Hall Finance and complied with all requests from the State Librarian. Had seven subscriptions to the D. A. R. magazine and assisted in several civic projects. On June 14, in conjunction with our annual Tri-city picnic, we dedicated a pioneer marker which houses the first school bell of Arkansas City. One of our younger members served as page at National.

BETTY WASHINGTON CHAPTER
Lawrence
Mrs. H. E. Don Carlos, Regent
121 Members

Gave \$25 to Americanization Committee, \$10 to Ellis Island, \$14.50 to Constitution Hall Finance and are maintaining three \$100 scholarships in the University of Kansas. Have a complete file of lineage books and have been active in the work among the Mexicans of the city. Observed Constitution Day with a lecture on the "Constitution." Sent in much valuable data to the Genealogical Records Committee and gave several lovely gifts to Shawnee Mission, also some portraits to the Smithsonian and Congressional Libraries.

#### CAPTAIN JESSE LEAVENWORTH CHAPTER Leavenworth

Mrs. C. G. Nichols, Regent 48 Members

Sent \$2 and a box of material to Ellis Island, and awarded a \$10 medal to the student in junior high who received the best grade in history. Have a complete file of lineage books, observed all national and patriotic holidays, and placed the D. A. R. Magazine in our public library.

#### CONCORDIA CHAPTER Concordia

Mrs. R. H. Hanson, Regent 29 Members

Gave \$5 to approved schools and \$3 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee.

## CHRISTIANA MUSSER CHAPTER Chanute

Mrs. Zora Zinn, Regent 14 Members

No report received.

COUNCIL OAK CHAPTER
Council Grove
Mrs. L. H. Brigham, Regent
32 Members

Sent \$1 to Ellis Island, distributed 500 Manuals of Citizenship, observed all national and patriotic holidays, had the flag lessons at each meeting, sent in several records to the chairman of Genealogical Records, placed a marker in Madonna Park honoring the donor of the park site, and by protesting with the city commission, saved the old stone wall which was built in 1871 in front of the Greenwood Cemetery on the Old Santa Fe Trail, gave \$10 to aid city in marking other historic spots.

## COURTNEY-SPALDING CHAPTER

Russell Mrs. Ralph Stinson, Regent 27 Members

Gave \$4 to approved schools, \$3 to State D. A. R. Library, \$3 to Student Loan Fund and \$3 to Constitution Hall Finance. Sent in some very good data to the Geneological Record Committee, and aided several girls to complete their school year by furnishing clothing and books.

## DESIRE TOBEY SEARS CHAPTER Mankato

Mrs. Fred Beeler, Regent
44 Members

Sent \$5 to Student Loan Fund, \$3 to Ellis Island and \$5 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee. Gave rewards of merit to the Girl Home Makers for good work in cooking, home management, sewing and etiquette. Placed a marker at the site of Old Fort Jewell in honor of the early pioneers of Jewell county. Observed national and patriotic holidays.

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DANA CHAPTER
Columbus
Rlancha Caithar Ross

Mrs. Blanche Gaither, Regent 16 Members

No report.

DODGE CITY CHAPTER Dodge City

Mrs. James Sutton, Regent 45 Members

Sent box valued at \$6 to Ellis Island, \$6 to approved schools, \$10 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee, \$4.50 to State Genealogical Library, \$2.50 to Better Films, \$2.50 to National Defense through Patriotic Education, distributed \$1 worth of flag codes, and placed Manuals in several languages in the public library, also the D. A. R. Magazine, and are using the Spanish and English Manuals in the work among the Mexicans, sent data to the Genealogical Records Committee. Observed national holidays with proper ceremony and had a speaker for Constitution Day. Gave certificate of merit to outstanding Girl Scout and one to junior high school girl for excellency in domestic art.

#### EMPORIA CHAPTER Emporia

Mrs. R. W. Graves, Regent 86 Members

Gave \$40 to approved schools, \$13 to Mexican Mission school, gave three medals for best grades in history in the Lyon County and junior high school, \$7.50 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee, \$7.50 to Student Loan Fund, \$5 to Ellis Island, \$50 to aid in purchasing building for Mexican Mission School. Conducted a sale of handmade articles from the approved schools and \$76.39 was netted. Sent data to Genealogical Records Committee and placed flag codes in schools and distributed Manuals.

