



**PROCEEDINGS**  
of the  
FORTY-FOURTH  
ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE

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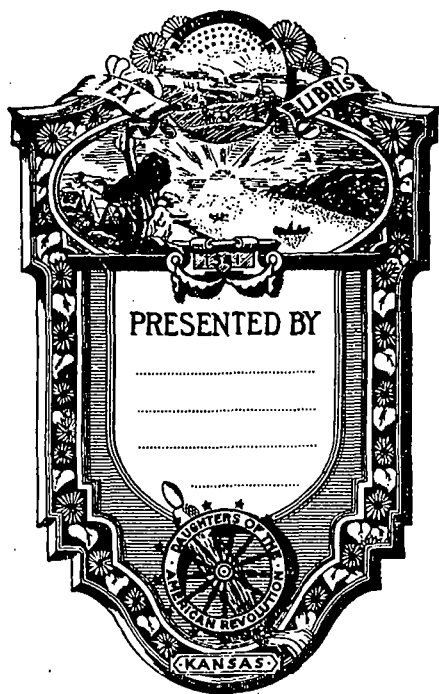
**KANSAS SOCIETY  
DAUGHTERS OF THE  
AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

Bisonte Hotel  
HUTCHINSON, KANSAS

March 12, 13, 14, 1942

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By Invitation of  
UVEDAILE CHAPTER



*This Book is Dedicated to the President General  
in Grateful Appreciation of the Inspiration and Fine  
Spirit of Helpfulness Which She Brought to the Forty-  
Fourth Annual State Conference.*

*Compiled by*  
**M. BLANCHE RYAN**  
**(Mrs. J. N. Ryan)**  
*State Recording Secretary*



MRS. WILLIAM H. POUCH, President General  
National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution



MISS MARION E. SEELYE  
Vice President General from  
Kansas



MRS. ALEXANDER J. BERGER  
Regent



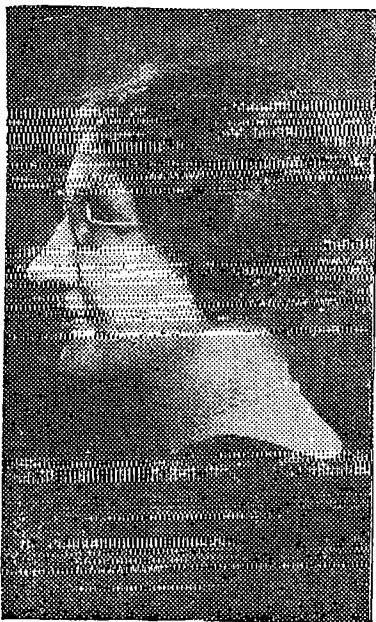
MRS. ROY V. SHREWDER  
Vice Regent



MRS. WILLIAM H. McCAMISH  
Chaplain



MRS. JOHN N. RYAN  
Recording Secretary



MRS. HARVE M. STRICKLEN  
Corresponding Secretary



MRS. MARCEL DUPHORNE  
Treasurer



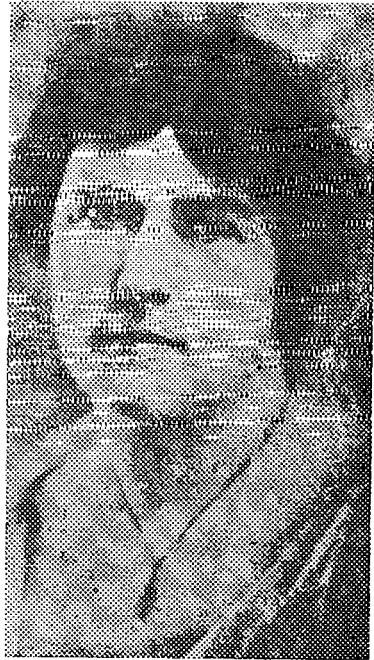
MRS. VERNON E. McARTHUR  
Registrar



MRS. ORIS P. DELLINGER  
Historian



MRS. GLENN T. ZIMMERMAN  
Reporter



MRS. JONATHAN B. CARTER  
Parliamentarian

*Regret omission of picture of Mrs. John E. Morgan,  
Librarian, which could not be obtained.*

## MRS. ROBERT BRUCE CAMPBELL

Regent, Eunice Sterling Chapter, D. A. R., 1920-1923

State Regent, Kansas Society, D. A. R., 1923-1929

Vice President General, National Society, D. A. R., 1929-1931.

On Tuesday afternoon, April 7, 1942, members of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution, relatives and friends of Mrs. Campbell gathered in Maple Grove Cemetery, Wichita, to place the official D. A. R. bronze memorial marker upon the grave of their beloved Honorary State Regent and past Vice President General, Mrs. Robert Bruce Campbell.

An impressive ceremony was conducted by Mrs. Alexander J. Berger, State Regent, Mrs. Clarence F. Drake, Regent, and Mrs. Samuel I. Hellar, Chaplain of Eunice Sterling Chapter, of which Mrs. Campbell was a member and past Regent. Mrs. Roy V. Shrewder, State Vice Regent, gave a beautiful personal tribute to Mrs. Campbell.

The Kansas Society, D. A. R., considered it a privilege to honor in this manner its former member who had served with distinction the National and State Societies.

### MRS. SHREWDER'S TRIBUTE TO MRS. CAMPBELL

Olive Decatur Campbell (Mrs. Robert Bruce) became a member of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution in June, 1910. As we review her activities concerning this Society from that time until June, 1941, we are conscious that in placing to her memory any kind of a memorial, we are attempting a vain thing, for truly, she has builded her own monument, through service. In placing this marker we do, however, in the only way that we have, designate this member as having been faithful and true to the ideals of our society.

I cannot here relate the many activities and accomplishments that have been hers. I would, however, remind you of her years of prominence in her own chapter, in the State and in the National Society. As Regent of Eunice Sterling Chapter from 1920 to 1923, she was known as a good executive, administering the duties of her office in a kindly, efficient way—ever thoughtful of the betterment of her chapter, whose members will always cherish her memory. The same can be said of all of her work throughout the following years.

As the responsibilities of the offices to which she was elected increased, so increased her dexterity and her strength. She served her State as Vice Regent and in 1923 was elected to the office of Regent of the Kansas Society. This office she held until 1929. During her administration, the State gained steadily and amazingly in membership; the American Indian Institute was generously assisted financially; the handsome El Cuartelejo Marker was erected; the third State Directory was published; the State Student Loan was created; over \$10,000 was paid into the building fund for Constitution Hall and the Kansas Rooms in the Administration Building were refinished and refurnished. Think of the expenditure of effort demanded by these stated projects, alone. Their success was not attained without courage nor without sacrifice, because at the time of her Regency, her family was young, and it, as well as State concerns, demanded her attention. It was a real achievement to have neglected neither.

In 1929 she was elected to the office of Vice President General and in this capacity served on many important National Committees. Afterward, she did not become inactive in the affairs of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Her keen interest, fine perception and splendid sense of balance were invaluable and ever available for the asking.

We are apt to measure her greatness by our loss, as we miss the inspiration of her actual presence and the advantage of her wise counsel. But we must remember that Olive Decatur Campbell developed and left for us a pattern; a design of loyalty of purpose, steadfastness in endeavor, the courage of accomplishment—tempered with a graciousness of spirit.—If we can, and if we will, follow this plan—then we, the Kansas Daughters, will have kept the faith.





**NATIONAL SOCIETY**  
*of the*  
**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

**Objects**

The objects of this Society as stated in Article II of the Constitution are:

1.

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

2.

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

3.

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

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**Insignia**

The insignia of the National Society shall consist of a badge in the form of a spinning wheel and distaff. It shall be carried only on the left breast.—National By-Laws, Article XIII.

The insignia should be accorded the place of honor on all forms of stationery, programs, year books, and conference reports. It should be either at the top center or the upper left hand corner, without any wording whatever above it.—D.A.R. Handbook, page 57.

## D. A. R. RITUAL

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### CHAPTER MEETING OPENING

Gavel.

Rogent: To perpetuate the memory and the spirit of the men and women who achieved American Independence; to promote the development of an enlightened public opinion; and to foster patriotic citizenship;—these are the objects of our Society, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Chaplain: Guard that which is committed unto thee.

Response: Yea, I have a goodly heritage.

Chaplain: Thou shalt remember all the way which Jehovah thy God hath led thee.

Response: Blessed is the nation whose God is Jehovah.—I Timothy 6:20; Psalm 16:6; Deut. 8:2; Psalm 33:12.

Chaplain (or Collect): Our Father in Heaven, we thank Thee for Thy guidance and for Thy abiding presence in the life of our country. We thank Thee for all those yesterdays of our human race whose lessons and fulfillments have become a heritage to us. Continue, we pray, Thy blessings upon this nation, that all who are a part of it may learn true nobility of manhood and womanhood.

Grant us growth in understanding and increasing devotion to righteousness. Amen.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Music.

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### INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Chaplain: You have been duly elected to office in \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution. Do you accept its responsibilities and duties?

Response: I do.

Chaplain: Do you faithfully promise to uphold the Constitution of the United States of America and to seek its observance by others?

Response: I do.

Chaplain: Do you faithfully promise loyalty to the Constitution and By-Laws of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution?

Response: I do.

Chaplain: Do you faithfully promise to perform the duties of your office to the best of your ability and understanding, and that at all times you will conduct yourself uprightly, God being your helper?

Response: I do.

Chaplain: That which is gone out of thy lips thou shalt observe and do; according as thou hast vowed unto Jehovah thy God. Deut. 23:23.

Collect: Lord God, we pray that we may be joined together in loyalty;—these who now are placed in leadership, and we who have chosen them to guide us. Bless their faithfulness and ours, in a united service to our Society and to Thy kingdom. May we have an awareness of Thy companionship in all our plans and projects; and the assurance of Thy benediction upon our work. Amen.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

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Report immediately to the State Corresponding Secretary any change in chapter officer or chapter chairman.

Report **AT ONCE** all resignations, deaths, marriages, and members **RECEIVED** by transfer to the Treasurer General. Do not report a resignation, or transfer a member in arrears in dues. Only members in good standing may resign or be transferred.

Do not vote to grant a resignation. Report all resignations **IMMEDIATELY**. To delay may cause injustice, and the member to have to be dropped or the chapter to have to pay an additional year's dues.

Vote to receive a member by transfer, and notify the Treasurer General **IMMEDIATELY** of the acceptance of the member by the chapter.

Do not report names of members as transferred to other chapters until you receive notice from the Treasurer General that such transfers have been recorded.

Grant transfer card as soon as requested. Do not vote to grant transfer **OUT** of the chapter. Do not send transfer card to the Treasurer General. The member transferring gives it with a copy of her application paper to the chapter to which she transfers. Chapter from which member transferred does not remove name from rolls when transfer card is issued, but does remove it from the rolls when notice is received from Treasurer General that transfer has been completed. Likewise, chapter to which member transfers does not add name to rolls when transfer card and application paper is received, but adds the name to the rolls as of the date on which the Treasurer General notifies the chapter that the transfer is completed. Treasurer General notifies Chapter Treasurer of **BOTH** chapters of date upon which transfer is completed.

Collect dues in time to reach Washington by January 1. **DO NOT** wait until December to begin to collect dues.

Send in late December all dues on hand. **DO NOT** wait for delinquents. Send all dues received after January 1 **AS SOON AS RECEIVED**. **DO NOT HOLD** dues received after January 1 waiting for other members to pay. To do so may rob your chapter of rightful representation and a member of the right to serve as a delegate or alternate.

Send special funds for schools, scholarships, etc., for which State credit is desired to the **STATE TREASURER**, who in turn will forward to the Treasurer General.

Every Chapter Regent, Treasurer and Registrar, should have a copy of the D. A. R. Handbook. The price of the Handbook is twenty-five cents. Orders with remittances should be sent to the Treasurer General, Memorial Continental Hall, Washington, D. C.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage, James Ross Chapter, Kansas City, hostess, will be held Saturday, September 19, 1942. The State Board of Management will meet at 10:30 A. M., in the D. A. R. Rooms at the Mission. State Chairmen will meet at 11:30 A. M., with the Board of Management. The State Officers and officers of the National Society whose membership is within the State, and Chapter Regents, constitute the State Board of Management.

The National Board of Management will meet in Washington, D. C., October 30, 1942. All applications for membership and reinstatement should be sent to the Treasurer General, N. S. D. A. R., at least two weeks before the meeting of the National Board of Management.

The Forty-fifth Annual Kansas State Conference will be held in Coffeyville, March 1943, by invitation of the Jane Dean Coffey Chapter, D. A. R.

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## STATE OFFICERS CLUB

The Sixth Annual Meeting of the State Officers Club was held in the Grill Room of the Leon Hotel in Hutchinson, Saturday morning, March 14, 1942, at seven o'clock, with the President, Miss Catherine Campbell, presiding. The following officers were elected:

|                            |                                   |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| President.....             | Miss Edith Chesney                |
| First Vice President.....  | Mrs. Roy V. Shrewder              |
| Second Vice President..... | Mrs. Oris P. Dellinger            |
| Third Vice President.....  | Mrs. Harve M. Stricklen           |
| Chaplain.....              | Mrs. Glenn T. Zimmerman           |
| Recording Secretary.....   | Mrs. Vernon E. McArthur           |
| Treasurer.....             | Mrs. William H. McCamish          |
| Historian.....             | Mrs. John E. Morgan               |
| Reporter.....              | Mrs. Marcel Duphorne              |
| Membership Committee.....  | Mrs. Harve M. Stricklen, Chairman |
|                            | Mrs. John C. Reese                |
|                            | Mrs. John W. Kirkpatrick          |

**NATIONAL OFFICERS**  
of the  
**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

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| President General.....                               | Mrs. William H. Pouch         |
| 1st Vice President General.....                      | Mrs. Joseph G. Forney         |
| 2nd Vice President General.....                      | Mrs. John Whittier Howe Hodge |
| 3rd Vice President General.....                      | Mrs. Floyd William Bennison   |
| Vice President General from Kansas.....              | Miss Marion Eleanor Seelye    |
| Chaplain General.....                                | Mrs. William Henry Belk       |
| Recording Secretary General.....                     | Mrs. William H. Schlosser     |
| Corresponding Secretary General.....                 | Mrs. Elizabeth M. Cox         |
| Organizing Secretary General.....                    | Miss Marion Day Mullins       |
| Treasurer General.....                               | Mrs. Samuel James Campbell    |
| Registrar General.....                               | Mrs. Edward Webb Cooch        |
| Historian General.....                               | Mrs. Frederick Alfred Wallis  |
| Librarian General.....                               | Mrs. Ralph L. Crockett        |
| Curator General.....                                 | Mrs. C. Edward Murray         |
| Reporter General to the Smithsonian Institution..... | Mrs. Harry E. Narey           |

Send all Official mail to Memorial Continental Hall, Washington,  
D. C.

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**NATIONAL CHAIRMAN**

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|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| American Indians Committee..... | Mrs. Loren Edgar Rex, Wichita |
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**NATIONAL VICE CHAIRMEN**

|                                   |                                   |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| American Red Cross Committee..... | Mrs. Ralph B. Earp, El Dorado     |
| D. A. R. Museum Committee.....    | Mrs. Garland P. Ferrell, Beaumont |

STATE SOCIETY  
DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

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OFFICERS 1940-1942

|                               |   |
|-------------------------------|---|
| Regent.....                   | Mrs. Alexander Joseph Berger,<br>403 N. 4th, Box 379, Arkansas City |
| Vice Regent .....             | Mrs. Roy Valentine Shrewder<br>Ashland                              |
| Chaplain .....                | Mrs. William Harrison McCamish,<br>2203 N. Tremont, Kansas City     |
| Recording Secretary .....     | Mrs. John Norton Ryan,<br>103 S. Pershing, Wichita                  |
| Corresponding Secretary ..... | Mrs. Harve Marion Stricklen,<br>924 N. A, Arkansas City             |
| Treasurer.....                | Mrs. Marcel Duphorne,<br>914 Central, Harper                        |
| Registrar.....                | Mrs. Vernon Emery McArthur,<br>127 West 11th, Hutchinson            |
| Historian .....               | Mrs. Oris Polk Dellinger,<br>1714 S. Olive, Pittsburg               |
| Librarian .....               | Mrs. John Edward Morgan,<br>712 Neosho, Emporia                     |
| Reporter.....                 | Mrs. Glenn Trego Zimmerman,<br>507 E. Elizabeth, McPherson          |
| Parliamentarian .....         | Mrs. Jonathan Basil Carter,<br>Wilson                               |

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HONORARY STATE REGENTS

|                                   |           |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| Miss Grace Ruth Meeker.....       | Ottawa    |
| Miss Catherine Campbell.....      | Ottawa    |
| Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick..... | El Dorado |
| Mrs. Loren Edgar Rex .....        | Wichita   |
| Miss Marion Eleanor Seelye.....   | Abilene   |

**KANSAS STATE REGENTS****From date of Organization**

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|---|-----------|
| * Mrs. Hiram Hand, Holton.....                    | 1894-1899 |
| * Mrs. George E. Lewis, Wichita.....              | 1899-1901 |
| * Mrs. William A. Johnston, Topeka.....           | 1901      |
| * Mrs. Alton H. Thompson, Topeka.....             | 1901-1903 |
| * Mrs. William Eugene Stanley, Wichita.....       | 1903-1908 |
| Miss Ruth E. Johns, Leavenworth.....              | 1908      |
| Miss Grace R. Meeker, Ottawa.....                 | 1909      |
| * Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey, Independence..... | 1909-1917 |
| Miss Catherine Campbell, Ottawa.....              | 1917-1921 |
| * Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey, Independence..... | 1921-1923 |
| * Mrs. Robert Bruce Campbell, Wichita.....        | 1923-1929 |
| Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick, El Dorado.....      | 1929-1933 |
| * Mrs. Edward Poston Pendleton, Ottawa.....       | 1933-1934 |
| Mrs. Loren Edgar Rex, Wichita.....                | 1934-1938 |
| Miss Marion E. Seelye, Abilene.....               | 1938-1940 |
| Mrs. Alexander Joseph Berger, Arkansas City.....  | 1940-     |
| * Deceased.                                       |           |

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**GUESTS OF HONOR ATTENDING THE FORTY-FOURTH  
ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE-**

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| Mrs. William H. Pouch, President General.....  | New York      |
| Mrs. Reuben Edward Knight, Vice President General and<br>National Vice Chairman of National Defense..... | Nebraska      |
| Mrs. Carl E. Friend, wife of the Lieutenant Governor of<br>Kansas .....                                  | Topeka        |
| Miss Jean Peck, Junior National Historian, C. A. R.....  | Arkansas City |
| Miss Marion Bienfang, Junior State President, C. A. R.....   | Arkansas City |
| Miss Emily Bernstorf, Kansas Good Citizenship Pilgrim for<br>1942 .....                                  | Winfield      |

# Program

Of the Forty-Fourth Annual State Conference

## KANSAS SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

March 12, 13, and 14, 1942.

### OPENING SESSION

First Methodist Church, First and Walnut

Thursday, March 12

2:00 O'CLOCK

Assembly Call.....Richard Guy  
Processional—"Pomp and Circumstance"—Mrs. Rudy Snyder, Organist  
National and State Officers and Guests escorted by Pages and  
Color Bearers.  
Forty-fourth State Conference Called to Order.....  
.....Mrs. Alexander J. Berger, State Regent  
Invocation.....Mrs. William H. McCamish, State Chaplain  
The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.....  
.....Led by Mrs. Joe R. Beeler, State Chairman  
Correct Use of the Flag  
The National Anthem.....The Assembly  
Led by Mrs. Earl Foy; Mrs. Rudy Snyder, Accompanist  
The American's Creed.....Led by Mrs. Wallace S. Wick  
Regent, Uvedale Chapter  
Welcome to Hutchinson.....Mr. Willis Kelly  
Mayor of Hutchinson  
Welcome from Hostess Chapter.....Mrs. Wallace S. Wick  
Regent  
Response.....Mrs. Roy V. Shrewder, State Vice Regent  
Greetings from Kansas Society C. A. R.....  
.....Miss Marion Bienfang, Junior State President  
Greetings from National Society C. A. R.....  
.....Miss Jean Peck, Junior National Historian  
Greetings from Distinguished Guests and Honorary State Regents  
Address.....Mrs. William H. Pouch  
President General  
National Society Daughters of the American Revolution  
Minutes of the Board of Management Meeting.  
Report of Credentials, Rules and Program.....  
.....Mrs. Harve M. Stricklen, Chairman



**Reports of State Officers—**

|                              |                          |
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| Vice Regent.....             | Mrs. Roy V. Shrewder     |
| Chaplain.....                | Mrs. William H. McCamish |
| Recording Secretary.....     | Mrs. John N. Ryan        |
| Corresponding Secretary..... | Mrs. Harve M. Stricklen  |
| Treasurer.....               | Mrs. Marcel Duphorne     |
| Registrar.....               | Mrs. Vernon E. McArthur  |
| Historian.....               | Mrs. Oris P. Dellinger   |
| Librarian.....               | Mrs. John E. Morgan      |
| Reporter.....                | Mrs. Glenn T. Zimmerman  |
| Parliamentarian.....         | Mrs. Jonathan B. Carter  |
| Regent.....                  | Mrs. Alexander J. Berger |

Appointment of Resolutions Committees.

Announcements.

Recess.

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6:00 O'CLOCK

Hostess Chapter's Dinner for National and State Officers and Distinguished Guests, Wiley Tea Room, Wiley Bldg.

Hostess Chapter's Dinner for State Chairmen—Grill Room, Hotel Leon

**Thursday Evening**

8:00 O'CLOCK

First Methodist Church, First and Walnut

Music.....Mrs. Rudy Snyder, Organist  
 Assembly Call.....Richard Guy

Processional—"Triumphal March."

National and State Officers and Guests, escorted by Pages and Color Bearers.

Invocation.....Reverend Gordon Thompson, D.D.  
 Pastor First Methodist Church

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.....Led by Mrs. Joe R. Beeler

Music.....Hutchinson Junior College A Cappella Choir  
 Mr. Bernard Regier, Director

Presentation of National and State Officers and Guests.

Address: "Basic Military Training".....Clyde D. Keith  
 Major, Cavalry  
 Cavalry Replacement Training Center, Fort Riley

Music—"God Bless America".....Miss Katherine Williams  
 Mrs. T. E. Foster, Accompanist

The Retiring of the Colors.

Music—"War March of the Priests".....Mrs. Rudy Snyder  
 Organist

Reception, Bisonte Hotel, for members of the Conference and Distinguished Guests.

Friday Morning  
BUSINESS SESSION

Convention Room, Bisonte Hotel

8:45 O'CLOCK

Call to Order.

Devotional Period ..... Mrs. William H. McCamish

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Solo "I Am Thy Lyre" ..... Miss Armand Poulton, Contralto  
Mrs. Herbert Waggoner, Accompanist

Minutes.

Address—"The Daughters Must Carry On" .....  
Mrs. Reuben Edward Knight, Vice President General National  
Vice Chairman, National Defense.

Reports of Chapter Regents—

| Chapter                                      | Regent                  |
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| Abilene, Abilene .....                       | Miss Esther Christmore  |
| Atchison, Atchison .....                     | Mrs. John Fulton        |
| Arthur Barrett, Frankfort .....              | Mrs. C. M. Belknap      |
| Baxter Springs, Baxter Springs .....         | Mrs. J. D. Conrad       |
| Betty Bonney, Arkansas City .....            | Mrs. S. E. George       |
| Betty Washington, Lawrence .....             | Mrs. W. C. Summers      |
| Byrd Prewitt, Ulysses .....                  | Mrs. H. F. McCall       |
| Captain Jesse Leavenworth, Leavenworth ..... | Miss Evelyn Dudley      |
| Christiana Musser, Chanute .....             | Miss Alice Hedrich      |
| Concordia, Concordia .....                   | Mrs. Roy Ball           |
| Council Oak, Council Grove .....             | Miss Louise Brown       |
| Courtney-Spalding, Russell .....             | Mrs. A. C. Falen        |
| Dana, Columbus .....                         | Mrs. C. R. Foster       |
| Desire Tobey Sears, Mankato .....            | Mrs. N. M. Fair         |
| Dodge City, Dodge City .....                 | Mrs. J. G. Janney       |
| Emporia, Emporia .....                       | Mrs. Robert L. Jones    |
| Esther Lowrey, Independence .....            | Mrs. Frank M. DeVore    |
| Eunice Sterling, Wichita .....               | Mrs. Clarence F. Drake  |
| Fort Larned, Larned .....                    | Mrs. L. E. Wallace      |
| Fort Supply Trail, Ashland .....             | Mrs. DeNelson Lynch     |
| Frederick Funston, Humboldt .....            | Mrs. E. P. Smith        |
| General Edward Hand, Ottawa .....            | Mrs. H. L. Kennedy      |
| Hannah Jameson, Parsons .....                | Mrs. M. C. Ruble        |
| Henry Dawson, McPherson .....                | Mrs. Stuart Simpson     |
| Isabella Weldin, Augusta .....               | Mrs. F. H. Varner       |
| James Ross, Kansas City .....                | Miss Gladys Beck        |
| Jane Dean Coffey, Coffeyville .....          | Mrs. R. W. Diver        |
| Jonathan Gilbert, LaCrosse .....             | Mrs. F. G. Hall         |
| Kanza, St. John .....                        | Mrs. S. W. Henderson    |
| Lois Warner, Junction City .....             | Mrs. H. V. B. Pickering |
| Lucretia Griswold Latimer, Eureka .....      | Mrs. Hugh Dennis        |
| Martha Loving Ferrell, Wichita .....         | Mrs. H. G. Shelly       |
| Martha Vail, Anthony .....                   | Mrs. F. N. Coulson      |
| Mary Wade Strother, Salina .....             | Miss Amy Armstrong      |
| Molly Foster Berry, Fort Scott .....         | Mrs. F. M. Marble       |
| Nathan Edson, Clay Center .....              | Mrs. George L. Kreeck   |
| Neodesha, Neodesha .....                     | Mrs. G. L. Caughron     |
| Newton, Newton .....                         | Mrs. J. W. Hornbaker    |
| Ninnescah, Pratt .....                       | Mrs. Leland Scrogin     |
| Oceanus Hopkins, Pittsburg .....             | Mrs. E. W. Jones        |
| Olathe, Olathe .....                         | Mrs. Harry Stewart      |
| Peleg Gorton, Winfield .....                 | Mrs. H. L. Snyder       |
| Phebe Dustin, Phillipsburg .....             | Mrs. Dan Hopson         |
| Polly Ogden, Manhattan .....                 | Mrs. G. B. Harrop       |

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| Randolph Loving, Wichita.....          | Mrs. Charles Theis    |
| Rhoda Carver Barton, Fredonia.....     | Mrs. Harry D. Anthony |
| Samuel Linscott, Holton.....           | Miss Martha M. Beck   |
| Sarah Steward, Smith Center.....       | Mrs. Fred Simmons     |
| Smoky Hill, Ellsworth.....             | Mrs. Herbert Woldt    |
| Sterling, Sterling.....                | Mrs. Tom Ross         |
| Susannah French Putney, El Dorado..... | Mrs. Jud P. Hall      |
| Topeka, Topeka.....                    | Miss Mary E. Clark    |
| Uvedale, Hutchinson.....               | Mrs. Wallace S. Wick  |
| Wellington, Wellington.....            | Mrs. E. A. Rothrock   |
| Wichita, Wichita.....                  | Mrs. J. F. Tilford    |
| William Creekmore, Pleasanton.....     | Mrs. William A. Spohn |
| Nominations for State Officers.        |                       |
| Announcements.                         |                       |
| Recess.                                |                       |

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1:00 O'CLOCK

**LUNCHEON**

Wiley Tea Room, Wiley Building  
Corner Main and First

|                                |                     |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| Invocation.....                | Mrs. Perry S. White |
| Chaplain, Uvedale Chapter..... |                     |
| Piano Solo.....                | Don Wyman           |
| Address—"Kansas History".....  | Mr. Frank S. Hodge  |

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Friday Afternoon

**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
MEMORIAL SERVICE**

3:00 O'CLOCK

First Methodist Church, First and Walnut

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| Prelude.....   | Mrs. Rudy Snyder, Organist               |
| Call to Remembrance.....   | Mrs. Alexander J. Berger                 |
| State Regent.....  |  |
| Response.....  | Assembly                                 |
| They are not dead, who live in hearts they leave behind. In those whom they have blessed, they live a life again. Eternal life is theirs, throughout the years, and Time declares their immortality. |  |
| Scripture and Prayer.....  | Mrs. William H. McCamish                 |
| State Chaplain.....  |  |
| Solo—"Consider the Lilies".....  | Mrs. Earl Foy, Soprano                   |
| Mrs. T. E. Foster, Accompanist.....  |  |
| Assurance.....   | Mrs. Alexander J. Berger, State Regent   |
| Roll Call.....   | Mrs. Oris P. Dellinger, State Historian  |
| Tribute to Mrs. Robert B. Campbell, Honorary State Regent.....   |  |
| .....  | Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick             |
| Tribute to Deceased Members.....   | Miss Catherine Campbell                  |
| Violin Solo—"Meditation" from "Thais".....   | Robert Woodson                           |
| In Memoriam.....   | "Our War Heroes"                         |
| Silent Prayer.   |  |
| Benediction.....   | Mrs. William H. McCamish, State Chaplain |
| Taps.....  | Richard Guy                              |
| Postlude.....  | Mrs. Rudy Snyder                         |

**Friday Evening**

**BANQUET**

**6:30 O'CLOCK**

**Bisonte Hotel**

**Saturday Morning**

**BUSINESS SESSION**

**Convention Room, Bisonte Hotel**

**8:45 O'CLOCK**

Call to Order.

Devotional Period.....The State Chaplain

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Music: "America".....The Assembly

Led by Mrs. Earl Foy

Mrs. T. E. Foster, Accompanist

Minutes.

Report of Credentials Committee.

Reports of State Chairmen—

Advancement of American Music.....Mrs. Fred Rothrock

American Indians.....Mrs. Otis L. Thisler

Americanism.....Mrs. B. F. Payne

American Red Cross.....Mrs. Ralph B. Earp

Approved Schools.....Mrs. L. B. Naylor

Conservation.....Mrs. C. E. St. John

Correct Use of the Flag.....Mrs. Joe R. Beeler

D.A.R. Good Citizenship Pilgrimage.....Mrs. Harry M. Ives

D.A.R. Manual for Citizenship.....Mrs. Dan Hopson

D.A.R. Museum.....Mrs. Garland P. Ferrell

D.A.R. Student Loan Fund.....Miss Stella B. Haines

Ellis Island.....Mrs. D. B. Ludwick

Filing and Lending Bureau.....Mrs. E. L. Talley

Genealogical Records.....Mrs. Harry Aaron Kunkle

Girl Home Makers.....Mrs. John W. Dixon

Good Citizenship Pilgrims Clubs.....Miss Mary Aten

Historical Research.....Mrs. Oris P. Dellinger

Junior American Citizens.....Mrs. H. A. Quiring

Junior Membership.....Mrs. O. P. May

Motion Pictures.....Mrs. Clarence G. Wilke

National Defense Through Patriotic Education.....

.....Miss Esther Christmore

National Historical Magazine.....Miss Marion Seelye

National Membership.....Mrs. Vernon E. McArthur

Press Relations.....Mrs. Glenn T. Zimmerman

Radio.....Miss Adelaide J. Morse

Real Daughters.....Mrs. John W. Lane

Shawnee Mission.....Mrs. G. D. Weilepp

Shawnee Mission Plate and Pitcher.....Miss Louise A. Scott

Report of National Chairman, American Indians.....Mrs. Loren E. Rex

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| Report of National Vice Chairman, American Red Cross..... | Mrs. Ralph B. Earp      |
| Report of National Vice Chairman, D. A. R. Museum .....   | Mrs. Garland P. Ferrell |
| Report of State President, C. A. R.....                   | Miss Marie Sellars      |
| Report of Memorial Resolutions Committee.                 |                         |
| Report of Resolutions Committee.                          |                         |
| Unfinished Business.                                      |                         |
| Election of Officers.                                     |                         |
| New Business.   |                         |
| Installation of Officers.                                 |                         |
| Announcements.  |                         |
| "Blest Be The Tie That Binds".....                        | The Assembly            |
| Led by Mrs. Earl Foy; Mrs. T. E. Foster, Accompanist      |                         |
| Benediction.  |                         |
| The Retiring of the Colors.                               |                         |
| Adjournment: Forty-fourth Annual State Conference.        |                         |

### LOCAL COMMITTEES

#### CHAIRMEN

|                           |                      |
|---------------------------|----------------------|
| GENERAL ARRANGEMENTS..... | Mrs. Wallace S. Wick |
| REGISTRATION              | PROCESSIONAL         |
| Mrs. A. J. Peugh          | Mrs. Henry Humphrey  |
| CREDENTIALS               | PAGES                |
| Mrs. Frank Hadden         | Mrs. J. W. Gowans    |
| FINANCE                   | MEMORIAL             |
| Mrs. Frank Bogart         | Mrs. Perry White     |
| BANQUET                   | PROGRAMS             |
| Mrs. Frank Hodge          | Mrs. J. W. Jarrott   |
| FAVORS AND FLOWERS        | HOSTESSES            |
| Mrs. E. P. Seymour        | Mrs. C. H. Humphreys |
| LUNCHEON                  | PRESS                |
| Mrs. Max Wyman            | Mrs. Ralph Russell   |
| MUSIC                     | OFFICERS' DINNER     |
| Miss Katherine Williams   | Mrs. V. E. McArthur  |
| RECEPTION                 | CHAIRMEN'S DINNER    |
| Mrs. J. J. Brownlee       | Mrs. J. W. Jarrott   |
| FLAGS                     | INFORMATION          |
| Mrs. T. A. Fry            | Mrs. H. S. Crawford  |
| SESSION ROOM              |                      |
| Miss May Sentney          |                      |

#### COLOR BEARERS

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| Miss Harriett Dillard      | Miss Hildegard Hamma |
| Mrs. Jane Seymour Welchons |                      |

#### PAGES

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| Mrs. William H. Pouch.....     | Miss Mary Katherine Jarrott |
| Mrs. Reuben Edward Knight..... | Mrs. Mary Ann Haines Kirk   |
| Miss Marion Seelye.....        | Miss Frances Boyer          |
| Mrs. Alexander J. Berger.....  | Mrs. Louise Rayl Kirk       |
| Kansas Delegation.....         | Miss Mary Hedrick           |

## **Annual Pilgrimage to Shawnee Mission**

(Mrs. Harve M.) OLIVETTE STURTH STRICKLEN,

Secretary pro tem

The Ninth Annual Pilgrimage to Shawnee Mission was made September 20, 1941, by one hundred and twenty-five members. The Board Meeting was called to order by the State Regent, Mrs. Alexander J. Berger, at ten-thirty o'clock, A. M. The State Chaplain, Mrs. William H. McCamish, led in prayer. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Miss Gladys Beck, Regent of James Ross Chapter.

Welcome and greetings were extended by Mrs. Berger who expressed regret at the absence of the State Recording Secretary, Mrs. John N. Ryan, due to the serious illness of Mr. Ryan. Mrs. H. M. Stricklen was appointed to serve as Recording Secretary, pro tem.

Letters of appreciation from honored guests at the State Conference and other communications were read. The Vice President General from Kansas, Miss Marion Seelye, and Miss Catherine Campbell, Honorary State Regent, graciously responded to introductions. Reports were given by State Officers. Thanks and appreciation to the James Ross Chapter as hostess to the Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage, were expressed by Mrs. Berger, and instructions given to the Secretary to send a note of thanks. Mrs. Berger announced that in compliance with a request made to all states honored in the service of a President General, that Kansas was the first state to raise the \$100.00 necessary to purchase a figure to display the gown of Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey.

Mrs. Berger spoke of the Three Point Program of the Kansas Society:

First, in expressing the hope that every chapter would contribute to the \$500.00 pledge made at the State Conference for the Kansas Hall in the new Tamassee High School.

Second, Chapters were urged to make contributions before December 1, 1941, to the bronze Santa Fe Trail Marker to be placed on Pawnee Rock so that the order may be given before the advance in price.

Third, Emphasis was placed on the importance of assisting in the work of the American Red Cross, and a request was made, when possible, that service be given to the Red Cross in the name of your Chapter.

The State Vice Regent, Mrs. Shrewder, reported on the Kansas pledge of \$500.00 for the Kansas Hall in the new Tamassee High School. \$288.60 has been received, and an additional \$141.00 pledged, leaving a balance of \$70.40 to be pledged and \$211.40 to be collected.

Mrs. Berger stressed contributions to the Kansas Tamassee Scholarship of \$115.00 which will make it possible for some child to attend Tamassee next year on a Kansas D. A. R. scholarship.

A letter from Ralph H. Cain, Superintendent of the Tamassee D. A. R. School was read, in which he suggested that two Kansas Flags 12x18 inches be furnished, to mark the two Kansas Memorial Acres upon the occasion of Founder's Day, October 26th, Mrs. Robert L. Jones proffered the gift of one of these flags in the name of the Emporia Chapter, and it was approved. Miss Stella B. Haines, who was a member of the Kansas Legislature at the time of the adoption of the Kansas Flag, offered a gift of the second flag. Approval was given and Mrs. Berger expressed the grateful appreciation of the Kansas Society for these gifts. The Secretary was instructed to send notes of thanks.

Mrs. Berger expressed the Board's appreciation of the gift of \$5.00 made by Mrs. Joe R. Beeler, State Chairman of the Correct

Use of the Flag, to be used as a First Prize in the Flag Essay Contest, and instructed the Secretary to give further grateful expression in a note to Mrs. Beeler. Mrs. Shrewder moved, and it was seconded, that the Kansas Society vote \$5.00 to be used as prizes \$3.00 as a Second prize, and \$2.00 as Third prize for the Flag Essay Contest. The motion carried.

Mrs. Berger stated that net increase in membership should be a major project of every chapter, and announced that she would award two membership prizes of \$5.00 each at the 1942 State Conference. Mrs. Berger reminded the members of the importance of holding chapter elections in January. Chapter Chairmen reported.

A motion was made by Miss Marion Seelye, and seconded, that \$5.00 be voted to be used as a first award in the Girl Home Makers Cotton Dress Contest in Kansas. The motion carried.

Mrs. Harry M. Ives, State Chairman of Good Citizenship Pilgrimage, explained the merit system and questionnaire to be used in the selection of the Kansas Good Citizenship Pilgrim. Following discussion on the present custom of bringing the Good Citizenship Pilgrims into Topeka, Mrs. H. L. Kennedy made a motion, and it was seconded, that the pilgrimage to Topeka be discontinued and instead have the Good Citizenship Pilgrim presented at State Conference, plans for which to be left to the Executive Board. The motion carried.

Mrs. G. D. Weillep, State Chairman of Shawnee Mission, announced that the three pictures presented through Betty Washington Chapter, had been hung in the D. A. R. rooms at Shawnee Mission; also that the picture of Jerome C. Berryman, great-grandfather of the State Vice Regent, Mrs. Roy V. Shrewder, and who was an early day figure in the Mission, had been hung over the mantle in the north building of the Mission. Mrs. Berger voiced appreciation for these gifts.

Mrs. Berger announced the dates for the State Conference to be held in Hutchinson as March 12, 13 and 14, 1942, at which time the President General, Mrs. William H. Pouch, will be present.

