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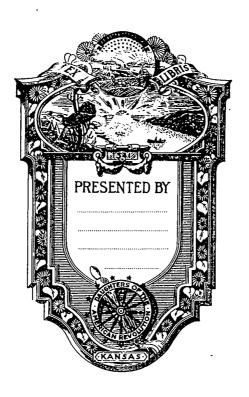
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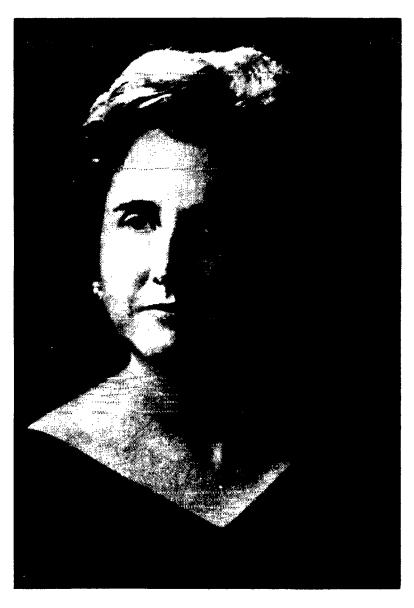
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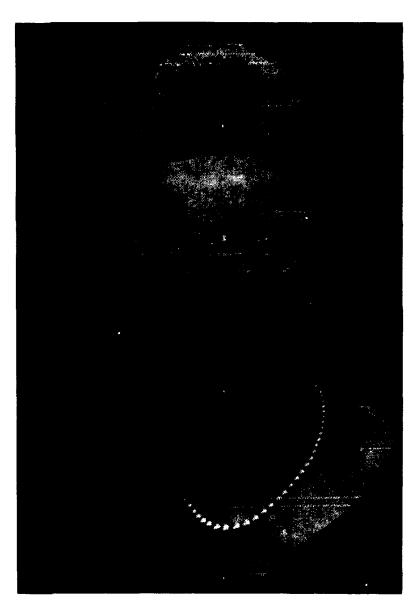
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## Hold High The Torch

Hold high the torch of beauty, truth and love! You did not light its glow-'Twas given you by other hands, you know. 'Tis yours to keep burning bright, Yours to pass on when you no more need light: For there are other feet that you must guide, And other forms go marching by your side. Their eyes are watching every tear and smile, And efforts which we think are not worthwhile, Are sometimes just the very help they need. Actions to which their souls would give most heed; So that in turn they'll hold it high and say, "I watched someone else carry it this way." If brighter paths should beckon you to choose Would your small gain compare with all you'd lose? Hold high the torch of beauty, truth and love! You did not light its glow-'Twas given you by other hands, you know. I think it started down its pathway bright The day our Master said, "Let there be light!" And He once said, who hung on Calvary's tree-"Ye are the light of the world." Go! Shine for me.

By Nelle B. Bradley

THEME chosen by Miss Pauline Cowger, State Regent, Kansas Daughters of the American Revolution 1962-65.



#### THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

I pledge allegiance
to the Flag of the United States of America
and to the Republic for which it stands—
one Nation under God, indivisible,
with liberty and justice for all.

-Francis Bellamy

#### THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

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

Oh! thus be it ever when free men shall stand Between their loved homes and the war's desolation; Blest with vic'try and peace, may the heav'n rescued land Praise the Pow'r that hath made and preserved us a nation; Then, conquer we must, when our cause it is just, And this be our motto, "In God is our trust." And the star-spangled banner in triumph shall wave, O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

#### THE AMERICAN'S CREED

I believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, for the people; whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic; a sovereign Nation of many sovereign States; a perfect Union, one and inseparable; established upon those principles of freedom; equality, justice and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes.

I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to love it; to support its Constitution; to obey its laws; to respect its flag, and to defend it against all enemies.

-William Tyler Page

## OBJECTS OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

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

The insignia should always be accorded the place of honor on all forms of stationery, programs, year-books, conference reports and tablets. It should be either at the top center or the upper left hand corner. No wording whatever should be put above it.—DAR Handbook, Page 62.

#### CHAPTER OPENING D. A. R. RITUAL

Gavel.

Regent: 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, Psalms 16:6, Deut. 8:2, Psalms 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.

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10.	Concordia, NW, Concordia	1921
11.	Council Oak, NW, Council Grove	1925
12.	Courtney Spalding, NW, Hays	1926
13.	Dana, SE, Columbus	1916
14.	Desire Tobey Sears, NW, Mankato	1923
<b>1</b> 5.	Dodge City, SW, Dodge City	1925
16.	Emporia, NE, Emporia	7 19 <b>12</b>
17.	Esther Lowery, SE, Independence 688	1905
18.	Eunice Sterling, SW, Wichita, 284	1896
19.	Flores del Sol, SW, Wichita	195 <b>6</b>
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21.	Fort Supply Trail, SW, Ashland	1931
22.	General Edward Hand, NE, Ottawa 488	1899
23.	Good-Land, NW, Goodland	1959
24.	Hannah Jameson, SE, Parsons 684	1904
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26.	Isabella Weldin, SE, Augusta	1929
27.	James Ross, NE, Kansas City, Kansas 852	1909
<b>2</b> 8.	Jane Dean Coffey, SE, Coffeyville	1935
29.	Jeremiah Howard, SW, Great Bend	1942
30.	John Athey, NW, Oakley	1949
31.	John Haupt, NE, Topeka	194 <b>9</b>
32.	Jonathan Gilbert, SW, LaCrosse	1937
33.	Kanza, SW, Stafford County 52	1940

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39. Minisa, SW, Wichita	
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41. Molly Foster Berry, SE, Fort Scott	1001 1911
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43. Neodesha, SE, Neodesha	1157 1914
44. Newton, NW, Newton	644 1904
45. Ninnescah, SW, Pratt	1940
46. Oceanus Hopkins, SE, Pittsburg	1219 1914
47. Olathe, NE, Olathe	
48. Peleg Gorton, SE, Winfield	34 1928
49. Phebe Dustin, NW, Phillipsburg	1924
50. Polly Ogden, NW, Manhattan	1102 1912
51. Randolph Loving, SW, Wichita	1935
52. Rhoda Carver Barton, SE, Fredonia	872 1909
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56. Smoky Hill, NW, Ellsworth	1879 1937
57. Sterling, NW, Sterling	685 1905
58. Susannah French Putney, SE, ElDorado	919 1910
59. Tomahawk, NE, Prairie Village	
60. Topeka, NE, Topeka	234 1896
61. Uvedale, SW, Hutchinson	788 1908
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We believe in a patriotism which loves one's country as the dearest and best in the world and does not refuse to defend it.

We believe in a loyalty to its government which leaves no room for socialism or communism.

We believe in a love of peace which leaves no room for pacifism that would buy peace at any price, even at the sacrifice of truth, honor and righteousness.

We believe in a living faith in God that leaves no room for atheism. Such ideals have a vital, spiritual appeal. Linked with memorials to America's past, they seek the perpetuation of the noblest and best for America's present and future.

#### The Daughters Pledge

We, the Daughters of the American Revolution, who find rest under thy folds, do pledge our lives, our hearts and our sacred honor to love and protect thee, our country and the liberty of the American people forever.

#### Our Aim

"To prove worthy of our national heritage and be willing to assume and discharge our full duties in American Citizenship. To teach posterity loyalty to our country and reverence to ancestry."

#### The Kansas Creed

I believe in the state of Kansas as the highest exponent of what a commonwealth should be. Revering her venerable past and glorying in the promise of her future, as she pulls in the Nation's Trace for Freedom, Justice and Equality, through travail to the stars.

I promise to defend her against all enemies; to obey and support her laws and institutions, including the Constitution of the United States of America upon which they are founded; and to ever be a useful, honorable and patriotic citizen.

> Louisa Cooke Don-Carlos 1936

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We, the people of the United States, in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for common defense, promote the general welfare and secure the blessing of liberty to ourselves and to our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America.

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DAR Good Citizen			
By-Laws			
Resolutions			
Finance Mrs. L. H. Kessler Mrs. J. M. Feller NE Mrs. HoBart Frederick Mrs. Hugh Cloninger SW Mrs. Howard Doyle SE Mrs. A. J. Meloan NW Mrs. C. K. Cooke NW			
Pages & Color Bearers			
Mrs. Frank Hodson			
Nancy Stover			

#### EXHIBITS

Junior Bazaar Conservation Year Books National Defense
Press Books
Publications of other states

#### Breakfasts 7:00 AM

Monday-C. A. RRose	Room
Tuesday-State ChairmenGreen	Room
Tuesday-Pages & Junior MembersGuard	Room
Wednesday—State Officers ClubGreen	Room
Wednesday-Chapter Regents ClubRose	Room

#### CONTINENTAL CONGRESS

#### KANSAS LUNCHEON—Tuesday, April 21, 1964 12:15—Mayflower Hotel—\$5.00

Mrs. Isabel Giulvezan .		Chairman
Mrs. L. B. Naylor, 2331	Tauromee, Kansas City,	KansasTickets
Mrs. Howard Doyle	Mrs. J. D. Britt	Mrs. H. Underwood

#### Second Annual Pilgrimage, Abilene Wednesday, April 29

Miss Marion Seelye		Chairman
Mrs. C. D. Cruse	Mrs. R. H. Chesney	Mrs. Chester Davis
Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn	Mrs. Ralph Ralston	Pauline Cowger

#### CONFERENCE RULES

- 1. All sessions will begin at the hour announced.
- All voting members are requested to be in their seats at the beginning of each session. State Chairmen and Appointees will occupy the seats designated for them in the front of the room. All other members will be seated according to the placard designation.
- 3. No one is to be seated during reports, speeches and musical numbers.
- 4. Any business unfinished at the time set for recess shall be resumed at the next session at the point where the recess was taken.
- 5. Only delegates have the privilege of the floor.
- 6. No member shall speak in debate more than once to the same question on the same day, or longer than two minutes at one time, except by the consent of the Conference granted by a twothirds vote without debate.
- 7. Only the chair is to be addressed in making reports.
- 8. District Directors reports shall be limited to four minutes.
- 9. State Chairmen's reports shall be limited to five minutes.
- 10. Chapter Regents reports shall be limited to three minutes.

- If both the Chapter Regent and Vice Regent are absent, the report shall be filed unless otherwise ordered.
- All motions shall be written and signed by the mover and seconder and handed to the Recording Secretary before action is taken.
- 13. A timekeeper will be appointed. All speakers shall conform to the ruling when time is called.
- 14. A typewritten copy of each and every report must be filed with the Recording Secretary as it is presented. Also a copy of the same handed to the State Regent.
- 15. If the Officer or Chairman or Appointee is not present, her report shall be filed for printing in the Official Proceedings, unless otherwise ordered.
- All Resolutions shall be in the hands of the Resolutions Committee not later than 5 PM Monday, March 9, 1964.
- 17. Any chairman or individual who has a table display or exhibit will please attend to having all materials removed at the close of the conference. Do not leave this detail for the hostess chapter.
- Members who appear on the program will always occupy the front seats, please.
- 10. Any reports or items not presented at the State Conference must receive the approval of the State Regent before being published in the Proceedings.
- 20. Robert's Rules of Order Revised, will govern all parliamentary action, not covered by the Society by-laws and Rules. Blue Ribbon designates delegates. Red Ribbon designates alternates.

#### PRE CONFERENCE PROGRAM

#### Sunday, March 8, 1964

- 3:00 PM-Executive Committee Meeting KSDAR. State Regent's Room.
- 4:00 PM-Registration until 9 PM.
- 5:00 PM-State Finance Committee Meeting. State Regent's Room.

#### Monday, March 9, 1964

- 8:00 AM-Registration, and thereafter to 10:00 AM Wednesday, Mar. 11.
- 7:00 AM—Breakfast. C. A. R. Mrs. L. A. Kunkel, State Chairman. Rose Room.
- 9:00 AM-Board of Management meeting KSDAR. Clan Room.
- 11:00 AM—Pages Meeting. North Ball Room. Mrs. Bertram Lempenau, Conference Marshall and Mrs. H. D. Ransom, Page Captain.
- 12:00 noon-"Historic" Luncheon, South Ball Room,

Decorations-Ninnescah Chapter, Mrs. Carl Terry, Regent

Presiding—Mrs. Carl Biegert, Chairman American Music, and Mrs. Lloyd V. Mellick, Chairman American Indians.

Invocation-Mrs. J. R. Henning, State Chaplain.

Solo-Esterre Sevin (Mrs. N. C.)

Pianist-Mrs. Charles N. McCarter.

Talk—Robert Gadberry, Vice President and Trust Officer, Fourth National Bank, Wichita. "Through Courage and Faith We Accomplish."

Prayer-The Indians version.

#### CONFERENCE PROGRAM Monday, March 9, 1964

North Ball Room, Broadview Hotel

1:45 PM-Musical Prelude, Mrs. Charles N. McCarter.

2:00 PM-Assembly Call. Trumpeter, Walter A. Gillespey.

Entrance March-Mrs. Charles N. McCarter.

Processional—Directed by Mrs. Bertram Lempenau, Conference Marshall.

Color Bearers and Pages.

Hostess Regents, SW District.

Vice Chairmen South Central Division

State Chairmen

Director Southwest District

State Conference Chairman

State Officers

Honorary State Regents

Distinguished Guests

National Officers

Hon, Gerald Byrd, Mayor, City of Wichita

State Regent

#### SIXTY SIXTH STATE CONFERENCE KSDAR Called To Order, Pauline Cowger, State Regent

Opening Prayer-Mrs. J. R. Henning, State Chaplain

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, led by Mrs. Brook L. Haines, State Chairman

The American's Creed—led by Mrs. E. Carruth Owen, State Chaiman Americanism and D A R Manual

The National Anthem—led by Mrs. Carl Biegert, State Chairman American Music

Greetings and Welcome—Hon. Gerald Byrd, Mayor, city of Wichita Mrs. Jos. A. Bogue, Director SW District

Mrs. J. Wesley Lucas. Conference Chairman

Response-Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease, Vice Regent KSDAR

Presentation—Distinguished Kansas Daughters, Honored Guests, Hostess Regents and Pages

Partial Report of Credentials Committee — Mrs. Harold L. Stephans, Chairman

Minutes of 1963 State Conference—Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Recording Secretary

Reading of Conference Rules-Mrs. Chester Davis, Parliamentarian

Acceptance of Conference Program—Mrs. J. Wesley Lucas, Conference Chairman

Appointment of Time keeper for all sessions—Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease, Vice Regent

Reports of State Officers-

Regent-Pauline Cowger

Vice Regent-Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease

Chaplain-Mrs. J. R. Henning

Recording Secretary-Mrs. HoBart Frederick

Corresponding Secretary-Mrs. J. R. Uphoff

Group Singing-Mrs. Carl Biegert, leader; Mrs. C. N. McCarter, pianist

Treasurer-Mrs. L. H. Kessler

Auditors Report

Registrar-Mrs. Harry M. Ives

Historian-Mrs. Ralph Ralston

Librarian-Mrs. Guy Josserand, Sr.

Reporter-Mrs. Bill E. Smith

Talk-Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Historian General NSDAR

Report of Resolutions Committee-Mrs. Claude E. Jurney, Chairman

Announcements-Mrs. J. Wesley Lucas, Conference Chairman

The Daughters Pledge-Mrs. E. Carruth Owen

Retiring of the Colors

Recess

#### Memorial Service

Rose Room, Broadview Hotel

4:30 PM-Prelude-Mrs. Charles N. McCarter

Bugle Call-Walter A. Gillespey, Trumpeter

Call to Worship. Prayer, Mrs. J. R. Henning

Hymn-"Faith of Our Fathers." Assemblage

Tribute in Loving Remembrance, Pauline Cowger

Tribute to Mrs. John W. Kirkpatrick-Mrs. W. H. von der Heiden

Solo—"The Lord's Prayer" by Malott, Galen Graham Pianist, Mrs. C. N. McCarter

Roll Call of Remembrance—Mrs. J. R. Henning, Mrs. H. M. Ives

Taps-Walter A. Gillespey

Benediction-Mrs. J. R. Henning

Recessional Music-Mrs. Charles N. McCarter

Please stand when the names of departed members of your chapter are called

#### Faith Of Our Fathers

- Faith of our fathers! Living still,
   In spite of dungeon, fire and sword.
   O, how our hearts beat high with joy
   When e'er we hear that glorious word.
   Faith of our Fathers! Holy Faith
   We will be true to thee 'til death.
- Faith of our fathers! We will love
  Both friend and foe in all our strife;
  And preach thee, as love knows how
  By kindly words and virtuous life.

#### "Our Good Citizen's" Dinner South Ball Room

6:30 PM—With DAR Story by Honorary State Regents, Family DAR Memberships, Directors and Chapter Regents Reports Decorations—Kanza Chapter, Mrs. C. E. Wilson, Regent Processional—Organist, Mrs. Charles N. McCarter Invocation—Mrs. J. R. Henning, State Chaplain Introductions

The DAR Story—Honorary State Regents,
Miss Catherine Campbell 1917-1921
Miss Marion E. Seelye 1938-1940
Mrs. Alexander J. Berger 1940-1944
Mrs. Roy V. Shrewder 1944-1948
Mrs. J. R. Kennedy 1948-1950
Mrs. W. H. von der Heiden 1950-1953
Mrs. Chester Davis 1956-1959
Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn 1959-1962

Song—"Be Strong and of Good Courage," DAR Songsters Our 1964 DAR Good Citizen—Mrs. Lucile Rust, State Chairman Comments by the Good Citizen

Kansas Outstanding Junior Member—Mrs. M. W. Reece, State Chairman Junior Membership

Crowning by the 1963 Outstanding Member

Family DAR Membership—(Mother & Daughter) (Grand-mother, Mother & Daughter)

Music—"Kansas Society DAR Songsters," Mrs. Carl Biegert, State Music Chairman America The Beautiful, Battle Hymn of the Republic, You're A Grand Old Flag

Reports of District Directors and Chapter Regents
Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease—Vice Regent KSDAR presiding
Announcements
Recess

## Northeast District

# Mrs. L. O. Gaddis, Ottawa, Director

ARTHUR BARRETT	== :: :
BETTY WASHINGTON	
CAPTAIN JESSE LEAVENWORTH	Mrs. C. D. Collins
GENERAL EDWARD HAND	Mrs. L. O. Gaddis
JAMES ROSS	• •
JOHN HAUPT	Mrs. J. L. Hersh
MISSION HILLS	Mrs, Roscoe Gillaspie
OLATHE	Mrs. Harrell Thomas
SAMUEL LINSCOTT	
SHAWNEE	Mrs. John W. McGuire Jr.
TOMAHAWK	Mrs. James E. Miller
TOPEKA	Mrs. H. A. Van Doran
WYANDOT	Mrs. Chas. E. Shockley

## Southeast District

# Mrs. John L. Harrison, El Dorado, Director

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BAXTER SPRINGS	Mrs. C. Y. Semple
BETTY BONNEY	Mrs. J. W. Dole
COFACHIQUE	Mrs. Forrest I. Officer
DANA	Mrs. Theo Stebbins
ESTHER LOWREY	Mrs. James C. Graves
HANNAH JAMESON	Mrs. Ralph H. Stewart
ISABELLA WELDIN	Mrs. Chester Davis
JANE DEAN COFFEY	
LUCRETIA GRISWOLD LATIMER	Mrs. Jewel Johnson
MOLLY FOSTER BERRY	Mrs. H. P. Kinney
NEODESHA	Mrs. Lawrence Catlin
OCEANUS HOPKINS	Mrs. Roy O. Cooper
PELEG GORTON	Mrs. J. W. Taylor
RHODA CARVER BARTON	Mrs. Giles Creager
SUSANNAH FRENCH PUTNEY	

## Southwest District

# Mrs. Joseph A. Bogue, Wichita, Director

BYRD PREWITT	Mrs. Samuel H. Riggs
DODGE CITY	Mrs. L. Ralph Miller
EUNICE STERLING	Mrs. Hugh Cloninger
FLORES del SOL	Mrs. Gladys Barutiney
FORT LARNED	Mrs. C. W. Cleveland
FT. SUPPLY TRAIL	Mrs. J. H. McNickle
JEREMIAH HOWARD	Mrs. R. V. Ernsting
JONATHAN GILBERT	Mrs. Orville C. Young
KANZA	Mrs. C. E. Wilson
MARTHA LOVING FERRELL	Mrs. A. E. Hurford
MARTHA VAIL	Mrs. T. V. Stranathan
MINISA	Mrs. W. B. Black

NINNESCAH	Mrs. Carl Terry
RANDOLPH LOVING	Mrs. Lloyd Warren
UVEDALE	Margaret Ramsdale
WELLINGTON	Mrs. Arthur Jervis
WICHITA	Mrs. Herman D. Ewers
WILLIAM WILSON	Mrs. Leroy Hood

#### Northwest District

## Mrs. E. H. Teagarden, Manhattan, Director

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ABILENE Miss	
CONCORDIA	Mrs. F. A. Young
COUNCIL OAK	Mrs. Ralph M. Casey
COURTNEY SPALDING	Mabel Lacey
DESIRE TOBEY SEARS	Mrs. Ray Dietz
EMPORIA	Mrs. J. A. Pruitt
GOOD-LAND	Mrs. C. L. Bigler
HENRY DAWSON	Mrs. H. J. Halbert
JOHN ATHEY	Mrs. Jake Hinther
LOIS WARNER	Mrs. S. F. Lloyd
MARY WADE STROTHER	Mrs. R. C. Perrussel
NATHAN EDSON	Mrs. Lawton Hanna
NEWTON	Mrs. W. T. Bolin
PHEBE DUSTIN	Mrs. Mary Jo Evans
POLLY OGDEN	Mrs. John Peak
SARAH STEWARD	Mrs. Eoline W. McLeod
SMOKY HILL	Mrs. Hector Campbell
STERLING	Mrs. Ralph Johnston

## Tuesday, March 10, 1964

- 7:00 AM—Breakfast—State Chairman, Green Room Mrs. R. W. Pearson, President
- 7:00 AM—Breakfast—Pages and Junior Members, Guard Room Mrs. M. W. Reece, Chairman; Mrs. Bertram Lempenau, Conerence Marshall. Mrs. H. D. Ransom, Captain of Pages
- 8:00 AM-6:30 PM-Registration
- 8:45 AM-Musical Interlude-Mrs. Charles N. McCarter
- 9:00 AM-Meeting Re-convened-Pauline Cowger, State Regent

Meditation-Mrs. J. R. Henning

Our DAR Creed-Mrs. E. Carruth Owen

Pledge of Allegiance to The Flag of the USA—Mrs. Brook L. Haines. Leader

The National Anthem-Mrs. Carl Biegert, Leader

Timekeeper-Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease

Partial Report of the Credentials Committee—Mrs. Harold L. Stephans

Minutes of Monday afternoon and evening sessions—Mrs. Ho-Bart Frederick

Reports of State Chairmen of National Committees
American Heritage—Mrs. Howard Doyle

American Indians-Mrs. Lloyd V. Mellick

American Music-Mrs. Carl Biegert

Americanism & DAR Manual-Mrs. E. Carruth Owen

C.A.R.-Mrs. L. A. Kunkel

Conservation-Mrs. Homer Smith

DAR Good Citizen-Mrs, Lucile Rust

DAR Magazine-Mrs. Howard W. Haines

DAR Magazine Advertising-Edith Sterling

DAR Museum-Mrs. Theo Stebbins

DAR Schools-Mrs. L. O. Gaddis

Group Singing-led by Mrs. Carl Biegert

Genealogical Records-Mrs. W. C. Adamek

Honor Roll-Mrs. Otto C. Lutes

Insignia-Mrs. W. E. Crawford

Junior American Citizens-Amy Hall

Junior Membership-Mrs. M. W. Reece

Lineage Research-Miss Hazel Howes

Membership-Mrs. Pearl N. Bottomley

Motion Pictures-Mrs. L. B. Johnson

National Defense-Mrs. E. A. Smith

Public Relations-Mrs. Bill E. Smith

Program-Mrs. E. H. Snider

Student Loan & Scholarship-Mrs. Wayne F. Shaw

The Flag of the USA-Mrs. Brook L. Haines

Transportation & Safety-Mrs. A. J. McCray

Announcements

Recess

## 12:15 PM-"Education" Luncheon-South Ball Room

Decorations—Byrd Prewitt Chapter, Mrs. S. H. Riggs, Regent DAR Schools, Student Loan and Scholarship, Americanism and DAR Manual

Presiding-Mrs. L. O. Gaddis, Mrs. E. C. Owen, Mrs. Wayne Shaw, State Chairmen

Invocation-Mrs. J. R. Henning

Music-East High School Girls Ensemble-Mary Huffman, Director

Talk—Donald W. Hansen, Director of Radio, Wichita University

2:00 PM-Afternoon Session. North Ball Room

Prelude Music-Mrs. Charles N. McCarter

2:15 PM-Meeting reconvened

Appointment of Floor Tellers

Comments—Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease, Magazine Chairman NSDAR

Report of By-laws Committee-Mrs. R. W. Graves

Report of Resolutions Committee-Mrs. Claude Jurney

Recommendations of State Board of Management

Reports of other Special Committees

American History Month-Miss Edna Wheatley

Constitution Week-Mrs. Ralph Ralston

Consulting Genealogist-Mrs. W. D. Bradshaw

DAR News Editor-Mrs. Bill E. Smith

Shawnee Mission-Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie

St. Francis Boys Home-Mrs. Paul Hennenhofer

Independence Day-Bell Ringing-Mrs. F. M. Charbo

Reports of Permanent Committees

Eisenhower Center-Mrs. R. H. Chesney

El Cuartelejo-Mrs. Chester Davis

DAR Library-Mrs. Guy D. Josserand

Kansas Chapel-Mrs. R. H. Chesney

Second DAR Spring Tour, Eisenhower Center — Mrs. C. D. Cruse

Announcements

"Our Aim"-Mrs. E. C. Owen

### 4:15 PM-Recess

4:30 PM to 6 PM—DAR Tea—Home of Mrs. Herman D. Ewers, 330 North Belmont

Transportation—Flores del Sol Chapter, Mrs. Gladys Barutiney, Regent

6:30 PM-Patriotic Banquet-South & Center Ball Room

Decorations-Ft. Larned Chapter, Mrs. C. W. Cleveland, Regent

Jeremiah Howard Chapter, Mrs. R. V. Ernsting, Regent Conservation—The Flag of the USA, C. A. R., JAC Committees Musical Prelude—Mrs. Charles N. McCarter

Processional

Presiding-Pauline Cowger, State Regent

Invocation-Mrs. J. R. Henning

Introductions

Greetings from Honored Guests

Our "First Timers"

Eunice Sterling Award Flags-Mrs. Hugh Cloninger, Regent Awards-Mrs. Baylies-NSDAR

Conservation-Mrs. Homer Smith

Membership-Mrs. Pearl Bottomley

DAR Magazine Subscriptions-Mrs. Howard Haines

Public Relations Press Book-Mrs. Bill E. Smith

American History Essays-Edna Wheatley

Talk-"Kansas"-Edward Snyder, Wichita University

Music—"Our Country"—Bill Harper and The Boeing Stratosingers

Announcements

Retire the Colors

Recess

### After Banquet-

State Historian and Program Chairman have set up projector and screen in Clan Room

Slides of KSDAR activities and members and Historic spots

DAR Story in Kansas and Plowshares to Pylons

## Wednesday, March 11, 1964

7:00 AM-Breakfast-State Officers Club, Green Room

Mrs. E. E. Huffman, President

7:00 AM—Breakfast—Chapter Regents Club, Rose Room

Mrs. C. Y. Semple, President

8:30-10 AM-Registration

9:30 AM-Musical Prelude-Mrs. Noble Merry

9:15 AM-Meeting reconvened-Pauline Cowger, State Regent, North
Rall Room

Scripture and Prayer-Mrs. J. R. Henning

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the USA-Mrs. Brook L. Haines

The Kansas Creed-Mrs. E. Carruth Owen

The National Anthem-Mrs. Carl Biegert

Timekeeper-Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease

Appoint Floor Tellers

Final Report of the Credentials Committee—Mrs. Harold L. Stephans

Reading of Friday session minutes—Mrs. HoBart Frederick Correspondence—Mrs. J. R. Uphoff

By-Laws Committee Report-Mrs. Roscoe W. Graves

Report of Resolutions Committee-Mrs. Claude Jurney

Report of Finance (Budget) Committee-Mrs. L. H. Kessler

Report of State Organizer-Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease

Report of Counsellor-Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn

Junior Membership Bazaar Results-Mrs. M. W. Reece

Report of Conference Marshall-Mrs. Bertram Lempenau

Presentation of DAR Spoons to Pages

Report of State Conference Chairman—Mrs. J. Wesley Lucas South Central Division NSDAR Vice Chairmen

Constitution Week-Mrs. John L. Harrison

DAR Good Citizen-Mrs. C. E. Brook

DAR Museum-Mrs. R. H. Chesney

Miscellaneous Business

Invitation for 1965 State Conference, Northwest District

Hostess-Mrs. E. H. Teagarden, Director

Continental Congress & NY Tour — Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Historian General

Kansas Luncheon—Mrs. L. B. Naylor, Mrs. Howard Doyle Thanks SW District and Members—Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease "Preamble of the USA"—Mrs. E. C. Owen—Hold High The

Adjournment of 66th Annual State Conference

Retiring of the Colors

Recessional—Blest Be The Tie That Binds

God Be With You Till We Meet Again

### HISTORIC LUNCHEON

At 12:00 noon the "Historic" Luncheon was held in the South Ball Room. The tables were artistically decorated by the Ninnescah Chapter, Mrs. Carl Terry, Regent. The late Mrs. Don Farmer, member of the Ninnescah Chapter, made the place cards. A money corsage was given to the national officer and each state officer to wear during the Conference. The money will be given for a project of KSDAR. This luncheon honored the American Music and the American Indian Committees with Mrs. Carl Biegert presiding. Mrs. Lloyd Mellick was unable to attend Conference. Mrs. J. R. Henning gave the invocation. Mrs. Carl Biegert introduced the guests.

Mrs. N. C. Sevin, Minisa Chapter, sang three beautiful Indian songs, Remembered, By Singing Waters and By The Waters of Minnetonka. These songs were composed by the late Dr. Thurston Lieurance, voice teacher of Mrs. Sevins, who did so much for the Indian school boys in the city of Wichita. Accompanist was Mrs. Charles N. McCarter.

Announcements were made by the Conference Marshall, Mrs. Bertram Lempenau and the American Music Chairman, Mrs. Carl Biegert.

Mr. Robert Gadberry, Vice President and Trust Officer, Fourth National Bank, Wichita, gave a very outstanding talk "Through Courage and Faith We Accomplish."

The luncheon was adjourned with Mrs. Carl Biegert giving a Prayer: the Indians version.

Approved as read by the Executive Committee.

Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Recording Secretary

## SIXTY-SIXTH ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE

of the Kansas Society

Daughters of the American Revolution

Wichita, Kansas—March 9, 10, 11, 1964

Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Secretary

The opening session of the 66th State Conference of the Kansas Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held in the North Ball Room of the Broadview Hotel in Wichita on Monday, March 9, 1964, at 2:15 p. m. The Assembly call by Mr. John Foster announced the Processional of Color Bearers; Pages; Hostess Regents of Southwest District; National Vice Chairmen South Central Division; State Chairmen; Director of Southwest District; State Conference Chairmen; State Officers; Honorary State Regents; Distinguished Guests; National Officer; Honorable Gerald Byrd, Mayor, City of Wichita; and State Regent. Mrs. Charles N. McCarter at the piano played for the Processional.

The State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, by the power invested in her as the State Regent declared the 66th State Conference of the Kansas Society, Daughters of the American Revolution in session.

The State Chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Henning, gave the Opening Prayer. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. Brook L. Haines, State Chairman of Flag of the United

States of America; and Mrs. Carl Biegert, State Chairman of American Music, led the singing of the National Anthem. Mrs. E. Carruth Owen, State Chairman of Americanism and DAR Manual, led in the recitation of the American's Creed.

Greetings and welcome to the city of Wichita were extended by Honorable Gerald Byrd, Mayor, City of Wichita, and presented the State Regent with a key to the city. Mayor Byrd pinned the small key on the State Regent.

Mrs. Joseph A. Bogue, Director Southwest District, extended greetings and welcome to the 66th State Conference as did Mrs. J. Wesley Lucas, State Conference Chairman. Mrs. Frances Dodd, State President of the Veterans Foreign Wars Auxiliary of Kansas, extended greeting.

The State Regent, Miss Cowger, stated Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease, Vice Regent, was with us today in thought. Miss Cowger extended our sympathy and love to the bereaved family.

Mrs. H. A. Van Doran, Regent of the Topeka Chapter, responded to the greetings.

The gavel used by the State Regent during this Conference was a gift presented to the Kansas Society, DAR by Mrs. Wayne Shaw, in the name of the James Ross Chapter, year 1936. The gavel is made of wood from Shawnee Mission.

Distinguished Kansas Daughters presented by the State Regent were: Historian General NSDAR and Honorary State Regent, Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn; Honorary State Regent and member of the NSDAR Auditing Committee, Mrs. W. H. von der Heiden; Honorary State Regent and Parliamentarian, Mrs. Chester Davis; State Officers; District Directors; National Vice Chairmen of South Central Division; Senior State President C. A. R.; Northwestern Division Senior National Vice President C. A. R.; State Chairman of National Committees; Appointees and Special Committees.

Mrs. Harold L. Stephans, Chairman of Credentials Committee gave a partial report.

National Officer 1, State Officers 9, Delegates 86, Alternates 29, Visitors 48, Chapter Regents 36, making a total of 209.

45 Chapters represented.

The State Regent declared a quorum present to conduct the business of the Conference. The Minutes of the 1963 State Conference were called for. Mrs. Howard Haines moved we dispense with reading of the Minutes of the 1963 State Conference as the same material is incorporated in the Proceedings for 1963. Seconded by Mrs. J. Harmon Rupe. Carried.

Mrs. Chester Davis, Parliamentarian, read the Conference Rules and moved the Conference Rules be adopted. Seconded by Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn. Carried.

Mrs. J. Wesley Lucas, Conference Chairman, moved we adopt the program as printed as the regular order of business of this State Conference. Seconded by Mrs. Howard Haines. Carried.

Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, State Corresponding Secretary, was appointed

time keeper by the State Regent in the absence of Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease, Vice Regent.

The reports of State Officers followed: State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger; Chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Henning; Recording Secretary, Mrs. HoBart Frederick; and Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. R. Uphoff. After Mrs. Carl Biegert led the group in singing "Home on the Range" the officers reports continued with the State Treasurer, Mrs. Lewis Kessler. Mrs. Kessler moved the adoption of the Auditor's Report. Seconded by Mrs. Ralph Ralston. Carried. The Registrar, Mrs. Harry Ives, reported a net loss of 85 members with 1 chapter disbanding.

The Historian, Mrs. Ralph Ralston, reported approximately \$500.00 has been raised of the \$1000 pledged by the 1963 State Conference through voluntary contributions for the Historian General's project, Index and Catalog the Americana Collection in the Archives Room. Mrs. Ralston asked the Historian General, Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, to tell about the Americana Collection. Mrs. Kilbourn presented an interesting talk on a few of the priceless items in the Americana Collection.

Mrs. Ralston asked Mrs. Robert Chesney to be in charge of the pledging of funds to the Americana Collection. Monetary contributions were received and a report of the total amount received will be given by Mrs. Ralston at a later time during the Conference.

The State Librarian, Mrs. Guy D. Josserand, reported on the National Library Renovating Project, cost to be approximately \$100,000. By request of Mrs. Josserand, a member of our Library Committee, Mrs. F. E. Blaser, spoke of the importance of the National library and if each member of the Kansas Society would give 65c the Kansas quota would be reached.

All Officers reports will be printed in their entirety in the 1964 Proceedings.

The first reading of the Resolutions by the Chairman of the Resolutions Committee, Mrs. Claude Jurney, was presented.

Announcements were made by the State Regent, Miss Cowger; Conference Chairman, Mrs. Lucas; State Chairman Club President, Mrs. R. W. Pearson; and the Northwest District Director, Mrs. E. H. Teagarden.

The Daughter's Pledge was read by Mrs. E. Carruth Owen.

The colors were retired and the meeting recessed for the Memorial Service.

Approved as read.

Recording Secretary, Mrs. HoBart Frederick

### MEMORIAL HOUR

The memorial service was held at 4:30 p. m. Monday afternoon in the Rose Room of the Broadview Hotel. Following the piano prelude by Mrs. Charles N. McCarter, the Bugle Call was given by Frank Jacques. The State Chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Henning, gave the Call to Worship and Prayer. The Assemblage sang "Faith of Our Fathers." The State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, gave a tribute in Loving Remembrance of our

deceased membership. Honorary State Regent, Mrs. W. H. von der Heiden, paid tribute to Mrs. John W. Kirkpatrick.

A solo "In The Secret Place of the Most High" was sung by Galen Graham. The State Chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Henning and the State Registrar, Mrs. Harry M. Ives, gave the Roll Call of Remembrance. Mrs. Henning pronounced the benediction and taps were sounded by Frank Jacques. The Assemblage stood during the Recessional.

Approved as corrected.

Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Recording Secretary

### MEMORIAL SERVICE

Prelude: Mrs. Charles N. McCarter.

Bugle Call: Frank Jacques.

Call to Worship. Prayer: Mrs. J. R. Henning.

Ours are they by an ownership

Nor time nor death can free;

For God hath given to Love

To keep its own eternally.

What a priceless gift of God is memory. Through memory the example, words, ideas and ideals of those we have loved most, influence us long after we no longer hear their voices.

These lovely white flowers speak to us of the beauty of the eternal life which God has promised to those who love and follow Him. We have lighted four candles to stand for our four Districts. The flames of the candles represent the highest ideals which are passed on from one generation to the next. May we do honor by our deeds to those whom we hold close in memory today.

Perhaps the best known and most loved promise made to us by our Lord Jesus Christ is given in John 14:1-3.: Let not your hearts be troubled: ye believe in God believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am you may be also.

Let us pray. O God and Father we thank Thee for this assurance of Thy loving care in eternal life. Even though we are sad that those whom we hold close in memory today are not still with us in body, we rejoice that their spirits are with Thee evermore. Bless them in their new life, bless the loved ones who miss them and quicken our hearts to "Hold High the Torch" which has been passed on to us. This we ask in Christ's name. Amen.

Hymn: "Faith of Our Fathers," Assemblage

Tribute in Loving Remembrance, Pauline Cowger

Let us now, with grateful hearts, remember before God, the dearly beloved dead. They have left our earthly companionship, but they still live within our hearts. The remembrance of them is dear and blessed. They are not dead who live in the hearts they leave behind. In those they have blessed, they live again. Eternal life is theirs throughout the years and time declares their immortality.

In the quietness of this hour we would be mindful of those daughters who have joined the "Chapter Eternal." They lived in the assurance of the "Faith of Our Fathers" and of HIS promise of everlasting life. And, with that same Faith in our hearts, we wait our call.

They influenced us in our thinking, and action in our Society and in this free world, and it will not be lost as long as even one individual carries on that significant contribution that they made.

The horizon is the limit of our sight, but they now have unlimited vision and ability. GOD gave these dear friends and relatives to us and now, after they've been here a little while HE's taken them back to him.

There was a time when we were not.

The fixed and changeless aeons of the past hold not a trace of they or you or me:

But on every changing future we have cast our tiny shadow And there never more can be a time without we.

This service is our expression of thanks and gratitude and appreciation. And, as their names are called, may we recall the fond memories of their association and experience, as well as the happiness of fellowship and our dedicated mutual interests with them.

Tribute to Mrs. John Kirkpatrick, Mrs. W. H. von der Heiden.

We pause in loving memory to Esther Thayer Kirkpatrick, Honorary Vice President General of NSDAR and Honorary State Regent of Kansas, who died April 29, 1963 at the Allen Memorial Hospital, El Dorado, Kansas. Mrs. Kirkpatrick was born March 20, 1881 in Newman, Illinois. She came to Kansas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thayer, who were prominent in early day history of the state and lived on a ranch near Pontiac. We will recall that at the time of State Conference last year she was very ill and unable to come and she never recovered from that illness. She was grieved at that time for she had anticipated being with the President General and sharing the special honors prepared for her on her official visit to Kansas. It was a great disappointment to Mrs. Kirkpatrick, one in which we all shared.

On June 6, 1906 she was married to John Warren Kirkpatrick and in 1907 they began their long life together in El Dorado, which ended by her death. He survives her, also her brother, Russell Thayer and a nephew, Russel Jr. and a niece, Mrs. Glen Kurth.

The Kirkpatrick home was ever the meeting place of distinguished people from near and far and it was noted for its hospitality, gracious living, quiet elegance. Mrs. Kirkpatrick had attended the University of Kansas School of Music before her marriage and enjoyed good musical entertainment.

In 1910 she organized and was the first Regent of the Susannah French Putney Chapter DAR in El Dorado which was named after one of her outstanding ancestors.

She was the State Regent from 1929 to 1933 and helped establish the DAR Traveling Library; also helped organize the Children of the American Revolution. Mrs. Kirkpatrick was always alert and active in community programs and clubs and always loyal to her friends, town, state, and eager to promote things for the benefit of those around her. She was associated with others in forming the Kansas Daughters of Colonial Wars and served as National Vice President. She was a member of Kansas Society of Founders and Patriots of America and served as a State President. At Continental Congress in 1956 her devotion and faithful service to DAR was recognized by being made an Honorary Vice President General for Life. It made her very happy—it was a cherished dream come true.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick was an Episcopalian and the simple impressive funeral services of that faith were conducted at the Trinity Episcopal Church in El Dorado, May 1, 1963. Later, on the same afternoon, entombment was made at the Old Mission Mausoleum in Wichita.

There in the stately marble Halls of the beautiful, eternal resting place, we said adieu to our beloved member and friend, Esther, a fine, intelligent, gentle woman, worthy of our emulation. As we left her in the quietness of the tomb, there was consolation in our hearts for the many years of pleasant companionship, there was also a determination to go forward with dignity, and Faith in a glad reunion at life's journey's end.

Solo: "In The Secret Place Of The Most High" by MacDermit, Galen Graham. Accompanist, Mrs. C. N. McCarter.

Roll Call of Remembrance: Mrs. J. R. Henning and Mrs. H. M. Ives.

## MEMORIAL LIST February 15, 1963 to February 22, 1964

ABILENE CHAPTER
317634—Kate Kerr Henderson (Frank)7-7-63
123069—Lucy Hardcastle Sterl (Oscar)
ARTHUR BARRETT CHAPTER
427374—Ethel Chapman Sanderson (William)4-2-63
295164—Winifred Maddocks Berry (John Lewis)1-17-64
ATCHISON CHAPTER
480359—Effie C. Wentz Kiger (Emory)4-21-63
BETTY BONNEY CHAPTER
237688—Thirza Roberts Cotton (C. A.)
BETTY WASHINGTON CHAPTER
170105—Marguerite Bullene (Miss)
112041—Agnes Anne Anderson Murray (J. W.)10-8-63
BYRD PREWITT CHAPTER
315977—Osa Clark Nichols (Mrs.)12-13-63
CAPTAIN JESSIE LEAVENWORTH CHAPTER
149000—Genevra May Adams Schilling (Edward D.)8-20-63
375573—Julia Haynes Vosseler (Carl)9-8-63
161422—Josephine Angell Minus (J. C.)

