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**PRESIDENT GENERAL'S THEME**

*"Continuing the Commitment, Challenging the Future"*

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# **DEDICATION**

This book is dedicated to the  
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STATE CHAIRMEN,  
and  
CHAPTER REGENTS  
who challenged the future by making  
their activities relevant to the  
communities in which they live and to  
their dedication to  
“God, Home and Country.”



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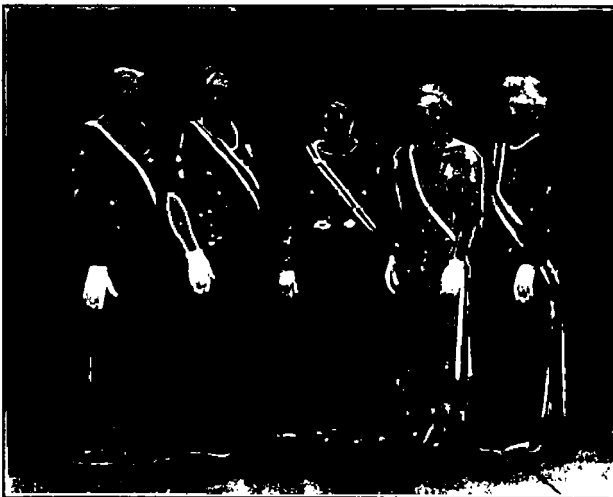
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## **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

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.

## **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.

## **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.

## **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 Cook Don-Carlos—1936

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### March 22, 1992 to April 24, 1993

#### 1992

March 22	Executive Committee Meeting - Wichita
March 24	Meeting with officials of Manhattan Holiday Inn
March 29	Attended K.S.S.A.R. Banquet at Topeka
April 20-26	101st Continental Congress
	National Board of Management Meeting
May 18	Visit to Council Oak Chapter
June 8	Visit to Jeremiah Howard Chapter
June 13	Executive Committee Meeting - Leavenworth
June 13	Tea for new KSDAR Officers given by Captain Jesse Leavenworth Chapter - Leavenworth
August 5	Constitution Week Proclamation—Topeka
August 6	Visit to Isabella Weldin Chapter
September 12	Visit to Uvedale Chapter
September 13	Executive Committee Meeting - Lindsborg
September 14-17	Fall Tour arranged by Mrs. Vincent Traffas
September 14	KSDAR Fall Board of Management Meeting—Lindsborg
September 14	Northwest District Meeting at Lindsborg, Ms. Shirley Coupal, Director
September 15	Southwest District Meeting at Kingman, Mrs. Charley Shoemake, Director
September 16	Southeast District Meeting at Emporia, Mrs. Bobby Campbell, Director
September 16	Rededication of Santa Fe Trail Marker at Burlingame, Mrs. Charley Shoemake presiding
September 17	Northeast District Meeting at Lecompton, Mrs. Robert N. Kline, Director
September 18	Visit to Susannah French Putney Chapter
September 22	Visit to Byrd Prewitt Chapter with Mrs. G. D. Spafford and Mrs. Charley Shoemake
October 6-7	National Board of Management Meeting
October 26	Visit to Mission Hills Chapter
December 5	Visit to Shawnee Mission Chapter
December 12	Visit to Dodge City Chapter
December 19	Visit to Betty Washington Chapter

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January 11	Visit to Emporia Chapter cancelled
January 17	Executive Committee Meeting - Manhattan
January 26	American History Proclamation—Topeka
February 5-6	National Board of Management Meeting
February 8	Visit to Little Osage Trail Chapter
March 11-13	KSDAR State Conference at Manhattan
March 15-17	Oklahoma DAR State Conference at Oklahoma City
March 27	Attended K.S.S.A.R. Annual Banquet at Lawrence
April 3	Visit to Marais des Cygnes Chapter
April 19-24	102nd Continental Congress
	National Board of Management Meetings

NINETY-FIFTH  
STATE CONFERENCE  
OF THE  
Kansas Society  
DAUGHTERS  
OF THE  
AMERICAN REVOLUTION

March 11-13, 1993  
Holiday Inn —Manhattan, Kansas

*“CONTINUING THE COMMITMENT,  
CHALLENGING THE FUTURE”*

**NORTHWEST DISTRICT HOSTESS CHAPTERS**

Abilene  
Courtney-Spalding  
Desire Tobey Sears  
Fort Larned  
Good - Land  
Jeremiah Howard  
John Athey  
Jonathan Gilbert

Lois Warner  
Mary Wade Strother  
Nathan Edson  
Newton  
Polly Ogden  
Sarah Steward  
Smoky Hill  
Stone Corral

## CONFERENCE RULES

1. All persons must be registered before entering the business sessions. Proper identification badges must be worn at all business sessions with blue ribbon for delegates and the red ribbon for alternates.
2. All sessions shall begin at the hour announced.
3. Any business unfinished at the time of recess shall be resumed at the next business session.
4. No one is to be seated during reports, speeches or musical numbers.
5. Only delegates shall have the privilege of the floor.
6. All main motions shall be written and signed by the mover and seconder and sent to the Recording Secretary before action is taken. The maker of the motion shall rise and state her name and that of her chapter.
7. All resolutions shall have been in the hands of the Resolutions Committee prior to the State Conference. The date will have been determined and announced by the Resolutions Chairman.
8. No member shall speak in debate more than once to the same question on the same day or longer than two minutes at any time except by the consent of the assembly.
9. Members who appear on the program or who are making reports shall occupy the front seats. Accredited delegates to the State Conference shall occupy seats together at the front of the room at all business sessions.
10. Only the chair is to be addressed in making reports.
11. Two timekeepers shall be appointed by the chair. Reports of Committee Chairmen shall be limited to four minutes, reports of District Directors and Chapter Regents to two minutes. The speakers shall conform with the ruling of the timekeepers.
12. Announcements must have the approval of the State Regent.
13. A copy of every report for the printed Proceedings of the State Conference shall be typed ready for printing and sent to the State Recording Secretary before the report is read at the Conference.
14. If the Officer, Chapter Regent or Chapter Vice Regent, Chairman or Appointee is not present, her report shall not be read and shall be filed for printing in the official Proceedings of the State Conference unless otherwise ordered.
15. Any Chairman or individual having a table display or exhibit shall attend to the removal of all material at the close of the Conference.
16. All necessary communications shall be delivered by the Pages.
17. Members will refrain from smoking in the session room.
18. *Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised* will govern all parliamentary action not covered by the Society Bylaws and Rules.



## CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

Conference Chairman.....	Mrs. Warren E. Coupal
Conference Treasurer.....	Mrs. Lawrence Hagen
Credentials Committee Chairman.....	Mrs. Donald F. Seefeld
Registration Committee Chairman.....	Mrs. Durward Danielson
Conference Marshals.....	Ms. Shirley Coupal
	Mrs. Frank W. Huffman
House Committee.....	Mrs. Robert N. Kline
	Mrs. James Tolbert
Literature Tables.....	Mrs. Albert V. Schwartz
	Mrs. Grace Burkhead
	Mrs. William Kennedy
	Mrs. Edwin W. McMahon
	Mrs. Orville B. Seiber
	Mrs. James A. Upham
Table Decorations	
Friday Luncheon.....	Mrs. Charley Shoemake
Friday Banquet.....	Abilene, Smoky Hill and Newton Chapters
Saturday Luncheon.....	Stone Corral, John Athey and Jonathan Gilbert Chapters
Saturday Banquet.....	Courtney Spalding, Desire Tobey Sears and Fort Larned Chapters
Morning Coffee.....	Polly Ogden and Lois Warner Chapters
Conference Music.....	Mrs. Martin J. Robl and Mrs. Richard Bullock
Hospitality State Regent's Suite.....	Sarah Steward Chapter

## C.A.R. SENIOR OFFICERS—KANSAS SOCIETY

President.....	Mrs. A.E. Carpenter
First Vice President.....	Mrs. Richard D. Johnstone
Second Vice President.....	Mrs. Robert Xidis
Chaplain.....	Mrs. David Carpenter
Recording Secretary.....	Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr.
Organizing Secretary.....	Mrs. Everett Mulkey
Corresponding Secretary.....	Mrs. Esburn T. James
Treasurer.....	Mr. Thomas E. Smith, Jr.
Registrar.....	Mrs. Dean B. Lappin
Historian.....	Dr. Philip W. Bernstorf
Librarian-Curator.....	Mr. John W. McGuire, Jr.

## CHAIRMAN OF PAGES

Mrs. Doran Cole

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Mrs. Richard Bullock (Denise).....	Sagamore
Miss Sarah Caillouett.....	Cofachique
Mrs. Daniel Clair (Kim).....	Captain Jesse Leavenworth
Mrs. Gordon Etelamaki (Susan) .....	Arthur Barrett
Mrs. Randall J. Galemore (Penny).....	Eunice Sterling
Mrs. Daniel F. Haynes (Emily) .....	Quivira Crossing
Mrs. Tod Hettenbach (Leesa).....	Abilene
Miss Amy Huffman .....	Arthur Barrett
Miss Nina Huffman.....	Arthur Barrett
Miss Pamela Kelley.....	Quivira Crossing
Mrs. Doug Kocher (Kristi) .....	Sarah Steward
Miss Julie Kay Kramer .....	John Haupt
Miss Gayle McGehee .....	Little Arkansas
Miss Laurie Schweiger.....	Prairie Rose
Mrs. Rick Sellers (Jody).....	Council Oak
Mrs. John Tully (Vivian) .....	Sagamore
Mrs. Oliver West (Kathryn).....	Captain Jesse Leavenworth

## PRE-CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES

**Thursday, March 11, 1993**

<b>Noon-8:00 p.m.</b> .....	Registration Workshops, Regency B1
<b>2:15-3:30 p.m.</b> .....	“Preservation of Paper Documents and Photographs” Dr. Alan F. Perry, National Archives, Central Plains
<b>3:40-4:55 p.m.</b> .....	“Increase Your Membership with Active Members” KSDAR State Officers
<b>5:45-7:45 p.m.</b> .....	State Officers’ Club Dinner Conference, Room 2 & 3 Chapter Regents’ Club Dinner, Conference Room 5 Heritage Dinner, Conference Room 1
<b>8:00 p.m.</b> .....	State Board of Management Meeting, Regency B1
Invocation .....	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America .....	Mrs. Gus Ramirez, State Chairman
The American’s Creed.....	Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger, State Registrar
The National Anthem .....	Mrs. David L. Hawn State Chairman American Heritage Committee Pianist, Mrs. Martin J. Robl

Reports

Recommendations from the

Executive Committee .....Mrs. Larry D. Ream, State Recording Secretary

Announcements

Adjournment

## CONFERENCE PROGRAM

**Friday, March 12, 1993**

**8:00 a.m.**.....Page Instruction Suite 249 and 251

**8:00 a.m.** .....Registration and Coffee

**9:00 a.m.**.....Conference Opening Regency B

Processional.....Mrs. Martin J. Robl, pianist

Entrance of State Officers, escorted by the Pages and the  
KSU ROTC Color Guard with TSGT Carl Soap, Air Force

Call to Order.....Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent

Invocation .....Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

of the United States of America .....Mrs. Gus Ramirez, State Chairman

The American's Creed....Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Past Vice President General,  
Honorary State Regent

The National Anthem (first stanza) .....Mrs. David L. Hawn,  
State Chairman of the American Heritage Committee

Greetings from.....Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair, President General, NSDAR  
\*(doors opened briefly)

Greetings.....Mr. Rich Seidler, Mayor of Manhattan  
Ms. Shirley Coupal, Northwest District Director  
Mrs. Warren E. Coupal, State Conference Chairman

Response .....Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent  
\*(doors opened briefly)

Presentation of Officers, Guests,  
State Parliamentarian and National Appointments

Report of Credentials Committee.....Mrs. Donald F. Seefeld, Chairman

Reading of Conference Rules .....Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway,  
State Parliamentarian

Presentation of Conference Program.....Mrs. Warren E. Coupal,  
Conference Chairman

\*(doors opened briefly)

Appointment of Timekeepers .....Mrs. G.D. Spafford,  
State Organizing Secretary  
Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary

Appointment of Committee to approve  
the minutes of the closing session.....Mrs. Laurence Ellis,  
Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, Mrs. Stan Kippenberger

\*(doors opened briefly)

## Reports of State Chairmen of National Committees, State Committees and State Appointees

Announcements.....Mrs. Warren E. Coupal, Conference Chairman

## Recess

### Regency A

**12:30 p.m.**.....Mrs. Charley Shoemake, State Historian presiding

Processional.....Mrs. Martin J. Robl, pianist

Invocation .....Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain

Santa Fe Trail Music .....Mrs. Bobby Campbell, Southeast District Director  
Music arranged and played by David Osborn

Greetings .....Mrs. William H. Hunter, Jr., Oklahoma State Regent

Program....."Santa Fe Trail Markers"

Mrs. John Mallinson Jr., NSDAR Representative  
Santa Fe National Historic Trail Advisory Council