Miss Gladys Beck announced luncheon would be served at 12:30 on the lawn followed by an address by Mr. F. L. Schlagle, Superintendent of the Kansas City, Kansas, schools. The Secretary was instructed to send a note of thanks to Mr. Schlagle.

Meeting adjourned.

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### **Executive Board Meeting**

(Mrs. John N.) M. BLANCHE RYAN, Secretary

A meeting of the Executive Board was held in Wichita, at the Innes Tea Room, February 10, 1942, at 11:00 A. M. The State Regent, Mrs. Alexander J. Berger, presided. All members were present.

Mrs. McArthur moved that complying with the request of Kate Duncan Smith D. A. R. School, the Executive Board recommend that our contributions to that school for this year be given for purchasing a drinking fountain. Seconded by Mrs. Shrewder and carried.

Mrs. Shrewder's motion that the Executive Board recommend that the surplus in the Tamasee Hall Fund be held until such time as the cost of the marker can be determined; any remainder to be retained for Tamasee D. A. R. School work, was seconded by Mrs. Duphorne and carried.

Mrs. Duphorne moved that the Executive Board recommend that the State Library Fund and the National Library Fund be combined, to be hereafter known as the Library Fund. Seconded by Mrs. McArthur and carried.

Mrs. Shrowder moved that in compliance with the request of the Buildings and Grounds Committee of the National Society D. A. R., that the Executive Board recommend that Kansas Society D. A. R. replace the drapes, slip and pillow covers in the Kansas Room in Memorial Continental Hall, at an approximate cost of \$30.00. Seconded by Mrs. Duphorne and carried.

Mrs. McArthur's motion that recommendation be made by the Executive Board that in accordance with our policy to so honor deceased State Regents, a bronze Lay Member Marker be purchased and placed on the grave of Mrs. Robert Bruce Campbell, was seconded by Mrs. Shrowder and carried.

Referring to the action taken at Shawnee Mission that plans for presenting the Good Citizenship Pilgrim at State Conference be left to the Executive Board, Mrs. McArthur moved that the Executive Board recommend that as plans could not be made at time of Board Meeting, the State Regent be empowered to arrange for transportation to suit the circumstances at the time of the Conference. Seconded by Mrs. Duphorne and carried. Meeting Adjourned.

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### Board of Management

(Mrs. John N.) M. BLANCHE RYAN, Secretary

The meeting of the Board of Management of the 44th Annual State Conference of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution was held in Hutchinson, in the Bisonte Hotel, at 10:00 A. M., on March 12, 1942, the State Regent, Mrs. Alexander J. Berger, presiding. The State Chaplain, Mrs. William H. McCamish, led in prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. J. N. Ryan. Our beloved guest of honor, Mrs. William H. Pouch, President General, all State Officers, eighteen Chapter Regents or their representatives and ten State Chairmen were present. The Minutes of the Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage for 1942 were read and approved. A discussion, led by Mrs. Pouch, followed, relative to the eliminating and combining of National Committees. A check for \$5.00 was kindly presented by Mrs. Pouch in the place of flowers, which was graciously acknowledged by Mrs. Berger.

The minutes of the Executive Board Meeting of February 10, 1942, were read. These had been approved by the members of this Board. Mrs. Naylor moved that our contributions to Kate Duncan Smith D. A. R. School for this year be given for purchasing a drinking fountain. Seconded by Mrs. McCamish and carried. Mrs. Shrowder's motion that the surplus in the Tamassee Hall Fund be held until such time as the cost of the marker can be determined; any remainder to be retained for Tamassee D. A. R. School work, was seconded by Mrs. Dellinger, and carried. Mrs. Morgan moved that the State Library Fund and the National Library Fund be combined, to be hereafter known as the Library Fund. Seconded by Mrs. Shrowder, and carried. Mrs. Hall's motion that Kansas Society D. A. R. replace the drapes, slip and pillow covers in the Kansas Room in Memorial Continental Hall, at an approximate cost of \$30.00, was seconded by Mrs. E. W. Jones, and carried. Mrs. Carter moved that in accordance with our policy to so honor deceased State Regents, a bronze Lay Member Marker be purchased and placed on the grave of Olive Decatur Campbell, Past State Regent; seconded by Mrs. Drake, and carried. Mrs. Shrowder's motion, seconded by Mrs. Hopson, that the 1943 per capita tax of 32c be allowed, was carried. ✓

Mrs. Pouch spoke on the importance of assistance for Ellis Island at this time. Mrs. Hall moved that the date of the 1943



Annual State Conference be left to the discretion of the hostess chapter and the State Regent. Seconded by Mrs. Robert L. Jones and carried. Mrs. Berger read a telegram sent to Mrs. Pouch by Mabel T. Rhodes, National Chairman of Credentials. Credentials will stand as reported. A telegram from Marion Seelye, Vice President General from Kansas, expressing regret at not being able to attend the Conference and best wishes for a very pleasant and most successful meeting, was read. Mrs. Berger gave instructions regarding cancelled stamps. Letter and card regarding same from Miss Street were read. The stamps are wanted. Letter from Mrs. Pouch and Mrs. Boyd, explaining D. A. R. War Relief Work Rooms was read, and further valuable information was given on the subject by Mrs. Pouch. Mrs. Berger presented the projects of "Information Kits" and "Loyalty Stamps." Mrs. Pouch told of the "Home Defense March", band arrangement, proceeds of which are to go to the U. S. O.

A plea for the United China Relief was made by Mrs. Berger in response to information received from Mrs. Hollis A. Wilbur, State Regent for China. Mrs. Berger also urged sending all funds through the State Treasurer and that explicit information be given for what the check is sent. Mrs. Berger emphasized the correct manner in which the Pledge of Allegiance should be given. Mrs. Pouch also spoke to this subject. Mrs. Berger explained regarding the Memorial Service; requesting that Chapter members stand when a deceased member of their Chapter's name is read and flower placed for her; and that it is well, when possible, for members of each Chapter to sit together in the church. Meeting adjourned.

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FORTY-FOURTH  
ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE  
of the  
KANSAS SOCIETY  
DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Bisonte Hotel, Hutchinson, March 12, 13, and 14, 1942

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(Mrs. John N.) M. BLANCHE RYAN, Secretary

The opening session of the 44th Annual State Conference was held in the First Methodist Church in Hutchinson, Thursday, March 12, 1942, at 2:00 P. M. Following the Assembly Call by Richard Guy and Processional of State Officers and guests, escorted by pages and color bearers, the meeting was called to order by the State Regent, Mrs. Alexander J. Berger. The invocation was given by Mrs. William H. McCamish, State Chaplain. Mrs. Joe R. Beeler, State Chairman of the Correct Use of the Flag Committee, led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and Mrs. Earl Foy, accompanied by Mrs. Rudy Snyder, led in singing one verse of our National Anthem. The "Americans' Creed" was led by Mrs. Wallace S. Wick.

Mr. Willis Kelly, Mayor, and Mrs. Wallace S. Wick, Regent of the hostess chapter, welcomed the Kansas Daughters and guests to Hutchinson. The response was given by Mrs. Roy V. Shrewder, State Vice Regent. Greetings were brought from Kansas Society C. A. R., by the Junior State President, Miss Marion Bienfang, who presented Mrs. Berger with a beautiful corsage in the name of that organization. Miss Jean Peck, Junior National Historian, brought greetings

from the National Society C. A. R. The following distinguished guests were introduced and brought greetings: Mrs. William H. Pouch, President General; Mrs. Reuben Edward Knight, Vice President General and National Vice Chairman of National Defense; Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Miss Catherine Campbell, and Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick. Miss Emily Bernstorff, of Winfield, our Good Citizenship Pilgrim for 1942, was presented to the Conference and very ably talked of her pleasure in receiving this honor.

The highlight of the opening session was the wonderfully inspiring address by the President General of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. William H. Pouch.

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Management were read and approved. Mrs. Harve M. Stricklen, State Corresponding Secretary and Chairman of Credentials Committee, submitted the following report as of 1:45 P. M., March 12, 1942:

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| National Officers .....      | 2          |
| National Vice Chairmen ..... | 1          |
| State Officers .....         | 11         |
| Honorary State Regents ..... | 1          |
| Chapter Regents .....        | 17         |
| Delegates .....              | 31         |
| Alternates .....             | 19         |
| Visitors .....               | 44         |
| <b>Total .....</b>           | <b>126</b> |

Mrs. Stricklen moved the adoption of the program, as printed, as the order of business for the Forty-fourth Kansas State Conference. Reports of State Officers were given. Mrs. Berger introduced Mrs. William Peschka, Organizing Regent of the new chapter at Great Bend. Mrs. Berger expressed regret that Miss Marion Seelye would not be with us and the Corresponding Secretary was instructed to send Miss Seelye a note to this effect; and was also instructed to send a similar note to Mrs. Loren E. Rex who was unable to attend the Conference.

Mrs. Berger appointed the following Memorial Resolutions Committee: Miss Catherine Campbell, Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick, Miss Marion Seelye and Mrs. Loren E. Rex; and for General Resolutions: Mrs. Jud P. Hall, Mrs. Clarence F. Drake, Mrs. Robert L. Jones, Mrs. E. A. Rothrock and Mrs. G. L. Caughron. Following announcements, session recessed.

On Thursday evening, at 8:00 o'clock, in the First Methodist Church, Mrs. Alexander J. Berger, presiding, following music by Mrs. Rudy Snyder, Assembly Call by Richard Guy, and Processional, the Invocation was given by the Reverend Gordon Thompson, D. D., pastor of the First Methodist Church, and the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by the State Chairman of the Correct Use of the Flag Committee, Mrs. Joe R. Beeler. Lovely music was provided by the Hutchinson Junior College A Cappella Choir under the direction of Mr. Bernard Regier. The following songs by Kansas composers were sung: "The Singing Waters" by Thurlow Lieurance of Wichita, "Song for Evening" by Prof. A. D. Smoots of Emporia, and "Ode to Kansas" by Dale Asher Jacobus of Hutchinson. The thanks and appreciation of the Conference were expressed to Mr. Regier and the Choir by the State Regent. National and State Officers and guests were presented. A very splendid and enlightening address, "Basic Military Training," was given by Major, Cavalry, Clyde D. Keith, Cavalry Replacement Training Center, Fort Riley. In closing, the chorus of "God Bless America" was sung, led by Miss Katherine Williams, Mrs. T. E.

Foster, accompanist, followed by the Retiring of the Colors and music "War March of The Priests" by Mrs. Rudy Snyder, organist. Later a delightful reception was given at the Bisonte Hotel for members of the Conference and distinguished guests by the hostess chapter.

#### FRIDAY MORNING

Session was called to order by the State Regent Friday morning, March 13, 1942, at 8:45 o'clock, in the Bisonte Hotel. The Devotional Period was conducted by the State Chaplain, and the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by the State Chairman of the Correct Use of the Flag Committee. Two lovely vocal numbers were given by Miss Armand Poulton, accompanied by Mrs. Herbert Waggoner. The Minutes of Thursday were read and approved. Mrs. Berger presented our distinguished guest, Mrs. Reuben Edward Knight, who spoke earnestly and entertainingly on the subject "The Daughters Must Carry On."

Mrs. Berger explained the increase in membership contest for which she will give two prizes of \$5.00 each. Chapter Regents gave their reports which were unusually fine. Mrs. R. W. Diver, Regent of Jane Dean Coffey Chapter, extended a cordial invitation to the Kansas Society D. A. R. to hold its 1943 Annual State Conference in Coffeyville. Letters from the Mayor of Coffeyville, the President and Manager of the Chamber of Commerce, expressing their hope of entertaining the next Conference, and a telegram from the Manager of the Chamber of Commerce, were read. Mrs. Berger assured Mrs. Diver the invitation was unanimously accepted.

Mrs. Berger in behalf of the Kansas Society presented the \$5.00 prize in the increase in membership contest to be given to chapters of 25 and over to Jane Dean Coffey Chapter. This was graciously accepted by Mrs. Diver, Regent. Mrs. Berger very kindly asked Miss Grace Meeker, Past State Regent, to take her place with the distinguished guests, stating how happy we were to have her with us.

The prize of \$5.00 for increase in membership for chapters of 24 members or less was presented in behalf of the Kansas Society to Kanza Chapter by the State Regent. The Flags for the greatest percentage of increase in membership were awarded to Neodesha Chapter, with a gain of 46%. Mrs. Caughron, Regent, expressed the appreciation of the Neodesha Chapter in a charming manner. Mrs. Berger thanked everyone for the wonderful work done during the year, and especially for the lovely contributions to Tamasee.

The following nominations were made for the election of State Officers; election to be held on Saturday morning:

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| Regent.....                  | Mrs. A. J. Berger    |
| Vice Regent.....             | Mrs. R. V. Shrewder  |
| Chaplain.....                | Mrs. W. H. McCamish  |
| Recording Secretary.....     | Mrs. G. P. Ferrell   |
| Corresponding Secretary..... | Mrs. H. M. Stricklen |
| Treasurer.....               | Mrs. Marcel Duphorne |
| Registrar.....               | Mrs. V. E. McArthur  |
| Historian.....               | Mrs. O. P. Dellinger |
| Librarian.....               | Mrs. J. W. Hornbaker |
| Reporter.....                | Mrs. J. P. Hall      |

The letter accompanying the \$5.00 gift from Mrs. Pouch was read by Mrs. Berger who announced the money would be given to Tamasee and Kate Duncan Smith D. A. R. Schools. Telegrams of greetings and best wishes for a successful Conference were received from Elizabeth Barnes, National Chairman of the Correct Use of the Flag Committee, and Mrs. John Logan Marshall. Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick moved that notes of appreciation be sent by the Corresponding Secretary to Mrs. Pouch, and in reply to the two telegrams received.

This motion was seconded and carried. Mrs. F. F. Prigg, of Hutchinson, was introduced by Mrs. Berger. Following announcements by the State Regent, and Miss Catherine Campbell, President of the State Officers Club, Mrs. Kirkpatrick read a fine editorial "Wake Up, America," which appeared recently in the El Dorado Times. Session recessed.

At 1:00 o'clock, a luncheon was given at the Wiley Tea Room, Mrs. Berger presided, Mrs. J. J. Brownlee pronounced the Invocation, and an interesting and informative address "Kansas History," by Mr. Frank S. Hodge of Hutchinson, was greatly enjoyed. Honor guests were Mrs. Reuben Edward Knight and Mrs. Carl E. Friend.

Friday afternoon, the Memorial Service was held in the First Methodist Church at 3:00 o'clock. Mrs. William H. McCamish, State Chaplain, presided. Music was provided by Mrs. Rudy Snyder, Mrs. Earl Foy, Mrs. T. E. Foster, Mr. Robert Woodson and Mr. Richard Guy. The Tribute to Mrs. Robert B. Campbell, Honorary State Regent, was given by Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick. Mrs. A. J. Berger, State Regent, and Mrs. O. P. Dellinger, State Historian, participated in the services. White carnations were placed in a green basket by pages as deceased members' names were read. In memory of "Our War Heroes," the United States Flag was placed beside the basket of carnations before Taps were sounded.

The banquet at 6:30 o'clock at the Bisonte Hotel was an outstanding event. Patriotic decorations were used in profusion. The Invocation was given by Mrs. W. H. McCamish. The Daughters Pledge was led by Mrs. Wallace S. Wick. Lovely music was furnished by Miss Katherine Williams, Mrs. T. E. Foster, Mr. Marcus Hahn and Mr. Robert Pace. Honor guests were introduced. The speaker of the evening was Mr. Howard T. Hill, head of the Department of Public Speaking, Kansas State College, Manhattan, whose subject so splendidly presented was "I'm From the Old Country."

At Mrs. Bergers' request, Mrs. Wick took charge of the program and also introduced the "people behind the scene who have helped to make the Conference possible." The applause which followed expressed the appreciation of us all.

## SATURDAY MORNING

The closing session of the Conference was held in the Bisonte Hotel, Saturday morning at 8:45 o'clock, Mrs. Alexander J. Berger, State Regent, presiding. The Lord's Prayer was led by the State Chaplain, Mrs. William H. McCamish. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. Joe R. Beeler, State Chairman of the Correct Use of the Flag Committee. Mrs. Earl Foy, led in singing the first and last verses of "America," with Mrs. T. E. Foster as accompanist. The minutes of Friday were read and approved. The final Credentials report was submitted by the Chairman, Mrs. Harve M. Stricklen, as follows:

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| National Officers .....      | 2          |
| State Officers .....         | 11         |
| Honorary State Regents ..... | 2          |
| Chapter Regents .....        | 24         |
| Delegates .....              | 44         |
| Alternates .....             | 26         |
| Visitors .....               | 63         |
| <b>Total .....</b>           | <b>172</b> |
| <b>Voting strength .....</b> | <b>95</b>  |

The State Regent invited Miss Grace Meeker, Past State Regent, to come to the front. The reports of the State Chairmen were given and showed that efficient and effective work had been

accomplished during the year. Mrs. Berger announced that she would again award the two cash prizes of \$5.00 each for the chapter of 25 or more and the chapter of 24 or less which make the largest net gain according to the State Registrar's figures in 1942-1943. Mrs. Berger explained in regard to this contest, the issuing of transfers, resignations and dropped members, and called attention to the fine record this year of so few members having been dropped. Mrs. Berger expressed appreciation and thanks for the platter presented to National D. A. R. Museum in her honor by the State Officers and State Officers Club.

Mrs. John W. Dixon, State Chairman of Girl Home Makers Committee, presented four girls from the Hutchinson High School Home Economics Department wearing the dresses entered in the Girl Home Makers Cotton Dress Contest for 1941-1942 by the Arthur Barrett, Betty Bonney, Neodesha and Susannah French Putney Chapters. Miss Floy Lee Lytle, El Dorado High School Student, sponsored by the Susannah French Putney Chapter, was the winner of the \$5.00 prize offered by the State Society. Mrs. Hall proudly accepted the check for Miss Lytle. Mrs. Berger expressed her appreciation of the splendid work done on this Committee and stated we were proud of the models and the dresses.

Mrs. John N. Ryan moved, and it was seconded by Mrs. William H. McCamish, that the Executive Board be empowered to approve the minutes of the meeting of Saturday morning. The motion carried. Mrs. Clarence F. Drake introduced a discussion relating to duplication in Committee reports. The State Regent stated that the National Society is considering the eliminating and combining of National Committees and requested that Chairmen not be appointed until after the meeting of the Continental Congress at Chicago in May.

Miss Catherine Campbell, Chairman, read the report of the Memorial Resolutions Committee; also a tribute to Mrs. Robert Bruce Campbell sent by Mrs. Loren E. Rex. Miss Campbell moved that this tribute be included in the Memorial Resolution and adopted as such. Seconded by Mrs. Roy V. Shrewder and carried. The report of the General Resolutions Committee was read by the Chairman, Mrs. Jud P. Hall, and by motion by her, adopted as a whole. The reports of the National Vice Chairmen, Mrs. Ralph B. Earp, American Red Cross, and Mrs. Garland P. Ferrell, D. A. R. Museum, were given and enjoyed, as was also the report of the Senior State President, C. A. R., Miss Marie Sellars.

Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick moved that Miss Grace Meeker be made an Honorary State Regent. Seconded by Mrs. Glenn T. Zimmerman, and carried. Miss Meeker graciously responded that it was one of the happiest privileges she had ever had. Mrs. Berger explained regarding the change in place for the meeting of Continental Congress from Washington, D. C., to Chicago, and that Credential Reports would stand. Headquarters will be the Stevens Hotel, the date about the 4th of May. The usual luncheon and banquet will be given. Mrs. Berger expressed the hope that many would attend. An etching "Sign of Spring," by Crumbo, and an Announcement of the Opening of the Living Indians Room, sent by Mrs. Loren E. Rex, National Chairman of the American Indians Committee, were passed around. They will be filed with the State Historian.

Mrs. Glenn T. Zimmerman moved, and it was seconded by Mrs. William H. McCamish, that as there was only one candidate for each office, the vote be taken viva voce. The election was then held and candidates as nominated the previous day, elected. The recommendations made by the Board of Management were read and voted on by sections as follows:

1. That our contributions to Kate Duncan Smith D. A. R. School for this year be given for purchasing a drinking fountain. Carried.
2. That the surplus in the Tamassee Hall Fund be held until such time as the cost of the marker can be determined; any remainder to be retained for Tamassee D. A. R. School work. Carried.
3. That the State Library Fund and the National Library Fund be combined, to be hereafter known as the Library Fund. Carried.
4. That the per capita tax of 32c for 1943 be allowed. Carried.
5. That Kansas Society D. A. R., replace the drapes, slip and pillow covers in the Kansas Room in Memorial Continental Hall, at an approximate cost of \$30.00. Carried.
6. That in accordance with our policy to so honor deceased State Regents, a bronze Lay Member Marker be purchased and placed on the grave of Olive Decatur Campbell, past State Regent, at a cost of \$7.25 f.o.b. Cincinnati. Carried.

Mrs. Berger expressed her appreciation of the work done the past two years and asked for continued cooperation and help. Mrs. Drake made the following announcement: "This has been a most pleasant and unusual business session in that we have but three out-going officers. They have been efficient and most courteous in executing the duties of their offices. To show our appreciation of the work of these out-going officers, Mrs. John N. Ryan, Mrs. John E. Morgan and Mrs. Glenn T. Zimmerman, as well as of those remaining, Madam Regent, I move we give a rising vote of thanks." The response was unanimous. Mrs. Berger thanked Mrs. Drake in behalf of the State Society. A rising vote of thanks was also given, at Mrs. Berger's suggestion, to the Uvedale Chapter and its Regent, Mrs. Wallace S. Wick, for all they have done toward making this a very pleasant occasion, and their cooperation in planning for the Conference. Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick conducted a brief installation service for the newly elected officers. Mrs. Marcel Duphorne, State Treasurer, thanked the Chapter Treasurers for their whole-hearted support and offered any help she could give. One verse of "Blest Be the Tie that Binds" was sung, led by Mrs. Earl Foy, with Mrs. T. E. Foster, accompanist; the Benediction was pronounced by the State Regent, the colors were retired and the Forty-fourth Annual State Conference was adjourned.

Minutes of Saturday morning were approved by the Executive Board.

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### MEMORIAL RESOLUTION

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Whereas, it has pleased the Heavenly Father to call to a higher sphere of action, one of the prominent leaders of the Kansas Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Robert Bruce Campbell;

Whereas, for many years she gave untiring and loyal service to the Daughters of the American Revolution as a Chapter worker and officer, as the State Vice Regent and State Regent, and as Vice President General of the National Society D. A. R.; and

Whereas, during her years of faithful and successful leadership she exemplified all that is fine in Christian Womanhood;

Therefore, be it resolved, that we, the Kansas Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, extend to her bereaved family our deepest and most sincere sympathy; 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 Eunice Sterling Chapter D. A. R.

CATHERINE CAMPBELL  
ESTHER KIRKPATRICK  
MARION SEELYE  
LEDA FERRELL REX

Madam Regent:

I desire to read in this connection a tribute to Mrs. Campbell sent to me by a member of this Committee, Mrs. L. E. Rex:

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Thinking back into my childhood I first remember Olive Decatur as a very beautiful young Miss. There seems to be no time when I did not know her, and now into the future I wish to carry with me this sweet friendship. We feel so much when thinking of our friends, but there is so little we can express.

To every task undertaken by Olive Decatur Campbell she gave her best as she saw it. Her home life was ideal. She was a loyal Daughter of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution and faithfully filled the many offices of the Society in which she served.

"Her life was one of kindly deeds,  
For others in all walks of life,  
She, in earth's garden planted seeds,  
That choked the ugly weeds of strife.

She loved life's simple every days,  
Evaluating the great plan,  
Of the Creator and His ways,  
For manifesting love to man.

And even in her last lone hour,  
With life's sustaining rod,  
She stooped to lift a drooping flower  
Before she went to God."

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I move that this tribute be included in the Memorial Resolution and adopted as such. —Catherine Campbell.

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## REPORT OF THE GENERAL RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE STATE CONFERENCE—1942

### Kansas Society, Daughters of The American Revolution

Madam State Regent, National Officers, State Officers and members of the Forty-fourth Annual State Conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution of Kansas:

It is our pleasure to present for your consideration the following resolutions:

Whereas, the Kansas Daughters of the American Revolution have been signally honored by the presence of Mrs. William H. Pouch, President General of the N. S., D.A.R., Mrs. Reuben Edward Knight, of Nebraska, Vice President General and National Vice Chairman of National Defense, Miss Catherine Campbell, Honorary State Regent, and Past Vice President General, Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick, of El Dorado, Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Miss Grace Meeker, Past State Regent, and Miss Marie Sellars, Senior State President of the Children of the American Revolution.

Resolved, that this Conference express its appreciation to those National and State Officers for the charm, dignity and inspiration their presence has given to this meeting.

Resolved, that we extend to Mrs. Pouch our sincere thanks for her thorough knowledge of recent affairs in our National Society.

She has brought much information which will arouse more enthusiasm in our chapter activities.

Whereas, Mrs. Reuben Edward Knight, of Nebraska, who spoke to us on "Why The Daughters Must Carry On," which is of vital importance to us at this time.

To Miss Catherine Campbell, who brought greetings to the Conference, and Mrs. John Warren Kirkpatrick, who urged members to have faith in themselves, faith in God, and prayer to meet the trying days ahead.

To Major Clyde D. Keith, of Fort Riley, Kansas, for his address "Basic Military Training." It was a splendid discourse on the training of our boys in the Service.

To Frank S. Hodge for his talk on "Kansas History."

To Mr. Howard T. Hill, Head of the Department of Public Speaking, Kansas State College, Manhattan, for his splendid address "I'm from the Old Country" at the banquet, we extend our sincere thanks.

To Mr. N. M. Converse, President of Pawnee Rock State Park Board, for placing of Pawnee Rock Marker, we are very grateful.

Resolved, that we express our appreciation to Mrs. A. J. Berger, State Regent, for her untiring efforts and enthusiasm in making the Conference so successful, and that we express our approval of the manner in which she has carried out the Three Point Program as expressed by National.

To the State Officers and State Chairmen who have contributed so generously of their time and ability.

To Mrs. John W. Dixon, State Chairman of Girl Home Makers, and to Miss Elizabeth Lewis and Miss Alma Dale Newell, teachers in the Home Economics Department of Senior High School, Judges of the Cotton Dress Contest; to Mrs. Wallace Wick and Mrs. Eugene Randles, who assisted with the arrangements; and to the girls who modeled the dresses, Lloydella Lewis, Jane Robinson, Lucile Martz and Donna Glee White.

To Miss Marian Bienfang, Junior State President of the Kansas Society of the C. A. R., and Miss Jean Peck, Junior National Historian of the National Society of the C. A. R., to Miss Emily Bernstorff, Kansas State Pilgrim, we offer our congratulations and best wishes for continued success.

Resolved, that we express appreciation for these courtesies and that we extend our sincere thanks to the following who have contributed so largely to the pleasure and success of this Conference:

To Mrs. Wallace Wick, Regent, and members of the Uvedale Chapter of Hutchinson, who have worked so faithfully in the fulfillment of their plans.

To the City of Hutchinson for its gracious hospitality, and who through its mayor, Mr. Willis Kelly, extended an official welcome to the members of this Conference.

To the Rev. Gordon Thompson, Pastor of the First Methodist Church, who gave the invocation; to Richard Cuy for the assembly calls; to Mrs. Rudy Snyder, organist; to Mrs. Earl Foy as song leader and soloist during the Conference; to Miss Catherine Williams, who so graciously led our singing, to Mrs. T. E. Foster, who accompanied her; to the Junior College A Cappella Choir and Mr. Bernard Regier, Director; to Mrs. Armand Poulton and her accompanist, Mrs. Herbert Waggoner; to Robert Woodson, violinist.

Resolved, that the Corresponding Secretary send letters of appreciation and thanks to the various Broadcasting Stations in Kansas who have allowed time on the air to the D. A. R.

Whereas, telegrams of greeting from Miss Marion Seelye, Mrs. John Logan Marshall, and Elizabeth Malott Barnes, National Chairman of Correct Use of the Flag, were received.



Resolved, that these telegrams be gratefully acknowledged.

Whereas, a most cordial invitation was given by the Jane Dean Coffey Chapter, Mrs. R. W. Diver, Regent, to be their guests for the 45th Annual State Conference, and in addition letters of invitation were received from Mr. J. D. Byers, Mayor of Coffeyville, Mr. C. R. Bohan, President of Coffeyville Chamber of Commerce and letter and telegram from Mr. Elton Weeks, Manager of the Coffeyville Chamber of Commerce,

Resolved, that the appreciation and thanks of the Conference be sincerely expressed.

Resolved, that we express our appreciation to the press of Hutchinson and to other newspapers over the State who gave such generous publicity to our State Conference and to our Chapter activities.

To the Pages who have served so efficiently during the Conference; to the Methodist Church for the generous use of their building; to the Bisonte and Leon Hotels and the Wiley Tea Room for services and courtesies rendered to visiting delegates and members.

Resolved, that we express our sincere thanks to the Daughters in the District of Columbia for their preparations for the entertainment of the D. A. R., for the Fifty-first Continental Congress.

Whereas, the National Board deemed it advisable to change the place of meeting from Washington to Chicago, from May 1 to 7, at the Stevens Hotel, we go on record as approving the action of the Board.

Therefore, be it resolved that a copy of these Resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Forty-fourth Annual State Conference.

HAZLE M. HALL, Chairman  
EMMA DENT JONES  
ONA S. DRAKE  
LUTIE M. ROTHROCK  
EDITH S. DE MOSS CAUGHRON

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## Report of State Officers

### STATE REGENT

(Mrs. Alexander J.) RUTH NORRIS BERGER

The days, the weeks, and the months have slipped away and we find ourselves at the end of another administration. As your State Regent it has been my desire not only to prove worthy of the trust you placed in me two years ago, but to carry on the work of our Society in a constructive manner, with a strengthening of our foundation which will permit greater achievements in the years to come.

I deeply appreciate the many courtesies and the kind consideration shown me at all times. I should like to make special mention of each delightful occasion, but as others have been requested to stress the work of the Society rather than social activities, I, too, shall confine this report to the work of the organization.

"Together" is one of the greatest words in the English language, and together the Kansas Daughters have gone forward in every phase of the work of the National Society. As each state chairman will bring to us the report of her committee it would deprive her of a

rightful privilege for me to mention any details of the splendid work accomplished by the state chairmen.

This year you were asked to cooperate in a three point program which included educational, historical, and patriotic projects—and to include as a major project each year an increase in membership.

Your gifts to our approved schools, and especially to the two D. A. R. schools, Tamasee and Kate Duncan Smith, have been deeply appreciated. I am happy to report that our first Tamasee scholarship student is doing nice work at Tamasee and appreciates your making it possible for her to attend school this year. I trust that as long as we have a Tamasee that Kansas D. A. R. will never fail to provide the necessary amount for at least one child to attend school each year. A scholarship is \$100, and fifteen dollars additional if clothing is provided. With 56 chapters this will not require a great deal from any one chapter but it will mean more than a great deal to some child.

You have heard Mrs. Shrowder's wonderful report on the Kansas Corridor in the Tamasee High School and know that in less than one year you contributed the entire amount—\$500. Would that I could convey to you that which I feel in my heart. My appreciation of this expression of your friendship and interest in our D. A. R. school is far beyond my being able to express in words. I do thank you.

Within three months you contributed the amount necessary to purchase the beautiful bronze Santa Fe Trail marker for Pawnee Rock—one of the most historic sites on the route of the old Santa Fe Trail. In appreciation of this historical marker the Pawnee Rock State Park Board is placing the marker without cost to the State Society. When weather conditions and tire restrictions will permit, plans for dedicating the marker will be completed.

Kansas is the only state west of the Mississippi River, and, in membership it is next to the smallest state that has had the honor of having a President General,—but it was the first state to send to the Treasurer General the money for the figure to display the gown of her President General, Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey. Present and Past State Officers, State Chairmen, members of Betty Washington and Susannah French Putney Chapters, Atchison Junior Group, and friends in several chapters who know of the request and that it could not be presented to the chapters before fall, in less than three weeks contributed the \$100.

At the request of Mr. Hardy, caretaker at Shawnee Mission, Kansas D. A. R. furnished several strings of electric lights and new bulbs to be used for lighting the Living Christmas Tree at Shawnee Mission during Christmas week.

In December you were asked to contribute to the Nursery Air Raid Shelter for British Children. When this was presented to the National Board of Management by Mr. Henry J. Allen of Kansas, pledges were made by several of the State Regents, and in the name of the Kansas Society I pledged \$75 and any additional that we might be able to give. You have contributed over the amount pledged—and I do thank you. In connection with this I want to mention that \$25 was the gift of the Kansas Society, Daughters of Colonial Wars whose membership, as the gift indicates, includes many of our members.

The reports of Chapter Regents show that Kansas Daughters have been active in all patriotic work. It has been most gratifying to read in the reports of the First Aid Classes organized, of the many hours given and articles made for the Red Cross,—and that nearly every chapter contributed; that a large number of our members served on patriotic committees; that many American Flags have been given this year; that books, and magazines, and cookies have been sent to recreation centers and that others were keeping the cookie jars filled on certain days; that members served as hostesses

and as chaperones at recreation centers and used their cars to take the "dates" to the parties and dances; that the Aluminum Drive, the saving of waste paper, and the saving of cancelled stamps for Queen's Hospital were included in many of the reports. Defense Stamps and Bonds have been purchased. Nine chapters reported the amount invested in bonds and it totals \$1,931.00.

As local chapters to show growth must add new members, the State Society to show progress must add new chapters. Last year it was my privilege to report two chapters organized and this year I am happy to report the organization of the William Creekmore Chapter at Pleasanton on January 12, 1942, with eighteen organizing members. I deeply regret the Organizing Regent, Mrs. William A. Spohn, cannot be with us today.

Three Organizing Regents have been appointed and chapters are organizing at Great Bend, Garden City and Coldwater. The chapter at Great Bend will probably be completed within the next two months. We are pleased to have with us today Mrs. William Peschka the Organizing Regent at Great Bend.

You have heard the splendid report of your State Registrar. The net gain of 94 members this year is our largest net gain in 12 years. Forty-seven of our fifty-five chapters added at least one new member to their roll during the year. The number of Kansas members dropped this year for non payment of dues was less than at any time in the past 22 years, and perhaps longer, but records are not available prior to the year 1920. For several years we have had a few chapters with a membership of 12, which is the number required by the National By-Laws in order to function as a chapter. It gives me a great deal of pleasure to report that today we do not have a single chapter in the state whose membership is not more than twelve. It has been my pleasure to assist in establishing the eligibility of 46 of the 180 members admitted this year, and to make out the required two application papers for forty-one of the forty-six.

In going over the daily record sheet for the year, I find that in addition to attending three meetings of the National Board I have traveled 6,729 miles within the state, and, by actual count, have personally written 2,925 letters and 3,399 postal cards; a total of 6,324 pieces of mail in addition to the 410 mimeographed letters that were sent out during the year. It has been a busy year with very few, if any idle moments, but the confidence and the friendship of the Kansas Daughters is rich reward for any service it has been my privilege to render.

As the two years of our work together draw to a close I wish to thank the State Officers, the State Chairmen, the Chapter Regents, and each and every one of you for your loyalty, your cooperation, your abiding interest and your splendid achievements in every branch of the work. I thank you also for your friendship, for your confidence, and for your every courtesy and consideration shown me, and I pledge anew my loyalty to you.

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#### STATE VICE REGENT

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#### CHAIRMAN OF TAMASSEE HIGH SCHOOL KANSAS HALL FUND

(Mrs. Roy V.) DOROTHY BERRYMAN SHREWDER

In compliance with the request from the State Regent, the officers' reports will be concerned only with the actual business and accomplishments of our several offices. In this we are not unmindful

of the many social occasions and courtesies which have been extended to us, of which we would like to SAY MUCH. We are aware of the urgency of business and of the volume of business to come before this Conference, and for this we must conserve our time. We are also privileged to have with us our President General and others of the National Society from whom we are most anxious to hear at length.

The work of the Vice Regent is not arduous in Kansas. Especially has this been so, serving under an energetic and efficient Regent. It has been a rare privilege and a very great pleasure to serve with our Regent, Mrs. A. J. Berger, and with the other members of a most congenial Board.

As Vice Regent I attended the two State Pilgrimages. El Quar-telejo Pilgrimage, held in the Spring (June 17th) in the west and Shawnee Mission, held in the Fall (September 20th) in the east. At the latter a State Board meeting was attended.

It was my privilege to represent the Regent at Greensburg, October 26th, at the 7th District Kansas Federation of Women's Clubs 46th Annual Convention and to report there, along with members of the American Legion Auxiliary, the American Association of University Women and the American Woman's Voluntary Services, upon Registration for Defense. The enrollments plans of the several organizations bear a definite similarity, differing mainly in the inclusiveness and varieties of services to be rendered. Our enrollment card appeared to be the most simple, but entirely adequate, and at that time we were very far ahead in the progress made toward actually getting our plan ready for use.

At the regional meeting in Newton, November 15th, I was pleased to speak on Tamassee: to present the plan for the Kansas Hall project and the Tamassee Scholarship plan. The outcome of the Kansas Hall project and the report on the Tamassee Scholarship which will be given by Mrs. L. B. Naylor, Chairman of Approved Schools, prove that our daughters are fully aware of the significant place of our schools in the present scheme of things and of their vital importance to us in this battle for democracy. I attended with all other members of the Executive Board the planning meeting held in Wichita, February 10th.

My great privilege and accomplishment this year has been the completion of the work as Chairman of the Kansas Hall Project for Tamassee High School. Due to the excellent presentation of Tamassee School by Mrs. John Logan Marshall and the interest and assistance given me by the State Treasurer, Mrs. Marcel Duphorne, the work of this committee has been greatly lightened.

Undertaken in the name and honor of Ruth Norris Berger, Regent of Kansas, the funds (\$500.00), for a room in the new high school building at Tamassee, to be known as Kansas Hall, were to have been collected over a period of two years. Due to unsettled economic and national conditions, members were asked to make the effort to complete the project within this year, (just ½ the time.) The response with which the proposal was met speaks for itself. The fund, made up entirely of voluntary contributions from members and chapters, was raised by the 1st of January, and enough has since been added to assure us of a marker when the building is finished and the various halls and rooms are dedicated. I might add that this marker is obligatory, and that the Board is placing before you later at this Conference, a recommendation that the amount in excess of \$500.00 be definitely set aside for its purchase and installation.

Kansas Hall at Tamassee will be, when completed, a fine tribute richly deserved by one who has given so generously of her talent, her time and her strength, to the work of the Society. The mechanics of this committee work would make a long and dull report. Over

250 communications were sent out in the interest of Kansas Hall. A complete list of contributions and contributors is on file with the Treasurer and will not be duplicated here. It is a long list of generous devotion to the principles and interests of our Society. As chairman of this committee, and as Vice Regent, I feel that I can but inadequately express my gratefulness to you for your understanding and for your loyal cooperation. It is exactly what I expected from you and I shall be grateful to you always for the confirmation of my faith in Kansas and in Kansas Daughters. I shall likewise be grateful to you always for this opportunity to have served my State well, because of YOU.

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#### STATE CHAPLAIN

(Mrs. William H.) STELLA R. McCAMISH

It has been a pleasure and an honor to serve as Chaplain for the Kansas Daughters of the American Revolution.