COUNCIL OAK CHAPTER	
85002-Madge E. Harris Burhop (Thomas J.)3-3-6	3
223322—Elva Ray Illk (Samuel)3-5-6	3
208660—Nancy Newburn Kneeland (L. D.)8-24-6	3
219168—Verne Dilley White (W. H. Jr.)1-11-6	
COURTNEY-SPALDING CHAPTER	
251865—Ethel Ann Stainer (Monroe A.)	: 2
ESTHER LOWREY CHAPTER	
360378—Grace A. Swisher (Miss)	
	3
EUNICE STERLING CHAPTER	
224215—Maude L. Thomas White (J. Samuel)6-19-6	
17488—Mattie Fabrique Nolley (G. T.)8-1-6	3
FORT LARNED CHAPTER	
187824—Emma Virginia Reed (Miss)8-9-6	3
FORT SUPPLY TRAIL CHAPTER	
328838—Lida Catherine Parcel Coggins (Marion T.) 8-19-6	3
GENERAL EDWARD HAND CHAPTER	
121835—Harma Ash Walker (Gardner P.)	3
289871—Sarah Cone Cook (Arthur L.)	
279277—Ora Ellen Cade LeChien (August)	
460032—Ethel Hinman Eggenberger (John)	
HANNAH JAMESON CHAPTER	J
436229—Margaret Ott Wood (Roy W.)	
	3
ISABELLA WELDIN CHAPTER	
279938—Stella B. Haines (Miss)9-18-6	3
JAMES ROSS CHAPTER	
254658—Grace Ellen Roberts (Miss)8-7-6	
403026—Kate Hamilton Torrey (Elmer Ellsworth)8-22-6	
178818—Fannie Burford Schultz (Willie C.)10-4-6	
361238—Mary Etta Fields Reese (George Albert)	3
JANE DEAN COFFEY CHAPTER	
82702—Zoe Harroun Brown (Ralph Perry)2-3-6	3
456598—Helen Stapleton Wilson (John)8-24-6	
312389—Laura Lyons Tuttle (H. S.)	3
JEREMIAH HOWARD CHAPTER	
333122—Mary Peel Craine (Robert E.)12-9-6	3
303217—Rella Scott Rhea (Glen N.)	
KANZA CHAPTER	_
378790—Orpha Clemma Park (Ira Blaine)	3
366031—Wilma Carey (Miss)	
LOIS WARNER CHAPTER	J
	_
307123—Beatrice Banker Hamilton (Logan A.)	
191841—Sarah Estella Steadman (Miss)9-16-6	3
LUCRETIA GRISWOLD LATIMER CHAPTER	
378801—Ruth Evelyn McDowell Lisman (David DeWitt)6-16-6	
361249—Bessie Robins Weaver (A. R.)1-7-6	4

MARTHA LOVING FERRELL CHAPTER
482975—Cornelia Passage Paup (James Everett)8-28-63
328854—Mary Anna Dean Lindgren (J. G.)10-24-63
MARY WADE STROTHER CHAPTER
482979—Cecil Elizabeth Miller Wright1-3-64
475346—Helen Jane Price Wallace (Robert A.)1-20-64
NEWTON CHAPTER
328859—Caroline Stiles Bryan (John Lamar)
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NINNESCAH CHAPTER
382157—Georgia Ward Talbot (Gilbert L.)
327439—Mary Belle Mann Elliott (Ezra)
403141—Lois Figge Farmer (Donald A.)
335303—Maude A. Shields Whitman (J. E.)10-10-61
OCEANUS HOPKINS CHAPTER
448318—Alma Joan Lucas (Miss)5-31-63
270699—Hallie Reed Jones (Elmer W.)
OLATHE CHAPTER
172157—Laura Dana Newton (John R.)5-19-63
322157—Zula Chase (Miss)
PHEBE DUSTIN CHAPTER
220369—Eva Mullen Schneider (Abraham)1-13-64
SAMUEL LINSCOTT CHAPTER
467156—Grace Zimmerman Wallace (Bert Alfred)5-18-63
448319—Edith Maria White (Miss)
SUSANNAH FRENCH PUTNEY CHAPTER
56265—Esther Thayer Kirkpatrick (J. Warren)4-29-63
303210—Fances Stimpson Boston (C. Otis)5-29-63
307129—Mary Gamble Maxwell (Guy V.)1-26-64
315964—Emma Robb Henderson (John)2-21-64
TOPEKA CHAPTER
249362—Bertha Faulkner Clay Brantingham (George L.)3-5-63
79857—Jean Wallace Strickler (Jacob G.)5-19-63
105550—Martha Adelaide Holyoke (Miss)
390310—Grace Mabel Remaley Truog (C. H.)1-23-64
UVEDALE CHAPTER
289867—Emma Sandt Davis (Walter Edward)9-7-63
298212—George-Ann Bostick Russell (Ralph)11-16-63
WELLINGTON CHAPTER
181382—Almeda King Taggart (Earl J.)9-4-63
WILLIAM CREEKMORE CHAPTER
330775—Amy Smith Robinson (J. D.)
346512—LoDema James Hilen (Clarence T.)10-16-63
WYANDOT CHAPTER
291827—June Wear Steineger (John F.)12-16-63
Taps: Frank Jacques
Benediction: Mrs. J. R. Henning
Let us depart in peace
Recessional Music: Mrs. Charles N. McCarter.

## "OUR GOOD CITIZEN'S" DINNER

"Our Good Citizens" Dinner was held in the South Ball room at 6:30 p. m. The tables were beautifully decorated by the Kanza Chapter. Following the processional the State Chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Henning, gave the invocation.

The State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, introduced the guests. The Honorary State Regents told the DAR Story. The Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, read the stories of those who could not attend the dinner. Those present to tell the story were: Mrs. W. H. von der Heiden, Mrs. Chester Davis and Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn.

The song "Be Strong and of Good Courage" words and music by Mrs. Ruby E. Hutcheson, charter member of the Mission Hills Chapter, was sung by a quartet from the Eunice Sterling Chapter. Members of the quartet were: Mrs. Hubert Rose, Mrs. Leslie B. Sence, Miss Eva A. Jackson and Mrs. Hugh E. DeWater. Accompanist: Mrs. Noble Merry.

After a few remarks by Mrs. Lucile Rust, State Chairman of DAR Good Citizen, she presented the 1964 DAR Good Citizen, Miss Sandra Kay Kumber, Sawyer, Kansas, and her mother. Sandra was presented the DAR State Good Citizen Pin and a \$100.00 U. S. Savings Bond by Mrs. Rust. Miss Kumber gave a delightful response on her essay.

Mrs. M. W. Reece, State Chairman of Junior Membership, presented the Kansas Outstanding Junior Member, Mrs. Norton Rixey, Mission Hills Chapter. She was crowned by the State Regent, Miss Cowger. Mrs. James E. Miller, Regent of the Tomahawk Chapter, on behalf of Mrs. Paul Enger, 1963 Outstanding Junior Member, presented the Outstanding Junior Member with two red roses. Mrs. Rixey thanked the Kansas Society for the honor and Mrs. Miller for the roses and introduced her mother, Mrs. Ash, Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Family DAR Memberships were: Six Mother and Daughter memberships; and one Grandmother, Mother and Daughter membership.

Special recognition was given to Mrs. H. H. Fowler who is eightyseven years of age and to Mrs. Garland P. Ferrell for her thirty-three years of faithful service in the KSDAR.

Mrs. Carl Biegert, American Music Chairman, led the DAR Songsters in singing the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," "America, the Beautiful" and "You're A Grand Old Flag."

Following the reports of District Directors and Chapter Regents the meeting recessed until 9:00 a. m. Tuesday, March 10.

Approved as corrected.

Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Recording Secretary

### TUESDAY MORNING

The business session of Tuesday, March 10, 1964, was called to order at 9:20 a.m. by the State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, in the North Ball Room of the Broadview Hotel. The State Chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Henning, gave the meditations Mrs. E. Carruth Owen led in the repeating of Our DAR Creed. This was followed with the Pledge of Allegiance to

the Flag of the United States of America led by Mrs. Brook L. Haines. Mrs. Carl Biegert led in the singing of the National Anthem.

Mrs. Harold L. Stephans gave a partial report of the Credentials Committee: 1 National Officer, 9 State Officers, 95 Delegates, 36 Alternates, 64 Members, 35 Chapter Regents making a total of 240.

The minutes of the Monday Afternoon session, Memorial Service, and evening session were read and approved as corrected.

The reports of the State Chairmen of National Committees followed: American Heritage report by Mrs. Howard Doyle. She presented cash awards as follows: First Report received from Desire Tobey Sears Chapter, \$1.00. The four Best Reports sent to the National Vice Chairman for entry into the National Contest: tied for third place were Dana Chapter and Desire Tobey Sears Chapter, \$1.00. Second place Atchison, \$3.00. First place Eunice Sterling, \$5.00. American Music, Mrs. Carl Biegert; Americanism and DAR Manuals, Mrs. E. Carruth Owen; C. A. R., Mrs. L. A. Kunkel; Conservation, Mrs. Homer Smith; DAR Good Citizen, Mrs. Lucile Rust; DAR Magazine, Mrs. Howard Haines; DAR Museum, Mrs. Theo Stebbins and DAR Schools, Mrs. L. O. Gaddis.

Mrs. Carl Biegert then led the group in singing The More We Get Together, after which reports were continued. Genealogical Records, Mrs. W. C. Adamek; Honor Roll, Mrs. Otto Lutes; Insignia, Mrs. W. E. Crawford; Junior American Citizen, Miss Amy Hall; Junior Membership, Mrs. M. W. Reece; Lineage Research, Miss Hazel Howes; Membership, Mrs. Pearl Bottomley; National Defense, Mrs. E. A. Smith; Public Relations, Mrs. Bill Smith; Program, Mrs. E. A. Snider; Student Loan & Scholarship, Mrs. Wayne Shaw; The Flag of the United States of America, Mrs. Brook L. Haines. She awarded the Eunice Sterling Chapter \$5.00 for the chapter having the most varied Flag Activity.

Telegrams received and read by the Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, were from President General, Mrs. Robert V. H. Duncan; the Nebraska State Regent, Mrs. H. H. Sellick; and the Colorado State Regent, Mrs. Clark A. Pratz.

Being ahead of schedule the State Regent asked for reports of other Special Committees to be given. Mrs. Ralph Ralston gave a brief report on Constitution Week, followed with the reading of the contributions received from pledges to the Americana Collection Fund. After the DAR News Editor, Mrs. Bill Smith, gave her report the meeting recessed until 2:15 p. m.

Approved as read.

Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Recording Secretary

### "EDUCATION" BUFFET LUNCHEON

At 12:15 p. m. the Education Buffet Luncheon was served in the South Ball Room. The tables were artistically decorated by the Byrd Prewitt Chapter, Mrs. Sam Riggs, Regent. This luncheon honored the DAR Schools; the Student Loan and Scholarship Fund and the Americanism and DAR Manual committees. Mrs. L. O. Gaddis, DAR Schools Chairman, presided. Mrs. J. R. Henning gave the invocation.

The East High School Girls Ensemble directed by Mary Huffman sang three delightful numbers: "With A Song In My Heart," "Holiday Strings" and "On The Street Where You Live." Soloist, Miss Lu Ann Leisy, sang "Sure On This Shining Night."

Mr. Donald Hansen, Director of Radio, Wichita University, gave an inspirational talk entitled "Courage For Our Days." Mr. Hansen presented the State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, with the Tapes and Narratives of "Citizen USA" edited by Mr. Hansen, based on our DAR Citizenship Manual. Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Historian General and the Kansas member of the National Society DAR Executive Committee, spoke of the authorization by the NSDAR giving Mr. Hansen the right to use our DAR Citizenship Manual in preparing these programs. Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn presented the Kansas Society the Tapes and Narratives of "Citizen USA" to be used by the chapters for program material. Mrs. E. H. Snider, Program Chairman, accepted the gift.

The State Regent, Miss Cowger, introduced Mrs. E. L. Wulfmeyer, the new Senior State President, C. A. R.

The meeting was recessed until 2:15 p. m.

Approved as read.

Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Recording Secretary

#### TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The meeting was called to order at 2:15 p. m. by the State Regent, Miss Pauine Cowger. Floor tellers appointed by the State Regent were: Chairman Mrs. James E. Miller, Northeast District; Mrs. Roy Cooper, Southeast District; Mrs. C. C. Youse, Southwest District and Mrs. H. J. Halbert, Northwest District.

The ByLaws Committee report was read by the chairman, Mrs. Roscoe Graves and Mrs. Graves moved that the printed copy of the Proposed Amendments to the ByLaws of the Kansas Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, with the corrections made be accepted as the first reading of such amendments. Seconded by Mrs. W. H. von der Heiden. Carried.

The next order of business was the second reading and voting on the Resolutions with the Chairman, Mrs. Claude Jurney, presiding. The Courtesy resolutions will be presented Wednesday morning at the final session.

- Resolution 1. RELIGION OR ATHEISM IN SCHOOLS. Mrs. Jurney moved the adoption of Resolution 1. Seconded by Mrs. Hugh Cloninger. Carried.
- Resolution 2 THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS. Mrs. Jurney moved the adoption of Resolution 2. Seconded by Mrs. O. M. Stansbury. Carried.
- Resolution 3. KANSAS HISTORY IN OUR SCHOOLS, Mrs. Jurney moved the adoption of Resolution 3. Seconded by Mrs. H. J. Halbert. Carried.

Resolution 4. WOMEN'S RESPONSIBILITY IN A CHANGING WORLD. Mrs. Jurney moved the adoption of Resolution 4. Seconded by Mrs. Theo Stebbins, Mrs. John McGuire and Mrs. W. H. von der Heiden. Carried.

Resolution 5. REAFFIRMATION. Mrs. Jurney moved the adoption of Resolution 5. Seconded by Mrs. L. Ralph Miller. Carried.

### 1. RELIGION OR ATHEISM IN SCHOOLS

WHEREAS, Our nation was founded by men of deep religious faith and our great instruments of government have been drawn up by leaders who sought Divine Guidance, and

WHEREAS: The removal from our public schools of all religious expression by Atheistic persons in actions before our Supreme Court is contrary to the spirit and principles under which this country was founded, and

WHEREAS: The sharing of undenominational religious exercises in public schools provides far reaching experiences in moral and cultural training for future citizens of the United States and is the right inherent given by the First Amendment to the Consitution of the United States of America, and

WHEREAS: Some schools and colleges have Atheist teachers who instill doubt deliberately upon our American youth, therefore, BE IT

RESOLVED: By the Kansas Society of the DAR that we support the movement to petition the Supreme Court to be consistent in their actions and if God be ruled out and prohibited in our schools so shall Atheism be prohibited by the teaching of theories in diametrical contradiction to the Word of God. BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED: That we support our Representatives to Congress in behalf of legislation to allow undenominational religious exercises in public schools. This legislation is now in the House Judiciary Committee, Emanuel Celler, Chairman.

Mollie Cloud Huston, Martha Vail Chapter

#### 2. THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS

WHEREAS: Our Constitution established our Congress as the legislative body of the government. The "founding fathers," motivated by experience and study, and we believe—divinely guided—devised a plan of government which would insure against the loss of "the peoples Rights and Freedoms." They planned for three separate branches, co-ordinate and co-equal but with the legislative branch directly responsible and answerable to the people and having control over the other two by means of "the purse power" expressly reserved for it.

WHEREAS: For decades "the people's branch" maintained the planned equilibrium by courageously and astutely keeping the other two from stealing away its dominence, as feared might happen.

WHEREAS: The Executive and Judicial branches under dynamic political leadership have enhanced their powers and importances by

executive order and court decision and so the authority of Congress has been by-passed and usurped, therefor, BE IT

RESOLVED: That the Kansas Society DAR request the National Society DAR, to urge Congress to reassert its authority by using its power of appropriation to regain its position as the law making body of the United States of America.

Ruby White

### 3. KANSAS HISTORY IN OUR SCHOOLS

WHEREAS: Kansas held a pivot position historically, geographically and politically in the forming of our great nation, as it is today, thus making us the heirs to a rich heritage from our pioneer forefathers. This should be correcty retold to today's Kansas children, and

WHEREAS: There is a need for instilling a pride attitude and upgrading of love and understanding for the state's great potential, BE IT

RESOLVED: That the Kansas Society DAR recommend to the State Superintendent of Schools and to the State Textbook Screening Committee that only current, accurate textbooks be permitted in Kansas schools when teaching the state's rich and colorful history. That the state's full record of patriotism, heroism and strength of moral precepts, be used to build pride of heritage in young Kansans.

Lida E. Lees, Wyandot Chapter

### 4. WOMEN'S RESPONSIBILITY IN A CHANGING WORLD

WHEREAS: Abraham Lincoln once observed that should this nation, ever be destroyed, destruction would come from within, and

WHEREAS: The drive toward some form of world government does not come from the grass roots of the American people, nor, with few exceptions, does it come from their elected Representatives, and

WHEREAS: More than one-half of the American citizens of the United States of voting age are women, they should prepare themselves to vote intelligently in the coming elections by knowing the issues debated as well as the candidates for whom they vote, and

WHEREAS: In our changing world of today our values and national mores are being shifted from the fundamental principles by which our blessings of liberty were fashioned, BE IT

RESOLVED: That the Kansas Society DAR hold the line by well informed voting to keep ever in mind to "Prove All Things;" Hold Fast That Which Is Good.

Irma L. Nixon - Sadie F. Jurney

### 5. REAFFIRMATIONS

Past Resolutions of the Kansas State Society DAR are in effect unless rescinded. The Resolutions Committee presents the following Resolutions to remind members of their value.

 Deplore use and extensive advertising of untried drugs upon unsuspecting public, and decry the widespread use of dangerous chemical insecticides by untrained persons.

- 2. Protest distribution of communistic propaganda through our postal system supported by the American taxpaver.
- 3. Kansas historical sites to continue to be stressed at meetings planned for our membership. New sites added if possible.
- 4. Promotion of good will and understanding with Latin neighbors.
- 5. Repeal of Arms Control and Disarmament Act of Congress.
- 6. Continue special recognition of Fourth of July.

Sadie F. Jurnev

The State Regent directed Mrs. Jurney that ten copies of these adopted Resolutions be forwarded immediately to the Resolutions Committee of National Society DAR.

The State Regent requested the Recording Secretary, Mrs. HoBart Frederick, read the Recommendations from the Board of Management.

Recommendation 1. That Kansas Society DAR supports the library expansion project honoring President General, Mrs. Robert V. H. Duncan, by contributing 65c per member, on a voluntary or chapter basis as recommended by the National Society.

Mrs. Frederick moved the adoption of Recommendation 1. Seconded by Mrs. Guy D. Josserand. Carried.

Recommendation 2. That Kansas Society DAR have as a part of NS-DAR Diamond Jubilee the purchase of Lady figure for 18th Century costuming in the National Museum honoring our State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, at a cost of \$160.00.

Mrs. Frederick moved the adoption of Recommendation 2. Seconded by Mrs. Robert H. Chesney, Carried unanimously.

The reports of other Special Committees were continued. The American History Month report was given by Miss Edna Wheatley, Chairman, and she presented First and Second place American History Essay Medals.

The Shawnee Mission report was presented by the Chairman, Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie. The Independence Day - Bell Ringing report was given by Mrs. F. M. Charbo, Chairman. For observance of the 75th Anniversary NSDAR, Mrs. Charbo would like to locate the grave or graves of Revolutionary Soldier or Soldiers buried in Kansas.

The reports of Permanent Committees were given by: El Cuartelejo, Mrs. Chester Davis, Chairman. The State Regent called for a meeting of the El Cuartelejo Committee following the banquet. Members of the committee are: Mrs. E. H. Teagarden, Northwest District Director; Mrs. J. A. Bogue, Southwest District Director; Mrs. Leroy Hood, Regent, William Wilson Chapter; Mrs. Jake Hinther, Regent, John Athey Chapter. The DAR Library report was given by State Librarian, Mrs. Guy D. Josserand. The State Regent, Miss Cowger, announced the appointment of Mrs. L. H. W. Hall, Dodge City Chapter, to the Permanent Library committee.

Miss Cowger stated the Eisenhower Center and Kansas Chapel reports will be given at the Wednesday morning session.

The State Regent announced the special hostesses for the DAR Tea are members of the Wichita Chapter and the transportation is provided by the Flores del Sol Chapter, Mrs. Gladys Barutiney, Regent.

Announcements were made by the Conference Marshall, Mrs. Bertram Lempenau, and the State Registrar, Mrs. Harry Ives, who has copies of the 1961 Directory for sale here at the Conference and all the Supplements for the 1961 Directory.

The meeting was recessed with Mrs. E. Carruth Owen reading "OUR AIM."

Approved as corrected.

Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Recording Secretary

### DAR TEA

The highlight of Tuesday afternoon was a delightful Tea in the beautiful home of Mrs. Herman D. Ewers, 330 North Belmont, honoring members of the Kansas Society, DAR. The Wichita Chapter was in charge.

Approved as read.

Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Recording Secretary

### PATRIOTIC BANQUET

At 6:30 p. m. the Patriotic Banquet was held in the South and Center Ball Room. The tables were beautifully decorated by the Fort Larned Chapter, Mrs. C. W. Cleveland, Regent, and the Jeremiah Howard Chapter, Mrs. R. V. Ernsting, Regent.

Committees being honored at the banquet were: Conservation, The Flag of the United States of America, C. A. R. and Junior American Citizens.

Following the Processional the State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, presided. The State Chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Henning, gave the invocation.

Introduction of officers and guests were made by the State Regent. She asked for the "First Timers" to stand. A large number were in attendance. The State Regent also recognized the members of her Chapter, Mary Wade Strother. The State Regent introducd Mrs. Howard Doyle, a member of the Kansas Luncheon Committee, Continental Congress. Kansas Luncheon tickets may be purchased at this conference from Mrs. Doyle.

Stationery which is for sale by the Junior Members was displayed by the State Regent.

Mrs. Hugh Cloninger, Regent of the Eunice Sterling Chapter, presented the Eunice Sterling Award Flags to the Mission Hills Chapter.

The Conservation Chairman, Mrs. Homer Smith, presented the American Forest Awards to the Susannah French Putney and Tomahawk Chapters; and a \$2.00 cash award to the Kanza Chapter.

The Baylies NSDAR Membership award was presented to the Eunice Sterling Chapter by the State Regent, on behalf of Mrs. Pearl Bottomley, Membership Chairman. The DAR Magazine Chairman, Mrs. Howard Haines, presented cash awards to the three chapters having the largest number of magazine subscriptions. First place, Tomahawk Chapter; second place, Good Land Chapter; and third place, Esther Lowrey Chapter.

Mr. Edward Snyder, Wichita University, gave an excellent talk on "Kansas." He won the oratorical contest of the Native Sons and Daughters held at Washburn University on January 28, 1964.

Mr. Bill Harper and the Boeing Stratosingers gave a delightful program of typical American Music. Their numbers were excellent and well received.

Mrs. Bill Smith, Public Relations Chairman, presented the Public Relations Press Book awards to the following chapters: fourth, Isabella Weldin; third, Topeka; second, Mary Wade Strother and first, Eunice Sterling.

The State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, presented the M. W. Reece Award to the following chapters: first, John Haupt; second, Flores del Sol.

Announcements were made by the State Regent followed by the Retiring of the Colors. The meeting recessed until 9:15 a. m. Wednesday, March 11.

After the banquet in the Clan Room, Mrs. Ralph Ralston, State Historian, and Mrs. E. H. Snider, Program Chairman, showed slides of Kansas Society DAR Activities and Members; and Historic Spots.

"The Many Faces of Kansas" was shown by Mrs. Howard Haines. Approved as corrected.

Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Recording Secretary

### WEDNESDAY MORNING

The closing session of the Conference was called to order at 9:15 a. m., Wednesday, March 11, 1964 by the State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger. The State Chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Henning, read from the Scripture and offered prayer. Following the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America led by Mrs. Brook L. Haines; the American Creed, led by Mrs. E. Carruth Owen, was repeated. Mrs. Carl Biegert led in singing of the National Anthem.

Floor tellers appointed by the State Regent were: Mrs. James E. Miller, Chairman, Northeast District; Mrs. O. M. Stansbury, Southeast District; Mrs. Chas. L. Bigler, Northwest District and Mrs. C. C. Youse, Southwest District.

The Credentials Committee Chairman, Mrs. Harold L. Stephans, gave the final report:

9 State Officers, 1 National Officer in Kansas, 1 National Vice Chairan in Kansas, 3 Honorary State Regents, 35 Chapter Regents, 115 Delegates, 161 eligible voters, 28 Alternates, 87 Members and 1 Visitor.

279 total paid registration, 50 chapters represented, 20 State Chairmen registered and 5 Special Committee Chairmen registered.

Mrs. Harold L. Stephans, chairman

Mrs. Harold Stephans moved that the Final Report of the Credentials Committee be adopted. Seconded by Mrs. W. E. Crawford. Carried.

The State Recording Secretary, Mrs. HoBart Frederick, read the minutes of the meetings of Tuesday, March 10th, which were approved as corrected.

The ByLaws Committee report was given by Mrs. Roscoe Graves, Chairman. Mrs. Graves moved that the Proposed Amendments to the ByLaws of the Kansas Society of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution be adopted. Seconded by Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie.

Mrs. Graves stated each amendment will be read and considered separately.

1. Article V, Nominations and Election of Officers, Section 3 — To amend by striking out the last sentence and inserting the following:

"Nominations may be made from the floor, provided the consent of the nominee has been obtained and the nominee has the endorsement of her chapter, signed by the Chapter Regent and Secretary."

Mrs. Earl Foy moved to amend the proposed bylaw in Article V, Section 3 by striking out the words "Chapter Regent and Secretary" and inserting the words "any elected officer of the chapter." Seconded by Mrs. C. Y. Semple. Lost.

2. Article VI, Duties of Officers, Section 2—To amend by inserting a new sentence after the words "nominating committee" in the third sentence. The sentence would read as follows:

"She shall approve the record of the preceedings of the meetings of the Kansas Society, of the State Board of Management and of the Executive Committee before they are published and distributed."

Mrs. R. W. Pearson moved that the proposed No. 2, Article VI, Sec. 2, amendment be stricken. Seconded by Mrs. Earl (Lucile) Foy. Carried.

3. Article VI, Duties of Officers, Section 6—To amend by inserting "of the Kansas Society" after the word "chairman" in the first sentence. Also to amend by inserting "Honorary State Regents" after the words "good standing." The sentence would read as follows:

"The State Corresponding Secretary shall notify all State Officers, committee chairmen of the Kansas Society, the Regent of each chapter in good standing, Honorary State Regents and the National officers whose membership is within the State" etc.

4. Article VI, Section 6—To amend by inserting after the words "prior thereto" at the close of the third sentence, the following sentence:

"She shall send before January first three Credential Blank forms, and three forms for reporting Chapter officers to each Chapter. Regent."

5. Article VI, Section 6—To amend by substituting the word "March" for the word "June" and by substituting the word "local" for the word "various" in the fifth sentence. It would read as follows:

"She shall send to the Organizing Secretary General, each year, on or before the tenth day of March, a typewritten list of the names and addresses of the officers of the local chapters, made into a directory form."

6. Article VI, Section 6—To amend by inserting after the words "a directory form" the following sentence:

"She shall send to each Chapter Regent before February fifteenth, State Conference registration cards for the Regent and elected delegates."

- 7. Article VI, Section 7—To amend by substituting the words "members in good standing" for the words "paid state membership."
- 8. Article VI, Section 8—To amend by inserting the words "and branch of the service" after the word "state" and by striking out "and name of Chapter" and inserting these words after "National number" and substituting the word "colony" for the word "state." It would read as follows:

"These records shall include name, including maiden name in full and if married, husband's name in full; address; date of admission to the National Society; National number; name of Chapter; name and rank of ancestor; colony and branch of service in which ancestor served."

Mrs. Graves said the ByLaws Committee wishes to move an amendment to Article VI, Section 8 by inserting "or State" after word "Colony." Seconded by Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie. Carried.

9. Article VII, Meetings, Section 3—To amend by using proper punctuation and by inserting word "State" between the words "Honorary" and "Regents." It would read as follows:

"The voting members of the State Conference shall be the State Officers; the National Officers whose membership is within the state; the Honorary State Regents; the Chapter Regent;" etc.

10. Article VII, Section 4—To amend by inserting the words "and alternates" after the word "delegates" in the second sentence and by substituting "shall" for "must" after words "delegates" and "they" and by inserting phrase "except in the case of a Regent or First Vice Regent of a newly organized chapter" after word "delegates." It would read as follows:

"Delegates and alternates, except in the case of a Regent or First Vice Regent of a newly organized Chapter, shall have been members of their chapter for one year immediately preceding the State Conference to which they are elected and they shall be in good standing."

11. Article VII, To amend by inserting a new Section and numbering it Section 6. It would read as follows:

"The number of alternates elected by a chapter shall not exceed twice the number of delegates to which the chapter is entitled."

12. Article VII, Section 6—To amend by striking out the second sentence and inserting the following:

"Immediately after their election, the three Credential Blank Forms for the delegates and alternates shall be filled in and signed by the Chapter Regent and Treasurer, and sent to the State Corresponding Secetary."

(Note: This Section becomes Section 7 if No. 11 is adopted.)

13. Article VII, To amend by inserting a new Section which will be Section 8 and would read as follows:

"Each member of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution who is a member in good standing of any chapter in the State of Kansas shall be entitled to be present at meetings of the State Conference."

(Note: Section 7 becomes Section 10 and Section 8 becomes Section 11 automatically if amendments to Article VII are adopted).

14. Article  $V\Pi$ , to amend by inserting a new Section which will be Section 9 and will read as follows:

"The State Conference shall grant the privileges of the floor, without vote, to the State Chairmen and District Directors if they are not duly elected delegates from their respective Chapters."

- 15. Article X, Finance, Section 2—To amend by substituting words "not paid" for word "unpaid" and inserting "by February first" after words "unpaid" in the last sentence. The sentence would read as follows:
  - "A chapter whose dues are not paid by February first shall not be represented in the State Conference."
- 16. Article XIV, Chapters, Section 1—To amend by inserting a sentence at the beginning of the Section as follows:

"The Chapters shall elect their officers on or before January thirty-first of the year in which they elect officers."

17. Article XIV, Section 2-To amend by substituting word "March" for "June" in the first sentence.

The State Regent asked if there were other amendments to the Proposed Amendments. Mrs. W. E. Crawford moved we vote on the first amendment separately, Article V, Section 3. Seconded by Mrs. J. Harmon Rupe. Lost.

With no further amendments to the Proposed Amendments they were adopted as amended.

Mrs. Graves, ByLaws Chairman, moved that the Proposed Standing Rules as presented by committee be adopted. Seconded by Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr.

- 1. No. 2—To amend by inserting words "District Directors" after word "Committees."
  - 2. No. 6-To amend by striking out the last sentence.
- 3. Insert a new rule to be No. 9 as follows: "Each Chapter in Kansas shall pay \$1.00 each year into the Kansas Chapel Maintenance Fund."
- 4. No. 9—To amend by rewording the first two sentences and by striking out the last sentence. It would read:

"The Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage shall be held on Constitution Day, September 17th, if possible. If the date is changed, it shall be in Constitution Week as near the seventeenth as possible and the date shall be determined by the State Regent, the State Shawnee Mission chairman and the hostess committee. The sum not to exceed \$50.00 shall be allotted to the Committee in charge of the Pilgrimage.

Mrs. Graves said the ByLaws Committee wishes to amend Standing Rule No. 9 by inserting the last sentence which would read "Each daughter attending shall pay a registration fee of twenty-five cents, (25c). Seconded by Mrs. Pearson. Carried. Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie moved to amend by inserting after the word "committee" the sentence "Local chapters shall act as hostesses." Seconded by Mrs. J. Harmon Rupe. Carried.

Mrs. Graves said the committee wishes to move to amend No. 9 by inserting "at the Shawnee Mission," after word "held." Seconded by Mrs. Leroy Hood. Carried.

5. Amend by inserting a new rule between No. 9 and No. 10 to read as follows:

"The Kansas Society shall pay insurance each year on its properties housed at Shawnee Mission."

- 6. No. 18 to be amended by striking out (d).
- 7. Insert a new rule between present No. 18 and No. 19 to read as follows:

"The Press Books shall be given to each State Regent under whose administration they are compiled."

- 8. No. 19—To amend by striking out "Emporia" from "Northwest" and inserting "Emporia" under "Northeast" after words "Captain Jesse Leavenworth."
  - 9. To insert a rule between the present No. 19 and No. 20 as follows: "The State Regent shall appoint a committee at the closing session of the State Conference to review the minutes of that session."

(Note: The rules are automatically renumbered and the Secretary will take care of the renumbering according to Rules adopted)

With no further amendments to the Proposed Standing Rules they were adopted as amended.

Mrs. Claude Jurney, Chairman, Resolutions Committee, read the Courtesy Resolutions of the 66th Annual Conference, Wichita, Kansas, March 11, 1964. By direction of the Resolutions Committee: Mrs. Mollie C. Huston, Mrs. Raymond Lees, Mrs. Paul White, Miss Irma L. Nixon; Mrs. Jurney moved the adoption of these Resolutions. Seconded by Mrs. Lewis H. Kessler. Adopted.

#### COURTESY RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS: The success of the annual State Conference of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution is dependent on the management and co-operation of hostess Chapters, and BE IT

RESOLVED: That the assemblage of the sixty-sixth Conference express to the General Chairman, Mrs. J. Wesley Lucas and her Vice Chairmen, Mrs. J. A. Bogue and Mrs. Elmer E. Huffman and to the Chapters of the Southwest District and to all Conference Committees, its gratitude and appreciation for their ardent work so that this Conference would be an outstanding success. BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED: That our sincere thanks be expressed to all, who have in any manner, contributed time and talents and to all who have participated

in the programs that brought to fruition our outstanding Conference. Our special thanks to all news media, the City of Wichita, The Wichita Chamber of Commerce and the Broadview Hotel, BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED: That the members here assembled express to our State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, our sincere appreciation for the gracious, efficient and capable manner in which she has presided over this 66th State Conference and that we, too, follow her example to "Hold High The Torch" during the coming year.

Mrs. Mollie Cloud Huston, Mrs. Raymond Lees Mrs. Paul White, Miss Irma L. Nixon Mrs. Claude Jurney, Chairman

### RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Through much correspondence and one meeting the Resolutions Committee evolved the Resolutions to present to the 66th State Conference KSDAR. Prior at the District meetings a plea had been made by the Committee for the Chapters to name a Resolution Chairman and for each Chapter to submit their thinking to the State Committee. Three Chapter Chairmen were named and TWO resolutions forwarded to the Committee. The by-laws are the road maps of our organization BUT the Resolutions adopted become the policy upon which, we the members, stand. They form our own working ideals . . . they chart the course of our thinking . . . they hold our true belief for the progress AND safety of our beloved nation.

Mrs. Claude Jurney, Chairman

Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Historian General and Honorary State Regent, asked for the floor. Privilege granted by State Regent.

Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn moved that the State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, be endorsed by this 66th State Conference of Kansas Society, NSDAR, for the office of Vice President General—to run in the 1965 election. Seconded by Mrs. Robert H. Chesney.

In the absence of the Vice Regent the State Regent asked the Recording Secretary to take the chair. The tellers passed the ballots and the vote was taken. The tellers retired from the room to count the ballots.

The State Regent resumed the chair and the business session continued.

Mrs. Hugh D. Ransom introduced the Pages of the Conference: Mrs. Frank Hodson, Mrs. James T. Lewis, Mrs. Bill Rounds, Peggy Ralston, Mrs. Paul Seymour, Mrs. Jack K. Stamp, Judith Schnackenberg, Susan Schnackenberg, Susan Reiff, Cynthia Kaye Brown, Martha Robinson, Sheila Stanton, Mariana Petroff, Nancy Stover and Elaine Gaddis. The Pages were thanked for their services and each presented with a DAR Spoon. Judith Schnackenberg on behalf of the Pages thanked the Kansas Society, DAR for the lovely gift.

Mrs. Lewis H. Kessler, State Treasurer, read the report of the Finance (Budget) Committee as recommended by the Board of Management. Mrs. Kessler moved that the Budget be adopted. Seconded by Mrs. Ralph Ralston. Carried.

Mrs. Roscoe Graves moved that \$15.00 from the Special Funds item

be allowed for the Kansas Sunday Service held in Washington Memorial Chapel, Valley Forge, Pennsylvania, commemorating the courage, faith and patriotism of Kansas citizens. Seconded by Lucile Rust. Carried.

Reports were given by Mrs. M. W. Reece on the Junior Bazaar; and Mrs. Robert H. Chesney, Eisenhower Center and Kansas Chapel Chairman.

The State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, read the following: Vases in the Kansas Chapel. "Have investigated and learned that those vases are there, and must remain there. They were presented to the Chaplain General for her room, when the National Society celebrated its 50th Anniversary. This is authoritative information. And the vases do not belong to Kansas, but to the Chaplain General. The Kansas Chapel is her room and they must remain there, they cannot be removed. This statement is being made at this time, so it will be in our records and there will be no further questions or problems."

The Recording Secretary again took the chair to receive the report of the tellers on the motion made by Mrs. Kilbourn, that the Conference endorse Miss Cowger for Vice President General to be elected at the 1965 Continental Congress. The report of the tellers was as follows: 90 votes cast, 81 in favor, 9 opposed and 1 blank.

Motion carried.

Mrs. James E. Miller, Chairman of Tellers Reports given by Mrs. Bertram Lempenau, Conference Marshall, and Mrs. J. Wesley Lucas, Conference Chairman, concluded the reports for this Conference.

Miscellaneous business:

The State Regent read the Proposed Amendment to the ByLaws NSDAR on Chapter Disbandment and requested the delegates attending Continental Congress to consider this Proposed Amendment.

Mrs. E. H. Teagarden, Northwest District Director, extended the invitation for the 1965 State Conference, which will be March 8, 9, 10, 1965, Broadview Hotel, Wichita, Kansas. The Northwest District presently does not have accommodations for the Conference.

Announcements made by the State Regent included: Continental Congress; New York World's Fair DAR tour; Kansas Luncheon at Continental Congress; 1964 Conference expenses; and the appointment of the committee to approve the final session of the 66th State Conference.

In the absence of the Vice Regent, Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease, the State Regent thanked the Southwest District and members for hostessing the 66th State Conference.

After closing remarks by the State Regent the "Preamble of the United States of America" led by Mrs. E. C. Owen was read in unison.

The 66th State Conference was adjourned with the State Regent reading "Hold High The Torch."

The colors were retired and "Blest Be The Tie That Binds" and "God Be With You Till We Meet Again" were sung during the Recessional with a Candle Lighting Ceremony signifying "Hold High The Torch."

Approved as corrected.

Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Recording Secretary

# STATE REGENT'S ITINERARY March 9, 1963 to March 11, 1964

March 15, 1963. Friday. Drove to Fort Scott for dinner and evening meeting with Molly Foster Berry Chapter at the home of Mrs. West. State Magazine Advertising Chairman, Edith Sterling, met me at 5 PM for a ride seeing historic Fort Scott, including the Museum in one of the old Officers Barracks, the Parade Grounds, National Cemetery No. 1 and other points. Presented the DAR Good Citizen with her pin.

March 16, Saturday. Miss Sterling had arranged a delightful breakfast with 14 friends, at the Down Towner Hotel. Visited the Frederick Funston home as I returned to Salina.

March 22, Friday. Drove as far as Dodge City and stayed all night on my way to the meeting of Byrd Prewitt Chapter.

March 23, Saturday. Was on my way early for the meeting of Byrd Prewitt Chapter in the home of Mrs. D. Liles in Ulysses. It was good to see former State Officer, Mrs. J. B. Squires, and our State Honor Roll Chairman, Mrs. Otto Lutes, and other members. I've enjoyed the pie recipe. Several friends dropped by for visiting after the meeting. Returned to Salina that night.

April 4, Thursday. Started to drive to Parsons, accompanied by Mrs. Rollin L. Johnson, Director Northwest District, but the roads were so good we continued to Parsons that night.

April 5, Friday. Was in the home of Mrs. Ralph Stewart, Regent of Hannah Jameson Chapter, for a delicious luncheon with the Chapter officers. Miss Hazel Thompson, the Southeast district member of the DAR Good Citizen committee, was present. After lunch we went to their Chapter meeting for an inspiring afternoon together. Mrs. Howard Doyle sent a Greeting.

April 5, Friday. Drove over to Independence in the late afternoon and was house guest of Mr. and Mrs. David Shiles. Esther Lowrey Chapter had dinner and meeting at 6:30 in the Booth Hotel, with Miss Mabell Bayes, Regent, in charge. Their DAR Good Citizen received her pin at this meeting. Miss Amy Hall, our State JAC Chairman, gave a fine report.

April 6, Saturday. Had such a delightful breakfast and discussion with the officers of Esther Lowrey Chapter at their pleasant Tea Room. Later in the day we saw Mrs. J. Wesley Lucas, and other Wichita DAR members on the street.

April 8, Monday. Desire Tobey Sears Chapter held their meeting with a 1 o'clock cooperative luncheon in the home of Mrs. Frank Boyd, Jr. They are so proud of their Eunice Sterling Award Flags. Mrs. R. L. Johnson was my companion on this trip.

April 12, Friday. Flew via Jet TWA to Washington, landing at Dulles International Field. Was assigned my room and still had time to go to 1776 D Street, N. W. to register. The State Regents dinner was in the Decatur House. About 11:00 PM, Mrs. Greenlease, Mrs. Gillaspie and I met in the Mayflower, and planned the Sept. 17 Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage program.

April 13, Saturday. National Board of Management meeting all day. I was guest of Historian General Mrs. Kilbourn at the National Officers dinner that evening. Speaker showed pictures and told of early day Washington, D. C.

April 14, Sunday. A group of eight Kansas members attended Easter Sunday services at the President's Presbyterian Church. In the afternoon we were in Constitution Hall for the Memorial Service of those members who have joined the Chapter Eternal. Mrs. Bill E. Smith, our State Reporter, was my room mate. She was a member of the National Society Public Relations Committee.

April 15, Monday. Planned with the Different chairmen for details during the week—that every member sit in the Kansas Box at some time during Congress with Mrs. Howard Doyle in charge of seat tickets; the final details of the Kansas luncheon with Isabel Giulvezan who is chairman, etc. Attended opening session of Continental Congress and appreciated the exceptionally fundamental talk by Jenkins Lloyd Jones of Tulsa, Oklahoma. Throughout this week Vespers were held in the Kansas Chapel at 4 pm, with different Kansas members in charge.

April 16, Tuesday. Fifty-four attended the Kansas luncheon at noon with Isabel Giulvezan, Maybell Doyle, Edith Naylor and Marjal Underwood as planning committee. The afternoon session was an informative open forum discussion of the Resolutions. Congressman Tower of Texas was the evening speaker.

April 17, Wednesday. Kansas members were guests for breakfast at the Capital, Senate Dining Room of our Congressional Delegation. Honorable Frank Carlson presiding. Pictures were taken on the Capital steps, and presented to each of us, courtesy of Honorable Robert Dole. Your Regent made the report for the Kansas Society at this evening session.

April 18, Thursday. 7:45 found us at the Entrance gate to the White House for a special conducted Tour. The evening program was a special Premier dramatization of the "History of the Flag" by the United States Marine Corps.

April 19, Friday. Business of the Congress was finished. Kansas had two pages, Elaine Gaddis and Justine Lewis. Twenty-three members attended the Grand banquet this evening.

April 20, Saturday. All day in session in the National Board of Management meeting. Caught my plane for Kansas that evening.

May 9, Thursday. Drove to Baxter Springs for the night, accompanied by Mrs. J. A. Butler and Mrs. R. L. Johnson. We were guests of Mrs. C. Y. Semple. And we were joined later in the evening by Vice Regent, Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease and Mrs. E. C. Owen, Chairman of our Americanism and DAR Manual committee.

May 10, Friday. A 10:00 AM Brunch at the home of Mrs. W. P. Meek. After this pleasant meeting, we visited the Baxter Springs Museum, and saw the lovely antique glass in the home of one of the members.

May 10, Friday. Drove to Columbus in the afternoon and were house guests of Mrs. Theo Stebbins, our State DAR Museum Chairman. That evening we attended the chapter meeting in the home of Mrs. Theo Hatton. Presented the DAR Good Citizen with her pin. Also met Mr. Allen and pinned on him the Americanism Medal. Mrs. E. C. Owen, State Chairman of Americanism and DAR Manual, spoke appropriately of this phase of our program. Our Vice Regent, Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease, was also in attendance as were others from Coffeyville and Parsons.

May 11, Saturday. Returning to Salina, some time was spent with Mrs. Chester Davis, State Parliamentarian, in Douglass.

May 14, Tuesday. Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, State Corresponding Secretary, and I drove to Kansas City and were guests of State DAR Magazine Chairman, Mrs. Howard Haines, in her home. That evening it was our great pleasure to attend a concert by the Chorus of Bacone College.

May 15, Wednesday. We visited and had brunch at the Garden Club meeting of which Mrs. Haines is a member. At noon we were at the Grunter House, guest of Wyandot chapter. This is the reunion of the Kaw Valley Chapters who erected the Moses Grinter Marker.

May 18, Saturday. Guest of Abilene Regent, Mrs. Harry Patton, at luncheon. The afternoon meeting was in the home of Mrs. E. Morse. Mrs. C. D. Cruse, a member of our Eisenhower Center Committee, was at the meeting. Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, State Corresponding Secretary, and Mrs. Rollin L. Johnson, Director of Northwest District, were my traveling companions.

May 20, Monday. Was a guest for luncheon in Iola at the home of Mrs. H. M. Stephenson along with Miss Kate Shields, Regent of Cofachique chapter, and Mrs. R. L. Johnson. That afternoon I spoke at the chapter meeting in the home of Mrs. Walter Fees.

May 24, Friday. Drove to Medicine Lodge for the luncheon and meeting of Martha Vail chapter in the Methodist Church. Mrs. C. Fulton presided. The tables were decorated with lovely old glass. Mrs. Claude Jurney, State Chairman of our Resolutions Committee, was at this meeting. Mrs. Hugh Cloninger, Regent of Eunice Sterling Chapter, was my companion on the trip.

June 4, Tuesday. It was my pleasure to attend the reception at the home of Mrs. Russell Dary in Manhattan, honoring Mrs. Roy Gibson, President of the Woman's Kansas Day Club.

June 8, Saturday. Spoke at the 9 AM Breakfast of the Uvedale Chapter at the Wiley Tea Room. Miss Margaret Ramsdale, Regent, presided. Mrs. V. E. McArthur, former state officer, and Mrs. Earl Foy, 1962 Southwest District Director, were present. Mrs. J. R. Uphoff and Mrs. R. L. Johnson accompanied me. That afternoon we saw one of the most complete spoon collections which included three sets of "Apostle Spoons."

June 15, Saturday. Attended the Flag Day meeting in Salina, of Mary Wade Strother Chapter.

June 22, Saturday. Accompanied Mrs. Rollin L. Johnson, Director Northwest District, to the home of Vice Regent, Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease, for a discussion and planning meeting for the district conference in October. Mrs. Max R. Petty was also present. Mrs. Greenlease is our appointed District Supervisor.

Mrs. Greenlease was hostess to a delicious luncheon for the Directors and State Officers KSDAR. That afternoon the Executive Committee meeting was held with all officers present except State Librarian, Mrs. Guy D. Josserand, who was detained at home because of her husband's illness.

June 10, Monday. Nancy Uphoff, a Junior member of Mary Wade Strother Chapter, drove her Mother, Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, State Corresponding Secretary, and your State Regent to La Cygne for a meeting at 2 PM with William Creekmore Chapter, Mrs. C. G. DeMott, Regent. Although the Chapter has 30 members, many are non-resident and they were considering the disbandment of the chapter and the surrender of their Charter.

July 5, Friday. Was the house guest of State Reporter, Mrs. Bill E. Smith. We planned for the coming issue of the DAR News.