Announcements.....Mrs. Warren E. Coupal, Conference Chairman

Benediction .....Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain

## Retiring of the Colors

Recessional

**2:30 p.m.** ..... Business Meeting, Regency B

## Colors Posted

Continued Reports of State Chairmen

Announcements.....Mrs. Warren E. Coupal, Conference Chairman

Recessional.....Mrs. Martin J. Robl, Pianist

<b>5:30 p.m.</b> .....	Pictures, Conference Room 1 District Directors Chapter Regents
<b>5:45 p.m.</b> .....	Page Pictures
<b>6:00 p.m.</b> .....	Ballroom, Receiving Line and Punch Reception
<b>6:30 p.m.</b> .....	Chapter Regents' Banquet, Ballroom
Professional .....	Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist
Color Guard .....	Kansas State University ROTC
Invocation .....	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America .....	Mrs. Gus Ramirez, State Chairman
The National Anthem .....	Mrs. David L. Hawn, State Chairman
Introductions	
Presentation of Outstanding Junior Member .....	Mrs. Kevin Smith, State Chairman Junior Membership Committee
Presentation of District Directors .....	Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent
Music .....	Mrs. Robert Lundstrom, Stone Corral Chapter, NSDAR
Announcements .....	Mrs. Warren E. Coupal, Conference Chairman
Benediction .....	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
Retiring of the Colors	
Recessional	
<b>9:30-11:30 p.m.</b> .....	Junior Members' Club Party Swimming Pool area

### Saturday, March 13, 1993

<b>7:00 a.m.</b> .....	State Chairmen's Club Breakfast Conference Rooms 4 and 5
<b>8:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.</b> .....	Registration
<b>8:00 a.m.</b> .....	Registration and Coffee
<b>8:30 a.m.</b> .....	MEMORIAL SERVICE, Conference Rooms 1, 2 and 3 Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain presiding Music—Mrs. Martin J. Robl, Mrs. Robert Kline
<b>9:30 a.m.</b> .....	Business Meeting, Regency B
Processional .....	Mrs. Richard Bullock, Pianist
Call to Order .....	Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent

Invocation .....	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America .....	Mrs. Gus Ramirez, State Chairman
The National Anthem (first and fourth stanzas) .....	Mrs. David L. Hawn, State Chairman
The Kansas Creed .....	Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr., Honorary State Regent
Minutes of Friday Meetings .....	Mrs. Larry D. Ream, State Recording Secretary
Greetings .....	Mrs. Betty Jean Snell, Nebraska State Regent
Continued Reports	
Resolutions .....	Mrs. Marion Butterfield, Chairman Resolution Committee
Final Report of the Credentials Committee .....	Mrs. Donald F. Seefeld, Chairman
Recommendations from the Board of Management .....	Mrs. Larry D. Ream, State Recording Secretary
Report of the Finance Committee .....	Mrs. John D. Afton, Chairman
Report of the Bylaws Committee .....	Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Chairman
<b>NOON</b> .....	Patriotic Luncheon, Regency A
Processional .....	Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist
Invocation .....	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
Program .....	"Latest News of Prague and Czechoslovakia" Dr. Joseph Barton-Dobenia
Music .....	Ms. Robynn Tolbert, Prairie Flint Hills Chapter, NSDAR
Presentation of Youth Awards	
American History Month Essay .....	Mrs. Glen E. Mayden, State Chairman
DAR Good Citizens .....	Mrs. Stan Kippenberger, State Chairman
DAR Scholarship .....	Mrs. Kenneth A. Rice, State Chairman
Junior American Citizens .....	Mrs. Ralph E. French Jr., State Chairman
Outstanding American History Teacher .....	Mrs. Charley Shoemake, State Historian
Occupational Therapy Award .....	Mrs. G.D. Spafford, State Organizing Secretary
<b>2:15 p.m.</b> .....	Snack and Beverage Break, Preconven area
<b>2:45 p.m.</b> .....	Business Meeting, Regency B
Continued Reports	
Courtesy Resolution .....	Mrs. Marion Butterfield, State Chairman
Report of the Junior Bazaar .....	Mrs. Kevin Smith State Chairman Junior Membership Committee

Invitation to 1994 State Conference .....	Mrs. Robert N. Kline, Northeast District Director
Appreciation to the Conference Chairman and Members of Northwest District	
The Daughters' Pledge.....	Mrs. James N. Shirley, State Reporter
"Bless Be The Tie That Binds"	
Benediction .....	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
Retiring of the Colors	
Recessional .....	Mrs. Martin J. Robl, pianist
Adjournment	
<b>5:30 p.m.</b> .....	Pictures, Conference Room 1 State Officers and Guests
<b>7:00 p.m.</b> .....	Banquet, Ballroom
Processional .....	Mrs. Martin J. Robl, pianist
Color Guard Kansas State University ROTC	
Invocation .....	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America .....	
Mrs. Gus Ramirez, State Chairman	
The National Anthem .....	
Mrs. David L. Hawn, State Chairman	
The American's Creed.....	
Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, Honorary State Regent	
Introductions	
Presentation of Guests from Kansas Lineage Societies .....	
Mrs. Howard R. Walker, State Librarian	
Music .....	Pops Choir from Manhattan High School Directed by Mr. Dan Cummerford
Introduction .....	Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Vice President General, Honorary State Regent
Address.....	"Our Children, Our Heritage", Mrs. Charles Keil Kemper, Past National Recording Secretary, Honorary State Regent of California
Benediction .....	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
Retiring of the Colors	
Recessional	

## MINUTES

### FALL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

**Covenant Church  
Lindsborg, Kansas**

**Monday  
September 14, 1992**

The Fall Board of Management of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution convened at 9:30 a.m., Monday, September 14, 1992, at the Covenant Church, Lindsborg, Kansas, with the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark presiding.

The invocation was given by Mrs. Richard Standrich, State Chaplain. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. Gus Ramirez, followed by the American's Creed led by Mrs. Harry Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary. The first verse of the National Anthem was led by Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Martin J. Robl.

Mrs. Clark extended a welcome to those present and introduced Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Vice President General and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. John McGuire, Jr., Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Past Vice President General and Honorary State Regent and Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, Honorary State Regent. The State Regent introduced the State Officers: Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent; Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain; Mrs. Larry D. Ream, State Recording Secretary; Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Gail D. Spafford, State Organizing Secretary; Mrs. John D. Afton, State Treasurer; Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger, State Registrar; Mrs. Charley Shoemake, State Historian; Mrs. Howard R. Walker, State Librarian; and Mrs. James N. Shirley, State Reporter. Mrs. Clark then presented Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway, State Parliamentarian for this administration.