The duties are not strenuous, but rather of a delicate and serious nature—writing letters of sympathy to members who have suffered the loss of dear ones; giving the devotionals, prayers and invocations at our meetings and luncheons, using our D. A. R. Ritual as a guide; ready at all times to be of service to our Chapters; these are some of the duties of a Chaplain.

The State Pilgrimage to old Shawnee Mission was held in September with James Ross Chapter as hostess. The Board meeting was opened with prayer and the invocation at luncheon was given by your State Chaplain.

Several invitations to Chapter meetings have been received and greatly appreciated. I attended a meeting at Olathe and one at Newton. The meeting at Newton was composed of members from six neighboring Chapters, and was quite inspirational.

The cooperation of Chapter Chaplains has been very gratifying. I want to thank the Chapters who sent me year books.

Our Chaplain General, Mrs. William Belk, in a letter to me stated: "Our organization was founded by a group of Christian women. Let us all pray for the continuance of God's blessings upon our Society. May there never be a D. A. R. meeting without prayer and some devotionals." This message was relayed to the Chapter Chaplains in a personal communication.

Thank you, and let us at all times prove ourselves worthy of our rich heritage—American citizenship.

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#### STATE RECORDING SECRETARY

(Mrs. John N.) M. BLANCHE RYAN

In this, my last report as your Recording Secretary, I want to express my sincere appreciation for the very lovely association I have enjoyed and the fine cooperation I have received.

It has been my pleasant privilege to assist our State Regents in the selling of tickets and the business connected with the Kansas Luncheon during the Continental Congress in Washington in 1940 and 1941 and I wish to extend my grateful thanks to Miss Seelye and Mrs. Berger.

State stationery was not furnished early this year, as has been customary, to avoid changes in names of officers and chairmen which were liable to occur owing to the unsettled conditions prevailing.

Proceedings of the Forty-third Annual State Conference were mailed July 31, 1941. All correspondence was given prompt attention. Report sheets for State Officers and State Chairmen, and Report Blanks for Chapters were mailed January 15, 1942.

Chapter Year Books were very welcome and interesting. It was a pleasure to receive so many lovely invitations and courtesies this year and I am very grateful for them.

The members of the Printing and Stationery Committee have been most helpful and I wish to thank them for their advice and assistance. My appreciation and thanks are especially extended to our State Regent, Mrs. Berger, for her kindness in looking after the printing of State Stationery and Report Blanks in the fall, when I was compelled to be away from home on account of the illness of my husband. Also to Mrs. Stricklen for acting as Recording Secretary pro tem at Shawnee Mission during this time. In closing, may I recommend to you Margaret Bailey's "Prayer for Every Day.":

"God, give me sympathy and sense  
And help me keep my courage high;  
God, give me calm and confidence,  
And—please—a twinkle in my eye."

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#### STATE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

(Mrs. Harve M.) OLIVETTE STURTH STRICKLEN

As your State Corresponding Secretary, I submit the following report:

Immediately following the Conference in El Dorado a telegram was sent to Mrs. Robert Bruce Campbell conveying the good wishes of the members of the Conference and expressing regret that she could not have been in attendance. Thirty-five notes and letters were written to National Officers and distinguished guests who had honored the Conference with their presence; and to those who had contributed of their time and talent to the success of the Conference; five letters of appreciation were written to Broadcasting Stations. Lists of Officers of the various Chapters were sent to the Organizing Secretary General.

May 23rd, a list of her respective Chapter Officers was sent to each State Officer.

June 24th, fifty-five letters were sent to Chapter Regents enclosing lists of National and State Officers and State Chairmen, with a request for lists of local Chapter Chairmen.

July 16th, a card was sent to each Chapter Regent announcing the appointment of Mrs. Loren E. Rex as National Chairman, and Mrs. Otis L. Thisler as State Chairman of the newly created Committee of American Indians.

During August, sixteen cards were mailed to Chapter Regents requesting return of Chapter Chairmen lists, and letters were sent to all State Chairmen enclosing lists of their respective Chapter Chairmen.

September 22nd, thirty-four cards were sent to State Officers and State Chairmen notifying them of the change in Regents of Sterling Chapter.

December 29th, a letter concerning State Conference, together with three Information and two Credential blanks was mailed to all Chapter Regents.

Notices of changes in Chapter Officers were sent to the Organizing Secretary General. State Chairmen were notified of all changes in local Chapter Chairmanship.

It was my pleasure to accompany the State Regent on several of her official visits, and I regret that it was not possible to have accepted other kind invitations. I attended the Shawnee Mission Picnic and Board Meeting; and on January 12, 1942, it was my privilege to attend the organization meeting of the William Creek-more Chapter at Pleasanton, Kansas.

During the year I have mailed two hundred and thirty-one letters and two hundred and twenty-seven cards, and have received two hundred and forty-one communications, including seventeen year books.

To have served as your Corresponding Secretary has been a pleasant experience and I wish to express my grateful appreciation for the many courtesies shown me.

### STATE TREASURER

(Mrs. Marcel) RUTH G. DUPHORNE

March 1, 1941 to March 1, 1942

#### RECEIPTS

##### From Chapters:

##### Abilene:

|                                     |          |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                          | \$ 70.00 |
| Kansas State D. A. R. Library ..... | 1.00     |
| Local Work .....                    | 5.00     |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....            | 1.00     |
| Student Loan .....                  | 5.00     |
| Ellis Island .....                  | 5.00     |
| Kate Duncan Smith School .....      | 5.00     |
| National Endowment .....            | 5.00     |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....     | 20.00    |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....          | 10.00    |

\$ 127.00

##### Arthur Barrett:

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|---------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                      | \$ 17.00 |
| British Children Relief .....   | .50      |
| National Endowment .....        | .50      |
| Tamassee High School Hall ..... | 1.00     |

19.00

##### Atchison:

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| Dues .....                 | \$ 67.00 |
| Local Work .....           | 51.60    |
| Kenmore .....              | 1.00     |
| National Endowment .....   | 2.50     |
| Red Cross .....            | 5.00     |
| Tamassee Scholarship ..... | 2.50     |

129.60

##### Baxter Springs:

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|----------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                 | \$ 14.00 |
| Student Loan .....         | 2.50     |
| Tamassee Scholarship ..... | 2.50     |

19.00

##### Betty Bonney:

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|------------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                         | \$ 84.00 |
| Binding Genealogical Records ..... | 2.00     |
| Local Work .....                   | 122.50   |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....           | 2.00     |

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| Student Loan .....                              | 5.00      |        |
| British Children Relief .....                   | 5.00      |        |
| Kate Duncan Smith School .....                  | 5.00      |        |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....                 | 50.00     |        |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....                      | 10.00     |        |
|   |           | 285.50 |
| Betty Washington:                               |           |        |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 106.00 |        |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....                        | 1.00      |        |
| National Endowment .....                        | .50       |        |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....                 | 25.00     |        |
|   |           | 132.50 |
| Byrd Prewitt:                                   |           |        |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 21.00  |        |
| Ellis Island .....                              | 1.00      |        |
| Kate Duncan Smith School .....                  | 5.00      |        |
| National Endowment .....                        | 1.00      |        |
| New Testaments for Indian Boys in Service ..... | 1.00      |        |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....                 | 5.00      |        |
| Bell Tower for Valley Forge .....               | 1.00      |        |
|   |           | 35.00  |
| Capt. Jesse Leavenworth:                        |           |        |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 41.00  |        |
| Student Loan .....                              | 5.00      |        |
| British Children Relief .....                   | 1.00      |        |
| Ellis Island .....                              | 2.00      |        |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....                 | 4.00      |        |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....                      | 1.00      |        |
|   |           | 54.00  |
| Christiana Musser:                              |           |        |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 20.00  |        |
| Student Loan .....                              | 4.00      |        |
| British Children Relief .....                   | 2.00      |        |
| Crossnore .....                                 | 2.00      |        |
|   |           | 28.00  |
| Concordia:                                      |           |        |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 30.00  |        |
| Local Work .....                                | 3.00      |        |
| Ellis Island .....                              | 1.50      |        |
| Kate Duncan Smith School .....                  | 2.50      |        |
| Red Cross .....                                 | 2.00      |        |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....                 | 1.00      |        |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....                      | 2.50      |        |
|   |           | 42.50  |
| Council Oak:                                    |           |        |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 20.00  |        |
| Ellis Island .....                              | 1.00      |        |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....                 | 2.00      |        |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....                      | 2.00      |        |
|   |           | 25.00  |
| Courtney-Spalding:                              |           |        |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 23.00  |        |
|   |           | 23.00  |



## Dana:

|                                |          |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                     | \$ 15.00 |
| Kate Duncan Smith School ..... | 1.00     |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....     | 1.00     |

17.00

## Desire Tobey Sears:

|                                    |          |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                         | \$ 32.00 |
| Binding Genealogical Records ..... | 1.00     |
| Local Work .....                   | 46.25    |
| Student Loan .....                 | 10.00    |
| British Children Relief .....      | 1.00     |
| Kate Duncan Smith School .....     | 2.00     |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....         | 2.00     |

94.25

## Dodge City:

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Dues .....  | \$ 46.00 |
| Local Work .....  | 5.00     |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....                                  | 1.00     |
| Student Loan .....  | 2.50     |
| Crossnore .....   | 1.00     |
| To display gown of Past Pres.<br>Gen. Mrs. Guernsey ..... | 2.00     |
| Ellis Island .....  | 1.50     |
| Kate Duncan Smith School .....                            | 1.00     |
| Kenmore .....   | 2.50     |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....                           | 2.00     |

64.50

## Emporia:

|                                       |          |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                            | \$ 72.00 |
| Kansas State D. A. R. Library .....   | 1.00     |
| Local Work .....                      | 30.88    |
| Student Loan .....                    | 1.50     |
| Archives Room .....                   | 2.00     |
| Ellis Island .....                    | 6.50     |
| Kate Duncan Smith School .....        | 15.00    |
| National Endowment .....              | 1.25     |
| Pine Mountain Settlement School ..... | 5.00     |
| Red Cross Ambulance .....             | 2.00     |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....       | 14.00    |
| Kansas Flag to Tamassee School .....  | 1.50     |
| Northland College .....               | 5.49     |

## Esther Lowrey:

|                                |          |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                     | \$ 53.00 |
| Kate Duncan Smith School ..... | 1.00     |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....     | 1.00     |

158.12

## Eunice Sterling:

|                                 |           |
|---------------------------------|-----------|
| Dues .....                      | \$ 195.00 |
| Local Work .....                | 546.75    |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....        | 1.00      |
| Student Loan .....              | 25.00     |
| Berea College .....             | 5.00      |
| Crossnore .....                 | 5.00      |
| Kate Duncan Smith School .....  | 15.00     |
| Kenmore .....                   | 5.00      |
| National D. A. R. Museum .....  | 5.00      |
| Tamassee High School Hall ..... | 30.00     |

55.00

832.75

**Fort Larned:**

|                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....               | \$ 19.00 |
| Pawnee Rock Marker ..... | 1.00     |

20.00

**Fort Supply Trail:**

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                      | \$ 33.00 |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....        | .75      |
| British Children Relief .....   | 1.00     |
| Red Cross .....                 | 5.00     |
| Tamassee High School Hall ..... | 5.00     |

44.75

**Frederick Funston:**

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                      | \$ 20.00 |
| Local Work .....                | 1.00     |
| Red Cross Ambulance .....       | 1.00     |
| Tamassee High School Hall ..... | 5.00     |

27.00

**General Edward Hand:**

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                      | \$ 55.00 |
| Local Work .....                | 24.00    |
| Student Loan .....              | 1.00     |
| Crossnore .....                 | 1.00     |
| Ellis Island .....              | 5.00     |
| Kate Duncan Smith School .....  | 2.00     |
| Marine Library .....            | 1.00     |
| National D. A. R. Library ..... | 1.00     |
| Tamassee High School Hall ..... | 10.00    |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....      | 2.00     |

102.00

**Hannah Jameson:**

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                      | \$ 58.00 |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....        | 1.00     |
| Ellis Island .....              | 5.00     |
| National Endowment .....        | 1.00     |
| Tamassee High School Hall ..... | 5.00     |

70.00

**Henry Dawson:**

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                      | \$ 44.00 |
| Local Work .....                | 5.00     |
| British Children Relief .....   | 1.00     |
| Tamassee High School Hall ..... | 10.00    |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....      | 1.00     |

61.00

**Isabella Weldin:**

|                            |          |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                 | \$ 19.00 |
| Student Loan .....         | 1.00     |
| Ellis Island .....         | 1.00     |
| National Endowment .....   | 1.00     |
| Tamassee Scholarship ..... | 1.00     |

23.00

**James Ross:**

|                                |          |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                     | \$ 81.00 |
| Local Work .....               | 6.00     |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....       | 1.00     |
| Student Loan .....             | 3.00     |
| Kate Duncan Smith School ..... | 5.00     |

|  |          |        |
|--|----------|--------|
| National D. A. R. Library.....                 | 1.00     |        |
| New Testaments for Indian Boys in Service..... | 1.00     |        |
| Tamassee High School Hall.....                 | 10.00    |        |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....                     | 9.08     |        |
|  |          | 117.08 |
| Jane Dean Coffey:                              |          |        |
| Dues .....                                     | \$ 52.00 |        |
| Pawnee Rock Marker.....                        | 1.00     |        |
| Red Cross .....                                | 5.00     |        |
| Tamassee High School Hall.....                 | 25.00    |        |
|  |          | 83.00  |
| Jonathan Gilbert:                              |          |        |
| Dues .....                                     | \$ 14.00 |        |
| Tamassee High School Hall.....                 | 5.00     |        |
|  |          | 19.00  |
| Kanza:   |          |        |
| Dues .....                                     | \$ 26.00 |        |
| Kansas State D. A. R. Library.....             | 1.00     |        |
| Local Work .....                               | 5.00     |        |
| Student Loan .....                             | .80      |        |
| Ellis Island .....                             | .80      |        |
| Kate Duncan Smith School.....                  | 2.00     |        |
| National Endowment .....                       | .50      |        |
| Red Cross .....                                | .80      |        |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....                     | 2.00     |        |
|  |          | 38.90  |
| Lois Warner:                                   |          |        |
| Dues .....                                     | \$ 37.00 |        |
| Local Work .....                               | 48.50    |        |
| Student Loan .....                             | 4.00     |        |
| British Children Relief.....                   | 5.00     |        |
| Ellis Island .....                             | 3.00     |        |
| Kate Duncan Smith School.....                  | 4.00     |        |
| National Endowment .....                       | .50      |        |
| New Testaments for Indian Boys in Service..... | 4.80     |        |
| Tamassee High School Hall.....                 | 10.00    |        |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....                     | 5.00     |        |
|  |          | 121.80 |
| Lucretia Griswold Latimer:                     |          |        |
| Dues .....                                     | \$ 23.00 |        |
| Student Loan .....                             | 1.00     |        |
| Tamassee High School Hall.....                 | 5.00     |        |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....                     | 1.00     |        |
|  |          | 30.00  |
| Martha Loving Ferrell:                         |          |        |
| Dues .....                                     | \$ 35.00 |        |
| Local Work .....                               | 42.00    |        |
| Pawnee Rock Marker.....                        | .75      |        |
| British Children Relief.....                   | 1.00     |        |
| Kate Duncan Smith School.....                  | 2.00     |        |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....                     | 8.00     |        |
|  |          | 88.75  |
| Martha Vail:                                   |          |        |
| Dues .....                                     | \$ 20.00 |        |
| Local Work .....                               | 3.00     |        |
| Pawnee Rock Marker.....                        | .70      |        |

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|---|----------|-------|
| Student Loan .....                              | 2.00     |       |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....                 | 5.00     |       |
|   |          | 30.70 |
| Mary Wade Strother:                             |          |       |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 46.00 |       |
| Local Work .....                                | 5.00     |       |
| Kate Duncan Smith School .....                  | 4.60     |       |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....                      | 4.60     |       |
|   |          | 60.20 |
| Molly Foster Berry:                             |          |       |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 47.00 |       |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....                        | 1.00     |       |
| Student Loan .....                              | 1.00     |       |
| British Children Relief .....                   | 1.00     |       |
| Kate Duncan Smith School .....                  | 1.00     |       |
| Kenmore .....                                   | 2.00     |       |
| New Testaments for Indian Boys in Service ..... | 1.00     |       |
| Red Cross .....                                 | 10.00    |       |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....                 | 5.00     |       |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....                      | 1.00     |       |
|   |          | 70.00 |
| Nathan Edson:                                   |          |       |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 19.00 |       |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....                        | .50      |       |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....                 | 1.00     |       |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....                      | 1.00     |       |
|   |          | 21.50 |
| Neodesha:                                       |          |       |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 19.00 |       |
|   |          | 19.00 |
| Newton:   |          |       |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 80.00 |       |
| Student Loan .....                              | 3.00     |       |
| British Children Relief .....                   | 2.50     |       |
| Kate Duncan Smith School .....                  | 1.00     |       |
| Kenmore .....                                   | 1.00     |       |
| National Endowment .....                        | .25      |       |
| Red Cross .....                                 | 10.00    |       |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....                      | 1.50     |       |
|   |          | 99.25 |
| Ninnescah:                                      |          |       |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 23.00 |       |
| Local Work .....                                | 2.00     |       |
| British Children Relief .....                   | 1.00     |       |
|   |          | 26.00 |
| Oceanus Hopkins:                                |          |       |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 55.00 |       |
| Local Work .....                                | 10.00    |       |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....                        | 1.00     |       |
| British Children Relief .....                   | 2.00     |       |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....                 | 5.00     |       |
|   |          | 73.00 |
| Olathe:   |          |       |
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 31.00 |       |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....                        | .75      |       |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....                 | 5.00     |       |
|   |          | 36.75 |

## Peleg Gorton:

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Dues .....                                      | \$ 43.00 |
| Local Work .....                                | 1.00     |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....                        | 1.00     |
| Student Loan .....                              | 5.00     |
| British Children Relief .....                   | 3.00     |
| Kate Duncan Smith School .....                  | 2.00     |
| New Testaments for Indian Boys in Service ..... | 1.00     |
| Red Cross .....                                 | 5.00     |
| Tamassee High School Hall .....                 | 5.00     |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....                      | 2.00     |
| U. S. O. National Defense .....                 | 5.00     |

73.00

## Phebe Dustin:

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                      | \$ 25.00 |
| Local Work .....                | 4.00     |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....        | 1.00     |
| Student Loan .....              | 1.00     |
| Tamassee High School Hall ..... | 1.00     |

32.00

## Polly Ogden:

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                      | \$ 44.00 |
| British Children Relief .....   | 1.00     |
| Kate Duncan Smith School .....  | 1.00     |
| Tamassee High School Hall ..... | 5.00     |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....      | 1.00     |
| Tamassee Club .....             | 1.00     |

53.00

## Randolph Loving:

|                                |          |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                     | \$ 43.00 |
| Student Loan .....             | 1.00     |
| British Children Relief .....  | 2.50     |
| Kate Duncan Smith School ..... | 2.50     |
| Kenmore .....                  | 1.00     |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....     | 2.50     |

52.50

## Rhoda Carver Barton:

|                            |          |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                 | \$ 19.00 |
| Ellis Island .....         | 1.00     |
| Tamassee Scholarship ..... | 5.00     |

25.00

## Samuel Linscott:

|                               |          |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                    | \$ 21.00 |
| Local Work .....              | 12.00    |
| British Children Relief ..... | .50      |
| National Endowment .....      | 1.00     |
| Tamassee Scholarship .....    | 1.00     |

35.50

## Sarah Steward:

|            |          |
|------------|----------|
| Dues ..... | \$ 17.00 |
|------------|----------|

17.00

## Smoky Hill:

|                               |          |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                    | \$ 27.00 |
| Local Work .....              | 25.00    |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....      | 1.00     |
| British Children Relief ..... | 2.00     |

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|   |      |
|---|------|
| Kate Duncan Smith School                  | 2.50 |
| New Testaments for Indian Boys in Service | 1.00 |
| Tamassee High School Hall                 | 5.00 |
| Tamassee Scholarship                      | 2.50 |

66.00

## Sterling:

|              |          |
|--------------|----------|
| Dues         | \$ 31.00 |
| Ellis Island | 3.50     |
| Red Cross    | 10.00    |

44.50

## Susannah French Putney:

|                               |          |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Dues                          | \$ 76.00 |
| Kansas State D. A. R. Library | 2.00     |
| Local Work                    | 71.64    |
| Pawnee Rock Marker            | 1.00     |
| Student Loan                  | 5.00     |
| British Children Relief       | 10.00    |
| Kate Duncan Smith School      | 5.00     |
| Kenmore                       | 1.00     |
| National D. A. R. Museum      | 2.00     |
| National Endowment            | 2.00     |
| Tamassee High School Hall     | 15.00    |
| Tamassee Scholarship          | 2.00     |

192.64

## Topeka:

|                           |           |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| Dues                      | \$ 151.00 |
| Local Work                | 449.00    |
| Pawnee Rock Marker        | 1.00      |
| British Children Relief   | 2.50      |
| Kate Duncan Smith School  | 5.00      |
| Tamassee High School Hall | 70.00     |
| Tamassee Scholarship      | 5.00      |

683.50

## Uvedale:

|                           |          |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Dues                      | \$ 90.00 |
| Local Work                | 10.00    |
| Student Loan              | 5.00     |
| British Children Relief   | 1.00     |
| Kate Duncan Smith School  | 5.00     |
| Red Cross Ambulance       | 2.50     |
| Tamassee High School Hall | 15.00    |
| Tamassee Scholarship      | 5.00     |

133.50

## Wellington:

|                           |          |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Dues                      | \$ 56.00 |
| Local Work                | 50.00    |
| Pawnee Rock Marker        | 1.00     |
| Shawnee Mission           | 3.00     |
| Student Loan              | 5.00     |
| Katte Duncan Smith School | 2.50     |
| Tamassee High School Hall | 5.00     |
| Tamassee Scholarship      | 2.50     |

125.00

## Wichita:

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Dues .....                      | \$ 39.00 |
| Local Work .....                | 5.00     |
| To Display Gown of Past Pres.   |          |
| Gen. Mrs. Guernsey .....        | 5.00     |
| Kenmore .....                   | 10.00    |
| National Endowment .....        | 1.00     |
| Tamassee High School Hall ..... | 5.00     |
| Tamassee Memorial Acre .....    | 30.00    |

95.00

Total Receipts from Chapters

\$5,052.64

## SUMMARY STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCE

| FUND ACCOUNT   | Fund                  |            | Disburse-<br>ments | Fund                  |
|--|-----------------------|------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
|  | Bal. March 1,<br>1941 | Receipts   |                    | Bal. Feb. 28,<br>1942 |
| General .....  | \$1,905.47            | \$2,588.39 | \$2,808.85         | \$1,685.01            |
| Treasurer General .....                                  | 39.00                 | 1,372.42   | 839.40             | 572.02                |
| D. A. R. Library .....                                   | 42.32                 | 2.00       | 14.50              | 29.82                 |
| D. A. R. Student Loan .....                              | 1,671.77              | 1,347.53   | 225.00             | 2,794.30              |
| Kansas State D.A.R. Genea-<br>logical Lending Library .. | 17.76                 | 8.00       | 8.50               | 17.26                 |
| Shawnee Mission Plate and<br>Pitcher .....               | 12.65                 |            |                    | 12.65                 |
| Shawnee Mission .....                                    | 59.18                 | 3.00       | 22.00              | 40.18                 |
| Pawnee Rock Marker .....                                 |                       | 31.75      | 31.00              | .75                   |
| Pouch Junior .....                                       | 10.00                 |            |                    | 10.00                 |
| Local Work .....   |                       | 1,573.24   | 1,573.24           |                       |
|  | \$3,758.15            | \$6,926.33 | \$5,522.49         | \$5,161.99            |
| General Fund:  |                       |            |                    |                       |
| Fund Balance March 1, 1941 .....                         |                       |            |                    | \$1,905.47            |

## RECEIPTS

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| State Dues .....   | \$2,461.00 |
| Refund—Good Citizenship Pilgrimage .....                   | 122.36     |
| D. A. R. Museum—Stanley Case .....                         | 2.53       |
| Transferred Treasurer General Fund—<br>Archives Room ..... | 2.50       |
|  | 2,588.39   |
|  | \$4,493.86 |

## General Fund:

## DISBURSEMENTS

|                                       |           |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| Regent's Annual Allowance .....       | \$ 500.00 |
| Year Books .....                      | 261.12    |
| State Conferences Expense:            |           |
| Officers Allowances .....             | \$ 132.00 |
| Programs .....                        | 33.15     |
| Misc. Expense .....                   | 43.88     |
|                                       | 209.03    |
| Printing Stationery and Postage ..... | 112.67    |
| Pilgrimage Expense .....              | 122.04    |
| State Chairman's Expense .....        | 105.42    |
| State Regent's Office Expense .....   | 95.70     |
| Congress Expense .....                | 50.00     |
| State Treasurer—Office Expense .....  | 42.51     |
| Librarian Expense .....               | 27.50     |
| Annual Audit Expense .....            | 25.00     |
| Recording Secretary's Expense .....   | 24.59     |

|                                   |       |            |
|-----------------------------------|-------|------------|
| Miscellaneous Office Expense..... | 23.98 |            |
| Insurance (Shawnee Mission).....  | 12.72 |            |
| Reporter's Expense .....          | 11.86 |            |
| Prize Contest—Dress & Flag.....   | 10.00 |            |
| Flowers .....                     | 7.92  |            |
| Historian Expense .....           | 6.61  |            |
| Telephone, Telegrams, Etc.....    | 4.66  |            |
| Treasurer General:                |       |            |
| Per Capita Tax:                   |       |            |
| Pilgrimage .....                  | 5%    | \$ 180.55  |
| National Defense .....            | 10%   | 361.10     |
| Manual .....                      | 10%   | 361.10     |
| Ellis Island .....                | 5%    | 180.55     |
| Press Relations .....             | 2%    | 72.22      |
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|                                   |       | 1,155.52   |
|                                   |       | <hr/>      |
| Fund Balance .....                |       | \$2,808.85 |
|                                   |       | <hr/>      |
|                                   |       | 1,685.01   |
|                                   |       | <hr/>      |
|                                   |       | \$4,493.86 |
|                                   |       | <hr/>      |
| Treasurer General Fund:           |       |            |
| Fund Balance March 1, 1941.....   |       | \$ 39.00   |

RECEIPTS

|  |           |            |
|--|-----------|------------|
| Tamassee School:                               |           |            |
| Scholarships .....                             | \$ 247.88 |            |
| Hall and Memorial Acre.....                    | 627.00    |            |
| Club .....                                     | 1.00      |            |
|  | <hr/>     |            |
|  |           | 875.88     |
| Past President's Display Gown.....             |           | 118.75     |
| Kate Duncan Smith School.....                  |           | 99.60      |
| British Children's Relief.....                 |           | 76.50      |
| Ellis Island .....                             |           | 37.80      |
| American Red Cross.....                        |           | 56.80      |
| Kenmore .....                                  |           | 23.50      |
| National Endowment Fund.....                   |           | 23.00      |
| New Testaments for Indian Boys in Service..... |           | 14.60      |
| Crossnore .....                                |           | 9.00       |
| National D. A. R. Museum.....                  |           | 7.00       |
| Red Cross Ambulance.....                       |           | 5.50       |
| Northland College .....                        |           | 5.49       |
| Berea College .....                            |           | 5.00       |
| Pine Mountain Settlement School.....           |           | 5.00       |
| U. S. O. National Defense.....                 |           | 5.00       |
| Archives Room .....                            |           | 2.00       |
| Bell Tower at Valley Forge.....                |           | 1.00       |
| Marine Library .....                           |           | 1.00       |
|  |           | <hr/>      |
|  |           | \$1,411.42 |

Treasurer General Fund:

DISBURSEMENTS

|                             |           |           |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| To Treasurer General:       |           |           |
| Tamassee School:            |           |           |
| Scholarships .....          | \$ 118.00 |           |
| Hall and Memorial Acre..... | 530.00    |           |
|                             | <hr/>     |           |
|                             |           | \$ 648.00 |



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|--|------------|
| Past President's Display Gown.....             | 100.00     |
| National Endowment Fund.....                   | 28.75      |
| Kenmore .....                                  | 19.25      |
| Ellis Island .....                             | 18.30      |
| D. A. R. Museum.....                           | 9.00       |
| Pine Mountain Settlement School.....           | 6.00       |
| American Red Cross.....                        | 4.80       |
| New Testaments for Indian Boys in Service..... | 2.80       |
| Transferred to General Fund—Archives Room..... | 2.50       |
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|  | 839.40     |
| *Fund Balance, February 28, 1942.....          | 572.02     |
|  | <hr/>      |
|  | \$1,411.42 |
| *Tamassee School:                              |            |
| Scholarship .....                              | \$ 130.63  |
| Hall .....                                     | 97.00      |
| Club .....                                     | 1.00       |
|  | <hr/>      |
|  | \$ 228.63  |
| Kate Duncan Smith School.....                  | 102.60     |
| British Children Relief.....                   | 76.50      |
| American Red Cross.....                        | 52.00      |
| Ellis Island .....                             | 25.50      |
| Past President's Display Gown.....             | 18.75      |
| New Testaments for Indian Boys in Service..... | 9.80       |
| Red Cross Ambulance.....                       | 9.25       |
| Crossnore .....                                | 9.00       |
| National Endowment Fund.....                   | 8.50       |
| Kenmore .....                                  | 7.00       |
| Northland College .....                        | 5.49       |
| Berea College .....                            | 5.00       |
| Pine Mountain Settlement School.....           | 5.00       |
| U. S. O. National Defense.....                 | 5.00       |
| D. A. R. Museum.....                           | 2.00       |
| Bell Tower at Valley Forge.....                | 1.00       |
| Marine Library .....                           | 1.00       |
|  | <hr/>      |
|  | \$ 572.02  |
| D. A. R. Library Fund:                         |            |
| Fund Balance, March 1, 1941.....               | \$ 42.32   |
| Receipts:                                      |            |
| Contributions from Chapters.....               | 2.00       |
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|  | 44.32      |
| Disbursements:                                 |            |
| Purchase of New Books.....                     | \$ 6.00    |
| Gift to National Society Library.....          | 8.50       |
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|  | 14.50      |
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| Fund balance, February 28 ,1942.....           | \$ 29.82   |
| D. A. R. Student Loan Fund:                    |            |
| Fund Balance, March 1, 1941.....               | \$1,671.77 |
| Receipts:                                      |            |
| Contributions from Chapters.....               | \$ 100.30  |
| Payments on Principal of Notes.....            | 1,155.35   |
| Payments on Interest.....                      | 91.88      |
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|  | 1,347.53   |
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|  | 3,019.30   |

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| Disbursements:                                       |          |                   |
| Loans to Students.....                               | 225.00   |                   |
|  |          | <u>225.00</u>     |
| Fund balance, February 28, 1942.....                 |          | <u>\$2,794.30</u> |
| Kansas State D. A. R. Genealogical Lending Library:  |          |                   |
| Fund Balance, March 1, 1941.....                     |          | \$ 17.76          |
| Receipts:  |          |                   |
| Transferred from Genealogical Records.....           | \$ 3.00  |                   |
| Contributions from Chapters.....                     | 5.00     |                   |
|  |          | <u>8.00</u>       |
|  |          | 25.76             |
| Disbursements:                                       |          |                   |
| Purchase of Books.....                               |          | 8.50              |
| Fund Balance, February 28, 1942.....                 |          | <u>\$ 17.26</u>   |
| Shawnee Mission Plate and Pitcher Fund: (Non-active) |          |                   |
| Fund Balance, February 28, 1941.....                 |          | <u>\$ 12.65</u>   |
| Shawnee Mission Fund:                                |          |                   |
| Fund Balance, March 1, 1941.....                     |          | \$ 59.18          |
| Receipts:  |          |                   |
| Contributions from Chapters.....                     |          | 3.00              |
|  |          | <u>62.18</u>      |
| Disbursements:                                       |          |                   |
| Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage.....                      | \$ 15.00 |                   |
| Golden Jubilee Plate.....                            | 4.50     |                   |
| Lights for Christmas Tree.....                       | 2.50     |                   |
|  |          | <u>22.00</u>      |
| Fund Balance, February 28, 1942.....                 |          | \$ 40.18          |
| Pawnee Rock Marker Fund:                             |          |                   |
| Fund Balance, March 1, 1941.....                     |          | \$ None           |
| Receipts:  |          |                   |
| Contributions from Chapters.....                     |          | 31.75             |
| Disbursements:                                       |          |                   |
| Treasurer General .....                              |          | 31.00             |
| Fund Balance, February 28, 1942.....                 |          | <u>\$ .75</u>     |
| Pouch Junior Fund: (Non-active)                      |          |                   |
| Fund Balance, February 28, 1942.....                 |          | <u>\$ 10.00</u>   |
| Local Work Fund:                                     |          |                   |
| Fund Balance, March 1, 1941.....                     |          | \$ None           |
| Receipts:  |          |                   |
| Contributions from Chapters.....                     |          | 1,573.24          |
| Disbursements:                                       |          |                   |
| Disbursements by Chapters.....                       |          | <u>1,573.24</u>   |
| Fund Balance, February 28, 1942.....                 |          | <u>\$ None</u>    |

## STATE REGISTRAR

(Mrs. Vernon E.) VIRGINIA BOSTICK McARTHUR

March 1, 1941 to March 1, 1942

|  |      |     |
|--|------|-----|
| Number of Chapters in Kansas.....                                  | 56   |     |
| Increase:  |      |     |
| New Members admitted by the National Board.....                    | 180  |     |
| Members reinstated by the National Board.....                      | 38   |     |
| Members received by transfer from other States.....                | 10   |     |
| Members received AT LARGE.....                                     | 2    |     |
| Total Increase .....   | 230  |     |
| Decrease:  |      |     |
| Deceased .....   | 26   |     |
| Resigned .....   | 76   |     |
| Dropped .....  | 11   |     |
| Members transferred out of Kansas.....                             | 23   |     |
| Total Decrease .....   | 136  | 136 |
| Membership March 1, 1942.....                                      | 2447 |     |
| Membership March 1, 1941.....                                      | 2353 |     |
| Net Increase .....   | 94   | 94  |
| Flag Award—Neodesha Chapter—46%.                                   |      |     |
| Prize—\$5.00 for gain of members over 25—Jane Dean Coffey Chapter. |      |     |
| Prize—\$5.00 for gain of members under 25—Kanza Chapter.           |      |     |

## STATE HISTORIAN

(Mrs. O. P.) ANNE DELLINGER

As your State Historian I submit to the 44th Annual State Conference at Hutchinson, the following report including the work of Historical Research and the Preservation of Historic Spots:

The State Society has replaced the Pawnee Rock Marker on the Santa Fe Trail at a cost of \$31.00. It seemed at first it was not possible to do this because of war conditions, so we are indeed glad that this has been accomplished this year.

Mary Wade Strother Chapter reports \$100.00 laid aside for a Historical Town Marker.

The Abilene Chapter cooperated with the County Historical Society in marking Sand Springs.

The Captain Jesse Leavenworth Chapter aided in celebrating the marking of the site of the first territorial capitol of Kansas at Fort Leavenworth.

One book, a Hymnal in German, 1813, was sent to the Archives Room by Eunice Sterling Chapter.

8 chapters cooperated with Historical Societies

20 lay markers were placed

3 historical films presented

11 historical sketches written; 7 historical plays and pageants given

8 medals, 15 pins, 17 certificates, 11 prizes were given in History Contests; total 51

12 historical broadcasts were given

- 54 historical anniversaries celebrated
- 9 chapter scrap-books compiled
- 12 chapters sent clippings for the State Historical Scrap Book
- 19 chapters purchased Barrington's book, HISTORIC RESTORATIONS OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION
- 12 historical pilgrimages were made during the year
- 2 chapters compiled facts concerning place names
- 2 individuals contributed to Valley Forge Fund

The following pamphlets were sent to the Historian General:  
A Thesis, CHEROKEE NEUTRAL LANDS CONTROVERSY, by  
Lula L. Brown. A Tourist Guide of Kansas. Pub. 1941.

The following historical pamphlets were received for the State files:

THE FORTS OF FORT SCOTT AND THE FATEFUL BORDERLAND, by Ralph Richards, presented by the Molly Foster Berry Chapter.

EVERYDAY LIFE, Personal Story of Early Kansas, and APHORISMS by Vol P. Mooney, presented by Susannah French Putney Chapter.

A GUIDE TO DYCHE MUSEUM, University of Kansas, presented by the Betty Washington Chapter.

CHIEF LITTLE BEAR, HIS LIFE AND WORKS, by Edith S. Caughron, and THE CHISHOLM TRAIL, by Emma J. Van Buren, illustrated with photographs, presented by Neodesha Chapter.

GENEALOGICAL RECORD OF THE DEDHAM BRANCH OF THE AVERY FAMILY, Pub. 1940. Presented by Lois Warner Chapter. Research or study of History pursued this year:

- (a) Research on Indian site, Bread Bowl Mound, by Phebe Dustin
- (b) Research material sent to State Historical Society by Jane Dean Coffey
- (c) Study of "Oliver Wiswell," Revolutionary Period, by Byrd Prewitt.
- (d) Research study of Medicine Lodge Pageant, by Mary Wade Strother
- (e) Study of the history of 434 street names of Topeka, by Mrs. J. M. Bell, of Topeka Chapter

I wish to thank the chapter historians for the year books, the chapter histories and the valuable historical clippings. It has been a great pleasure to serve as your State Historian.

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#### STATE LIBRARIAN

(Mrs. John E.) JUNE MORGAN

In October your State Librarian sent a letter to each chapter, outlining the plans for the year and supplying a supplemental list of books available for reference. In February she sent out a questionnaire, requesting a report on the year's work of each chapter. Although a few chapters still have no librarian or chairman of library work, the response on the whole was highly commendable, and the interest of individual members was very gratifying.

During 1941-1942 the following items have been added to the Kansas State D. A. R. Library:

D. A. R. magazines. Bound. Vols. I and II (known as *The American Monthly*), 1892 and 1893. Esther Lowrey Chapter as a Memorial to Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey.

D. A. R. magazines. Vols. LXIII (Nos. 10, 11, and 12); LXIV; LXV; LXVI (except No. 10); LXVII; LXVIII (except Nos. 6 and 7); LXIX (except No. 11); LXX; LXXI—(known as *The Daughters of the Revolution Magazine*); and LXXII; LXXIII (Nos. 1 and 2)—(known as *The National Historical Magazine*)—Mrs. John T. Cronkhite, Wichita Chapter, in Memory of her Mother, Mrs. Albert Taylor.

D. A. R. magazines. Vols. LXXIV and LXXV. Mrs. Jonas Eckdall and Mrs. Robert L. Jones, through Emporia Chapter.

American Seamen. *The American Seamen's Friend Soc.* Vol. 1, No. 1.

Genealogy and History. Vol. II, No. 12.

Magazine of American Genealogy. Nos. 4, 17, 18, 19.

Maryland Genealogical Bulletin. Robert Hayes, Jr., Ed. 1941.

Proceedings of the Annual State Conference, Kansas D. A. R. for 1941.

Revolutionary Records of Maryland. Part I. G. M. Brumbaugh and M. R. Hodges, Eds.

Roster of Revolutionary Soldiers in Georgia. Mrs. Howard H. McCall, Comp.

Miscellaneous Genealogical Records. Betty Bonney Chapter.

Shenandoah County, Virginia, Revolutionary War Claims. Mrs. A. J. Berger, through Betty Bonney Chapter.