July 6, Saturday. Mrs. Smith and I were in Wellington at 9:30 AM for a meeting of that Chapter, discussing their program and activities for the year. A delicious brunch was served in the home of the regent, Mrs. Arthur Jervis. Edna Wheatley, State American History Month Chairman, also attended. Wellington, Betty Bonney and Peleg Gorton Chapters have a tri-chapter meeting once each year. Mrs. L. B. Johnson, State Motion Picture Chairman, is a member of Wellington Chapter.

July 9, Tuesday. Accompanied Mrs. Rollin L. Johnson, Northwest District Director, to Lois Warner Executive Committee meeting in the home of the Regent, Mrs. S. F. Lloyd. Junction City is the hostess of the Northwest District meeting in October. That afternoon after the conference, we drove to Manhattan and visited with Mrs. John Peak, Regent of the Polly Ogden chapter.

August 19, Monday. The completed 1963 Proceedings of the Kansas Society DAR were received.

Sept. 13, Friday. Attended the luncheon meeting of the Dames of the Court of Honor at the Club House in Kansas City, Kansas. Mrs. Harry M. Ives, State Registrar, has been their Regent. Your State Regent was elected to their Board of Directors.

Sept. 15-18, Sunday through Wednesday. KSDAR was invited to the National Conference on Citizenship in Washington, D. C.

Sept. 17, Tuesday. Found some 160 members of the Kansas Society, including eight state officers and 14 State Chairmen, attending the Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage. The gracious costumed hostesses served us Coffee and directed our tours through the buildings. The Shawnee Mission Chairman, Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie, read the acceptance and placing the picture of Honorary State Regent, Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, in the Regents' Book. Mrs. Kilbourn is now Historian General. The State Regent accepted

the lovely old cherry Cabinet honoring Honorary State Regent and a Vice President General, Mrs. Edwin F. Abels. Mr. Abels and son-in-law, Mr. Hazlett, were present. The luncheon was delicious and the speaker most interesting. Mrs. Gillaspie and the committee had planned for our interest and pleasure. Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, State Corresponding Secretary, and Mrs. J. A. Butler, of Mary Wade Strother, were traveling companions.

Sept. 20, Friday. We drove to Phillipsburg where we were guests of Phebe Dustin Chapter, Mrs. Mary Jo Evans is regent. We visited the Unique Antique shop of Mrs. Robert Good, the organizer of that chapter. Mrs. Rollin L. Johnson, Director of Northwest district, accompanied me.

Sept. 21, Saturday. We attended a 10 AM coffee of the Sarah Steward Chapter in the home of their Regent, Mrs. R. W. McLeod. They have one new member and four others working on their papers.

Sept. 25, Wednesday. It was my pleasure to attend the luncheon and meeting of Shawnee chapter in the home of Mrs. J. C. Craig; and we appreciated the many items of interest which she showed us. Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr. is the Regent. Mrs. Farmer and Mrs. Voegtli, former State Chairmen, are members of this Chapter, as is Mrs. E. C. Owen, present Chairman of Americanism and DAR Manual, but Mrs. Owen was out of the city this week.

Aug. 25, Sunday. Invited to participate in the Fortieth Annual Kansas Sunday Service commemorating the Faith and Patriotism of the citizens of Kansas at the Washington Memorial Chapel in Valley Forge, Penna. A \$5.00 contribution was made.

- Oct. 7, Monday. Conferred in McPherson with Mrs. R. W. Graves, Chairman of By-laws KSDAR.
- Oct. 14, Monday. Accompanied Northwest District Director, Mrs. Rollin L. Johnson to Desire Tobey Sears Chapter where she displayed many dolls and spoke on their history.
- Oct. 16 20. Left Salina via plane for Washington and the National Board of Management meeting. Took care of details regarding William Creekmore Chapter and other Kansas Society interests. That evening attended the State Regents dinner and participated in the three hour forum of President General, Mrs. Robert V. H. Duncan.
- Oct. 17, Thursday. Attended the National Committee Forum all morning. Then the State Regents meeting was in the afternoon. That evening was the National Officers Dinner, with a F. B. I. Director as Speaker.
- Oct. 18, Friday. National Board of Management meeting. At 7 AM was viewing an American Heritage film. The National Board convened at 9 AM, and adjourned at 3 PM when two bus loads of us started for Williamsburg, Virginia, where we had dinner, visited the Information Center; saw an outstanding picture, and stayed all night. This was a four hour trip from Washington. It was pleasant to have as seat mate and room mate our Vice Regent and National Chairman of DAR Magazine, Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease.

Oct. 19, Saturday. Breakfast at 7 AM. A leisurely tour through the Governors Palace. On to the Custom House at Yorktown where their chapters served, and we inspected the historic Custom House. The Governor of Virgina and his Lady met and greeted us here.

Then to the Yorktown Battlefield where our President General, Mrs. Duncan, was the Speaker commemorating this historic event. Luncheon. Then wreath laying at the Yorktown monument, visits to the Moore House and Jamestown, and a late return to Washington.

Oct. 20, Sunday. A scurry to get a plane reservation home, replacing the ones we had missed on Saturday evening. Mrs. Greenlease and I were fortunate, and again we were traveling companions homeward.

Oct. 21, Monday. Told the Henry Dawson Chapter at their Salad luncheon some of the DAR Story including high points of the previous week. The meeting was in the home of Mrs. Rex Curtis, with Mrs. H. J. Halbert, Regent, presiding. Our State Historian, Mrs. Ralph Ralston, was in McPherson conferring with their County Historical Chairman, Mr. Casler, regarding correct placement of the Santa Fe Markers in that county, and joined us in the afternoon. Five members of Mary Wade Strother Chapter were guests, Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, Mrs. Rollin L. Johnson, Mrs. J. A. Butler and Mrs. Thomas Kutina.

Oct. 24, Thursday. Drove to Dodge City accompanied by Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, State Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Lucile Rust, State Chairman of Good Citizen; Mrs. Lucille Biegert, State Chairman American Music; Mrs. Homer Smith, State Chairman of Conservation and Mrs. E. H. Snider, Chairman of Program. After dinner we visited the DAR Library, and at 9 PM there was a meeting of the Executive Committee.

Oct. 25, Friday. State Board of Management meeting at the Lora Locke Hotel, with the Dodge City Chapter making plans and arrangements. Every one enjoyed the earlier visiting over coffee and rolls—courtesy of the Chapter with Mrs. L. Ralph Miller, Regent. All State Officers were present, and many of the Chairmen and chapter regents. All appreciated the exceptional attention and care of our DAR Library. We drove on to Liberal that evening.

Oct. 26, Saturday. Enjoyed the convenience of the Holiday Inn and appreciated the careful plans of the Southwest District Director, Mrs. Otto Lutes, and of Mrs. Samuel Riggs, Regent, of Byrd Prewitt Chapter for the interest and attention to the program and activities of KSDAR. Reports were made and discussion was good. We stayed a second night in Liberal. The State Regent installed the new District officers.

Oct. 27, Sunday. We were on our way early, turning south a few miles, and drove miles and miles east, through Oklahoma to reach our next meeting destination, Coffeyville. Your Regent stayed in the home of friends, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Etter, for the night.

Oct. 28, Monday. We were enjoying the hospitality of the Southeast District of which Mrs. Bernhardt Schreiner is Director, and Mrs. Frank J. Mann is Regent of the hostess Chapter, Jane Dean Coffey. Mrs. Tillie K. Newman was the Conference Chairman. There was exceptionally good

discussion by the membership at this meeting. Immediately after Installation of Officers by the State Regent, we turned our cars north for the drive to Atchison for the night.

Oct. 29, Tuesday. After a comfortable night, we had breakfast at the hotel, and participated in the visiting and the delightful refreshment hour in the First Christian Church with the Atchison Chapter, Mrs. R. D. Holder, Regent. Mrs. Holder was also Secretary of the District of which Mrs. Max R. Petty is the Director, Northeast District. We make special mention of the sanctuary and the stained glass windows where the sessions were held. A number of the members drove over a few blocks to see the Amelia Earhart home. And then on to Junction City for the night at the Continental Host motel. A pleasant surprise was upon arrival, the officers of Lois Warner Chapter were waiting to have dinner with us.

Oct. 30, Wednesday. Delicious cookies and coffee were served by the Lois Warner Chapter as we registered. Meetings and luncheon were in the convenient Methodist Church, with Mrs. Rollin L. Johnson, the Director; Mrs. S. F. Loyd, Regent of the hostess Chapter and Mrs. Forast Beal as Conference Chairman. Our Historian General, Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, took time from her busy schedule and attended this meeting. The State Regent installed the new officers. Adieus were said, and we all started on our way home, after a week of pleasant experiences.

There was excellent representation at all the meetings. The interest was evidenced by the reports, the response and the discussions. Our National Chairman of the DAR Magazine added much to each meeting. We do appreciate the friendship, the cooperation and the cordial Hospitality.

- Nov. 4, Monday. Visited with a young woman all evening, suggesting contacts for clearing and proving her eligibility to DAR membership.
- Nov. 7, Thursday. Met with the State Conference Committee at 11 AM for lunch in the home of Chairman, Mrs. J. Wesley Lucas, and planned until 5 PM—time to be on my way for the evening meeting at Augusta. Previously in May we had had dinner together and visited on details of the Conference.
- Nov. 7, Thursday. 6:30 PM dinner at Lehr's Party House for meeting with the Isabella Weldin Chapter of which Mrs. Chester Davis, our State Parliamentarian, is Regent. Mrs. Ralph Ralston, State Historian, is a member of this chapter and attended the meeting. Also, Mrs. Salter, former State Chairman. Mrs. Rollin L. Johnson made the trip with me and we drove back to Salina that evening.
- Nov. 12, Tuesday. Mrs. Johnson drove me to Goodland where we were guests in the home of Mrs. W. F. Newton. We very much enjoyed the fine Museum the townspeople have built in their park and the wonderful displays of folklore. Dinner was at the Cooper Hotel, with the entire Chapter, and we then returned to Mrs. Newton's home for the meeting of Good-land Chapter. Mrs. C. L. Bigler, the Regent, presided. Members attended from several nearby towns, and after the meeting, we had a good visit about application papers.

Nov. 13, Wednesday. Left Goodland in mid-morning after a delicious breakfast with the Newtons, and were back in Salina in good time.

Nov. 16, Saturday. This beautiful day Mrs. Charlotte Gebhart, Recording Secretary of Mary Wade Strother Chapter, drove with me to Holton for the meeting of the Samuel Linscott Chapter. We had lunch in the convenient apartment of Mrs. Walter Sondker, the Regent, and sister of Mrs. John A. Pomeroy, a former State Chairman. Also Mrs. F. L. Davis is a member of this Chapter. Then to the home of the City Librarian for the meeting. She has a collection of more than 300 Cook Books. A most delicious lunch was served at adjournment. On our way home we stopped off in Manhattan to deliver to Lucile Rust, our DAR Good Citizen Chairman, the signed Award Certificates.

Nov. 19, Tuesday. We met with John Haupt Chapter for a cooperative 1 PM luncheon in the home of Mrs. Max Judy. Mrs. J. L. Hersh is the Regent. We were glad to visit with Mrs. Brook L. Haines, Chairman of the Flag of the United States of America Committee. We heard an especially good discussion on Americanism and Citizenship. Mrs. W. C. Owen of Mary Wade Strother Chapter, made this pleasant trip with mc.

Nov. 22, Friday. Again the State Conference Committee and your State Regent met this morning for further planning for the State Conference next March, in the home of the state Chairman, Mrs. J. Wesley Lucas. Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, State Corresponding Secretary, shared the trip. At 1 PM we drove to the home of Mrs. Harrison Mayer, for a delicious tray luncheon and meeting of Martha Loving Ferrell Chapter. Mrs. A. E. Hurford, Regent, presided. It was good to meet Mrs. C. F. Eckelman, a former State Officer, and member of Mary Wade Strother Chapter. Mrs. E. E. Tippin and Mrs. Joseph A. Bogue, member of the State Conference Committee, are members of this Chapter. It was late in the meeting when we learned of the tragedy that necessitated another President of our Country.

Nov. 24. Drove to Abilene and conferred with Mrs. C. D. Cruse regarding the Second Spring Tour to the Eisenhower Center on Wednesday, April 29.

Dec. 2, Monday. This meeting of the Ninnescah Chapter had been scheduled for Monday, November 25, but was postponed to this date due to the death and services of President Kennedy. Had lunch with the Regent, Mrs. Carl Terry, at the Parrish Hotel at noon and we then went to the home of Mrs. C. C. Brant for the afternoon meeting. They served a delicious lunch and several members expressed interest in attending Continental Congress. Returned to Salina that evening, picking up Vera Lane in Great Bend.

Dec. 4, Wednesday. Took the Union Pacific train at noon for Oakley, and meeting of John Athey Chapter. Mrs. Jake Hinther, the Regent, met me at the staion. The husbands were invited to the 6:30 dinner and every member of the Chapter was present at the meeting except two; one being ill and the other out of town. I caught the train back at midnight after pleasant experiences.

Dec. 8, Sunday. The Eisenhower Library had a special Open House with behind-the-scene observing and your Regent was invited. Mrs. C. D. Cruse and I visited about the Spring Tour on April 29, discussed plans with Dr. W. D. Aeschbacher, the Director of the Library, and believe our Kansas Daughters will be happy to see what we had been privileged to view this day.

Dec. 14, Saturday. Accepted the hospitality of State Chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Henning, before going to the luncheon meeting of General Edward Hand Chapter at Colbourns. Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, State Corresponding Secretary, made the trip also. We were joined at Mrs. Henning's by Vice Regent, Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease. Mrs. L. O. Gaddis, our State Schools Chairman is Regent of this Chapter. We were especially happy to greet Honorary State Regent, Miss Catherine Campbell, and Mrs. Gaylord Weilepp, former state officer, and others. Mrs. H. H. Fowler, a former State Chairman, and Miss Campbell were celebrating their 87th Birthday, this day and December 15, and the Chapter members had baked and decorated two gorgeous angel food cakes, of which we partook after singing 'Happy Birthday.' Mrs. Fowler is moving to Iowa to be with her daughter.

Dec. 16, Monday. Attended the Christmas Party of Mary Wade Strother Chapter where Mrs. Lawton Hanna, Regent of Nathan Edson Chapter, showed her slides of Famous and Interesting Stained Glass Windows and commented on them. Mrs. R. C. Perrussel is Regent of Mary Wade Strother Chapter.

Dec. 21, Saturday. The forecast for this day was blizzard and icy, so took the bus to Lawrence arriving in ample time for the luncheon meeting of Betty Washington Chapter at the Castle Tea Room. Besides meeting a number of good friends it was nice to visit with a fellow townsman, Mrs. Richard Raney. Mrs. Blanche P. Deichert, the Regent, took me to the bus station, which had a most convenient schedule for my return.

Through the year I've kept the Press Book in the car and taken it to Chapter Meetings that the members may inspect it and enjoy its content. Every day has come interesting mail and letters to answer, plans to follow for the best interests of the Kansas Society DAR.

#### 1964

1964, and a New Year of interest, service and inspiration.

Jan. 10, Friday. Your State Conference Committee met at 10 AM for a three hour session of discussion and serious consideration of the State Conference program and details. Mrs. Lucas, Chairman, served Coffee and Rolls.

1 PM your Regent arrived at the home of Mrs. Carl Hoofer for a tray luncheon and meeting of Minisa chapter. Mrs. Pauline Black is the Chapter Regent. This meeting had been planned for early December but was cancelled due to ice and snow in Wichita. Mrs. Hoofer is Secretary of the Conference Committee. Mrs. Bill E. Smith our State Reporter, and

Mrs. W. C. Adamek, Genealogical Chairman, are members of Minisa Chapter.

Feb. 14, Friday. Was guest and speaker at the Valentine Tea of Smoky Hill Chapter in the spacious home of the Regent, Mrs. Hector Campbell. Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, State Corresponding Secretary; her Mother, Mrs. A. L. Lemon; and sister, Mrs. Arra Russell, of Jefferson City, Missouri, enjoyed the trip, also. Forty-eight attended the meeting, including two DAR Good Citizens and their Mothers from Ellsworth and Lincoln. Your Regent told the DAR story through the development of our spoons and displayed several.

Feb. 15, Saturday. Found Mrs. Leonard Hammond of Mary Wade Strother Chapter, and I on our way to Arthur Barrett Chapter through the two inch snow, but by noon the snow stopped and the sun came out. Stopped at the home of Regent, Mrs. William Ward, for Coffee and then to the one o'clock Luncheon at the Guest Party House. Guests were the DAR Good Citzens from Blue Rapids and Marysville, and two special friends of the State Regent, Misses Borck and Brenton.

Feb. 18, Tuesday. Rode to Council Grove with Mrs. R. L. Johnson who displayed and presented her program of "History of Dolls" at Council Oak Chapter that afternoon. We were luncheon guests of Mrs. E. H. Snider, State Program Chairman, along with her sister, Mrs. Hill, and Chapter Regent, Mrs. Ralph Casey. Forty-two members and guests enjoyed the hospitality in the lovely home of Mrs. Henry White, Jr. Marlowe woodcut of Council Oak tree dating from 1825 was presented.

Feb. 22, Saturday. Attended the lovely George Washington Tea in the Governor's Mansion given by the Topeka Chapter honoring the State Regent. Several state officers were also in the receiving line along with the State Regent, Mrs. John A. Anderson, Jr., and Mrs. H. A. Van Doran, Topeka Chapter. Nearly 300 DARs from over Kansas, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Missouri and Nebraska enjoyed the afternoon at Cedar Crest. Earlier in the day a conference was had with Mr. Miller, Secretary-Manager of the Kansas State Historical Society, and a deposit of material was made in the DAR safe. Mrs. John A. Butler and Mrs. R. L. Johnson were traveling companions. Mrs. H. M. Ives, State Registrar, and Mrs. Bertram Lempenau, Conference Marshall, are members of Topeka Chapter.

Feb. 24, Monday. Your Regent and Mrs. Van Doran were interviewed over the TV and Radio at WIBW Studio, telling the DAR Story. Traveling on to Kansas City that afternoon was the Sixth Birthday Party and Tea of Mission Hills Chapter in the attractive home of Mrs. Warren Higgens. Our Shawnee Mission Chairman, Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie, is the Regent of this Chapter. Our 1964 Outstanding Junior Member, Mrs. Rixey, is a member of Mission Hills and made a short talk. Two lovely DAR Good Citizens, their Mothers and an Aunt were recognized. Our State Vice Regent, Mrs. Greenlease; Chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Henning and Treasurer, Mrs. Kessler, were also present.

That evening I attended a special dinner at the home of Mrs. Gillaspic and enjoyed the hospitality of Vice Regent, Mrs. Paul Greenlease, for the night.

March 6, Friday. Traveled to Topeka to attend the luncheon of the Colonial Dames of the Seventeenth Century.

That evening was the Candlelight supper of the Daughters of the American Colonists at the Jayhawk Hotel, and was presented by their Regent, Miss Lucina Jones.

March 7, Saturday. My plans were changed by the sudden death the day before of Paul R. Greenlease, husband of our Vice Regent. Kansas Society sent flowers. And your state Regent went to Kansas City to pay the respects of our Society and my personal high regard and sympathy and affection.

March 8, Sunday. Journeyed to Wichita with State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, for a meeting that afternoon of the Executive Committee of KSDAR. And attended the dinner that evening of the Daughters of Colonial Wars.

March 9-10-11, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Saw the schedule of the State Conference Program beginning with the C. A. R. Breakfast, then the State Board of Management meeting that morning, and sessions of the State Conference as outlined in the program for that Sixty-sixth meeting.

## STATE REGENT'S REPORT Miss Pauline Cowger

Madam Vice Regent, and members:

All too quickly this memorable year has passed—and the many wonderful experiences and privileges that have come to a grateful State Regent.

Continental Congress was all one anticipated, and more—and your Regent gave the summary record of the Kansas Society as prepared from the Chapter Reports. A more detailed report is printed in the National Society proceedings, and one is also sent for the Smithsonian Institution which goes to the United States Congress. Kansas chapters were well represented at the Congress, and participated in all of the meetings, and activities.

It has been possible, with your thoughtful and careful planning, to visit 62 of our Kansas Chapters, by the close of this spring, which includes all of the Chapters in the Northeast District and the Northwest District. And, its been a personal delight to return to several for a second time.

In all meetings your Regent emphasized our priceless possession of a constitutional Republic, telling the DAR Story of historic preservation, educational promotion and patriotic endeavor—demonstrating the early wisdom and moral courage of our forefathers. As good members get together, the DAR is always in their thinking and planning.

Then, there have been appearances over the TV, and radio tapes made, to carry the story of our Society into all channels. Too, your Regent has represented the Kansas Society at meetings of a number of unaffiliated groups, and it was with regret that some invitations could not be accepted.

The State Regent's message—and her itinerary in the DAR News will keep you informed of what is taking place or of what is being planned.

Invitations were received from several states to attend their Conferences, and also from the Mississippi Daughters to be a hostess at Rosalie—but the press of duties at this time permitted acceptance of only the Nebraska Society invitation.

Seven Certificates of Award, recognizing 50 years of continuous membership in the Society were signed this year.

For Eunice Sterling Chapter: Ola Mae Osborn Piper and Esther L. Mooney

For Topeka Chapter: Fannie A. Benson Page, Mary Flederling and Miss Elizabeth Selden Kilgore, now residing in Washington, D. C.

For Oceanus Hopkins Chapter: Ethel Estella Casad Larken and Catherine Mohon Monte

The meetings of the National Board of Management were attended, and after the October session, the trip to Williamsburg and to Yorktown for commemoration of the anniversary of that decisive battle was a special privilege. We did pause and spoke our thankfulness for the many blessings we now enjoy. And each day we can say a prayer of love and faith and in gratitude to those angry men who came to these shores and made this country great.

You will hear reports of the officers and the chairmen and the Chapter Regents during these sessions, telling of the aims, purposes and splendid accomplishments this past year. We have counselled and consulted together on the many details. It is indeed a rewarding service, and we only wish time here was not limited.

It was encouraging to have 58 of our Chapters participate in the DAR Magazine advertising, and we will probably cooperate in the November 1964 issue for this year.

One of our traditions (it is a tradition now because it has been done for some several years) is that the State Vice Regent meets and plans with the District Directors about the District Conferences and other details of their activities.

The tour to the District meetings in late October 1963 was one of our special privileges and pleasures. There was some long traveling between places, but this gave us a greater appreciation of Kansas and of our Chapters located here and there over the state. The meetings were filled with inspiration and confidence as well as good fellowship. They were all well attended, and we have a renewed confidence in the future for our important program. Illness prevented some State Officers and some

Chairmen from attending every meeting, but roll call shows that all but five were at two or more of the meetings.

The State Press Book stays in the car, and is taken into each Chapter meeting, for the members to see and enjoy. It is on display now, at the Exhibit Table as is the Current book—and some of the Press books of previous administrations. They're a wonderful store house of ideas and suggestions. Too, we want you to help yourself to the many items at the Exhibit Table, which were sent for distribution including materials from the National Society, Conservation, National Defense, etc.

We want to mention the two "RECORDS" your State Regent has for loan to you, if you are interested, without cost, except for mailing charges.

- 1. The Eight Important Documents of the United States of America, which includes comments on our Constitution, The Bill of Right, and others. (20 minutes).
- 2. The DAR Story as told by the Maryland Society. The material is good, and tells what that Society does. (Time about 50 minutes).

William Creekmore Chapter has had a serious problem of activity, and the December 11, 1963 National Board of Management granted them permission to cease as a Chapter. This was after several meetings, discussion, and much correspondence, and deep regret on the part of all.

We have a most hopeful report on Kansas membership generally, and especially on our Junior members. A good percentage of our new members this past year were Junior members (those under 35 years of age).

Is it too much to ask that every one of our 65 Chapters admit at least one new Junior and one new adult into your Chapter? Let's strive to that goal—and too, new Chapters will be most acceptable. We understand several communities have made contacts

The 1963 State Conference pledged \$1000.00 to assist in cataloging and indexing the Americana Collection in the National Archives Room, which is under the direction of our Historian General. You know, by your participation, how well that pledge has been fulfilled. We hope it is completed.

Then, the National Society has a project, Honoring our lovely lady, Mrs. Robert V. H. Duncan, President General. This is to renovate and enlarge the facilities of our National Society DAR Library. There will be a roll call of pledges at Continental Congress, and your Regent would like to offer a token pledge of the Chapters and individuals of the Kansas Society. Please make as large a contribution as you can, as individuals and Chapters—and send remittance to the Kansas State Treasurer, Mrs. Kessler, marked "National Society Library Project."

Birthdays are lots of fun—and the National Society will celebrate their 75th Birthday in 1966, beginning October 11, 1965. What will Kansas do for that happy event? We want your ideas.

We were saddened by the events, in November, which left three homes fatherless, several children as orphans, and caused a change in the Presidency of our United States of America. How grateful we are to those early patriots who planned so carefully and well for just such an experience. And, it brought an added realization that we must keep those ideals and values, for, we too are planning and fighting for a generation yet unborn.

At each National Board of Management meeting we have a workshop and discussion of several hours, with the President General. Also, one with the National Parliamentarian.

It is emphasized, and our Kansas Society by-laws so state, that your State Regent is the Executive Officer and is charged with the responsibilities of the affairs of the society. And, each member—in whatever capacity she may serve, should comply and cooperate to the fullest extent. Any time you have a question or something occurs that you do not understand, or think peculiar, just drop your State Regent a note.

Your President General checks and approves all letters and materials of the National Society. If there are corrections to be made, she inserts and makes them before they are released. And so it is with your State Regent. If the items do not carry that statement of approval you will know they were not authorized.

For one instance, Circular letters or letters of solicitation to raise funds for any reason, outside our own DAR Program are not permitted in any way. And yet some one in some way gets a list of our members to make such unauthorized requests.

Sometimes, one seemingly is anxious to make an exceptional record and is over zealous—but it is not a part or policy of the Society. They see only the one phase, but not the general over-all picture.

Thanks to all the chapters for your outstanding year books. The programs are planned carefully and thoughtfully and truly tell the DAR Story. I use them every day in some way. Several times those that contain your chapter by-laws have been loaned to Chapters needing that help. Your general information is good, also. We need the stimulation of your thinking and we all gain from our discussions and experience.

Words are inadequate to express my admiration and gratitude for your splendid cooperation, your thoughtfulness, the many wonderful courtesies, your friendly letters, the beautiful corsages, the lovely parties and the pleasant hospitality of your homes.

Any office or position will be exacting, require attention to many details, some inconveniences and much thought and effort, there will be some disappointments and some joyous surprises—but the net result is most rewarding as one contributes their time and talents for accomplishments of our Society, both state and national.

Thanks, again, for your fine record of accomplishment, and especially for your warm fellowship. I shall treasure it always. May we all Hold High the Torch that it may show the way to those who will take our place, some day.

Yesterday is gone, profit by it Today is here, use it Tomorrow is coming, prepare for it.

Pauline Cowger, Regent
Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution

## VICE REGENT Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease

It was again my pleasure to meet with the District Directors in my home on June 22, 1963, at which time plans for the fall District Meetings were formulated. This morning meeting was followed by luncheon and in the afternoon a meeting of the Executive Committee was called.

I have attended all meetings of the Executive Committee, Board of Management and Districts. It was my privilege to represent our State Regent and the Kansas Society at the National Board of Management Meeting on February 1. May 15th I was a guest of the Wyandot Chapter at Grinter House. In May I was a guest of the Baxter Springs Chapter along with the State Regent and the Chairman of Amercanism and DAR Manuals. We were overnight guests of Mrs. C. Y. Semple. From there we drove to Columbus where we were guests of Mrs. Theo. Stebbins and the Dana Chapter. September 17, I attended the Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage and Constitution Day Observance. On November 21, I spoke to the Olathe Chapter on "What the Daughters Do," at a dinner meeting. December 14, I was a guest of the General Edward Hand Chapter at a luncheon honoring our State Regent, On February 14, I was a guest of the Minisa Chapter at a luncheon meeting at the Wichita Historical Museum. On February 22, I was the guest of honor at a George Washington Day luncheon given by the Eunice Sterling Chapter. February 24, I attended the Sixth Anniversary Tea of the Mission Hills Chapter and on February 26, a Colonial Tea with the Shawnee Chapter. I regret that it was not possible for me to accept the invitation of the Wyandot Chapter

for their tenth Anniversary Tea, the James Ross and Topeka Chapters for their teas.

It has been an honor and a privilege to serve the Kansas Society as Vice-Regent under the leadership of our State Regent, Miss Cowger.

#### CHAPLAIN

#### Mrs. J. R. Henning

In the past year I have attended the Executive Committee and Board of Management Meetings and the four District Meetings. Aside from the pleasure of meeting old friends and making new ones it is inspiring and reassuring to know that so many of our fine women are working together for the best interests of our country. Our highest aim is to keep our United States "under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

Thank you for sending the yearbooks to me. What a variety of interesting programs were planned and enjoyed by our members! With other State Officers and Chairman it was a pleasure to be a guest of Topeka Chapter for the George Washington Day Tea and of the Mission Hills Chapter for a sixth Anniversary Tea. Also no year is complete without attendance at the Shawnee Pilgrimage.

I wish to thank the Chapter Chaplains and others who have worked with me again to send notes of encouragement to those who have encountered difficulties and notes of sympathy to those in sorrow. It is only by expressing it that Christian love and concern which we feel for one another can bring comfort and cheer.

As we begin a new year this little verse is a good one to remember.

Not by your words alone
But by your actions show
How much from Him you have received
How much to Him you owe.

## RECORDING SECRETARY Mrs. HoBart Frederick

This past year the Recording Secretary has fulfilled the duties of this office to the best of her ability, including the compiling and editing the 1963 Proceedings.

All Executive Committee and Board of Management Meetings and State Conference were attended.

The Recording Secretary attended the 1963 Kansas Society, C. A. R. Conference with Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Historian General.

On February 22, 1964, attended the George Washington Tea of the Mary Wade Strother Chapter, the guest of Mrs. W. M. Ostenberg.

Thank you for the cooperation you have given this office.

## CORRESPONDING SECRETARY Mariorie Uphoff (Mrs. J. R.)

The routine duties performed were: List of 1963 Regents and their addresses mailed to the State Recording Secretary in February. Directories of chapter officers compiled, printed and mailed. 24 Honor Rolls mailed to their Regents. Notices of all chapter-officer or address changes sent to the State Regent, corresponding STATE officer, Organizing Secretary General, Corresponding Secretary General and State Reporter. Notices were sent of Executive Committee and Board of Management meetings, District Conferences, the December letter of instruction and notice of State Conference plus 6 forms for the Regents to report credentials and chapter officers; also credential cards for Regents, delegates. State Officers, Honorary State Regents. The complete mailing list is about 125. Directories of Credentials were mailed the State Regent and to the State Treasurer for verification of eligibility; upon their return and following notification to the chapters of corrections, these were forwarded to the State Chairman of Credentials. The State Regent and Chairman of By-Laws were assisted in official correspondence.

Your Corresponding Secretary attended all Executive Committee, State Board of Management, 2 District Meetings, 1963 State Conference, Reunion at Grinter House, Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage, and accompanied the State Regent on 26 official trips.

Sincere thanks is expressed for courtesies and invitations received. A total of 1,981 cards, letters and official mail was sent. It has been a pleasure to serve our State Regent and the Kansas Society.

## TREASURER Mrs. Lewis Hanford Kessler

The Treasurer's and Auditor's Report covers the period of January 31, 1963 to January 31, 1964. Much time and effort have gone into its preparation, and the membership is urged to study it and thus become informed on the Kansas Society finances.

In the past year the Executive Committee authorized the purchase of badly needed new addressograph plates to facilitate the mailing of the Kansas DAR News. This cost \$461.64 plus an additional \$20.00 for the necessary copy for the Registrar's file.

The Treasurer negotiated new insurance policies for our Reference Books and Manuscripts housed in the Dodge City Public Library, and on the furnishings in our two rooms in the Shawnee Mission and on our Conference Flags. The Treasurer, assisted by Mrs. Warren Higgins, a fellow member of Mission Hills Chapter, made what we believe is the first complete inventory and appraisal of our Shawnee Mission furnishings. Typed copies were filed with the Matthews Insurance Agency, Ashland; The Kansas State Historical Society, Topeka; The State Regent; The State Recording Secretary; The Shawnee Mission State Chairman; and the Shawnee Mission Custodian. The insurance on the furnishings was increased from \$1300 to a \$3839 Fine Arts Policy, which provides very broad coverage. The premium is \$57.63 for three years. The insurance on our Library remains at \$2000, but the coverage is better, since it includes vandalism and malicious mischief. The premium is \$33.00 for a three year period. Refunds or credits were given on the unexpired former policies, and while an expenditure of \$83.22 was made for the three year premiums, the additional insurance is actually costing but \$4.69 more than we formerly paid in a three year period.

The Recording Secretary saved the Society money, with favorable costs on printing the Proceedings. In spite of the unexpected expenses we end the year with \$62.50 more in the General Fund than there was on the closing date last year.

Once again, Chapter Regents and Treasurers are alerted that they must file Form 990-A with the Internal Revenue Service, Wichita, in order for the National Society to retain Tax Exempt status. All officers and committee chairman are reminded that Article X, Section 4 of our Kansas Society bylaws requires that request for reimbursement be in writing and itemized.

Your Treasurer attended Continental Congress, the State Executive Committee meetings, the State Board of Management, the four District meetings, Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage and Grinter House reunion. She appreciates the invitations from the Chapters, and has been happy to accept when at all possible.

She wishes to thank the Historian General, Mrs. Kilbourn, for her interest and kindness in presenting the manuscript of "Three Sections of Land, Kansas" of which the Treasurer is author, to the editor of the DAR magazine for publication.

It has been a pleasure and a privilege to serve the Kansas Daughters. Thank you.

# KANSAS SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1964

EXHIBIT "A"

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	St. Francis Boys Home	-0-	174.15			174.15	0	2
	Student Loan	4,634.48	225.71			150.00	4,710.19	3
	Shawnee Mission	50.37	45.00				95.37	3
	Treasurer General's	211.85	3,785.26			3,814.81	182.30	4
	Santa Fe Trail Markers	6.00					6.00	
	Congress Kansas Tea	231.33	9.91				241.24	5
	Kansas Chapel	864.78	148.60			427.45	585.93	5
	DAR Good Citizen	-0-	75.00			75.00	-0-	5
	Magazine Advertising	-0-	7.50			7.50	-0-	5
	\$	11,422.38	\$10,175.00	\$	\$	\$10,274.41	\$11,322.97	

#### BANK RECONCILIATION—CHECKING ACCOUNT, JANUARY 31, 1964 Johnson County National Bank—Checking Account

Balance per bank statement 1-31-64			\$5,652.66
Less: Outstanding checks, Nos.			
701 \$ 1.35	731	7.50	
708 7.05	732	7.80	
724 1,265.75	733	29.50	
728 21.00	734	174.15	
729 12.40	735	25.00	
730 3.30			
			1,554.80
Balance per books—1-31-64			\$4,097.86

#### AUDITOR'S REPORT

We have examined the financial reports of the treasurer of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution for the year ended January 31, 1964. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the enclosed reports present fairly the fund balances of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution at January 31, 1964, and the results of its operation for the year then ended on a cash basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Very truly yours,

Donald C. Epp Certified Public Accountant

#### SCHEDULE 1

#### STATE GENERAL FUND—CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS— YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1964

,		
Cash Balance January 31, 1963		\$2,970.89
RECEIPTS		
State dues (3,597 members @ \$1.35)\$	4,855.95	
Reimbursement from conference	146.65	
Sale of directories	95.00	
Proceedings and cuts	91.50	
Commissions on magazine advertising	39.00	
Refunds and miscellaneous	70.00	
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Total Receipts		
Total Cash On Hand And Received		\$8,268.99

#### DISBURSEMENTS

OMANIE OFFICERO		
STATE OFFICERS	050.00	
Allowance—State Conference 1963\$	250.00	
Allowance—State Regent  Vice Regent	750.00 8.25	
Chaplain		
•	30.37	
Recording Secretary	55.37 63.95	
Corresponding Secretary Treasurer	44.10	
Registrar	25.50	
State Librarian	18.30	
Reporter	33.60	
- Treporter		
Total State Officers		\$1,279.44
STATE CHAIRMAN		
DAR Good Citizen\$	128.62	
DAR Magazine	21.06	
DAR Museum	10.50	
Genealogical Records	15.95	
Honor Roll	5.30	
Junior Membership	28.07	
Public Relations	30.53	
Student Loan and Scholarship	14.05	
The Flag of the U.S.A	<b>23</b> .05	
Americanism and DAR Manual	14.10	
Constitution Week	11.90	
DAR Magazine advertising	21.53	
Program	8.60	
Membership	14.50	
Conservation	9.50	
Transportation	9.64	
American Music	5.04	
American Indians	12.51	
American Heritage	3.30	
Total State Chairman		387.75
AWARDS		
American History Month Essays\$	9.65	
DAR Magazine Subscription Prizes	15.00	
Public Relations—Press Book Prizes	15.00	
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Total Awards	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	39.65
PRINTING AND STATIONERY		
Addressograph\$	481.64	
February KSDAR News	200.50	
Extra addressing February News	19.90	
July KSDAR News	362.20	
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Postage July KSDAR News	54.00 35.00	
Postage September KSDAR News	43.25	
Printing September KSDAR News	208.54	
Proceedings 1963	845.00	
Postage Proceedings	19.19	
Envelopes Proceedings	6.30	
Stationery and post cards	234.00	
Mailing permit	30.00	
Postage January News	43.25	
Total Printing and Stationery MISCELLANEOUS	\$	2,582. <b>77</b>
Annual Audit State Treasurer's books\$	100.00	
Insurance DAR Library Dodge City		
Directory supplements inserts	19.98	
	70.00	
Pages Continental Congress Rule 8	49.30	
Pictures Kansas Luncheon	9.00	
Orchid State Regent Rule 7	10.25	
Memorial service, flowers and music	11.00	
Flowers for funeral	10.25	
Refund dues	4.05	
Check issued and refunded	5.64	
Warrant books	2.00	
Insurance—DAR Library Dodge City and		
Shawnee Mission	83.22	
State Conference (3,536 members @ .10)	353.60	
State C.A.R. (3,536 members @ .05)	176.80	
Advance Junior Membership	33.40	
Postage — by-laws	7.50	
Total Miscellaneous		945.99
Total Disbursements	\$	5.235.60
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Cash Balance January 31, 1964	\$	3,033.3 <b>9</b>
SCHEDULE 2		
CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS BY	FUNDS	
YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1964		
C. A. R. FUND		
Cash balance January 31, 1963	\$	27.00
Receipts		
Contributions		25.00
Total cash on hand and received		52.00
Disbursements		
Kansas Society C. A. R		52.00 0
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EISENHOWER FOUNDATION	20 100 01
Cash balance January 31, 1963	\$2,190.21
Interest from Johnson County National Bank	
savings account\$ 5.3	27
Interest on U. S. Government Bonds 78.3	
Total Receipts	83.47
Cash balance January 31, 1964 (Exhibit A)	\$2,273.68
DAR STATE LIBRARY FUND	
Cash balance January 31, 1963	\$ 179.27
Receipts	
Contributions	297.30
Total cash on hand and received	\$ 476.57
Lineage books\$ 106.1	15
Books and binding	
Total disbursements	337.90
Cash balance January 31, 1964 (Exhibit A)	\$ 138.67
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ST. FRANCIS BOYS HOME FUND	
Cash balance January 31, 1963	0-
Receipts	
Contributions	174.15
Disbursements	
St. Francis Boys Home	\$ 174.15
Cash balance January 31, 1964 (Exhibit A)	0
SCHEDULE 3	
CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS BY FUNI YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1964	<b>)</b> S—
STUDENT LOAN FUND	
Cash balance January 31, 1963	\$4,634.48
Receipts	
Interest from Leavenworth, Kansas	
savings account\$ 43.5	i9
Interest from Hutchinson, Kansas	
savings account S-2334	
Contributions received	- -
Total receipts	225.71
Total cash on hand and received	\$4,860.19

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Disbursements				
Withdrawal of funds from Lea	venwor	th Kansas		
savings account for a scho				150.00
Cash balance January 31, 1964 (ExSHAWNEE MISSION FUND	khibit A	<b>(A)</b>	•	\$4,710.19
Cash balance January 31, 1963			•	e =0.0=
Receipts	• • • • • • •		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	\$ 50.37
Contributions			• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	45.00
Cash balance January 31, 1964				\$ 95.37
SCHEDULE 4				
TREASURER GENERAL'S FUND	-CASI	I RECEIP	TS AND	DIS-
BURSEMENTS—YEAR ENI				
	Balance			Balance
		Receipts :		1.31.64
A Tudiana		\$ 70.00		
American Indians		•	237.50	•
Bacone College		225.00		10.00
Conservation		31.00	24.00	13.00
DAR Historian General	15.00	472.61	449.61	38.00
DAR Museum	4.00	83.00	72.00	
DAR National Library		14.30	16.00	
Genealogical Records		16.00	18:00	1.00
Helen Pouch Memorial Scholarship	1.00	305.10	306.10	
Investment Trust Fund	11.00	110.00	110.00	11.00
Junior American Citizens	1.00	11.00	12.00	
Kate Duncan Smith	51.50	799.40	828.90	22.00
National Defense	6.00	63.00	67.00	2.00
Occupational Therapy		•		
St. Mary's School	33.85	167.80	186.65	15.00
Tamassee	44.00	1,262.05	1,289.05	17.00
White Auditorium				
Friends to Museum		71.00	58.00	13.00
Lineage research		11.00	1.00	10.00
Remodeling library		73.00	58.00	15.00
(Exhibit A)	\$211.85	\$3,785.26	\$3,814.81	\$182.30
SCHEDULE 5				
CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBU	JRSEM.	ENTS BY	FUNDS-	
YEAR ENDING JA	NUARY	¥ 31, 1964		
CONGRESS KANSAS TEA FUND				
Cash balance January 31, 1963				\$ 231.33
Receipts				
Interest from Hutchinson, Kan	sas sav	ings accou	nt S-5940	. 9.91
Cash balance January 31, 1964 (E)	zhihit A	. )		\$ 241 24
KANSAS CHAPEL FUND	THIBIC A	.,		p 441.44
Cal balance To of the				

Cash balance January 31, 1963...... \$ 864.78

Receipts Contribution	ns		•••••		••••	148.60									
Total cash on	Total cash on hand and received														
Disbursements															
Pulpit chai	rs				.,.\$ 224.03										
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Bronze Pla	Bronze Plaques 72.11														
Total disburse	ments					. 427.45									
Cash balance J	anuary 31	, 1964 (E	xhibit A	<b>A</b> )	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	\$ 585.93									
DAR GOOD CITIZ	EN FUNI	)													
Cash balance J	anuary 31	, 1963			• • • • • • • • • • • •	0-									
Receipts															
Contribution	n	· · · · · · · · · · ·			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	75.00									
Disbursements															
Good Citizen Award															
Cash balance J	anuary 31	, 1964 (E	xhibit A	<b>A</b> )	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	. ———									
SCHEDULE 6 BANK ACCOUNTS			·	90	.t										
	nce 33	ipts		sfer	rs	1. 4.									
	salance -31-63	Receipts	_	Transfers Out	Disburse	3alance -31-64									
Johnson Co. Nat.	<u> </u>		Ţ,	H O	<u> </u>	<u> </u>									
Bk, Prairie V, Ks.															
Check. acct	4,366.36	9,885.41	\$150.00	\$ 29.50	\$10,274.41	\$ 4,097.86									
Savings acct	190.21	83.41				<b>273.68</b>									
US Bonds, safe dep. box	2,000.00					2,000.00									
Lvnwth Mut. BL	2,000.00					2,000.00									
& SA, Lvn, Ks:															
Savings acct	1,079.11	43.59		150.00		972.70									
1st Fed Sav. & L A, Hutch., Kans.															
Sav acct S-2334.	3,555.37	152.62	29.50			3,737.49									

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\$11,422.38 \$10,175.00 \$179.50 \$179.50 \$10,274.41 \$11,322.97

See Exhibit A for Bank Reconciliation

231.33

Sav acct S-5940.

241.24

#### REGISTRAR Mrs. Harry M. Ives

This past year has been a very busy one for your Registrar.

A new Mailing List including Zip Codes for the Kansas DAR News was compiled with the appreciated cooperation of all the Chapter Regents. Any list is soon obsolete, but with the cooperation of each member who will notify her Registrar or me of any change in her address or name, the Mailing List will be accurate. There have been over 200 changes from September thru January.

The Fourth Supplement to the Directory has been mimeographed and I have all the supplements with me; please pick them up during the State Conference. Anyone purchasing the Directory is entitled to these. The Memorial List was also compiled.

Detailed instructions were mailed to each Registrar last fall along with the yearly letter and Annual Membership Report Form.

Mission Hills Chapter, Mission Hills, has a 20.4% gain in membership. Eunice Sterling Chapter gained 20 new members and has a net gain of 14. Topeka Chapter, Mary Wade Strother Chapter and Hannah Jameson Chapter had 12, 10 and 7 new members respectively. Of the 107 new members admitted this year 25% were Junior members. Nineteen Chapters showed an increase in membership, ten remained the same and twenty-seven showed a loss.

Kansas Society now has 65 Chapters with the disbanding of William Creekmore Chapter, Pleasanton, December 11, 1963.

INCREASE	DECREASE
Verification107	By death 73
Transfer into State 11	Resigned 92
Reinstated 13	Transfer out 40
<del></del>	Dropped 11
Gain131	•
	Loss 216

Net loss 85.

Transfers between chapters 18.