The State Regent recognized the National Vice Chairmen of the South Central Division that were present: Mrs. Ottaway, Motion Picture, Radio and Television Committee and Mrs. W. Ward Marrs, Columbus Quincentennial Committee.

The following chapters were represented by their Regent or Vice Regent for roll call: Abilene, Courtney Spalding, Desire Tobey Sears, Dodge City, Eunice Sterling, Flores del Sol, Fort Larned, Four Winds, Good-Land, Isabella Weldin, Jeremiah Howard, John Athey, John Haupt, Jonathan Gilbert, Kanza, Lois Warner, Martha Loving Ferrell, Martha Vail, Mary Wade Strother, Minisa, Mission Hills, Nathan Edson, Neodesha, Newton, Polly Ogden, Prairie Flint Hills, Prairie Rose, Sagamore, Sarah Steward, Shawnee Mission, Smoky Hill, Stone Corral, Susannah French Putney and Topeka.

Thirty-four chapter representatives, ten State Officers and one National Officer were present. A quorum was declared and the meeting proceeded.



The State Parliamentarian read Article IX, Section 1 of the Kansas Society Bylaws defining members of the Board of Management and Standing Rule 22 defining voting members of the Board of Management.

Mrs. Neil Price from the Northeast District, Mrs. Ronnie Svaty of the Northwest District and Mrs. William Daniels of the Southwest District were appointed, by Mrs. Clark, to serve on the committee to approve the minutes of the meeting.

The minutes of the March 19, 1992, Spring Board of Management were printed in the Annual Report and Proceedings. By general consent they were not read and were approved as printed.

Mrs. Clark gave the State Regent's report and each officer gave an official report of her activities followed by a report from the State Parliamentarian.

Two recommendations from the Executive Committee were read by the State Recording Secretary:

1. "That one dollar be given by each chapter for veteran-patients in order to meet NSDAR Honor Roll requirement, to be sent to the State Treasurer who shall make equal payment to the three (3) Veteran Medical Centers."

Mrs. Ream moved the adoption of Recommendation No. 1 and the motion carried.

2. "That the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution recommend to Dr. Ramon Powers, Executive Director of the Kansas State Historical Society, that Ruth Keys Clark be appointed to the Kansas State Historical Society Deaccessioning Review Committee as the representative of the genealogical community of Kansas."

Mrs. Ream moved the adoption of Recommendation No. 2. Mrs. Traffas took the chair and the vote and the motion carried.

An announcement requested by the Executive Committee was made by Mrs. Clark: "That it be announced that Mrs. Richard C. McGehee will be a candidate for Vice President General at the 102nd Continental Congress in April 1993. Districts, chapters and individuals wishing to contribute to a DAR Magazine advertisement in her behalf, should make donations to the Kansas Society through the State Treasurer before 15 October 1992. These contributions will not count toward a chapters' cooperative magazine advertisement."

Other announcements by Mrs. Clark were: The State Regent's Project for this administration will be the KSDAR Library Endowment Fund; the Chapter Regents' night two minute report at State Conference will be "Interesting facts about an historical marker, monument or building in our locality." She requested names of persons wishing to work on committees at Continental Congress and names of Junior Members to serve as Pages at Continental Congress and State Conference be forwarded to the State Regent as soon as possible; the Master Questionnaire needs to be returned to the State Regent by January 25, 1993, intact, with all questions answered; Honor

Roll blanks are in the fall packet and will not be sent with the credentials packet; Chapter Officers' lists to be returned by March 1, 1993; Chapters must report any changes in officers' name and address to the National Organizing Secretary and the State Corresponding Secretary. One error on the Treasurers' sheet in the summer packet is noted, change application fee to \$25.00 for new members.

Mrs. Clark expressed appreciation to the members of Mary Wade Strother Chapter for serving as hostess chapter and Mrs. Glen Mayden for her dedication in making the arrangements for the meeting.

The benediction was given by Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain.

Meeting adjourned at 10:42 a.m.

## **MINUTES**

### **SPRING BOARD OF MANAGEMENT**

**Holiday Inn Hotel  
Manhattan, Kansas**

**Thursday  
March 11, 1993**

The Spring Board of Management of the Kansas Society Daughters of American Revolution convened at 8:01 p.m., Thursday, March 11, 1993, in room Regency B1 of the Holiday Inn in Manhattan, Kansas, with the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, presiding.

The invocation was given by Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain; the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. Gus Ramirez, State Chairman of the Flag of the United States of America Committee. The American's Creed was led by Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger, State Registrar, followed by the first stanza of the National Anthem, led by Mrs. David L. Hawn, State Chairman American Heritage Committee, with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Martin J. Robl.

Mrs. Clark welcomed those present and introduced: Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Vice President General and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr., Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Past Vice President General and Honorary State Regent and Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, Honorary State Regent. She then presented the State Officers and Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway, State Parliamentarian.

Mrs. Clark recognized those with national appointments: Mrs. Philip Bernstorf, National Chairman Children of the American Revolution Committee; National Vice Chairman, South Central Division: Mrs. Robert N. Kline, American Indians Committee; Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway, Motion Picture, Radio and Television Committee; and Mrs. W. Ward Marrs, Columbus Quincentennial Committee.

At roll call the following chapters were represented by either the Regent or Vice Regent: Arthur Barrett, Betty Washington, Byrd Prewitt, Cimarron River Valley, Cofachique, Council Oak, Courtney Spalding, Dodge City, Eunice Sterling, Flores del Sol, Four Winds, Good-Land, Isabella Weldin, John Haupt, Kanza, Little Arkansas, Marais des Cygnes, Martha Loving Ferrell, Mary Wade Strother, Mission Hills, Molly Foster Berry, Nathan Edson, Neodesha, Polly Ogden, Prairie Rose, Quivira Crossing, Sagamore, Samuel Linscott, Sarah Steward, Shawnee Mission, Smoky Hill, Stone Corral, Susannah French Putney, Tomahawk, Topeka, Wichita, William Wilson and Wyandot.

There was one national officer, nine state officers and representatives of seven chapters present. A quorum was declared.

Mrs. Clark appointed Mrs. Louis Hurtig, Southwest District, Mrs. Harold Albrecht, Northwest District and Mrs. Daniel Doyle, Southeast District to approve the minutes of the 1993 KSDAR Spring Board of Management.

The reading of the minutes of the September 14, 1992, Fall Board of Management meeting was waived as they were printed and distributed to all voting members. The minutes were approved as printed.

The State Regent deferred giving her official report until the State Conference convened.

Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent, announced the schedule for the 1993 Fall Board of Management and District meetings:

Monday, September 13 .....	KSDAR Board of Management, Holton Northeast District, Holton
Tuesday, September 14 .....	Northwest District, Clay Center
Wednesday, September 15 .....	Ft. Larned Pilgrimage
Thursday, September 16 .....	Southwest District, Garden City
Friday, September 17 .....	Southeast District, Neodesha

Mrs. John Afton, State Treasurer, read the following recommendation from the Finance Committee and moved its adoption: "On behalf of the Finance Committee, I move the adoption of the 1993-1994 Budget." Motion passed and the recommendation was adopted.

Mrs. Howard Walker, State Librarian and Mrs. James Shirley each gave brief reports.

Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Chairman of the Bylaws Committee gave members an opportunity to ask questions regarding the proposed changes to the KSDAR Bylaws.

The State Regent stated the membership year, for Honor Roll, for 1993-1994, is 1 March 1993 to 31 December 1993.

Following other announcements by the State Regent, the benediction was given by the State Chaplain.

The meeting adjourned at 8:47 p.m.

## NINETY-FIFTH STATE CONFERENCE

### MORNING MEETING MINUTES

**Friday, March 12, 1993**

The Ninety-fifth State Conference of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution convened at 9:02 a.m., Friday, March 12, 1993, in room Regency B of the Holiday Inn in Manhattan, Kansas, with the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, presiding.

The Colors were advanced by the Kansas State University Air Force ROTC Color Guard. The Pages escorted the State Officers and honored guests in the processional.

The State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, called the meeting to order. The invocation was given by the State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard D. Standrich. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by the State Chairman, Mrs. Gus Ramirez. The recitation of the American's Creed was led by Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Past Vice President General and Honorary State Regent. The assembly sang the first stanza of the National Anthem, led by Mrs. David L. Hawn, State Chairman of the American Heritage Committee. While the members were still standing, the State Regent read a letter of greetings from President General, Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair.

Mrs. Clark expressed her appreciation to the Color Guard and Commander, Air Force Technical Sergeant Carl Soap, for their escort in the opening processional. The Color Guard retired. The Pages posted the Colors and were retired.

The Honorable Mr. Rich Seidler, Mayor of Manhattan, was introduced by the State Regent. Mr. Seidler welcomed the Kansas Society on behalf of the city of Manhattan. Ms. Shirley Coupal, Northwest District Director, and Mrs. Warren E. Coupal, State Conference Chairman, also extended welcomes. State Corresponding Secretary Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, read a letter from Berry College, in which greetings were extended to the members of the Kansas Society. The response was given by Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent.

Mrs. Clark introduced those seated on the platform: Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Vice President General and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr., Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Past Vice President General and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, Honorary State Regent; Mrs. William H. Hunter, Jr., Oklahoma State Regent; Mrs. Charles Keil Kemper, Past Recording Secretary General and Honorary State Regent of California; Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent; Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain; Mrs. Larry D. Ream, State Recording Secretary; Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. John D. Afton, State Treasurer; Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger, State Registrar; Mrs.

Howard R. Walker, State Librarian; and Mrs. James N. Shirley, State Reporter. Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway, State Parliamentarian, was also introduced.

The President General's appointments were presented: Mrs. Philip W. Bernstorff, National Chairman Children of the American Revolution Committee; The National Vice Chairmen of the South Central Division: Mrs. Robert N. Kline, American Indians Committee; Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway, Motion Picture, Radio and Television Committee; and Mrs. W. Ward Marrs, Columbus Quincentennial Committee.

The following national appointees were recognized by the State Regent:

DAR Speakers' Staff Area Representatives: Mrs. Harold B. Myers, Mrs. Raymond J. Kaufman, Mrs. W. Ward Marrs, Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr., Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr. and Mrs. Richard C. McGehee.

Mrs. Clark introduced Mrs. John Mallinson, Jr., NSDAR Representative to the Santa Fe National Historic Trail Advisory Council, a guest of the Conference.

Representatives and Deputies of the VAVS Committee: Leavenworth—Eisenhower VA Medical Center: Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr., Representative; Mrs. Paul Lawhead, Mrs. Gilbert E. Harris, Mrs. B. Allen Gentzler, Deputies. Topeka—Colmery-O'Neil VA Medical Center: Mrs. Clarence W. Renyer, Representative; Mrs. R. Merwyn Purdy, Mrs. Noel H. Dickinson, Mrs. Harry Whitney, Deputies. Wichita—VA Medical Center: Mrs. Donald G. Horn, Representative; Mrs. William McVay, Mrs. Carl I. Wahlen, Mrs. Samuel F. Parzybok, Deputies.

Mrs. Donald F. Seefeld, Credentials Committee Chairman, gave the first report of the Committee as follows: National Officers 1, State Officers 9, Chapter Regents 33, Delegates 95, Alternates 12, Members 20, Visitors 6; total registered 176, entitled to vote 138. Mrs. Seefeld moved the adoption of the first report of the Credentials Committee. The motion was adopted. The State Regent declared that a quorum was present.

The Conference Rules were read by the State Parliamentarian, Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway. Motion to adopt the Conference Rules as read was made by Mrs. Larry D. Ream and was seconded. There being a 2/3 vote in the affirmative, the motion passed and the Conference Rules were adopted.

Mrs. Warren E. Coupal, Conference Chairman, presented the Conference Program for the 95th State Conference and moved that the Program be adopted as printed with changes. Motion was seconded and adopted. The Conference Program was adopted.

Reading of the minutes of the closing meeting of the 94th State Conference were waived, as they had been approved by the appointed committee and printed in the Annual Report and Proceedings.

Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter and Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger were appointed official timekeepers for the 95th State Conference. Mrs. William D. Daniels from the Southwest District, Mrs. Jerald L. Jennings from the Northeast

District and Mrs. Stan Kippenberger from the Southeast District were appointed to approve the minutes of the closing meetings of the Conference.

State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, relinquished the Chair to Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent, in order to give her annual Regent's report. At the conclusion of her report, Mrs. Clark reclaimed the Chair and the following State Officers then made their reports: Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent; Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain; Mrs. Larry D. Ream, State Recording Secretary; Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary; and Mrs. John D. Afton, State Treasurer. Mrs. Afton gave her report and presented the financial report. She then read the report of the Auditor and moved the adoption of the report, which carried with it the report of the Treasurer. The motion was seconded and adopted.

## **ACCOUNTANT'S REVIEW REPORT**

Kansas Society  
Daughters of the American Revolution  
Wichita, Kansas

I have reviewed the fund balances of the Kansas Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, a Kansas not for profit corporation, as of December 31, 1992, and related statements of receipts and disbursements for the twelve months ended December 31, 1992, in accordance with standards established by the National Society of Public Accountants.