Tombstone Inscriptions from Douglas County, Kansas. Vol. I. Betty Washington Chapter.

Tombstone Inscriptions from Lyon County, Kansas. Vol. IV. Emporia Chapter.

Cemetery Records from the North Half of Butler County, Kansas. Susannah French Putney Chapter.

Sunset Lawns (West) Cemetery Records of El Dorado, Butler County, Kansas. Susannah French Putney Chapter.

Register of St. John's Episcopal Church, Wichita, Kansas. Vol. 1. 1885-1893. Eunice Sterling Chapter.

Scrap Books. Nos. V and VII. Compiled by Mrs. Garland P. Ferrell and presented through Eunice Sterling Chapter.

Early Clark County, Kansas. Clark County Chapter of Kansas State Historical Society. Dorothy Berryman Shrewder and Melville Campbell Harper, Eds. Fort Supply Trail Chapter.

Marriage Records of Saline County, Kansas, 1880. Part II. Mary Wade Strother Chapter.

Marriage Records of Johnson County, Kansas, December 13, 1910 to August 19, 1912. Olathe Chapter.

Miscellaneous Genealogical Records, compiled and indexed by Mrs. H. A. Kunkle, from material sent by the following chapters: Baxter Springs, Courtney-Spalding, Nathan Edson, Peleg Gorton, Smoky Hill, Sterling, Wellington.

Parsons, Kansas. 1869-1895. Hannah Jameson Chapter.

Bible Record from the Bible of Marie Meeker Simpson, and Cemetery Records from two cemeteries in Franklin County, Kansas. Miss Grace Meeker. General Edward Hand Chapter.

Historical Sketches of Ellsworth, Kansas—a 17-page addition to an earlier volume. Smoky Hill Chapter.

Historic Restorations of Daughters of the American Revolution. L. Barrington.

From Polly Ogden Chapter:

Biographical Annals of the Civil Government of the United States, During Its First Century. Charles Lauman.

A History of Republic County, Kansas. I. O. Savage.

The Lives of William McKinley and Garret A. Hobart. Henry B. Russell.

Massacres of the Mountains—A History of the Indian Wars of the Far West. J. P. Dunn, Jr.

The Making of New England. Samuel Adams Drake.

Life of General Benjamin Harrison. General Lew Wallace. Also Life of the Honorable Levi P. Morton. George Alfred Townsend.

Life of Napoleon Bonaparte. J. Q. Lockhart.

From Florence Fox Harrop (Mrs. G. B.), through Polly Ogden Chapter.

Report of the Adjutant General of the State of Kansas, 1861-65. Vol. I.

Kansas Troops in the Volunteer Service of the United States in the Spanish and Philippine Wars, Mustered in Under the First and Second Calls of the President of the United States, May 9, 1898—October 28, 1899.

Tenth Biennial Report of the Adjutant General of the State of Kansas. 1895-96.

Roll of the Officers and Enlisted Men of the Third, Fourth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Kansas Volunteers, 1861.

The Seventh Kansas Cavalry: Its Service in the Civil War. An Address Before the Kansas Historical Society, December 2, 1902. S. M. Fox, First Lieutenant and Adjutant. Also a Brief Narration of the First Eight Kansas Regiments.

George W. Glick: His Administration as Governor of Kansas. James Humphrey, for the Kansas State Historical Society.

Memoirs and Recollections of C. W. Goodlander of the Early Days of Fort Scott, April 29, 1858-January 1, 1870. And Biographies of Colonel H. T. Wilson and George A. Crawford, the Fathers of Fort Scott.

The following have been sent to Washington during the past year:

Portrait and Biographical Record of Southeastern Kansas. 1891.

One Hundred Years of the Iowa Presbyterian Church. J. F. Hinkhouse.

Parsons, Kansas. 1869-1895. Hannah Jameson Chapter.

New Sectional Map of the State of Kansas. 1867. From the Misses Thornton of Yakima, Washington.

Shenandoah County, Virginia, Revolutionary War Claims. From Mrs. A. J. Berger.

Summary of chapter reports on books and pamphlets for the year:

Nineteen chapters sent thirty-three books and pamphlets to the State D. A. R. Library.

Twenty-one chapters sent books and magazines to soldiers: 899 books; 300 magazines; 2 camp subscriptions to The Reader's Digest.

Three chapters sent to the Merchant Marine: 1 gave \$1.00; 2 sent 226 volumes.

Six chapters gave to school libraries; chiefly National Defense News and National Historical Magazine.

Five chapters helped with the circulation of books and magazines in hospitals.

Eighteen chapters gave to city libraries, books and magazines: 71 volumes; 9 pamphlets.

Seven chapters added to their chapter libraries.

The financial statement of the library will appear in the report of the State Treasurer.

Your State Librarian wishes to express her thanks for the many year books and invitations sent her during the past year. She is deeply appreciative of the splendid cooperation she has received from the State Regent and State Treasurer, from the State Chairman of Genealogical Records, from Chapter Regents, Librarians and many members. She hopes that through your continued interest the library will increase in size and usefulness.

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## STATE REPORTER

(Mrs. Glenn T.) LUCILE ZIMMERMAN

It has been a great privilege to serve you during the past year as your State Reporter and I deeply appreciate all the chairmen and regents have done to bring the right kind of publicity to the public of the D. A. R.

All activities of the National and State organization and all chapter news have been compiled in the D. A. R. scrap book, also the 1941 Continental Congress and the 1941 State Conference.

Reports have been sent to the National Chairman, Mrs. Joseph E. Pryor, the State Regent and the State Secretary.

Kansas has received fine publicity in newspapers all over the state—48 chapters have chairmen responding nicely. The Good Citizenship Pilgrimage, Flag Essay, D. A. R. Broadcasts, Historical events, Red Cross activities of members and National Defense were well publicized by chapters.

Fort Supply Trail and Susannah French Putney Chapters both use the D. A. R. emblem at the top of most of their items. 17

different chairmen of the Susannah French Putney Chapter, El Dorado had long articles about their committee work in the local papers.

9,385 inches of publicity appeared in the newspapers of Kansas last year and had a monetary value of \$329,070, if it were sold for advertising.

Abilene is to be commended for the publicity given to the Junior American Citizens Club work.

Eunice Sterling, Wichita, leads this year with 1,122 inches—Susannah French Putney, El Dorado, is second with 935 inches and Wellington is third with 704. Ft. Supply Trail, Ashland, is first in the weekly edition class.

170 pictures were used in Kansas papers during the past year—57 in the state news—Eunice Sterling also leads in pictures having 37 pictures in their local papers.

The State Conference held at El Dorado last year was sent to the National Historical Magazine.

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#### STATE PARLIAMENTARIAN

(Mrs. Jonathan B.) CORAL COURTNEY CARTER

Your State Parliamentarian deeply appreciates the honor conferred upon her by the State Regent and considers it a privilege to serve the Kansas Daughters of the American Revolution.

All members of the Society should realize the National character of the Society in carrying out its three fold objective, Educational, Historic and Patriotic programs.

Parliamentary law is equally binding on all assemblies, but in addition special rules are often desirable. To know the extent of authority which any organization has in the making of rules, an understanding of the power which the individual organization has in adopting rules for its own government, is indispensable.

Recorded laws of order are vital and important, a knowledge of Parliamentary procedure is essential both for officers and members.

Your chapter programs have been interesting and informative.

Much inspiration has been gained through contacts with officers and members.

It has been a pleasure to meet with the chapters, and deeply regret all invitations could not be accepted.

Your Parliamentarian attended the State Conference Board Meetings and has assisted the State Regent when requested.



## Report of State Chairmen

### ADVANCEMENT OF AMERICAN MUSIC

(Mrs. Fred) JOY ROTHROCK

|   |    |
|---|----|
| 1. Number of Chapters sponsoring programs other than Chapter programs .....   | 2  |
| 2. Chapters recognizing D. A. R. composer-members .....   | 4  |
| 3. Chapters presenting some phase of American Music at each meeting .....   | 9  |
| 4. Chapters describing outstanding programs of American Music .....   | 14 |
| 5. Chapters having had chapter singing at each meeting .....  | 17 |
| 6. Chapters following the subjects suggested by the National Chairman .....   | 5  |
| 7. Chapters having done some research work .....  | 9  |
| 8. Chapters suggesting special work for this committee next year ..   | 6  |
| 9. Chapters that sang the National Anthem at each meeting (State Project) .....   | 17 |
| 10. Chapters having a separate Advancement of American Music Committee .....  | 43 |
| 11. Chapters sending in reports .....   | 28 |
| 12. Molly Foster Berry Chapter, Fort Scott, Pauline Ketchum, Chairman, sent clippings of two programs, and Betty Washington Chapter, Lawrence, Martha Rayhill, Chairman, sent clippings of all meetings, as well as of programs of music of outstanding composers in the community. |    |

The State Chairman appreciates the interest and cooperation of the Chapter Chairmen and feels that progress has been made in our endeavor to make the public American Music conscious.

#### Outstanding programs:

Betty Washington Chapter presented "Through the Year With the D. A. R. in Song and Story," and at the Musical Tea in February a harpist and a group of students from the School of Fine Arts, Kansas University were presented.

Molly Foster Berry had a Musical Tea in February, and earlier had presented a member in a vocal solo composed by the singer's husband.

Jane Dean Coffey Chapter reported 100% on subjects suggested by the National Chairman, and featured American Music at a Musical Tea in February.

Wellington Chapter presented a program of Kansas State Songs on Kansas Day; and a program of Patriotic Songs, including songs of various war periods.

Susannah French Putney Chapter stressed folk songs, Indian and Negro music in a program of American Music.

Henry Dawson Chapter presented a boys' A Cappella choir in a program.

Randolph Loving Chapter presented two programs of American Music.

Emporia Chapter presented the students from the College of Emporia in an all American program.

Oceanus Hopkins Chapter featured American Music at a Guest Day Tea.

Esther Lowrey Chapter presented the Director of Music at the College and High School in a program of American Music.

Olathe Chapter presented "Music From the Days of George Washington," the music taken from the book published by the National Society George Washington Bicentennial Commission.

Phebe Dustin Chapter sings the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, and has scheduled a program of Spanish Music for the Coronado meeting.

Letters were sent to all Chapter Chairmen in October, and cards were sent in January.

### AMERICAN INDIANS

(Mrs. Otis L.) FRANCES THISLER

In November, an appeal was made to all Chapters for the Indian work in the State, Testaments for boys in Service and National Indian Work, with the following results:

#### FOR TESTAMENTS

|      |   |        |
|------|---|--------|
| 1941 |   |        |
|      | Nov. 25—Molly Foster Berry Chapter..... | \$1.00 |
|      | Dec. 2—Lois Warner Chapter.....         | 1.80   |
| 1942 |   |        |
|      | Jan. 9—Smoky Hill Chapter.....          | 1.00   |
|      | Jan. 28—James Ross Chapter.....         | 1.00   |
|      | Feb. 5—Byrd Prewitt Chapter.....        | 1.00   |
|      | Feb. 6—Lois Warner Chapter.....         | 3.00   |
|      | Feb. 16.—Peleg Gorton Chapter .....     | 1.00   |

#### INDIAN BOYS IN W. U.

|      |   |         |
|------|---|---------|
| 1941 |   |         |
|      | Dec. 31—Martha Loving Ferrell Chapter Local Work,<br>Indian Boys at W. U..... | 20.00   |
| 1942 |   |         |
|      | Jan. 29—Ninnescah Chapter Local Work, Indian Boys<br>W. U. ....               | 2.00    |
|      | Total .....   | \$31.80 |

Jonathan Gilbert Chapter—2 lbs. of beads to Indian Agency Heupp, Arizona. 125 lbs. of white goods to Indian Hospital at Santa Cruz, New Mexico.

All money for Testaments is in the Treasury as the government furnishes Testaments to soldiers.

All chapters have been notified and up to date three chapters have changed their donations.

Lois Warner, local work.

Rhoda Carver Barton, Scholarship Fund at W. U.

Peleg Gorton Chapter, Indian Room in Continental Hall.

### AMERICANISM

(Mrs. B. F.) HILDA K. PAYNE

Cooperation has been the first aim of the Americanism Committee this year. We have joined with all patriotic organizations such as the American Legion, the Red Cross, the Bundles for Britain and Blue Jackets, and all local clubs working for our common cause, "Democracy." We have been conscious of our great privilege of being Americans this year as never before.

Thirty Americanism Chairmen report the following far reaching work:

- 11 chapters helped with naturalization of citizens.
- 5 chapters had receptions for new citizens.
- 8 chapters gave Flags to new citizens, schools, or libraries.
- 2 chapters sponsored teaching of the following:
  - Correct Use of the Flag.
  - All the words of the "Star Spangled Banner."
  - The American's Creed.
  - The Pledge of Allegiance, in grade, junior and senior high schools.
- 4 chapters collected cancelled stamps.
- 1 chapter's members display the American Flag in each of their homes or yards.
- 2 chapters' entire membership signed Defense roll call cards.
- 5 chapters gave books for soldiers.
- 6 chapters gave books to libraries.
- 1 chapter gave papers to the Boy Scouts.
- 216 medals or certificates of honor, and 301 seals were given in various contests among Kansas school children.
- 7 chapters made a study of our naturalization and immigration laws.
- 6 chapters assisted in establishing birth registration records.
- 3 chapters subscribed to National Defense News.
- 7 chapters did work among Mexicans.
- 2 chapters visited foreign born in their homes.
- 3 chapters worked for underprivileged children.
- 1 chapter assisted with alien registration.
- 14 chapters had Americanism programs.
- 20 chapters had other patriotic programs.
- 1 chapter promoted a story hour at their local library.
- Lawrence voted to buy \$200 in Defense Bonds.
- Mrs. Sam Heller of Abilene sent a splendid report. She gave 32 talks on Americanism this year and served as a member of the National Defense Committee on the State Planning Board.
- Martha Loving Ferrell helped two Indian boys at the University.

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### AMERICAN RED CROSS

(Mrs. Ralph B.) FRANCES D. EARP

Kansas Daughters have accomplished many things for our "Great American Mother, The Red Cross," in our second year as a Committee. With an altruistic spirit which predominates in the lives of all Daughters, we have gone forward preparing for the task of caring for the sick and wounded of other people, and then, when disaster fell upon us, we were prepared. In the fulfillment of the dreams of Florence Nightingale and Clara Barton, we have found Romance and Adventure in the most satisfying degree. Through our Committee we served by sewing, knitting, and giving of our money gifts; now as time and opportunity present themselves we offer our blood with the hope that we might be the means of saving the

life of your son or my son; thus we give of our best to save our country. As we close the doors of this year let us enter the new year and avail ourselves of all opportunities offered us through the many classes offered through the Red Cross Program. Through the storm clouds of disaster we will always find the Red Cross shining with out-stretched arms of Faith, Hope, Love and Service. From the 55 chapters I received 48 reports. Most every Chapter reported special work, and members doing outstanding work. I have enjoyed this work with you and your reports. We have spent 34,415 hours in making a total of 23,961 garments; \$1,116.00 given through the chapters; Emergency Fund \$17.50; British Relief \$41.00. I mailed 165 mimeographed letters, 55 cards and at least 50 letters pertaining to the work. In closing, may I say be sure to keep a record of your time and articles and funds. Thank you and Best Wishes for a Better Red Cross Year.

### SPECIAL WORK

Abilene—One member is Executive Secretary. One Production Chairman; one Chairman sewing. One Chairman milk feeding (schools). One Chairman cutting. One Red Cross Nurse.

Jane Dean Coffey—An article in December issue of Magazine concerning outstanding work of Miss Leila Elliott.

Lucretia Griswold Latimer—Two Red Cross articles to Lending Department. Organized two Red Cross auxiliaries—Instrumental in 14 clubs doing work. Will organize Junior Red Cross soon.

Martha Loving Ferrell—Purchased Defense Bond.

Martha Vail—Mrs. McGreger assisted in organizing Red Cross Chapter.

Newton—Mrs. M. Malmey has given 1,000 hours to sewing, making 24 baby dresses, 24 gowns, 16 jackets, 8 hoods, 25 bibs, 16½ dozen diapers, 26½ baby stockings, 13 wool skirts (girls), 1 snow suit, 11 crocheted shawls.

Ninnescah—Miss Pearl Richardson is Regional Director of the "American Women's Volunteer Service" of the Seventh Army Corps Area.

Peleg Gorton—Miss Dorothy McMaster is Secretary of Kansas Hospital Association and has charge of Hospital Defense work.

Polly Ogden—Members serve as hostess to our soldier boys at Camp Funston.

Randolph Loving—One member, a physician, is teaching First Aid.

Susannah French Putney—One member as State Chairman, also National Vice Chairman. Mrs. Griffis is chairman of Toddlers Pack. Spent at least 500 hours sewing, cutting and assembling garments; also much time transcribing Braille. January 31st, gave broadcast over KFH "Braille's Contribution to Americanism." This article was sent to Lending Dept., and Magazine. One member is Executive Secretary of Butler County.

Topeka—Mrs. J. R. Burrow gives full time as chairman of Volunteer Service sewing rooms. Mrs. Brockett serves as First Aid Instructor.

Wellington—Mrs. Stacy Barlett knitted 43 sweaters and did sewing. Mrs. Rothrock assembles Toddlers Packs and spent hours in cutting and sewing rooms.

## SPECIAL GIFTS

Emporia gave \$3.00 to Clara Barton Ambulance Fund. Betty Washington bought a Bond.

| Chapter                        | British Relief | Emerg. Fund | Sewing | Knitting | Art. | Hrs. | Money    |
|--------------------------------|----------------|-------------|--------|----------|------|------|----------|
| Arthur Barrett .....           | \$ .50         | \$ 5.00     | 15     | —        | 94   | 575  | \$ 50.00 |
| Betty Washington.....          | 2.50           | —           | —      | —        | —    | —    | 12.00    |
| Courtney Spalding ..           | 5.00           | —           | 10     | 5        | 115  | —    | 60.00    |
| Emporia .....                  | 1.50           | —           | 62     | 37       | 600  | —    | 1.00     |
| Eunice Sterling .....          | 15.00          | —           | 50     | 50       | 500  | —    | 5.00     |
| Lois Warner .....              | 5.00           | —           | 8      | 3        | 70   | 118  | 6.00     |
| Ninnescah .....                | 1.00           | 10.00       | 20     | —        | 54   | 75   | 10.00    |
| Oceanus Hopkins .....          | 2.00           | —           | 15     | 4        | 82   | 367  | 10.00    |
| Peleg Gorton .....             | 3.00           | —           | 6      | 4        | 58   | 1054 | 5.00     |
| Randolph Loving .....          | 2.50           | —           | 8      | 6        | —    | —    | 10.00    |
| Smoky Hill .....               | 2.00           | —           | 14     | 2        | 40   | —    | 10.00    |
| Topeka .....                   | 2.50           | —           | —      | —        | 229  | 2719 | 5.00     |
| Wellington .....               | 2.50           | 2.00        | 7      | 8        | 97   | 2405 | 61.00    |
| Abilene .....                  | —              | —           | 15     | 16       | —    | 3458 | 149.00   |
| Atchison .....                 | —              | —           | 15     | —        | 300  | 3400 | 15.00    |
| Baxter Springs .....           | —              | —           | 4      | 4        | 136  | 3280 | 5.00     |
| Betty Bonney .....             | —              | —           | —      | —        | 37   | 878  | 9.00     |
| Byrd Prewitt .....             | —              | —           | 10     | 5        | 45   | —    | —        |
| Concordia .....                | —              | —           | 7      | 2        | 36   | 96   | 2.00     |
| Council Oak .....              | —              | —           | 4      | 3        | —    | —    | 5.00     |
| Dana .....                     | —              | —           | 10     | 5        | 28   | 766  | 5.00     |
| Desire Tobey Sears.....        | —              | —           | 20     | 20       | —    | —    | 45.00    |
| Dodge City .....               | —              | —           | 43     | —        | 118  | 742  | 5.00     |
| Esther Lowrey .....            | —              | —           | 45     | 40       | 49   | 700  | 5.00     |
| Fort Supply Trail.....         | —              | —           | —      | —        | —    | —    | 5.00     |
| Frederick Funston .....        | —              | —           | 4      | 4        | 158  | 295  | —        |
| General Edward Hand.....       | —              | —           | 10     | 8        | 40   | —    | —        |
| Hannah Jameson .....           | —              | —           | 11     | 6        | 93   | 75   | 5.00     |
| Henry Dawson .....             | —              | —           | 10     | 11       | 49   | —    | 2.00     |
| Isabella Weldin .....          | —              | —           | 10     | 3        | 23   | 377  | —        |
| James Ross .....               | —              | —           | 20     | 13       | —    | 450  | —        |
| Jane Dean Coffey.....          | —              | —           | 5      | 9        | 146  | 285  | —        |
| Kanza .....                    | —              | —           | 4      | 5        | 4    | 100  | —        |
| Lucretia Griswold Latimer..... | —              | —           | 10     | 8        | 84   | 498  | 52.00    |
| Martha Loving Ferrell.....     | —              | —           | 5      | 4        | 282  | 360  | —        |
| Martha Vail .....              | —              | —           | —      | —        | 24   | —    | 3.00     |
| Mary Wade Strother.....        | —              | —           | 3      | 7        | —    | —    | —        |
| Molly Foster Berry.....        | —              | —           | 12     | 20       | 188  | 4525 | —        |
| Nathan Edson .....             | —              | —           | 15     | —        | 63   | 454  | —        |
| Newton .....                   | —              | —           | 9      | 9        | 1214 | 1230 | 10.00    |
| Olathe .....                   | —              | —           | 14     | 9        | —    | —    | —        |
| Phebe Dustin .....             | —              | —           | 5      | 8        | 87   | 494  | 4.00     |
| Polly Ogden .....              | —              | —           | 12     | —        | 11   | 54   | —        |
| Sarah Steward .....            | —              | —           | 4      | 1        | 125  | —    | 3.00     |
| Sterling .....                 | —              | —           | 2      | 10       | 135  | 582  | 10.00    |
| Susannah French Putney.....    | —              | —           | 26     | 19       | 404  | 1967 | 27.00    |
| Uvedale .....                  | —              | —           | —      | —        | 95   | 1055 | 5.00     |
| Wichita .....                  | —              | —           | 8      | 10       | 50   | —    | 500.00   |

## APPROVED SCHOOLS

(Mrs. Lou B.) EDITH C. NAYLOR

|                                      |    |
|--------------------------------------|----|
| Chapters reporting to Chairman.....  | 37 |
| Chapters reporting to Treasurer..... | 11 |
| Chapters not reporting.....          | 7  |

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|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| To Approved Schools.....    | \$258.27        |
| To other schools.....       | 22.00           |
| Other educational work..... | 92.29           |
| <b>Total .....</b>          | <b>\$372.56</b> |

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|-------------------------|--------|
| <b>Berea College</b>    |        |
| Eunice Sterling .....   | \$5.00 |
| <b>Crossnore</b>        |        |
| Chirstiana Musser ..... | \$2.00 |
| Dodge City .....        | 1.00   |
| Eunice Sterling .....   | 5.00   |
| Gen. Edward Hand.....   | 1.00   |

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| <b>Kate Duncan Smith<br/>D. A. R. School</b> |        |
| Abilene .....                                | \$5.00 |
| Betty Bonney .....                           | 5.00   |
| Byrd Prewitt .....                           | 5.00   |
| Concordia .....                              | 2.50   |
| Dana .....                                   | 1.00   |
| Desire Tobey Sears .....                     | 2.00   |
| Dodge City .....                             | 1.00   |
| Emporia .....                                | 15.00  |
| Esther Lowrey .....                          | 1.00   |
| Eunice Sterling .....                        | 15.00  |
| Gen. Edward Hand .....                       | 2.00   |
| James Ross .....                             | 5.00   |
| Kanza .....                                  | 2.00   |
| Lois Warner .....                            | 4.00   |
| Martha Loving Ferrell.....                   | 2.00   |
| Mary Wade Strother .....                     | 4.60   |
| Molly Foster Berry .....                     | 1.00   |
| Newton .....                                 | 1.00   |
| Peleg Gorton .....                           | 2.00   |
| Polly Ogden .....                            | 1.00   |
| Randolph Loving .....                        | 2.50   |
| Smoky Hill .....                             | 2.50   |
| Susannah French Putney....                   | 5.00   |
| Topeka .....                                 | 5.00   |
| Uvedale .....                                | 5.00   |
| Wellington .....                             | 2.50   |

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| <b>Pine Mountain Settlement</b> |        |
| Emporia .....                   | \$5.00 |

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|--------------------------|--------|
| <b>Northland College</b> |        |
| Emporia .....            | \$5.49 |

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| <b>Tamassee<br/>D. A. R. School</b> |         |
| Abilene .....                       | \$10.00 |
| Atchison .....                      | 2.50    |
| Baxter Springs .....                | 2.50    |
| Betty Bonney .....                  | 10.00   |
| Capt. Jesse Leavenworth....         | 1.00    |
| Concordia .....                     | 2.50    |
| Council Oak .....                   | 2.00    |
| Dana .....                          | 1.00    |
| Desire Tobey Sears .....            | 2.00    |
| Esther Lowrey .....                 | 1.00    |
| Gen. Edward Hand .....              | 2.00    |
| Henry Dawson .....                  | 1.00    |
| Isabella Weldin .....               | 1.00    |
| James Ross .....                    | 9.08    |
| Kanza .....                         | 2.00    |
| Lois Warner .....                   | 5.00    |
| Lucretia Griswold Latimer ..        | 1.00    |
| Martha Loving Ferrell .....         | 8.00    |
| Mary Wade Strother .....            | 4.60    |
| Molly Foster Berry .....            | 1.00    |
| Nathan Edson .....                  | 1.00    |
| Newton .....                        | 1.50    |
| Peleg Gorton .....                  | 2.00    |
| Polly Ogden .....                   | 1.00    |
| Randolph Loving .....               | 2.50    |
| Rhoda Carver Barton .....           | 5.00    |
| Samuel Linscott .....               | 1.00    |
| Smoky Hill .....                    | 2.50    |
| Susannah French Putney ..           | 2.00    |
| Topeka .....                        | 5.00    |
| Uvedale .....                       | 5.00    |
| Wellington .....                    | 2.50    |
| Wichita (Memorial Acre)..           | 30.00   |
| Mrs. G. L. Caughron .....           | 1.00    |
| Stella B. Haines (flag).....        | 1.50    |
| Mrs. R. L. Jones (flag).....        | 1.50    |

### OTHER EDUCATIONAL WORK

(With and Without Values)

- Abilene—Box Christmas cards, Tamassee.
- Betty Bonney—Uniforms, Tamassee. Value \$3.00.
- Captain Jesse Leavenworth—Box, Crossnore. Value \$15.00.
- Emporia—Christmas box to our scholarship girl. A sale of brass from Northland College.
- Eunice Sterling—Christmas box to their scholarship girl.
- Gen. Edward Hand—Several personal gifts, Tamassee.
- Isabella Weldin—Five large boxes of clothing, books, etc.
- Jane Dean Coffey—Box, Kate Duncan Smith. Value \$15.00.
- James Ross—Christmas party, Tamassee, members gave cash.

Martha Loving Ferrell—Two scholarships, value \$20.00, for Indian boys attending Wichita University.

Ninescah—Dean Lieurance for two Indian boys, \$2.00.

Phebe Dustin—Sugars from Berea.

Polly Ogden—Supports student loan at State College, Manhattan.

Smoky Hill—Christmas treat, Tamassee. Value \$5.30.

Susannah French Putney—Gift to Kansas Scholarship girl. Value \$3.50.

Topeka—35 pounds hard candy, a knitted afgan, Tamassee.

Several chapters and members sent money direct to the schools. We can only give credit for money when sent through our State Treasurer. Twenty chapters reported having Approved School programs. All but four chapters have a Chapter Chairman.

Your State Chairman visited Tamassee last April and was most pleased with the school. She had luncheon and talked to the Olathe Chapter and to her own James Ross; was on radio program with Superintendent of Schools of Kansas City; has sent material for papers whenever called upon. The cooperation of the chapters and their interest in this fine work has been greatly appreciated.

## CONSERVATION

(Mrs. Claude E.) ETHEL G. ST. JOHN

Abilene: Chapter sponsored citizenship talks in Junior High School, assisted Girl Home Makers, Girl and Boy Scouts. Organized 38 Junior Citizenship Clubs; some of these clubs have stressed Natural Resources, Fire Prevention, Good Citizenship and Patriotic programs. Have planted 653 trees, 51 shrubs and 1,410 bulbs.

Arthur Barrett: Chapter sent 20 dozen cookies to military camps, bought T. B. Stamps, outfitted a high school girl at graduation time. Planted hundreds of bulbs, and set out more than a hundred trees, shrubs and perennials.

Atchison: Members canned 1,163 quarts of fruit, meat and vegetables and made 76 glasses of jelly. 860 bulbs, 25 trees and 66 shrubs planted.

Baxter Springs: Sent a box of 2,600 cancelled stamps.

Betty Bonney: Gave Christmas basket of food, toys, and clothing to a family of eight; \$5.00 to British children; \$2.00 to local Memorial Fund; \$1.00 to Memorial Day; \$1 to Salvation Army. One member sponsors a student group in collecting cancelled stamps and waste paper; they also aided underprivileged children. 750 bulbs, 10 trees, 10 shrubs planted. 8 pounds of cancelled stamps collected.

Betty Washington: Generous gifts sent to crippled children, and the blind; also to Father Flanagan's Boys Town. Gave dress to a Mexican Girl. 8 scrap books given to the sick. 230 trees, 75 rose bushes, 80 perennials and 1,500 bulbs planted.

Byrd Prewitt: Gave waste paper to Grade School for Boy Scout Fund. Contributed to upkeep of D. A. R. Marker in Grant County.

Captain Jesse Leavenworth: Gifts of jelly and canned goods and \$5.00 cash sent to Small Memorial Home and Cushing Memorial Hospital. Sponsored Washington Birthday Party and dance for enlisted men stationed at Fort Leavenworth. Books donated to marines.

Council Oak: Members collecting cancelled stamps.

Dana: Assisted Boy and Girl Scouts. Gave books for Soldiers' Reading Rooms. \$1.00 given to Church Society Flag Fund. Collect-

ing cancelled stamps. 2 medals given to H. S. students for highest grade in History and Government, also to a Junior High Student for essay. 12 shrubs and trees planted.

Frederick Funston: Two programs on Human Conservation. Two

Desire Tobey Sears: One member donated one ton of paper. Sent a box of cancelled stamps. 9 fruit trees, 5 roses and 5 perennials planted.

Dodge City: Special programs on Washington's Birthday and Flag Day. 55 trees, 7 shrubs, 57 bulbs and 54 perennials planted. Contributed to Boy Scouts and T. B. Seals.

Emporia: \$2.00 given to local youth council. Members act as hostesses at Lyon Co. Historical Society Rooms on Saturday afternoons. Regent gave talk on Constitution over Emporia Radio Station. Records of 3 cemeteries copied and placed in book form. 22 trees, 13 shrubs, 117 bulbs, 35 perennials planted. Saving cancelled stamps.

Eunice Sterling: 1,500 Christmas Cards and envelopes made and delivered to Veterans Hospital. \$13.50 to Boys' State. \$13.50 to Girls' State. \$15.00 to British Relief. Several members working with Flo Brown Memorial Speech Laboratory. Shelter belt 2,000 trees. 596 trees, 224 shrubs, 864 bulbs planted.

Fort Larned: 100 trees, 200 shrubs and many bulbs and perennials planted.

Fort Supply Trail: Contributed \$1.00 for Childrens' Air Raid Shelter in England, 75 cents to apply on replacement of Pawnee Rock Marker. 160 trees, 36 shrubs, 150 bulbs planted. Collecting cancelled stamps. programs on Defense. 1,100 walnut trees planted for grove. 696 bulbs, 41 trees, 98 shrubs. Collecting cancelled stamps.

Isabella Weldin: 62 stories, 19 magazines to Veterans Hospital, Wichita. 9 scrap books, toys, 10 story books to Childrens' wards at Wichita and Wesley Hospitals. One package cancelled stamps sent.  $\frac{3}{4}$  mile of shelter belt planted. 55 trees, 500 bulbs, 20 shrubs planted.

Jane Dean Coffey: Two pounds of cancelled stamps sent and acknowledgement received.

Lucretia Griswold Latimer: Two Christmas baskets of food, 8 boxes to soldiers. Money \$32.29. Clothing and toys for children. Stamps, home paper and cards to soldiers. One program on "Herb Gardens." 44 fruit and shade trees, 415 bulbs, 59 shrubs, 2 bushel dwarf iris,  $\frac{1}{2}$  acre strawberries planted.

Martha Loving Ferrell: Food and clothing given to Mexican Mission at Christmas time. \$20.00 to Indian Boys Scholarships. \$31.00 to local organizations. 75 cents to Pawnee Marker. \$1.00 to British children's relief. 62 shade and fruit trees, 202 bulbs, 41 shrubs and  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile of shelter belt planted. Collecting cancelled stamps.

Martha Vail: Assisted Boy and Girl Scout organizations. Sent cookies to soldiers. All members bought T. B. Stamps. 36 trees, 150 bulbs, 40 shrubs, 100 perennials planted.

Molly Foster Berry: Contributed money and material to civic and welfare work. Bought Bibles for Indians in service. Five talks before Girl Reserve and Y. W. C. A. One Conservation Program. Four special days observed. 4,500 bulbs, and 20 perennials planted. Cancelled stamps collected.

Nathan Edson: Assisted in Victory Book Campaign. 16 trees, 12 bushes, 23 bulbs planted.

Newton: 1,800 trees, shrubs, bulbs and perennials planted.

Ninnescah: Collecting cancelled stamps.



Olathe: One program with schools. Observed Armistice Day, Lincoln's Birthday. 20 trees, 400 bulbs, 50 shrubs planted. Collecting cancelled stamps.

Peleg Gorton: One program on Human Conservation and one on statesmanship of Lincoln. 500 trees and shrubs and several hundred bulbs planted.

Phebe Dustin: Purchased T. B. Seals and helped in Cancer Control. Collecting cancelled stamps. Planted trees and bulbs.

Rhoda Carver Barton: One program on Conservation. Flowers, cards and gifts sent to shut-ins. Donated to Salvation Army, Scout Drives, March of Dimes. 5,000 cancelled stamps sent in. 2 members helped beautify highway. Trees, bulbs, and shrubs have been planted.

Susannah French Putney: Orchard of fruit trees and shade trees 992, 6 cedars, 26 shrubs and 27 rose bushes. Chapter allowed \$7.50 for baby layettes and other gifts, 90 garments in all. Six pounds of cancelled stamps collected.

Topeka: One Conservation program. Clothing donated and refreshments served women in Crittendon Home once a week. 145 trees and shrubs planted, also several thousand bulbs. Collecting cancelled stamps.

Uvedale: Assisted two local homes for girls, Day Nursery, Girl and Boy Scout organizations. 18 members served on Civilian Defense Registration Board and 4 on Third Draft Board. 492 trees, 53 shrubs and 686 bulbs planted.

Wellington: One program on Gardens; encouraged Highway Beautification. Sponsored work with Mexican Girls. Cooperated with Girl Scouts. 9 pounds of cancelled stamps collected. Sponsored garden contest; 82 trees, 1,200 bulbs, 60 roses, 100 perennials and 75 shrubs planted.

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### CORRECT USE OF THE FLAG

(Mrs. Joe R.) VERNEDA D. BEELER

Today, "The Flag of The United States of America," our Flag needs love and protection more than ever before in its history. The work of our committee is to foster Flag Education and to engender in all Americans a love for The Flag of The United States of America that will never fail, no matter how drastic the circumstances. We must keep always our Flag a symbol of freedom." These words were written in a letter last September to chapter chairmen. Six months later, the drastic circumstances are facing us. Our people are more Flag Conscious for we must preserve our liberty, freedom and democracy.

Forty-five of the 55 Kansas Chapters distributed 227 Flag Manuals; 145 Flag Leaflets; 257 Small Flags and 30 Large Flags for public buildings. 103 Flag Talks were given at various meetings; 14 Radio Talks; 24 special papers or drills on The Flag at D. A. R. meetings. 32 local newspapers printed Flag material. 37 chapters observed Flag Day with Patriotic Programs at Picnics, Breakfasts, Luncheons or City Celebrations. Atchison chapter sponsored a "Flag Story Contest." Fort Larned chapter a Flag Play. Flag Education has been given by chapters to foreigners in their communities. 94% of the D. A. R. members own Flags. 96% of chapters give the Pledge of Allegiance. These should be 100%. 8 chapters report questions on Flag etiquette, 20 chapters have corrected breaches of etiquette.

Our chief project this year was the Eighth Grade Essay Contest. "The Flag of The United States of America." 466 Essays were

written (two schools reported only the high rating essays). First place, Lovan Davenport, Leavenworth, \$5.00; Second place, Norma Mathew, Arkansas City, \$3.00; Third place, Yvonne Thompson, Derby, \$2.00. Through the splendid cooperation of Mr. George L. McClenny, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, rural schools not close to D. A. R. Chapters learned of the Contest and had 48 entries in the Contest. Of these Dorothy Leihen, Ness City, rated Fifth place. Only three prizes were given, but the first ten are given honorable mention. Mrs. Lloyd Robertson, Miss Jennie I. Campbell and Mr. F. W. Boyd, Jr., state judges, said of the essays: "They are better than last year. The amount of originality the 'original ones' put into the standard story was interesting." An English Teacher wrote, "I certainly think this is a worthwhile contest—it has created such an interest among our students." Another said, "I feel that now all of us could write such essays because some of our students (and teachers) are sending brothers into the Service and we really know the meaning of the Glorious Red, White and Blue." Several fine articles on the Essay Contest were in the newspapers of the State.

All chapters have done splendid work; some of the accomplishments are: Abilene sponsored six entries in the Contest. Their Marjorie Lind, Enterprise, rated Seventh place; Atchison and Arthur Barrett each report 10 talks on the Flag; Baxter Springs suggests "More stress on True Americanism." They had a Flag Address on Kansas Day; Betty Bonney had five entries in the Contest and won second place; Betty Washington gave eight Flags to newly naturalized citizens and observed Flag Day with a luncheon at K. U. Union Building, a visit to Dyche Museum and Patriotic Program at Historic Room, Watson Library. Captain Jesse Leavenworth had 165 entries in the Contest; won first place; and sixth place went to their Dolores Beebee. The Winning Essay was printed in the Leavenworth Times. A silk Flag and a copy of the Constitution were given to 16 foreign born at Naturalization Exercises; Concordia bought a new silk Flag. Miss Grace Shinn gave Flag talks to P. E. O., W. R. C., D. A. R., Farm Bureau and Home Movies organizations. Council Grove gave Flags to Mexican children in the schools. Dana contributed \$1.00 toward the purchase of a Flag for Columbus U. B. Church. Desire Tobey Sears had 34 entries in the Contest; Carol Lee Stanton placed tenth. Flag instruction was given to the Girl Scouts; Esther Lowrey's chairman, Mrs. Julia Helen McDonald, bought and distributed 120 Flag Manuals, 40 Flag Codes and 40 Flag Leaflets. Eunice Sterling gave 75 Flag Codes. Boys from Boys' State were on their Flag Day Program. Hannah Jameson gave 50 Flag Codes and said "I can not understand a member of the D. A. R. not owning a Flag. The love and respect for the Flag begins at home and should not be left entirely to the schools." James Ross gave instruction on Flag Salute to Americanization Classes. Jane Dean Coffey gave talks to a number of clubs, Flag Day; Kanza bought a new Flag and notified business men of special days when Flags should be flown. Lois Warner gave 50 Flag Leaflets; 75 small Flags; 12 large Flags for Public Buildings; 10 framed Flag Codes; 20 Flag Manuals and 4 Talks to organizations. Mary Wade Strother is helping other patriotic organizations make a series of Historical American Flags for use in the Boy and Girl Scout Council. Phebe Dustin had 41 entries in the Contest from three towns; gave five awards of small Flag pins to local winners. They suggest free Flag material for chapters and the continuation of the Flag Essay Contest. Polly Ogden distributed 60 small Flags and gave four talks to Civic organizations; furnished cookies for Soldier Center for colored boys, week of Lincoln's Birthday. Peleg Gorton had two entries in the Essay Contest. Randolph Loving won third place in the Contest; eighth place went to their Nina Marie McKee. Susannah French Putney gave a large Flag to C. A. R. Uvedale says present time is a good time for Flag Instruction. Wellington gave 18 Flag Leaflets to a

Mexican Girls' Club. Had 155 entries in the Contest. Faye Cain placed fourth. Mrs. E. A. Rothrock, Regent, gave a cash award to the local contest winner. Wichita sponsored four radio talks.