### ESTHER LOWERY CHAPTER

Independence

Mrs. E. M. Mulvaney, Regent 85 Members

Our lineage book file is complete and we have observed all national and patriotic holidays. Had a luncheon on Constitution Day followed by a speaker on the "Constitution." Our attendance has increased the past year and we are planning to mark several historic spots during the coming year.



#### EUNICE STERING CHAPTER

Witchita

Mrs. Cliff Matson, Regent 206 Members

Gave \$50 to approved schools, \$25 to Student Loan Fund, \$5 to Ellis Island, \$10 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee. Placed 16 bronze markers along the George Washington Boulevard, made and gave 1,350 Christmas cards, complete with stamped envelopes, to patients of the Veterans Hospital for their use during the holidays, placed a picture of George Washington in one of the schools of the city, awarded a medal to the student in each high school of Wichita who wrote the best essay on some historical subject, aided in the American-Syrian Club activities and with other civic work.



#### FORT LARNED Miss Virginia Reed, Regent Larned

25 Members

Gave \$4 to approved schools, \$2 to Ellis Island, gave award of merit medal to high school student with best grades in American history and civics, observed flag day, Constitution Day and Washington's Birthday, distributed authorized leaflets and showed "Flag Trailers" on Armistice Day and "Washington Tarilers" on Washington's Birthday.

#### FORT SUPPLY TRAIL CHAPTER

Ashland

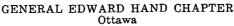
Mrs. R. V. Shrewder, Regent 12 Members

No report.

# FREDERICK FUNSTON CHAPTER Humboldt

Mrs. J. J. Amos, Regent 23 Members

Sent box valued at \$5 to Ellis Island, \$3.50 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee, \$1 to Student Loan Fund, and gave medal for excellency in history in junior high school. Placed a framed picture of the ship "Constitution" in one of the local school rooms and sent in some data to Genealogical Records Committee.



Mrs. C. A. Gibson, Regent 71 Members

Sent box valued at \$5 to Ellis Island, \$1 to Student Loan Fund, \$1 to State Library, \$68.35 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee,

sent several gifts to Shawnee Mission and sent data to Genealogical Records Committee. Had one paper written by Mrs. Kennedy which was accepted in Washington on the filing and loaning list. Mrs. J. W. King did outstanding work in the state with her sale of Christmas Seals.

HANNAH JAMESON CHAPTER
Parsons

Mrs. P. H. Ratner, Regent 53 Members

Sent \$50 to Student Loan Fund, \$5 to Approved Schools, \$5 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee, \$1 and a box of materials to Ellis Island, placed 20 markers in Memorial Lawn Cemetery.

HENRY DAWSON CHAPTER
McPherson
Mrs. C. R. Lytle, Regent

Sent \$5 to approved schools, \$10 to Student Loan Fund, and aided in civic projects. Our chairman of Genealogical Records has been collecting the autobiographies of our members for her files and our chairman on National Defense has given us several constructive reports.

35 Members

ISABELLA WELDEN CHAPTER Augusta

> Mrs. Ward Perry, Regent 23 Members

Gave \$1 to Approved Schools, \$1 to Student Loan Fund, \$1 to Ellis Island. Presented a large flag and standard to the Girl Scouts. Miss Haines has sent in 12 Old Settlers Reports and is working on the Original Land Grants for the Genealogical Records.

JAMES ROSS CHAPTER
Kansas City
Mrs. Wayne F. Shaw, Regent
84 Members

Gave \$92.65 to approved schools, \$10 to State Genealogical Library, \$5 to Ellis Island, \$5 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee, \$25 to Student Loan Fund, and several donations to local charities. Presented all newly made citizens with Manuals for Citizenship, the Flag Code, the American's Creed and "What the Constitution Means to You." Navy Day was observed and a speech given by a navy officer.

LOIS WARNER CHAPTER
Junction City
Mrs. W. A. Scothorn, Regent
43 Members

Gave \$10 to approved schools, \$10 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee, \$5 to Student Loan Fund, and donations to local charities. Also sent \$8.97 for Ellis Island and placed Manuals in local schools and in the schools of neighboring towns. A complete map of Geary County was made and sent to State Chairman of Historic Spots, all spots of interest being marked on the map.