## HISTORIAN Mrs. Ralph Ralston

The Historian's work has been varied and interesting. I met with the McPherson Co. Historical Society, and talked of moving 2 Santa Fe Trail markers. The Council Oak Chapter is caring for the grounds around the National DAR Shrine "Madonna of the Trails" at Council Grove. Several Santa Fe Trail Markers are being beautified with plantings through the efforts of our Conservation Chairman. Many Chapters are cooperating with their County Historical Societies in restoration and museum work.

Historical anniversaries celebrating or honoring famous men 27, famous women 19, famous events 26, number of historical programs by or for adults 90, children 9. Historical broadcasts by radio 196, by TV 18, adult historical tours 43, children 10. DAR member's graves marked 27. Historic restorations begun 4, one marker was mounted by Fort Larned Chapter. Records of nine cemeteries in Harper county were compiled by

the Martha Vail Chapter this year and sent to me. Money contributions for indexing and cataloging the Americana Collection from 27 chapters was \$379.11. 47 chapters sent in their reports. I sent out a letter after State Conference and another the first of February this year. Your National Magazine has pages of Historical Events every month from Mrs. Kilbourn's office. I hope you have read them.

#### LIBRARIAN

#### Mrs. Guy D. Josserand

It has been a pleasure to continue the library projects thru 1963. With your splendid cooperation the gifts totaled \$297.30. This made it possible to add fifty-one more lineage books to the library. Now only 46 more are needed to complete the entire set of 166 volumes. New volumes are not available now, so we must search for each needed book. If any of you know where any of these are available, will you please let us know? This year a few valuable old books have been rebound.

The duplicate copies of DAR magazines have been placed in small libraries, and these are creating more interest in DAR memberships in those areas. Indexing Bible and lineage charts on file in the library has been begun and this will add to the efficiency.

Members of the Dodge City chapter continue to assist as librarians and have helped approximately 950 people with lineage problems. Special visitors to the library in October, were members of the State DAR Board.

Kansas chapters have reported ten books to National Library and contributions to the rebinding and micro-film funds. We are counting on the members of Kansas to do their part in the renovation of National Library next year.

Acquisitions through 1963:

Mrs. Carroll Hughes, Dodge City Chapter. Hughes Genealogy—CAR Scrap book.

Mrs. Ruby Steifel, Salina, Kansas. The Descendants of George and Barbara (Bash) Smith.

Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie, Mission Hills. Rev. John Craig Descendants— The Baskin Family.

Mrs. Marson French and Mrs. Wm. Peterson, Uvedale Chapter. Partridge Cemetery in Reno County.

Mrs. Hal Black, Eunice Sterling. The Gatliff Family and The James Blackford Family.

Mrs. Isabell Gaines Guilvezan, Dana Chapter. Dr. Gerbard Gaines Farrar Family.

Kansas Genealogical Society. The Blanchet Family.

Flores Del Sol. Miscellaneous Genealogical and Bible records, 40 pages.

Mrs. W. C. Adamek, Gen. Records Chairman: 70 pages Bible records and 67 lineage charts. 51 lineage books.

#### REPORTER Mrs. Bill E. Smith

Last year at State Conference some sixteen articles and nine pictures were published locally in the morning and evening Wichita Eagle and Beacon and the Wichita World. The press clippings are included in this year's Press Book.

Radio stations carried spot announcements during the week of Conference and the three television stations granted interviews covering the arrival of our President General at the Airport, during the state Conference and one television station carried a fifteen-minute interview of the President General and the State Regent at the close of the Conference.

News of Constitution Week activities was carried in the DAR News and in a number of newspapers over the state. The Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage was emphasized. Radio and Television stations carried spot announcements during this week. Some ninety newspapers including daily and weekly were contacted requesting news to be carried of the District Meetings and it was noted by the Chapters and members that response was good. One of the Wichita Television stations carried spot announcements during the American History Month.

Advance press kits containing information on the 66th State Conference to be held in Wichita, 1964, was mailed to some eighty-five newspapers throughout Kansas and to the eight radio and three television stations in Wichita. Personal contact was made by members of the Public Relations Committee to the radio and television stations as well as with the Acting Society Editor of the Wichita Eagle and Beacon who personally worked with these members. Cooperation with the local paper on the last Conference and on the present has been sincerely appreciated.

DAR News has appeared in some 101 newspapers and publications during the past year over the State. DAR must strive for good publicity at all times, but in order to accomplish this all members must KNOW DAR - DO DAR - TELL DAR.

Your Reporter is pleased to report Chapters have been most cooperative—they have worked many long hours, gathered material and written stories telling the DAR story—and recently responded well by forwarding 109 pages totalling 218 Press Pages for the State Press Book proving once again that DAR in Kansas does get Press News.

## SOUTHEAST DISTRICT Mrs. Bernhardt Schreiner, Director Miss Edna Wheatley, Acting Secretary

The Thirty-third Annual Conference of the Southeast Kansas District, DAR, was held October 28, 1963, at the Dale Hotel, Coffeyville, Kansas. Jane Dean Coffey, Mrs. Frank Mann, Regent, was the hostess chapter.

Mrs. Bernhardt Schreiner, District Director, opened the Conference at 9:45 AM. Colors were advanced with the Pledge of Allegiance and the National Anthem sung. Mrs. J. R. Henning, State Chaplain, gave the invocation.

Greetings were extended from the Jane Dean Coffey Chapter...

Miss Pauline Cowger, State Regent, addressed the assembly giving several facts and figures.

Four State officers made their reports and thirteen State chairmen gave their reports. Luncheon was served at 12:15 PM with the hostess chapter presiding. The afternoon session was called to order by Mrs. Schreiner at 1:15 PM with the business of the district the main order.

The 1965 Conference will be held in Ft. Scott, Kansas with the Molly Foster Berry Chapter as hostess chapter.

Twelve regents or other representatives of the 16 chapters answered roll.

Nominations for new officers were made, seconded and unanimously elected.

They were installed by Miss Pauline Cowger, State Regent. Director Mrs. J. L. Harrison, El Dorado, Vice Director Mrs. Max Sharpnack, Columbus, Secretary Mrs. Duana Elder, Arkansas City, Treasurer Mrs. G. A. Barg, Eureka and Historian Miss Mabel Bays, Independence.

Conference closed with remembrance of those deceased in the past year. Meeting adjourned at 3:15 by Director. Edna Wheatley, Acting Secretary.

#### SOUTHWEST DISTRICT

#### Mrs. Otto Lutes, Director - Mrs. H. F. McCoin, Secretary

The 19th Annual Conference of the Southwest District, Kansas Daughters of the American Revolution convened October 26, 1963, at Holiday Inn, Liberal, Kansas

Mrs. Otto Lutes presided and welcomed members of the District, State and National groups.

Mrs. Samuel H. Riggs, Regent Byrd-Prewitt Chapter, welcomed us. Mrs. L. Ralph Miller, Regent Dodge City Chapter, gave the response.

The following were presented: State Regent Miss Pauline Cowger, Honorary State Regent Mrs. R. V. Shrewder and National Chairman DAR Magazine Committee Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease.

All State Officers were present and were presented.

Twelve chapters responded to the Roll Call. Five chapters were absent. Members present 57.

The State Regent gave an inspiring address. She suggested State and District officers send subscriptions to our DAR Magazine to our Senators and Congressmen.

State Officers gave reports.

At the noon hour a Smorgasbord luncheon was served. The tables were beautifully decorated. Sandra Brewer and her mother gave the luncheon program.

The P. M. program was reports of State Chairmen, a Workshop and a Business meeting.

Martha Loving Ferrell Chapter of Wichita invited us to meet with them in 1964 and the invitation was accepted.

Motion carried that the Southwest District provide Good Citizen Pins for any qualifying contestant within its geographic limits who is not sponsored by a chapter.

Motion carried that we give tea spoons instead of coffee spoons as were formerly given.

The Nominating Committee's report was accepted and the following officers were elected for 1964: District Director Mrs. J. A. Bogue, Vice Director Mrs. R. B. Harlins, Secretary Mrs. H. F. McCoin, Treasurer Mrs. LeRoy Hood. Officers were installed by the State Regent. Meeting adjourned.

#### NORTHWEST DISTRICT

#### Mrs. Rollin Johnson, Director-Miss Hazel Kirk, Secretary

The Northwest District Conference Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution met October 30, 1963, in Junction City, with Lois Warner Chapter hostessing. A coffee was served to guests arriving and Mrs. Frank Trebilcock presented organ music during that time. Eightyeight registrations were tabulated. Mrs. Rollin L. Johnson, District Director, presided. Mrs. S. F. Lloyd, Regent of hostess chapter, greeted the Daughters. The response was given by Mrs. Conrad Johnson, Vice-Director.

Honored guests were: Miss Pauline Cowger, Mrs. von der Heiden, Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn and Miss Marian Seelye.

Miss Cowger gave a report of the National Board of Management meeting. She presented and moved that Northwest District provide, from our District Treasury the price of the DAR Good Citizen pin to be presented to any unsponsored Good Citizen in this District. Motion carried.

The Nominating Committee presented a slate of officers for the ensuing year: Director Mrs. Edna Wilkin Teagarden, (Mrs. E. H.), Manhattan; Vice-Director Mrs. Helen Wilson (Mrs. R. B.), Concordia; Secretary Miss Hazel Kirk, Newton and Treasurer Mrs. Gladys Beal (Mrs. Forast), Junction City. The officers were installed by Miss Cowger.

Polly Ogden Chapter, Manhattan, through its regent, extended invitation to Northwest District for its 1964 meeting. Accepted.

#### NORTHEAST DISTRICT

#### Mrs. Max R. Petty, Director-Mrs. R. D. Holder, Secretary

The Northeast District Conference was held in Atchison, Kansas, in the First Christian Church on October 29, 1963, with Atchison Chapter as host. Welcome and greetings were extended by Mrs. Richard D. Holder, Regent of Atchison Chapter. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Max R. Petty, District Director, and opened with prayer by Mrs. J. R. Henning, State Chaplain. State officers and chairmen were introduced and gave reports of their office or committee. Miss Pauline Cowger, State Regent, gave report of Continental Congress and Board of Management meeting, which she had attended. There was an attendance of ninety-two, with members from all chapters but Olathe and Holton Luncheon was served in the dining room at noon.

Miss E. Mae Howard, District Treasurer, gave a financial report, with a balance of \$49.30. An invitation for the 1964 conference was extended by Mrs. C. D. Collins of the Captain Jesse Leavenworth Chapter. The invitation was accepted. Mrs. Mildred D. Watson, chairman of the nom-

inating committee, presented the following for officers for 1964: District Director Mrs. L. O. Gaddis, Vice Director Mrs. James Miller, Secretary Mrs. Richard D. Holder, Treasurer Miss E. Mae Howard. The nominated officers were elected and installed by Mrs. J. R. Henning, Chaplain. Miss Cowger announced State conference March 9-10-11, 1964 at Broadview Hotel. Wichita. A very interesting conference adjourned.

#### AMERICAN HERITAGE Mrs. Howard G. Dovle

Much interest and enthusiasm has been shown by a number of chapters in this new committee, which was "born" at the 1963 Continental Congress and has as it's aim, "to aid and encourage the preservation of our rich American Heritage in the fields of art, crafts, drama, literature and music."

After checking the reports from some of the chapters reporting they had done nothing we find it hard to conceive of any DAR chapter having 8 or 9 meetings a year and not having any programs which could be classed "American Heritage."

Forty chapters appointed chairmen with a total reports received of 38.

SE District nine chairmen with 10 reports. SW District eleven chairmen with 7 reports. NE District ten chairmen with 10 reports. NW District 10 chairmen with 11 reports.

Total reports received, 38,

The four best reports were sent to the National Vice Chairman. The judges were Mesdames Martin, Schrieckert, Stewart of Hannah Jameson Chapter. For first report received (Desire Tobey Sears, \$1.00. Tie for third (Dana and Desire Tobey Sears) \$1.00 each. Second (Atchison) \$3.00. First (Eunice Sterling) \$5.00.

All chapters should be able to report at least one American Heritage program!

Thank you, Madam Regent for giving me this opportunity to serve.

## AMERICAN INDIAN Mrs. Lloyd V. Mellick

September 1963 letters were sent to all chapters asking help for Bacone and St. Mary's Indian Schools. The January questionnaire was answered by 44 chapters which gave the following reports:

Cash to Bacone \$69.50 and to St. Mary's \$127.50. About 1385 pounds of clothing, with the approximate value of \$1,650.00 was sent. Gifts of christmas cards, miscellaneous things and stuffed toys worth about \$92.15 were sent. Food was given to an Indian family, a scholarship and \$32.50 cash to Tamassee. Clothing and \$32.50 cash was sent to Kate Duncan Smith School. Cash of \$13.30 was sent to Bacone for bricks and \$45.00 to the general fund and \$25.00 to the Indian Mission in Wichita. There were 27 programs on Indians of our country presented.

My sincere thanks to all chapters who helped in this important work.

#### AMERICAN MUSIC Mrs. Carl D. Biegert

I believe I can truly say there has been more contact with the Chapter Chairmen this past year than at any time of my chairmanship. So many came to the District Conferences and visited with me. I sent out a letter and questionnaire to each chairman and when there was no known chairman I sent the letter to the Regent. Now I have had almost all reports returned and of fifty-six only five do not use the National Anthem. Almost all chapters have done some Community service in Music. Almost all have had an American Program of Music. Some of these programs have been very extensive and taken a great amount of work. One member wrote the words and music of a song to be used at this Conference, namely "Be Strong And Of A Good Courage."

Twenty-six of the daughters have promised to sing in the Kansas Society DAR Chorus and this helps round out one of my fond hopes. Great thanks to all my chairmen, to all officers and to Miss Pauline Cowger.

## AMERICANISM AND DAR MANUALS Mrs. E. Carruth Owen

Letters and questionnaires were sent to 66 chapters this past fall. We have forty-three chairmen.

14 chapters worked in the Naturalization Courts, 8 gave teas serving 2080.

882 Manuals were distributed to prospective citizens, 72 to public schools, 9 to libraries, 225 to Americanization schools, 53 to other groups, making a total of 1247 manuals. \$157.75 was spent on this program.

Last May I went with our State Regent and Vice Regent to visit Baxter Springs Chapter and on to Columbus to have a part in presenting the Americanism Award to Mr. Allen.

I want to thank Miss Cowger for her help and understanding and you chairmen who have carried on and sent in such wonderful reports.

#### C. A. R. Mrs. L. A. Kunkel

As C. A. R. Chairman of Kansas DAR I have continued efforts to arouse greater interest among the DAR Chapter members toward the Children of the American Revolution. In October I mailed questionnaires to the DAR Chapters, either the 42 C. A. R. Chairmen or 24 Regents. I have answered several requests from over the state regarding enrollment procedure for children and have tried to quote from the C. A. R. Handbook the proper answers to all questions. Our greatest need is MORE MEMBERS, MORE SENIOR LEADERS, MORE C. A. R. SOCIETIES. Membership over the state is declining as a whole, only 14 new members this year, 32 resignations and drops and 8 transfers to DAR and SAR, leaving us a total membership of 228.

Kansas C. A. R. does appreciate the support and encouragement received from the DAR, both collectively and individually, and through the

C. A. R. - DAR Breakfast try to acknowledge that support. Publishing expense of the Sunflower Special is met largely through the per capita fund provided by the DAR, and C. A. R. reports 4 National Promoters, 4 State Promoters, and 9 State Patronesses, either individual or DAR Chapter.

It has been a pleasure to work with the Children of the American Revolution as the DAR-C. A. R. Chairman. I hope, as my two-year term ends, others will follow the words of the parable to, "Go, and do thou likewise" for "Whosoever shall receive this child . . . ".

## CONSERVATION Mrs, Homer E. Smith

Theme: "Beautifying Historical Places and Markers Through Conservation." Report: March 1, 1963 to March 1, 1964. Number of chapters in state: 66. Number reporting: 43. Contribution requested \$1.00 per chapter: Chapters \$28.00, Individuals \$5.00, total amount sent \$33.00.

Program: Number of chapters having Conservation Programs 22, number using slides 4, having speaker 11, using films 3, number papers sent to Program Reviewing Chairman 0, number slides to program office 2, national or state.

Legislation: Number of chapters studying State and National Conservation legislation 5, action taken: Sent in vote against taking pasture land for proposed Prairie Park.

Soil and Water Conservation (Include water and air pollution): Number chapters studying these problems 10, give action taken: One Daughter wrote a newspaper article regarding Soil Conservation and Water Pollution.

Trees and Flowers: Total number trees planted 1441, number seedlings 282, number shrubs 636, number miscellaneous plantings 488, was picking of wildflowers discouraged? 16 yes, number chapters reporting 'Let's Plant a Flag'' 6.

Wildlife: Number chapters reporting feeding birds 33, other wildlife 12, number wildlife areas established thru DAR effort 2, number chapters working against extensive roadside spraying which may destroy or mutilate wildlife habitat and wildflowers 5.

Conservation Publicity: Number TV programs presented 2, radio programs 1, number chapters conservation programs given publicity in local newspapers and elsewhere 12, was conservation material distributed yes 11, where? To members, put in libraries, banks, schools, women's clubs, 4-H clubs and Girl Scouts.

Conservation aid to youth and teachers: Number of contests held among youth groups 0, type of contest 0, were C. A. R. societies and J. A. C. clubs given assistance, yes, how? one chapter planted a dogwood tree in the yard at the library and had the C.A.R. assist with the planting and program. Number and amount of conservation scholarships given to students 1, amount \$200.00, teachers 0.

Conservation Scrapbooks: Number of scrapbooks at State Conference 1, number of state project scrapbooks at State Conference 1.

State Project, Final Survey: 37 chapters reporting for membership, chapter membership reported 2091, number chapter members who own land 445, number of these members who are co-operators in soil conservation service 319, farms in wildlife reserve 2.

#### Miscellaneous:

Betty Washington: Replaced Bronze Plaque on Oregon Trail Marker which was pried off by vandals.

Eunice Sterling: Placed book entitled "Exploring on National Wildlife Refuges" in the University of Wichita Library.

Fort Larned: Made a flower bed of red, white and blue petunias around the Santa Fe Trail Marker in the reviewing grounds at Fort Larned. Observed National Wildlife Week, by having the Proclamation for the Week put in the local newspaper by the Mayor. Had articles printed in the paper every day during the week on Wildlife. Put out Posters for week.

Fort Supply Trail: Active in the Farm Bureau and 4-H Clubs Conservation program.

Lois Warner: Article in newspaper about Soil and Water Conservation, this was written by one of the Daughters.

Mary Wade Strother: Read Conservation Material in Meetings.

Mission Hills: Reported they did not receive any literature.

Newton: Gave \$10.00 to garden club for Rose bed. Stressed provisions be made for "Litter-bugging."

Ninnescah: Sent slides to Program Chairman. Read the book "Silent Spring" by Rachael Carson and discussed it.

Rhoda Carver Barton: Cleaned out cisterns.

Samuel Linscott: A Daughter received the Bankers Soil Conservation Award for outstanding work on her farm in McPherson County.

Susannah French Putney: Banded elm trees. Beautified crossroad areas, planted shelterbelts and studied local watershed program.

Peleg Gorton Chapter: Cared for one marker and trimmed a Memorial tree in their City Park.

Tomahawk: Planted white dogwood tree in Jackson County Library yard, assisted by C. A. R. members, May 4, 1963. Pictures were taken. Members attended a meeting regarding the Santa Fe Trail crossing on the Blue River to try to get this place incorporated into the Jackson County Park system. A Member of the Chapter compiled a book on Historical Places in Kansas.

William Creekmore: Reviewed the book "Silent Spring" by Rachel Carson.

Your State Chairman attended the State Conference in Wichita March 1963. Had Conservation literature and material on display depicting American Forests, Wildlife, Water Pollution and Soil Conservation. Observed National Wildlife Week by having Proclamation signed by Mayor and put in newspaper and daily articles printed. Had Kits sent to all Chairmen for National Wildlife Week. Sent letters in the spring urging planting of flowers, shrubs, trees, etc. and clean-up work. Also, asked Chairmen to take pictures for their State Scrapbook. Had Conservation

meeting in local Chapter, showed colored slides of erosion and floods in Pawnee County.

Attended Board meeting in Dodge City in October and Southwest District meeting in Liberal. Had Conservation literature on display at District meeting. Requested the Denver Regional Office to send Posters on Forest Fires and How a Tree Grows to all Chairmen. Sent letter with yearly questionnaire asking all Chapter Chairmen to sign report and return with membership, as all could answer that question. Am very disappointed. Only received 39 reports and those very incomplete as to the work accomplished. Twenty-eight reports came in on time. Eleven late and 26 did not arrive. Two years past, no answer on the making of scrapbooks. How many Chairmen are making one?

#### DAR GOOD CITIZEN

#### Mrs. Lucille Rust

The DAR Good Citizens Committee has had a busy and rewarding year. The results have shown growth in the project in Kansas and increased interest by DAR chapters and Kansas Educators. DAR is definitely making a significant contribution to the encouragement and recognition of good citizenship among high school students.

Early in the school year the principals of 530 accredited public high schools were invited to participate in the DAR Good Citizen project and 138 senior class girls in 138 high schools were named DAR Good Citizens. Of these, 131 participated in the district and state contests, which required them to fill out a questionnaire relative to citizenship and patriotism. The state winner in participating in the National Contest, wrote an essay on the subject, "Our American Heritage—Religions, Cultural or Economic."

Northwest District led with 39 DAR Good Citizens; Northeast District followed close with 38; Southwest District had 35; and Southeast District 26. Every one of the 138 DAR Good Citizens had a chapter sponsor, with 58 of the chapters sponsoring DAR Good Citizens.

Northeast and Southeast Districts each had all of their chapters sponsoring one or more DAR Good Citizens. Of the 7 chapters that did not participate in this project, 4 were in Southwest District and 3 in Northwest District.

The number of DAR Good Citizens sponsored by chapters varied from 1 to 7. The totals were:

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Topeka and Polly Ogden (Manhattan) chapters each sponsored 7 DAR Good Citizens; and Eunice Sterling (Wichita), 5. Desire Tobey Sears (Mankato); Martha Vail (Anthony); and Ninnescah (Pratt) chapters each sponsored 4.

Pins were awarded to all of the DAR Good Citizens by the sponsoring chapters. Most of these chapters entertained the girls and their mothers in some special way. When this was not possible in a very few instances, the awards were made at a special high school assembly. Most of the sponsoring chapters awarded the DAR Good Citizen Certificates but several chapters preferred this being done by the high school principals at awards assemblies.

The publicity relative to the DAR Good Citizens reported by the sponsoring chapters was excellent. All of these chapters participated in this aspect of the project. Hence an increased number of people in Kansas know about DAR Good Citizens.

The state winner was Sandra Kay Kumberg, Sawyer High School, Sawyer, Kansas. Ninnescah Chapter was her sponsor. She and her mother were guests at the Monday night banquet at the State DAR Conference. She was presented a State DAR Good Citizen pen and a \$100.00 Series E United States Savings Bond, the gifts of the NSDAR. Sandra then gave the essay that she submitted in the NSDAR contest.

The District winners were as follows:

#### **Southwest District**

- 1st, Cynthia Heimburger Price, Wichita High School East. Eunice Sterling Chapter, sponsor.
- 2nd, Donna Biggerstaff, Larned High School. Ft. Larned Chapter, sponsor.
- 3rd, Linda Jackson, Wichita High School Southeast. Eunice Sterling Chapter, sponsor.

#### Northwest District

- 1st, Lauren Schmidt, Newton High School. Newton Chapter, sponsor.
- 2nd, Calita Ann Daugherty, Beloit High School. Mary Wade Strother, sponsor.
- 3rd, Carol Christensen, Salina High School. Mary Wade Strother, sponsor.

#### Northeast District

- 1st, Ann Schowengert, Reserve High School. Atchison Chapter, sponsor.
- 2nd, Karen Frank, Shawnee Mission North High School. Shawnee Chapter, sponsor.
- 3rd, Jenean Marie Kingsley, Kansas School for Deaf High School. Olathe Chapter, sponsor.

#### Southeast District

- 1st, Patricia Lou Root, Baxter Springs High School. Baxter Springs Chapter, sponsor.
- 2nd, Marjorie Faye Puckett, Girard High School. Oceanus Hopkins Chapter, sponsor.
  - 3rd, Farell Archer, Garnet High School. Cofachique Chapter, sponsor.

Those placing first place in their districts were each presented a DAR sterling silver teaspoon at a special event given by their sponsoring chapter. These were the gifts of the districts.

Being selected the DAR Good Citizen in a high school is an honor that is highly esteemed by students, faculty and parents. All of these 138 DAR Good Citizens were outstanding senior girls in their high schools who were rated high in dependability, service, leadership and patriotism by their classmates and teachers. All had high scholastic records too. The KSDAR takes pride in honoring these fine girls

Mrs. Lucille Rust, Chairman Mrs. Robert Wilson, Northwest District Mrs. Arthur Weinmann, Northeast District Mrs. Carl Terry, Southwest District Miss Hazel Thompson, Southeast District

#### STATE DAR GOOD CITIZEN 1964



SANDRA KAY KUMBERG

Sandra Kay Kumberg, Sawyer High School, Sawyer, Kansas. Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kumberg, Sawyer, Kansas. Sponsored by Ninnescah Chapter, Pratt, Kansas.

School activities (member): 4 years Pep Club, 4 years basketball team, 4 years mixed chorus, 4 years band, 4 years Fine Arts club, 4 years plays, 1 year Queen attendant, pep band and accompanist for solos and groups. (Offices) 2 years cheer leader, president of Pep Club, secretary, treasurer and president of class.

Church and Community activities (member): Sawyer Christian Church, Sawyer Hustlers Club and Group for a Memorial Service for President Kennedy. (Offices): president of church youth group, president, vice-president, secretary-treasurer, reporter and parliamentarian of 4-H club, pianist at church and 4-H Club, president of 4-H Council and sponsor of a Cancer Program.

Special Awards and Honors: 2 years member of Social Science Congress at Pratt, Kansas, 1 year attended Girls State, 4-H County Demonstration Champion, 4-H County Foods and Nutrition Council, 4-H Who's Who Key Award Winner and highest grades in her class for three years.

Educational and vocational plans: Attend Pratt Junior College and then to one of the State Colleges or Universities to finish her education. Just now, her plans are to receive her degree in nursing education and following this to specialize in Obstetrics or Pediatrics.

#### DAR MAGAZINE Mrs. Howard W. Haines

Last June a letter went to all the Chapter Chairmen, telling them about the October Contest for NEW Subscriptions, and this contest was quite well received. The percentage for Kansas, 4.4%. The winner in our division who received the \$50.00 prize had a percentage of 7.6%.

The Kansas Chapters have responded quite well to the various letters and questionnaires sent out, and the results have been gratifying. The total count of subscriptions is 993, just seven short of 1,000 subscriptions. As the National office only lists Kansas addresses for our total from there, a slight discrepancy between the figures may appear.

Prizes for the greatest increases over the percentage of subscriptions in relation to membership are being given, and these will go to Tomahawk Chapter with an increase of 39.89%, prize \$7.50; second to Good-Land with an increase of 25.49%; and third to Esther Lowrey with an increase of 19.89%. The second and third prizes are \$5.00 and \$2.50.

Best wishes to all of the Kansas Daughters and may you all have happy reading in the DAR Magazines for many years to come.

## DAR MAGAZINE ADVERTISING • Edith Sterling

I am very proud of the Kansas Chapters Magazine Advertising Honor Roll Contributions, and the Chapters that solicited the extra advertising for the Kansas Story, in November.

Fifty-three chapters sent their contributions in, in time to have their names on the Story; four others, sent in their contributions, but too late to have their chapters listed.

The report as given by National showed a total of \$778.00 turned in at the time of publication; then with the additional \$30.00, gave us a total of \$808.00 for Kansas Honor Roll to December 1, 1964.

It is planned to use the October Magazine in 1964, and to do this all contributions must be received by me by the last of July. Please keep this in mind.

Chapters listed in the magazine were: Atchison, Baxter Springs, Betty Bonney, Betty Washington, Byrd Prewitt, Capt. Jesse Leavenworth, Cofachique, Concordia, Council Oak, Courtney Spaulding, Dana, Desire Tobey Sears, Dodge City, Emporia, Eunice Sterling, Flore de Sol, Fort Larned, Fort Supply Trail, General Edward Hand, Good-Land, Hannah Jameson, Henry Dawson, Isabella Weldin, James Ross, Jane Dean Coffey, Jeremiah Howard, John Haupt, Kanza, Lois Warner, Lucretia Griswold Latimer, Martha Loving Ferrell, Martha Vail, Mary Wade Strother, Minisa, Mission Hills, Molly Foster Berry, Newton, Oceanus Hopkins, Olathe, Peleg Gorton, Polly Ogden, Randolph Loving, Samuel Linscott, Shawnee Mission, Smoky Hill, Sterling, Susannah French Putney, Tomahawk, Topeka, Uvedale, Wichita, William Wilson, and Wyandot. Those sending in after publication were: Abilene, Esther Lowrey, Nathan Edson and Neodesha.

Thanks for the very fine co-operation I have received the past year.

FINANCIAL REPORT DAR MAGAZINE ADVERTISING

Received Honor Roll Contributions - 53 chapters\$	105.00
Received Honor Roll Contributions - 4 chapters	30.00
Received for Advertising:	

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Atchison Chapter	.\$150.00
Topeka Chapter	. 115.00
Fort Larned Chapter	. 40.00
Wyandot	. 30.00
Polly Ogden	. 15.00
Jane Dean Coffey	. 10.00
Total	360.00
Received for mats and cuts	13.00

#### DAR MUSEUM

Total amount received to December 1.....

#### Mrs. Theodora H. Stebbins

The chairman of this committee is happy to report that sixteen chapters had programs on the museum this past year. This was done by using slides, special speakers and magazine articles. Council Oak Chapter, through their museum chairman, Mrs. Lillian Blim, sent to the National Museum in Washington, a silver tablespoon belonging to her great grandmother. Topeka Chapter, through the efforts of their museum chairman, Mrs. Walter Chaney, presented a silver coffee spoon made in 1832-33; a Cobbs Juvenile Reader No. 31, published in 1831. Do some of the rest of you have heirlooms to present?

Five chapter: Betty Washington, Dana, Dodge City, Fort Supply Trail and Minisa gave money, a gift or both to local museums. Twelve chapters contributed to "Friends of the Museum." Thirty-four chapters sent money for maintenance. Keep in mind the difference between the museum fund and the "Friends of the Museum." Basically the museum fund is for chapters and "Friends of the Museum" is for individuals. However, any

chapter or individual may give to either fund, the money is just used differently. The state treasurer, Mrs. Kessler, in her report, will give the detailed amount of money given to the museum.

Quoting from Mrs. Roland M. James, Curator General, "In approaching the 75th anniversary of the DAR Museum, let us remember that no other museum in the world has the potential support of 186,000 members... Let us support financially this educational part of our society." Her goal for next year is participation from every DAR member—whether the contribution be large or small. The hope is to complete the 18th century costume case to use as a proper display of the valuable costumes now in the museum.

My grateful thanks to each of you who has in any way helped with the museum program, whether by interest, participation or by contribution. Do not forget that museum slides, program suggestions and colored folders are available for the asking. The museum houses many interesting examples of our proud American Heritage.

## DAR SCHOOLS Mrs. Lauren O. Gaddis

The DAR Schools Committee is one of the most important in the DAR program. I sent letters to all of the chapters in September. I have received the names of sixty-two DAR School Chapter Chairmen. At this time I have received reports from fifty-one chapters. Twenty chapters had programs on the DAR Schools this year.

The monetary gifts reported by the chapters were as follows: \$596.30 to Kate Duncan Smith, \$661.05 to Tamassee, \$22.50 to Crossnore, \$50.00 medical scholarship to K.D.S., and \$50.00 medical scholarship to Tamassee making a total of \$1379.85 received.

Fifty-two boxes of used clothing weighing nearly 1700 pounds with an estimated value of \$2395 were sent to Tamassee and to Kate Duncan Smith. These were divided about equally between the two schools. Three chapters reported sending Christmas gifts or money for Christmas. One box of clothing valued at \$25 was sent to Crossnore and one box valued at \$35 was sent to Hindman. The chapters spent about \$100 on transportation charges.

Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith will need more help each year. School costs are increasing. Kate Duncan Smith has over 650 students and will need more classrooms as the enrollment increases. I urge all chapters to give as much as they can to these, our own schools. I thank you for your generous contributions this year and hope all of the chapters will participate next year.

#### GENEALOGICAL RECORDS Mrs. W. C. Adamek

During the past year each Chapter had a chairman or the Registrar filled the chairmanship. Eleven (11) Chapters gave programs on Genealogy.

Twenty (20) Chapters sent in a total of 681 Genealogical Forms—a

total of 1366 pages made in duplicate thus a grand total of 2732 pages. These were forwarded to National and State DAR Libraries. Most Chapters have finished this project, except the Forms for each new member,

Eight (8) Chapters sent Source Material of 319 pages, three of those Chapters sent 4 copies of material thus making a grand total of 1150 pages—materials sent to National and State DAR Libraries, Kansas Historical Society and Wichita Library.

CHAPTERS SENDING GENEALOGICAL RECORDS FORMS (First number indicates Forms, second number indicates pages)

Atchison 4-8; Hannah Jameson 7-14; Topeka 564-1128; Tomahawk 6-12; Shawnee 1-2; Polly Ogden 2-4; Neodesha 24-48; Council Oak 2-4; Eunice Sterling 2-4; Ft. Larned 16-32; Wichita 2-4; Samuel Linscott 2-4; Sterling 25-50; Betty Bonney 2-4; Concordia 1-2; Minisa 1-2; Jane Dean Coffey 10-20; Mary Wade Strother 11-22.

#### CHAPTERS SENDING IN SOURCE MATERIAL

Eunice Sterling. "The Gatliff Family, Virginia and Kentucky," compiled by Mrs. Helen J. Black, 122 pages, 4 copies. "Blackford Family History," compiled by Miss Hazel Howes, 4 pages, 4 copies.

Dana. "Descendants of Dr. Bernard Gaines Farrar, 1784-1849," compiled by Mrs. Isabel Stebbins Guilvezan, 95 pages, 4 copies.

Flores del Sol. Miscellaneous Records, compiled by Mrs. L. D. Tally, 36 pages, 4 copies.

Betty Bonney. 8 pages of Bible Records, 4 copies.

Capt. Jesse Leavenworth. "2 Cemetery Records," 14 pages. "Robert Coleman Foster Family History," 4 pages.

Concordia. Bible Records, 8 pages.

Martha Vail. 7 Cemetery Records, 28 pages.

Emporia Chapter placed two books in their Public Library: Roster of Iowa Soldiers in the War of the Rebellion (1222 pages), Index of lineages proven for the Organization of Founders and Patriots (97 pages).

We are closing the year with the wish that every DAR member search for Source Material and record it for others to use in years to come.

## HONOR ROLL Mrs. Otto Lutes

My first year with Honor Roll was a good year; 65 chapters reporting and 66 2/3% attaining Honor Roll status. With the approach of a new year we began to look forward. In early August, cards were mailed to those chapters which had not yet named an Honor Roll Chairman and I soon had replies from all 65 chapters. August 22nd letters were mailed to all chapters and in October we had good news from our National Chairman saying "again our division is FIRST to get all lists (of chapter chairmen) to her, it was our goal and we came through."

As last year, mid-January began the arrival of reports. I was highly gratified with the quality of the work shown, but again I needed to send reminders during the last half of February.

Final assessment of results will be made by April; awards will be distributed at Continental Congress in Washington. I truly wish I might tell you of the reports with all 14 points earned. An equal delight is the reports which indicate a wonderful gain over 1963.

A check as to points causing most difficulty shows No. 1 and No. 2 in that category followed by No. 4 and No. 7. It is my feeling that the work covered by points 9-12 inclusive will help greatly in attaining 1 and 2. Personally, I feel that the two bonus points are an addition to the program.

Again, the work has been a pleasure, and my sincere thanks for being privileged thus to serve Kansas and the Daughters. I hope our record for the one remaining year may show further improvement.

## INSIGNIA Mrs. W. E. Crawford

Your Insignia Chairman has attended the meetings called by the State Regent, and has visited a number of Chapters. She has enjoyed serving the State Society this past year. She prepared a talk on Insignia and gave it at several Chapters.

It was gratifying to receive reports from the various Chairmen regarding the work of this committee. An effort was made to have a five-minute program, in each Chapter, on insignia. Many responded and the following errors were noted and reported to me; the insignia on the magazine out of line, a scrap book with insignia placed incorrectly, a woman wearing an official insignia on a charm bracelet. She had the pin taken off the back of the insignia, and she had a link placed on the top of the pin so she could add it to her bracelet. There are charms available for bracelets, which do not have the colors of the Society in enamel. This was clear out of line.

Reports have come in from 38 Chapters. The following items have been purchased: 19 Official insignia, 8 Past Regents Bars, 29 Kansas Bars, 8 History medals, 51 Good Citizen Pins, 1 50-Year Pin, 9 Ancestor Bars, 11 Miniature pins, 13 Markers, 7 Charms and 14 miscellaneous.

I wish to thank the Chapter Chairmen for their fine reports and the work they have done in helping to keep their members informed. Be proud of your Society, and be alert, noting errors made and correcting them. This year has closed with our members better informed and awake to the responsibility of keeping our records clear.

## JUNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS Miss Amy Hall

All Chapters were furnished detailed information on the program and contests by the National Chairman early in the year when the Omnibus mailing was forwarded each Regent. This seemed to delay in some instances the program reaching the local chairman.

The theme "Marching with the Heroes—Forward Through the Ages" had endless possibilities but Kansas students seem to need more leader-ship to become vitally interested in entering the various contests.

Last year our Kansas students were awarded four National prizes; a first for the best song (words and music), and a first prize for the best prayer; a second prize was given another student for her essay entry, and a third prize was sent a boy for his poem. These students competed with 1423 entries and were a part of 238 prizes awarded by the National Committee.

The work of this committee directly contacts students from kindergarten to twelfth grade and inspires Americanism for Citizenship training. There are many features which may be developed but local leaders interested in students are required.

## JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP Moscelyn White Reece

Member's ages range from 18 to 36, 66 chapters, 245 Junior members, 41 Junior Chairmen, 30 new members. One fourth of all new members this year under 35 years. Helen Pouch Fund received \$100.40 from Bazaar and sale of Stationery.

Compiled Directory giving names of all Junior members, addresses and Chapter and National Number. Set up booths for Bazaar and stationery of State Conference and secured members to staff same. Managed get-acquainted-breakfast for junior members at State Conference also seating of Contestants at dinner special table. Arranged for Judges as follows: Jim Wilson, Kansas State Bank, Wichita, Kansas; Judge Riddel, Judge of 18th Judicial District, Wichita, Kansas and Don White, Superintendent of Goddard Schools. Contestants in order of their grades: Mrs. Norton Rixey, Mission Hills Chapter; Miss Peggy Ann Kratzer, Eunice Sterling, Miss Mary Sharpnack, Dana Chapter and Mrs. Eugene Amos, Shawnee Chapter.

Presented Queen and three other Contestants, as well as their respective Regents. Secured space in Wichita Eagle-Beacon for pictures of candidates. Wrote three articles publicizing Bazaar and rules of Miss DAR Contest. One lengthy article encouraging interest in Junior Members. Activities sponsored: Formal Teas, Junior Members. Wrote Thanks and Congratulations to all entries in contest, their Regent and the Judges. Gave \$10.00 Reece Award for largest donation to Helen Pouch Memorial, \$5.00 for second place. Mailed photo of winner with her credentials to three National Officers. A grand and glorious year. Our Slogan: Funds, Fun and Fellowship. Wrote 36 cards to Regents in February publicizing Bazaar. 52 cards and 47 letters written.

#### KANSAS OUTSTANDING JUNIOR MEMBER 1964

Mrs. Norton B. Rixey (Mary Ellen Ash), 5443 Pawnee Lane, Shawnee Mission, Kansas. She is married and her children are: Norton, Jr. (7) and Robert John (5). Member of Mission Hills Chapter, Mission Hills, Kansas, has a bachelor of science degree, Oklahoma State University and graduated Magna Cum Laude, DAR Good Citizen (High School), Flag Chairman 1962-63, Chaplain 1963-65 and Jr. Membership Chairman 1963-65. A member of Village Presbyterian Church, Prairie Village, Kansas

and teaches in the Kindergarten Sunday School Class. Second Ward 1963, Johnson County Election Board. Roesland School P. T. A., Executive Board P. T. A., General Homeroom Mother for four First Grades in Roesland school, activities chairman Southridge Cooperative School.



Active member of Kappa Kappa Gamma Alumni Association of Kansas City, Mo., Membership Committee Jr. Women's Philharmonic Association and Phi Kappa Phi National Honorary Scholastic Fraternity. Enjoys swimming, water sports, gardening and sewing.

## LINEAGE RESEARCH Miss Hazel Howes

The Lineage Research Committee in its third year was a bit more active than last year, but as far as has been reported, only one new member was able to complete her papers, through help of the committee and be accepted by the National Society. Forty-five chapter lineage chairmen were appointed or continued. Eighteen requests for assistance were received from fifteen chapters. Fourteen lineage charts were sent to the National Committee; seven are still awaiting answers. Forty-five letters have been written to answer questions from various chapters. From letters of two persons desiring to become members and wanting information as to procedure, their names were sent to their nearest chapters so that invitations might be given.

Requests for genealogical information came from Indiana, Missouri, Ohio, Tennessee and Wisconsin. In searching for information for Indiana, several trips were made totalling approximately one hundred miles, with research of cemetery records of Augusta, Benton, Whitewater and Andover. Personal calls and telephone calls resulted in finding four families of the name, none related, nor related to the Indiana family.

A new requirement for Honor Roll appeared this year. Money, maps or reference material is requested for the use of the Lineage Research Committee, separate from the DAR Library. Each chapter can help by duplicating material given the Genealogical Committee and sending a copy to the State Lineage Research chairman for proper credit before it is forwarded to the National Committee.

## MEMBERSHIP Mrs. Harold Bottomley

As your State Chairman I have issued letters to all Chapter Chairmen with instruction for the following year's work and urging them to keep their gains ahead of their losses. This is a difficult request as many of our members become deceased each year. These letters contained many helpful suggestions to be carried out in making their annual reports.

Letters were sent to all Chapter Regents who have Members at Large in their vicinity, giving their names and addresses in the hope that they might become active again.

All correspondence has been taken care of in due time. Forms for the Chapter Chairmans Reports were sent out in January.

The National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution sent me material to be distributed at our state conference containing much helpful material.

Total membership February	1,	19633682
Total membership February	1,	19643597
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Gains: 107 new members, 13 reinstatements and 11 transfers in. Total gains 131.

Losses: 73 deceased, 92 resignations, 40 dropped, transferred out 11 with a total loss of 216.

#### NATIONAL DEFENSE Mrs. E. A. Smith

Plans and suggestions for 1963-1964 were mailed to chapter chairmen early in September.

Chapter chairmen answered questionnaires sent by State Chairman in January. Summary of reports mailed to State Regent, State Recording Secretary and Historian.

Summary of 66 chapters. 1 disbanded, of remaining 65, 55 chapters sent in reports. Fifty-five had 5 minutes of Defense talks each meeting and 54 complete programs. Fifty-one observed Constitution Week, 29 historical tours, 33 discussed 1963 Resolutions, 25 had Defense material at meetings, 42 had material available to schools, libraries or individuals. Forty-three Good Citizenship medals, 15 donations to "Dollars for Defense." Six had "Great Decisions Program."

Activities: July 4th bell ringing, Markers restored, displays Constitution Week, Prayer folders in Cafes, programs for scouts, senior high school girls, antique displays, radio and newspaper publicity, gifts to Boy's school, Veterans and Indian School, Constitution records and copies of Constitution to schools. DAR editorials clarifying adverse publicity in newspapers.

Chairman attended and gave reports at District Conferences, Board of Management meeting and attended Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage, visited 7 chapters, gave 6 speeches and displayed Defense material.

Chairman is grateful for cooperation of chapter chairmen, State Regent, Board of Mangement and all who made this report possible. Plans are made to attend State Conference and Continental Congress.

## PROGRAM Mrs. E. H. Snider

The Kansas DAR Chapters are having another very good year. Most of the chapters have sent me their yearbooks, these books and the annual reports make me realize how fortunate we, the members of our National Society, are to be able to attend such interesting and worth while meetings.

All of the Kansas chapters have followed Mrs. Duncan's suggestions and used the work of our National Committees as subject material for many of their programs. From these programs each Daughter has received stimulating and enlightening information about the work of our Society in its many fields of endeavor. The program material was excellent and reachd the chapters in time for good program planning.

Your chairman has been busy this past year collecting slides from the chapters, to provide our National Slide Library with a good program from Kansas. I am indebted to the many chapters, their Regents and Program Chairmen who have sent me this excellent material to work with. I especially thank you members who have assembled the slides and written the script. To all of you, goes the credit for a very good slide program.

# PUBLIC RELATIONS Mrs. Bill E. Smith

During the past year the National Society experienced a change in the National Public Relations Chairman. Mrs. Beverly Mays was appointed to the Chairmanship by our President General. Needless to say, emphasis has been placed on the Public Relations Committee with the appointment of a full time Public Relations Director, Mr. Raymond L. Hatcher. Therefore the assistance of all the State and Chapter Public Relations Chairmen has been most necessary.

Our task is a great undertaking for our goal is to create interest in DAR. Our Committee relies closely on the other Committees for stories and publicity to be released not only to the newspapers but to radio and television as well. Our function is to KNOW DAR, DO DAR and TELL-

DAR. This broadens the scope of public relations to include every member and friend of the National Society as well as the State and local Chapters.

Stories carrying pictures and items on those members attending District Mcctings, State Conference and Continental Congress should be printed. Special projects sponsored by DAR, nationally, state and local should be publicized.