Letters were sent in September and in January to each chapter. Questions concerning State Flag Etiquette have come to me. I suggest that simple rules of Etiquette for the Kansas State Flag should be made and adopted. Will the D. A. R. be the first to take a step toward this? Your State Chairman has enjoyed the work of 1941-42. The year's successes are due to your efforts. Thank you for work well done. Let us remember if our liberty, freedom and present form of government survives we must do more than Salute the Flag. We must revive the old pioneer spirit of love of freedom, liberty, honor, independence, endurance and a Will to Do. May these United States of America be forever a free Democracy!

### D. A. R. GOOD CITIZENSHIP PILGRIMAGE

(Mrs. Harry M.) ELIZABETH S. IVES

At the State Conference last March in El Dorado, the Conference voted to establish the Good Citizenship Pilgrimage Contest on a merit basis using a questionnaire as stressed by the National Society. During the summer, after studying several of the best questionnaires used by other states in their Good Citizenship Contest, Mrs. Berger and I drafted the questionnaire that was used this year in the Contest.

The rules governing the Contest were the same as in previous years, only the District Chairmen selected an impartial judging committee to judge the questionnaires in her district and send the three best to the State Chairman, who in turn has selected an impartial committee to judge the eighteen questionnaires sent in from the six districts and to determine the Kansas Pilgrim.

Miss Emily Bernstorf of Winfield High School was declared the Kansas Pilgrim and Miss Barbara Mae Clark of Potwin and Miss Ruby Goss of McPherson, first and second alternates. One hundred twelve schools participated in the Contest this year. As was voted by the Conference last year, a Pilgrimage to Topeka was not held, but the Kansas Pilgrim was introduced to the Opening Session of the State Conference.

I want to thank the eighteen judges in the district for their splendid cooperation and the three final judges who were: Miss Florence Eckert, Superintendent of the Shawnee County Schools. Mr. M. A. Callahan, supervisor of the high schools for the state of Kansas.

Mr. Martin Phillips, State Chairman of the Americanism Committee of the American Legion.

The District Chairmen for the Good Citizenship Pilgrimage Contest:

|                       |                                   |
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| First District .....  | Mrs. Leslie Pollock, Atchison     |
| Second District ..... | Mrs. Don Whitaker, Ottawa         |
| Third District .....  | Miss Lillian Cloud, Winfield      |
| Fourth District ..... | Mrs. Carl Mathews, Potwin         |
| Fifth District .....  | Mrs. John Siglinger, Phillipsburg |
| Sixth District .....  | Mrs. J. C. Denious, Dodge City    |

No State Chairman could ask or find a harder working group of women and to them goes a great deal of the credit of the Pilgrimage.

I have more than enjoyed my contact with the Pilgrimage and consider it a privilege to have had the opportunity. I want to thank all again that so earnestly cooperated to make this Contest a success.

**D. A. R. MANUAL FOR CITIZENSHIP**

(Mrs. Dan) RUTH HOPSON

Because of a revision of the Manual, made necessary by a change in naturalization laws, no Manuals were available for six months of the past year. However, in the remaining time, Kansas distributed 2,696 Manuals, 13 chapters reporting. These were used principally for naturalization work; but also for education, for the A. W. V. S., the Y. W. C. A., and for Job's Daughters. Kansas' contribution to the Manual Fund was \$219.20.

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**D. A. R. MUSEUM**

(Mrs. Garland P.) HELEN B. FERRELL

It was the privilege of your State Chairman to be present at the annual meeting of the Museum Committee held in the banquet room of Memorial Continental Hall, last April, at the time of Continental Congress. The meeting was in charge of the Curator General, Mrs. Willard Steele.

In November it was her pleasure to be the guest of Oklahoma State Society and the State Chairman of D. A. R. Museum, Mrs. John P. Cook, at the dedication of the Oklahoma State D. A. R. Golden Jubilee project, an authentically furnished Colonial-Federal room in the State Historical Building at Oklahoma City.

She was also the guest of the Newton, Sterling, Uvedale and Susannah French Putney Chapters at a joint meeting held in Newton, where she spoke briefly on the requirements of the D. A. R. Museum.

A minimum of one letter has been sent to each of Kansas' fifty-five chapters.

She is happy to report the following gifts accepted by the Museum since last March first:

1. Cash gifts to Museum Fund:  
Susannah French Putney Chapter.....\$2.00  
Eunice Sterling Chapter..... 5.00
2. Book: Arts and Crafts of Pennsylvania, Maryland and South Carolina, by Alfred Coxé Prime, presented by the State Chairman to honor the State Regent, Mrs. A. J. Berger.
3. A Psalterspiel, printed at Germantown, Pennsylvania, 1813. Presented by Mrs. Clarence F. Drake, Regent of Eunice Sterling Chapter, in memory of her mother, Grace Sears Snyder, who was the Organizing Regent of Mary Wade Strother Chapter at Salina.
4. A leather tooled Corman Prayer Book with handwritten German Script and hand-painted decorations. Dated 1821. Presented by Mrs. A. J. Berger in honor of the State Chairman of D. A. R. Museum.
5. A Gaudy Dutch spatterware sugar bowl, presented by the Abilene Chapter to honor Miss Marion Seelye, Honorary State Regent and Vice President General.

6. A platter, Penn's Treaty, by Thomas Greene, given by State Officers and State Officers' Club in honor of the State Regent, Mrs. A. J. Berger.

This last gift the Chairman regards as the crowning achievement of the six years of her service on this Committee. It is a rare piece depicting an American scene on china and which the Museum has had on the wanted list for several years.

In closing the Chairman wishes to thank chapters for year books and contributions, and for all courtesies extended; all those who have offered gifts; all those whose gifts have been accepted and all who have assisted in any way.

Again, it has been a pleasure to have served on this Committee.

#### D. A. R. STUDENT LOAN FUND

(Miss) STELLA B. HAINES

The D. A. R. Student Loan Fund Committee submits the following report:

In response to the requests for contributions for the Fund, 25 Chapters responded.

List as follows:

|                          |        |                           |                |
|--------------------------|--------|---------------------------|----------------|
| Kanza .....              | \$ .80 | Molly Foster Berry .....  | \$ 1.00        |
| Abilene .....            | 5.00   | Newton .....              | 3.00           |
| Phebe Dustin .....       | 1.00   | James Ross .....          | 3.00           |
| Eunice Sterling .....    | 25.00  | Capt. Jesse Leavenworth.. | 5.00           |
| Peleg Gorton .....       | 5.00   | Dodge City .....          | 2.50           |
| Baxter Springs .....     | 2.50   | Lois Warner .....         | 4.00           |
| Wellington .....         | 5.00   | General Edward Hand....   | 1.00           |
| Betty Bonney .....       | 5.00   | Randolph Loving .....     | 1.00           |
| Uvedale .....            | 5.00   | Christiana Musser .....   | 4.00           |
| Isabella Weldin .....    | 1.00   | Jane Dean Coffey .....    | 1.00           |
| Susannah French Putney.. | 5.00   | Lucretia Griswold Latimer | 1.00           |
| Emporia .....            | 1.50   | Martha Vail .....         | 2.00           |
| Desire Tobey Sears ..... | 10.00  |                           |                |
|                          |        |                           | <hr/> \$100.30 |

Students given loans this year are in attendance at Friends University, Wichita and McPherson College.

Two loans were made:

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| Virginia Ruth Stone, Wichita, Kansas .....   | \$100.00 |
| Edith Rose Spengler, McPherson, Kansas ..... | 125.00   |

STUDENT LOAN FUND

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|---|-----------------|
| Balance, March 1, 1941 .....                | \$1,671.77      |
| Receipts from Chapters .....                | \$ 100.30       |
| Payments of Principal .....                 | 1,157.39        |
| Payments of Interest .....                  | 140.09          |
|   | <u>1,397.78</u> |
| Aggregate .....                             | 3,069.55        |
| Loans made and Ins. Check .....             | 275.25          |
|   | <u>275.25</u>   |
| Balance in Fund in Cash, March 1, 1942..... | \$2,794.30      |

STUDENT LOAN NOTES RECEIVABLE

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|---|-----------------|
| Notes Receivable, March 1, 1941 .....             | \$2,665.58      |
| Principal Payments .....                          | 1,157.39        |
|   | <u>1,508.19</u> |
| New Notes and Ins. Funds—Maleta Nusser Note ..... | 275.25          |
|   | <u>275.25</u>   |
| Notes Receivable March 1, 1942 .....              | \$1,783.44      |
| Cash Balance in Fund March 1, 1942 .....          | \$2,794.30      |

Your Committee had for its chief duty this year to collect notes in arrears. On February 1, 1940, there were 73 outstanding notes. At the present time there are 28. Loans made in 1936 and 1937 seem very hard to collect.

A reprint of the Rules governing this Fund was made and sent to each Chapter.

Your Chairman was happy to be the guest of Jane Dean Coffey Chapter at Coffeyville and Newton Chapter where she spoke on the Student Loan Fund. She also attended the Conference at Shawnee Mission.

The three Chapters who have special Loan Funds reported:

|                                 |            |
|---------------------------------|------------|
| Victor Blakeley—Topeka .....    | \$1,250.00 |
| Polly Ogden—Manhattan .....     | 763.77     |
| Betty Washington—Lawrence ..... | 1,544.56   |

Since this Fund was established in 1926 there have been 166 girls and 52 boys aided by both State and Chapter Funds.

## RECOMMENDATION OF STUDENT LOAN FUND COMMITTEE

That the rate of interest be reduced from 4% to 2%, in accordance with the request of the National Chairman of Student Loan Fund.

Submitted by:

Stella B. Haines, Chairman, Isabella Weldin  
Maude Haver, Financial Sec., Isabella Weldin  
(Mrs.) Junia Peckham, Clerk, Isabella Weldin

## ELLIS ISLAND

(Mrs. D. B.) BERNICE COLLINS LUDWICK

More than seventeen years ago the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution began our occupational activities at Ellis Island and the idea was such a fine one that it has kept on growing. We have every assurance that the generous funds and supplies sent by the Chapters to Ellis Island are deeply appreciated by those in authority and temporary residents there. With world conditions as they are, when there are so many demands for contributions, I am exceedingly grateful for the fine response toward this project.

Abilene, Capt. Jesse Leavenworth, Henry Dawson, James Ross, Jane Dean Coffey, Molly Foster Berry and Susannah French Putney each sent a box.

Excess money was contributed by Abilene, Byrd Prewitt, Capt. Jesse Leavenworth, Concordia, Council Oak, Dodge City, Emporia, Gen. Edward Hand, Hannah Jameson, Isabella Weldin, Kanza, Lois Warner, Rhoda Carver Barton, and Sterling.

Programs were given by Abilene, Atchison, Capt. Jesse Leavenworth, Kanza, Ninnescah, Randolph Loving, Rhoda Carver Barton, Susannah French Putney and Wichita.

It has been a pleasure to serve as Ellis Island State Chairman the past year. Thanks to all who sent in reports. I appreciate receiving the Year Books and all courtesies extended me.

Thirty-eight Chapters have an Ellis Island Chairman.

The report is as follows:

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| 1. No. of Chapters in the State .....                         | 55      |
| 2. No. of Chapters having an Ellis or Angel Island Program... | 9       |
| 3. No. of Chapters using the Film or Exhibit .....            | 0       |
| 4. No. of Chapters paid their quota .....                     | 55      |
| 5. No. of Chapters sending excess money .....                 | 14      |
| 6. Amount sent .....  | \$37.80 |
| 7. No. of Chapters sending a box of materials .....           | 8       |
| 8. Value of boxes .....                                       | \$58.14 |

**FILING AND LENDING BUREAU**

(Mrs. E. L.) MARY LA RUE TALLEY

I am pleased as State Chairman of the Filing and Lending Bureau, to report an increased interest in this work. Thirty-eight Chapters reported a chairman for this work. Early last fall I mailed letters to each Chapter Chairman or Regent. During the year a total of 122 letters and cards were written.

**The Following Papers Were Filed or Borrowed:**

Baxter Springs, Borrowed one paper.

Betty Washington, Lawrence. Filed two papers and two books.

1—Emblems and Flags, Mary Howell.

2—To Bat for America, Mrs. B. F. Payne. (Radio Address.) State Files.

3—Two Books, Tombstone Inscriptions. Sent to National and State. Containing records from 29 Douglas Co. cemeteries. Indexed records of 3,200 names and inscriptions. The books are blue and gold. Cost \$15.00 each.

Byrd Prewitt, Ulysses, Borrowed one paper.

Desire Tobey Sears, Mankato. Borrowed one paper.

Dodge City, Borrowed one paper.

General Edward Hand, Ottawa. Filed two papers.

1—Don Francisco Vasquey de Coronado, Grace Meeker.

2—Musical America, Blanche Stucker.

Hannah Jameson, Parsons, Reports six papers being prepared for filing.

Jane Dean Coffey, Coffeyville, Reports one paper being prepared to file.

Lucretia Griswold Latimer, Eureka, Four papers filed:

1—Historical Sites in Kansas.

2—Flags of America.

3—Red Cross.

4—Ellis Island. (State Files.)

These papers contributed by Mrs. Harold Bottomly.

Martha Vail, Harper, One programme on the Filing and Lending Bureau.

Neodesha, Two papers borrowed.

Ninnescah, Pratt. Borrowed one paper, Filed four papers.

1—Ellis Island, Pearle Richardson.

2—D. A. R. Manual for Citizenship, Pearle Richardson.

3—Our Flag, Mrs. William Matheson.

4—Kansas. Mrs. Ray R. Eads, Cullison, Kansas.

Phebe Dustin, Phillipsburg. Filed one paper:

1—Kansas Indians of Today, H. E. Bruce, Supt. Pottawatomie Indian Agency.

Polly Ogden, Manhattan, Filed two papers:

1—Ideals and Aims of the D. A. R.

2—Our Political Parties. Mrs. Lucille Rust.

Randolph Loving, Wichita, Borrowed two papers.

Susannah French Putney, El Dorado, Filed two papers:

1—Braille's Contribution to Americanism, Mrs. Eva Griffis.

2—Approved Schools of D. A. R.

Wellington, Filed three papers:

1—Our National Parks, Mrs. Walter J. Broderson.

2—History of the Red Cross, Jean E. Young.

3—Stephen Collins Foster, Maud Harriman Barrett.



Making a total of twenty papers filed. Two books, Seven papers being prepared to file. Seven papers borrowed from National and two from State files.

Your State Chairman appreciates the year books and requests for lists of papers. May I thank the Chapters for their cooperation which makes this report possible.

### GENEALOGICAL RECORDS

(Mrs. Harry A.) GERTRUDE B. KUNKLE

Fifty-two of the fifty-six chapters in Kansas appointed a chairman for this committee. A printed form letter was sent each chapter chairman (or Regent) in September, 1941, and a postal card in January, 1942; all letters from chapters were answered promptly; and much printed material (leaflets and pamphlets giving information) was sent to various chapters which were copying records.

Two chapters contributed money to the binding fund:

|   |        |
|---|--------|
| Betty Bonney Chapter, Arkansas City ..... | \$2.00 |
| Desire Tobey Sears Chapter, Mankato ..... | 1.00   |
| Total sent .....                          | \$3.00 |

Nine volumes (six professionally bound, three in stiff pressboard binders); seven Family History Charts (in whole or in part); Part II of a Scrapbook and Part II of a volume of Marriage Records (both to be placed in Acco-Press binders sent last year with Part I), were sent to the National Chairman, Dr. Jean Stephenson.

Nine volumes (five professionally bound, four in Acco-Press binders) were sent to the Kansas State D. A. R. Library; Part II of another volume.

Seven volumes, most of them bound (some professionally) and Part II of above mentioned Marriage Records were sent to the Kansas State Historical Society, Topeka, Kansas.

The following chapters prepared and contributed records, paying all expenses:

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| Betty Bonney Chapter, Arkansas City:   |           |
| Miscellaneous Genealogical Records, four copies (2 professionally bound) .....   | 60 pages  |
| Betty Washington Chapter, Lawrence:  |           |
| Tombstone Inscriptions of Douglas County, Kansas, Vol. 1; two copies (both professionally bound) .....                             | 148 pages |
| Desire Tobey Sears Chapter, Mankato:   |           |
| Five sets of Family History Charts (1 copy of each) .....  | 70 pages  |
| Emporia Chapter, Emporia:  |           |
| 1. Tombstone Inscriptions of Lyon County, Kansas, Vol. IV. four copies (1 professionally bound) .....                              | 136 pages |
| 2. Scrapbook of clippings from Emporia Gazette, Part II 53 pages 1 copy (to be placed with Part I in binding sent last year) ..... |           |
| Total for chapter .....  | 189 pages |
| Eunice Sterling Chapter, Wichita:  |           |
| Register of St. John's Episcopal Church, Wichita, Kansas, Vol. I, 1885-1893 .....  | 106 pages |
| 4 copies (3 professionally bound).   |           |
| Fort Supply Trail Chapter, Ashland:  |           |
| Clark County, Kansas, Volumes I-II, 1939-40-41 .....   | 202 pages |
| 4 copies (all professionally bound)—both in same binding.  |           |
| Lucretia Griswold Latimer Chapter, Eureka:   |           |
| 1 Family History Chart (in part), (remainder to be sent later) .....   | 2 pages   |

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|--|-------------|
| Mary Wade Strother Chapter, Salina:  |             |
| Marriage Records of Saline County, Kansas, 1880, Part II .....   | 19 pages    |
| 4 copies (to be placed in Acco-Press binders sent last year with Part I).  |             |
| Olathe Chapter, Olathe:  |             |
| Marriage Records (700) of Johnson County, Kansas, Dec. 13, 1910, to Aug. 19, 1912 .....  | 65 pages    |
| 2 copies (both Acco-Press binders).  |             |
| Smoky Hill Chapter, Ellsworth:   |             |
| 1 Family History Chart, complete. 1 copy .....   | 15 pages    |
| Susannah French Putney Chapter, El Dorado:   |             |
| 1. Cemetery Records of North Half of Butler County, Kansas .....   | 154 pages   |
| 2. Sunset Lawns (West) Cemetery Records of El Dorado, Butler County, Kansas .....  | 114 pages   |
| Two volumes—4 copies of each (all bound in pressboard binders).  |             |
| Total for chapter .....  | 268 pages   |
| Miscellaneous Genealogical Records, compiled and indexed by State Chairman from material sent by Chapters:   |             |
| 1. Baxter Springs Chapter, Baxter Springs; Allison and Neal Family Records .....   | 3 pages     |
| 2. Courtney-Spalding Chapter, Russell: Marriage Licenses of Ellis County, Kansas, in which records are not complete .....  | 1 page      |
| 3. Nathan Edson Chapter, Clay Center: Genealogical Records of Early Settler of Clay Center, Kansas, Simeon Allen Chapman .....   | 3 pages     |
| 4. Peleg Gorton Chapter, Winfield: Genealogical Records of Dawson and Snyder Families .....  | 3 pages     |
| 5. Smoky Hill Chapter, Ellsworth: Genealogical Records of Dounce, Smith and Wasson Families ....   | 20 pages    |
| 6. Sterling Chapter, Sterling: Brown Family of Richland County, Ohio; Bible Records of Ross Family, John S. McKean Family and James Finney Family  | 25 pages    |
| 7. Wellington Chapter, Wellington: Bible Records of Adams, Dorsey, Jordan, Lantz and Popham Families .....   | 9 pages     |
| Title page, table of contents and index .....  | 21 pages    |
| Total in Miscellaneous volume .....  | 85 pages    |
| 3 copies (2 professionally bound, 1 Acco-Press binder).  |             |
| Total number of pages of bound records .....   | 1,142 pages |
| Total number of pages of Family History Charts ....  | 87 pages    |
| Total number of pages of records sent to National Chairman in 1942 .....   |             |
| 1,229 pages  |             |
| General Edward Hand Chapter, Ottawa, sent ten pages of Bible and Cemetery Records, not indexed or bound, which arrived too late to be included this year; they will be compiled next year. |             |
| Chapters working on unfinished projects:   |             |
| 1. Abilene Chapter, Abilene: Compiling Cemetery Records of Dickinson County, Kansas, Vol. I.   |             |
| 2. Betty Washington Chapter, Lawrence: Compiling Tombstone Inscriptions of Douglas County, Kansas, Vol. II.  |             |

3. Captain Jesse Leavenworth Chapter, Leavenworth: Compiling Tombstone Records of Leavenworth County, Kansas.
4. Dana Chapter, Columbus: Compiling Biographical Records of Civil War Soldiers of Cherokee County, Kansas.
5. Desire Tobey Sears Chapter, Mankato: Compiling Marriage Records of Jewell County, Kansas, Vol. III.
6. Emporia Chapter, Emporia:
  - (a) Compiling Tombstone Inscriptions of Lyon County, Kansas, Vol. V.
  - (b) Working on Part III of a Scrapbook of Clippings from Emporia Gazette.
7. Eunice Sterling Chapter, Wichita: Vol. II of Register of St. John's Episcopal Church; Genealogical Records of the Owsley Family; Bible Records of Bible owned by Geo. W. Williams, Wichita; Bible of Michael and Nancy Stauffer Hartzell; Marriages in the Stauffer Family.
8. Fort Supply Trail Chapter, Ashland: Offering prize to 35 students in High School for best Family History chart; all members of chapter (32) working on Family History Charts.
9. Henry Dawson Chapter, McPherson: Members working on Family History Charts.
10. Lois Warner Chapter, Junction City: Working on Pioneer Settlers' Records.
11. Lucretia Griswold Latimer Chapter, Eureka: Working on Family History Charts.
12. Mary Wade Strother Chapter, Salina: Continuing Marriage Records of Saline County, Kansas.
13. Ninnescah Chapter, Pratt: Continuing Cemetery Records of Pratt County, Kansas.
14. Olathe Chapter, Olathe: Continuing Marriage Records of Johnson County, Kansas.
15. Phebe Dustin Chapter, Phillipsburg: Listing all soldiers' graves in Phillips County, Kansas.
16. Polly Ogden Chapter, Manhattan: Chapter chairman doing research work on family lines for various persons to complete their D. A. R. applications.
17. Smoky Hill Chapter, Ellsworth: Cemetery Records of Ellsworth County, Kansas, Vol. IV.
18. Sterling Chapter, Sterling: Chapter Chairman doing research work on Family Records.
19. Susannah French Putney Chapter, El Dorado: Compiling Tombstone Inscriptions of Butler County, Kansas, Vol. III.

Your State Chairman wishes to express her appreciation of the splendid cooperation and earnest work of many of the chapters in the State in this most important undertaking of saving genealogical records for the future, and wishes to thank them all most sincerely.

### GIRL HOME MAKERS

(Mrs. John W.) INES STANEART DIXON

Last year 11 chapters reported work for the Girl Home Makers and this year 17 have made reports. 110 letters and 97 postal cards have been written by the State Chairman, all letters were answered and handbooks were sent upon request.

Our chapters have made the following awards: 77 awards of merit, three silver pins and cash prizes and other special prizes. Arthur Barrett Chapter did outstanding work, making awards, pre-

senting gifts and entering a cotton dress in the State Contest. Neodesha Chapter has also done exceptional work, making the largest number of awards in the state, presenting a Girl Home Makers play and entering a cotton dress in the State Contest.

The following chapters entered cotton dresses in the State Contest:

Arthur Barrett, dress made by Margaret Severns.

Betty Bonney, dress made by Esther Sweet.

Neodesha, dress made by Maxine Hemme.

Susannah French Putney, dress made by Floy Lee Lytle.

The cotton dress which was entered by Susannah French Putney Chapter won first place and Miss Floy Lee Lytle, El Dorado High School student, was presented the \$5.00 cash prize which was offered by the State Society.

#### REPORT BY CHAPTERS

Abilene: 3 awards of merit to High School Economics girls.

Arthur Barrett: 3 awards of merit to High School Economics girls, two cash prizes, providing a complete formal costume for a Junior Year High School girl. A cotton dress contest was also held and entry made in the State Contest.

Atchison: 6 awards of merit to High School Home Economics students.

Baxter Springs: 4 awards of merit to girls in High School Home Economics classes.

Betty Bonney: Cotton dress contest and winning dress sent to the State Contest.

Council Oak: Cash prize for best cotton dress in High School Home Economics Class and awards of merit for both cooking and sewing.

Desire Tobey Sears: 4 awards to girls in High School Home Economics classes.

Henry Dawson: \$5.00 cash award for girl doing outstanding work in High School Home Economics classes.

Jane Dean Coffey: 10 awards to High School Economics students.

Mary Wade Strother: 10 awards of merit to High School Home Economics Students.

Molly Foster Berry: 8 awards of merit, 3 silver Girl Home Makers pins to High School Home Economics students.

Nathan Edson: 8 awards of merit to 4-H Club Girls.

Neodesha: 12 awards of merit to girls in High School Home Economics Department, cotton dress contest held and winning dress entered in the State Contest. Two Girl Home Makers posters ordered for sewing and cooking class rooms in the high school, a copy of the Girl Home Makers' play "Grandmother Garvin's Gifts" was also ordered to be used for a chapter program.

Oceanus Hopkins: 8 awards of merit to Girl Home Makers Class of the Girl Scouts.

Peleg Gorton: 5 awards of merit given for the first time to girls in the High School Home Economics classes.

Randolph Loving: Contribution made to the Girl Home Makers State Scholarship.

Susannah French Putney: 8 contestants entered for the cotton dress contest and the winning dress entered in the State Contest where it won first place.

I am very grateful for the kindness and assistance given to me by Mrs. Alexander Berger, State Regent, and of all the Chapter Chairmen and Chapter Regents, whose splendid cooperation made the year's work a pleasure.

## GOOD CITIZENSHIP PILGRIMS CLUBS

(Miss) MARY ATEN

I contacted personally as many of the Chapter Chairmen of the Good Citizenship Pilgrimage Clubs as I could, explaining the work to them.

I have added to my files the list of the District winners for 1941-1942. There is a round robin letter circulating among the girls who attended the Good Citizenship Pilgrimage in Washington, D. C. This letter started with Miss Irene Korber, Bern, Kansas. Also there is a round robin letter for the State winners, which started with Miss Ruth Irene Pederson, Everest, Kansas.

## JUNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS

(Mrs. H. A.) GRACE QUIRING

Of the fifty-six Chapters in Kansas, thirty-three had Junior American Citizens Chairmen. The State Chairman is very happy to report a gain of one club and 142 members this year. We have twenty new clubs in new localities. Our nation is becoming increasingly aware of the fact that American boys and girls are in need of patriotic education. The State Chairman has found school officials cooperative toward the work of this committee and was asked to speak on the "Organization and Accomplishments of the Kansas Junior American Citizens Clubs" at the Kansas State Teachers Association in Salina, November 7, 1941.

Last year there were one hundred and forty clubs, with a membership of three thousand, two hundred and sixty. This year there are one hundred and forty-one clubs with a membership of three thousand, four hundred and two. Eight Chapters out of fifty-six sent in J. A. C. reports. List of Chapters and number of clubs and members sponsored by each:

|                              | Clubs | Members |
|------------------------------|-------|---------|
| Atchison .....               | 1     | 28      |
| Abilene .....                | 39    | 773     |
| General Edward Hand .....    | 3     | 50      |
| Henry Dawson .....           | 43    | 1,146   |
| James Ross .....             | 5     | 126     |
| Mary Wade Strother .....     | 22    | 520     |
| Olathe .....                 | 6     | 235     |
| Susannah French Putney ..... | 2     | 70      |

The Junior American Citizens State Chairman organized 20 new J. A. C. clubs as follows:

|                       |     |       |
|-----------------------|-----|-------|
| Allen, Kansas .....   | 1   | 13    |
| Conway, Kansas .....  | 1   | 31    |
| Gypsum, Kansas .....  | 1   | 25    |
| Glasco, Kansas .....  | 7   | 138   |
| Tescott, Kansas ..... | 4   | 79    |
| Manhattan .....       | 6   | 168   |
| Total .....           | 141 | 3,402 |

I congratulate the Abilene Chapter for sending clippings, pictures, and promptness in sending in their report; the Olathe Chapter on special activity, public programs, and Civic improvement; the Atchison Chapter whose J. A. C. member wrote an essay on "Our Flag" in a contest; James Ross Chapter, Kansas City, who sponsored the raising and lowering of the Flag each morning and evening at the childrens' home; also the Mary Wade Strother Chapter J. A. C. in Salina for their outstanding work in their rural district. The Henry

Dawson J. A. C. Clubs gave several very fine programs. One J. A. C. club works with the Red Cross and has a Victory Garden. The Scandia Rural School gave Defense albums and stamps as Valentines.

Our J. A. C. work is excellent. Wherever it has been understood and efforts made to organize clubs, there has been success. We hope more of our Chapters the coming year will be convinced of its worth.

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## JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP

(Mrs. O. P.) ANNA MARIA MAY

Kansas has had a slight increase in the number of Junior Members in the past year, but we still do not have enough of the junior age interested in the worthwhile projects of the D. A. R.

Phebe Dustin and Wellington have the Junior Members meeting and counting their hours of war relief with the Chapter.

Eunice Sterling Junior Group takes a personal interest in the Chapter's scholarship girl at Tamassee.

Topeka Chapter has a Junior Service Group, meeting twice a month in the afternoon, with three projects—Red Cross sewing, sewing instruction and entertainment for the girls at the Florence Crittendon Home, and a Christmas box including an afghan and candy for Tamassee D. A. R. School. Topeka is also organizing a group to meet in the evenings for war work.

Atchison Chapter Junior Group meets in the evening, doing Red Cross sewing and knitting. They organized a Red Cross First Aid Class that was open to the public. They delegate two or more members of their group to attend the Chapter meetings. Their social activities were a party for older C. A. R.'s and other prospective members, a luncheon for the Topeka Junior Group, and a Christmas party shower for Tamassee. A rummage sale financed their projects—20 Girl Scout memberships at the State Orphans Home, gifts to the U. S. O. and the Red Cross, sheets for Tamassee, and a donation for the Fund to display the gown of the President General from Kansas. They are working with other civic clubs to sponsor a nursery school for underprivileged children.

The percent of members in our chapters under the ages of 20 or even 35 is too small. There is much work to be done. Can we interest more of this age group to do it this next year?

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## MOTION PICTURES

(Mrs. Clarence) PEARL WILKE

October 10th cards were sent to all Chapter Committee Chairmen calling attention to the Program of the National Committee as set forth in the brochure.

February 15th a questionnaire was sent to the same asking them to be returned. Of the 55 sent, only 30 were returned. On these is my report made.

Much work was done for defense:

9 Chapters reported assisting the Red Cross.

4 Chapters reported sending magazines.

2 Chapters reported purchase of Defense Bonds.

5 Chapters reported talks on Defense.

1 Chapter reported showing of a Red Cross Picture.

One Regent served as Chairman of the Victory Bond Drive.

1 bought Defense Bonds.

6 Chapters reported they used the Motion Picture Section in the Historical Magazine of the D. A. R. 2 said they used it some.

9 Chapters reported that Double Features are shown in their city.

6 Chapters reported Single Features were shown in their city.

7 Chapters reported both Single and Double Features were shown in their city.

9 Chapters said that they had Saturday shows for their children.

7 Chapters said that they had shows occasionally.

No. Chapters said that they did not have any.

One Chapter purchased the trailer "U. S. Marches On" and gave it to the Theatre for use on Patriotic Days.

Two Chapters sponsored Patriotic Pictures.

One Chairman serves as Secretary of the local Board of Reviews.

Two Chapters gave parties for Boys before they left for Camp.

I want to take this time to thank all the Chapter Chairmen for their cooperation in helping carry out this program of the D. A. R.

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## NATIONAL DEFENSE THROUGH PATRIOTIC EDUCATION

(Miss) ESTHER CHRISTMORE

All but one of the fifty-five chapters have Chapter Chairman of National Defense. Fifty-one Chairmen sent reports to the State Chairman.

The National Quota of ten cents a member has been paid.

Forty Chairmen report using the National Defense News in chapter work. Sixteen have reported on National Defense News at each meeting.

Chapter Chairmen report eighty-nine paid subscriptions to National Defense News; the Eunice Sterling Chapter (Wichita) twenty; the Susannah French Putney (El Dorado) sixteen; the Molly Foster Berry (Fort Scott); Dodge City and Abilene Chapters ten each.

Twenty-nine Chairmen report that the National Society's Resolutions on National Defense were presented to their chapters.

Twenty-five chapters have had one or more programs on National Defense, making a total of fifty programs. Eight chapters provided from one to three speakers on National Defense to other organizations for public school assemblies, civic clubs, and radio broadcasts. Ten chapters have cooperated in Citizenship Day Programs and observed from one to four patriotic holidays such as Armistice Day, George Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, Flag Day, with speakers, playlets, music. Six chapters have had an exhibit of National Defense literature at chapter meetings, public schools, public libraries, and stores. Fifteen chapters distributed National Defense literature in the public schools, public libraries, school libraries, chapter meetings, study clubs, and Recreation Camps. Nine chapters have sponsored Patriotic Films. Those mentioned were "The Land of Liberty," "Howards of Virginia," and "Pledge of Allegiance." Four Chairmen report from one to four radio talks on National Defense.

Three chapters conducted the Good Citizenship Contest in Junior High School; sixteen, in Senior High School; and twenty-three conducted the Good Citizenship Pilgrimage Contest. Fifty-one medals were presented for these and other contests.

Six chapters report work in Recreation Camps. Wichita Chapter (Wichita) gave \$12.50 for one boy's expenses at Boys' State. Others

have sent magazines and books to Forts and Camps, have acted as hostesses and chaperones, have kept cookie jars filled, have had Sunday dinners, teas and entertainment for the soldiers.

Twenty-five chapters report a large per cent of their membership attending First Aid, Nutrition, and Home Nursing Classes. Others are sponsoring Home Defense Programs, serving on Defense Savings Committees, helping with Civilian Defense Registration, buying and selling Defense Bonds and Stamps.

Many of the chapters have bought Defense Bonds. The Eunice Sterling Chapter (Wichita) purchased a \$500.00 bond; Mrs. Frank Kruske, the chairman of this same chapter, sold over \$2,000.00 in bonds to interested friends and chapter members, and has sold Defense Stamps at all chapter meetings. Lois Warner (Junction City) purchased six \$100.00 bonds. Abilene Chapter (Abilene) purchased two bonds. Betty Washington (Lawrence) and Henry Dawson (McPherson) purchased one bond each.

Twenty-eight chapters report that 25% to 100% of their membership signed the Home Defense Cards. Nine chapters report 100%.

Almost every chapter is actively engaged in some phase of Red Cross work, has helped with the U. S. O. Drive, the Victory Book Drive, and the Aluminum Drive. The Abilene Chapter sent away 650 pounds of aluminum after it was cleaned and ready. Many members are saving tin foil, silk stockings, and cancelled stamps. The Chapter Chairman, Miss Kate Miles of the Mary Wade Strother Chapter, Salina, participated in the Ambulance Drive netting \$100.00. She also helped raise for the British Relief Fund \$150.70. The Abilene Chapter has been active in Red Cross. Six members hold offices or head committees. Numbers of hours spent in sewing and knitting, 3,458; amount given to Red Cross in Roll Call, \$149.00. This same Chapter sponsored three assembly programs for the Junior High School. The Dodge City Chapter (Dodge City) distributed 496 pieces of literature to her public schools.

The State Chairman has been selling Defense Stamps in school each week, is on the Defense Savings Committee for Abilene, Kansas, has encouraged the buying of Defense Stamps and Bonds at each chapter meeting, has directed two patriotic plays which were repeated for school and civic clubs.

It has been a great privilege to serve you the past year as State Chairman of National Defense Through Patriotic Education. I am deeply grateful to the Chapter Chairmen for their efforts and co-operation in making this report possible. Ours is an educational program. May we become more National Defense minded.

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## NATIONAL HISTORICAL MAGAZINE

(Miss) MARION SEELYE

Your State Chairman of the National Historical Magazine is pleased to bring you the following report:

Early last fall, the Chairman sent to each Chapter Chairman, or to the Chapter Regent where none had been appointed, a letter outlining objectives for the year and requesting that the subscription list, with dates of expiration, be sent to her, and that all new subscriptions and renewals go to her for forwarding to the Magazine office. This letter was followed later by a card listing the subscriptions in that Chapter, as found in the State Chairman's file and asking that the Chapter Chairman check back for correctness. Reports were received from only 41 Chairmen and Regents.

Forty-three Chairmen had been appointed for the year in the 55 Kansas Chapters.



Your Chairman is happy to report 249 subscriptions in the State, a gain of 19 since the report of last year and the largest number on record from available files. Peleg Gorton again wins first honors for having the largest number of subscriptions, 15, but Fort Supply Trail deserves special honorable mention, with 9 subscriptions for a membership of only 32.

Interest in the Magazine is evidenced through its greatly increased use the past year. Susannah French Putney Chapter stands at the head of this list, with articles having been re-written and combined for six local newspaper stories, and programs based upon the Magazine, reviews and 2-minute sales talks also being given. Many Chapters used the Magazine as a basis for programs, outstanding among these having been a paper on "Old China and Glassware" presented at a meeting of Gen. Edward Hand Chapter. Group subscriptions have been popular and the issues passed around at the meetings, in many cases being then given to City and High School Libraries. High School and College students find the material valuable in preparing their studies.

The number of subscriptions by Chapters is: Peleg Gorton 15; Susannah French Putney 13; Eunice Sterling 12; Topcka 10; Abilene, Atchison, Fort Supply Trail 9; Betty Bonney, Gen. Edward Hand, Newton, 8; James Ross 7; Arthur Barrett, Emporia, Kanza, Mary Wade Strother, Ninnescah, Oceanus Hopkins, Uvedale, Wellington, 6; Byrd Prewitt 5; Betty Washington, Capt. Jesse Leavenworth, Dodge City, Lucretia Griswold Latimer, Lois Warner, Phebe Dustin, Polly Ogden, 4; Concordia, Desire Tobey Sears, Frederick Funston, Henry Dawson, Jane Dean Coffey, Neodesha, Olathe, Samuel Linscott, Smoky Hill, Sterling, Wichita, 3; Council Oak, Ft. Larned, Hannah Jameson, Isabella Weldin, Martha Loving Ferrell, Molly Foster Berry, Randolph Loving, 2; Baxter Springs, Dana, Esther Lowrey, Jonathan Gilbert, Martha Vail, Nathan Edson, Rhoda Carver Barton, Sarah Steward, William Creekmore, 1.