A review consists principally of inquiries of corporation personnel and analytical procedures applied to financial data. Based on my review, I have found that the books and financial records of assets, receipts and disbursements were in very good order and readily available. I am not aware of any material modifications that should be made to the financial statements in order to be in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

E. Eldis Beets, Public Accountant  
Wichita, Kansas, March 8, 1993

## KSDAR NET WORTH

December 31, 1992

### ASSETS

#### Cash and Bank Accounts:

1-GENERAL FUNDS #19-3338-8	\$ 14,255.41
2-Library Petty Cash #32033-3, Dodge City	385.98
Chapel Reserve, #26-4197-6	1,465.81
Co-op Advertising Res., #26-4197-6	1,781.05
Conservation Res., #26-4197-6	100.00
Cowger Reserve, #26-4197-6	110.00
Friendship Reserve, #26-4197-6	246.50
General Funds Reserve, #26-4197-6	5,354.37
KSDAR Award Reserve, #26-4197-6	450.00
KSDAR Library Reserve, #26-4197-6	536.35
Lempenau CD Reserve, #26-4197-6	42.40
Library Oper. Reserve, #26-4197-6	471.79
Genealogical Records Res., #26-4197-6	68.00
Santa Fe Trail Reserve, #26-4197-6	10.00
Transportation Reserve, #26-4197-6	374.00

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Total Cash and Bank Accounts	\$ 25,651.66
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#### Other Assets:

General Fund CD's (4) #525441, #934002, #934007 and #934009	40,000.00
Kessler Scholarship, #934006, \$3050.00	3,464.60
KSDAR Scholarship, #934001, \$5800.00	6,135.89
Lempenau Trust, #934008, \$850.00	850.00
Library Endowment, #934010	7,500.00
Pendleton Scholarship, #524394, \$2100.00	2,610.98
Routh Scholarship, #934004, \$3,100.00	3,232.30

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Total Other Assets	\$ 63,793.77
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TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 89,445.43
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LIABILITIES	0.00
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TOTAL EQUITY	\$ 89,445.43
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## KSDAR FINANCIAL REPORT

January 1 through December 31, 1992

### INCOME

Banquet Tickets, Con't Congress		\$350.00
Chapel Assessment		65.00
Chapel Fund		365.00
Co-op Magazine Advertising		1,810.00
Donation, Other		12.75
Dues		9,084.10
Flowers, Kansas Chapel		50.00
Genealogical Records		78.00
Interest Income		2,467.42
Interest, Library Endowment CD		387.00
JAC State Prize Fund		4.00
KSDAR Scholarship Investment		
Contribution		82.00
Library Assessment		180.90
Library Book Donation		282.15
McGehee Ad Donation		370.00
National Refund, Good Citizen Award		250.00
Prairie Dog Society Donation		50.00
ROTC		136.00
Sale of:		
Directories	70.00	
File Cabinets	36.00	
Good Citizenship Pins	277.50	
Library Catalogs	86.00	
Proceedings	121.00	
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		590.50
State CAR Assessment		181.80
State Conference Return		218.30
Topeka, one-half of mail permit		37.50
Treasurer General Funds		7,639.70
State Regent Project		536.35
Veteran Patient Contribution		241.85

### TOTAL INCOME

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\$ 25,470.32



## KSDAR FINANCIAL REPORT

January 1 through December 31, 1992

### DISBURSEMENTS

Add to Lempenau CD	\$100.00
American History Teacher Award	39.00
Applicant, American History National	25.00
Award, Good Citizen	250.00
Award, Pendleton Scholarship	500.00
Banquet, Continental Congress	350.00
Chapel Expense	128.19
Computer Expense	1,394.18
Genealogical Records	10.00
Golden West Tea	50.00
Good Citizen Pins (Purchase)	502.50
Filing and Recording fees (Charter)	43.00
KSDAR Newsletter	2,657.42
Library Book Purchase Fund	282.15
Library Expense	515.06
Magazine Advertising, State	1,828.95
Magazine Advertising, McGehee	370.00
Officer Expense	675.26
Past State Regent, Grave Marker	20.00
Prairie Dog Society	50.00
Print and Copy Expense	512.72
Proceedings	2,555.31
Professional Fees (Accountant)	300.00
Refund of dues to Chapter	2.60
Report, Treasurer General Funds	7,639.70
Safe Deposit Box	15.00
Scholarship Award-KSDAR	450.00
S. R. #3, Regent Allowance	554.70
S. R. #5, Flowers, State Regent	40.00
S. R. #6, Page Gifts	50.00
S. R. #7, State Conference Advance	360.00
S. R. #8, State CAR Assessment	181.75
S. R. #27, Ex Regent Pin	155.25
State Committee Chairman Expense	181.88
State Conference Expense	40.80
Trail, Madonna Repair	250.00
Treasurer General, Chapter	
Contribution	136.00
Treasurer Position Bond	30.00
Veteran-Patient Contribution	241.85

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TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$ 23,488.27
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NET GAIN	\$ 1,982.05
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# KSDAR INVESTMENT REPORT

January 1 - December 31, 1992

Certificate No.	Amount	Matures	Interest Pd.	Balance
<u>General Funds</u>				
CD#525441	\$10,000.00	04/26/93	\$561.48	\$ 10,000.00
CD#934002	10,000.00	04/10/93	561.60	10,000.00
CD#934007	10,000.00	03/13/93	670.52	10,000.00
CD#934009	10,000.00	05/01/93	<u>650.00</u>	10,000.00

Interest transferred to

Checking Account, #19-3338-8 2,443.60

## Scholarships

CD#524394	2,482.76	06/04/95	128.22	2,610.98
(Pendleton)				
CD#934004	3,100.00	07/15/93	132.30	3,232.30
(Routh)				
CD#934001	5,803.06	04/10/93	332.83	6,135.89
(KSDAR SCH)				
CD#934006	3,275.64	11/05/93	188.96	3,464.60
(Kessler)				

## Library

CD#934010	7,500.00	12/19/93	<u>387.00</u>	7,500.00
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Interest transferred to

Library Operating Reserve Act. 387.00

## Other

CD#934011	850.00	03/20/93	40.40	850.00
(Lempeneau Trust)				

Interest transferred to

Lempeneau Reserve Account 40.40

TOTAL INVESTMENTS, 12/31/92 \$ 63,793.77

All funds are on automatic renewal. Certificates are held in Safekeeping by the First National Bank in Wichita, Kansas. A receipt is held by the Treasurer.