In the Fall, 66 Chapters were contacted at the four District Meetings or by mail supplying each with Press Pages for this year's Press Book and a four-page letter of instructions included. Press notices covering District Meetings were forwarded in September, 1963. There are now 65 Chapters in the State. All were contacted requesting the appointment of a Chapter Chairman. Fifty four responded and submitted annual reports. Forty-nine submitted Press Pages for the State Press Book totalling 218 pages of DAR publicity. An increase in pages over last year by thirty-five.

101 newspapers and publications were contacted during the year. News releases and press kits on State Conference were mailed the last week in February to all of these. In addition eight radio stations and three television stations were supplied with DAR information on the 66th State Conference. Public Relations Chapter Chairmon participated with the Chairmon of Constitution Week and again during the month of February with American History Month publicity. One Wichita TV station carried spot announcements during February. Each of the six Chapters in Wichita had a representative who gave a twenty-second talk which was flashed on the screen three times daily throughout the month.

## PUBLIC RELATIONS AWARDS Mrs. Bill E. Smith, Chairman

Most publicity in daily and weekly papers by Districts:

First place to Southwest District, Eunice Sterling Chapter, Mrs. Hugh Cloninger, Regent. Honorable mention to Minisa Chapter, Mrs. Burton Black, Regent.

Second place to Northwest District, Mary Wade Strother Chapter, Mrs. R. C. Perrussel, Regent. Honorable mention to Polly Ogden Chapter, Mrs. John Peak, Regent.

Third place to Northeast District, Topeka Chapter, Mrs. H. A. Van Doran, Regent. Honorable mention to Tomahawk Chapter, Mrs. James E. Miller, Regent and Mission Hills Chapter, Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie, Regent.

Fourth place, Southeast District, Isabella Weldin Chapter, Mrs. Chester Davis, Regent. Honorable mention to Susannah French Putney, Mrs. O. M. Stansbury, Regent and Dana Chapter, Mrs. Theo Stebbins, Regent.

# STUDENT LOAN AND SCHOLARSHIP Mrs. Wayne F. Shaw

Greetings to you this second year of our work as the DAR Student

Loan and Scholarship Chairman. I hope that you feel as I do, that last year was a successful year.

We know for each privilege which we enjoy we must assume a responsibility and surely we have no greater responsibility than to prepare our youth of today for the gigantic task ahead of them of assuming the leadership of our country tomorrow.

The basic purpose of our DAR Student Loan and Scholarship project is to encourage our young women in higher education.

Last year 14 applications were received for the Student Loan and Scholarship Award of \$150.00. The Committee, Mrs. Walter J. Keeler, Miss Susan Todd and Miss Grace Light were the official and efficient judges. Much time was given, for each girl submitted an excellent letter with all the required qualifications. On the final decision Miss Susan Naylor, Kansas City, Kansas, was given the \$150.00 award. The Wyandot Chapter was her sponsor. Miss Naylor is a student at Emporia Teachers' College.

Please keep in mind before May 1, 1961, to send to your State Chairman the name of a girl to qualify for the 1964 Award.

Eligibility: An applicant must be a high school graduate. She must be recommended by a DAR Chapter. She must be in some way connected with DAR (Grandmother, mother, aunt, CAR, etc.). She must have a sound academic background. She must be entering as a Freshman at one of the following: a—Junior College, b—Teachers College, c—4-year University, d—Nursing School.

My thanks to each of you who have contributed to the Student Loan and Scholarship Fund. The following chapters made donations this year: Arthur Barrett \$2.00, Betty Washington \$5.00, Mary W. Strother \$1.00, Oceanus Hopkins \$1.00, Byrd Prewitt \$1.00, Henry Dawson \$1.00, James Ross \$1.00, John Haupt \$3.00, Olathe \$3.00, Regents Round Table (Honor Dr. Florence Metz) \$7.50, Shawnee \$3.00 and Wyandot \$1.00, making a total of \$29.50. Total fund is \$4,710.19.

My sincere thanks to the Chapters for their cooperation and to the State Rogent for her encouragement and interest in this project.

# TRANSPORTATION Mrs. A. J. McCray

This year we had 596 persons transported to regular Chapter meetings. There were 32 Historical Pilgrimages made with an attendance of 136. One Chapter reported a guest speaker on Traffic Safety, by a Highway Patrolman. One Chapter reported Roll Call on Traffic Safety at each meeting. 6 Chapters reported cooperation with the local Traffic Authorities and 5 Chapters had programs on Traffic Safety.

In September, letters and questionnaires were sent to all 66 Chapter Chairmen, advising them of the work of the Transportation Committee. In December, questionnaires were sent by Mrs. Joseph G. Haney, National Chairman to all Chapter Chairmen.

136 members attended State Conferences, 41 members attended Con-

tinental Congress and 134 members attended District Meetings. Transportation was by plane, train and car.

This report was compiled from questionnaires returned by 43 Chapters.

# THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA Mrs. Brook L. Haines

The primary purpose of this Committee is to encourage a strong patriotic feeling and respect for the Flag of the United States of America. How better can we do this than by owning and flying the flag.

Of the 57 Chapters reporting, 86% of the members owned flags and 70% displayed them on special days.

We can keep the flag flying by giving flags. 16 large ones were presented this year, double the number in 1963 but not enough for 65 chapters. The recipients included boy and girl scout troops, a hospital and library. New citizens at Naturalization Courts and Veterans in a hospital received the bulk of 1,183 small flags. We have made people more aware of the flag by the 61 talks and 40 flag programs, 57 newspaper items and 10 pictures as well as the few radio and TV prosontations.

All chapters have given the Pledge of Allegiance at each meeting, but only 67% sang or recited the National Anthem. Here I would pause to remind the Daughters that this would be a good time to put more emphasis on this symbol of our Country since in Soptember of this year the Sesquicentennial of the writing of the Star Spangled Bannor by Francis Scott Key will be observed.

OUTSTANDING ACTIVITIES OF CHAPTERS: Atchison, flag talk at every meeting while Newton gave 7 as well as a talk on the radio. Desire Tobey Sears arranged correct display of U. S. and Kansas flags in 8 school rooms. Fort Larned gave 12 talks to schools. Flags sold by Fort Supply Trail 40, John Haupt 7 in addition to the 40 sold last year, William Wilson C. Eunice Sterling \$116 of flags and equipment. Constitution wook and historical displays featuring flags were arranged by Atchison, Jane Dean Coffey, Mary Wade Strother, Topeka, Oceanus Hopkins, Tomahawk while Eunice Sterling had displays in 6 stores. Randolph Loving received a fine press picture for their flag dedication at Foley Tractor Company as did Minisa who presented a large flag to a childrens' department in a hospital. Oceanus Hopkins observed their 50th anniversary with a flag program. Jane Dean Coffey welcomed a Cuban refugee family by presenting a flag literature code and DAR Citizenship Manual. Once again, Eunice Sterling had the most varied activity.

# STATE ORGANIZER Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease

Many letters have been cent throughout the State in regard to the organization of new chapters. I am happy to announce that our State Regent will have the pleasure of requesting a chapter to be formed by "authorization" at the April Board Meeting.

A chapter which is formed by authorization is organized in the same manner as one formed with an Organizing Regent with the exception of the Regent. The Regent is elected at the Organization Meeting rather than being appointed and confirmed by the National Board upon the recommendation of the State Regent.

As State Organizer I will be happy to meet with any group who is interested in forming a new chapter.

 $\Lambda$  Primary Chapter is a chapter which is the first to be formed within a locality. Twelve members in good standing are required to organize a Primary Chapter.

Each additional chapter in a locality is called Secondary Chapter. Twenty five members of whom twelve have never belonged to any chapter, are necessary to form a Secondary Chapter. A large chapter can be very helpful in organizing a Secondary Chapter. Please contact me if you know of any members wishing to form a new chapter.

## AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH Miss Edna Wheatley

Your American History Month Chairman sent three letters to chapters. The first was a forecast containing the announcement of the essay contest subject, An American Patriot, and suggestions for celebrating American History Month; the second featured the Governor's proclamation, set the essay deadlines, and included the annual report form; the third announced the essay winners.

Sixty seven essays were received, representing the upper four grades from sixteen schools. Each essay was read by three judges, and the four winning essays were entered in the district contest.

About three-fourths of the chapters reported they did something special in February—teas, luncheons, dinners with patriotic programs. Almost all chapters used the spot announcements. Not all chapters have American History Month Chairmen. If the historian or other officer or chairman serves in that capacity, she should remember to make reports to both state chairmen.

Next year in addition to the usual February activities, your chairman believes chapters should put forth all effort to get Kansas officials to declare February American History Month. Every member should contact personally, if possible, her Kansas representatives and senators, and insist that a bill be passed to make February permanently American History Month.

American History Month Essay Contest Winners:

EIGHTH GRADE. First—Swamp Fox of the Revolution, by Pam Armstrong, Columbus, Sponsored by Dana Chapter. Second—An American Patriot, by Sylvia Mellies, Sterling, Sponsored by Sterling Chapter. Third—Our Adopted Countryman, by Debbie White, Columbus, Sponsored by Dana Chapter.

SEVENTH GRADE. First—Robert Morris, Financier of the Revolution, by Middy Robb, Lawrence. Sponsored by Betty Washington Chapter. Second—Nathan Hale, Master Spy, by Ellen Smith, Lawrence. Sponsored

by Betty Washington. Third—John Paul Jones, the Father of the American Navy, by Karen Connett, Lawrence. Sponsored by Betty Washington Chapter.

SIXTH GRADE. First—Thomas Jefferson, by Ronald Starr, Columbus. Sponsored by Dana Chapter. Second—George Washington, by Cathy Hale, Columbus. Sponsored by Dana Chapter. Third—John Paul Jones, Revolutionary Hero and Patriot, by Robert Gress, Axtell. Sponsored by Arthur Barrett Chapter.

FIFTH GRADE. First—Paul Revere, by Candace Honn, Sterling. Sponsored by Sterling Chapter. Second—Ethan Allen, a Revolutionary Patriot, by George Wurst, Sterling. Sponsored by Sterling Chapter. Third—Nathan Hale, by John Sims Sawyer, Neodesha. Sponsored by Neodesha Chapter.

# CONSTITUTION WEEK Mrs. Ralph Ralston

I attended Shawnee Mission Program along with about 160 others. Our governor signed the proclamation and sent a copy to National office. Eighteen mayors signed the proclamation. Nineteen newspapers carried articles about the Constitution. Ten had radio announcements. Ten had window displays. Two displays were in libraries. One chapter succeeded in having flags displayed all week. Fifteen chapters had programs. Three chapters gave material to other groups, Shawnee and Smoky Hill chapters gave three framed colored pictures of "Signing the Constitution" to schools. Nineteen had announcements or programs in schools. Two chapters had announcements in churches. I gave reports to three district meetings and thirty two reports were sent to me. Twenty of these were sent in before October first so that I had a report in for the first National board meeting in October. All chapters reporting had displayed the flag for Constitution Day.

## CONSULTING GENEALOGIST Mrs. W. D. Bradshaw

The State Consulting Genealogist has indeed an interesting position. I have replied to all the letters received and keep busy in the Genealogical Libraries of both Newton and Wichita.

May I again stress the importance and the necessity of the preservation of records both those of your family and those in your county. With the upsurge of Historical Societies it may be that these county records have a better chance of being kept for future generations. Any Family History or general genealogy books donated to the State DAR Library or to your local library become a good deed magnified.

Our National organization through its Genealogy Research Department is a great help in the establishment of new lines.

## DAR NEWS EDITOR Mrs. Bill E. Smith

The DAR News has been printed ON TIME during the past year. Stories have been received from some Chapters but not all have sent

material thus making it difficult for your Editor to carry news regarding your Chapter unless she is informed. Let's make this year a banner year and have each Chapter reporting with a news story. State Chairmen cooperated beautifully for the issue carrying pictures and stories on their respective committees.

The DAR News is your method of keeping informed on the Society's operations over the State. All members are urged to keep the News on file and to refer to it when necessary.

Although the Nows experienced changes during the first year of this Editor's appointment it is believed publications will be on time and all members will be receiving each edition. An up-to-date mailing list has been completed but some 230 changes were made in the mailing of the last issue alone. In the event you have not or you do not receive your copy please write to Mrs. Harry Ives, State Registrar at your earliest convenience and inform her of your change of address so that she in turn may make the necessary adjustment at the printers.

It is hoped each of you will become as dependent upon your DAR News for State information as you are on the National Magazine for national publicity.

# SHAWNEE MISSION Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie

The Shawnee Mission and Manual Labor Indian School, 53rd and Mission Roads, Fairway, Kansas, was a setting for a colorful celebration of Constitution Day, Tuesday, September seventeenth this year. The Kansas Daughters of the American Revolution made their annual Pilgrimage beginning at 9:30 a.m.

A patriotic table cloth and small American flags were used on the coffee table outside the Museum. Hostesses, dressed attractively in costumes of the 1800's, served coffee and moved among the guests. Coffee was poured from the Silver Service owned by the Daughters which resides in the DAR Rooms, and also from an antique service and antique coffee urn, the latter ones belonging to members of the Hostess Chapters.

At eleven o'clock a.m., Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn's Photograph was placed in the Past State Regent's Book. Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie, State Chairman of Shawnee Mission read a presentation tribute written by Mrs. Chester Davis, Past Regent, who was unable to attend. Mrs. Howard Doyle, Vice-Regent for Mrs. Kilbourn during her Regime, presented the Photograph to Mrs. Gillaspie for placement in the Book.

Miss Pauline Cowger, Kansas State Regent, presided at the Dedication of the antique Cherry Cabinet, valued by the Kansas State Historical Society at \$750. She gave a brief history of the piece, explaining that it had been in the Robinson family for over one hundred years. The cabinet was the gift from Mr. Edwin F. Abels, husband, and Mrs. E. L. Hazlett, daughter, of Marie Robinson Abels in her memory. Mr. Abels and husband of Mrs. Hazlett were present to accept the thanks from Miss Cowger in behalf of the Kansas Society.

Luncheon was served at noon by the Women of the Old Mission Methodist Church, at the Church at \$1.75. Mrs. Edna Thomas was chair man

Opening exercises were as follows: National Anthem, led by Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Historian General, in the absence of Mrs. Carl Bigert, State American Music Chairman. Mrs. J. C. Craig, Pianist. Grace, Mrs. J. R. Henning, State Chaplain. Program: Pledge of Allegiance, led by Mrs. Brook Haines, State Chairman of The Flag of the United States of America. Greetings and Introductions, Mrs. Roscoe Cillaspie, State Chairman Shawnee Mission — of the Six Hostess Chapters of the Northeast District, and their Regents: James Ross Chapter, Mrs. Floyd Fugate; Olathe Chapter, Mrs. Harrel Thomas; Mission Hills, Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie; Shawnee, Mrs. John McGuire; Tomahawk Chapter, Mrs. James Miller and Wyandot Chapter, Mrs. Charles Shockley. Introduction of State Officers, Special Guests and Chairman, Miss Pauline Cowger, State Regent. Afternoon Speaker: Mr. Charles Blackmar, "The Rolo of the Supreme Court in Maintaining Stability of the Constitution." Meeting Adjourned, 2:30 p. m.

One hundred and sixty-one members and guests attended the Pilgrimage, one hundred and fifty eight the luncheon and one hundred and sixteen registered at the Mission. Twenty-one Kansas Chapters and one Missouri Chapter were represented. Several Chapters had as many as eleven members present and two had seventeen, Betty Washington, Lawrence and Mission Hills Chapter, Mission Hills, Kansas. The far western Kansas was represented by Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn of the Storling Chapter, the far southern part by Coffeyville and the far northern part by Atchison Chapter.

Eight State Officers and many State Chairmen were present. It was a special privilege to have a National Officer present, Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Historian General. The officers of the Northeast District were in attendance, Mrs. Max Petty, Director, Mrs. R. D. Holder, Secretary and Miss Mae Howard, Treasurer.

The financial standing January 31, 1963 ......\$50.00

# SHAWNEE MISSION CONSTITUTION DAY PILGRIMAGE EXPENSES AND RECEIPTS

#### POSTAGE:

152 letters sent to Chapter Regents and Chairman State Officers and special invitations plus business letters \$6.60 ADDITIONAL EXPENSE:

Name badges, place cards, hostesses badges & stars	2.20
Coffee, cream, sugar & spoons	2.35
Table cloth, napkins & cups	5.31
Speaker & wife, Luncheon Tickets	3.50

\$20.46

REGISTRATION RECEIPTS: One hundred and sixteen @ .25 each\$29.00
DONATIONS: By Mr. Roscoe Gillaspie, Printing of letters and printing of tickets.
RECEIPTS FROM CHAPTERS 16.00
Total receipts, 1963

This Summer, 1963, a complete inventory was taken of the contents of our two rooms and a very excellent insurance policy was secured. Thanks for this work goes to Mrs. Lewis H. Kessler, State Treasurer who was assisted by Mrs. Warren Higgino, Mission Hills Chapter, taking the place of the State Shawnee Mission Chairman in her absence from the city.

# CEREMONY AT SHAWNEE MISSION, Tuesday, September 17, 1963 Pauline Cowger, State Regent

Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie, State Chairman thanked Mr. Edwin F. Abels and his daughter, Mrs. Emmerson Hazlett, for the lovely cabinet, the cut glass, the pressed glass and china given to the Kansas Society DAR.

Pauline Cowger, State Regent, accepted the gift, with comments: "This magnificent solid cherry cabinet is a gift of Edwin F. Abels, husband, and Betty Abels-Hazlett, daughter, honoring and in memory of Marie Robinson Abels, our member, Honorary State Regent and a Vice President General.

The Cabinet is handmade—was in the Robinson family and brought by them to Kansas from Ohio, when they came here as one of the early settlers of this state. It is well over 100 years old and had come to Marie when her parents no longer had need for it. Too, this lovely cabinet, the beautiful cut glass, pressed glass and china was in daily use in Marie's home—and we can know how happy she is for the Kansas Society to be guardian of these of her treasures on this earth.

We need not extol the qualities and contributions which Marie made. She was a sincere and dedicated worker believing whole heartedly in the tenents of the DAR and conscientiously furthering them at every opportunity. Surely, she devoted much time, thought and effort to our purposes and principals.

Betty wrote, "Dad and I are thrilled with having the cabinet where it is." This service is to express our thanks and appreciation for the consecrated effort which Marie gave in furthering the principals of the National and of the State Society.

We—members of the Kansas Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, do accept this cabinet and its contents, in grateful recognition of our member, Marie Abels, who joined the Chapter Eternal. And, we dedicate ourselves anew, to a faithful stewardship of the blessings we have inherited, through her support and noble ideals. Nothing is really ended until it is forgotten. Whatever is kept in memory still endures and is real.

May this service today, and this thoughtful and lovely gift help to keep a continuing appreciation of our heritage from the past.

And, we would say:

"We rejoice that God delayed so long in making you, If you had lived before the now, a century or two We would have felt a social void And counted all friends few; Because none else could fill the place That was occupied by you."

Thank you so much.

Mr. Hazlett, husband of Betty Jean Abels-Hazlett, was introduced also.

Mr. Ables responded with brief fitting remarks.

# INVENTORY OF KSDAR ROOMS IN SHAWNEE MISSION MUSEUM Made August 1963 by Mrs. Lewis Hanford Kessler, Treasurer KSDAR Mrs. Warren Higgins, Member of Mission Hills Chapter

Sterling Silver Five piece Tea Service (Gorham)......\$485.00

Plated Silver Tea Tray( Gorham)	60.00	
		\$545.00
FURNITURE—		
Seth Thomas Pilaster Mantle Clock	35.00	
Seth Thomas Mantle Clock 1837	35.00	
Wrought Serpent Design Fire Dogs & Equipment	50.00	
Walnut Three Drawer Chest	50.00	
Mahogany Love Seat, Green Velvet Upholstery	100.00	
Marble Top Walnut Table Lyre Base	75.00	
Walnut School Master Desk	150.00	
Foot Stool	25.00	
Sewing Bird	10.00	
Singer Sewing Machine, Gov. Reeder Home	10.00	
Bed Warming Pan	37.00	
Copper Tea Kettle	<b>2</b> 5.00	
Fire Place Skillet (legs)	5.00	
Candle Snuffer	5.00	
Charcoal Heated Flat Iron	5.00	
Civil War Knapsack and Canteen	5.00	
Coffee Grinder	5.00	
Cannon Ball Andirons	20.00	
Three Larred Back Chairs, Rush Bottom (1824)	75.00	
Spinning Wheel (Wool)	45.00	
Spinning Wheel (Flax)	45.00	
Baby Cradle	50.00	
		\$862.00

# CHINA-

Antique China Tea Service White, Luster Design \$50.00	
Two Sets Antique Handleless Cup & Saucers 20.00	
Five Antique Handleless Cups (No Saucers) 25.00	
Six Old Blue "Edwards" Soup Plates 30.00	
Three "Royal Doulton" Cups & Saucers 22.50	
One Spatterware Plate	
One Millennium Message Plate 15.00	
One Flowing Blue "15 State" Plate 15.00	
Six Miscellaneous pieces Flow Blue 60.00	
Miscellaneous odds & ends	,
	\$272.50
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FABRIC ARTICLES—	
One Hand Pieced Antique Silk and Velvet Quilt 50.00	
One Applique Silk Quilt	
One Rose of Paradise Quilt	
Two Antique Hand Woven Coverlets 100.00	
Three Hooked & Three Braided Rugs 50.00	
Group of Costumes, Hoods, Scarves, Etc 50.00	
	\$310.00
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PICTURES, MISCELLANEOUS—	
Portrait Mrs. Guernsey, Frame\$ 10.00	
Boat Scene Steel Engraving, Frame 5.00	
Shrewder-Berryman Portraits, Frames	
Antique "Medley Picture," Frame 50.00	
Steel Engraving Senator Lane, Frame 10.00	
Steel Engraving Mt. Vernon, Gold Leaf Frame 10.00	
Indian Beaded Bag 5.00	
Three Old Books 5.00	\$115.00
Draperies Four Windows 50.00	50.00
Three Flags	250.00
U. S. A. Silk, Kansas State Silk, DAR Banner Silk and Conference Flags	
Aluminum Wall Case	400.00
Description Present Policy	200.00
Cherry Cabinet, Honor Marie Abels	750.00
Contents of Above Cabinet	285.00
(China, Cut Glass, Sandwich Glass)	
GRAND TOTAL	3839.50

# KANSAS DAR PYLONS Mrs. Robert H. Chesney

Kansas has few places of more historic significance to visit than the Eisenhower Center in Abilene, and none that surpass in visitor interest—over 113,000 during 1963.

It is a fascinating and colorful spot with a block-long Museum with an inventory listing over 13,000 items that permits an ever-changing display. The impressive new Library, housing some 13 million documents from the Eisenhower administration, has an exterior of native stone quarried at Cottonwod Falls, Kansas, and features an ornamental bronze buffalo head and blue stem grass in the lobby.

Of major interest to us are the handsome marble pylons that dominate the long entrance avenue, and you owe it to yourself as a DAR to see these, and now is the time!

April is a lovely month in our state and you will be well repaid in pleasure and friendship, and DAR accomplishment, if you plan to go on this 1964 Spring Pilgrimage. April 29th is the day. The drive to Abilene is delightful, the luncheon a gracious affair, and the SPECIAL tour of the Old Home, the Museum and the Library a real inspiration. Then there are Mamie Eisenhower's dolls, too.

We are exceedingly grateful to the Abilene Chapter for welcoming us each pilgrimage, and for the time and effort such hospitality requires. Our particular thanks to Mrs. Maurine Cruse, Miss Marion Seelye and Mrs. Rose Willis. Remember you may have to wait three years if you don't make it in 1964!

Committee: Mrs. C. D. Cruse, Mrs. Chester Davis, Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Miss Pauline Cowger, Mrs. Ralph Ralston, KSDAR Historian, and Mrs. Robert Chesney.

### EL CUARTELEJO

John Boyer, Publisher of The Weekly News Chronicle of Scott City and President of The Historical Society of Scott City, reports the following concerning the care of the El Cuartelejo monument which was placed in the Scott County Park by the Kansas Society DAR.:

"A new park superintendent has been hired whom we hope will do more efficient work than the former one. He is to clean the plot around the monument, keep weeds down and cut the grass.

Trees were planted two different years, but did not live. This year the Boy Scouts are to plant the trees. The caretaker will water them and place screens around them to protect them from rabbits."

Scott County is putting out front car license plates with the wording "Birthplace of Kansas," in as much as El Cuartelejo was the place of the first white settlement in Kansas.

The El Cuartelejo Committee is asking that the \$25.00 as per Standing Rule No. 10 be sent to the Scott County Historical Society for the care of our monument this summer.

Mrs. Chester Davis, Chairman Mrs. Robert Chesney, Secretary

## KANSAS CHAPEL Mrs. Robert H. Chesney

Kansas DAR Chapel in Washington is now an outstanding reality, and, we believe, with the continuation of a vesper hour between 4 and 5 o'clock each afternoon during Continental Congress, it will become even more widely known and used. This April plans are being made to give a Memorial Remembrance of a beautiful printing of the Prayer for Peace to those attending vesper hours, in memory of Esther Thayer Kirkpatrick, (Mrs. J. W.), an Honorary Vice-President General from Kansas, and a member of the Susannah French Putney Chapter of El Dorado.

It is splendid that so many chapters are contributing their annual dollar to the Chapel maintenance fund; please don't overlook this. This tranquil place of prayer is deserving of your continued support; it is one of our finest achievements.

Each year before Continental Congress names are added to the Remembrance Book in the Chapel in Washington. Through the past months the following names have been received: In Memory: Mrs. Annie B. Kimble White, organizer of Lois Warner Chapter, by her granddaughter, Mrs. Annie Marshall Leininger, Carmel, California. Mr. Howard A. Elliott by his wife Mrs. Blanche Elliott. Memorials from the Topeka Chapter are: Bertha Faulkner Clay Brantingham (Mrs. Geo. L.), Jean Wallace Strickler (Mrs. J. G.), Miss Martha A. Holyoke, Grace M. Remaley Truog (Mrs. C. H.). And in honor of Daisy Mitchel Lemon (Mrs. A. L.) by her daughter Mrs. J. R. Uphoff.

The Treasurer reports \$114.00 during 1963 in chapter contributions and from the sale of chapel post cards and our old standby, the Kansas DAR Historical maps. Let me mention here that these maps are as attractive today as they were five years ago and are most welcome in school rooms to stimulate interest in the history of our state. Maps are now 25 for \$1.00.

It is hoped that in the next issue of the DAR Handbook the Kansas Chapel will be listed separately in the same manner as State Rooms.

Committee: Mrs. Garland Ferrell, Mrs. Bertram Lempenau, Miss Pauline Cowger and Mrs. Robert Chesney.

## BYLAWS Mrs. Roscoe W. Graves

Societies must never assume that a Constitution or a set of Bylaws will stand for the ages, exactly as first adopted. It is impossible at one time to know just what will be needed in the future, and amendments are made as riper judgment may dictate and as change of conditions may require.

Your Bylaws Committee has taken the recommendations from the Executive Committee and the Board of Management and suggestions from officers and has tried to incorporate these into the bylaws and standing rules.

We wish to thank our Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, for her understanding heart and for her consistant helpfulnes through our deliberations. I wish to express my personal gratitude to Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, our corresponding secretary for attending to the printing of the proposed amendments and for mailing them to the chapters and officers. The real report of this committee is the proposed amendments.

Chairman: Myrtle K. Graves (Mrs. Roscoe W.), Dorothy Lucas (Mrs. J. Wesley), Bernice Calkins (Mrs. W. N.), Maude Haver Davis (Mrs. Chester).

# NATIONAL CHAIRMAN DAR MAGAZINE Mrs. Paul R. Greenlease

At the February 1 meeting of the National Board of Management I reported a balance of \$63,607.08 in the Magazine account. This balance was as of December 31, 1963, and was \$14,498.36 over last year's figure. The balance as of January 31, 1964, is \$71,021.77. Our subscriptions have reached an all time high of 48,488 which is over 11,000 more than reported last year. At the time that I assumed this chairmanship the balance in the Magazine account was \$12,594.51 and subscriptions, 35,595. In view of these figures the DAR Magazine Committee does feel encouraged and optimistic about the future.

This phenomenal growth in the Magazine has brought about numerous problems. This automatically presents a heavier work load and problems in our office which we are not presently equipped to handle. I am negotiating with several Office Supply firms and Office Specialists in order to install a new filing system. This we hope to do during the summer months. It is our aim to give our readers an improved service as well as an improved Magazine.

Kansas is to be commended for doing an outstanding job this year under the direction of your State Chairman, Mrs. Haines. While not a winner in the October subscription contest we did place well with 4.9%. Tomahawk Chapter placed second in the Division with 37.8%.

Chapter Regents and Chairmen of the DAR Magazine Committee within the chapters are to be commended for an excellent job.

### ABILENE—ABILENE

The Chapter held nine meetings during the year, carrying out the theme, "Be Strong and of a Good Courage." A five-minute National Defense report was given at each meeting and one entire program was devoted to this subject and to the Constitution. During February, special emphasis was given to American history. This year, the local newspaper carried the spot radio announcements. Contributions were made to Tamassee, Kate Duncan Smith, St. Mary's School, DAR Library, DAR Museum, Kansas Chapel maintenance, Magazine advertising, National Defense. Junior American Citizens and the Historian General's project. Nine members attended the District meeting. Last May, the Chapter was privileged to have as its guests the State Regent. Miss Cowger, the State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Uphoff, and the District Director, Mrs. Johnson. Miss Cowger gave a most interesting report of Continental Congress. The Chapter replaced four historical markers in need of repair, one being a bronze plaque, the site of the Drovers' Cottage, This project was financed through the sale of Eisenhower note paper.

### ARTHUR BARRETT-MARYSVILLE

Mrs. Wm. K. Ward

Arthur Barrett Chapter, organized in 1928, has now enjoyed a span of 35 years with seven of our charter members still on the roster. Since we are in a portion of the state rich in places of historic interest we have centered our attention upon recall of the importance of some of these. visiting as many as possible. Our May 1963 picnic was held at the Pony Express Station, Hanover, Kansas, and the Picnic will be at Alcove We also had color slides made of the Pony Express Station and the Pony Express Museum, Marysville. These were presented to the State DAR collection. On Flag Day a new American flag was given to the Marysville Public Library. In September a record, "The Constitution" was given to the Library by a member in behalf of the Chapter. We have been greatly saddened by the deaths of our two immediate past regents within this year. Before the end of Chapter meetings for this year we plan to place DAR grave markers for these and two other of our departed and dear members. We will be represented at Continental Congress and also plan to send delegates to the State Convention. The Chapter is sponsoring a DAR essay contest and will also give the Good Citizenship Awards.

## ATCHISON-ATCHISON

Mrs. R. D. Holder

Atchison again made the gold honor roll. We have had two new members during the year, and papers for three are pending. We now have two junior members, forty-eight members. We use the President General's message, the National anthem, flag lesson, pledge of allegiance and defense lesson each meeting. Constitution week was observed with a proclamation by the mayor, radio and newspaper publicity and a week long window display. Near one hundred pounds of clothing was sent to DAR schools. Money was sent to St. Mary's, Kate Duncan Smith & Tamassee schools and to St. Francis Boys' home, also to the Roberta fund. Three members attended the State Conference at Wichita, including the regent, and one delegate attended Continental Congress, giving a report at

meeting. The N. E. District Conference was held in Atchison, ninety-two attending. Mrs. Holder was secretary for the District, and reelected for 1964. A Washington Birthday guest tea was held on February 22. Libby Lentz is good citizen chosen from Atchison, and we will also sponsor a girl from Hiawatha and one from Reserve. They will be entertained at the April 11 meeting. Mrs. Earl Robinson is Good Citizen Chairman, and Mrs. Arthur Wienmann for the District. Officers will be installed at the May lunchoon when Miss Pauline Cowger will be guest speaker. The year will close with a pionic on Flag day at the Sugar Lake home of Mrs. L. T. Smith.

### BAXTER SPRINGS—BAXTER SPRINGS

Mrs. C. Y. Semple

The Baxter Springs Chapter meets the second Friday of each month at 7:30 p. m. All our meetings open with DAR Ritual, Pledge of Allegiance, National Anthem and Daughter's Pledge. The President General's Message was read at each meeting; also at least a five minute talk on Na tional Defense. A Good Citizen pin and certificate will be given to a senior high school girl. We observed Constitution Week with an essay contest for 5, 6 and 7 grades in public schools. We awarded each prizes. The Mayor set aside the week of September 1723 with a proclamation. The American flag was flown on streets and many homes. OUR THEME "BE STRONG AND OF A GOOD COURAGE." While the past year was not all we expected we feel we accomplished several things. Mrs. Wm. P. Meek, with the assistance of several members, entertained with a Brunch at her home May 10, 1963. Our State Regent, Miss Cowger, and Mrs. Greenlease, Vice Regent were present. We have 15 subscriptions to the DAR Magazine. One copy was given to the city library and one copy to the Constitution Class, City High School, DAR Magazine Advertising amounted to \$7.50. We have 27 members; the three we reported dropped last year paid up making us 27 last year and no change this year --- still 27 members. We gave Kate Duncan Smith School \$6.00 and Tamassee \$6.00. We always end our year with a Flag Day Luncheon and Flag Program.

### BETTY BONNEY-ARKANSAS CITY

Mrs. J. W. Cole

Betty Bonney has a momborship of 63. We gained two members by reinstatement and one by transfer but we lost two by resignation, one by transfer and we are sorry to report one death. We are now working on papers for three additional members. Our programs this year have followed the theme "Be Strong and of Good Courage" and have been unusually interesting and informative. We have used several suggestions from NSDAR as program material. One of our outstanding programs was the one on the Flag given by four of our members using material from NSDAR. We are happy to report that all the geological records have been completed for our chapter including index cards. Our chapter sent money and coupons to Tamassee and clothing to Kate Duncan Smith. We also made a monetary donation to Bacone and sent 100 magazines to the Chilocco Indian School. Individual members made additional donations. Our Constitution Week chairman furnished material for an editorial in

the local newspaper and our Good Citizen was given public recognition. Betty Bonney members have received a report from the National Defense chairman, have heard highlights from the President General's message, have sung the National Anthem, and have given the Pledge of Allegiance at each meeting.

### BETTY WASHINGTON—LAWRENCE

Mrs. Blanche Deichert

Betty Washington chapter has a total membership of one hundred eleven, thirty of whom now reside in other areas. Four new members have been added during the year, one a Junior member, and applications of five prospective members have been approved. The programs of the year have been interesting and varied and have featured a well-balanced selection of patriotic, educational and historic subjects. Many members have participated in the programs, all committees have been active, and the attendance and interest of the members remain good. The chapter honored three Good Citizen award winners and their mothers at the annual George Washington Tea in February, 1963, and has selected three for the current year; one from Lawrence, one from Eudora and one from Ozawkie. They will be honored in March and presented pins and cortificates. Contributions have been made to the Kate Duncan Smith school, Tamassee, the Investment Trust fund, the DAR library, the Magazine advertising, and the state scholarship fund. The Lineage research materials in the public library are in good repair and arc very much in usc. Forty-two dollars has been made available for library work this year. The Ed Abels family presented a valuable cherry cabinet, china, glass, and silver to the Shawnee Mission museum in memory of Marie Abels, former State Regent and Vice President General, in the name of Betty Washington chapter. Impressive acceptance services were conducted by Miss Pauline Cowger, State Regent, on Constitution Day, September 17. (Prepared by Mrs. Edyth M. Salvesen, Vice Regent).

## BYRD PREWITT-ULYSSES AND LIBERAL Mrs. Samuel Riggs

Geography plays an important role for Byrd Prewitt Chapter, listing 38 active and 1 Honorary Life member. Twelve live in 9 states other than Kansas, others either in the Ulysses or Liberal areas, separated by 65 miles. Half the officers and committee chairmen reside in each and meetings are alternated between the two. The DAR story has been well publicized in two local newspapers, including accounts of chapter meetings, the official visit of the State Regent, reports of National, State, District Conferences and programs suggested by NSDAR. Two Flag Day addresses were given by the regent to the children in Liberal at the local theater. The chapter cooperated with other groups on July 4th "Ringing The Bells For Freedom." We presented DAR Manuals and desk flags to now citizens at District Court Naturalization ceremonies. We recognized Senior girls from 3 high schools, Liberal, Ulysses and Hugoton, by giving each a DAR Good Citizen Pin and certificate. Byrd Prewitt was named hostess for the 1963 Southwest District conference whose director also is State Honor Roll Chairman, the chapter lists; as it does the new South west Vice Director. Byrd Prewitt mourns the passing of a faithful charter member, Mrs. Osa Nichols.

## CAPTAIN JESSE LEAVENWORTH-LEAVENWORTH

Mrs. C. D. Collins.

Captain Jesse Leavenworth has fifty-three members. We lost three members by death and one by transfer. Papers are pending for two. Our programs are based on the national program and the aims of our Society. Two Good Citizen pins were presented at two high schools. One of our members contributed approximately 100 books and papers to Dodge City Genealogical Library. The Regent made arrangements for another Chapter to visit historic Fort Leavenworth and the Museum. Constitution Week and American History Month proclamations were signed by the Mayor of Leavenworth and published in the local newspaper. Publicity in our paper has been good. Four competitive drill medals were awarded Leavenworth High R. O. T. C. cadets at their annual competition. The American History medal was presented by the Regent at the Junior High School Annual Awards Assembly. We made Honorable Mention this year.

### COFACHIQUE-IOLA

Mrs. Forrest Officer

Cofachique has nine meetings this year. We have a two-year term of office. New officers are elected in January and installed in May. The June meeting is always a guest luncheon held at the Apt farm home. celebrated Constitution Week with a window display. We donated five dollars each to Tamassee and to Kate Duncan Smith Schools. We took part in the Conservation program and contributed \$1.00. Our American Heritage program was on "Homes of American Composers" from the NSDAR program office. Our greatest Public Relations activity was carried out July 4th with "Let Freedom Ring" with 4 churches participating with their bells, tolling for five minutes, to coincide with nation-wide program. We had front-page coverage in the Iola Register, and five spot announcements on radio staion KALN. There was also a window display on the square. We presented our DAR Good Citizen, Farrell Archer, her pin and certificate at the high school assembly, at Garnett, Kansas. We participate in local Girl Scout activities, and five of our members are Gray Ladies at our local hospital.

## CONCORDIA-CONCORDIA

Mrs. F. A. Young

Concordia Chapter DAR has 29 members, 8 members being non-resident. Two charter members are active members. Our chapter was organized March 21, 1921. This past year we gained one member by confirmation, and have 3 good prospects. Our programs follow the national outline. We have a very good National Defense chairman, and each meeting we devote some time to this topic; also, this past year, we had one full program on National Defense. Five girls participated in the Good Citizen program this year, and pins were presented. We are sponsoring three girls this next year. Our meetings are reported in the newspapers here, and the press is generous in giving us additional space for special occasions. We sent a large box of used clothing to one DAR approved school, and cash contributions were sent to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee school. Also a cash donation was sent to St. Mary's School for

Indian Girls, along with a large box of used clothing, etc. Our chapter had representation at the State Conference, and the Northwest District Conference. The President General's message, published in the DAR magazine, is read at each meeting. Our chapter made Honorable Mention on the Honor Roll.

## COUNCIL OAK-COUNCIL GROVE

Mrs. Ralph Casey

Council Oak Chapter started the fall season with a pilgrimage to the Shawnee Mission in September. Thirty names are on our Chapter Roll, twenty-three of which are local, while the other seven reside in Virginia, California, Texas, Maryland, Arizona and Louisiana. We have papers pending for three new members. We have lost four of our Charter members by death the past year. Our programs follow the National program so far as practical. We open each meeting with the DAR ritual and Flag Salute. Cash donations were made to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith schools, National Museum and Americana Room. We placed bronze markers on the graves of four members. One of the highlights of our year will be our Washington Day guest tea. Mrs. Rollin Johnson, Northwest District Director, will be the guest speaker. She will be accompanied by our State President, Miss Pauline Cowger. Two high school girls, one from Council Grove and the other from Wilsey, will be presented Good Citizen pins. Our chapter was represented at Continental Congress, State and District conferences. Mrs. Lillian Blim, one of our charter members presented a spoon, a family heirloom to the National Museum.

## COURTNEY-SPALDING-RUSSELL

Miss Mabel Lacev

Courtney-Spalding Chapter NSDAR has 35 members and a few prospective members. We usually have luncheon meetings and adjourn to the home of one of the members for the business meeting. However, in May and in September the members enjoyed "pot-luck" at homes of members. At the October meeting one of our new members, Dr. Geneva Herndon, talked to us on "What Women Can Do For Peace." In November our guests speaker spoke on the problems of mental health. At the January meeting two foreign students, who were our guests, talked with us about their home countries and customs. The February meeting will be a tea at which three high school girls will receive "DAR Good Citizen" awards. We shall "weigh in" for Tamassee in Apirl and in May the State Regent, Miss Cowger, will be our guest. During the past summer, the members took turns helping at the old Fort museum by talking informally with tourists and guests. Pictures of historic spots in and near Hays have been sent to the program chairman, Mrs. Snider.

### DANA-COLUMBUS

Mrs. Theodora Stebbins

Dana Chapter has 33 members, an increase of two over last year. We have met all the requirements for the Gold Honor Roll. Contributions have been made to the following schools: Kate Duncan Smith, Tamassee, St. Mary's Indian School for Girls, Bacone College and St. Francis Boys' home. We contributed to magazine advertising, The Historian General's

project, NSDAR Library Repair Fund, Museum Maintenance Fund, Shawnee Mission, Kansas Chapel, KSDAR Library, C.A.R. Student Loan and Helen Pouch Scholarship funds. We sponsored American History Essay Contest and a Good Citizen Girl, pins being awarded to the winners. The genealogical chairman sent 95 pages of records to the state chairman. Our most outstanding meeting was in May 1963, when the State Regent, other state officers and guests were present when a naturalized citizen received the DAR Americanism Medal. Good publicity was had from the press with some coverage on radio and TV. Dana Chapter was represented at Continental Congress and at the State Conference.

### DESIRE TOBEY SEARS—MANKATO

Mrs. Rav Dietz

We are enjoying the use of the "Traveling Flags" this year. Our membersip is 55. We gained one new member by confirmation. We are following the program outlined by the National Society "Be Strong And Of Good Courage." September-Constitution Week-Mr. L. E. Weltmer gave us some timely information. At our October meeting our Director. Mrs. Rollin L. Johnson, gave a very interesting talk on "Dolls of History" also displaying many, many dolls. Miss Pauline Cowger was a guest at this meeting and gave a short report. Our November meeting "America Sings as History is Made" was ably portrayed by our Music Chairman. Mrs. Kuiken. "Kansas in Film and Story" was given by our County Superintendent, Mr. Carl Westin, a very interesting lesson showing DAR in action. February-History Month-Mrs. J. R. Beeler will give us a report on "Lincoln and the Constitution." March-we will present "DAR Good Citizens" awards to four outstanding high school senior girls, their mothers will be guests. At the April meeting "Reports from our DAR Schools" will be given. June meeting "Our Flag" will be given by our Flag Chairman, Mrs. P. J. Rafferty, followed by a breakfast. We have sent cash donations to Kate Duncan Smith, Tamassee and St. Francis Boys' Home, also to the Museum Fund,

## DODGE CITY—DODGE CITY

Mrs. L. Ralph Miller

Dodge City Chapter has membership of Seventy; lost one by resignation, but gained two, one a Junior. Our largest contributions were: State Library \$50.00; DAR Schools \$20.00. National Defense is given at each meeting. We also had National Defense as one full program. A program was devoted to our President General's report of the Women's White House conference with President Kennedy, her reply to Congressional criticism, and Noteworthy accomplishements of DAR. Five members attended KSDAR Conference; Four attended District Conference, and One, Continental Congress. Three NSDAR program papers have been used on our programs. Flag Day picnic was well attended by DAR, SAR and C.A.R. families. The youth presented a flag program. July 4th, "Ring The Bells" program was successfully promoted by radio and newspaper and citizens cooperated. Constitution Week was observed by newspaper publicity, daily radio talks and two decorated store windows. The Junior High school had bill board announcements. A Good Citizen pin was given

to a high school senior, and an Award for American History essay to a junior high student. History month has been anticipated by Television. Half hour program was given over KTVC, including American songs.

### EMPORIA-EMPORIA

Mrs. J. A. Pruitt

Emporia Chapter has a membership of 72. We gained one and lost three; one by transfer, two resigned. Papers are pending for three. Our programs and activities are centered around the three-fold objectives of the National Society DAR. I. Promotion of Education. A. Cash donations to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee DAR Schools and to St. Francis Boys' Home. B. Sent two boxes of clothing and gifts to St. Mary's School for Indian Girls, II. Patriotism and Americanism. A. American History Month program: "Jefferson and The Constitution." Flag Day: "The History of Our Flag." B. "Good Citizen's" pins to two high school seniors from Roosevelt High and Emporia High. C. Constitution Week: Mayor's Proclamation printed in Emporia Gazette and Emporia Times. Announced over KVOE Radio. Four members made the Pilgrimage to Shawnee Mission. D. Christmas Songs by American Composers was the highlight of our December meeting. Our year's project was cash donations to NS-DAR Library: Indexing and Cataloging Americana Collection, Archives Room, and for renovation of our National Library. "Be Strong and of a Good Courage" has been our motivation for forceful and stimulating programs.