## MARY WADE STROTHER CHAPTER

Salina

Mrs. H. S. Felt, Regent 49 Members

Sent \$9.60 to approved schools, \$2.50 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee, \$4.80 to Student Loan Fund, and \$5 to Americanization work. Made 12 awards of merit to high school girls. Observed Constitution Day, Flag Day and Washington's Birthday.

MARTHA VAIL CHAPTER
Anthony

Mrs. Wm. A. Small, Regent 16 Members

Sent \$5 an approved schools, \$2.75 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee and gave 16 Girl Home Makers awards in the four high schools represented in our chapter, gave a two-year subscription to the D. A. R. Magazine to our incoming Regent. Sent in data to the Genealogical Records Committee.

## MOLLY FOSTER BERRY CHAPTER Fort Scott

Mrs. Claude Brant, Regent 55 Members

Gave \$5 to Student Loan Fund, \$5 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee, had sale of handmade goods from approved schools and about \$70 was netted from sale, part of which is to be used by two of the approved schools. Presented handbook of genealogy to public library. Observed Constitution Day, Flag Day and Navy Day, each by having a speaker of note as well as a luncheon for members.

#### NATHAN EDSON CHAPTER Clay Center

Mrs. Robert W. Diver, Regent
14 Members

Gave \$1.50 to approved schools, \$1 to Student Loan Fund, clothing and books to a high school girl, placed D. A. R. Magazine in the public library, sent one book and one manuscript to State D. A. R. Library, box of clothing sent to an approved school and four awards of merit given high school girls under Girl Home Makers project.

#### NEODESHA CHAPTER Neodesha

Mrs. Charles Boatman, Regent 27 Members

Gave \$5 to approved schools, \$3.34 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee, 12 awards to students outstanding in American history. Placed D. A. R. Magaine in the public library, sent daily paper and magazine to the patients at the hospital. May we urge each chapter and each Daughter to do their part for the State D. A. R. Library so that it may continue to grow.

#### NEWTON CHAPTER Newton

Mrs. Leo Steinkirchner, Regent
70 Members

Sent \$5 to approved schools, \$5 to State Genealogical Library, \$5 to Student Loan Fund, \$5.15 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee, placed D. A. R. Magazine in City Library, also have the National Defense News in the library, gave 120 flag codes to the senior and junior high school, also rural schools, gave Manual for Citizenship to newly made citizens and one printed in Greek to a Citizen of Greece who was visiting in our city. We placed a marker in Greenwood Cemetery. We have a thriving Sons and Daughters of the U. S. A. club. Circulated Manuals in five different languages.

#### OCEANIC HOPKINS CHAPTER Pittsburg

Mrs. O. P. Dellinger, Regent 53 Members

Sent \$5 to approved schools; \$41 to Ellis Island; \$3.50 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee; \$10 to Student Loan Fund; \$1.30 to Girl Home Makers Awards, and local charities. Spent \$11 for a book case to be placed in public library for D. A. R. lineage books, much valuable data given to the chairman of Genealogical Records Committee.

#### OLATHE CHAPTER Olathe

Mrs. Frank Hodges, Jr., Regent 25 Members

Sent \$2 to approved schools, \$10 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee, \$2 to Student Loan Fund, \$2 to Ellis Island, planted a row of red hard Maple trees in the Olathe cemetery in memory of departed Daughters at a cost of \$80. Manuals for Citizenship were given to the public library and flag codes were distributed to school children. A gold medal was given to the high school student who wrote the best essay on "What the Constitution Meains to Me."

#### PELEG GORTON CHAPTER Winfield

Mrs. J. W. Lane, Regent 36 Members

Gave \$8 to Approved Schools, \$5 to Student Loan Fund, \$5 to Shawnee Mission, \$30.90 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee, 4 certificates of award to Girl Home Makers, \$12 to Ellis Island, 3 medals for History and Citizenship in High School and 12 subscriptions to the D. A. R. Magazine, one of which is in the public library.

# PHEBE DUSTIN CHAPTER Pillipsburg Mrs. G. Culbertson, Regent

25 Members

Sent \$10 to Student Loan Fund; \$8.85 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee, gave Gold Medal for best essay on patriotic subject, and

one for best grade in the county in History and Constitution in the Eighth grade; sent a box to Ellis Island, observed patriotic and national holidays and assisted in several local charities.