Reports by State Officers continued: Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger, State Registrar; Mrs. Howard R. Walker, State Librarian and Mrs. James E. Shirley, State Reporter.

The State Regent thanked the State Officers for their dedicated work during the past year.

Reports were given by the following State Chairmen of National Committees: American Heritage, Mrs. David L. Hawn; American History Month, Mrs. Glen E. Mayden; American Indians, Mrs. Rick Sellers; Children of the American Revolution, Mrs. Lawrence Ellis; Conservation, Mrs. McCager W. Thompson; DAR Good Citizens, Mrs. Stan Kippenberger; DAR Magazine, Mrs. Raymond J. Kaufman; DAR Magazine Advertising, Mrs. Robert Neubert; DAR Museum, Mrs. Neil Price; DAR Service for Veteran-Patients, Mrs. Alec S. Odevseff; The Flag of the United States of America, Mrs. Gus Ramirez; Genealogical Records, Mrs. William D. Daniels; Honor Roll, Mrs. Kenneth M. Beal.

The reports of the State Chairmen were suspended temporarily so that the State Regent could introduce the State Historian, Mrs. Charley Shoemake, who had just arrived. Mrs. Shoemake presented her report.

The State Chairmen's reports resumed, as follows: Junior American Citizens, Mrs. Ralph E. French, Jr.; Junior Membership, Mrs. Kevin D. Smith; Motion Picture, Radio and Television, Avis L. Fisher; National Defense, Mrs. Harold B. Myers; Program, Mrs. Milton N. Thomas; and Public Relations, Mrs. Wayne Cope.

After several announcements the meeting was recessed at 11:20 a.m.

## **SANTA FE TRAIL LUNCHEON**

**Friday, March 12, 1993**

The Santa Fe Trail luncheon was held at 12:30 p.m. on Friday, March 12, 1993, in room Regency A of the Holiday Inn in Manhattan, Kansas, with the State Historian, Mrs. Charley Shoemake, presiding.

Music for the processional of State Officers and honored guests was provided by Mrs. Martin J. Robl, pianist.

Following the invocation given by Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain, Mrs. Shoemake introduced those seated at the head table. Musical entertainment for the luncheon was provided by Mrs. Bobby Campbell. Dressed in costume as a pioneer woman, Mrs. Campbell described life on the Santa Fe Trail through song.

After the luncheon Mrs. Charles E. Maxwell, Jr., of Betty Washington Chapter, presented each State Officer with a sunflower corsage.

Mrs. Charley Shoemake, State Historian, introduced Mrs. William H. Hunter, Jr., Oklahoma State Regent who brought greetings. Mrs. Shoemake

then introduced Mrs. John Mallison, Jr., NSDAR Representative to the Santa Fe National Historic Trail Advisory Council.

Mrs. Mallison presented a program entitled "Santa Fe Trail Markers", in which she traced the history of the marking of Santa Fe Trail Monuments by the Kansas Society and detailed the development of the Santa Fe Trail National Historic Advisory Council.

Announcements were made by Mrs. Warren Coupal, Conference Chairman.

Following the benediction by the State Chaplain, the meeting was recessed at 2:23 p.m.

## **AFTERNOON MEETING MINUTES**

**Friday, March 12, 1993**

The Ninety-fifth State Conference reconvened at 2.45 p.m. in room Regency B.

The meeting was called to order by State Regent Ruth Keys Clark. Committee reports resumed as follows: Constitution Week, Mrs. Raymond W. Schreiber; Lineage Research, Mrs. Albert Hageman; and Seimes Microfilm Center, Mrs. Ray Bendorf.

The report of the DAR Speakers' Staff by Mrs. Harold Myers, DAR Speakers' Staff Area Representative, was followed by reports of State Chairmen of National Special Committees: Commemorative Events of the United States of America, Mrs. E. H. McDaniel; Friends of the NSDAR Library, Mrs. Ronnie L. Svaty; Literacy Challenge, Mrs. Tod Hettenbach; NSDAR Museum Correspondent Docents, Mrs. Martin J. Robl; and President General's Project, Mrs. Jerald L. Jennings.

Reports of State Appointments were given as follows: Kansas Chapel, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr.; State Parliamentarian, Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway; and Press Book, Mrs. Fred Stockstill.

Reports of State Standing Committees were presented: Kansas DAR Library, Mrs. Howard R. Walker; and Resolutions, Mrs. Marion Butterfield, who, gave the first reading of the Resolutions.

Announcements were made by the Conference Chairman, Mrs. Warren Coupal. The benediction was given by State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard D. Standrich.

The meeting was recessed at 3:19 p.m..

## CHAPTER REGENTS BANQUET

**Friday, March 12, 1993**

The Chapter Regents Banquet was held at 6:30 p.m., on Friday, March 12, 1993, in the ballroom of the Holiday Inn of Manhattan, Kansas, with State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas, presiding.

The musical prelude for the evening banquet and processional was played by Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist. The Kansas State University Air Force ROTC Color Guard advanced the Colors. Leading the processional were the Chapter Regents, in the four respective Districts, escorted by the Pages, and followed by the State Officers and honored guests.

The invocation was given by Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. Gus Ramirez, State Chairman; and the first stanza of the National Anthem was sung by the assembly, led by Mrs. David L. Hawn, State Chairman of the American Heritage Committee.

The Colors were posted and the Color Guard retired.

The State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas, thanked the Kansas State University Air Force ROTC Color Guard and Commander Air Force Technical Sergeant Carl Soap, adding that the spirit of the occasion was enhanced by their participation this evening.

The Pages were retired.

The evening program was provided by Mrs. Robert Lundstrom with musical selections from the Revolutionary War era.

Mrs. Traffas introduced those seated at the head table: Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent; Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Vice President General and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr., Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Past Vice President General and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Charles Keil Kemper, Past Recording Secretary General, and Honorary State Regent of California; Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain; Mrs. Larry D. Ream, State Recording Secretary; Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. John D. Afton, State Treasurer; Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger, State Registrar; Mrs. Howard R. Walker, State Librarian; and Mrs. James N. Shirley, State Reporter. Mrs. Philip W. Bernstorf, National Chairman Children of the American Revolution Committee was also recognized.

The announcement of the Kansas 1993 Outstanding Junior was made by Mrs. Kevin Smith, State Chairman Junior Membership Committee. Mrs. Smith presented Mrs. Rick Sellers, a member of Council Oak Chapter, with the pin and ribbon. Mrs. Smith announced that Mrs. Sellers had also been selected the South Central Division Outstanding Junior.