## ESTHER LOWREY—INDEPENDENCE

Mrs. James Graves

During the past year Esther Lowrey Chapter lost one member through death, gained four. Our present membership is 83. From the National Theme we took "Women of Courage." The January meeting is devoted to the subject of National Defense. In October we heard the report of Mrs. Lovell Turner who, although totally blind, did not hesitate to go all alone to Washington and attend all the sessions of Continental Congress. Constitution Week was observed by a proclamation by the mayor. Esther Lowrey Chapter voted to purchase a flag to be placed in the downtown area of the neighboring city of Cherryvale. Contributions were made to Kate Duncan Smith, Tamassee and Bacone Schools, the Kansas Chapel fund and "Roberta's Catalogue." Our chapter is honored to have the State Chairman of Junior American Citizens' Committee, Miss Amy Hall. This year we are sponsoring three DAR Good Citizens, who will be presented their Certificates at the High School Class Day program in May, thus bring public attention to our work. We were on the Gold Honor Roll in April 1963, and hope to qualify for the same this spring. Esther Lowrey Chapter was represented at Continental Congress, the State Conference and the Southeast Conference. Miss Maybelle Bays serves as Southeast Conference Historian.

### EUNICE STERLING—WICHITA

Mrs. Hugh Cloninger

Eunice Sterling Chapter has been doing DAR, telling DAR and showing DAR to her friends and community. We have opened our door a little wider by having more guest days. This brought about a variety of

interesting programs such as, a family picnic, a night program on National Defense for our career women, our husbands and friends, a Christmas Bazaar and a George Washington's Birthday guest luncheonthe result, better public relations, more publicity, a warmer and friendlier feeling toward DAR and toward the Chapter and consequently more new members. The Chapter introduced two new projects; first a genealogy get-together which meets once a month at the City Library to help invited women with their papers and members with supplements; and second we are encouraging our young members to also have get-togethers and to work for the Mother Chapter. We have 13 Junior Members. Eunice Sterling welcomed 160 new citizens. We honored 5 Good Citizens and have selected 5 essays for American History Month. We contributed \$354.00 to the DAR Schools and sent 120 pounds of clothing. We gave \$92.00 to the American Indians and sold \$91.00 worth of flags and flag equipment. We have 100 DAR Magazine subscribers and have contributed \$605.41 to DAR projects. Eunice Sterling has fulfilled the requirements for the Gold Honor Roll and the bonus point. We have taken in 18 new members and now have 240 members. We are not a closed chapter and we feel that we have done our part in carrying High the Torch.

## FLORES DEL SOL-WICHITA

Mrs. J. H. Barutiney

The Flores del Sol Chapter has a membership of forty-one, a transfer of two members and a gain of two members. We cooperated with the National DAR Program Chairman having a selection of historical, patriotic and educational programs, with special emphasis on National Defense and Constitution Week. Constitution Week was observed by promoting newspaper publicity, including the Mayor's Proclamation, plus general distribution of DAR Prayer cards. We were represented at the State District Conferences and at the Continental Congress. Mrs. L. A. Kunkel, our Chapter Vice Regent and the Chapter C. A. R. Chairman. has a state dual role to fulfill, since she is State C. A. R. Chairman and Senior State President of the Children of American Revolution. Chapter is also represented in State C. A. R. by Miss Patricia Williams as Senior President of Frances Scott Key C. A. R. Mrs. Lee Trapp, is Senior State Treasurer. We have compiled all of our Chapter genealogical records for State Library. It has been my pleasure to serve as Regent of my Chapter the past two years, with the splendid cooperation of all members.

## FORT LARNED-LARNED

Mrs. C. W. Cleveland

Fort Larned Chapter has just passed its forty-ninth anniversary with a membership of fifty-seven and with three papers pending at this time. The past year has been an enjoyable and constructive one, all meetings have opened with the DAR ritual, Pledge of Allegiance and the singing of the National Anthem. Our chapter earned the Gold Honor Roll Award again this year and the Good Citizen pins were given to two senior girls in the county. Contributions were made as usual to the various schools and projects: an additional \$40.00 was spent for advertising space in the

issue that carried the Santa Fe Trail story. National Defense News was given at each meeting. Constitution Day, Flag day and Washington's Birthday were observed by special programs. Several of our members attended the District and State Conference. Our local paper has given us fine coverage of the meetings and has kept the public informed of the activities of the chapter. We lost one member by transfer, one by death and one by resignation but with the addition of three members by confirmation we kept our number as of last year.

### FORT SUPPLY TRAIL-ASHLAND

Mrs. J. H. McNickle

Ft. Supply Trail Chapter has 58 members. During the last year we lost one member by death and gained two new members by confirmation. Papers are pending on two more. At each monthly meeting we have a fiveminute National Defense report and a program of historical or patriotic nature. Our February meeting was a Guest Day tea. We had an entertaining and informative program, "Music in Colonial Williamsburg." Another interesting program not listed in our yearbook dealt with the teaching of our American heritage in the schools. During the past year we have sent to Tamassee, 1 Medical Scholarship, a box of Christmas gifts and money for the purchase of Christmas gifts. Our chapter sponsored a DAR Good Citizen from our local high school and presented her with a pin. The American History medal was also presented to the highest ranking history student. Markers were placed on the graves of two deceased members. As a special project, this chapter has sold outdoor flag kits. Forty kits have been sold and the number of flags flying in our community has been considerably increased. In January a large flag was presented to our new high school and placed in the gymnasium. Fort Supply Trail Chapter was represented at all state and district conferences and at the Continental Congress.

### GENERAL EDWARD HAND-OTTAWA

Mrs. Lauren O. Gaddis

In December, we entertained our State Regent, Miss Cowger, our State Vice-Regent, Mrs. Greenlease, our State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Uphoff and our State Chaplain, Mrs. Henning, at a luncheon meeting. Miss Cowger gave an inspirational talk on our Society. We also honored two members, Miss Catherine Campbell and Mrs. Cora Fowler, who were celebrating their 87th birthdays. Miss Campbell is a Past State Regent. We honored four Good Citizens representing Ottawa, Wellsville, Garnett and Osawatomie. We gave two prizes of books both fall and spring semesters for highest grades in eighth grade American History at Ottawa Junior High School. We provided hostesses at Ottawa's Centennial Log Cabin each Sunday last summer. We gave a gift to a member of the Boys' Club who had been selected as a Good Citizen. We presented a 50-year pin and a DAR baby spoon and placed four DAR Insignia grave markers this year. We gave \$25 for Roberta's Fund and sent money to Tamassee, Kate D. Smith, Bacone, St. Mary's and C. A. R. We also contributed to the DAR Library, Museum, Kansas Chapel, J. A. C., St. Francis Boys' Home, Shawnee Mission, and DAR Magazine advertising. Boxes of clothing were sent to K. D. S. and to St. Mary's. My daughter Elaine and I attended Continental Congress last spring. She served as a Page for her second year.

### GOOD-LAND-GOODLAND

Mrs. Charles Bigler

The GOOD-LAND Chapter followed the National Theme and Program suggestions. We presented two DAR Good Citizen pins, and contributed to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee Schools, Kansas Chapel Fund, and "Roberta's Fund." We furnished \$7.50 for advertising and we have 10 subscriptions to National DAR magazine making over 50% of our membership. Our meetings are reported in the newspaper. We enjoyed a special meeting in November when our State Regent. Miss Pauline Cowger, and District President Mrs. Rollin Johnson, visited our Chapter for a dinner and meeting. We were represented at both State and District Conferences. We have several prospective members. Since our meetings do not start until October, we planned a special meeting for Constitution Day. with the program "The Constitution Story," given by one of our members. She also prepared a short resume for broadcast over our Radio Station. Publication of the Proclamation by the Mayor, and a story were in our Daily Newspaper. We have also undertaken a big task of compiling a complete History of our County. We hope when finished to have it bound for our Library. We have 18 members with 4 of them non-resident

## HANNAH JAMESON—PARSONS

Mrs. Ralph H. Stewart

Hannah Jameson Chapter has gained eight new members this year. including one Junior Member. One member was lost by death. The present membership is 56, with three Juniors and one active Charter member. We have one associate member. Miss Pauline Cowger, State Regent, and Mrs. Rollin Johnson, Northwest District Director, honored us with a visit, April 5, 1963. A very informative talk was given by Miss Cowger. Programs, stressing DAR objectives, have included films. slides, guest speakers, roundtable discussions and talks by members. Five minute reports on National Defense, at each meeting, and one full National Defense program were given during the year. A film on "Communism" proved alarming. Constitution Week and American History Month were observed by displays in a store window and at the public library, radio spot announcements, proclamations, and chapter programs. Four members attended the Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage. A special radio program was given on Flag Day. Contributions were made to Kate Duncan Smith, Tamassee, and Bacone Schools, the Americana Room Fund, Chapel Maintenance, DAR Museum, Magazine Advertising, and JAC Contest Prize Fund. 115 lbs of clothing were shipped to the Kate Duncan Smith School. Over 25% of the members subscribe to the DAR Magazine, with one copy placed in the public library. Hannah Jameson was represented at the District Meeting, State Conference, State Board of Management, and Continental Congress. Mrs. Howard Doyle, State Chairman of American Heritage, is a member of this chapter. At the 1963 State Conference, Rebecca Read, sponsored by Hannah Jameson Chapter, received the State Good Citizen Award. This year three Good Citizens have been chosen and will be honored guests at our Washington Birthday Luncheon, at which time they will be presented with pins. We are very happy that we have attained the Gold Honor Roll.

## HENRY DAWSON-McPHERSON

Mrs. H. J. Halbert

Henry Dawson Chapter, McPherson, Kansas was organized March 23, 1922. Mrs. Edna Halbert (Mrs. H. J.) is the present regent. We have 34 members at the present time. We use the National Anthem and have a ten-minute National Defense report at each meeting. Contributions have been made to Kate Duncan Smith, Tamassee, Bacone, St. Mary's, St. Francis Boys' Home, Investment Fund, Library Fund and the Kansas Chapel. We place the DAR magazine in the High Schools, Public Library, McPherson College, Central College, Over 25% of our members subscribe to the DAR magazine. We present at least two DAR Good Citizens awards. We have a Tea honoring the girl and her mother; then a certificate pin and check is presented to the girl at a public awards assembly at the High School, to which the public is invited. Our programs have been built around the Honor Roll requirements, Educational, Historical and Patriotic. We have had a program on the Constitution of the U.S. A. and the Insignia. The visit of our State Regent, Miss Cowger, the State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. R. Uphoff and 5 members of the Salina Chapter was an inspiration. Five of our members attended the District meeting at Junction City. We also visited the Newton Chapter for a fellowship meeting. We do have the President General's Message read at each meeting and we close by repeating in unison, The Preamble.

### ISABELLA WELDIN-AUGUSTA

Mrs. Chester Davis

Isabella Weldin Chapter has 30 members—one set of papers pending. Outstanding programs have been given. American History month was observed with a guest night dessert. Two senior girls were presented certificates and pins for DAR Good Citizens. The speaker, Mrs. W. C. Adamek, state chairman, gave a splendid talk on "Climbing Your Family Tree." In April, the "Story of the Bellingrath Gardens" as published in a DAR Magazine was given and accompanied with slides. An excellent report of the 1963 Continental Congress was given by Molly Cloud Huston of Peleg Gorton Chapter. The State Historian, a member of our chapter. gave a report of the Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage, also a talk on the "Constitution-and We The People." In November, the State Regent was our guest and gave an informative talk titled, "Hold High The Torch." The Christmas Program, "American Music; It's Contribution to Christmas Carols" was delightful. A report on National Defense has been given at each meeting-one entire program was presented, the subject, "The Great Issues of Our Times-Freedom." Our chapter was greatly saddened by the death of Stella B. Haines, a long time and interested member of DAR.

The James Ross Chapter opens their meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and the National Anthem. We celebrate Washington's Birthday with a Tea, Constitution Day at Shawnee Mission, and have a Flag Day Picnic. We assist at the Naturalization ceremonies and give Flag Codes to the new Citizens. We join with the Regents Roundtable in having a Civic Meeting open to the public. We gave three Good Citizen Pins and several members bought a Kansas Bar. We were represented at the Northeast District meeting, State Conference, and Continental Congress. We have a five-minute talk on National Defense. We gave cash donations to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith Schools and the Americana Room. We had an Ad in the DAR Magazine and gave several other cash donations.

### JANE DEAN COFFEY—COFFEYVILLE

Mrs. Frank Mann

The outstanding achievement of the year was accomplished by the immediate past regent, Mrs. John Wilson, who passed away August 24, 1963. She organized the Junior American Citizens Club at Pleasant Hill School Four members won national contest awards. Using the theme. "Footprints on the Sands of Time." Karen Vaughn, 8-year-old third grader, won first place for her original song (words and music). Glenda Sue Burrows, age 14, grade 8, won first on her prayer-poem. A second prize was awarded to Cynthia Berry, 7-year-old second grader, for her essay. Randall Powers, age 11, grade 6, won third place for his poem. The awards, including cards signed by the President General of the National Society of DAR, the national chairman of Junior American Citizens, and the national contest vice chairman, plus \$3.00, \$2.00 and \$1.00 prizes, were preesnted by Mrs. J. H. Lightstone and Mrs. Tillie Karns Newman of Jane Dean Coffey Chapter. The Chapter Regent, Mrs. Frank Mann, was attending Continental Congress at the time. We lost two members by death, gained one by transfer and placed two grave markers. The Southeast District meeting was held in Coffeyville, Kansas, October 28, 1963. A senior high school girl was chosen and awarded a pin: Six Good Citizenship Medals were awarded in May to students in Coffeyville College, Field Kindley High School and Roosevelt Junior High. (A boy and girl in each).

JEREMIAH HOWARD—GREAT BEND

Mrs. L. V. Ernsting

No report.

## JOHN ATHEY-OAKLEY

Mrs. Jake Hinther

John Athey Chapter has 14 members. A former member will be reinstated in the very near future and two applicants are working on their papers. We hold five meetings a year. At our October meeting, one of our members who is the librarian at the city library gave a very interesting talk on "What's in our Library?" Miss Pauline Cowger, State Regent, was guest at our December meeting as well as husbands of the

members. The group enjoyed a Christmas dinner in the Blue Room of the Little Cafe. At the January meeting, one of our members gave a travelogue. History award medals were presented to five 5th grade students at the February meeting. Parents of the students, teachers and husbands of members were guests. Slides of the White House were shown. John Athey Chapter promoted plans for Oakley to participate in a nationwide Independence Day observance of "making freedom ring." Oakley churches who still have church bells participated in the event. Contributions are made to Kate Duncan Smith, Tamassee, Bacone, Museum, Kansas Chapel and St. Francis Boys' Home. Each year, DAR Magazines are bound and placed in the City Library. This year, our chapter is sponsoring two DAR Good Citizens.

### JOHN HAUPT—TOPEKA

Mrs. J. L. Hersh

Our Chapter meets September thru May at homes of members on the third Tuesday each month at 1:15 P. M. unless otherwise arranged in advance. All programs are planned to stress education and good citizenship. At the November meeting Miss Cowger ably presented "Americanism and Citizenship" which was greatly enjoyed. Other interesting programs including those suggested by National Society were appreciated by all. Our Chapter sponsored two naturalization court teas providing appropriate table decorations and refreshments for each group of fifty persons. On Flag Day we delivered over 1,000 properly decorated cup cakes to patients at the local Winter Veterans Hospital, a practice our members have enjoyed doing for several years, resulting in newspaper publicity.

### JONATHAN GILBERT-LA CROSSE

Mrs. Orville Young

Our Chapter has a membership of 15. We reinstated one member this year, and gained one member by transfer. Our meetings are always opened by a prayer by our Chaplain followed by the pledge of Allegiance to the Flag led by our Flag Chairman. Our February program was "Patrick Henry, the Man." A front page story in our local newspaper announced February as "American History Month," designated by the DAR National Society as well as endorsed by Governor Anderson, and requesting that everyone fly the flag whenever possible this month. Again a front page story announced "Constitution Week," and urged Schools and Churches to observe this with appropriate activities, and again to fly the flag. The "Preamble of the Constitution" was also printed in this story. Our meetings are also announced each month, and a writeup given afterwards in the paper. Mrs. Lloyd Mellick is serving her second year as State Indian Chairman and we again sent large boxes of clothing to Bacone and St. Mary's Schools. One of our programs was Indian, with "American Indians and DAR" and "Restoration" slides being shown. Each year our Chapter contributes to the Kansas Chapel maintenance fund. Each month this year the members contribute to a collection which is taken for "Roberta's Catalog."

Kanza Chapter, which is a county organization, has enjoyed very interesting meetings following the theme, "Be Strong and of Good Courage." during the year 1963-64, with programs emphasizing Historic Patriotic and Educational ideas. Special emphasis was made of Constitution Week, through editorials and proclamations by three Mayors in the towns of Macksville, St. John and Stafford, American History Month was brought before the public with Spot announcements in the three newspapers of the county. Ten minutes are given over to National Defense at each meeting, as well as the Pledge of Allegiance, Daughter's Pledge. and the singing of the Star Spangled Banner. One DAR Good Citizen from Preston High School was sponsored and entertained along with her mother, by the chapter at the March meeting. DAR markers were placed on the graves of two deceased members. A box of used clothing has been sent to Bacone Indian School as well as donations to Kate Duncan Smith. Tamassee DAR Museum, National Defense, Conservation, DAR Library, Genealogical Records and to the Americana Room. Kanza Chapter places the DAR Magazine in the two high schools and three libraries of the county. A special Flag Day breakfast is held each year. We are looking forward to our May meeting with our State Regent. Miss Pauline Cowger, as guest of the chapter.

### LOIS WARNER-JUNCTION CITY

Mrs. S. F. Llovd

Lois Warner Chapter hosted the Northwest Discrict Conference on October 30. The nine o'clock coffee, luncheon and meetings were all held in the Methodist Church. This was our biggest project for the year and we enjoyed playing the role of hostess chapter. We have two members who hold positions at the state and district level. Mrs. Carl Biegert is State Chairman of American Music and Mrs. Forast Beal is Treasurer for the Northwest District. Our work in distributing DAR Manuals is quite outstanding. We provided 225 of them. They were handled through the clerk of the court and are used by foreign wives and other Fort Riley personel in the citizenship classes. Many tell us the Manual is the best textbook available for the study of the Constitution. We suffered a loss in membership this year, but with several working on their papers, including two prospective Junior members, we are hoping that next year will see Lois Warner on that coveted Gold Honor Roll.

## LUCRETIA GRISWOLD LATIMER—EUREKA Mrs. Jewell Johnson

Our chapter has a membership of 20. Two are junior members. We have been grieved by the death this year of two of our members. Our programs are based on the theme "Be Strong and of a Good Courage." All programs have been very interesting. A most stimulating program on "Phases of Art" was given by one of our local artists at our November luncheon. Later a Midwest College student will talk on International Relations at one of our meetings. We received the Gold Seal Honor Roll award last year. We are sponsoring a DAR Good Citizen selected from the Rosalia High School. We sent used clothing to St. Mary's and also

to Bacone valued at \$50.00 for each school. Five DAR makers have been erected on the graves of our deceased members.

## MARTHA LOVING FERRELL

Mrs. A. E. Hurford

Martha Loving Ferrell Chapter has adhered closely to the various programs and helful suggestions sent to us from National to promote the DAR Story. Our activities included contributions to Kate Duncan Smith, Tamassee and Crossnore Schools, American Indians and St. Francis Boys' Home, Clothing was sent to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee Schools. A Working Scholarship was presented to Kate Duncan Smith School in Memory of our late Regent, Mrs. Roy Kinkaid. We were privileged to sponsor the son of a Member to Boys State. Mrs. Paul White, again, represented us at National Congress. Our new Junior Member will be added to our Mother-Daughter group. We have a loss in Membership; one Member going to Germany for three years; one transferred to California; we lost three by death. We were represented at Southwest District Meeting at Liberal. Our Chaplain, Mrs. Bogue, was elected Southwest District Director. State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger and State Corresponding Secretary Mrs. J. R. Uphoff were our Chapter Guests November 22, 1963. Mrs. Bogue is a Co-Chairman of this year's Kansas State Conference: Mrs. C. C. McCarter is Chairman for the Music Division for the Conference.

## MARTHA VAIL—ANTHONY

Mrs. T. V. Stranathan

Martha Vail Chapter has a present membership of 75 representing ten towns in four counties. We meet the fourth Friday—September through May for a luncheon and program. We have seven of the fourteen charter members: one grandmother-mother-daughter family combination; seven mother-daughter memberships; and one three-sister membership. Our theme is "Be Strong and of Good Courage"—and our programs follow NSDAR suggestions. We are sponsoring four Good Citizens, and will present their pins and honor them and their mothers at our luncheon meeting in April 1964. Our budget for 1963-1964 included Kate Duncan Smith, Tamassee, Bacone, St. Mary's, St. Francis Boys' Home, DAR Magazine advertisement, National Defense, National Investment fund, Kansas Chapel Maintenance Fund, Library and C.A.R. We received the 1963 KSDAR Press Relations and Award for Most Publicity in Weekly Newspapers, with Mrs. Bethene Long as Chairman. We received the Gold Seal Honor Award last year.

## MARY WADE STROTHER—SALINA

Mrs. R. C. Perrussel

This has been a happy year for us, with ten new members added, five of whom are Junior members. Our big problem is finding enough homes large enough to entertain the group. The programs have been excellent, carrying out the objects of the National Society. All programs have been Historical, Educational or Patriotic. Some included beautiful color slides with lectures, stories and recorded music. Our Bell Ringing on the

Fourth of July for five minutes at noon was a pleasure and a delight. Churches and Radio stations cooperated. Not only in Salina but the other towns in the county rang their church bells too. An old-fashioned farm dinner bell, here in Salina, joined the chorus as did many of the old school bells of yesteryear. Constitution Week is another bright spot. We had a window display using a thirteen-star flag, belonging to one of our members, as the background. Other documents and flags were used to make a lovely downtown window. In front and on the sides were a large framed Declaration of Independence, the Constitution of the United States, the Bill of Rights and an open Bible. The theme of our President General was in the center front with arrangements of bouquets of wheat. along with the DAR Magazine and Kansas DAR News. A new fifty-star flag and a DAR flag were near by. We have given money and clothing to Kate Duncan Smith, Tamassee, and St. Mary's Indian School. Three large flags of the United States have been given to new Scout Troops for their assembly rooms. These troops are in new sections of Salina. Salina City Librarian has bound all of the copies of the DAR Magazine since 1950, which are in the city library. Our chapter has given the magazine to the public library for many years. Pilgrimages were made to Shawnee Mission in September and to the Grinter House at Wyandotte. the place of an Early Ferry established by Mr. Grinter. Because of the large attendance, the Washington Birthday Tea and Guest Day will be at the Y. W. C. A. We will have three Good Citizens and their mothers as guests. Pins and certificates will be given to the young ladies.

### MINISA-WICHITA

Mrs. W. Burton Black

I am happy to bring you greetings from the 50 members of Minisa Chapter. One of our goals this year was to build up our attendancethis we have done, because of the splendid planning of our Program Chairman. In September we had a very informative picture interpretation of the Howard Chandler Christy painting "Signing the Constitution of the United States." In October Professor Donald Hansen of Wichita University, who is preparing a Television Series on Citizenship using the DAR Manual, was our speaker. In closing he said and I quote, "It's thrilling when you think of the last four letters of American I C-A-N." Our American Heritage program in November with members bringing and telling about "Family Heirlooms" was fun. An "Early American Luncheon" in February was served in the Wichita Historical Museum. During the year we presented a Flag to be used in the school room of Wesley Hospital. One of our members, Mrs. Bill Smith, is State Reporter and served on the National Public Relations committee at Continental Mrs. William Adamek is State Genealogical Chairman. Congress. Another member assist with C. A. R. records. Our new Junior Member is serving as a Page. You see, we have kept busy and feel the requirements for the Silver Honor Roll have been met.

## MISSION HILLS—MISSION HILLS

Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie

Our goal—Gold Honor Roll for 6th consecutive year. Membership, 52.

Increase, 9, (3 Juniors). Lost by transfer - 1. The Naturalization Council has been given 200 New Citizen cards, 45 "News for You," 5 Easy Readers. DAR Manuals for court, 12 and for Junior High Schools in area for Unified Studies, 19., 100% member subscriptions to DAR Magazine; plus one to Shawnee Mission West Senior and to Indian Hills Junior High Schools. Clothing sent to DAR Schools, 230 pounds. Books donated by members-2 Genealogies to Kansas DAR Library; 3 copies of "Santa Fe Trail" and 3 Shawnee Mission Booklets to Johnson County Library. We were proud that Mrs. Max Petty was Northeast District Director last year. Charles C. Tucker, member, donated a framed replica of the Signing of the Constitution to Shawnee Mission West Senior High School. Mrs. Norton Rixey, Chaplain, (outstanding Junior), gave an impressive memorial for President John F. Kennedy at our November meeting. She also sold stationery for Helen Pouch Scholarship Fund. Three Good Citizens will be honored this year. Poems and songs, composed by Mrs. Clifford Hutcheson, member, were given to the National Program Chairman. Mrs. Lewis H. Kessler, Organizing Regent (State Treasurer), presented us with a lovely American and DAR Flag; the 1961-1963 Officers, the Kansas Flag. One of our programs given by the Regent using Fred Waring's Recording, "Saga of America," illustrated with slides and costumed dolls, was for the L'Cosmos League-group of women composed of American and Foreign born citizens. Special donations-Americana Project, Friends of Art of the Museum, National Library Remodeling and Bricks for St. Mary's.

## MOLLY FOSTER BERRY—FORT SCOTT

Mrs. H. P. Kinney

Our membership at this time is 44, which is a decrease of two, one gain and two losses. However, we have one application filed for consideration and two others searching for records. Our programs for this year have been based on articles in back numbers of the DAR Magazine and keyed to the special interest of the month in which they were given. We were honored last March by a visit from our State Regent. Miss Cowger. Besides giving an inspiring talk for us, she very graciously presented the DAR Good Citizen pin to last year's Good Citizen of the Fort Scott High School, who was present at the meeting. This year our chapter is sponsoring Dianne Robinson as Good Citizen of the Blue Mound Rural High School. Her pin and certificate will be presented to her at a later meeting of the chapter. At the Southeast District meeting at Coffeyville last October, our chapter extended an invitation to the District to be our guests in Fort Scott for the 1964 District Meeting, an invitation which was accepted. We are looking forward to seeing old friends and many new ones here in Fort Scott next fall.

### NATHAN EDSON—CLAY CENTER

Mrs. Lawton M. Hanna

Nathan Edson membership is 34. The year's program was based on the National Program Outline. The Historian conducted another essay contest. A \$300.00 Scholarship was again given through our Chapter to a relative of two Chapter members; she is a former Good Citizen and is still doing outstanding work at college. Ann Elliot, the first recipient of

the State Scholarship was one of five language students at the University of Kansas who attended a nine-week session in Paris last summer to complete a College of Liberal Arts and Science graduation requirement of language proficiency. We entertained our Good Citizen this year. Her Mother and Grandmother were also guests and the Good Citizen was presented a pin. We sponsored two other Good Citizens from neighboring towns. We contributed \$5.00 each to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee: \$10.00 to St. Francis Boys' Home; \$3.00 to St. Mary's School; \$1.00 to Kansas Chapel Fund; \$1.00 to National Defense; \$7.50 to Magazine Advertising. We have 12 DAR Magazine subscriptions—one is for the High School Library. We sent a map to the Library at Dodge City that marked all the cemeteries in Clay County and listed the graves of Veterans of all wars in each cemetery. We gave seven slides for the Kansas Program Collection. Papers for one member is pending and we are doing research for a prospective member. Our local radio station and newspaper gives us excellent publicity.

#### NEODESHA-NEODESHA

Mrs. Lawrence Catlin

The Neodesha Chapter has a membership of twenty members, 5 nonresident. One member resigned, this vacancy was filled by a new member transferring to our chapter. Our programs have been interesting, following the "Historic" Patriotic and "Educational" pattern suggested by NSDAR. Constitution Week observed. Mayor's proclamation appeared in our daily paper. The Mayor complimented our patriotic organization very highly. The Editors of our daily and weekly papers have been very generous with space, giving excellent coverage on all news items. Our enthusiastic registrar and Genealogical chairman, Mrs. Dan Forbes, sent twenty-four "Lineage Reports" to our State chairman this year. More to follow. The Christmas luncheon "Staged" by our Stevens-Randall-Stevens "trio" in their beautiful home Dec. 20, was a great success and pleasure. A clever program was given by our treasurer, Mrs. Frank Wooley; she then made us happy by reporting 100% dues paid by our membership. Monetary gifts were: Kansas Chapel Fund; Conservation; Museum Fund; "Roberta's Project;" Tamassee School; Kate Duncan Smith School; St. Mary's Indian School for Girls; Coupons for silver sent to D. S. School. We contemplate "celebration" during 1964.

### NEWTON-NEWTON

Mrs. W. T. Bolin

Newton Chapter was organized in 1904 with a membership of 15. Our membership now is 67. We give the Pledge of Allegiance at each meeting and devote at least ten minutes to National Defense News. In observance of Constitution Week, one of our members gave a 10-minute talk over the local radio station, and the local newspaper carried an editorial on the Constitution. Four of our members made the Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage on Constitution Day. Our Chapter was represented at the State Conference, State Board Meetings, Northwest District Conference and Continental Congress. Our programs have covered the National Theme,

conservation, patriotic addresses and Our American Heritage. One of our members gave an interesting book review on the "Anatomy of Spying." We observed American History Month with an editorial in the Newton Newspaper and a program on American History. We presented Good Citizen pins and certificates to two high school senior girls. In November we were honored by having as our guests five of the officers of the Henry Dawson Chapter. Our contributions have included the investment fund, National Defense, Kansas Chapel, Historian General's Project and the DAR Schools. We also gave the guest speaker at our conservation meeting \$10.00 for a tree in the Newton Rose Garden.

#### NINNESCAH-PRATT

Mrs. Carl Terry

Ninnescah chapter again this year is furnishing a \$200 scholarship for a student at Tamassee. Over 100 pounds of extra good clothing was sent, along with nice Christmas gifts for our adopted student. Miss Pauline Cowger, State Regent, was our guest for the postponed November meeting. She helped us to understand many incidentals concerning our society that make us appreciate it more, along with the news of state and national. Our 1963-64 programs are more varied and we are including subjects, before neglected such as a program on American Music, Conservation, and Genealogical Records. We sponsored four girls for the Good Citizen contest. They were our guests along with their mothers at a February tea. We sponsored one entry in the American History Essay contest. We observed Constitution Week in several ways.

# OCEANUS HOPKINS-PITTSBURG

Mrs. Roy Cooper

Chapter meetings are opened in ritualistic form, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, and singing the National Anthem. Both the President General's message and National Defense articles are read each month. Programs follow the objectives of our Society. At our Guest Day Tea we introduced our three DAR Good Citizens and presented each with a pin and certificate. Our two local charter members were introduced and honored at this time. The Regent gave an informative talk on the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution. Our contributions of cash and/or clothing were sent to Tamassee, Kate Duncan Smith and St. Mary's. We contributed to the State Museum, State Library, Investment Trust Fund, and DAR Magazine advertising. We have 76 members and two papers pending in Washington. We have been saddened by the loss of two members, Mrs. E. W. Jones and Miss Alma Lucas.

### OLATHE-OLATHE

Mrs. Harrel P. Thomas

Olathe Chapter has maintained it's membership of 29 although there have been numerous changes through resignation, death and transfer. We are especially pleased to have one new Junior Member. Special attention has been given to youth during the past year. Two DAR Good Citizens were sponsored. Two American History essay contests were sponsored and medals and certificates were awarded. We are very

proud of Dean Bergman who won first place in the State Sixth Grade Historical Essay Contest with his essay The Political Life of Kansas. As members of the Regents Round Table we served as co-hostesses for the Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage, providing the table decorations for the luncheon. The chapter also assisted the Round Table in presenting Dr. Florence Metz, principal chemist of Mid-West Research Institute, when she was the speaker at a Civic Meeting in Kansas City, Kansas. Contributions were also made to Kate Duncan Smith, St. Mary's School, the Student Loan and Scholarship Fund and other DAR projects. One Junior American Citizens Club is being sponsored.

#### PELEG GORTON—WINFIELD

Mrs. J. W. Taylor

We held a Constitution Day Tea and invited other Patriotic Organizations to be our guests. Mr. McGill, our State Representative, gave the program. He talked about the Constitution and the different interpretations and changes advocated. About twenty percent of the members subscribe to the DAR Magazine. We contribute \$7.50 for DAR advertising. We have one new member's papers pending. Cash donations were made to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee schools, National Defense, American Indians and Shawnee Mission. Also \$2.00 as Chapter Patron of C. A. R. Clothing and coupons were sent to Kate Duncan Smith and jewelry to St. Marys. Six DAR Manuals for Citizenship were presented by the Americanism and DAR Manual Chairman. We presented two Good Citizen pins and Certificates.

## PHEBE DUSTIN—PHILLIPSBURG

Mary Jo Evans

Our Chapter has not accomplished any outstanding tasks this last year. We have had both the State Regent and the District Director as guests. Our programs have been very interesting. Last Spring there was one on American Music. The most interesting one so far this year was the film, "Historic Virginia." This film in color with narration was very good. We plan to have "Lincoln and the Constitution" in February and essays by those participating at the Phillipsburg High School. These both appear to be well-planned programs. We have noted that most of the members are interested in the DAR-approved schools, that they support Bacone Indian School. The level of giving to various projects remains much the same as it has for several years. In working with genealogical research our Chairman has found most interesting material which she reproduces for those of us who are interested. We feel this has been inspirational to some of us as items are as written. We feel we have had fellowship worth much and cooperation of the highest degree from the members of Phebe Dustin this year.

### POLLY OGDEN-MANHATTAN

Mrs. John Peak

We participated in the Bell Ringing ceremony on July 4th and observed Constitution Week fully with wonderful cooperation from the MERCURY, our local newspaper, and radio station KMAN, and our mayor.

An outstanding Christmas luncheon was held at the home of Mrs. Besler. Mrs. Roger, a DAR member here for the winter from Maine, was a guest. The program was several piano selections with the Christmas theme given by a member of the Manhattan Music Club and unusual Christmas stories read by Mrs. Cole, wife of the Methodist minister. Mrs. Lucile Rust, of our chapter, is State Chairman of DAR Good Citizen. We honored six good citizens and their mothers from Manhattan and nearby high schools at a tea, February 22, and Mrs. Rust presented them with Good Citizen pins. We always participate in getting ready for and attending Memorial Day ceremonies. Mr. Uel Burden, music instructor at Manhattan Junior High School, and organist for the Methodist Church, presented an outstanding organ program with most interesting comments and explanations before each number played. The whole year has been an exceptional one both in the programs planned and in the attendance and interest of all the members.

### RANDOLPH LOVING-WICHITA

Mrs. Lloyd Warren

Randolph Loving Chapter participated with the other Wichita chapters and had a most successful Constitution Week. We dedicated the Foley Tractor Company's flag and had excellent press and TV coverage. We have contributed to the DAR schools and sent boxes of clothing to Kate Duncan Smith. We have contributed to the American Indian Fund and also provided money for a student's year of music lessons at St. Mary's. We have also contributed to the DAR Museum Fund. We have a DAR Good Citizen. There was a most interesting meeting on American Heritage in December. Each member was asked to bring an American antique item and relate the history behind it. In April, we plan to have a Guest Day Tea. We are proud to have our own, Mrs. J. Wesley Lucas, as the State Conference Chairman this year.

## RHODA CARVER BARTON-FREDONIA

Mrs. Giles Creager

Rhoda Carver Barton Chapter, Fredonia, meets nine times each year. Our programs are based on the work of National committees. Five members attended the Southeast District Meeting. We are indexing resource material and gathering additional information for the Wilson County Historical Society Museum. We have a shelf of DAR material. Our members have attended two historical tours in our county and participated in the city wide bell ringing July 4th.

## SAMUEL LINSCOTT—HOLTON

Mrs. Walter Sondker

The outstanding event for our Chapter this year was the visit of Miss Cowger, State Regent. She gave us an inspiring and informative talk at our November meeting. Miss Cowger was guest of honor at a luncheon given by our regent, Mrs. Sondker, in her home. In October Mrs. Sondker spoke on "Land of our Forbears" telling of her recent European tour. In December we brought gifts for St. Francis Boys' Home, had an auction of Christmas goodies, exchanged gifts and enjoyed a paper on "Christmas

customs in Colonial Times" by Mrs. Allard. Mrs. Wolcott ably presented "Our Native Americans" in January. Further program "Lincoln," Mrs. Gilkerson; "Genealogical Records," Mrs. Pomeroy; "What the Daughters do," Mrs. Davis; "Our Flag's Family Tree," Mrs. Massey and a Historical Tour to be taken by our members. We have contributed money to our DAR Schools and sent clothing to St. Mary's. We are happy to sponsor three DAR Good Citizens in our county. They will be entertained, presented pins and certificates. The death of our Vice Regent, Edith White, a faithful member, brought sadness to us. Awards will be given for the highest grades in American History classes.

### SARAH STEWARD-SMITH CENTER

Mrs. R. W. McLeod

The Sarah Steward Chapter started the year with 16 members and gained one new member during the year. Four of these members are non-resident. We have four prospective members working on their papers. The Chapter holds regular monthly meetings, using program material as suggested by the National Program Committee. We were honored this fall by a visit from our State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger and our Northwest District Director, Mrs. Rollin L. Johnson. We have made cash contributions to Kate Duncan Smith School, Tamassee, St. Francis Boys' Home and St. Mary's. A slide was made of the cabin where Dr. Brewster Higley wrote the song, "Home on the Range," and it was sent to Mrs. E. H. Snider. After we learned that ALL old magazines in the Library were destroyed for lack of space, we formed a Library of our own members to keep and loan the DAR magazines. We hope next year to increase membership and our knowledge of the history of our country by interesting programs.

## SHAWNEE-MISSION

Mrs. John McGuire

Shawnee Chapter membership shows a new increase of three members for the past year. Two of these are Junior members. We have maintained our contributions to DAR projects at past levels. In addition, we contributed to the Americana Collection Fund and sent a one-semester music scholarship to St. Mary's School. Highlights of our programs include a visit from our State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger; a report on the 1963 Continental Congress by the State Treasurer, Mrs. Lewis Kessler: a Christmas luncheon and musical program. We have had five minutes of National Defense news at each meeting and one full program on National Defense featuring a panel of Chapter members. We feel that Gold Honor Roll requirements have been fulfilled. The Chapter endorsed Mrs. Eugene P. Amos as the outstanding Junior Member. She represents our entire Junior Membership which provides Shawnee Chapter with several officers and committee chairmen. We are proud of the service our Junior Members render to the Chapter and to the community. It would be impossible to report a successful year in DAR without the wonderful cooperation which exists among our officers, members and committee chairmen. The dedication of our leadership on the National and State level has been a source of inspiration and unity of purpose.

Smoky Hill Chapter because of its small membership is proud to have again received an Honorable Mention Certificate. The chapter made cash donations to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee; St. Francis Boys' Home; St. Mary's and Bacone; Kansas Chapel Maintenance Fund; Cooperative Magazine Advertising and Museum Fund. Four historical essay awards were given to seventh and eighth grade students. Presented the framed picture, "Signing of the Constitution," to Holyrood High School. We observed Constitution Week, sent articles to the C. A. R. bazaar held at State Convention and gave a DAR Magazine subscription to the Ellsworth High School. A Guest Day Tea was held in honor of our Good Citizen girl together with the Good Citizen girl selected by the Lincoln, Kansas, High School. Both girls were presented Good Citizen pins. Mrs. Paul Hennenhofer, a member of Smoky Hill, is State Chairman for St. Francis Boys' Home.

## STERLING-STERLING

Mrs. Ralph Johnston

Sterling Chapter is proud to have Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Historian General, as a distinguished member. Highlighting our year was a field trip by fifteen of our members to Abilene where we toured the Eisenhower Library, Museum and his former home. The stately pylons that tower toward the sky were admired by all and the day proved to be a most interesting and inspiring one. At our Washington Birthday Banquet to which guests are invited and which is always a gay occasion, we honored our two DAR Good Citizens and their mothers. Pins were presented to the girls followed by a most entertaining program, "Mrs. Page and Her Costumes" presented by Mrs. Page, a member of the Kansas City Chapter. Our Chapter was represented at State Conference, the Northwest District Conference, and at Continental Congress. We were pleased to receive an honorable mention certificate. Sterling Chapter was happy to contribute \$31.00 for the re-cataloging of the Americana Collection. Other gifts of cash were made to Tamassee School, DAR Museum, DAR Library and for advertising in the DAR Magazine. Clothing and jewelry were sent to St Mary's School for Indian girls. goal for next year is to make a special effort to increase our membership.

## SUSANNAH FRENCH PUTNEY-EL DORADO Mrs. Olin M. Stansbury

In April 1963, Susannah French Putney—now 53 years old, lost by death its distinguished Founder, Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick, Honorary Vice President General NSDAR. Her example of devotion and service is our rich heritage. Our consolation is that we revered and honored her in her lifetime. Be Strong and of Good Courage is a comforting theme for us. We were privileged to have a report from Continental Congress by State Reporter, Mrs. Bill Smith. Our National Defense Chairman, Mrs. W. N. Calkins' program "Hold Fast That Which Is Good," tied the old year in with the new. Material came from current DAR magazines creating much interest and thoughtful discussion. Our Registrar, Mrs. R. C. Woodward, describing herself as a "not so professional genealogist," gave a most outstanding program titled "What's My Line?" Meetings: For

variety, five luncheons, four desserts, a Colonial Guest Day Tea. Dessert meetings were devised to increase our treasury. Hostesses donate refreshments and attendance fees are clear profit. In addition to regular projects we sponsored two DAR Good Citizens and were happy the excellent quality of American History students necessitated giving additional cash awards. This, plus fine programs, has given us Courage. An increased treasury and attendance are hopeful evidence we are growing Stronger.

## TOMAHAWK-PRAIRIE VILLAGE

Mrs. James Miller

Tomahawk celebrates her tenth anniversary this year. We started with fifteen members and now have eighty-five. Mrs. Paul Greenlease was our organizing Regent and we are proud that she is now State Vice-Regent and National Magazine Chairman. One of our main aims is to keep enough Junior members so our Senior members will try to stay young in ideas and energy. This coming April 29, we are having a benefit Fashion Show to celebrate this—"Our Tenth Anniversary Year." have participated in two grade school assembly programs on the "Meaning of Our Flag" and have presented to each a large flag for their auditorium. A tree was planted with our C. A. R. chapter at the Corinth branch of the Johnson County Library. Seven DAR magazine subscriptions have been given to school libraries. Forty manuals on Americanism were given to our school district and Naturalization Court; material was purchased for the Basic English Class sponsored by the Naturalization Council, of which we are a member. Twenty-five dollars has been given in support of the Historian General's project; money and clothing have been sent to all our schools. Our chapter did have some fun activity which included a successful Tasting Luncheon in October and a picnic in June with our husbands.

## TOPEKA-TOPEKA

Mrs. H. A. Van Doren

Topeka, the oldest chapter, is continuing to grow with twelve new members including three juniors. We also honored three 50-year members. Besides our fine programs and publicity stressing "Telling the Full DAR Story," we had many outside activities. We participated fully in the pilgrimages to Grinter House and Shawnee Mission and had a special pilgrimage of our own to our Santa Fe Trail Marker in Burlingame. The mayor and others from Burlingame welcomed us and helped in the rededication and planting of two trees. This was followed by a luncheon. In November we had an Antique sale, Sorting Bee and covered dish luncheon followed the next week by a rummage sale. cleared \$234.63. We also sent three big boxes of clothing to the DAR Schools. We had a fine window display for Constitution Week, presented 70 flags to new citizens at the Naturalization Proceedings, sold \$115 of advertising for the DAR Magazine, presented pins and certificates to six DAR Good Citizens and prizes to the American History Essay winners and sent in 498 Genealogical Records. This February our George Washington Tea honoring Miss Pauline Cowger will be held at Cedar Crest. Other state officers will be honored guests.

Uvedale Chapter gained one junior member and two of our junior members were pages at the State Meeting and one at Continental Congress. We gained one other member and lost two each by resignation, transfer, and death. Our chapter was honored in having Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Historian General, present one of our programs and enjoyed having her chapter as special guests at that meeting. We contributed \$29.61 to the Americana Room project. We also enjoyed having our State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, at our Flag Day Breakfast and enjoyed her talk, "And To The Republic." We contributed money to the DAR Library, Kate Duncan Smith School and Tamassee School and sent rummage to Bacone College. Our magazine chairman reported 8 new subscribers to the DAR Magazine and we contributed to magazine advertising. presented to the Senior High School a flag and stand for the auditorium and an outdoor flag that had flown over the Capitol Building in Washington, D. C. Two of our members, Mrs. Wm. F. Peterson and Mrs. Marson H. French, compiled a history and a complete record of the Partridge Cemetery. They sent copies to the Hutchinson Public Library, the DAR State and National Libraries, and numerous historical and genealogical societies.

### WELLINGTON-WELLINGTON

Mrs. Arthur Jervis

The Wellington Chapter of DAR entertained June 14, 1963, the Peleg Gorton Chapter of Winfield, Kansas and the Arkansas City Chapter. The luncheon was followed by a program entitled "Exploring our Newest States, Hawaii and Alaska." The Chapter has had many fine programs. A program on Patrick Henry's speech at the First Continental Congress and a program by the Editor of our Daily Newspaper on the "Freedom of the Press and it's Responsibility" was most interesting. Other programs included Book Reviews and a Musical program by the Treble Clef Club of Wellington. A box of Christmas Gifts was sent to Bacone Indian School of Bacone, Oklahoma and \$20.00 each to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith Schools. Representatives from our Chapter are helping to establish a local museum. We participated in a local Veterans Day parade sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce of Wellington.