Your State Chairman wishes to express her sincere appreciation for the fine cooperation given her by Regents and Chapter Chairmen. This gain in subscriptions would not have been possible without their splendid effort.

In view of the many demands which the times make necessary, she cannot urge a much greater increase in subscriptions, but she does hope that the Magazine may enjoy a still wider usage by members, since it richly deserves their support, as a splendid organization publication. This is the best means through which they may keep in close touch with the National Society.

## RADIO

(Miss) ADELAIDE MORSE

As Chairman of Radio, I beg to submit the following report for the year:

Your Chairman wrote to fourteen Kansas Stations asking for time for talks on D. A. R. work this year. Ten responded, graciously offering to cooperate and give us fifteen minute broadcasts. As you know, much of the success in this work depends upon the generosity of the broadcasting stations. We have had fifteen excellent programs and over nine Kansas Stations. An Oklahoma station, KVOO, on November 7, included the D. A. R. in a patriotic program for the Federated Clubs and the Kansas D. A. R. part in the program was sponsored by the Jane Dean Coffey Chapter of Coffeyville.

I report the following broadcasts:

June 14, 1941—A program over KGGF, Coffeyville, announced by Mrs. T. J. Gilstrap; a vocal solo by Mr. Caldwell Johnson, a talk by

Mrs. R. W. Diver, Regent, on the topic, "We do our bit," which included excerpts from the President General and the reading of the Resolutions adopted by Continental Congress.

September 17—Jane Dean Coffey Chapter sponsored a Constitution Day program over KGGF, which comprised a solo by Mr. L. L. Eno and a talk on "The Constitution" by Mrs. Gilstrap.

September 17—Gov. Payne Ratner spoke over WIBW. He was introduced by Miss Mary Clark, Regent of Topeka Chapter.

September 17—Mrs. Robert L. Jones, Regent of Emporia Chapter, read a paper on "The Constitution" over KTSW, at Emporia.

October 13—Mrs. O. P. Dellinger of Pittsburg was the speaker over KOAM, Pittsburg, on the subject "Cato, the oldest town in Crawford County."

November 11—Mrs. Sam Heller of Abilene gave a talk over KSAL at Salina which was sponsored by the Abilene Chapter.

November 11—Mrs. Robert W. Diver spoke over KGGF on the topic "D. A. R. Educates for Good Citizenship."

November 11—Mr. Willard Claseo of Wichita was the speaker over KANS in Wichita on the topic "Americanism." This broadcast was sponsored by the Randolph Loving Chapter.

November 12—James Ross Chapter sponsored a program over KCKN in Kansas City, Kansas. Supt. F. L. Schlagle spoke on "Our National Defense."

January 31, 1942—Mrs. G. W. Griffis of El Dorado read a paper on the topic, "Braille, the Contribution to Americanism" over KFH in Wichita and sponsored by the Susannah French Putney Chapter.

January 31—Mrs. W. R. Smith of Topeka was the speaker on the Station WIBW and the Topeka Chapter was the sponsor.

February 7 Mrs. Sam Heller talked on a phase of National Defense on KSAL, Salina, sponsored by the Abilene Chapter.

February 9—Mrs. B. F. Payne of Lawrence was sponsored by the Betty Washington Chapter in her broadcast over WREN in her talk on "Idle Money" and D. A. R. Americanism.

February 22—Mrs. T. J. Gilstrap gave a talk over KGGF on the subject "Washington, the Christian Citizen."

Notices have been sent in advance to all Chapters except in a few instances when time had been changed or too short time given in advance. Several Chapters have written me of receiving the notices and some Chapters have publicized the broadcasts in their newspapers as well as in their Chapters.

I hope the work this year has stimulated interest in D. A. R. and radio D. A. R. work. Doubtless, radio time will be harder to secure next year due to war news. I wish to thank the Radio Chairmen and Regents who have cooperated with me. I do appreciate it. To make the necessary arrangements for each broadcast with the Chapter the Speaker and the Radio Station and to notify the Chapters later, has required much correspondence. For myself and for the Kansas D. A. R., I wish to thank those who have given their time and talent to prepare and give these radio talks.

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## REAL DAUGHTERS

(Mrs. Jack) BIRDENE M. LANE

It is with pleasure that I submit the following report:

Arthur Barrett—6 cards, gifts, money and day of remembrance tea.  
Atchison—10 Christmas cards and Birthday greetings.

Betty Bonney—Birthday, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Valentine and Gifts to each.  
 Betty Washington—Birthday, Thanksgiving, Christmas greetings sent to each; picture of Mrs. Randall shown on screen.  
 Captain Jesse Leavenworth—22 Birthday cards, valentines and gifts.  
 Council Oak—Christmas and Birthday cards to each.  
 Emporia—Birthday and Christmas cards to each.  
 Frederick Funston—Seasons greetings to both.  
 Hannah Jameson—Birthday greetings to each.  
 James Ross—Birthday cards to each.  
 Jane Dean Coffey—Sent greetings to Mrs. Randall.  
 Lucretia Griswold Latimer—15 cards and letters.  
 Molly Foster Berry—Birthday greetings and gifts to both.  
 Neodesha—Birthday greetings to Mrs. Randall.  
 Newton—Birthday greetings to both.  
 Oceanus Hopkins—Christmas, Birthday and Easter cards to both.  
 Peleg Gorton—22 Greetings and \$1.00 for day of remembrance.  
 Phebe Dustin—Letters to both.  
 Rhoda Carver Barton—Birthday greetings to both.  
 Sterling—Birthday greetings to Mrs. Randall.  
 Susannah French Putney—2 packages and 10 cards sent. Special newspaper publicity with D. A. R. Insignia used.  
 Topeka—Birthday greeting to Mrs. Randall.  
 Uvedale—Birthday greetings to both.  
 Wellington—Birthday and Christmas greetings by Chapter and by members.

A noticeable increase in general has been shown over last year as given in these reports sent to me.

#### SHAWNEE MISSION

(Mrs. G. D.) HELEN A. WEILEPP

The Kansas Daughters of the American Revolution held its annual pilgrimage to Old Shawnee Mission on Saturday, September 20, 1941. The James Ross Chapter, Kansas City, Kansas, with Mrs. L. B. Naylor as general chairman, acted as hostess chapter to the other Kansas Chapters. There were 125 persons attending. The State Board held a meeting in the morning. Mrs. A. J. Berger, State Regent, presided at this meeting and the following State Officers were present: Mrs. A. J. Berger, Regent; Mrs. R. V. Shrewder, Vice Regent; Mrs. W. H. McCamish, Chaplain; Mrs. H. M. Stricklen, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. O. P. Dellinger, Historian; and Mrs. John E. Morgan, Librarian. Following the Board Meeting, the members ate luncheon under the trees of the Mission and the program of the afternoon was a very interesting talk, "The Schools' Part in National Defense," by F. L. Schlagle, Superintendent of Schools in Kansas City, Kansas.

At this time a framed picture of Rev. Jerome C. Berryman, for many years Superintendent of Shawnee Mission, was presented to the Kansas State Historical Society by the Kansas Daughters. The picture, a gift of Mrs. R. V. Shrewder, State Vice Regent and a great granddaughter of Rev. Berryman, will be hung in the North Building of the Mission now in process of restoration. Other gifts to the Mission this year include three beautiful engravings given by Betty Washington Chapter and a Golden Jubilee Plate, souvenir of the 50th anniversary celebration of the National Society, Daughters

of the American Revolution. The plate was the gift of the Kansas State Board. Susannah French Putney Chapter reports a gift 125 years old to the Mission by its Regent. The gift comprises two walnut frames with boxed-in backs in which are stuffed animals and birds of Kansas. We are also happy to report the loan to the Mission, by Miss Harriet Stanley, of the official D. A. R. pins and ribbons belonging to her mother, the late Mrs. W. E. Stanley, beloved past Kansas State Regent and past Vice President General. The pins and ribbons will be placed at the Mission later and will remain there unless desired by members of Mrs. Stanley's family at some future time by special request. For all these priceless gifts to the Mission the Kansas Daughters are most grateful.

We wish to thank all the chapters for year books sent and also for the programs on Shawnee Mission that have been given this year. We greatly appreciate the assistance and help for the past two years of all Chapter Shawnee Mission Chairmen. It has been a real pleasure to serve as your State Chairman.

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## Report of National Chairman and Vice Chairmen

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### AMERICAN INDIANS

(Mrs. Loren E.) LEDA F. REX, Chairman

As National Chairman of the American Indians Committee, the State Recording Secretary has asked that this report reach her on or before March 6th: since this date comes before the time limit has closed for the reports of Vice and State Chairmen to reach me, of necessity this report is only a partial one.

First, may I extend greetings to the State Regent, hostess chapter and members of the 44th State Conference. I regret that because of the war situation I shall not be present in person but I assure you that my best wishes are with you.

So far as I know the Oregon State Society last Fall made the first contribution to the Indians Committee; \$50.00 was given for adult education to be used for Indian women living in Oregon. Chapters in Wichita gave money for Indian boys attending Wichita University. New York State has a four year scholarship for the use of a girl at Cornell University. There is some interest money from the former American Indian Institute, Minor Scholarship fund.

West Virginia gave the first \$100.00 to the Living Indians Room, which room is located in the basement of Memorial Hall; and the State Chairman of the same State was the first State Chairman to contribute to this fund. Many articles of Indian crafts have been sold, perhaps \$300.00 to \$500.00 worth, no definite figures are available at this time. Here the need is for a greater market, better instruction and more materials. Beads are in demand. If members have beads to donate, kindly send to (Vice Chairman) Mrs. Hester Wishaar, c/o Indian Agency, Leupp, Arizona. When making gifts and when using place cards and favors if our members would buy from the Indians Committee, the assistance would be appreciated. D. A. R. Magazine, Nov., 1941, pages 40-41, tells the addresses of chairmen and designates their specific line of work.

The Indians in marked degree have gone to the defense of our country and the large way in which they are buying bonds and the manner in which they have placed their funds at the disposal of the

President of the United States is a challenge to ANY American. The Indian girls are going into the service as nurses and to provide training for these girls is one of our greatest opportunities. The Society wanted to send New Testaments to the Indian men in service but to deliver them was next to impossible and we were informed that the Government presents such books to all men in service if the gifts are desired. Members are urged whenever possible to make personal contacts and to give cheer to these men.

The Living Indians Room at National Headquarters is being provided as a place to present and display the work and art of the American Indians of today, and it should receive funds from the members to make it worthy of its position. At present it has been cleaned and whitewashed and is to be humbly presented and started on its mission of good will. Suggestions are welcomed; plans are to be made which, it is hoped, may work out into something very useful for our living and future Indians. In token of the opening of this room, enclosed is an original etching by Woodrow Crumbo who is a former American Indian Institute youth. The ceremony of dedication of the Indian room is to be held in the National Officers Club room at eleven o'clock, April 20th, 1942.

So often the question is asked, what are GOOD investments? The reply to this question from the Chairman of the American Indians Committee, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, is: to cooperate with and to educate our FIRST AMERICANS first, and "Other things will be added unto you." Washington, D. C., March 1st, 1942.

### AMERICAN RED CROSS

(Mrs. Ralph B.) FRANCES D. EARP, Vice Chairman,

Western Division

Colorado, Mrs. George Bradfield, Chairman:

Colorado Daughters have done an outstanding piece of work for the Red Cross. One chapter spent 3,100 hours knitting for the Belgians. Another chapter sent these articles to British people: 2,000 garments; 1,900 pounds of soap; 159 pounds of rope; one Transfusion Apparatus. Another chapter sent to British people, 265 pairs of hose and 20 dozen buttons. One member who is greatly handicapped with Arthritis completed 25 baby bonnets, 12 blankets, 12 diapers, 2 night dresses, 12 jackets, 2 dresses, and knitted 100 mittens. One worker is over 90 years old. One chapter took scraps of wool and made into attractive mittens of many designs and color. This work received recognition from the St. Louis office. State is 100% in supporting Red Cross and Defense program. Members are doing a fine piece of work with Junior Red Cross through the schools. 36 chapters reported 55,717 hours spent in the work; made 3,377 garments; knitting 597; cutting 1,809; 3 afghans; 1 shawl. Money contributed, \$663.50, and purchased some Bonds.

Kansas, Mrs. Ralph B. Earp, Chairman:

We have 55 chapters and 48 reported. Members are serving in many ways: Red Cross Nurse, First Aid Instructor, two Executive Secretaries. One is Regional Director of the American Women's Volunteer Service of the Seventh Army Corps Area. Many are giving full time to cutting, sewing and other projects. One member has given 1,000 hours to sewing, making 348 articles. One member gives much time to transcribing Braille. She gave a broadcast, subject "Braille's Contribution to Americanism." This article was sent to Lending Department, also to National Magazine. She has spent 500 hours in the sewing room. One

chapter acts as hostess to the boys in Camp Funston. One member is Secretary of Kansas Hospital Association and has charge of Hospital Defense work. Another has knitted 43 sweaters. Another (new chapter) has interested 14 clubs in doing Red Cross work; she sent a paper to the Lending Department. Two chapters have Gray Lady's Corps. Each chapter cooperates with the program of Red Cross classes. We have contributed 34,415 hours and made 23,961 garments. Gave \$1,116.00 to Red Cross; Emergency Fund \$17.50; British Relief \$41.00; Clara Barton Ambulance \$3.00. Two chapters bought Defense Bonds. 75% of membership are members of Red Cross.

Nebraska, Mrs. S. C. Johnson, Chairman:

Nebraska Daughters have been busy with the many activities of our Red Cross program, serving in many ways a total of 47,929 hours; sewing and knitting a total of 1,598 garments. They gave 133 Books to the book drive and many magazine subscriptions. Candy, cigarettes and playing cards were given to the boys on the troop trains. One chapter is acting as hostess to the boys in an Army Post. First Aid and Home Nursing classes are being attended. One Gray Lady Corps in the State. They are cooperating in every project of the Red Cross and Defense program; 90% of the membership are members of Red Cross. 36 chapters reported gifts of money as follows: U. S. O.—\$82.50; Red Cross \$1,315.25; British Relief—\$10.00; War Drive—\$250.00, a total of \$1,658.25.

North Dakota—We regret we do not have a report from North Dakota.

South Dakota, Mrs. T. S. Norton, Chairman:

Six chapters reported 238 articles made and 6,515 hours spent; of this two members of the Mary Chilton Chapter spent 2,400 hours in the workroom. Members are enrolled in Braille, Nutrition, First Aid and Home Nursing classes. Cookies were sent to the boys in camp. \$115.00 was given to War Relief Drives. All members are anxious to do their part in the Red Cross program.

Late report—2,000 hours, 65 garments, \$3.00 to surgical dressings.

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#### D. A. R. MUSEUM

(Mrs. Garland P.) HELEN B. FERRELL, Vice Chairman,

##### Western Division

In order to promote interest and activity in the D. A. R. Museum Committee, Mrs. C. Edward Murray, Curator General, has been desirous that chapters should hold exhibits or assist local museums in holding exhibits of things historical. She requested each State Chairman to report to the Vice Chairman of her Division, what had been done in her State. There are five states in the Western Division.

1. Colorado. Mrs. Carley W. Halsey, Chairman, reports: two cash gifts, two chapters had D. A. R. Museum programs, one chapter had a display of historical objects at the State Conference, and three chapters sponsored a series of lectures on "Colonial, American of the Federal Period and Victorian Furniture."
2. Kansas. Mrs. Garland P. Ferrell, Chairman. Kansas report in detail already has been given. Two cash gifts and five articles sent to the D. A. R. Museum. Members of Eunice Sterling Chapter have given articles to the Pioneer Museum at Wichita and have assisted in exhibitions held there. Many are members of this organization. The State Chairman spoke at a joint meeting of four chapters.

3. Nebraska. Mrs. Ralph Graham, Chairman. No gifts to the Museum, but chapters have had talks on the D. A. R. Museum and have contributed to local museums.
4. North Dakota. Mrs. Harley E. French, Chairman. Nothing to report.
5. South Dakota. Mrs. John W. Raish, Chairman. One museum case pending and one piece of home spun, made of flax, given to the D. A. R. Museum Textile Study Room.

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#### REPORT OF SENIOR STATE PRESIDENT,

#### KANSAS SOCIETY C. A. R.

(Miss) MARIE SELLARS

It is a pleasure and a privilege to bring to you this brief, though very incomplete, report of the children's work and activities. Our membership has increased this year, and we have transferred three girls to the D. A. R. chapters of the state, and one boy to the S. A. R. Honorable mention goes to "Kickapoo Corral Society" of Winfield for the greatest increase in membership. At least three of our C. A. R. members have won distinction for themselves and for the Kansas C. A. R.: Jean Peck of Arkansas City, Past Junior State President, was elected Junior National Historian at the National Convention last spring; Marilyn Greenbank of El Dorado was appointed Junior National Chairman of the C. A. R. Magazine Unit 2; and Leeta Nelle Marks, member of the "Eleanor White Dare Society" of Atchison, was one of fifty-four—and the only Kansan—receiving cash awards in the American Youth Forum contest sponsored annually by the "American Magazine."

In addition to the annual donations to the C. A. R. Scholarships maintained by the National Society at Tamassee, three of the Kansas Societies and several of the C. A. R. Grandmothers' Committee contributed to the Kansas Corridor at Tamassee in honor of Mrs. Berger who is a State Promoter of C. A. R., as well as State Regent of D. A. R. Most of the societies have contributed to the Red Cross, and members of the C. A. R. are participating in the national defense and war effort, even though the children have neither the time nor opportunity to be as active as adults. At the 1942 State Conference a prize will be presented to the Society purchasing the largest amount of bonds and stamps, and another to the Society with the greatest number of members participating. A preliminary report at our Conference in October showed eight \$25.00 bonds and over \$30.00 in stamps already purchased. Other war activity, adaptable to the children's abilities, is being planned, so that through their membership in the patriotic society of C. A. R., the children may have the opportunity to help in this crisis just as their ancestors and the children of 1776 helped in the time of the Revolution.

I appreciate the many courtesies which have been extended to me during my term as State President of the children's society, and I wish to thank all of you for your cooperation and interest in C. A. R.

## Report of Chapter Regents

### ABILENE CHAPTER

(Miss) ESTHER CHRISTMORE, Regent

65 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Had patriotic music at three meetings. Had 30 talks and 2 broadcasts on Americanism by Chairman, who also serves on Planning Board Committee (National Defense). 21 persons were granted right for Citizenship; 18 received Naturalization Certificates; 3 cases were continued. Gave \$30.00 to Tamassee and \$5.00 to Kate Duncan Smith Schools; also box of cards to Tamassee Christmas. Aided Junior American Citizen Clubs, Girl Scouts, Girl Home Makers, Red Cross, Junior Red Cross and Boy Scouts. Gave several talks on Citizenship in Junior High School. 753 trees, 51 shrubs, 1,560 bulbs and 250 perennials were planted. \$149.00 was given to Red Cross in Roll Call; also contributed 3,458 hours sewing and knitting. 100% are members and six Chapter members hold offices or head committees in Red Cross. Observed Armistice Day, Memorial Day, George Washington's Birthday, Flag Day, Founders' Day; and the 25th Anniversary of Chapter with luncheon and program. Distributed 40 Flag Codes. Had article on Flag etiquette printed in local paper; nearly 100% of members own Flags; Pledge given correctly at all meetings; 8 pupils wrote essays on "Correct Use of the Flag," three sent to State Chairman. Chairman made several corrections of breaches of Flag etiquette. Sponsored G. C. Pilgrim in Senior High School. Entertained girl at March meeting and presented her with a pin. Contributed \$1.00 to State Library. D. A. R. Magazines for '38, '39, '40 and '41 given Chapter by Solomon Library were placed in Abilene Public Library. One Memorial Book given City Library. Have 9 subscriptions to Magazine. Had 2 talks on Magazine at Chapter meetings. Gave to Ellis Island: Articles \$5.41; money \$5.00; total \$10.41. Had talk by Chairman. Have Committee working on cemetery records. Three Girl Home Makers Awards given: Freshman—1; Advanced Foods—1; Advanced Sewing—1; awards paid for by Chairman. Cooperate with Dickinson County Historical Society. Regent took part in dedicating Chisholm Marker at Sand Springs in November. Two patriotic plays directed by a member and two presentations of each given for school, Chapter and Republican Women's Club. 38 Junior American Citizens Clubs in Dickinson County; 22 in Abilene, 16 in Rural Schools; total of over 700 members. J. A. C. in Abilene Schools are members of American Red Cross, many buying Defense Stamps each week in school. Lida Romig Club presented patriotic program to Chapter in March. Have 10 subscriptions to National Defense News; had one program on National Defense; Resolutions were read at first meeting; National Defense News reported at each meeting. News (N. D.) and other material placed in Public Library and Junior and Senior High School Libraries. Had exhibit of National Defense Material at March meeting. Subscribed to National Defense News for Public Library, Junior and Senior High School Libraries. Magazines were sent to Camp at Fort Riley; two Radio talks were given on National Defense by member. One medal presented to G. C. Pilgrim. Had 459½ inches of publicity. Two Radio Broadcasts were given by a member. Notices of Broadcasts were placed in local papers. Contributed \$5.00 to Student Loan. Four members attended Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage Sept. 20. Honor of having one National Officer and two



State Chairmen. Placed Pennsylvania Dutch Splatter Sugar Bowl in D. A. R. Museum in Washington in honor of Miss Marion Seelye, Past State Regent and Vice President General. Gave \$1.00 to Bronze Santa Fe Trail Marker, \$5.00 to Red Cross; \$2.00—Good Fellowship Basket; \$5.00 to Endowment Fund, and purchased one \$50.00 and one \$100.00 Defense Savings Bonds.

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#### ARTHUR BARRETT CHAPTER

(Mrs. C. M.) ETTA BELKNAP, Regent

19 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Use suggested topics. All members purchased D. A. R. Manuals for Citizenship. Sent a large box of new materials for the sewing classes and used clothing to be worked over to Crossnore. Contributed \$1.00 to Tamassee. Planted 100 bulbs and 100 trees. Gave a Flag program. All members bought Flag Manuals. Have 4 subscriptions to the Magazine. Checked cemetery markers at Waterville. Chapter outfitted a High School Senior Girl for her closing school activities. Reports of all meetings and other items of interest have been sent to State Chairman of Press Relations. Are keeping up Chapter Scrap Book. Besides contributions requested by the different chairmen, we remembered our Real Daughters with birthday cards and gifts. \$45.00 was given to the Red Cross by members and 575 hours knitting and sewing. 50 cents was given for British Save the Children Fund. All are members of the Red Cross. Sent nice box of cookies to Fort Riley.

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#### ATCHISON CHAPTER

(Mrs. J. A.) CATHARINE LOUISE B. FULTON, Regent

65 Members

Sang National Anthem at one meeting. Had a paper on Music at one meeting and featured Patriotic Music at all meetings. Contributed \$2.50 to Tamassee; \$2.50 to National Endowment Fund. Junior D. A. R.'s gave \$6.00 to Tamassee. Chapter members planted trees, shrubs and bulbs; canned fruit and vegetables. Have a Flag lesson at every meeting. Observed Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, Flag Day and Constitution Day. Gave prizes in Sixth Grade Essay Project. Sponsored a Pilgrim. Purchased one book for D. A. R. Library and donated three to it. Have 6 subscriptions to Magazine. Sent box valued at \$10.65 to Ellis Island. Cemetery Records made. Own all Lineage Books except two; also Indexes. Presented awards of merit to ten Girl Home Makers from various Atchison County Schools. Gave \$10.00 for Girl Scout Membership (Junior D. A. R.). Are engaged in making money to help support a Nursery School for Underprivileged Children. Junior D. A. R. sold tickets for a picture show, making about \$75.00. Had a paper on National Defense at one meeting. Our Press Chairman reports all meetings and various other D. A. R. items. Listened to D. A. R. Programs over Radio. Seven members attended Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage in September. Junior D. A. R. gave \$10.00 to U. S. O., \$3.00 for Army magazine subscriptions and \$5.00 to the Red Cross. Chapter gave \$10.00 to the Red Cross and sent at least 200 magazines to the Veterans Administration Library at Wadsworth, Kansas. Individuals worked for Community Chest and spent 3,400 hours

knitting, sewing, etc., in Red Cross. Fifty are Red Cross members and two are Board Members. Four Junior D. A. R.'s attended First Aid Classes, spending 80 hours. Chapter contributed \$5.00 for display of President General's dress. We also dedicated two D. A. R. Markers on two members' graves.

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### BAXTER SPRINGS CHAPTER

(Mrs. J. D.) HELEN R. CONRAD, Regent

13 Members

Do not sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Contributed \$2.50 to Tamassee. Sent a bundle of cancelled stamps for British. Entered a Baxter Senior in G. C. P. Contest. Have one subscription to the Magazine. Borrowed one paper from Filing and Lending Bureau. Will send in some Genealogical Records. Will give four awards to Girl Home Makers in cooking and sewing. Have reported Publicity. Gave \$2.50 to Student Loan Fund.

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### BETTY BONNEY CHAPTER

(Mrs. S. E.) NINA B. GEORGE, Regent

84 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. American Music used on all programs. Several teachers of Chapter teaching National Anthem, Pledge and Creed in their conferences. Cooperated with other patriotic organizations in celebrating Armistice Day. Sent note of congratulation and appreciation to Mother of Second Lieutenant Louis M. Abernathy, an Arkansas City boy, for the honor bestowed on him by the U. S. Government for the sinking of an enemy U-Boat off the Jersey Coast. Gave \$10.00 Scholarship to Tamassee; \$5.00 to Kate Duncan Smith; \$50.00 pledge honoring our State Regent, Mrs. Berger, to Tamassee Hall; \$12.00 individual pledges to Tamassee Hall; \$3.00 for uniforms for Tamassee students and \$1.00 to Salvation Army. Planted 750 bulbs; 10 trees; 10 shrubs. Sent in 4½ pounds cancelled stamps. Adopted a needy family of eight at Christmas time. Gave \$2.00 to San Ramon Memorial; \$5.00 to British Children. To Red Cross: Gave \$9.00; contributed 289 hours time. Two members serve on Board. 85% have annual memberships. 43 garments turned in. 6 members assisted on drive. Instructions in daily papers on how to display Flag correctly. Chapter loaned Flag for Spring Festival and for Armistice Day. Regent served on Mayor's Flag Committee. Observed Flag Day, Memorial Day, Kansas Day, Washington's Birthday and Armistice Day. Five Eighth Grade pupils entered Flag Essay Contest, one of whom won second place and was our guest on Guest Day in February. Sponsored G. C. P. and State Regent presented pin on Guest Day. Also entertained former Pilgrims at this meeting. Have 3 new subscriptions to Magazine. A review of the Magazine is given at each meeting. Gave \$2.00 for binding State Records. Sent in 51 pages of Bible Records, obituaries and news containing family data, and 9 pages of indexing to same, all typed and bound. Had one dress entered in Girl Home Makers Contest. Contributed \$2.00 to Pawnee Rock Marker. Purchased 3 Grave Markers. Placed Grave Marker on grave of deceased member buried in Arlington National Cemetery, Mrs. Pearl Newman Hase. Had two programs on National Defense. 75% Membership Roll Call Cards turned in. Bought \$100.00 Defense

Bond, series G. Several members (teachers) assisting in sale of Defense Stamps in City Schools; also have boxes in their school rooms for papers for Defense. Have sent in about 50 clippings from local papers. Notices of radio broadcasts published in City newspapers. Gave \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund; \$1.00 for flowers for Memorial Day; \$35.00 for expense of delegates to State Conference. Christmas and Birthday Cards sent Real Daughters. Entertained C. A. R. members and heads of patriotic organizations on Guest Day. Regent represented Chapter at Gold Star Mothers' Banquet on Mothers' Day. Mrs. Berger donated German Prayer Book, hand decorated and hand printed to National D. A. R. Museum. Regent represented Chapter at big Red Cross Rally to raise funds for the Emergency Drive.

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### BETTY WASHINGTON CHAPTER

(Mrs. W. C.) BELLE C. SUMMERS, Regent

101 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. All special music at meetings written by American composers. Incident of writing or composer's life usually given. New classes of naturalized citizens were addressed by some Chapter member and presented with an American Flag. Each new member of Chapter was also given a Flag. \$25.00 given to Tamassee School. Two members gave \$5.00 each to Approved Schools; one to Tamassee; one to Crossnore. Planted 230 trees, 100 of which were fruit trees; 1,500 bulbs; 75 rose bushes and 80 perennials. Saving cancelled stamps. Observed Flag Day and Memorial Day. Attended Memorial Services on Memorial Sunday. Gave George Washington Tea at February meeting. Chairman gave instructions on correct use of the Flag. One girl chosen in G. C. P. preliminary test and will be presented with medal. Librarian sent magazines to hospitals and soldiers' camps. Have 5 subscriptions to Magazine serving ten members. 100 back numbers given to K. U., to complete files. Chairman gave talk on Ellis Island. Original Flag Day Poem and a paper on "The Flag" sent to Filing and Lending Bureau. \$12.50 allowed for typing tombstone inscriptions, about 150 pages. A bound volume of 113 pages of tombstone inscriptions from 29 rural cemeteries in Douglas County, with alphabetical Index of over 3,200 names, sent to National and State D. A. R. Societies. Data secured from County Historical Society. Chapter Chairman made index. A typed copy was presented to the Historical Society. Had 3 historical programs. Visited Dyche Museum and Lawrence Historical Room in K. U. Library. Cooperate with Douglas County Historical Society whose members are in Chapter. Keep Scrap Book and send clippings to State Historian. Had address on "Our Relations With South America." Took part in Memorial Day Service Display in June; window display—with Historical Society. Invited to Historical Society meetings in November and December. Bought one Defense Bond, Series F. Gave \$1.50 to Bundles for Blue-Jackets. Clippings sent to State Chairman of Press Relations. One Radio Address given by State Chairman of Americanism. Over \$1,500.00 in Chapter Student Loan Fund serving K. U. Fourteen girls now have loans. Two old historical pictures were presented to Shawnee Mission. 18 members attended Annual Pilgrimage and picnic. Over 90% are doing Red Cross work. Contributed \$17.50 to Red Cross. Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts and T. B. Association were given \$5.00 each. Gave \$3.00 for School Children's tickets to Symphony Orchestra at K. U. Had one talk on the Red Cross at a meeting devoted to Red Cross sewing and one talk on Bundles for Britain. Total contributions to various activities—\$85.00.

**BYRD PREWITT CHAPTER**

(Mrs. H. F.) S. LOUISE McCALL, Regent

21 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Contributed \$5.00 to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamasee. Had Washington's Birthday Party. Gave \$1.00 to Ellis Island. Reported all meetings in local newspaper. Gave \$1.00 to Student Loan Fund. All Chapter members are members of the Red Cross. Chapter made contribution and all members are sewing or knitting for Red Cross.

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**CAPTAIN JESSE LEAVENWORTH CHAPTER**

(Miss) EVELYN DUDLEY, Regent

43 Members

Have also two associates. Have National Anthem played at every Chapter meeting and sing "America." Medal awarded in American History -\$6.00 Members attended naturalization exercises in District Court and presented 16 silk Flags and 16 Manuals to new citizens. Also gave 4 Manuals to prospective citizens and loaned 5 Manuals to the Court for use by future applicants. Use Approved School Chart in Chapter meeting. Made special gift (5) for Tamasee to State Regent on her visit to Chapter. Sent annual box of clothing, bedding and curtains (\$15.) to Crossnore. Members have planted and tended gardens. Pledge is given at all meetings. Flag displayed by members on proper holidays. Observed Flag Day, Constitution Day and Washington's Birthday. Program of Flag observance by group of Boy Scouts on Flag Day. Eighth Grade students in State Flag Essay Contest won first and sixth places. Washington's Birthday dance given in City Recreation Center for boys from Fort Leavenworth, Feb. 23. Sponsored girl in G. C. P. and presented her with pin. 80 books given to Merchant Marine; 4 to Public Library; 10 to boys in camp at Fort Leavenworth; 300 magazines to Recreation Center at Fort Leavenworth; 2 volumes to our own D. A. R. Library: Kansas Historical Quarterly; D. A. R. Magazine 1928 (Vol. 62). Have two Magazine subscriptions and furnish one for Public Library. Contributed \$2.00 to Ellis Island and sent a box valued at \$19.00. Had talk on Ellis Island at one meeting. Copying tombstone inscriptions of Round Prairie Cemetery as a beginning of a record to include all cemeteries of Leavenworth County. Members were guests of Colonial Dames at dedication of tablet marking site of first territorial capital of Kansas at Fort Leavenworth. All members have purchased Defense Bonds or Stamps, or both. All have contributed to American Red Cross funds and some have done much Red Cross knitting. All important activities of Chapter are reported in the Leavenworth press. Contributed \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund. Attended Shawnee Mission on Constitution Day. Made gift of \$5.00 to local hospital and donations of money, jars of fruit and jellies to it and to Memorial Home for Women. 22 cards and one gift sent to Real Daughters. Cooperated with Junior Chamber of Commerce in observing Pioneer Week in May, 1941. Address by a member on a trip through the Washington country. Chapter Lesson on Constitution of the United States covering Art. 1, in part, and the Bill of Rights.

**CHRISTIANA MUSSER CHAPTER**

(Miss) ALICE HEDRICH, Regent

15 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Contributed \$2.00 to Crossnore School, \$2.00 to British Children Aid and \$2.00 to Red Cross. Observed Washington's Birthday and Flag Day. Have a subscription to Magazine. Gave \$4.00 to Student Loan Fund.

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**CONCORDIA CHAPTER**

(Mrs. Roy) GERTRUDE BALL, Regent

29 Members

Sing National Anthem occasionally. Had one program on American composers of Music. Gave \$2.50 to Tamassee; \$2.50 to Kate Duncan Smith and \$1.00 to Kansas Hall at Tamassee High School. Chairman leads in giving the Pledge of Allegiance and reports any incorrect use of the Flag. Had fine program on National and State Flags. Usually observe Flag Day with a picnic. Observe Washington's and Lincoln's Birthdays at February meeting. Constitution Day observed. Sponsored girl in G. C. P. She was a guest and took part at a Chapter meeting, and will be presented with a pin. Two renewals to Magazine. Contributed \$1.50 to Ellis Island. Chairman sends out notices of especially good Motion Pictures. Are selling Loyalty Stamps. Notice of Chapter meetings in local papers and notice sent to State Chairman each month. Radio Chairman notifies members when certain programs are to be heard. Red Cross work has been done by all members. Books were given to soldiers, also papers for National Defense.

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**COUNCIL OAK CHAPTER**

(Miss) LOUISE H. BROWN, Regent

19 Members

Sent \$1.00 each to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith Schools; also sent \$2.00 to Tamassee fund honoring State Regent, Mrs. Berger. Gave cash awards to two Becker Girls of High School Senior Class prior to Commencement. Observed Flag Day and Washington's Birthday. Have had several interesting papers and discussions on Flagology. Entered a candidate for the G. C. P. Two members receive the Magazine which is reviewed by a member at each meeting. Gave \$1.00 to Ellis Island. A cash award offered for best cotton dress. Our Home Maker received second honor. Also Certificates of Merit for Cooking and Sewing to girls of High School Economics classes. Had interesting National Defense Programs. Christmas and Birthday Greetings sent to Real Daughters. Aid in entertaining boys going into army service. Regent is a member of local Defense Committee. Gave Flags to Mexican Children in Grade Schools.

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**COURTNEY-SPALDING CHAPTER**

(Mrs. A. C.) MARIE FALEN, Regent

22 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Had Defense Stamp Sale. Did Citizenship instruction. Work on Council of Defense. Had one program on Approved Schools, one on Conserva-

tion and observed February 21 with program. Had Flag Day program at Hays. Three girls selected, Hays, Russell and Wilson, and pins ordered for G. C. P. \$2.00 given to D. A. R. Library. Report on Incomplete Marriage Records of Ellis County, Kansas, sent Chairman of Genealogical Records. Clothing given and loaned to High School Girls. Also historical material loaned to them. Talk given G. R. Girl Scout Work. Made survey of Methodist ministers in town of Russell, 1873-1942. Collected waste paper for Girl Scouts. Gave Red Cross instruction to same. Had program on the Constitution and one on Russia. Cooperated with American Legion in Council of Defense programs. Members work in Red Cross and Red Cross Roll Call. 100% membership in Red Cross. Sewing and Knitting. \$3.00 contributed to Red Cross Chapters in Hays, Wilson and Russell. Send regular reports to two Weekly Newspapers and report of all meetings to Topeka Capital. Gave \$2.00 to Student Loan Fund. Had Guest Day in November, picnic in September. Contributed \$2.00 to Tamassee and \$3.00 to Britain Shelter Home.

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#### DANA CHAPTER

(Mrs. C. R.) MILLIE B. FOSTER, Regent

##### 15 Members

Do not always sing National Anthem at Chapter Meetings. Have Manual for Citizenship and Handbook. \$1.00 given to Tamassee Scholarship and \$1.00 to Kate Duncan Smith School. Made two corrections in use of the Flag. Gave 25 Flag Codes to Rural Teachers. Will bind Magazines for Public Library. Have one subscription to Magazine for Chapter, then it is given to Library. Gave \$2.00 to Girl Scouts. Presented a medal to Junior High on "Why I would be an American," and two to High School; one History, one Civics. Knitted 8 garments, made 20. Ten are members of Red Cross; one on Red Cross Board; one on Defense Council; one U. S. O., and one Roll Call. Gave \$5.00 to Red Cross; \$1.00 to Flag for U. B. Church. Chapter members worked 166 hours sewing for Red Cross and collected cancelled stamps for English Hospital.

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#### DESIRE TOBEY SEARS CHAPTER

(Mrs. N. M.) NITA E. FAIR, Regent

##### 32 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Had American music at all meetings, with High School and Grade School pupils providing some of it. Manuals for Citizenship were given to the teachers in the County. One member, City Clerk, issues birth certificates constantly and is Secretary of County Defense Council. Chairman of Approved Schools gave report at one meeting. \$2.00 was given to Kate Duncan Smith; \$2.00 to Tamassee by Chapter, \$1.00 by a member. Chairman of Conservation gave \$1.00 to Red Cross and did some planting. 20 Flag Codes distributed; 34 essays entered in Contest, and one Flag Day Program presented at school. Girl Scouts studied Flag history and etiquette. Had family picnic on Flag Day. Observed Constitution Day in roll call at meeting. C. C. P. presented to eleven schools in County, one outside, 5 girls answered questionnaires and will be guests of Chapter. Have two subscribers to Magazine. Used material from Filing and Lending Bureau. 5 three-generation charts made; \$1.00 contributed to

Genealogical Records. 4 girls taking part in Girl Home Makers Contest and will be given awards. 2 Red Cross films shown to 448 persons. Patriotic pageant with historical continuity and music prepared. All meetings announced and reported to local paper and clippings sent to State Chairman. Account of Red Cross Benefit sent to Topeka Capital. Chairman gave \$5.00, Chapter \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund. A member is Girl Scout Leader; one on the Council; one is County Red Cross Production Chairman; one City Librarian and carries on Story Hours. Guest Tea replaced by Red Cross Benefit, 100 persons; collection \$46.25. Gave \$1.00 to N. A. R. Shelters.