POLLY OGDEN CHAPTER Manhattan

Mrs. E. H. Leker, Regent 58 Members

Sent \$8 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee; placed Manuals for Citizenship in the city library; presented an American flag to the Girl Scouts; celebrated Flag Day with a luncheon and Washington's Birthday with a Colonial Tea; sent data to Genealogical Records Committee.

RHODA CARVER BARTON CHAPTER
Fredonia
Mrs. D. B. Ludwick, Regent

Made donations to Constitution Hall Finance Committee and to the Student Loan Fund and presented an American flag to the student who made the highest grade in History in the Fredonia junior high school; observed Flag day and Constitution day with proper ceremony.

25 Members

SAMUEL LINSCOTT CHAPTER Holton Miss Anna J. Ritter, Regent 24 Members

Gave \$2 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee; \$10 in prizes for excellency in History in the local schools; sent a framed portrait of Mrs. Martha A. Hand, first State Regent, to the Shawnee Mission; celebrated Washington's birthday and Flag day.

SARAH STEWARD CHAPTER
Smith Center
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18 Members

Gave \$2 to Approved Schools; celebrated Mrs. Magna's birthday and made gift to Constitutional Hall Finance; sent box and cash to Ellis Island; gave \$8 in prizes for the best essay on "A True Story of a Real Pioneer" to the high school students; placed the D. A. R. Magazine in City library at Smith Center and in Athol; celebrated Washington's birthday.

STERLING CHAPTER
Sterling
Mrs. Malcolm Blackall, Regent
27 Members

Gave \$5 to Student Loan Fund; \$5 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee; \$3 to Ellis Island; sent box of lovely heirloom china to Shawnee Mission and aided in local charities. Observed several patriotic holidays with suitable programs.

# SUSANNAH FRENCH PUTNEY CHAPTER El Dorado

Mrs. Richard C. Woodward, Regent 59 Members

Sent \$15 to Approved Schools; \$10 to Student Loan Fund; \$5 to Ellis Island; \$10 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee; \$55 for material for Conservation and Thrift committee; awarded two medals to high school students for excellence in History at a value of \$7; two Citizenship medals to junior high school students; shipped a large box of books to the Merchant Marine Library and assisted in local charities.

#### TOPEKA CHAPTER Topeka

Mrs. Warren Jeffrey, Regent 165 Members

Gave \$10 to Approved Schools; \$10 to Student Loan Fund; box valued at \$6 to Ellis Island; \$5 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee; placed D. A. R. Magazine in the City Library and Y. W. C. A. library; presented American flags to all newly made citizens; furnished the courts with Manuals for Citizenship and copies of the American's Creed; sent several heirlooms to Shawnee Mission. Our Victor Blakely scholarship is held this year by a nephew of our one Gold Star Mother in whose memory the scholarship was purchased.

#### UVEDALE CHAPTER Hutchinson

Mrs. Elva Colglazier, Regent 67 Members

Sent \$25 to Approved Schools; \$5 to Ellis Island; \$2 to Student Loan Fund; \$11.77 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee; \$8 to Conservation and Thrift and several to local charities. Observed Flag day; Constitution day and Washington's birthday with suitable programs; placed the D. A. R. Magazine and National Defense News in the public library and the D. A. R. Magazine in the senior high school library; sent in several old settlers' papers to the chairman of Genealogical Records and had several lectures on different phases of D. A. R. work.

#### WELLINGTON CHAPTER Wellington

Miss Marie Sellars, Regent 67 Members

Sent \$8 to Approved Schools; \$5.10 to State D. A. R. library; \$5 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee; \$5 to Student Loan Fund; placed a steel cabinet in the City library for the filing of historical data of Sumner county; have placed Manuals for Citizenship and the D. A. R. Magazine in the City library; observed all national and patriotic holidays and had programs which tend to create interest in the D. A. R. work.

#### WICHITA CHAPTER Wichita

# Mrs. Thor Jager, Regent 47 Members

Gave \$75 to Approved Schools and conducted sale of hand-made articles from the schools which netted \$31.64; gave \$5 prize to the Indian boy who did the best work in Constitution at the American Indian Institute; \$5 to Constitution Hall Finance Committee; \$1 to Kenmore Association, and assisted in local charities. Observed several of the national holidays with proper programs.

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