## WICHITA-WICHITA

Mrs. Herman Ewers

As a small chapter we find it important having three new members this year, and sponsoring two DAR Good Citizens. These students were luncheon guests of the chapter and had the honor of being "pinned" by the State Regent. One of them was later named the "Outstanding Youth of the Year" in Kansas by Catholic leaders. In our programs we try to stress the outstanding objectives of NSDAR with a full program, in rotation, and this year Conservation, American Music, and a special Historical talk for American History Month received attention—all with outside speakers. Our chapter historian placed over 125 Kansas DAR Historical Maps in Wichita school rooms. We also purchased 200 American History month stickers. We observed Constitution Week with an interesting dis-

play of the Constitution in a prominent florist's window, attractively surrounded with red, white and blue flowers. A young school boy was given the copy of the framed Constitution at the end of the week. We received an "Honorable Mention" on the Honor Roll last year and are trying valiantly for the "Gold Star" this time. Our chapter is anticipating a small fund-raising program to benefit the National DAR Library fund. Americana Restoration Fund, and the Museum-one of our members is a national vice chairman of Museum. Wichita chapter is proud to have had a part in getting the NSDAR's interpretation of the Marion Anderson incident on the editorial page of an October issue of Wichita's leading newspaper. We plan to have two representatives at Continental Congress this Spring offsetting the two who didn't get to District Conference at Liberal due to an accident. Supporting major DAR projects we gave \$50 to DAR schools, \$110 to Bacone, \$10 to St. Mary's and the Americana Fund, Chapel. Museum, etc. Honoring our President General, Mrs. Robert Duncan. the Regent's fund of \$25.00 was sent to the NSDAR Library Renovation Fund. The name of Lucy Thomas Powell (Mrs. Lon), following our chapter custom, will be part of the Memorial Acres purchased at Tamas sec. Her name was honored in memory also in the Remembrance Book in the Kansas Chapel.

## WILLIAM WILSON-GARDEN CITY

Mrs. Leroy Hood

William Wilson chapter has fulfilled all the requirements for the gold honor roll again this year. In addition to our each contributions to the various schools, we have sent boxes of clothing and miscellaneous articles to Kate Duncan Smith School and Bacone Indian School. We have sponsored three Good Citizen girls in our area and plan to entertain them and their mothers at our George Washington Birthday Tea. A great deal of interest has been generated in our National DAR magazine and as a result we have several new subscribers and avid readers. Several mem bers have spoken on the radio concerning historic observances as well as writing feature articles and letters to the editor on special patriotic days. We observed some historic days with luncheons and teas. Two hundred cards with the American's Creed and our national flag were distributed to school age children in Garden City and Dighton (through the libraries.) Our monthly collection for "Roberta's Catalog" has stimulated interest in the Americana Room in our National DAR Museum in Washington, D. C. We feel that William Wilson Chapter is working toward telling the full DAR story with Educational, Patriotic and Historical Endeavors.

### WYANDOT--KANSAS CITY

Mrs. Charles Shockley

Wyandot Chapter has 47 members, having lost two by resignations and one by death. February was observed as American History month and Good Citizen's month. Four girls, each from a different high school, and their mothers, were entertained at this meeting. Six members attended the State Conference in March. It was our great honor to have Miss Cowger, State Regent, State Vice Regent, Mrs. Greenlease, and other state officers as our guests at the May meeting which was held at the

Grinter House. Miss Cowger installed the new officers of our chapter at this time. This was the best attended meeting of the Chapters which participated in the erection of the Grinder Memorial. Wyandot Chapter aided in the Washington Tea, sponsored by the Naturalization Council and has been represented at each of their meetings. Constitution Week was observed by attending the Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage on Constitution Day. Mr. Charles Blackmar's topic was "The Constitution." Wyandot Chapter observed their tenth anniversary in October. The organizing Regent, Mrs. J. F. Steineger, presenting the program. It is with great sadness and a sense of loss to note that Mrs. Steineger passed on in December. Local area Chapters sponsored the joint Civic Project, with Wyandot as the hostess. Dr. Florence I. Metz, spoke on Midwest Research Institute and its relationship to the community. We secured DAR Magazine advertising for the Santa Fe Trail edition, also gave contributions of cash and clothing to the Kate Duncan Smith, Tamassee, Bacone and St. Mary's Schools.

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

June 22, 1963

The Executive Committee meeting of KSDAR met at the home of the Vice Regent, Mrs. Paul Greenlease.

The State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, called the meeting to order at 1:15 p. m.

Mrs. J. R. Henning, State Chaplain, gave devotions.

All State Officers were present except the librarian, Mrs. Guy D. Josserand.

Reports were given by the State Officers and suggestions given for the various phases of work.

Miss Pauline Cowger, State Regent, announced the appointment of Mrs. Howard Doyle, Chairman of the American Heritage Committee. This new committee was authorized by the 72nd Continental Congress.

Tulip Tour: The Executive Committee suggested either Wednesday, April 29 or Thursday, April 30, for this tour. The committee in charge, Mrs. H. C. Willis, chairman, Mrs. C. D. Cruse, and Mrs. R. H. Chesney, will announce forthcoming details.

Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick passed away Monday, April 29, 1963. The traditional red, white and blue floral spray was sent to the funeral by the Society. Mrs. W. H. von der Heiden, Honorary State Regent, attended as Kansas Society's official representative.

The State Regent met with the State Conference Committee, Mrs. J. Wesley Lucas, chairman, Mrs. J. A. Bogue and Mrs. Elmer Huffman, vice-chairman, and Mrs. Carl Hoofer, secretary, to make plans for the Sixty-sixth Annual State Conference.

Fourteen applications have been received by the chairman of the Student Loan and Scholarship Fund committee.

The Wellington Chapter passed a resolution to disband. The State Regent will visit this chapter before final action is taken.

The William Creekmore Chapter meeting on decision to disband was recessed due to lack of quorum. Another meeting will be called. The State Regent was represented at this meeting.

October or November will be the month for DAR Magazine Advertising. Subject selected: Santa Fe Trail.

Mrs. Paul Greenlease, Vice Regent, reported the district directors meeting preceded the Executive Committee meeting and plans were completed for the district meetings in October.

Mrs. Greenlease explained the importance of and why the district directors should be elected for a three year term and become members of the Board of Managemnt. Mrs. Greenlease moved the Executive Committee recommend to the October Board of Management the four district directors be elected to serve three years and be members of the Board of Management. Mrs. Harry Ives seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Mrs. J. R. Henning, Chaplain, reported a special ceremony for Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick will be a part of the Memorial Service at the State Conference.

Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Recording Secretary, reported the contract for printing the 1963 Proceedings was awarded to the Golden Rule Press, Hutchinson, Kansas, who submitted the low bid of:

March 4, 1963. 250 Proceedings DAR, 264 pages and cover (style and sample paper as 1958-1959) \$925.00. Picture cuts included, also 2 color flag as sample book. More or less than 264 pages (in multiples of four pages) add or deduct \$3.50 per page. Signed: Eric O. Ramquist, Golden Rule Press, 112 West Sherman, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, Corresponding Secretary, reported the officers directory has been compiled and mailed. Accompanied the State Regent on several official visits.

Mrs. Lewis H. Kessler, Treasurer, read letters of estimates from two auditing firms. Mrs. Harry Ives moved when the State Treasurer finds an acceptable auditor that she be authorized to use this auditor. Mrs. Bill Smith seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Mrs. Kessler reported on insurance policies for the DAR Library and Shawnee Mission. Mrs. Paul Greenlease moved the Executive Committee authorize the State Treasurer to take out insurance to adequately cover our property. Mrs. Harry Ives seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Mrs. Harry Ives, Registrar, reported: February 15, 1963 to June 19, 1963. Increase: By verification 38 (April 25, National Board Meeting, June 13, National Board Meeting), Transfer into State 3, Reinstated 2, GAIN 43.

Decrease: Death 13, Resigned 6, Transferred Out 4, LOSS 23. Net Gain 20, Supplementals 3.

Mrs. Ives stated the DAR News will be distributed at the district meetings to chapters not sending in the new mailing list.

Mrs. Bill Smith, Reporter, presented two bids for addressing the DAR News.

"LETTERS" Inc., Wichita Automatic Typewriting Company, 1217 East First, P. O. Box 917, Wichita, Kansas, June 1. Set up new list, start from scratch. Elliott Addressing 9c a name. Labels 6c a name. After list is set up, we will address for \$7.00 per 1000 names whichever way you choose to go. Changes, additions or deletions will be as follows: Find and pull a name 5c, Change a name, new address, etc. 5c, Cut a new name, proof and place in proper position 10c. Elliott Address, 3800 names at 9c \$342.00, 125 new members per year at 10c, 12.50, 500 changes a year at 5c, 25.00, Total \$379.50.

Label Address, 3800 names at 6c, \$228.00, 125 new names per year at 10c, 12.50, 500 changes a year at 5c, 25.00, Total \$265.50. (no signature).

Parker and Sons Printing Company, 1952 South Washington, Wichita 9, Kansas, June 25, 1963. Quantity: App. 3,600. Description: Addressograph Plates, inc. frame for type B, Plates are DAR property. Price: \$10.85 per 100. Will pull the old address, type the new one, replace the new one in the filing list—total cost only 10c per name. For new names—and making new plate and filing—only 10c per name. Will address publication, take to the post office at previously quoted rate when contract was originally made. Parker and Sons Printing Co. By James W. Parker (signed).

Mrs. Ralph Ralston moved a new mailing list be compiled using addressograph plates. Mrs. Harry Ives seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Mrs. Bill Smith moved the State Registrar be given the authority to discard the old mailing list. Mrs. J. R. Uphoff seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Mrs. Ralph Ralston, Historian, read her official letter on how chapters and individuals through voluntary contributions can raise the \$1000.00 voted at State Conference for the Historian General's (Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn) project, index and catalog The Americana Collection in the Archives Room, which is also the office of the Historian General.

Because Standing Rule No. 6 had been questioned, Mrs. Paul Greenlease moved the Executive Committee recommend to the October Board of Management to delete the last sentence (no expenses shall be allowed an officer if the State Conference is in her home city.) of Standing Rule No. 6. Mrs. Harry Ives seconded the motion. Motion carried.

The Board of Management meeting will be Friday, October 25, 1963. Mrs. Paul Greenlease moved the Board of Management meeting be in Dodge City. Mrs. Lewis Kessler seconded the motion. Motion carried.

The State Regent announced the resignation of Conference Marshall, Lula Baum.

Meeting adjourned 5:30 p. m.

A luncheon was served by Mrs. Paul Greenlease preceding the Executive Committee meeting.

Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Recording Secretary

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

The Executive Committee of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution, met in Dodge City at the Lora Locke Hotel on Thursday, October 24, 1963. All officers were present. The State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, called the meeting to order. The State Chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Henning, gave meditations.

The State Treasurer, Mrs. Lewis Kessler, moved we accept the Matthews Agency, Ashland, Kansas, proposal on the insurance policy for the DAR Library and furnishings in the two DAR Rooms in Shawnee Mission and the Conference Flags. Seconded by Mrs. Greenlease. Carried. The insurance on the furnishings and the Conference Flags is \$3839.00. Fine Arts Policy, the premium \$57.63 for three years. The insurance on the Library remains \$2000.00 and the premium is \$33.00 for a three year period.

The Vice Regent, Mrs. Paul Greenlease, moved the Executive Committee send a note of appreciation to Mrs. Warren Higgins for her assistance to Mrs. Kessler with the Shawnee Mission Inventory. Seconded by Mrs. Guy D. Josserand. Carried.

Mrs. Kessler, who was authorized by the Executive Committee on June 22, 1963; to select an auditor announced the selection of Donald C. Epp, C. P. A., resident of Kansas; Office address: Colonial Savings and Loan Bldg., 8231 Corinth Mall, Prairie Village, Kansas.

The State Treasurer, Mrs. Kessler, moved to discontinue the publishing of the Treasurer's Tabular Report (back of Proceedings). Seconded by Mrs. Ives. Carried. YES votes—4. NO votes—3.

The State Historian, Mrs. Ralph Ralston, moved the McPherson County Historical Society be given written permission to move the two DAR Santa Fe Trail Markers to a new location. Seconded by Mrs. Henning. Carried.

By unanimous vote of the Executive Committee pages in the Kansas Chapel Memorial Book will be taken to the artists once a year, just prior to Continental Congress, for names to be inscribed. A directive from the Executive Committee was requested by Mrs. Bertram Lempenau, member of the Kansas Chapel Committee.

Meeting adjourned.

Mrs. HoBart Frederick Recording Secretary

Approved as corrected.

## BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

The Board of Management meeting of the Kansas Society, Daughters of the American Revolution met at the Lora Locke Hotel, in Dodge City, on Friday, October 25, 1963. The meeting was called to order at 9:55 a. m. by the State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger. The State Chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Henning led in the devotionals and prayer. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs.

Paul Greenlease, Vice Regent. The National Anthem was led by Mrs. Carl Biegert, American Music Chairman. The Parliamentarian, Mrs. Chester Davis, read the ByLaws requiring the number of voting members to constitute a quorum. A quorum was declared present by the Parliamentarian. Present were: 10 State Officers, 1 National Officer, 5 Chapter Regents and 3 Chapter Vice Regents.

The minutes of the March 1963 Board of Management were published in the 1963 Proceedings and approved.

The Regent extended greetings and introduced Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Historian General and Honorary State Regent and Mrs. R. V. Shrewder and Mrs. Chester Davis, Honorary State Regents; and Mrs. Paul Greenlease, National Chairman, DAR Magazine Committee.

The State Regent reported on National and State activities:

"During the next two years the National DAR Project will be to expand the facilities in the DAR Library, by renovating the balcony section of the Library in honor of Mrs. Robert V. H. Duncan, our President General. This will cost approximately \$100,000.00 and will be financed by voluntary contributions. All Kansas Chapters will want to honor Mrs. Duncan and have a part in this project."

"The National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution will provide the official ceremonial Flag of the United States of America for the 1964-1965 New York World's fair. The flag will be used at the main entrance. A special two day tour will be arranged following Continental Congress for Saturday and Sunday, April 25 and 26—at which time the gift will be officially presented.

Last Friday your State Regent with Mrs. Greenlease, Mrs. Kilbourn and members of the National Board of Management went by bus to Williamsburg, Virginia, where we stayed all night and enjoyed meeting and visiting with the Virginia members. Early Saturday morning we went to Yorktown Battlefield, where on Oct. 14, 1781, just 182 years ago, that most decisive battle was fought. Note your October DAR Magazine about that day.

To date, your Regent has visited 45 chapters and has 17 on her itinerary for the future.

Certificates of 50 years membership have been signed for five members this year, already."

Other state officers gave brief reports.

The State Registrar, Mrs. Harry Ives, reported a net loss of 32 members from February 15, 1963 to October 23, 1963. Mrs. Ives handed out the recently compiled Supplement to members who have purchased the 1961 Directory.

The State Historian, Mrs. Ralph Ralston, requested a show of hands by the chapters who are participating in the Historian General's project—Catalog and Index the fine Americana collection at National Headquarters. Chapters represented showed 100% participation.

The State Librarian, Mrs. Guy D. Josserand, reported the DAR Library now has 126 volumes of DAR Lineage Books—need 40 more volumes to complete the set.

The State Reporter, Mrs. Bill Smith, distributed the Press pages to chapters represented.

The State Regent, Miss Cowger, requested permission from the Board of Management that: the ByLaws Chairman report precede the other State Chairman reports. Permission granted. The ByLaws Chairman, Mrs. Roscoe Graves, read the Proposed Amendments to the ByLaws of the KSDAR. A printed copy will be mailed to each chapter prior to the State Conference.

The State Chairmen reported. Those present: Mrs. Howard Doyle, American Heritage; Mrs. Lloyd Mellick, American Indians; Mrs. Carl Biegert, American Music; Mrs. E. Carruth Owen, Americanism and DAR Manuals; Mrs. L. A. Kunkel, C. A. R.; Mrs. Homer Smith, Conservation; Mrs. Lucile Rust, DAR Good Citizen; Mrs. Howard Haines, DAR Magazine; Mrs. Theo Stebbins, DAR Museum; Mrs. W. C. Adamek, Genealogical Records; Mrs. Otto Lutes, Honor Roll; Mrs. E. A. Smith, National Defense; Mrs. E. H. Snider, Program; Mrs. A. J. McCray, Transportation and Safety; Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie, Shawnee Mission. Each spoke interestingly of the work of her committee.

The State Regent introduced the Historian-General, Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn. Mrs. Kilbourn spoke of a few of the outstanding items in the Americana collection and said the complete story entitled The Americana Room can be read in the October 1963 DAR Magazine.

The meeting recessed for the noon luncheon.

At 1:40 p. m. the meeting reconvened. The Chapter Regents reported: BYRD-PREWITT, Mrs. Sam Riggs; DANA, Mrs. Theo Stebbins; MISSION HILLS, Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie; MINISA, Mrs. E. S. Lindquist Vice Regent; DODGE CITY, Mrs. Guy D. Josserand for Mrs. L. Ralph Miller; FORT LARNED, Mrs. Homer Smith, Vice Regent; FORT SUPPLY TRAIL—Miss Katherine Harper for Mrs. J. H. McNickle.

Honorary State Regents reporting were: Mrs. R. V. Shrewder and Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn.

The State Regent urged all members present to visit our DAR Library.

Miss Cowger, thanked the Dodge City Chapter for their hospitality and for being the hostess chapter.

The State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, read the poem, "Hold High The Torch."

Meeting adjourned at 2:15 p. m.

Approved as read.

Mrs. HoBart Frederick Recording Secretary

# KANSAS SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION TREASURER'S REPORT

## FEBRUARY 1, 1963 to SEPTEMBER 30, 1963

## MRS. LEWIS HANFORD KESSLER, 6404 SAGAMORE ROAD, MISSION HILLS

Fund	Balance 2-1-63	Receipts		Balance 9-30-63
General Fund	\$2970.89	\$ 668.99	\$2616.77	\$1023.11
Conservation		Ψ 000.00	<b>4</b> -0-0,111	56.20
C. A. R			27.00	
DAR Library		172.00	310.27	41.00
Shawnee Mission		30.00		80.37
Santa Fe Trail	6.00	•	•	6.00
Treasurer General	211.85	698.00	898.85	11.00
Good Citizen	:	75.00		75.00
Kansas Room	864.78	86.00	423.45	527.33
Magazine Advertising		7.50	7.50	
Checking Account	4366.36	1737.49	4283.84	1820.01
Balance Johnson County Nat				•
and Trust Company Checking	Account, Se	ept. 30, 1963		\$1820.01
Inve	estments and	Assets		
U. S. Bonds Eisenhower Fund	<b>d</b>			2000.00
Johnson County Bank				
Savings account	190.21	64.37		254.58
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1st Federal, Hutchinson	231.33	4.90		236.23
Student Loan Fund				2 10
1st Federal, Hutchinson	3555.37	75.49		3630.86
Student Loan Fund	•			
Leavenworth Mutual	1079.11	21.58		1100.69
TOTAL	.:. 7056.02	. 166.34		7222.36
State General Fund Cash R			•	
General Fund Balance Febru Receipts	ary 1, 1963.	•••••	•••••	\$2970.89
171 State Dues 1963		230.85		
130 State Dues 1964				
Sale of proceedings				•
Sale of Directories				. 1
Refund Advance to Jr. Memb			: •	
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Refund Check 663				_
Voided Check 591		1.35	1-2-1	•
Refund Advance State Confe			668.99	668.99

Balance Before Disbursements		3639.88
Disbursements		
State Officers		
Allowance State Conference 1963	250.00	
Vice Regent	8.25	
Chaplain	18.37	
Recording Secretary	10.11	
Corresponding Secretary	42.20	
Treasurer	26.85	
Registrar	10.00	
Reporter	13.60	379.38
State Chairman Expenses		
DAR Good Citizen	78.62	
DAR Magazine	11.91	
DAR Museum	10.50	
Genealogical Records	3.31	
Honor Roll	2.00	
Junior Membership	28.07	
Public Relations	18.80	
Student Loan & Scholarship	5.80	
The Flag of the U.S. A	14.05	173.06
Awards		
American History Month Essays	9.65	
DAR Magazine Subscription Prizes		
Public Relations—Press Book Prizes		39.65
Printing and Stationery		
February KSDAR News	200.50	
Extra Addressing Feb. News		
July KSDAR News		
Postage July KSDAR News		
Hand Addressing July KSDAR News		
Postage Sept. KSDAR News		
Stationery and Post Cards		
Proceedings 1963		
Postage Proceedings		
Envelope Proceedings		1767.91
Miscellaneous		
Annual Audit State Treas. Books	100.00	
Insurance DAR Library Dodge City		
Directory Supplements Inserts		
Pages Continental Congress Rule 8	49.30	
Pictures Kansas Luncheon		
Orchid State Regent Rule 7		
Memorial Service, Flowers and Music		
Flowers for Funeral		
Refund Dues Check 650		
Check Issued and Refunded 663		256.77
Total Disbursement		
General Fund Balance September 30, 1963		\$1023.11

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

The Executive Committee of the Kansas Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, met Sunday, March 8, 1964, in the Broadview Hotel in Wichita. All officers except the Vice Regent, Mrs. Paul Greenlease, were present. The State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger, called the meeting to order.

The minutes of the October 24, 1963, Executive Committee meeting were read by the Recording Secretary. The State Historian, Mrs. Ralph Ralston, moved we accept the secretary's report with the few corrections made. Seconded by Mrs. Lewis H. Kessler. Carried.

The State Treasurer, Mrs. Kessler, gave a printed copy of the Auditor's and Treasurer's report to each officer. The reports will be presented at the State Conference.

The State Historian reported the Americana Collection fund contributions from 27 chapters totaled \$379.11.

The State Treasurer, Mrs. Kessler, reported \$449.61, Americana Collection fund contributions, sent to the Treasurer General before January 31, 1964, and an additional \$38.00 after January 31, 1964.

Because the 1963 State Conference voted to accept the recommendation from the Board of Management, that \$1000.00 be secured (raised) by KSDAR during this Administration for the Americana Collection fund through voluntary contributions, Mrs. Ralston requested permission from the Executive Committee when giving her report at the State Conference to ask for pledges, to be made in writing, for the balance of the \$1000.00 of the Americana Collection fund. Unanimous consent was given by the Executive Committee.

The State Recording Secretary, Mrs. HoBart Frederick, reported a gift to be used by the Recording Secretary has been presented to the Kansas Society by a prominent member who wishes to remain anonymous. The gift—Motion Cards. All motions made at this Executive Committee meeting, Board of Management meeting and State Conference will be written on the Motion Cards with the signature of the mover and seconder. The cards will be placed in the permanent files. However, due to a delay in arrival, Index Cards, will be used and same will be affixed to the Motion Cards when received.

The State Librarian, Mrs. Guy D. Josserand, read a letter explaining the Renovation of the National Library which will cost approximately \$100,000.00 Mrs. Josserand moved the Executive Committee of Kansas Society, DAR recommend to the Board of Management that we support the Library Expansion project honoring President General, Mrs. Robert V. H. Duncan, by contributing 60c per member on a voluntary or chapter basis as recommended by the National Society. Seconded by Mrs. Harry Ives, Carried.

The State Registrar, Mrs. Ives, reported a net loss of 85 members; 1 chapter disbanded. The State Registrar stated the need for the United States Zip Code Book and the Kansas Zip Code Book in her office work. Approximate cost \$4.00. Mrs. Ives moved that two Zip Code Books, one of the United States and one of Kansas, be purchased by the Kansas Society. Seconded by Mrs. J. R. Henning. Carried.

Mrs. Ives gave the newest Supplement for the 1961 Directory to each member. The State Regent reported that information which appears in the Supplement for the Directory can now be published in the DAR News. Miss Cowger showed a sample copy. By unanimous consent of the Executive Committee the procedure for printing the next Supplement will be to publish the information in the next issue of the Kansas DAR News. This procedure will be used for one Supplement. Mrs.Ives suggested printing the return address on the Kansas DAR News once a year (increase in postage) for a check to see if the new mailing list is successful. After discussion a decision was made to continue the present procedure for a longer period.

The State Treasurer requested all contributions remitted for the National Library Project be earmarked "for National Library."

The State Regent reported the Wellington Chapter has sent notice to disband. The members dues are paid until December 31, 1964. The Wellington Chapter will be officially disbanded at the December 1964, National Board of Management Meeting.

The State Recording Secretary read a bid for printing the 1964 Proceedings from the Golden Rule Press, Hutchinson, Kansas. March 6, 1964. 250 Proceedings, DAR, 224 pages and cover (style and sample of paper and ink same as the 65th Proceedings) \$830.00. All picture cuts included also 2-color American Flag. Over or under 224 pages add or deduct \$3.60 per page. Signed: Eric O. Ramquist, Golden Rule Press, 112 West Sherman, Hutchinson, Kansas. The same firm printed the 1963 Proceedings. The State Regent read a bid from the Kancen Printing Company, Salina, Kansas, After discussion Mrs. Lewis Kessler moved the Kansas Society, DAR accept the bid of the Golden Rule Press of \$830.00 for 250 copies, Proceedings, \$3.60 per page for over or under 224 pages. Seconded by Mrs. Ives. Upon request the following statement to go on record was made by Mrs. Bill Smith, State Reporter, "As an officer of the Kansas State Society, I believe, I have the obligation to speak to the question. We should pursue the least expensive bid submitted provided end result is the same." Motion Carried. YES votes-5. NO votes-1.

Mrs. Ralston showed the book **DAR Story**, by Martha Strayer. Price \$3.30. Address, 419 New Jersey Ave., S. E. Washington 3, D. C.

Miss Cowger reported the National Society, DAR 75th Birthday Anniversary is Oct. 1965. Projects commemorating the Diamond Jubilee will begin October 1964. She suggested Kansas contributions to the project could be members present gifts to the National Museum. The gifts must go through the Kansas Society, DAR Museum Chairman, Mrs. Theo Stebbins. In addition an appropriate gift would be each chapter secure at least two new members.

Announcements made by the State Regent included seating arrangements at the two head tables during State Conference; and the plans of the Spring Pilgrimage to the Eisenhower Center, Abilene, Kansas, April 29.

Because of the sudden death on March 6, of Paul R. Greenlease, husband of our Vice-Regent, Miss Cowger went to Kansas City on March

7, to pay the respects of our Society and her own personal high regard and sympathy and affection to the bereaved family. The Kansas Society sent flowers.

Meeting adjourned at 5:00 p. m.

Approved as corrected by Executive Committee...

Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Recording Secretary

## BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

The Board of Management meeting of the Kansas Society, Daughters of the American Revolution met in the Green Room of the Broadview Hotel, Wichita, Kansas, on Monday, March 9, 1964. The meeting was called to order at 9:10 a. m. by the State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger. The State Chaplain, Mrs. J. R. Henning, gave the invocation. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. J. R. Henning, followed with the singing of the National Anthem.

The State Regent extended Greetings. The State Corresponting Secretary, Mrs. J. R. Uphoff, read the Call of the Meeting. Mrs. W. E. Crawford, Insignia Chairman, was appointed Parliamentarian in the absence of the State Parliamentarian, Mrs. Chester Davis.

The State Regent, Miss Cowger, said that sincere love and sympathy is extended to our State Vice Regent, Mrs. Paul Greenlease, through the passing of her husband.

The roll was taken and those present were: 9 State Officers, 25 Chapter Regents and 3 Chapter Vice Regents

The minutes of the October 25, 1963, Board of Management meeting were read and approved as read.

The State Treasurer, Mrs. Lewis H. Kessler, explained the importance of filing Form 990 A with the Internal Revenue Office, Wichita. She advised the forms can also be secured from the Internal Revenue Office in Kansas City, Kansas.

The State Recording Secretary, Mrs. HoBart Frederick, reported a gift to be used by the Recording Secretary has been presented to the Kansas Society by a prominent member who wishes to remain anonymous. The gift—Motion Cards. All motions made at the Executive Committee meeting, Board of Management meeting and the State Conference sessions will be written on Motion Cards with the signatures of the mover and seconder. The cards will be placed in the permanent files. However due to a delay in arrival, Index Cards will be used and same will be affixed to the Motion Cards when received.

The State Registrar, Mrs. Harry Ives, stated Supplements are available here at the Conference to all who own a 1961 Directory. Mrs. Ives reported a net loss of 85 members, 1 chapter disbanded.

The State Librarian, Mrs. Guy D. Josserand, reported on the renovating of the National Library in honor of the President General, Mrs. Duncan. Approximate cost \$100,000.00. Mrs. F. E. Blaser, member of the KSDAR Library, advised Chapter Regents to think in terms of 65c per member instead of the \$100,000.00.

Mrs. Josserand moved the Board of Management recommend that KSDAR supports the library expansion project honoring President General, Mrs. Robert V. H. Duncan, by contributing 65c per member on a voluntary or chapter basis as recommended by the National Society. Seconded by Mrs. L. Ralph Miller. Carried.

The State Historian, Mrs. Ralph Ralston, reported less than \$500.00 of the \$1000.00 the 1963 State Conference voted for the Americana Collection Fund had been raised. She stated with approval of the Executive Committee pledging will be done at State Conference to raise the balance.

The Conference Marshall, Mrs. Bertram Lempenau, announced the instructions for the Processional and handed out copies of the seating arrangement to members who will be seated at the two head tables during the Conference.

The American Music Chairman, Mrs. Carl Biegert, announced the State Chorus will meet in the Rose Room following the Memorial Service.

The State Regent introduced Honorary State Regent, Mrs. W. H. von der Heiden.

The ByLaws Chairman, Mrs. Roscoe Graves, read the corrections on the printed Proposed Amendments to the Kansas Society, DAR By-Laws.

The Flag of the United States of America Chairman, Mrs. Brook L. Haines, reported the wooden flag poles (of light weight) are almost impossible and the spears on the present poles could not be used. The long poles presently used are to prevent the flags from touching the floor. She further stated for the present the Society will continue to use the present flag poles and the project to purchase new ones has been laid aside for the time being. A small Flag Display is at the exhibit table.

The Insignia Chairman, Mrs. W. E. Crawford, encouraged members to purchase the Kansas Bar and to order directly from J. E. Caldwell & Co., official jewelers NSDAR.

The State Regent asked each member to talk with their city and school librarians requesting they vote to have the DAR Magazine listed in The Readers Guide To Periodical Literature.

The Eisenhower Center Chairman, Mrs. Robert H. Chesney, announced the Spring Pilgrimage to the Eisenhower Center will be April 29, 1964, Abilene, Kansas. Mrs. Chesney extended to chapters a personal invitation to attend the Pilgrimage by giving each member present a picture post card of the Pylons.

The DAR Schools Chairman, Mrs. L. O. Gaddis, read the requirements needed by the Kate Duncan Smith School to become an accredited school. She stated financial aid is needed and urged the chapters to contribute more money to the school.

The State Regent, Miss Cowger, stated her request for a motion that all orders drawn on the Treasurer be issued in duplicate. \* Also that the Recording Secretary must countersign all the orders signed by the State Regent. (Ref. KSDAR ByLaw, Article VI, Sec. 5, a).

Following discussion the State Recording Secretary stated all properly drawn orders had been countersigned and that all properly drawn

orders will be countersigned by the Recording Sceretary. After further discussion Mrs. L. O. Gaddis moved the ByLaws be followed. Seconded. Motion LOST. Yes votes—11. No votes—18.

Mrs. Robert H. Cheoney moved the Board of Management recommend to the Conference that Kansas Society, DAR have as a part of the NSDAR Diamond Jubilee the purchase of Lady Figure for 18th Century costuming in the National Museum honoring our State Regent, Miss Pauine Cowger, at a cost of \$160.00. Seconded by Mrs. Hugh Cloninger. Carried.

The State Treasurer, Mrs. Lewis H. Kessler, reported the Finance (Budget) Committee meeting was held with three members and State Regent attending. The Proposed Budget Kansas Society, DAR 1964-1965 was read. Mrs. Kessler moved the Board of Management accept the budget and that they recommend that the State Conference adopt the Budget as presented. Seconded by Mrs. Hugh Cloninger. Carried.

Announcements made by the State Regent included: Continental Congress; the NSDAR Diamond Jubilee and the program of the State Conference.

Meeting adjourned.

Approved as corrected by Executive Committee.

\*The issuance of orders in triplicate has been the policy of the Kansas Society, DAR for many years.

Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Recording Secretary

### FINANCIAL REPORT

State Conference, Wichita, Kansas March 9, 10, 11, 1964

## RECEIPTS

State Treasurer\$	
Registrations	279.00
Meal Reservations	
Refunds	13.25
Courtesy Com 8.70	
Decorations 4.55	

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#### DISBURSEMENTS

Room Courtesy	30.00
Corsages	50.00
Favors (Key Chains)	15.35
Tea Expense (Ewers)	50.00
Supplies — Registration	5.34
Supplies — Meal Reservation Com	2.95
Decorations (Table)	33.58
Hotel Broadview	1843.85
Flowers	26.66
Picture	3.00
Flowers for Press, candy and tip	13.75
Postage	2.50
Dorothy Lucas (Misc. Exp.)	46.94

Moe's House of Printing	76.80	
Fenner Duplicating	22.43	
Resolution Com	17.00	
Pauline Cowger (Misc. Exp.)	154.12	\$2394.27
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BALANCE		168.13
To State Treasurer		168.13
BALANCE May 15, 1964		none

## CHAPTER REGENTS CLUB

The Kansas Chapter Regents Club met Wednesday morning, March 11, 1964, at 7:00 for breakfast in the Rose Room of Hotel Broadview in Wichita, Kansas.

Mrs. C. Y. Semple, president, called the meeting to order.

Pledge of allegiance to the Flag of United States of America was led by Mr. Howard Haines.

Meditations were given by Mrs. H. A. Richeson.

Mrs. Semple introduced the special guests, including Mr. Howard Haines. Mrs. H. A. Richeson, founder of the club, gave a short history on how the club was organized. Mrs. John Peak of Polly Ogden Chapter, who has served as Regent for nine years and only elected once.

Mrs. C. G. McKinney welcomed the members and their guests.

All members present introducted themselves and their guests. There were eleven who were attending for the first time.

Mrs. Earl Foy presented the program, a serious but highly entertaining talk on "Be Strong and of Good Courage."

A business meeting was held and the following business transacted: The minutes of the 1963 meeting was read and approved as read. The treasurer's report was given.

It was moved, seconded and carried that the bills for breakfast be allowed.

Correspondence was read from Mrs. Riggs of Liberal, Kansas, Miss Cowger and Mrs. Josserand.

It was moved, seconded and carried to give	
Americana Collection Fund	\$10.00
NSDAR Library Improvement Fund	. 10.00
Figure for museum in honor of our State Regent	. 5.00

The election of officers was held with the following chosen to serve for 1964-1965: President Mrs. C. G. McKinney, Vice-President Mrs. Howard Haines, Secretary Mrs. C. C. Youse and Treasurer Mrs. Carl D. Biegert.

The meeting was adjourned by Mrs. Semple.

Mrs. James E. Miller, Recording Secretary

### STATE OFFICERS CLUB

The twenty-seventh annual meeting of the Kansas Officers Club was held in the Green Room, Broadview Hotel, Wichita, 7:00 a. m., March 11, 1964. Twenty-five members were present.

Mrs. P. R. Pinegar, Chaplain opened the meeting with devotions. Mrs. Elmer Huffman, president, presided. Officer's reports were given, with Mrs. Pinegar serving as secretary pro tem in the absence of Mrs. L. B. Naylor.

Mrs. Harry Ives was welcomed and duly initiated.

Mrs. Robert Chesney entertained with a splendid commentary on "Women." Little girl pictures of the members were identified and admired.

In honor of deceased members, Mrs. Esther Kirkpatrick and Miss Stella B. Haines, it was voted to give \$8.25 each to the project "Americana" and to the current improvement of the DAR National Museum.

The following officers were elected for 1964-1965: President Mrs. W. H. von der Heiden, 1st Vice President Mrs. R. V. Shrewder, 2nd Vice President Mrs. R. W. Pearson, 3rd Vice President Mrs. Forast Beal, Recording Secretary Mrs. Harry Ives, Treasurer Mrs. Ralph Ralston, Reporter Mrs. Bill Smith and Historian Mrs. Walter Chaney.

### STATE CHAIRMANS CLUB

The State Chairmans Club met in the Green Room of the Broadview Hotel, Wichita, Kansas, at 7:00 A. M. on March 10, 1964 for breakfast.

The President, Mrs. R. W. Pearson, presided and called the meeting to order; each member then introduced herself, giving committee assignment and her Chapter.

The invocation was given by Mrs. J. R. Henning, State Chaplain.

Miss Pauline Cowger, State Regent, was a special guest.

The lovely table decorations were made in DAR colors and attached to the place cards were handmade bookmarks, all the work of Mrs. Pearson.

Mrs. Carl D. Biegert, State Chairman of American Music played her auto-harp and sang a group of songs. "He's got the whole world in His hands," "I am just a weary Pilgrim" and "I gave my love a cherry with no stone" and then led the group in singing a few familiar numbers.

Mrs. Chesney read a poem from "Love Letters of Phyllis McGinley." Minutes of March 8, 1963 meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer reported after the 1963 program a few decorations were sold which gave her a balance of \$20.34 at the beginning of the year. Bills for postage and miscellaneous expense were presented and approved.

A gift of \$20.00 was voted for Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Historian General for her project.

Election of officers for 1964-1965 resulted in: President Miss Lena Smith, 1st Vice President Mrs. Robert Chesney, 2nd Vice President Mrs. Howard G. Doyle, Secretary Mrs. E. C. Owen and Treasurer Mrs. J. O. Carter.

Mrs. Pearson thanked the officers for their assistance in handling detail for the meeting and Mrs. Chesney for arranging the program.

The Treasurer announced a balance of \$36.36 on hand after bills were paid.

The new officers were presented and all joined hands to sing "God Be With You 'Till We Meet Again."

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 A. M. to meet in March, 1965.

Members attending the Breakast were: Mrs. Carl D. Biegert, Mrs. Pearl N. Bottomley, Mrs. J. O. Carter, Mrs. Robert H. Chesney, Miss Pauline Cowger, Mrs. W. E. Crawford, Mrs. Howard G. Doyle, Mrs. Mayme Farmer, Mrs. Garland P. Ferrell, Mrs. H. H. Fowler, Mrs. HoBart Frederick, Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie, Mrs. Brook L. Haines, Mrs. Howard W. Haines, Amy E. Hall, Mrs. J. R. Henning, Mrs. Mollie Cloud Huston, Mrs. Harry M. Ives, Mrs. Claude B. Jurney, Mrs. Lewis Kessler, Mrs. Otto Lutes, Mrs. Tillie Karns-Newman, Mrs. W. M. Ostenberg, Mrs. E. C. Owen, Mrs. R. W. Pearson, Mrs. Ralph Ralston, Mrs. H. E. Richeson, Mrs. Lucille Rust, Mrs. Wayne F. Shaw, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Miss Lena Smith, Mrs. Homer Smith, Mrs. E. H. Snider, Mrs. O. M. Stansbury, Mrs. Theo Stebbins and Mrs. C. W. Wheeler.

Amy E. Hall, Recording Secretary

## ATTENDING CONTINENTAL CONGRESS

Pauline Cowger, Regent KSDAR

Your State Regent left Salina via plane early Thursday morning, April 16th, and arrived at Friendship Airport, Baltimore via Jet soon after 1 PM—recalling the hour change in time. Then, it requires about an hour to get into Washington, and eventually to the hotel—but some of the rooms were not yet made up so it was well after 4 PM before one had her room assignment. Others from different states who had the same problem had a nice visit in the lobby.

Friday morning at 7:30 we had coffee in the office of the Organizing Secretary General, Mrs. Harris—for a workshop on membership, organizations and chapter dues—which was most beneficial.

At 9:30 was the National Officers Club Business Meeting, and here Kansas was especially pleased to have our member, Mrs. Roy V. Shrewder, Honorary State Regent, and a Vice President General elected as President of that Club for the next two years.

After lunch the time was taken with errands for our Chapters and members in Kansas. Names of the newly confirmed members were copied, as also names of Chapters where the papers have been delayed.

Late afternoon there was an "acquainted" party—hostess being Mrs. H. Howell Bond, State Regent of Hawaii. Then we all went to the Madi son Hotel for the State Regents Dinner, and discussion.

Saturday began with the National Board of Management meeting, and that evening the National Officers Club had their dinner and program at the Mayflower Hotel.

Sunday 7:20 breakfast seemed early-we attended the Chaplain General's Breakfast and then made the pilgrimage for wreath laying and

ceremonies at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier—and to Mt. Vernon for George and Martha Washington. Our DAR Memorial Service was held that afternoon in Constitution Hall for those 3706 members joining the Chapter Eternal. White Carnations were placed in the greenery of a large cross, and after a terrific rain shower, was moved to the Founders Monument. Our Mrs. John W. Kirkpatrick was specially mentioned along with other National officers.

Those attending Continental Congress from Kansas were: Mrs. J. D. Britt, Arthur Barrett; Mrs. Wayne Shaw, Betty Washington; Mrs. C. C. Perkins, Betty Washington; Mrs. Samuel H. Riggs, Byrd Prewitt; Mrs. L. W. McKeehen, Capt. Jesse Leavenworth; Mrs. Theodora Stebbins, Dana; Mrs. Isabel Giulvezan, Dana; Miss Lucina Jones, Emporia; Mrs. Ralph J. Pryor, Eunice Sterling, Mrs. Louis H. Grieb, Mrs. J. H. Spines and Mrs. Jack V. Meyer, all of Eunice Sterling; Mrs. J. C. Harper, Miss. Katherine Harper and Mrs. R. V. Shrewder, all of Ft. Supply Trail; Mrs. Howard Doyle, Hannah Jameson; Mrs. Floyd Fugate, Mrs. W.E. Crawford. Mrs. J. Harmon Rupe and Mrs. L. B. Naylor, all of James Ross; Mrs. Lewis W. Warren and Mrs. Brook Haines, both from John Haupt; Mrs. Paul H. White and Daughter, Martha Loving Ferrell; Miss Pauline Cowger, Mrs. H. N. Moses and Mrs. W. M. Ostenberg, all from Mary Wade Strother; Mrs. Emil S. Lindquist, Mrs. Bill E. Smith and Mrs. J. W. MacConkey, all from Minisa; Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie, Mrs. L. R. Eichem and Mrs. L. H. Kessler, all from Mission Hills, Mrs. Paul Trees, Peleg Gorton; Katharine Healey, Randolph Loving; Mrs. Guy Albright, Mrs. G. B. Sekavec and Mrs. H. G. Underwood, all from Sarah Steward; Mrs. John W. McGuire and Mrs. E. C. Owen, both from Shawnee; Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Sterling; Mrs. James E. Miller and Mrs. C. E. Brock, both from Tomahawk; Mrs. H. A. Van Doren and Mrs. Bertram Lempenau, both from Topeka; Mrs. C. W. Wheeler, Mrs. V. E. McArthur and Mrs. James T. Lewis, all from Uvedale; Mrs. Herman D. Ewers and Mrs. Robert H. Chesney, both from Wichita and Mrs. A. P. Fonda, Wyandot.

For the Kansas luncheon special, guests of your Rogent were Mrs. Frank Carlson and Mrs. James Pearson, wives of our U. S. Senators, and Mrs. Robert Dole, wife of her Congressman. Mrs. Walter E. Diggs, State Regent of Missouri and Mrs. H. H. Selleck, State Regent of Nebraska. Other Kansas Congressmen's wives were Mrs. Garner Shriver, guest of Mrs. J. D. Britt; Mrs. Joseph Skubitz, guest of Mrs. Howard Doyle; and Mrs. Wm. H. Avery, guest of Mrs. L. H. Kessler. Mrs. Walter G. Dick, Regent of Texas (installed April 23) was guest of Mrs. Bert Lempenau. Mrs. George L. Miller, Regent of Colorado Springs Chapter and former Kansas Society member of Eunice Sterling and Hannah Jameson visited us, as did Mrs. Thurmul F. McMahan, a member-at-large. Others were two guests of Mrs. Alda R. Grieb, Mrs. Marie Sekavec of Brownell, Mrs. Frank Muehlbauer and Mrs. Kemper of Missouri, Mrs. Allen R. Wrenn.

Committee for the Kansas Luncheon: Mrs. Isabel Giulvezan, Mrs. Howard Doyle, Mrs. L. B. Naylor, Mrs. H. G. Underwood and Mrs. J. D. Britt.

The luncheon tables were beautifully decorated with white carnations, tied with red-white blue ribbon, which was a corsage and as we left the table, each wore one. Honor Roll Awards were distributed to those chapters represented at the luncheon, and for those not present, they were placed in the mail that evening. Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Honorary State Regent, and Historian General gave the invocation. Mrs. R. V. Shrewder was the only other Honorary State Regent and a Vice President General present. We congratulate Mrs. Shrewder upon her election as President of the National Officers Club.

Information from the National Board of Management, and plans for the next few days of Continental Congress were reported by the State Regent.

Favors from the Luncheon were three pencils—red, white and blue; a key holder in a nice plastic box with lettering Kansas DAR Luncheon, April 21, 1061, Mayflower Hotel and then our corsage of white carnation. 63 were at the luncheon. Later that afternoon the Committee met and made plans for Kansas 1965 function.

We were the guests of Congressman Bob Dole for breakfast at the Capital, at which Congressmen Joseph Skubitz and Garner Shriver also attended. Members were urged, and did ask these men relevant questions, and an interesting discussion developed. The Kansas Senators and Congressmen had provided passes for our members to visit the House and the Senate and a number took advantage of this privilege. Following the delicious breakfast, the group had their pictures taken on the Capital steps, and then hastened to Continental Hall for the morning session.

Husbands who accompanied their wives were Herman D. Ewers and Emil S. Lindquist.