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### DODGE CITY CHAPTER

(Mrs. J. G.) RUTH JANNEY, Regent

#### 43 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. One program was given on American Music by Chairman. One program was given on Citizenship with the use of the Citizenship Handbook; also a program on Approved Schools. Contributed \$1.00 to Kate Duncan Smith; \$1.00 to Crossnore and \$2.00 to Tamassee Schools. Planted 55 trees; 7 shrubs and 57 perennials. \$5.00 was given to Red Cross by Chapter; \$33.50 by individuals; \$4.00 to T. B., and \$8.00 to U. S. O., total \$50.50. Lesson on Correct Use of the Flag was conducted by Chairman at two meetings. Had a Dodge City girl represent Chapter in G. C. P. who was chosen one of three from the District. Have copies of the Magazine. Chapter Librarian keeps all records. Have four subscriptions to the Magazine. Sent \$1.50 for Ellis Island. Have a number of Genealogical Record Books among our membership. One member is on local Defense Council. Distributed Flag Codes to the schools. Observed Washington's Birthday and Flag Day. Local paper gave excellent reports of each monthly meeting. Frequently have patriotic Radio news reported at meetings. \$2.50 given to Student Loan Fund; \$5.00 to Red Cross. All are members of Red Cross; 14 did sewing; 8 knitting; 6 other Red Cross work, and one member is on the Red Cross Board.

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### EMPORIA CHAPTER

(Mrs. R. L.) EMMA D. JONES, Regent

#### 71 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Had one entire program of music by American composers; Lecture recital Feb. 21, honoring Washington's Birthday. Supplied Clerk of District Court with Manual for Citizenship and tried to see it was properly used. Contributed \$25.00 to Tamassee School; also Kansas State Flag. Sold \$23.00 worth of brass and sent money to Northland. Had talks on D. A. R. Approved Schools and one program on same. Made \$20.00 contribution to Approved Schools in general. Gave \$5.00 to work in Mexican Center, \$2.00 to Youth Council. Planted 22 trees; 117 bulbs; 13 shrubs and 35 perennials. Observed Flag Day and Washington's Birthday with patriotic programs and invited guests. Gave instruction on proper display of Flag. Presented pins to two Senior High School girls who won in Pilgrimage Contest. Medals were given two Junior High girls for excellence in History. Books and papers loaned—3. Complete list made of all books, papers and magazines in library. 5 subscriptions taken and Magazine placed in local City Library. \$6.50 contributed to Ellis Island for hide

for tooling. Four copies of Vol. 4 of Tombstone records in Lyon County sent to National, State and Chapter Libraries, and one volume furnished to Lyon County Historical Society. Part II of Scrap Book Clippings of Births and Fiftieth Wedding Anniversaries (Lyon County) has been completed. A paper was given on early Welsh History in Lyon County. Tombstone records contain much early history of families. Chapter is sponsoring the Lyon County Historical Museum. Have representative on Better Films Council. Had an address on work of National Defense by Chairman of Defense Council in Lyon County. Members have registered individually for Defense Work. Cards distributed and signed for Defense Work. All meetings have been reported in full. Members were informed of all broadcasts in connection with D. A. R. work. Regent gave broadcast on the Constitution over KTSW, Emporia. Gave \$1.50 to Student Loan Fund. Regent and four members attended Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage. Had representation at Celebration of 150th Anniversary of Adoption of the Bill of Rights, in City Auditorium. Have worked with Red Cross in every way possible. Entertained with luncheon for honored guest and State Regent, Mrs. Berger.

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#### **ESTHER LOWREY CHAPTER**

(Mrs. F. M.) LILLIAN F. DeVORE, Regent

51 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Had fine program of American Music Nov. 7 and music by American composers at other meetings. Presented Manual for Citizenship to District Judge who uses it when granting American Citizenship. Contributed \$1.00 to Tamassee and \$1.00 to Kate Duncan Smith Schools. Had talks on Correct Use of the Flag and gave the Pledge of Allegiance at Chapter meetings. Observed Flag Day and George Washington's Birthday. D. A. R. Library maintained in City Library. Regent subscribes to Magazine. It is passed around, then filed in Public Library. Helped State Highway Commission in marking place of signing of treaty with Osage Indians, 1870; also battle ground where Confederates and Indians fought. Have had good speakers on National Defense at meetings and have given talks on this subject to schools and clubs. Have had lots of space in newspaper. Society Editor always helpful. Each member is notified of D. A. R. Radio Programs. Maintain Chapter House. Is the old Episcopal Church building, built in 1872. All members are members of Red Cross.

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#### **EUNICE STERLING CHAPTER**

(Mrs. C. F.) ONA S. DRAKE, Regent

190 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. 46 Manuals for Citizenship printed in English and 8 in Spanish were presented to Clerk of Federal Court. Sponsor American-Syrian Club; 9 D. A. R. members on Syrian Committee and contribute \$9.00 to it. The D. A. R. Committee assisted the W. P. A. Adult Education Class of aliens by asking C. A. R. to prepare scrap book for their use. Prepared Flag quiz for same group. President of American-Syrian Club leads this group in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and offers prayer. Chairman assisted one member in getting final naturalization papers. One alien was taken to be fingerprinted and to get first papers. The American-Syrian Club sewed 21 pounds of carpet rags for the Wads-



worth Home and put 25 cents in each ball. Club gave \$5.00 to Webster School for transportation. President of Club served on City Federation Tea Committee which earned \$125.00 for the University Speech Clinic for Underprivileged Children. Club gave \$5.00 to Red Cross. Chapter contributed to Memorial Hall at Tamasee \$30.00, and \$10.00 to Tamasee School. Gave \$5.00 each to Berea College, Crossnore and Kate Duncan Smith Schools; \$13.50 to Boys' Sunflower State and \$13.50 to Girls' Sunflower State; \$15.00 to British Relief and \$10.00 to American Red Cross. Made 500 garments for Red Cross. Made and delivered 1500 Christmas Cards and envelopes for Veterans' Hospital. Planted 2596 trees; 224 shrubs and 864 bulbs. Observed Washington's Birthday, Flag Day, Mothers Day and Armistice Day. Distributed 75 Flag Codes. Had one talk on the Flag. Flag Day was observed with a picnic at which boys from the Sunflower State gave talks. 100% Chapter members own Flags and the Pledge is given correctly at all meetings. Had 9 G. C. Pilgrims, 3 from each of the East, North and Cathedral High Schools in Wichita. Purchased pins for Pilgrims costing \$7.98. D. A. R. Library: Historic Restorations of the D. A. R., by Lewis Barrington. The Hartzell Bulletin, 1941, by National Association of Hartzells in America. Indexes to D. A. R. Magazine, Vol. 73 and 74 (1939 and 1940). D. A. R. Magazines, 32 out-of-print copies to complete file of D. A. R. Magazines from 1913 to date. Five volumes of D. A. R. Magazines are being bound this year, 1913—Vol. 42 and 43, 1916—Vol. 49, and 1917—Vol. 50 and 51. Have bound volumes for years 1896 through 1912, except 1899—Vol. 14, 1903—Vol. 32 and 33, 1909—Vol. 34 and 35, 1911—Vol. 38, and 1912—Vol. 40. Are negotiating for purchase of these. Sent one book to State Librarian; one book to State Genealogical Chairman, and one book to State Historical Society. Have 4 new this year and 13 old subscribers to the Magazine. Ellis Island slides were shown in Chapter meeting and accompanying lecture given. \$1.25 was given to Ellis Island, and \$3.00 worth of material sent. Genealogical Records: Genealogical Committee compiled Register of St. Johns Episcopal Church, Wichita, Kansas, Vol. 1, 1885—1893. Catalogue of Genealogical and Historical Books in Library of National Society, D. A. R., Washington, D. C. The Park Family Tree, 1668 to 1940, gathered by Mrs. Alice E. McDowell. Gift of a member. Genealogical Magazine of New Jersey, published by Genealogical Society of New Jersey, Nos. 2, 3, and 4, 1940. Gift of a member. Chapter Historian keeps elaborate scrap book of clippings and pictures of historical events. Book of clippings from Howard Courant, Elk County, Kansas, compiled by a member, was sent to State Librarian. Chapter sponsors local C. A. R. Society with a Chapter member in charge. Purchased a \$525.00 Defense Bond and sold 4 books of Defense Stamps, \$25.00 each, to Chapter members. 60 members signed D. A. R. Roll Call cards. 17 members subscribed to National Defense News. Organized a Red Cross First Aid Group of 47. Gave \$10.00 to Civil Defense. Articles on Defense read at all meetings except one. Had one meeting entirely on Defense with outside speaker. Made a collection of silk hose to be sent to mills at Athens, Ala., to give work to Defense workers' children. One member registered draftees, Feb. 16. Two aliens aided in gaining Citizenship. Total publicity—1122 inches; 37 pictures. Ranked first in State in both. Our publicity has appeared in three local papers. Special Radio programs were announced in local papers. Gave \$25.00 to Student Loan Fund. Have one member who is State Recording Secretary and one who is a National Vice Chairman and State Chairman of D. A. R. Museum. Red Cross: 50 members sewing; 50 members knitting; 500 articles made. 10 members worked on Roll Call. 150 are members of the Red Cross. Chairman is a member of local Red Cross Nursing Committee. She is also State Secretary of the Nurses Association and State Chairman of Civilian Defense for all nursing services, which covers local Army

and Navy. Gave \$1.00 to Pawnee Memorial and \$1.00 membership to Kenmore; also \$4.00 to Kenmore for entertainment of soldiers. Contributed \$5.00 to the National Museum. Junior Group gave a \$5.00 Christmas basket and a basket of clothing. Sent a Christmas box to our Scholarship Girl at Tamassee. 20 members attended the unveiling of Chisholm Trail Marker. Donated one book to National Museum. One member attended the State meeting at El Cuartelejo. Placed a book, "Historic Restorations of the D. A. R.," in City Library in honor of Mrs. R. B. Campbell. Had a rummage sale which made \$75.00. Two members gave \$5.00 each toward purchase of a model of Mrs. Guernsey for National Museum. Entertained State Regent, State Recording Secretary and State Corresponding Secretary at February luncheon meeting.

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#### **FORT LARNED CHAPTER**

(Mrs. L. E.) BOBBIE V. WALLACE, Regent

20 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Contributed \$2.00 to Tamassee and \$2.00 to Kate Duncan Smith Schools. All members interested in tree planting, gardens and general beautification. Observed Washington's Birthday with a Colonial Tea, Flag Day with a picnic; also observed Constitution Day. Sponsored a G. C. Pilgrim. Magazine subscriptions for Fort Larned Chapter and Larned High School; both freely used. Gave \$1.00 toward Santa Fe Trail Marker at Pawnee Rock. All working in every way possible towards National Defense. Programs and meetings have been reported and press notices kept. One Radio Program: "Radio as a bulwark of Americanism." Had one delegate at Continental Congress, April, 1941, and expect to be represented this year also.

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#### **FORT SUPPLY TRAIL CHAPTER**

(Mrs. De Nelson) GEORGIA McN. LYNCH, Regent

33 Members

National Anthem is not sung at every Chapter meeting. One article on American Music in local newspaper. Had paper on Naturalization Laws at one meeting. Contributed \$5.00 for hall at Tamassee. A paper by a member who visited Tamassee appeared in newspaper and copy was sent to every Chapter in the State. \$15.00 from label funds and penny banks collection—enough to clothe a girl for one year also given. Are marking one of County's famous trees—its only oak tree. Collecting stamps for Queen's Children's Hospital. Stamp box is placed in drug store. Have 1350 stamps so far. Observed Washington's Birthday with a Tea. Purchased rayon and silk Flag with standard for Chapter use. Sponsored a G. C. Pilgrim. Sent one bound copy of "Notes on Early Clark County," Vols. 1 and 2 (indexed) to each of the following: National Library, State Library and Kansas State Historical Society Library. Have 9 subscriptions to the Magazine, more than one to every four members. Had paper on Ellis Island at one meeting. Obtained two papers from Filing and Lending Bureau. Each member of Chapter is working on 3 Generation Genealogical Blanks; also every member of the Senior High School—35 members. This is the beginning of a permanent record. Indian trail is plotted and small maps are being made. This is to be marked also. Gave 75 cents to replacement of bronze marker

at Pawnee Rock. Program on National Defense given at Washington Birthday Tea. 300 inches of publicity put in our Weekly Newspaper—The Clark County Clipper. Members are notified of D. A. R. Radio programs. Contributed \$1.00 to Cancer Control; \$5.00 to N. S. D. A. R., for the Red Cross Fund; \$1.00 to Children's Bomb Shelter Fund in England; and a member contributed \$5.00 to the C. A. R. Chapter served coffee at annual pioneer picnic. One member is the State Vice Regent. We buy and encourage others to buy articles made by the veterans at Wadsworth Soldiers' Home.

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### FREDERICK FUNSTON CHAPTER

(Mrs. E. P.) CHARLOTTE M. SMITH, Regent

17 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Had program on Tamasee for January and made gift of \$5.00 at this time. Planted 80 trees; 700 bulbs; 75 shrubs. One member planted 1100 walnuts. Observed all patriotic days. Were proud to have our G. C. Pilgrim chosen to represent Kansas. Have 3 subscriptions to the Magazine. Presented historical medal—\$2.50. Chapter is member of the Red Cross and has been active in Sewing Room; also helped in War Fund Campaign.

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### GENERAL EDWARD HAND CHAPTER

(Mrs. H. L.) BARBARA V. KENNEDY, Regent

56 Members

National Anthem is not sung at every Chapter meeting. A paper on Advancement of American Music read before Chapter was sent to Filing and Lending Library. Have distributed Manuals for Citizenship. Gave \$2.00 to Tamasee; \$2.00 to Kate Duncan Smith; \$1.00 to Crossnore Schools. Contributed to Kansas Corridor at Tamasee High School—\$15.00; \$10.00 being gift of Chapter, \$5.00 the gift of individual members at Conference. Observed Flag Day, Constitution Day and Washington's Birthday. Presented Good Citizenship medal to Ottawa contestant. Gave \$1.00 to D. A. R. Library. Have 9 subscriptions to Magazine, 2 renewals, 2 new subscriptions. Contributed \$5.00 to Ellis Island. Filing and Lending Bureau: 2 manuscripts. Working on 2 Genealogical Records. Distributed leaflets on National Defense. Accounts of meetings given to local newspaper and to State Press Relations. Gave \$1.00 to Student Loan Fund. Attended meeting at Shawnee Mission. Made a historical tour of Badwin, Kansas and vicinity. Distributed Registration Cards for War Service. Contributed to Red Cross and Public Schools for Milk Fund; also to Ottawa Hospital.

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### HANNAH JAMESON CHAPTER

(Mrs. Mirl) GRETCHEN D. RUBLE, Regent

54 Members

Try to sing National Anthem at each meeting. Have contributed to each Approved School. Had one program on Conservation. Give some time to Correct Use of the Flag at each meeting. Observed Flag Day and Washington's Birthday with special meeting. Have

a well-stocked library. Get one copy of the Magazine for members and one for Public Library. Sent cash donation and supplies requested to Ellis Island. Have complete set of Genealogical Records. Helped with placing of markers through State. Sponsored two motion pictures suggested to this Committee. Distributed all Defense pamphlets to members that have reached the Committee. Members listen to all programs on patriotic subjects. Gave to Student Loan Fund. Visited Shawnee Mission. Spent most of our time with Red Cross Work, knitting and making garments. Whole meetings were devoted to this.

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### HENRY DAWSON CHAPTER

(Mrs. S. T.) GRACE C. SIMPSON, Regent

43 Members

Sing the National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Manuals for Citizenship were given to those granted Citizenship in County. Sent \$8.00 to school for purchase of Christmas gift. Gave \$1.00 to Fund for Kansas girl at Tamasee, and \$10.00 to Kansas Hall, Tamasee. Contributed to collection of old aluminum. 100% support to U. S. Government in all rationing for Defense. Called attention to incorrect use of Flag by citizens. Observed Flag Day—and were represented in its observance. Sponsored by Elks Club. G. C. Pilgrim sponsored by Chapter placed third and was awarded a pin. Are adding to our Library. Three subscriptions to the Magazine; one placed in City Library. Will send contribution to Ellis Island. Filing and Lending Bureau: Two papers. Gave \$5.00 to Senior girl chosen for outstanding work in Domestic Science. Dedicated new filing cabinet and a member presented valuable historical papers for filing. Active Junior American Citizens Clubs in Public Schools. Teachers interested by State Chairman on program at Teachers' Meeting in Salina. Motion Pictures: "U. S. Marches On"—\$10.00. A member is State Chairman of Press Relations and State Reporter. Have used clippings for publicity. All D. A. R. Radio programs have been announced by Radio Chairman and members urged to tune in. Attended Tri-City meeting at Newton. Gifts for Draftees—\$5.61. \$1.00 given to British Air Raid Shelters for Children. Purchased \$18.50 Defense Bond. Contribute silver offering of each meeting to local Red Cross Supply Department.

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### ISABELLA WELDIN CHAPTER

(Mrs. F. H.) ESTELLA M. VARNER, Regent

18 Members

National Anthem is sung part time at Chapter meetings. Had a talk on Advancement of American Music at one meeting. Sang patriotic music at most meetings; sang Christmas Carols. Gave \$1.00 to Approved Schools. Sent box of cancelled stamps. Five cartons sent to Tamasee.  $\frac{7}{8}$  mile shelterbelt. Trees both fruit and ornamental and 300 bulbs planted. All members own Flags and Codes and give Pledge of Allegiance correctly. Have two subscriptions to the Magazine. One for Chapter use filed with Chairman. Programs for the year are taken from Magazine material. Press notices given local papers of patriotic pictures. Placed one years subscription of National Defense Magazine in local High School Library. Publish notices of meetings in two local papers. Notice has been given to local papers of National Radio Broadcasts. Contributed \$1.00 to Student Loan Fund. Three Chapter members serve on State Student

Loan Fund Committee. 100% Red Cross membership; 20 garments made or knitted. Sent \$1.00 to Foundation Fund. Book-length novels clipped from papers and magazines were taken to Veteran's Hospital in Wichita. Scrap books, games and toys were taken to Children's Ward in Wichita Hospital, Wichita. Members acted as hostesses at local Historical Building. One member is Vice President of local Civilian Defense.

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### JAMES ROSS CHAPTER

(Miss) GLADYS BECK, Regent

79 Members

65 Manuals for Citizenship were presented to foreign born new citizens upon their graduation from night school. Contributed \$4.08 to Tamasee School for a Christmas gift; \$5.00 to Tamasee School Scholarship Fund; \$10.00 to High School Building Fund, Tamasee; \$8.00 by individual members; \$5.00 to Kate Duncan Smith School, and \$5.00 to local Tuberculosis Association. Observed Flag Day with picnic and meeting. Correct Use of the Flag observed at each meeting. Two County Schools entered students in G. C. P. Gave \$1.00 to Library Fund. Have 8 subscriptions to the Magazine—1 City Library. Purchased one Lineage Index Book. Have 4 Junior American Citizens Clubs with total of 67 members. Furnished two patriotic D. A. R. posters to the High School for display on the Bulletin Board. Had excellent publicity. Chairman received special mention for method of tabulating news. Had one patriotic program. The Superintendent of Kansas City, Kansas, Schools, was introduced by State Chairman of Approved Schools, and told how the public schools were meeting the Defense Emergency. Contributed \$3.00 to Student Loan Fund. Was Hostess Chapter to State D. A. R. Constitution Day Pilgrimage at Shawnee Mission. Christmas party—talk by a member who had been a teacher in the Philippines. Subject, Christmas in a Phillipine Leper Colony, and other points of interest. Had Annual February Benefit Party (Book-review). Have one State Officer and one State Chairman. Had four guest speakers at the monthly meetings to speak on Defense. Worked 400 hours for Red Cross; 13 members knitted sweaters; 20 sewed; 10 are enrolled in Home Nursing classes and First Aid classes; 25 assisted in Red Cross Roll Call; 2 organized Red Cross Units. Collected cancelled stamps which were given to the Campfire Girls. 13 members are on the Emergency List for Red Cross.

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### JANE DEAN COFFEY CHAPTER

(Mrs. R. W.) EDNA D. DIVER, Regent

53 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Followed schedule of National Chairman of Advancement of American Music. Sent two large boxes of clothing to Kate Duncan Smith School. Contributed \$25.00 to Tamasee Hall in new High School. Radio Broadcast by Regent over KGGF Nov. 11 on "D. A. R. Educates for Good Citizenship." Gave \$5.00 to British Children Air Raid Shelter. Nearly every member working for and all contributed to Red Cross. Chapter gave \$5.00 to same. One member was mentioned in National Magazine for amount of knitting. Flags displayed at every meeting; one program devoted to Flag etiquette. Broadcast by Regent June

14 over KGGF 15 min. on "We Do Our Bit." G. C. Pilgrim was selected from local High School. Good Citizenship pin was presented to her by Chapter at a High School Chapel Assembly. Purchased and placed in Public Library cabinet for Magazines and other papers. Have 4 subscriptions to the Magazine; read from same at meetings. One Girl Home Makers Award given to High School Girl and two Awards to Junior High School Girls. Member wrote two articles for a local paper on early days of Coffeyville and Col. Montgomery for whom County was named. She was also a Vice Chairman of local Welfare Committee. Have had reports on articles from National Defense Magazine; also sent two pounds of cancelled stamps for Queen's Hospital, London. Placed National Defense News in Public Library, High School and Junior College Libraries. Regent spoke over KVOO, Tulsa, on "National Defense Projects of Jane Dean Coffey Chapter," and Chapter Historian spoke on American Legion Aux. Def. Projects over same station. Have had articles on Chapter activities in two local papers, Topeka Capital and the National Magazine. A scrap book is being kept. Had 5 Radio Broadcasts. State Chairman of Student Loan Fund was luncheon guest and spoke on Student Loan Fund. Contributed \$1.00 to this work. Gave \$1.00 to Pawnee Rock Marker. Marked grave of deceased member Nov. 5. Regent and two members attended 50th Continental Congress in Washington. Entertained State Officers, State Chairmen, members of Bartlesville, Esther Lowrey and Hannah Jameson Chapters at Antique Shawl Exhibit and Tea, with an out of town speaker, Nov. 21. Sold Flag Stamps, personal postals and labels, netting \$58.75. Had a benefit bridge making \$25.00. Plan to have Regent and one member at Continental Congress this year. Will have two pages and a member on House Committee. 4 members served on Registration Board. Have one State Chairman in Chapter.

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### **JONATHAN GILBERT CHAPTER**

(Mrs. F. G.) ZIPPA B. HALL, Regent

15 Members

The National Anthem is not sung at every Chapter meeting. Had one program on each of following: Advancement of American Music, Approved Schools, Conservation and Correct Use of the Flag. Observed Flag Day, Thanksgiving Day and Washington's Birthday. Chapter subscribes for the Magazine; five programs taken from it. Had one program on Motion Pictures. Sent 125 pounds of white goods materials to Indian Mission School Hospital at Santa Cruz, N. M. Contributed to Ruth Berger Hall at Tamassee \$5.00. Five members attended El Quartejejo Pilgrimage at Scott City.

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### **KANZA CHAPTER**

(Mrs. S. W.) BLANCHE HENDERSON, Regent

24 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Had three programs on Advancement of American Music. Contributed to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith Schools. Observed four patriotic days. Had one G. C. Pilgrim. Have 5 subscriptions to the Magazine. Gave eighty cents to Ellis Island. Started one project in Historical Research. Publicity has appeared in St. John News, Macksville Enterprise and Stafford Courier. Members listen to D. A. R. Radio programs. Planning to buy Defense Stamps to be exchanged for Bonds.

**LOIS WARNER CHAPTER**

(Mrs. H. V. B.) MAUDE K. PICKERING, Regent

37 Members.

Do not sing National Anthem at every Chapter Meeting. Distributed 24 D. A. R. Manuals for Citizenship. Gave \$4.00 to Kate Duncan Smith and \$5.00 to Tamasee. Planted 30 trees, 142 bulbs, 7 shrubs and 4 Victory gardens. Observed June 14th and Feb. 22nd with Colonial parties. Sponsored one G. C. Pilgrim. Have 5 subscriptions to the Magazine. Contributed \$3.00 to Ellis Island. Historical Research: one paper on Geary County and Junction City. Had reports on National Defense at eight meetings. Had press notices each month; also three notices on Radio published. Gave \$4.00 to Student Loan Fund; \$5.00 to the Red Cross; \$1.50 Personal gifts for Red Cross; \$4.80 to Indian Work; \$5.00 to Air Raid Shelters and invested in six \$100.00 Bonds.

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**LUCRETIA GRISWOLD LATIMER CHAPTER**

(Mrs. H. S.) ELIZABETH C. DENNIS, Regent

22 Members

Do not sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Sing "America." Contributed \$5.00 to Kansas Hall in New High School at Tamasee; \$1.00 to the Scholarship. Also, \$1.00 to the Endowment Fund. Many trees, shrubs, etc., planted; local needy families supplied with food and clothing. Observed Washington's Birthday, Flag Day and Kansas Day. Flag Manual studied and program given. Flags distributed to members. Have 4 subscriptions to the Magazine. Had one paper on Ellis Island. Three generations of each member sent to Genealogical Records Chairman. Historical Scrap Book kept and papers on Kansas historical spots given in meetings. Defense Bonds and Stamps have been purchased by members. Majority of members have attended local First Aid Class. All meetings appeared in local papers, and papers of interest to Kansans were published. Red Cross work very active, with all members participating in some branch. Made contribution of \$1.00 to Real Daughters.

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**MARTHA LOVING FERRELL CHAPTER**

(Mrs. H. G.) BESS N. SHELLY, Regent

33 Members

The National Anthem is not sung at every Chapter meeting. Supplied school funds to two Indian boys; clothing, bedding, food, school supplies to Mexican Mission, and always see that each home has an American Flag. Contributed to Tamasee, Kate Duncan Smith and Kenmore. Much planting; and conservation of everything asked for by our Government. Flag is always displayed correctly at meetings and Pledge of Allegiance correctly given. Have two subscriptions to the Magazine. Genealogical Records: 3 new lines established; working on several more. Chapter is member of Better Films Council. Had frequent talks on National Defense. Informed members to listen to D. A. R. Radio talks. Made contributions to Sight Saving Clinic; Child Welfare Clinic; Institute of Logopedics; Wichita Museum; Community Chest; British Relief; Pawnee Rock Marker and Red Cross. Have done much Red Cross knitting and sewing. Are almost ready to buy a \$100.00 Bond.

**MARTHA VAIL CHAPTER**

(Mrs. F. N.) VERA COULSON, Regent

19 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Contributed to Approved Schools—\$5.00. Observed February 22nd. Have three subscriptions to the Magazine. Presented 18 Girl Home Makers Awards—\$1.80. Have 5 subscriptions to National Defense News. Gave \$3.00 to Red Cross. Practically all members participated in Red Cross activities.

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**MARY WADE STROTHER CHAPTER**

(Miss) AMY ARMSTRONG, Regent

48 Members

Do not sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Cooperate in instruction in sewing and cooking at the Americanization Center. Also give encouragement in taking out Citizenship papers and graduation from H. S., at same place. 40 Manuals for Citizenship were distributed. For each Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith Schools a fund of ten cents per member was paid. Many members are sewing and knitting for the Red Cross. 100% membership in Red Cross with additional cash gifts by many of Chapter. Pledge of Allegiance is given at each meeting. Made three talks to other groups on the Flag. Gave \$2.00 to assist Girl Scouts in making a set of historical flags. The Good Citizenship girl elected at High School was invited with her Mother to our Washington Tea and presented with a Good Citizenship Medal. Have 6 subscriptions to the Magazine. Had one report on Ellis Island given at a regular meeting. A copy of 100 Genealogical Records is being prepared. 15 Certificates—Awards of Merit will be given in Home Economics and Art at close of school. Junior American Citizens: 530 members; 254 girls; 276 boys; 22 Clubs in Salina and Saline County. At close of school 1941 Medals were given best boy and girl students in American History. A member gave a National Defense address and is now representing Chapter in group in Civilian Defense work. Clippings of announcements of and reports printed after each meeting are kept. Two programs presented over KSAL as our contribution to the Woman's Radio Council. Members notified of other broadcasts. Sponsored a girl for the Girls' State at Lawrence.

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**MOLLY FOSTER BERRY CHAPTER**

(Mrs. F. M.) SUSAN B. MARBLE, Regent

52 Members

Group singing each meeting featuring American music when possible. Had one special program and also a Musical Tea stressing American music. Distributed Manuals for Citizenship to newly naturalized citizens. Contributed \$5.00 to Tamassee Building Fund; \$1.00 to Tamassee Scholarship and \$1.00 to Kate Duncan Smith School. Planted 4500 bulbs. Had one program on Human Conservation. 6 Girl Reserves and Y. W. C. A. lectures. Observed Constitution Day, Maryland Day and Washington's Birthday. Chapter was represented at celebrations of other patriotic organizations on two additional patriotic days. Gave one copy of Historic Restorations



to Public Library. One copy of same added to Chapter Library. 550 magazines were sent to Y. M. C. A. for troop trains. Contributed 62 books for Service Mens Libraries. Have 4 subscriptions to the Magazine. Sent box of materials to Ellis Island, value \$8.50. Assisted State Regent with data for papers of several members of new Pleasanton Chapter. In Girl Home Makers, awarded 1 silver pin and 2 Certificates to Junior College, Senior High School, Junior High School and Plaza School. Prepared scrap book of clippings of Fords of Ft. Scott, or the Fateful Borderland by Ralph Richards which ran serially in local papers for one year. Kept Historical scrap book. Have member on Motion Picture City Censorship Board. Ft. Scott picture shows have discontinued double features. Had one outstanding program on National Defense. Have ten paid subscriptions to National Defense News. Copies sent to Junior College, Senior High, Junior High and Plaza Schools. Also to Public Library and used in Chapter meetings. Sent clippings to State Press Reporter. Reports of all meetings in both local papers. Radio announcements were published in same. \$1.00 was contributed to Student Loan Fund. Had program on Shawnee Mission. Promoted sale of Defense Stamps. Bought Defense Bond. Special Founders Day program on Chapter's 30th Anniversary. Had two representatives at 50th Continental Congress. Contributed 100% of membership to Aluminum Drive; also to U. S. O. Gave \$10.00 to Red Cross. Have done Red Cross knitting and sewing. Are collecting cancelled stamps.

### NATHAN EDSON CHAPTER

(Mrs. G. L.) ETHEL R. KREECK, Regent

20 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Had one Musical featuring American music. Have had reports on Approved Schools and given gift to Tamassee. Raised money to plant two memorial trees for pioneers in our City Park. Planted 16 trees, 12 bushes, 11 peonies and 75 tulip bulbs. Regent was head of Victory Book campaign and members contributed. Observed Washington's Birthday, Lincoln's Birthday and Flag Day. Have one subscription to the Magazine. Monthly reports are given and Magazine is circulated. Sent in one pioneer record to Genealogical Records Chairman. Gave a Tea for 4-H Club Girls who demonstrated their work. Presented 10 Girl Home Makers Certificates. Announced recommended Motion Pictures. Have had several reports on National Defense as part of programs. Gave a gift to Student Loan Fund. One program subject was given to Shawnee Mission. The Red Cross has been well supported. Two Chapter members have organized First Aid Classes. Gave 26 work hours; made 9 sweaters; 10 squares; 2 doz. diapers; 4 kimono's; 9 baby shirts and bonnets.

### NEODESHA CHAPTER

(Mrs. G. L.) EDITH S. CAUGHRON, Regent

19 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Had one program on Americanism. Offered Postmaster D. A. R. Manuals for Citizenship which he could not use as we have no foreign residents needing them. Used material regarding Tamassee School on programs. Two members contributed \$3.00 to Tamassee. Gave 12

pounds of Aluminum to Defense Drive. Planted over 1000 bulbs; over 200 shrubs and about 12 trees. Are collecting cancelled stamps and contributing razor blades, iron and paper, as individuals, to the Community drives for National Defense. Observed Flag Day, Constitution Day, Thanksgiving Day and Washington's Birthday. Had paper on History and Correct Display of the Flag at November meeting. Regent presented each member with a Flag Code, and the U. S. Post Office with a large framed Flag Code. Chapter had a large Flag Code framed for Neodesha High School. A High School girl was selected and entered for G. C. P. Gave 11 books to Library Collection for Service Men and 5 Juvenile Scrap Books to Wilson County Hospital. Have 3 subscriptions to the Magazine. Articles sometimes used in meetings. Had Ellis Island mentioned in a meeting. Borrowed two manuscripts from Filing and Lending Bureau. At least two members are writing up their Family Genealogies for publication. Will have dress entered in Home Makers Contest at State Conference. Won first prize last year. A plaque bearing D. A. R. insignia has been placed in both the Cooking and Sewing rooms of Neodesha High School. Regent spent much time on research preparing thesis on Chief Little Bear; also started scrap book on Kansas and D. A. R. History and another of manuscripts, some by Chapter members, on local history, and presented both to Chapter. Chapter is 100% for whatever is needed for National Defense. Gave \$5.00 to Red Cross in drives. Have worked on Red Cross First Aid and other programs for National Defense. Articles in National Defense News were read in meetings. One member is on Defense Bond Committee. Members have purchased Defense Bonds and Stamps. Regent presented Chapter with a large scrap book for publicity, having in it Chapter, District, State and National activities of past two years. Have one member who is Mother of one in Service and one whose husband is in Service. Had 10 meetings with average attendance of 8 members. Bought permanent wreath to be used each Decoration Day as Memorial for Revolutionary Soldiers; presented Bar to retiring Regent; entertained State Regent and State Corresponding Secretary. Regent and Vice Regent entertained for new and prospective members; had Chapter Year Books printed; held Rummage Sale, netting \$18.15; 5 members attended District Meeting at Columbus, May, 1941; 2 attended State Meeting at El Dorado and 2 plan to attend same at Hutchinson. Sent Kansas Historical Society Library, Topeka, and D. A. R. State Historian each a copy of two historical theses written by members of Chapter, and Library of Kansas Historical Society a copy of "The Kimball Family" by Mrs. Pauline Kimball-Skinner, a former Chapter member.

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### NEWTON CHAPTER

(Mrs. J. W.) SYLVIA M. HORNBAKER, Regent

77 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Had program on Advancement of American Music. Supplied D. A. R. Manuals for Citizenship to Clerk of District Court, Librarian in Newton City Schools, Superintendent of Kansas Methodist Children's Home, County Superintendent of Schools and City Clerk. Contributed \$1.00 to Tamassee School; 50 cents to Tamassee Scholarship and \$1.00 to Kate Duncan Smith School. Had guest speaker on "Approved Schools." Planted 1800 trees, shrubs and bulbs. Gave \$2.50 to British Children's Shelter. Flag is correctly displayed and used at each meeting. Chapter acquired large United States Flag as a gift in memory of a veteran of First World War. Observed Columbus Day, Founders' Day, Kansas Day, Washington's Birthday and Armistice

Day. Sponsored a G. C. Pilgrim chosen through the Public Schools; entertained her at luncheon and gave her a Good Citizenship pin at Honor Chapel Service in Newton High School. Presented Newton City Library with "Historic Restorations of the Daughters of the American Revolution" by Lewis Barrington. Books were sent by members to training camps. Have 8 subscriptions to the Magazine. Sending publicity of the Washington's Birthday Celebration meeting to the National Historical Magazine. Had guest speaker on "Historical and Genealogical Records" on Membership Extension Day. Keep Historical Scrap Book of all vital statistics. A member gave three Radio addresses on National Defense. Seven talks were given before other organizations on same subject. Had National Defense presented at three Chapter meetings. 100% participation in Red Cross activities. Supervised the signing of Defense Cards. Five members receive the National Defense News. Each meeting has been reported to local paper, State and National Reporters. Complied with suggestions of State Chairman of Radio. Contributed \$2.00 to Student Loan Fund. Had guest speaker on subject "The Tool of Education." Helped with publicity of Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage. Was Hostess at Regional Meeting to four chapters, at which State Officers and State Chairmen spoke. A collection is taken each meeting for war-time emergency use. Purchased one Defense Bond, \$18.50. Gave \$1.00 to Kenmore. Have one unit in Needlework Guild. Contributed \$10.00 to Red Cross. Have one member on local Red Cross Board. Articles made—1214; work hours spent—1230; \$7.00 given by member; 5 members assisted in Red Cross Roll Call. 8 in Emergency Drive. One member has done 1000 hours of Red Cross work.

### NINNESCAH CHAPTER

(Mrs. Leland) NINA O. SCROGIN, Regent

22 Members

Infrequently sing National Anthem at Chapter meetings. Had one paper on D. A. R. Manual for Citizenship. Contributed \$1.00 to Kansas Hall, Tamassee, \$2.00 to Education Fund for two Indian boys, \$10.00 to American Red Cross, and \$1.00 to Bomb Shelter in England. Sent books to boys in camp. Are collecting stamps. Made 51 garments on machines and knitted 2 sweaters and one shawl for Red Cross; also made 187 buttonholes; 75 hours sewing at Red Cross Headquarters. Had one paper given on "The Flag." All members own Flags. Presented Pratt City Library with "Historic Restorations of the D. A. R." Give all our Historical Magazines to this Library. Have 7 subscriptions to the Magazine. Had one paper on "Ellis Island." 4 papers were sent to Filing and Lending Bureau. A member is a Director of Region 7 for the American Woman's Voluntary Services. Region 7 is composed of 9 states. Clippings are sent regularly to Press Relations Chairman. Gave 75 cents to Pawnee Rock Marker. All members contributed individually to American Red Cross. Had Guest Day Tea in February.

### OCEANUS HOPKINS CHAPTER

(Mrs. E. W.) HALLIE R. JONES, Regent

54 Members

Do not sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Had two programs on Advancement of American Music. Distributed 500

D. A. R. Manuals for Citizenship; ordered 500 more. Gave one radio talk on Americanism. Attended all naturalization meetings. Chairman acted as leader at June naturalization meeting and planned and led the November meeting, another member leading the Pledge of Allegiance. Class of 141. Gave \$5.00 for Tamasee School Building Corridor. Collected and sold old paper and magazines. Gave books and magazines to soldiers and four loads of clothes to "Bundles for Britain." Used Pledge of Allegiance at each meeting. Observed Flag Day with a picnic; Washington's Birthday with a Tea, using American music for entertainment; Constitution Day and Independence Day. Attended to all routine matters in G. C. P. 4 books on genealogy were placed in Library. Obtained 5 subscriptions to the Magazine. Per capita paid to Ellis Island. 8 Girl Home Makers awards given. Historical Radio talk given. Three lay markers set. Attended Historical Society dinner. Historical book review given. Reports given on good Motion Pictures. Have cooperated with other civic groups in getting good films. In National Defense, reported on the work "Union Now." About 50% of membership signed Defense Cards. Total Radio time, 70 minutes. Five talks. Money value, \$200.00. 5 members attended Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage; furnished one car for trip. One pin presented by Chairman of Good Citizenship Pilgrims Club. Contributed to the "Buriton House Nursery Air Raid Shelter" in England. Real Daughters remembered by card Christmas, Easter and birthdays. Subscribed to membership in the American Institute of Genealogy. Gave two bushel baskets of food to the Salvation Army on Christmas. American Red Cross: 397 hours of work; 4 members knitting; 82 garments made; 15 members did sewing; 50 members in Roll Call in fall; 50 members contributed to War Fund since Dec. 15. \$10.00 given to Red Cross.