The list of Chapters receiving Honor Roll recognitions will be included in the next issue of the DAR News. Our State Chairman states there have already been two additions, and that there may be more. Congratulations to all our Kansas Chapters. Five Chapters attained the full fourteen points: Eunice Sterling, Mary Wade Strother, Mission Hills, Topeka and Wichita. President General Mrs. Duncan greeted the Regent of the 123 Chapters in the 50 states who attained this goal, in her Reception Room following the Thursday evening session.

Wednesday afternon the National Board of Management, some 200 of us were received at a Tea at the White House by Mrs. Lyndon Johnson, wife of the President of the United States of America. While we were at the Tea, the other 2,800 members were transported by bus to the National Gallery of Art for special lecture and viewing, and to the Americana Section of the new building at the Smithsonian Institution with special attention to the "Wives of the Presidents."

By arrangement of Congessman Dole, the Kansas delegation was again privileged to have a special tour and lecture through the White House at 8 AM, which was most interesting, and gives one a deeper appreciation of this Constitutional Ropublic, and those who have served as Leader through the years.

The Program of the Congress was most interesting speakers included Senator Harry Byrd; Dr. George S. Benson, President of Harding College, Searcy, Arkansas; Honorable Ben Reifel, Congressman from South Dakota (an Indian from the Rosebud Reservation); Honorable Fred Schwengel, Congressman from Iowa; and Mr. John Mack Carter, Editor of McCall Magazine. The reports of the Officers, Chairmen, and State Regents gave us vital information and useful suggestions. The sessions were crowded into four days with the National Lunchcon on Friday noon. Commont was heard that next year we would probably revert to the five day program.

Theme for the coming year is taken from Daniel 11:32, "The people who know their God shall stand firm and take action." Indeed this is a command to each of us—and there is much action needed.

Mary Wade Strother Chapter sent aprons to the National Junior Membership Bazaar.

Kansas received two special recognitions. A Certificate of Award for Attainment to the Americanism and DAR Manual Committee in the South Central Division. Mrs. E. Carruth Owen, State Chairman, accepted this Certificate. And Dana Chapter sponsored Pam Armstrong, who is an eighth grade winner in the South Central Division, for her American History Month essay. That award was a historical book, "The Rainbow Book of American History" with the Dana Chapter Regent, Mrs. Theodora Stebbins took to Pam.

A short time was allotted for pledging for the renovation of the Library—honoring our President General. Keeping in mind action taken at our State Conference, your State Regent voiced a pledge for the Kansas Society.

Many members and your State Regent attended the special work shops, as could be fitted into the schedule. Other members were busy at the Library.

Kansas members serving during the Congress were: House Committee, Mrs. Bertram Lempenau, Mrs. L. B. Naylor and Mrs. L. R. Eichen; Credentials Committee, Mrs. Roy V. Shrewder; Resolution Committee, Mrs. L. H. Kessler; Election Teller, Mrs. J. Harmon Rupe; Continental Congress Public Relations—(In the President General's Reception Room), Mrs. Bill E. Smith; Page, Mrs. James T. Lewis; Kansas Box Tickets, Mrs. Howard Doyle; Kansas Sunflowers, Katherine Harper; Vesper Services, Mrs. Robt. H. Chesney and Kansas members and Kansas Luncheon, Mrs. Isabel Giulvezan, Mrs. Howard Doyle, Mrs. J. D. Britt, Mrs. L. B. Naylor and Mrs. H. G. Underwood.

Each day during Congress, at 4 PM, a Vesper service was held in the Chapel. A special "In Remembrance" to our deceased Honorary Vice President General, Mrs. John W. Kirkpatrick, which included "The Prayor for Poace" was handed to each person visiting the Chapel during that week. Kansas members were hostesses.

Through the inspirational reports to the 25 Kansas Chapters represented and from the Program Kits mailed to our other Chapters, we envision an exceptional year for the Kansas Society.

Following the National Regulations—after the adjournment of Congress—the newspapers carried the announcement of candidates for National office—election to be at the 1965 session. Kansas is especially honored that Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn is listed as a candidate for First Vice President General. And since returning home a formal statement of candidates has been received.

Mrs. Kilbourn led the Assemblage in the singing of the National Anthem at the Monday night session, and at the Thurday evening Session.

After the Luncheon Friday noon, 24 Kansans went up to the New York World's Fair, where the Flag of the United States of America was dedicated, and unfurled on Saturday morning—President General, Mrs. Robert V. H. Duncan spoke. Mrs. Kilbourn led the group in singing the National Anthem. Kansans attending were: Mrs. E. C. Owen, Mrs. James Miller, Mrs. W. M. Ostenberg, Mrs. J. C. Harper, Katherine Harper, Mrs. Ralph Pryor, Mrs. Roscoe Gillaspie, Mrs. Wayne F. Shaw, Mrs. Wm. E. Crawford, Mrs. Floyd Fugate, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lindquist, Mrs. Bill E. Smith, Mrs. Robert H. Chesney, Mrs. C. E. Brock, Mrs. John McGuire, Mrs. Howard N. Moses, Mrs. Paul Trees, Mrs. B. J. Lempenau, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Kilbourn, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ewers and Pauline Cowger. The ceremony was, indeed, a solemn and reverent occasion and we were indeed privileged to be a part of the 1200 members of the National Society who were present.

Your Regent was pleased with the exceptional cooperation and interest, with the reports of accomplishments which made possible an outstanding report for Kansas, and for the many courtesies and attentions. Those attending Congress presented her with a gold DAC charm for her bracelet. Thank you all so much.

#### HONOR ROLL CHAPTERS

## Pauline Cowger

President General's Citation—acquiring all 14 points: Eunice Sterling, Mary Wade Strother, Mission Hills, Topeka and Wichita.

Acquiring the Star citation—with 13 points were Dana, Esther Lowrey, Hannah Jameson, Shawnee and Tomahawk.

Gold Honor Roll-William Wilson Chapter.

Silver Honor Roll: Atchison, Betty Washington, Byrd Prewitt, Dodge City, Flores del Sol, Fort Larned, Martha Loving Ferrell, Martha Vail, Minisa, Olathe, Polly Ogden and Randolph Loving.

Honorable Mention: Arthur Barrett, Council Oak, Emporia, Fort Supply Trail, General Edward Hand, Henry Dawson, Isabella Weldin, Jane Dean Coffey, John Haupt, Lois Warner, Nathan Edson and Sterling.

Mission Hills has been on the Gold Honor Roll for three years, and Shawnee has been on the Gold Honor Roll for six years.

## HONOR ROLL KANSAS SOCIETY DAR

## Pauline Cowger, State Regent

## NORTHEAST DISTRICT

(From 1953 to 1964, inclusive)

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## SOUTHWEST DISTRICT

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Martha Loving Ferrell					3	2	3	2	3	2	2
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Emporia					2	3	3	3	2	3	1
Goodland								2		2	
Henry Dawson						2	3	1		2	1
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## KANSAS STATE SOCIETY CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

#### C.A.R. CREED

I believe in the Children of the American Revolution as an organization for training of boys and girls in true patriotism and love of Country, in order that they shall be better fitted for American citizenship.

As a descendant of the Founders of my Country I believe that my birthright brings a responsibility to carry on their work, and that as the boys and girls of 1776 took an active part in the War for Independence, so that boys and girls of today have a definite work to do for their Country.

As a member of the Children of the American Revolution, I believe it is my duty to use my influence to create a deeper love of Country, a loyal respect for its Constitution, and a reverence for its Flag, among the children with whom I come in contact.

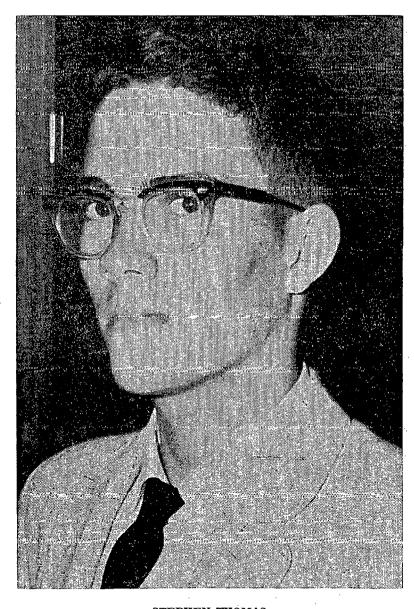
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### C. A. R. SONG

We're members of the C. A. R.
A great and mighty band,
We pledge our might
For the cause of right
For home and native land.

## CHORUS

We love thee Old Glory. And we ever strive to be Most worthy descendants Of worthy ancestry We love thee Old Glory And our hearts are staunch and true We love each stripe and ev'ry star Of our Flag, red, white and blue. Those great and noble patriots Offered up their blood To save a new born nation From a cruel tyrants rod. The blue calls out to us, "Be true" The white calls out, "Be pure" The red, Be brave, Their blood they gave, That this land might endure."



STEPHEN THOMAS
Great Bend, Kansas
President C. A. R.
Rebecca Moore Odell Society



RAE JEAN BRINKOETER
Wichita, Kansas
National Chairman, Gadby's Tavern, N. S. C. A R.
Sunflower Society



MRS. ROY BECK
Wichita, Kansas
Senior National Vice President
Northwestern Region

## NATIONAL OFFICERS

National President
Senior National President Mrs. W. Earle Hawley, Connecticut
National Vice President, Northwestern Region. Ann Brinkoeter, Wichita
Senior National Vice President, Northwestern Region
Mrs. Roy Beck, Wichita, Kansas

## STATE OFFICERS 1963-64

President	Stephen Thomas, Great Bend
Vice President	DeeAnn Dunn, Dodge City
Chaplain	Martha Muncy, Dodge City
Secretary	Rae Jean Brinkoeter, Wichita
Treasurer	Pamela Kratzer, Wichita
Registrar	Mary Quay, Overland Park
Historian	Carol Woodruff, Wichita
Color Bearers. Marian Chamber,	Wichita and Thomas Moses, Great Bend

## SENIOR STATE OFFICERS 1963-64

President	
Vice President	Mrs. R. W. Brinkoeter, Wichita
Chaplain	Mrs. Bernhardt Schreiner, Douglass
Secretary	Mrs. Roy Beck, Wichita
Treasurer	Mrs. Lee F. Trapp, Wichita
Registrar	Mrs. Norman S. Quay, Overland Park
Historian M	rs. L. B. Naylor, Kansas City, Kansas
State Chairman Financial Aid	Mrs. W. H. Miller, Topeka

## STATE CHAIRMEN

American Indians	Billy Woodruff, Wichita
American Literature	
American Music	Mary Heter, Sterling
	Ford Royer, Hastings, Nebr.
C. A. R. Grandmothers	Roberta Chambers, Wichita
	Douglas Smith, Dodge City
	Susan Naylor, Kansas City
	Thomas Moses, Great Bend
Gadsby's Tavern	Sandra Harper, Ashland
	Cheryl Winne, Wichita
Membership	Jane Nichols, Kansas City, Mo.
Mountain Schools	Victoria Durr, Dodge City
National Merit AwardDe	onald MacConkey, Washington, D. C.
	Earl Moses III, Great Bend
Patriotic Education	Susan Weed, Shawnee Mission
Press Relations	Wm. Phillipi, Junction City
Program Material	Carolyn Thomas, Great Bend
Tomb of Unknown Rev. Soldier	Mona Dill, Sterling
	Margaret Hassig, K. C. K.

### SOCIETIES

BUFFALO, CORONADO, FRANCIS SCOTT KEY, JOEL ADAMS, LEAVENWORTH, REBECCA MOORE ODELL, SUNFLOWER, SUSANNAH OLDHAM, TOMAHAWK, WILLIAM BERRYMAN, WILLIAM RITTENHOUSE AND WYANDOT.

## SENIOR STATE PRESIDENT Mrs. L. A. Kunkel

The report of Kansas Society, Children of the American Revolution, shows twelve organized societies with a net membership of two hundred twenty nine. Loss reported, forty, five transfers to S. A. R., three transfers to DAR. New members fourteen. Two societies have made inquiry regarding disbandment procedure.

Expenditures include one page advertisement in March 1964 National Magazine, \$40.00; Report of the 18th Annual State Conference with two pictures in September 1963 National Magazine, \$30.00; Contribution to NW Regional Newsheet, \$10.00; Total amount of money contributed to National projects, \$40.40.

Four articles were contributed by various local societies and published in the March and December 1963 issues of the National Magazine. Clothing, coupons and cash were sent to Mountain Schools. Cach, clothing, jewelry and magazines were sent to St. Mary's Indian School.

The Nineteenth Annual State Conference will be held April 11, 1964, at Dodge City, Kansas with Buffalo Society as host. New officers will be elected and chairmen appointed. State awards will be made and the traveling flag, to the best state society according to the state merit award chairman, will be presented.

Kansas has been especially active in Patriotic Education throughout the year, with programs for and with sponsoring DAR Chapters, proclamations, newspaper publicity and school reports. The State C. A. R. Sunflower Special has been published three times, July, October and February with messages from State and Senior State President in each issue.

The Annual C. A. R.-DAR Breakfast held at the DAR State Conference March 9, 1964, carried a white carnation theme and Mrs. Roy Bcck, Sr. National Vice President, Northwestern Region, gave an eloquent talk stressing the importance of C. A. R. work.

Kansas Society is honored to have Ann Brinkoeter in nomination as National Assistant Organizing Secretary and Rae Jean Brinkoeter in nomination as National Vice President, Northwestern Region.

Plans to attend National Convention are being made by the State President, as well as a number of Kansas Society members. Donald MacConkey, member of Sunflower Society, will be Kansas Flag Bearer, as well as assisting the National Merit Award Chairman with a display.

### C. A. R.-DAR Breakfast

The annual C. A. R.—DAR Breakfast was held March 9, 1964 at the Broadview Hotel Guard Room. Having our annual Breakfast on the first morning of the DAR Conference was a departure from the customary second morning of the DAR Conference and as a result many, who planned to attend, had not arrived before the breakfast was over. The tables were beautifully decorated with red and white carnation center pieces highlighting the vining greenery and detailed by white carnation corsages tied with red, white and blue ribbons at each place.

Mrs. L. A. Kunkel, Senior State President, C. A. R. welcomed the small but distinguished group and introduced those in attendance. DAR State Regent, Miss Pauline Cowger and Mrs. HoBart Frederick, State DAR Secretary represented the Kansas DAR Board. Mrs. Roy L. Beck, Senior National Vice President Northwestern Region, representing the C. A. R. National Board, was a very informative and enthusiastic guest speaker.

Mrs. E. L. Wulfmeyer was introduced and Mrs. Kunkel announced that Mrs. Wulfmeyers' appointment as Senior State President, C. A. R. have been submitted to the April 1964 meeting of the Senior National Board of Management for confirmation. Those present expressed their regret that Mrs. Kunkel was not accepting re-appointment, but pledge their cooperation and support to Mrs. Wulfmeyer.

A Senior State C. A. R. Board Meeting followed conclusion of the C. A. R.—DAR Breakfast.

## KANSAS SOCIETY 19th ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE Larry Woodruff, Honorary State President

The 19th Annual State Conference of the Kansas Society, Children of the American Revolution was held April 11, 1964 in Dodge City, Kansas at the Silver Spur Motel. Buffalo Society, assisted by Dodge City Chapter DAR hosted the conference with Martha Muncy and Mrs. Frank Stauth, Jr. as general chairmen.

After the 9:00 AM member board meeting the processional of state officers, led by color bearers Thomas Moses and Marian Chambers and pages, Sharon and Carol Stauth, Suzanne Muncy and Jean Adams came to the rostrum.

Mrs. L. A. Kunkel, Senior State President gave the call to order and turned the gavel to Stephen Thomas, State President. The invocation was given by Martha Muncy, State Chaplain. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Thomas Moses. The National Anthem was led by Mrs. L. Ralph Miller and accompanied by Mrs. C. C. Youse at the piano. Douglas Smith led the C. A. R. Creed.

Welcomes to the conference and Dodge City were given by Victoria Durr and Mr. D. Miller of the Dodge City Chamber of Commerce. Response was by Stephen Thomas.

Distinguished guests introduced were Larry Woodruff, Honorary State President; Mrs. Roy Beck, Senior National Vice President Northwestern Region; Mrs. E. C. Moses, Past Senior National Vice President and Honorary Senior State President; Mrs. C. W. Hughes, Honorary Senior State President. Mrs. E. L. Wulfmeyer, in-coming Senior State President, was also introduced. Greetings and regrets were read from the National Presidents, Mary Huston Armstrong and Mrs. W. Earle Hawley. Regrets were noted from many other National and State officers in C. A. R., DAR and S. A. R.

Reports of state officers and chairmen were received and/or filed.

The report of the nominating committee was read by Larry Woodruff, and when the ballots were distributed the president asked for other nominations.

The nominations were closed and the tellers, Mrs. L. Ralph Miller, Mrs. E. L. Wulfmeyer and Mrs. C. C. Youse retired to tally the votes. The resolutions were read by the Chairman, Carol Woodruff who moved their adoption. They included cooperation and support of national Society aims and projects, as well as support of the campaigns of Ann and Rac Jean Brinkoeter who are in nomination for National Assistant Organizing Secretary and National Vice President Northwestern region, respectively. State awards and prizes to Wyandot, Rebecca Moore Odell and Sunflower Societies were announced by Mrs. E. C. Moses. Sunflower Society was adjudged best society by the State Merit Award chairman, Donald Mac Conkey, and received the Sunflower Traveling Flag award.

The report of the election tellers showed the 1061 65 officers to be: President, Martha Muncy; Vice President, Thomas Moses; Chaplain, Roberta Chambers; Secretary, Lynn Moses; Treasurer, Jean Adams; Registrar, Mary Quay; Historian, Penny Kratzer; 2 color bearers, DeAnn Dunn and Carol Woodruff; they were installed by Mrs. Roy L. Beck, Senior National Vice President, Northwestern Region.

A delightful luncheon followed adjournment, at tables decorated with red, white and blue carnations. The eleverly constructed rockets which concealed the nut cups complimented the ceiling-tall rocket, decorated with white carnations, which drew all eyes to the glittering banner proclaiming, "Our forefathers won the West, we will win Space." Rev. R. W. Treader, guest speaker, gave an interesting development of his subject, "The time is NOW." A film on National Defense "Minutes for Survival" was shown by Mr. Robert Ervin and was closely allied to the conference theme. A tour of Dodge City's famous Boot Hill and Museum brought to a close at 3:00 P. M. our visit to this historic Kansas town. All voted the 1964 State Conference "one of the best," while planning to meet again in 1965 at Kansas City, Kansas where the Wyandot and Tomahawk Societies will host the C. A. R. Conference.

## BY-LAWS of the KANSAS SOCIETY of the NATIONAL SOCIETY OF the DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

## ARTICLE I

#### Name

The name of this organization shall be The Kansas Society of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

## ARTICLE II Objects

The objects of the Kansas Society shall be to promote the objects of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, particularly in the State of Kansas:

- (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 American 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 according to our 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.

## ARTICLE III Membership

Section 1. The membership of the Kansas Society shall consist of the Chapters of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution in the State of Kansas.

Section 2. The State Recording Secretary shall enroll a Chapter newly confirmed by the National Society as a member of the Kansas Society upon receipt of the following information from the Chapter: name of Chapter, date of its organization, names of its officers and of its members.

## ARTICLE IV Officers

Section 1. The officers of the Kansas Society shall be State Regent, a State Vice Regent, a State Chaplain, a State Recording Secretary, a State Corresponding Secretary, a State Treasurer, a State Registrar a State Historian, a State Librarian and a State Reporter.

Section 2. (a) To be eligible for the office of State Regent and of State Vice Regent, a member of the National Society shall have held membership in a Chapter within this state for at least five years prior to her election and shall have served as an elected Chapter Regent. To be eligible for any other office in the State Society, a member of the National Society shall have held membership in a Chapter within the state for at least two years. No chapter member shall hold at the same time two offices carrying a vote at the State Conference. No state officer shall be eligible for two consecutive terms in the same office. An officer who has served more than a half a term shall be decemed to have served a term in that office. A member of the National Society who has served one term in any state office shall be ineligible for any other state office except that of State Regent or State Vice Regent until the expiration of at least one year.

(b) A Chapter shall not have more than one State Officer at a time except when it seems feasible for the State Regent and the Corresponding Secretary to be from the same Chapter.

Section 3. All officers shall be elected to serve for three years or until their successors are elected, and their term of office shall begin at the close of the Continental Congress at which the election of the State Regent and the State Vice Regent is confirmd.

Section 4. Should the office of State Regent become vacant, the State Vice Regent chall become State Regent automatically. A vacancy in any other office shall be filled by the State Board of Management until the next State Conference when the Conference shall fill the vacancy for the unexpired term.

Section 5. In recognition of valuable service to the Kansas Society, the title of Honorary State Regent may be conferred for life by a three fourths vote by ballot at the State Conference upon a member who has held the office of State Regent. Honorary office shall entitle the holder to a vote in the State Conference.

Section 6. Any State Officer absent from the State or incapacitated from carrying out her duties for a continuous period of six months or longer automatically relinquishes her position as a State Officer.

#### ARTICLE V

#### Nomination and Election of Officers

Section 1. All officers shall be elected at the State Conference in the year of the election of National Officers. The election shall be by ballot. A majority vote shall elect.

Section 2. There shall be a nominating committee which shall consist of five members, one elected from each of the four districts at

the regular District Meeting prior to the State election, and one member from the State at large who shall be elected at the Fall State Board Meeting and who shall serve as the Chairman.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the nominating committee, immediately after November first to notify all chapters of the impending election and the final date on which names of nominoes shall be accepted. The committee shall nominate a candidate for each office at the State Conference. Candidates shall be selected from all Districts of the State. Nominations may be made from the floor, provided the consent of the nominee has been obtained and the nominee has the endorsoment of her chapter, signed by the Chapter Regent and Secretary.

Section 4. The report of the nominating committee shall be sent to the Regent of each chapter and to all State Officers and State Chairmen on or before January fifteenth.

Section 5. Endorsement for candidates for Vice-President General shall be by ballot, and shall require a majority vote by the State Conference.

#### ARTICLE VI Duties of Officers

Section 1. The Officers of the Kansas Society shall perform the duties prescribed by these By-Laws, the By-Laws of the National Society and by the parliamentary authority adopted by the National Society.

Section 2. The State Regent shall preside at all meetings of the State Conference, the State Board of Management and the Executive Committee. She shall be the chief executive officer, and shall have general supervision of the affairs of the Kansas Society. appoint all committees not otherwise provided for in these by laws and shall be ex-officio a member of all committees except the nominating committee. She shall sign all orders drawn on the Treasurer. shall, with the assistance of the hostess Chapter's General Chairman, prepare the program for the State Conference. She shall record all changes in membership, sending to the State Treasurer all membership reports received from the National Society. She shall appoint a State Parliamentarian and a Consulting Genealogist. She shall, each year, immediately after the State Conference, send to each Chapter Regent the names and addresses of the State Chairmen of the National Committees and of any other appointments. She shall visit each Chapter in the Kansas Society at least once during her term of office.

Section 3. The State Vice Regent shall, in the absence or inability of the State Regent, perform the duties of that office.

Section 4. The State Chaplain shall conduct such religious services as occasion may require and shall with the aid of the State Registrar hold a Memorial service at each annual State Conference. Whenever possible, she shall communicate with members of the Kansaa Chapters who are ill or in distress.

Section 5. (a) The State Recording Secretary shall keep a record of the proceedings of the meetings of the Kansas Society, the State Board of Management and the Executive Committee. She shall notify State Officers, Committee Chairmen and Chapter Regents of any action taken at these meetings affecting their duties. She shall countersign all orders drawn on the State Treasurer and signed by the State Regent. She shall place on file all of the reports of State Officers, Committee Chairmen and Chapter Regents, and shall preserve such reports for a period of not less than three years.

(b) It shall be the duty of the State Recording Secretary to compile material for, edit and have published the Proceedings of the State Conference, with the assistance of a proofreading committee to be selected by the State Secretary. All proofs shall be approved by the State Regent before publication. The Secretary shall send the Proceedings to those specified in the Standing Rules, not later than three months after the State Conference. She shall keep a list of all chapters in each district and shall have this list published each year in the Proceedings.

Section 6. The State Corresponding Secretary shall notify all State Officers, committee chairmen of the Kansas Society, the Regent of each chapter in good standing, Honorary State Regents and the National officers whose membership is within the State, of the time of the State Conference, not less than sixty days previous to the day designated. She shall notify the State Officers and Delegates of any special meeting that may be called. She shall send out notices of meetings of the Board of Management and of the Eexcutive Committee at least thirty days prior thereto. She shall send before January first, three Credential Blank forms, and three forms for reporting Chapter officers to each Chapter Regent. She shall send to the Organizing Secretary General, each year, on or before the tenth day of March, a typewritten list of the names and addresses of the officers of the local chapters, made into a directory form. She shall send to each Chapter Regent before February fifteenth, State Conference registration cards for the Regent and elected delegates. shall notify each Chapter Regent to send, on a card, the name and address of the Chapter Chairmen to each respective State Committee Chairman. She shall attend to all the correspondence of the Kansas Society and shall assist the Regent in her official correspondence. Immediately after the State Conference, she shall send to each Chapter Regent a list of the newly elected State Officers with their addresses.

Section 7. The State Treasurer shall receive all funds of the Society and shall deposit them in such bank or banks as may be designated by the State Board of Management. She shall disburse these funds as directed by the State Board of Management or the Kansas Society upon orders signed by the State Regent and countersigned by the State Recording Secretary. She shall keep an itemized account of all receipts and expenditures, close the books on the 31st day of January and submit same for audit to a Certified Public Accountant in time to have the Auditor's report for the Annual State conference. She shall give bond for the

faithful discharge of her duties, the amount to be fixed and the expense to be borne by the Kansas Society. She shall be the custodian of all bonds, securities and other evidence of invested funds, and shall keep a separate account of all Student Loan Funds and receive payment of all Student Loan notes. Immediately after July first, she shall furnish a complete list of the members in good standing to the Registrar and shall record all changes reported to her by the State Regent from the reports received from the National Society. She shall send each year to the State Corresponding Secretary the number of members in each Chapter on February First.

Section 8. The State Registrar shall keep a card file of the names of all chapter members of the Kansas Society and, as far as possible, of members-at-large residing in Kansas. These records shall include name, including maiden name in full and if married, husband's name in full; address; date of admission to the National Society; National number; name of Chapter; name and rank of ancestor; colony or state and branch of service in which ancestor served. In January of each year, the State Registrar shall send blanks to the Chapter Registrars requiring an accurate report of all members who have been accepted, dropped, resigned, transferred, married or deceased during the preceding year. In recording a transfer, both the date of acceptance by the National Society and the date of transfer shall be given.

Section 9. The State Historian shall stimulate interest in the history of Kansas and shall direct such historical work as may be required by the State Society, or suggested by the National Society. She shall compile the annual report of the State Society for the Reporter General of the Smithsonian Institution and for the Historian General. Whenever possible, she shall attend such celebrations of historical events in the State of Kansas as may pertain especially to the period of the American Revolution. She shall keep a reference record of the documents and relics which may come into the possession of the Kansas Society. She shall keep on file a record of all historical markers and monuments erected by the Kansas Society.

Section 10. The State Librarian shall collect and preserve such books and papers as may be of historical and genealogical interest and value to the Daughters of the American Revolution. When possible, she shall send a duplicate copy of such books and papers to the Daughters of the American Revolution Library in Washington. She shall compile and keep up to date a list of all books belonging to the Kansas Society and shall keep a record of their location.

In her annual report she shall list all material sent to the National Society Library and all books, records and other material received during the year for the Kansas State Society. These lists shall be published in the Proceedings of the State Conference. She shall have the supervision of this collection of books and papers, such collection to be called the Kansas DAR Library.

Section 11. The State Reporter shall furnish articles concerning the activities of the Kansas Society to leading newspapers in this territory. She shall be chairman of the State Press Relations Committee and Chairman of the Conference Press Committee. She shall keep a copy of each article published, for the files and shall send monthly reports to the National Chairman of Publicity at Washington, D. C.

Section 12. Each Officer and Committee chairman, having in her possession properties of the Kansas Society shall list them and receive a transfer receipt for them when transferring them to her successor. She shall give a duplicate copy of this inventory to the State Regent elect.

# ARTICLE VII Meetings

- Section 1. The annual meeting of the Kansas Society shall be known as the State Conference and shall be held in March, unless otherwise ordered by the State Regent and the State Board of Management. This meeting shall be for the purpose of electing officers and of receiving reports of the State Officers, the State Board of Management, the District Directors, the Chapter Regents, and Chairmen of all Committees and for any other business that may arise,
- Section 2. The date and place of the State Conference shall be determined by the State Regent and the entertaining District.
- Section 3. The voting members of the State Conference shall be the State Officers; the National Officers and Honorary National Officers whose membership is within the state; the Honorary State Regents; the Chapter Regent; or in her absence the First Vice Regent or alternate and the elected delegates or alternates of each chapter of the State entitled to representation at the Continental Congress.
- Section 4. Delegates and alternates to the State Conference shall be elected by their respective Chapters. Delegates and alternates, except in the case of a Regent or First Vice Regent of a newly organized Chapter, shall have been members of their chapter for one year immediately preceding the State Conference to which they are elected and they shall be in good standing.
- Section 5. The number of delegates to which a Chapter is entitled to representation at the State Conference shall be based upon the number of members on the Chapter Roll, in good standing in the National Society, on the first day of February each year and shall be as follows:
  - (a) Chapters having less than fifty members, Regent and two delegates.
  - (b) Chapters having fifty members and not exceeding one hundred members, Regent and five delegates.
  - (c) Chapters having more than one hundred members, Regent and five delegates, with three delegates for each additional hundred.

Explanatory Table, Chapter Representation at Conference:

NSDAR—Representatives	Votes
12 to 49—Regent and two delegates	3
50 to 100—Regent and five delegates	6
100 and over—Regent and five delegates plus three	
delegates for every full hundred	6 plus

Section 6. The number of alternates elected by a chapter shall not exceed twice the number of delegates to which the chapter is entitled.

Section 7. Delegates and alternates to the State Conference shall be elected on or before the first day of February each year. Immediately after their election, the three Credential Blank forms for the delegates and alternates shall be filled in and signed by the Chapter Regent and Treasurer, and sent to the State Corresponding Secretary. Chapter Regents are authorized to fill vacancies in their delegations at the State Conference from duly elected alternates in the order designated by the chapter.

Section 8. Each member of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution who is a member in good standing of any chapter in the State of Kansas shall be entitled to be present at meetings of the State Conference.

Section 9. The State Conference shall grant the privileges of the floor, without vote, to the State Chairmen and District Directors if they are not duly elected delegates from their respective Chapters.

Section 10. Special meetings of the State Conference may be called by the State Regent and shall be called upon the written request of five chapters. At least fifteen days notice shall be given. The business to be transacted at any special meeting shall be limited to that mentioned in the call. The delegates and alternates elected for the State Conference shall be the delegates and alternates for any special meeting of the Kansas Society which may be held prior to the State Conference of the following year.

Section 11. Twenty-five voting members, of which twenty shall be Chapter representatives, shall constitute a quorum at any meeting of the Kansas Society.

## ARTICLE VIII State Board of Management

Section 1. The State Board of Management shall consist of the elected State Officers, the National Officers whose membership is within the State, the Chapter Regent or in her absence, the Chapter Vice Regent of each Chapter in the State.

Section 2. The Officers of the Kansas Society shall be the officers of the State Board of Management.

- Section 3. Regular meetings of the State Board of Management shall be held at the call of the State Regent, at least twice a year. One meeting shall be held in the Fall following the regular meeting of the National Board of Management and preceding the District meetings; the other meeting shall immediately precede the State Conference. At least thirty days notice of the time and place of meeting shall be given.
- Section 4. The State Board of Management shall have all power and authority over the affairs of the Kansas Society during the interim between meetings of the State Conference, excepting that of modifying any action taken by a regular or special meeting of the Kansas Society.
- Section 5. The State Board of Management shall have the power to fill any vacancies in the State Offices. Notice of such vacancy shall be given in the call for the meeting of the State Board. The vote shall be by ballot. The officers so elected shall hold office until the next State Conference when officers shall be elected in the usual manner for the unexpired term.
- Section 6. Special meetings may be called by the State Regent and shall be called upon the written request of seven voting members of the Board. No business shall be transacted except that specified in the call, which shall be given at least fifteen days prior thereto.
  - Section 7. Eleven voting members shall constitute a quorum.

### ARTICLE IX Executive Committee

- Section 1. All elected officers of the Kansas Society shall constitute the Executive Committee.
- Section 2. The Executive Committee shall meet at the call of the Regent or upon the written request of three of its members. Ten days notice of such meetings shall be given.
- Section 3. The State Board of Management may authorize the Executive Committee to perform such specific duties between meetings of the Board as the Board may from time to time deem advisable. The State Regent may consult the Executive Committee in emergencies requiring attention between meetings of the State Board of Management.

### ARTICLE X Finance

- Section 1. The fiscal year of the Kansas Society shall be from February first through January 31st.
- Section 2. The annual state dues of a Chapter in the Kansas Society shall be \$1.35 for each member of the Chapter, payable in advance.

These dues shall be sent to the State Treasurer on or before the first day of January. On January fifteenth, the State Treasurer shall notify Chapters whose dues are in arrears. A chapter whose dues are not paid by February first shall not be represented in the State Conference.

Section 3. Daughters of the American Revolution who attend the State Conference shall pay a registration fee of one dollar, such sum to be given to the hostess Chapters to defray Conference expenses. The amount remaining in this fund at the close of the State Conference shall be given to the State Treasurer to be deposited in the General Fund of the Kansas Society.

Section 4. Necessary expenses of the State Officers and State Committees shall be paid by the State Treasurer on the presentation of itemized statements in writing and approved by the State Regent and the State Recording Secretary.

## ARTICLE XI Committees

Section 1. A Finance Committee composed of the State Treasurer as Chairman, the State Recording Secretary and five members appointed by the State Regent shall consider requests for appropriations and shall prepare an annual budget to be submitted to the State Board of Management at its meeting preceding the State Conference. The budget, as approved by the State Board of Management shall then be presented to the State Conference for adoption. This committee may report to any meeting of the State Board of Management such recommendations with regard to the finances of the Kansas State Society as it may deem essential for the best interest of the Society.

Section 2. The Student Loan and Scholarship Committee, composed of a chairman and two members to be appointed by the Regent, shall supervise the Kansas DAR Student Loan and Scholarship Fund. This Fund is maintained by contributions from Chapters and individuals and the interest on money loaned. The interest from this fund shall be used annually for scholarships.

Section 3. The Printing and Stationery Committee composed of the State Recording Secretary as Chairman, the State Regent and State Vice Regent shall have charge of the printing of suitable stationery for the State Officers and Chairmen of Committees. This committee shall have charge of securing the proper supplies for the State Officers.

Section 4. The Credentials Committee composed of a Chairman and four members to be appointed by the State Regent from the membership of the hostess chapters shall have charge of the registration and checking of credentials at the State Conference. The State Corresponding Secretary and the State Treasurer shall act as advisors to this committee.

Section 5. The By-Laws Committee shall consist of a Chairman and two members, appointed by the State Regent, Amendments and reccommendations from the previous State Conference, the State Board of Management, the Executive Committee, or Chapters, shall be presented to this committee ninety days prior to the State Conference. This committee shall present to each chapter all such recommendations thirty days prior to the annual State Conference, and shall present such recommendations to the State Conference for action.

Section 6. The Resolutions Committee shall consist of a Chairman and four members appointed by the State Regent before the Fall meeting of the State Board of Management. Resolutions may be presented to this committee for consideration any time during the year. No resolutions shall be presented from the floor of the State Conference that have not previously been presented to the Committee, courtesy resolutions excepted.

Section 7. A Press Relations Committee composed of the State Reporter as Chairman and two members appointed by the State Regent shall prepare and distribute information for the press concerning patriotic and educational activities of the Kansas Society. This Committee shall be responsible for the preparation and mailing of the Kansas DAR News.

Section 8. Such other committees, standing or special, or such chairmen of committees, as are not otherwise provided for in these by-laws, shall be appointed by the State Regent as the Kansas Society shall authorize or as the National Society shall require.

## ARTICLE XII Reports

Section 1. Each State Officer, the Executive Committee, the State Board of Management, the Regent of each Chapter, the Director of each District, the chairman of each standing committee, and the chairmen of such special committees as may be requested by the State Regent or the State Board of Management, shall prepare a report for the State Conference. These reports shall be typed in triplicate, one for the State Regent, one for the Recording Secretary, and one for the permanent records of the State Society. A condensed report, not exceeding 200 words shall accompany each complete report. Any report lacking the required resume shall not be published in the Proceedings.

Section 2. State Officers, State Chairmen of Committees, District Directors, and Chapter Regents shall send, not later than March first of each year, a written report of the work of the past year to the State Regent for use in compiling her annual report to the Continental Congress. A copy of this report shall be sent to State Recording Secretary at the same time.

## ARTICLE XIII Districts

Section 1. At the direction of the Kansas Society the State shall be divided into four Districts. These will be known as the Northeast, Northwest, Southeast and Southwest Districts, respectively. The names of the Chapters in each district are set out in the Standing Rules.

Section 2. District meetings shall be held each year in the Fall to expand the programs of the State and National Societies; to provide instruction and inspiration to Chapter members and to acquaint them with the State Officers and State Chairmen. The place and time of the meeting shall be arranged by the District Officers. The call for the meeting shall be sent by the District Secretary thirty days in advance to all Chapters within the District and to the State Officers and State Committee Chairmen.

Section 3. Each District shall at its annual meeting elect its own officers which shall be a Director, an Assistant Director, a Secretary, and a Treasurer. The term of office shall be one year and no officer may serve more than three terms.

Section 4. The Districts shall entertain the State Conference by rotation in the following order: Northwest District, Northeast District, Southeast District and Southwest District except in an emergency.

### ARTICLE XIV Chapters

- Section 1. The Chapters shall elect their officers on or before January thirty-first of the year in which they elect officers. Chapter officers shall assume the duties of office at the first chapter meeting following the meeting of the Continental Congress.
- Section 2. On or before March first of each year, the Chapter Recording Secretary shall send to the State Corresponding Secretary on blanks furnished by the State Secretary three typewritten lists of the names and addresses of the Chapter Officers for the ensuing year.
- Section 3. Within thirty days after installation the Regent of each Chapter shall send a postal card to each State Chairman of National Committees, giving her name and address of the Chapter member on that Committee.
- Section 4. Chapter Treasurers shall send contributions to the State Treasurer before January thirteenth in order to have them included in the State Treasurer's annual report. Contributions received by Chapter Treasurer after January thirtieth shall be sent to the State Treasurer and shall be included in her supplementary report.

## ARTICLE XV Parliamentary Authority

The rules contained in Roberts Rules of Order Revised shall govern the Kansas Society in all cases in which they are not inconsistent with these by-laws or the by-laws of the National Society.

### ARTICLE XVI Amendments

Section 1. These by-laws may be amended by a two thirds vote of those voting at any annual State Conference, provided that a copy of the proposed amendment has been sent to all Chapters of the Kansas Society at least thirty days before the State Conference, and provided further that the amendment has been proposed by the State Board of Management, or by a Chapter of the Kansas Society or by the Bylaws Committee. In case an amendment has been proposed by a Chapter, it shall be endorsed by at least one other Chapter in the Kansas Society.

Section 2. Unless otherwise provided prior to its adoption or in the motion to adopt, an amendment to these by-laws shall take effect at the close of the State Conference at which it was adopted.

Section 3. Any amendment adopted by the National Society affecting the work of the Chapters in this State and of this Society shall become a law of the Chapters and of the Kansas Society without notice of amendment.

#### STANDING RULES

- No. 1. The report of the Kansas State Society shall be known as the Proceedings of the Annual State Conference, Kansas Society of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Proceedings shall be distributed by the Recording Secretary as follows: State Regent, the number she desires; each State Officer, 1 to 3; Chapter Regents, 1 each, another if requested; National Chairmen and Vice Chairmen of National Committees whose membership is within the State, 1 each; Honorary State Regents, 1 each; State Chairmen of National Committees and Chairmen of other Committees, 1 each; Senior President C. A. R. 1; District Directors, 1 each; the Library of the Kansas Society 2; the locked file in the Memorial Biulding of the Kansas State Historical Society 2: the President General 1; the Kansas State Historical Society 1: the DAR National Library 1; and the President of the State Officers Club, Chapter Regents Club and the State Chairmans Club, 1 each. in election year one copy shall be given to each of the new officers and chairmen of committees.
- No. 2. Chairmen of State Committees, District Directors and the appointed officers may attend the meetings of the State Board of Management. They shall have the privilege of the floor but may not vote.
- No. 3. No less than three issues of Kansas DAR News shall be printed each year, expense to be borne by the State Society.
- No. 4. "The State Registrar shall furnish the publisher of the Kansas DAR News a correct and up-to-date mailing list."
- No. 5. A sum not to exceed \$750.00 shall be allowed the State Regent, each year for the purpose of carrying on her work.
- No. 6. Twenty-five Dollars shall be allowed each elected State Officer to partially defray her expenses to State Conference.
- No. 7. \$25.00 shall be allotted to the Kansas Delegation for the courtesy of flowers for the Kansas Regent at Continental Congress.
- No. 8. \$50.00 shall be allotted to the State Regent for the entertainment of Pages at Continental Congress.

- No. 9. Each Chapter in Kansas shall pay \$1.00 each year into the Kansas Chapel Maintenance Fund.
- No. 10. The Shawnee Mission Pilgrimage shall be held at the Shawnee Mission on Constitution Day, September 17th, if possible. If the date is changed, it shall be in Constitution Week as near the seventeenth as possible and the date shall be determined by the State Regent, the State Shawnee Mission Chairman and the hostess committee. Local chapters shall act as hostesses. The sum not to exceed \$50.00 shall be allotted to the Committee in charge of the Pilgrimage. Each daughter attending shall pay a registration fee of twenty-five cents (25c).
- No. 11. The Kansas Society shall pay insurance each year on its properties housed at Shawnee Mission.
- No. 12. The State Society shall allocate \$25.00 annually to the El Cuartelejo Committee for the proper upkeep of the El Cuartelejo Monument in Scott County.
- No. 13. The State Treasurer shall, each year, set aside a sum of money equal to ten cents per Chapter member for the State Conference expenses. Any money remaining after the expenses of the State Conference are paid shall be returned to the general fund of the Kansas Society.
- No. 14. A sum equal to five cents per Chapter member shall be taken from the General Fund and paid to the Treasurer of the Kansas C. A. R. Society to be used for C. A. R. projects.
- No. 15. The State Regent, Vice Regent and Historian shall have the custody of the locked file in the Memorial Building of the Kansas State Historical Society and shall at the end of their term give a list of the contents of the file to the newly elected incoming Regent, to the Vice Regent and to the Historian. No one shall have the key without the permission of these three officers.
- No. 16. The State Regent shall give a report of the October National Board meeting to each of the District meetings in the fall.
- No. 17. Each Chapter Corresponding Secretary shall send on or before September 15th of each year, a copy of the Chapter Yearbook to each of the State Officers and to the Chairman of the Membership Committee and to the Chairman of the Program Committee.
- No. 18. Accredited delegates to the State Conference shall occupy seats together at the front of the room at all business sessions.
- No. 19. All main motions presented to the State Conference shall be in writing and signed by the mover and seconder and shall be handed to the Recording Secretary when made from the floor.

No. 20. The Kansas DAR Library shall be placed in the Dodge City Public Library, Dodge City, Kansas.

- (a) The Kansas Society shall have the responsibility and jurisdiction over the maintenance, insurance, loan and period of housing at the Dodge City Public Library, and shall provide a postal box in Dodge City, Kansas for the use of the Dodge City Chapter Library Committee in receiving requests for loan of books and their return.
- (b) The Dodge City Public Library shall provide a private room with adequate work and storage space.
- (c) The Dodge City Chapter DAR shall provide a committee to assume custodial care of the library. This committee shall keep the State Librarian informed of the condition and status of the collection of books; shall assist the State Librarian where possible in the repair and maintenance of the books and shall receive and answer all requests for loan of books.
- No. 21. The Press Books shall be given to each State Regent under whose administration they are compiled.
  - No. 22. The Chapters in each District are as follows:

Northeast—Arthur Barrett, Atchison, Betty Washington, Captain Jesse Leavenworth, Emporia, Gen. Edward Hand, James Ross, John Haupt, Olathe, Samuel Linscott, Mission Hills, Shawnee, Tomahawk, Topeka, Wyandot.

Southeast—Baxter Springs, Betty Bonney, Cofachique, Dana, Esther Lowrey, Hannah Jameson, Isabella Weldin, Jane Dean Coffey, Lucretia Griswold Latimer, Molly Foster Berry, Neodesha, Oceanus Hopkins, Peleg Gorton, Rhoda Carver Barton, Susannah French Putney.

Southwest—Byrd Prewitt, Dodge City, Eunice Sterling, Ft. Larned, Ft. Supply Trail, Flores del Sol, Jeremiah Howard, Jonathan Gilbert, Kanza, Martha Loving Ferrell, Martha Vail, Minisa, Ninnescah, Randolph Loving, Uvedale, Wellington, Wichita, William Wilson.

Northwest—Abilene, Concordia, Council Oak, Courtney Spalding, Desire Tobey Sears, Good-Land, Henry Dawson, John Athey, Lois Warner, Mary Wade Strother, Nathan Edson, Newton, Phebe Dustin, Polly Ogden, Sarah Steward, Smoky Hill, Sterling.

- No. 23. The State Regent shall appoint a committee at the closing session of the State Conference to review the minutes of that session.
- No. 24. These rules may be amended, suspended or replaced at any State Conference by a two-thirds vote of those delegates voting.

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