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#### OLATHE CHAPTER

(Mrs. Harry) DOROTHY N. STEWART, Regent

30 Members

Use National Anthem at greater per cent of Chapter meetings. Some form of American Music is used at each meeting. A gift was sent to Tamasee, and Approved Schools round table discussion was held at one meeting. Had a paper on Conservation and one on Correct Use of the Flag read at Chapter meetings. Will observe Flag Day. A representative has been chosen for G. C. P. A special meeting is to be given by the Junior American Citizens. Members attended Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage.

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#### PELEG GORTON CHAPTER

(Mrs. H. L.) GLENORIL D. SNYDER, Regent

40 Members

Sing National Anthem at most of the Chapter meetings. Also patriotic music and music by composer members. A splendid paper on Music by a member was recommended for filing. 12 patriotic songs were printed for each member. Had special talent at many meetings, such as Southwestern String Quartet. Contributed \$1.00 to American Indians; \$2.00 each to Tamasee and Kate Duncan Smith Schools, and \$5.00 in Mrs. Berger's honor. Guest speaker from Salvation Army gave address "Conservation of Human Souls." One member spent one week on Red Cross work on baby clothes in New York; 3 members donated one day per week to Red Cross and a member knitted about six articles for same. Planted over 500 bulbs

and trees. All patriotic days have been observed by D. A. R. and C. A. R. Had splendid address by a member on the Correct Use of the Flag. Article on same was also published by her. Miss Emily Bernstorff was G. C. Pilgrim chosen for year and a pin was presented to her by a member. She was from the High School. Have 13 subscriptions to the Magazine. One talk on Ellis Island to be given on June 6th program. Three papers recommended and one sent to Filing and Lending Bureau. 2 Genealogical Records were sent. Had one program on Girl Home Makers. Had a paper on history of Chapter and Peleg Gorton for whom Chapter was named. Had program on Junior American Citizens. Had National Defense talk on "Loyalty" by guest speaker. Contributed \$5.00 to U. S. O. Articles are published the Thursday before and Monday following each meeting. Reported to members important D. A. R. Radio speeches. Gave \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund. Attended and have had reports on Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage. Contributed \$5.00 to local Red Cross; \$3.00 to British Children's Relief; \$1.00 to Real Daughters, and a member gave \$1.00 to Pawnee Rock Marker.

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#### PHEBE DUSTIN CHAPTER

(Mrs. Dan) RUTH W. HOPSON, Regent

25 Members

Do not sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting; sing the Pledge. 7 members attended musical program on "A Century of American Music." Had Spanish music at Coronado program. State Chairman of D. A. R. Manual for Citizenship is a member of Chapter. Had Committee report on Approved Schools at meeting. Contributed to Tamassee. Aided Cancer Control, Red Cross and T. B. Campaigns. State Deputy in Cancer Control is Chapter member. Have been saving stamps. Observed Flag Day and Constitution Day. Have report on Correct Use of the Flag at every meeting. Sponsored Flag Essay Contest. 41 entrants from 3 schools. Gave 5 Flag pins as awards. A member is on State judging board. Sixth District Chairman of G. C. P. is Chapter member. Presented same in three schools. Gave local Library 5 books on American history. Have Library Chairman for this Library. Have 5 subscriptions to the Magazine. Had Ellis Island report at meeting. Sent paper to Filing and Lending Bureau. "Kansas Indians" by Supt. Bruce of the Kansas Agency. Are making a record of grave of every soldier of every war in every cemetery in Phillips County. Assist with 4-H and have a member on the Girl Scout Board. Special committee working on Bread Bowl Mound, an Indian local historical spot. Collecting data on Long Island Indian battle. Had report on work of National Junior American Citizens. Attended approved films and had report on magazine. Reported fully on National Defense at each meeting material sent local Chairman. Have reported all meetings in local and State papers. Had projects written up in paper. Notified members of Radio broadcasts. Contributed to Student Loan Fund and Red Cross; local and D. A. R. Had programs on Coronado, Antiques, "What the Daughters Do," "The Doctor Speaks on Patriotism" and Flag Day.

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#### POLLY OGDEN CHAPTER

(Mrs. G. B.) FLORENCE F. HARROP, Regent

43 Members

Sing America at every Chapter meeting. Had Christmas Carols sung by High School trio at December meeting. Supplied Clerk of County Court with D. A. R. Manuals for Citizenship. Gave brief

talk to class of five new citizens and presented them with Flags. Contributed to Tamasee—\$1.00; Tamasee Club—\$1.00; Kate Duncan Smith—\$1.00; \$5.00 from Chapter, \$6.00 private gift toward new building at Tamasee. Conservation: Aluminum, Old Paper Stock and Postage Stamps. Observed Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, Flag Day, Constitution Day and Armistice Day. Furnished Flags for all breakfast trays at hospitals and nursing homes on Flag Day. Presented large Flag to The Soldier Center. Had constructive talks at meeting. Gave 12 copies of National Magazine to help complete State files; four copies to State Regent from duplicates. Sent books to State Librarian and Victory Library for armed forces. Have 5 subscriptions to the Magazine—3 members; one for City Library and one gift sent out of State. Had one program on Magazine. Two papers were sent in to Filing and Lending Bureau: (a) Our Political Parties. (b) Aims and Ideals of the D. A. R. Assisted prospective members in establishing their lineage and supplementary lines. Accumulating historical data. Supplied Junior American Citizenship material for one school. Read paper on local history before Grade School Assembly. Members are active at Soldier Center as hostesses and chaperones. Had publicity of Radio broadcasts and one article on part D. A. R. had in organizing women nurses for all military hospitals. Have Loan Fund of K. S. C.—\$763.77; (a)—Amount of loans—\$653.00; (b)—Amount available for loans—\$110.77. Six members attended Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage; 4 assisted in Red Cross Drive; contributed to Red Cross Membership Drive and U. S. O. Gave \$5.00 in second Red Cross Drive. Used individual cars to and from Fort taking young folks to dances and acting as chaperones. Assisted with knitting, sewing and making up supplies for Red Cross. Sent cards to Real Daughters. Gave over 30 dozen cookies for Negro Soldier Center party. Five members regularly act as hostesses at White Soldier Center. Gave \$1.00 for Nursing Shelter.

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### RANDOLPH LOVING CHAPTER

(Mrs C. C.) JACQUELYN O. THEIS, Regent

#### 39 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Had two meetings on music. A member gave sketch showing transition from folk music to modern music, using recordings, soloist and piano. A baritone soloist gave an American Composers program. Member is a violinist with Thurlow Lieurance Symphony Orchestra (His compositions only). Devoted one meeting to current events on Americanism and a study of the Bill of Rights; and had one on Americanism with a guest speaker. Contributed \$2.50 each to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamasee. Had a group discussion of these schools. Saving and collecting papers, magazines and old iron. Gave \$10.00 to Red Cross; \$10.00 to Girl Scout Campers; \$5.00 to an Indian student. Had program on Nutrition—"Food for Victory." Member is Gray Lady. on Red Cross Board and Radio Committee of Red Cross. Member teaches First Aid Classes. Had outside speaker on program at meeting devoted to Red Cross and First Aid. Furnished Flags to two Children's Wards of two Wichita hospitals. Pledge Allegiance to our Flag at each meeting. Sponsored Eighth Grade Flag Essay Contest. One of our entrants won third place in State Contest. Essay was presented at a Chapter meeting. Have two subscriptions to the Magazine. Had discussion on Ellis Island at meeting. Used Filing and Lending Bureau. Cooperate with Girl Scouts, having two members who are Scout Leaders. Gave \$1.00 to Kenmore. Had paper read on history of D. A. R., and at a Guest Day Tea had review

of historical play. One member is Assistant Senior President of C. A. R. in Wichita and one is on the State Board of same. Several members are Sunday School teachers. Contributed \$12.50 to Sunflower Boys' State; son of a member represented us. Gave \$1.00 to Better Films Council. Majority of active members are in First Aid and several in Nutrition classes. One-third assisted in Aluminum Drive, July, 1941. One member was Chief Registrar and 5 members served on February 16th, National Registration Day. A member does volunteer clerical work for a Draft Board. Have publicized meetings, officers and program personnel. Member has made several Radio broadcasts. Gave \$1.00 to Student Loan Fund. Have special meetings to knit and sew for Red Cross. Three-fourths of members worked on Community Chest Drive; 14 have done outside knitting and sewing; 8 assisted with Red Cross Roll Call for D. A. R. Gave assistance in Red Cross Emergency Drive. New Years Greetings were sent to Real Daughters. One meeting devoted to Cancer Control, with guest speaker. Gave \$2.50 to Save the Children Federation (British).

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#### **RHODA CARVER BARTON CHAPTER**

(Mrs. Harry) ELSIE ANTHONY, Regent

19 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Contributed \$1.15 for Bibles for American Indians and \$5.00 to Tamasee. Presented Flag to student making best grades in American History. Planted many shrubs, bulbs and trees. Had frequent talks on Correct Use of the Flag. Observed Flag Day. Entered a Fredonia girl in G. C. P. Contest. Have one subscription to the Magazine. Sent \$1.00 for Ellis Island. Assisted in Girl Scout work. Showed Ellis Island film in school. Sent clippings of activities to State Publicity Chairman. Contributed 90 cents to March of Dimes for Infantile Paralysis Fund. Practically all members do Red Cross work and have given money to Red Cross Fund.

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#### **SAMUEL LINSOTT CHAPTER**

(Miss) MARTHA M. BECK, Regent

19 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Have no alien citizens in Holton. Trees and shrubs planted and given proper care. Placed leaflet on Correct Use of the Flag in each public school and in Public Library; and Flag poster in Public Library. Call attention to Flags that need to be replaced. Maintain a bookcase of D. A. R. literature in Public Library. Have 2 subscriptions to the Magazine: one for Regent and one for the Library. Give four prizes to city and rural schools, \$10.00 in all, for good citizenship record. One member is on Central Committee of American Red Cross, Chairman of Home Service Committee; others assist in membership drives, sewing, knitting and other activities. Nearly all are members of Red Cross. Gave \$2.00 to War Fund.

**SARAH STEWARD CHAPTER**

(Mrs. Fred) NELLIE D. SIMMONS, Regent

14 Members

Contributed \$1.00 to Tamassee; \$1.00 to Kate Duncan Smith and 25 cents to Endowment. Girl chosen in G. C. P. Contest. Have 3 subscriptions to the Magazine. Gave 50 cents to Ellis Island; \$2.00 to Girl Home Makers and \$1.00 to Red Cross. Had publicity in local papers.

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**SMOKY HILL CHAPTER**

(Mrs. H. W.) GRACE S. WOLDT, Regent

26 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Chairman of Advancement of American Music has some part in each Devotional Program and frequently special numbers. Endeavored to interest persons of County to become naturalized citizens. Letter of recognition was sent to them from Chapter. Contributed \$2.50 to Kate Duncan Smith and \$2.50 to Tamassee Schools. Special Christmas free will offering of \$5.30 was given to Tamassee. A member is on the State Shelter Belt Committee. Contacted County Superintendent of Schools regarding Flag Essay Contest. Pupils participated. Observed Kansas Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday and Flag Day. Independence Day was observed at Coronado Heights and the Coronado Entrada at Salina. Sponsored High School girl in G. C. P. Contest. Contributed to State D. A. R. Library records of three historical sketches of pioneers in Ellsworth County. Have 4 subscriptions to the Magazine; 3 in Chapter, one in City Library for public use. Had one program on Ellis Island. Material from Filing and Lending Bureau was used for programs. State Chairman of Genealogical Records is member of Chapter. Continuing local research; first school houses, cemeteries and markers. Motion Pictures: Read in the Magazine and observe them. Five classes in First Aid were conducted by Regent in our County, during fall and spring. Enrollments were 40-60-30-100-50 members. Red Cross activities were sewing, knitting, refugee work, etc. All meetings are reported to two newspapers and the State Reporter. Newspaper publicity is given to all D. A. R. Radio speakers. Gave \$1.00 to D. A. R. Santa Fe Trail Bronze Marker; \$10.00 to Red Cross War Fund; \$25.00 Defense Bond; \$2.00 to British Children Aid and \$1.00 to Indian work in State. Programs are very interesting and patriotism runs high. All members filled the Civilian Defense Cards and listed abilities and willingness to serve.

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**STERLING CHAPTER**

(Mrs. Tom) ALBERTA ROSS, Regent

33 Members

Sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Contributed to Tamassee School. Observed Washington's Birthday and Flag Day. Have added to Library Scrap Book on Coronado Celebration and History of Sterling. Have 2 subscriptions to the Magazine. Gave \$3.50 to Ellis Island. Sent two Bible records and one family history



to Genealogical Records Chairman. Our members attended Motion Picture "The Flag Speaks," sponsored by the American Legion. One member visited Shawnee Mission and all members are doing Red Cross work.

### SUSANNAH FRENCH PUTNEY CHAPTER

(Mrs. J. P.) HAZLE McG. HALL, Regent

#### 78 Members

Three verses of "Star Spangled Banner" sung at each meeting. American music given at every meeting. Had one program on American and Indian Music, Kansas composers featured. "St. Cecelia Ensemble" sang at Christmas time. Will honor a local and a D. A. R. composer soon. Americanism: 10 birth certificates were secured by Committee. 146 books gathered and sent to Marine Library in New York; others given to Victory Book Campaign. Will send a girl to Girls' State. Had program on Approved Schools. Tamassee High School Conference Gifts: Chapter—\$10.00; one member—\$10.00; other members—\$30.00. Gave \$2.00 to Scholarship Fund for State, \$5.00 to Tamassee and \$5.00 to Kate Duncan Smith; total \$62.00. Christmas gifts to Scholarship girl, value \$3.50; gifts to City Nurse—Chapter (value) \$7.50; members—\$5.00. 7 pounds cancelled stamps collected for Queens Hospital. Boxes for collection placed in schools and six business houses. 992 fruit trees, 120 spirea, 18 rose bushes, 6 cedars and 26 small bushes planted. Had one newspaper article on Conservation and two on Cancelled Stamps. Observed Flag Day, Constitution Day, Thanksgiving Day, Bill of Rights and Washington's Birthday. One entire program on "Flag Day." Reading "Our Flag." Cooperated with other patriotic organizations asking for display of Flags on homes and business houses. A program of patriotic music, display of massed Flags and a colorful address were given during Flag Week. Regent presented small silk Flags on standards to each new member. A Kansas flag (3x5 ft.) was given to C. A. R. Society. Chairman of G. C. P. is also District Chairman. Medal will be awarded El Dorado Pilgrim. First and second alternates were selected from this District. Cooperate with City Library, taking books to children in local hospital. Spent \$2.25 mailing books to Marine Library. File of National D. A. R. Magazine since 1917 presented by member to be placed in City Library. Subscriptions to the Magazine for City and School Libraries by Chapter. 10 new subscriptions this year. 13 members subscribe. Members signed Pledge in Magazine urged by Mrs. Pouch. Articles published. Had three ten-minute sketches of work at Ellis and Angel Islands. Box of material sent to Ellis Island, value \$4.00. Filing and Lending Bureau: Two articles published. "Braille's Contribution to Americanism" and "Approved Schools," each by a Chapter member. 150 pages of records from Sunset Lawns Cemetery, El Dorado, were sent to National Library, State Historical Society and Kansas Traveling Library of D. A. R. Have copied 125 pages of records from cemeteries in northern half of Butler County which will be sent in later. Keeping Bible records. 8 dresses were made and modeled by girls in local High School. Prizes of \$1.00 for first and 50 cents for second were awarded. Dress winning first will be sent to State Home Makers Contest. Article published. Kept Historical Scrap Book. Sent clippings to State Historian also two books by a pioneer, Judge Volney P. Mooney. Chapter history continued, a 250 word sketch. 1 gold and 1 silver medal presented to History students. Placed marker on grave of an Associate Member. Have 4 Junior American Citizens Clubs. Distributed literature. Chairman of Motion Pictures is also State Chairman of same. Con-

ferred with Managers of theatres; found high type of pictures. National Defense Resolutions presented to Chapter. Report on National Defense News at each meeting. 16 subscriptions in Chapter, 2 in Libraries. Had one program on National Defense, one on Bill of Rights. Displayed literature at Conference, clubs and Chapter. Gave 3 Good Citizenship medals, 2 in Junior High, one in Senior High. 36 pounds Aluminum collected. Large per cent of members signed for Civilian Defense. One is Chairman of Gen. Com. Women's Volunteer Service. Many buying Defense Bonds and Stamps. Had number of articles published on National Society and other patriotic work. Insignia used on many articles concerning work of various Committees. One member broadcast over KFJH "Braille's Contribution to Americanism." Had items in papers of all broadcasts. Stations were sent cards of appreciation. Gave \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund. Will help student in nurse's training next fall. Presented to Shawnee Mission two wall cases of mounted birds, butterflies and small animals which had been in Regent's family over 100 years. Bottles of beads were sent to Indians for their work and cards to Real Daughters Mothers' Day, Fourth of July, Armistice Day, Christmas, Valentine Day; and to each of them on the birthday of the other. Attractive brass bowl was given to each for Christmas. 12 D. A. R. Manuals for Citizenship were given to Clerk of Court for distribution. Had program and review of the Magazine. Member's article on Braille sent to Magazine. Contributed \$2.00 to D. A. Museum and had article published. One member is a District National Vice Chairman and State Chairman of American Red Cross; one is Chapter Chairman and Executive Secretary of Butler County Chapter of same. One organized Butler County Chapter during World War, another was War Chairman, and one Home Service Chairman. 7 members are on Red Cross Board; one of these transcribes Braille. Chapter gave \$2.00 to local Red Cross, \$25.00 to War Fund. 13 members assisted with Roll Call and 13 with War Fund Drive. 19 knitted 63 garments—620 hours. 25 averaged 5 garments—500 hours. Member cut and made 105 pairs of woolen mittens from scraps of material—125 hours. One member spent over 520 hours making garments. One made 21 snow suits, 15 baby shirts and hemmed 125 diapers, etc.—150 hours. 6 took First Aid Course of 20 hours. One made 108 button holes, one gave 21 hours of executive work, one shipped 2½ tons of garments since last report as member of Packing Committee. 7 talks were given in County on Red Cross. A member is on Nurse's Aid Committee. 33 members attended Regional Meeting at Newton in November; 4 the Third State Conference of C. A. R. in Wellington. Regent entertained C. A. R. and several D. A. R. guests when Chapter presented Kansas flag to C. A. R. Contributed \$20.00 to display gown of Mrs. Guernsey; \$10.00 to British Children; \$2.00 to Tuberculosis Association; \$1.00 to Kenmore; \$1.00 to Milk Fund; \$2.00 to Endowment Fund; \$2.00 to Women's Field Army of America for Control of Cancer; \$1.00 to Pawnee Rock Marker. A member presented Chapter with a carved wooden Insignia of the National Society about 30 inches in diameter. A program on "Approved Schools" was given by a member at a meeting of the Newton Chapter. 20 members attended Memorial Day Church Services in a body, and 25 the World Day of Prayer.

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#### TOPEKA CHAPTER

(Miss) MARY CLARK, Regent

146 Members

Sing National Anthem about every other meeting; have American music at all meetings. Have subscribed \$88.50 to following D. A. R. projects: Santa Fe Bronze Marker; Save the Children Fund;

Tamassee High School; Scholarship Funds of Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee and American Red Cross. Sponsor a scholarship at Washburn Municipal University. In Red Cross, have credit of 2,800 hours, 229 finished articles, beside workers in both drives. One member heads the production rooms. Took part in two city-wide patriotic meetings. Had two Radio broadcasts over WIBW: Constitution Day and Kansas Day. In November presented D. A. R. Good Citizenship Manuals to one of the largest Naturalization Classes ever held in the U. S. District Court. Each applicant is given one by Clerk of District Court. Over 100 were distributed this year. Observed Armistice Day, Constitution Day and Flag Day. Compelled to cancel Washington's Birthday Tea. Attended Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage. Junior Service Unit is conducting sewing classes at Crittenden Home. They also enrolled in Civilian Defense Schools for First Aid and Nutrition. We began year with good neighbor policy, inviting all chapters within radius of 100 miles to our opening meeting. Have grouped all D. A. R. projects under the three point program of National Society. Conservation was keynote of Historical Group; Educational and Patriotic Groups will follow later. Have purchased \$444.00 worth of United States Defense Bonds. Service Unit sent Christmas box to Tamassee.

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#### UVEDALE CHAPTER

(Mrs. W. S.) HARRIETT O. WICK, Regent

##### 90 Members

Do not always sing National Anthem at meetings, America more often. April program devoted to American music. It is used at all programs and will be used very largely at State Conference. Had speech on American Citizenship by guest speaker and talk on Good American Citizenship to High School Girls. Contributed books to soldiers. Had program on Approved Schools. Gave \$5.00 to Kate Duncan Smith; \$5.00 to Tamassee High School Building Fund; \$10.00 to latter by a member in name of Uvedale; also contributions to same Fund by members. Print of Tamassee High School will be used on Banquet Program at State Conference. Gave \$5.00 to Tamassee Maintenance Fund. Planted 492 trees; 60 shrubs; 700 bulbs. 18 members served on Civilian Defense Board; 4 on Draft Board. Group sew for Red Cross one afternoon a week. Sewing—565 hours; knitting 15 garments—660 hours; 4 members in First Aid Class; \$5.00 contributed to Red Cross. Give Pledge of Allegiance at each meeting. Had 4 talks on Use of the Flag at meetings, local newspaper article on same, and 65% of members own and display Flags. Observed Flag Day, by luncheon and patriotic speech. Used Flags for decoration at meeting on Washington's Birthday. Sponsored a G. C. Pilgrim who was selected to represent the Seventh District. Presented her with a Good Citizenship pin at meeting. Maintain a D. A. R. Section at Public Library. Added "Historic Restorations" by Lewis Barrington. Have 6 subscriptions to the Magazine; one copy kept in Public Library for use of members. Have review of

Magazine at all meetings. Sent Genealogical Records to D. A. R. Library in Washington. Help with support of two local institutions for homeless girls where home making is taught. Gave \$5.00 to Milk Fund for undernourished children. Placed 22 markers on graves of deceased members. Historical scrap book is kept. Purchased two copies of "Historic Restorations" by Barrington. This book will be reviewed at a meeting. Patronize and encourage patriotic and high class movies. Almost all members returned cards of enrollment of abilities for voluntary service. 18 members helped on Civilian Defense Registration Board. Accounts of meetings and activities given to local paper and filed in Historian's Book. Members are notified and listen to D. A. R. Radio broadcasts. Contributed \$5.00 to Student Loan Fund and \$1.00 to Air Raid Shelter. Gave cancelled stamps for Queen's Hospital in London. Had antique display in connection with Historical and Coronado Celebration. Member contributed to Mrs. Guernsey's clothes display. Reciprocity meeting with Newton, McPherson and Sterling. Helped in Bundles for Britain movement and contributed to the Needlework Guild.

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#### WELLINGTON CHAPTER

(Mrs. E. A.) LUTIE ROTHROCK, Regent

##### 56 Members

Do not always sing National Anthem at Chapter meetings. Had one program on Advancement of American Music. Sponsor a Mexican Girls' Club. Gave out papers to those taking out Citizenship. Contributed \$2.50 to Kate Duncan Smith; \$2.50 to Tamassee School and \$5.00 to Kansas Corridor at Tamassee. Had one program on gardens. 70 entrants in Garden Contest. 80 people visited gardens one morning. Planted 82 trees, 1200 bulbs, 60 roses, 75 shrubs and 100 perennials. Observed two patriotic days. Gave Flag leaflets. Sponsored Flag Essay Contest—150 Junior High School entrants. Sponsored G. C. P. Contest in Senior High School. D. A. R. Library: Subscribed for two magazines. Genealogical and history. Early settlers of New York. Added two books to our Library. Put a glass case in City Museum to display our collections. Had large display in window of early settlers Wellington's 70th Birthday. Have 6 subscriptions to the Magazine. 3 papers were sent in to Filing and Lending Bureau: 1. Origin of Red Cross by Jean Young; 2. Program on Stephen Collins Foster by a member; 3. Visit to our National Parks by a member. 9 pages of Genealogical Records were sent to each of following: National Society, Kansas State Society, Kansas Historical Society and our Chapter shelves. To Historical Research: 4 copies of Bible Records—36 pages. Had two programs on National Defense; about 700 inches of Publicity. Invited C. A. R. State President, two State Promoters to our Kansas Day Program. Program on American Hymns, Kansas State Songs, Shawnee Mission. Helped with Red Cross Membership and Emergency Drives. Had dinner for our Good Citizenship Girl.

**WICHITA CHAPTER****(Mrs. J. F.) BESSIE K. TILFORD, Regent****42 Members**

Do not sing National Anthem at every Chapter meeting. Give Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Helped Boys' State work. Contributed \$11.00 to Kenmore; \$1.00 to Tamassee; \$5.00 to Room for Mrs. A. J. Berger; \$30.00 for acre of ground in appreciation of member, Ex-National Chaplain, Mrs. Loren Rex. Planted 50 trees and 60 shrubs. Gave \$25.00 to American Indians; Defense Bond \$50.00; C. A. C. \$20.00. 50% of members signed Defense Cards. Have 24 Red Cross Members; 5 helped with Red Cross Roll Call; 10 with knitting and 8 with sewing. Amount given to Red Cross—\$500.00. Have two members on Defense Board, 10 taking First Aid Course, 10 members of British Relief. Observed Memorial Day and Washington's Birthday. Gave one book to D. A. R. Library. Have three subscriptions to the Magazine. Contributed \$5.00 to Ellis Island. 12 D. A. R. books were given to other chapters. Some new Genealogical Records being completed, 2 new ones sent in. One scrap book on D. A. R. interests and publicity. Gave \$5.00 toward replica of Honorary State Regent, Mrs. Guernsey. Sent one boy to Boys' State, filled his report. Cooperated in Massing of Colors; 2 members worked in registering men for Selective Service. Had six programs on National Defense and patriotic subjects, one of which was given by five Boy's State and High School Boys, sponsored by the American Legion. Had some publicity—Wichita Beacon; one picture—Washington's Birthday; members working for Bundles for Britain. Contributed \$12.00 to Student Loan Fund. One Tea—American Music—Guest Day. One luncheon and three teas with other chapters. Member is National Chairman of American Indians Committee. Gave \$10.00 for arm bandages—Defense Officers. Individual members contributed \$20.00 to Cancer Control.

## NECROLOGY LIST.

March 1, 1941—March 1, 1942

## Abilene Chapter:

222483 Gay Neale Carman.....Jan. 9, 1942  
104322 Catherine Northcraft Gleissner.....Jan. 27, 1942

## Baxter Springs Chapter:

109263 Edna Holdeman Bock.....Nov. 28, 1941

## Betty Bonney Chapter:

212818 Pearl Newman Hase.....Mar. 27, 1941  
65631 Elizabeth Meade Ranney.....Nov. 24, 1941

## Betty Washington Chapter:

40333 Margaret Moore Seewir.....Sept. 4, 1941

## Byrd Prewitt Chapter:

315979 Charlotte Squire Young.....Oct. 16, 1941

## Emporia Chapter:

113222 Grace Marvin Morse.....Jan. 18, 1942

## Eunice Sterling Chapter:

79843 Olive Decatur Campbell.....June 2, 1941  
Tribute to Mrs. Campbell  
182878 Ida May Christopher Hindes.....Mar. 5, 1941  
263833 Mary Kelly.....Aug. 10, 1941

## Frederick Funston Chapter:

312387 Sarah E. Brownfield Cullen.....June 6, 1941

## General Edward Hand Chapter:

288886 Mabel Bowman Christain.....Feb. 10, 1942

## James Ross Chapter:

130234 Clara Sibley Kemp.....Sept. 18, 1941  
198128 Virginia J. Root.....Feb. 8, 1942

## Mary Wade Strother Chapter:

277162 Clara Smith Morley.....Dec. 13, 1941

## Molly Foster Berry Chapter:

69881 Ladie Caruthers Simonton.....Oct. 5, 1941

## Nathan Edson Chapter:

286585 Nellie Jerris Chapin Rankin.....March 6, 1941

## Polly Ogden Chapter:

226429 Mollie Palmer.....July 24, 1941  
164268 S. M. Arnett Stafford.....Feb. 20, 1941

## Rhoda Carver Barton Chapter:

313687 Edna Hunter Simpson.....July 17, 1941

## Topeka Chapter:

250873 Alla May Williams Bennett.....Mar. 20, 1941  
241357 Sarah Hopkins Ford.....Dec. 15, 1941  
23392 Anna Dick Rodgers.....Dec. 2, 1941  
65856 Lillian Irene Valentine.....Feb. 19, 1942

## Wellington Chapter:

213639 Ruth Covell Richardson.....Jan. 6, 1942

### D. A. R. CHAPTERS RECENTLY ORGANIZED

On January 12, 1942, the WILLIAM CREEKMORE CHAPTER of Pleasanton was organized with eighteen organizing members at the home of the Organizing Regent, Mrs. William A. Spohn. The chapter was confirmed by the National Society on February 2, 1942. Chapter Officers and members are: Regent, Mrs. William A. Spohn; Vice Regent, Mrs. B. F. Brabant; Chaplain, Mrs. Clyde E. Taylor; Recording Secretary, Mrs. C. E. Craig; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. George G. Trout; Treasurer, Mrs. Lysle D. Mummert; Registrar, Mrs. R. H. Powers; Historian, Mrs. Frank B. Ellis; Librarian, Mrs. H. D. Evans; Reporter, Mrs. J. D. Robinson; Mrs. Willis E. Baker; Mrs. Ross J. Evans; Mrs. Charles J. Fletcher; Mrs. C. A. Hiatt; Mrs. J. T. Kennedy; Mrs. P. M. Krall; Mrs. Maurice T. Mullinix; Mrs. William P. Stoker.

On May 25, 1942, the JEREMIAH HOWARD CHAPTER of Great Bend was organized with twenty-one organizing members at the home of the Organizing Regent, Mrs. W. A. Peschka. On June 12, 1942, the chapter was confirmed by the National Society and one member was added to the chapter roll. Chapter Officers and members are: Regent, Mrs. W. A. Peschka; Vice Regent, Mrs. M. F. Russell; Chaplain, Mrs. F. K. Zutavern; Recording Secretary, Mrs. E. C. Moses; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. L. J. Isern; Treasurer, Mrs. J. N. Travers; Registrar, Miss May Harrison; Historian, Miss Novma Mering; Librarian, Mrs. M. E. McMullen; Reporter, Mrs. V. E. Strobel; Mrs. J. Lester Cox; Mrs. Robert E. Craine; Mrs. Raymond E. Gorman; Mrs. Marvin H. Hammond; Mrs. Tedford B. Kelley; Mrs. Joe R. McFarlane; Mrs. Frank A. Moses; Mrs. Clemont C. Parrish; Mrs. Charles C. Peel; Mrs. Rusel C. Russell; Mrs. N. Ralph Sandford; Mrs. Lee A. Davis.

### EL QUARTELEJO PILGRIMAGE

(Mrs. Roy V.) DOROTHY BERRYMAN SHREWDER

June 17, 1941

The third annual El Quartejejo Pilgrimage was held June 17th in the Camp Christie Dining Hall, Scott County State Park.

10:30 Conducted tour of the points of historic interest within the Park. Boy Scouts of Scott City acted as guides under the direction of Scout Master Douglas Vaughn. Myron Vaughn, Scout Master in charge during preceding Pilgrimages had been called into the United States Army, thus turning over his duties to his younger brother. The courtesy and painstaking efforts of the Vaughns have made every El Quartejejo Pilgrimage an interesting historic venture.

12:00 Lunch—A basket dinner in charge of Dodge City Chapter. Program—In charge of the Dodge City Chapter, Mrs. J. C. Denious, Chairman.

Welcome and greeting from Scott City.

Mr. Floyd Cook, President of the Scott City Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. John Norman, Secretary and Treasurer, Scott City C. of C.

Response—Mrs. A. J. Berger, Regent, Kansas D. A. R.

Greetings—Miss Marion Seelye, Vice President General, N. S. D. A. R.

Greetings—Mrs. R. V. Shrewder, Vice Regent, Kansas D. A. R. Tribute to Mrs. R. B. Campbell—Mrs. C. F. Drake, Regent of Eunice Sterling Chapter, Wichita. During the State Regency of Mrs. Campbell the El Quartejejo Marker was erected. Her able presentation of the mechanics involved in erecting the

marker, was one of the high lights of last year's Pilgrimage. Her absence brought a note of sadness to this year's Pilgrimage. Mrs. Campbell's death occurred June 2nd, 1941.

El Cuartelejo is the farthest western point of interest noted and marked by the D. A. R.'s of Kansas. The granite shaft, as well as the pueblo site on which it stands, is the property of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution.

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### EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

(Mrs. Roy V.) DOROTHY BERRYMAN SHREWDER,

Secretary pro tem

The Executive Board of the Kansas Society, N. S. D. A. R., met April 7, 1942, at eleven o'clock, Innes Tea Room, Wichita. The following members were present: Mrs. A. J. Berger, Regent; Mrs. R. V. Shrewder, Vice Regent; Mrs. V. E. McArthur, Registrar; Mrs. Marcel Duphorne, Treasurer.

Mrs. Berger, presented the matter of having the 1860, 1870 and 1880 Kansas Census Records microfilmed, explaining the benefits of a 10% discount made possible through the Carrie Meeker Wood legacy, for this work; this discount to come through the National Society for a limited time or until the fund should be exhausted. Mrs. McArthur made the microfilming of the 1860 Census immediately possible through a personal gift of the necessary amount. Mrs. McArthur moved that the State Society have the microfilming of the 1870 Census done at once, and that the microfilming of the 1880 Census be undertaken as a State project, to be completed as soon as possible, in order to gain the benefit of the above mentioned discount. Seconded by Mrs. Duphorne. Passed. Through the further generosity of Mrs. McArthur, the microfilming of the 1870 Census was made possible through a gift. The microfilming of the 1880 Census was made possible by the generous gift of Mr. and Mrs. Garland P. Ferrell. The Kansas Society is deeply indebted to the donors for a great service rendered, in making it possible to secure and to preserve these important records.

A general discussion was entered into regarding the Scholarship Loan funds and the advisability of depositing that amount now idle, or not out on loan, so that it might draw interest, thus building up the principal. Among the suggested plans were Bank Savings accounts, Postal Savings and Defense Bonds, all of which can be withdrawn on short notice, should the funds be needed for the purpose of making loans. The feeling was strong among those present that at least a part of the balance on hand should be so invested. The matter was therefore referred to the Chairman of the Student Loan Fund to be taken up with her committee.

Adjournment.

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### KANSAS DELEGATION MEETING IN CHICAGO

HELEN B. FERRELL, Secretary pro tem

The Kansas delegation in attendance at the 51st Continental Congress met in Room 653 A, Stevens Hotel in Chicago, on Wednesday, May 6, 1942. The meeting was called to order at 3 P. M. by the State Regent, Mrs. A. J. Berger. The Lord's Prayer, repeated in unison, was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Greetings were extended by the State Regent and she graciously acknowledged the gift of the delegation, "Records of Revolutionary Soldiers of West Virginia," by Ann Waller Reddy. She then asked each one present to stand and give her name and the name and location of her chapter. The following responded: Mrs. A. J. Berger, Betty



Bonney, Arkansas City; Mrs. W. C. Summers, Betty Washington, Lawrence; Mrs. G. G. Anderson, Mrs. Garland P. Ferrell, Mrs. W. E. Haines and Mrs. C. F. Nies, Eunice Sterling, Wichita; Mrs. Mary Wickwire Ingham, Fort Larned, Larned; Mrs. Roy V. Shrewder, Fort Supply Trail, Ashland; Mrs. Carl M. Anderson, Henry Dawson, McPherson; Mrs. L. B. Naylor, James Ross, Kansas City, Kansas; Mrs. Robert W. Diver and Mrs. Tillie Karns Newman, Jane Dean Coffey, Coffeyville; Mrs. B. F. Gilmore, Kanza, St. John; Miss Madge Sullivant, Molly Foster Berry, Ft. Scott; Mrs. Clark M. Paris, Oceanus Hopkins, Pittsburg; Mrs. A. M. Brunson, Polly Ogden, Manhattan; Mrs. J. W. Lane and Mrs. M. C. Houston, Peleg Gorton, Winfield; Mrs. H. W. Byers, Mrs. Galen Graham, Mrs. David S. Jackman and Mrs. Charles Theis, Randolph Loving, Wichita; Miss Edith Chesney, Susannah French Putney, El Dorado; Miss Mary Clark and Mrs. C. E. Niven, Topeka, Topeka; Mrs. Charles H. Humphreys and Mrs. V. E. McArthur, Uvedale, Hutchinson; Mrs. L. E. Rex and Mrs. J. F. Tilford, Wichita. Mrs. Tilford introduced her guest, Mrs. Z. G. Hopkins.

Mrs. Berger then introduced Mrs. L. E. Rex, Ex-Chaplain General, Honorary State Regent and National Chairman of the American Indians Committee. Mrs. Rex expressed her pleasure at being present and thanked the Kansas Society for the flowers which were sent to her. Mrs. Berger explained that Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick, Ex-Vice President General and Honorary State Regent, could not be present as at that hour she was in conference with the Resolutions Committee. Others introduced were: State Vice Regent, Mrs. Roy V. Shrewder; State Registrar, Mrs. V. E. McArthur; State Chairman of Real Daughters, Mrs. J. W. Lane and National Vice Chairman of D. A. R. Museum, Mrs. Garland P. Ferrell. Each spoke briefly of her interest in her work and expressed pleasure in being present. Kansas members serving on the House Committee were then introduced: Mrs. W. E. Haines, Mrs. J. W. Lane, Mrs. Tillie Karns Newman and Mrs. C. F. Nies.

Mrs. Berger stated that the Kansas Daughters would follow the example set by the National Society in the work for the coming year. The same number of committees would continue to function and there would be two definite war projects: the purchasing of Defense Bonds by chapters and individuals and the raising of funds for the blood plasma equipment. She urged the continued support of the D. A. R. Approved Schools and spoke of the importance of microfilming the Kansas Census Records of 1860, 1870 and 1880. Through the generosity of Mrs. V. E. McArthur the record of 1860 has been microfilmed and she has interested her chapter in assisting with the other records. Mrs. Berger stated that chapters would be asked to assist.

Mrs. Theis voiced the appreciation of the delegation for the many kindnesses of Mrs. Berger and of her untiring effort to make all happy.

Meeting adjourned at 3:45 P. M.

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Thirty-nine members and guests met for luncheon at 1 o'clock on Wednesday, May 6, 1942, in the Continental Room of the Stevens Hotel in Chicago. The large U-shaped table was attractively decorated with a large bowl of Talisman roses. Groups of flags added color to the table. Guests at the luncheon were: Miss Elizabeth M. Barnes, National Chairman of Correct Use of the Flag Committee; Mrs. E. Clay Doyle, State Regent of South Carolina and Mr. Woodrow Crumbo who had assisted in the dedication, by proxy, of the Indian Room in Memorial Continental Hall. Miss Barnes, a native Kansan, displayed a cluster of flags of the United Nations and presented each one at the luncheon with a postal card, in colors, of Memorial Continental Hall. The delegation presented Mrs. Berger with a book.

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DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

OFFICERS 1942-1944

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## STATE CHAIRMEN 1942-1943

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