Mrs. Sellers thanked the Kansas Society for the honor conferred. She introduced her husband, children and parents, and thanked special friends for their encouragement and support.

The State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas, presented the four District Directors. Each District Director gave her report and introduced the District Officers and Chapter Regents in her District. Each Chapter Regent gave a report on "Interesting facts about a historical marker, monument or building in our locality."

Following announcements by the Conference Chairman, the benediction was given by Mrs. Standrich, State Chaplain.

The Pages retired the Colors and the Chapter Regents Banquet was concluded at 9:57 p.m.

## **MEMORIAL SERVICE**

**Saturday, March 13, 1993**

**8:30 a.m. Conference Rooms 1, 2 and 3**

A piano prelude by Mrs. Martin J. Robl opened the Memorial Service for deceased members of the Kansas Society.

Scripture reading from John 14:1-6 was read by State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, and a prayer was offered by Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain.

Mrs. Robert N. Kine, vocalist, sang *Peace in the Valley* followed by the Pages lighting the altar candles.

The tribute to Past State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. William C. Baker, was read by Mrs. Don F. Hogue. The Memorial Roll call was read by Mrs. Robert Schweiger, State Registrar, and Mrs. Standrich.

The Memorial Service was concluded with Mrs. Kline singing *The Twenty-third Psalm* and Mrs. Standrich offering a closing prayer and the benediction. The Pages extinguished the candles. Postlude by Mrs. Robl.

## MEMORIAL TO ORA WADE BAKER

Were Ora Baker to stand before you today, she would speak to you without notes, fully prepared in her dignified manner to convey everything of importance with emphasis and without omission. She would have been coifed and gloved, prim but assured. She enjoyed life, everything from planting her perennials and flowering bulbs to riding horseback with her husband over her beloved Wabaunsee prairies. Entertaining her friends, from square dance groups to Optimists ladies, Zonta Club members and other associates, was a pleasure to her. She wrote DAR skits and performed in them with relish.

Ora Louise Wade Baker was born May 4, 1899, in Wabaunsee County, Kansas, the daughter of Dolson N. and Cora Vicory Wade. She attended Kansas State Teachers College at Emporia, and was graduated from Washburn with two majors and was a MacVicar Scholar. Later, studying law at Washburn, she was a member of Washburn Players, Nonso and Zeta Tau Alpha. Ora taught ten years in public schools prior to her marriage to William C. Baker in Evergreen, Colorado, on October 13, 1930. She assisted in the Baker and Baker Insurance Agency and together Ora and her husband established the Baker Claim Service Agency. He died May 21, 1984.

Ora was a major figure in the Westminster Presbyterian Church, holding numerous positions of trust and directing the Maunday Thursday pageant for twenty-five years.

She was a Past Regent of the Topeka Chapter, having affiliated 17 October 1956, and served the Kansas Society as State Corresponding Secretary, 1977-1980.

She was recognized by the National Society for collecting and copying the first one-hundred years of naturalization records from all courts located in Topeka. These records are bound for use at the Kansas Historical Society.

Ora was a member and past president of these organizations: Topeka Branch American Association of University Women, serving ten years on the Kansas Division Board of AAUW; Zonta Club of Topeka and elected Zontian of the Year 1969-1970; Topeka Opti-Mrs. She was a captain of Community Concert Association thirty-five years; a member of Lady Sherman Tent Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War; a member of Dr. Karl Menninger Lecture Board, and of Washburn College Board of Trustees. This is indicative of her talents of organization, dedication and desire to serve.

Ora Baker is sadly missed by her many friends.

## MEMORIAL ROLL 1992-1993

### ATCHISON

355759 Gaylord, Ethel Alice 3-5-92

### BETTY BONNEY

453495 Creasy, Helen Belden 7-7-92

### BETTY WASHINGTON

481675 Neis, Elizabeth 5-28-92

### BYRD PREWITT

335274 Hanes, Helen Warner 8-30-92

353745 Henry, Anita Denzel 4-10-92

322181 Pfeiffer, Marion Stubbs 7-7-92

### CAPTAIN JESSE LEAVENWORTH

172147 Carnahan, Gladys Paul 1-4-93

648056 McCart, Margaret E. Mills 4-30-93

643622 Stone, Elizabeth Hudspeth 2-7-93

580725 Walters, Mary Elizabeth 9-27-92

### COFACHIQUE

740866 Bicknell, Winifred 10-7-92

491799 Layle, Bulah K. 7-26-92

### COUNCIL OAK

630741 Malia, Virginia Sharp 7-29-92

431008 Schultz, Mary Dorgan 2-7-93

### COURTNEY-SPALDING

456587 Lacy, Mabel 11-3-92

### DESIRE TOBEY SEARS

617664 Jorgensen, Manilla A. 9-23-92

491803 Ross, Viola M. 11-2-92

### DODGE CITY

486944 Dunn, Myrtle 12-29-92

532653 Johnson, Thelma Suttan 2-24-92

### EMPORIA

632055 Burow, Nellie 9-1-92

514411 Ewert, Christine 4-26-92

### ESTHER LOWREY

581627 Goodrich, Dorothy 5-15-92

680237 Hendrickson, Anna McGeorge 3-12-92

212316 Shaver, Irma 8-22-92

448315 Turner, Vera 2-6-92

### EUNICE STERLING

519250 Glasco, Nellie Lyster 2-3-93

437853 Gurtner, Betty 7-30-92

500166 Hammer, Harriette 9-25-92

56273 Lilleston, Georgia 6-21-92

468135 True, Ruth Dedrick 12-1-92

579609 Waters, Helen 3-14-92



**FLORES del SOL**

716022 Dial, Edna Louise Hull 6-6-92

**FORT LARNED**

436226 Campbell, Laura 9-12-92

416013 Eckert, Sylvia Smalley 1-19-93

**GENERAL EDWARD HAND**

545954 Gladstone, Jeanne 11-19-92

584547 Louk, Maxine 1-19-92

**JAMES ROSS**

645521 Hall, Dorothy 7-12-92

673105 McCutchen, Carolyn Wurstner 12-18-92

540372 Young, Margery 1-30-93

**JEREMIAH HOWARD**

634152 Conover, Rhea 4-16-92

**JOHN HAUPT**

611165 McDonald, Lavina 11-23-92

409435 Taylor, Edith 6-22-92

**JONATHAN GILBERT**

629593 Torrey, Irma 2-23-92

**KANZA**

317658 Budge, Melba Cornwell 11-8-92

366027 Mather, Aletha Reed 10-26-92

**LITTLE ARKANSAS**

686455 Dearth, Dorothy 8-12-92

683683 Hiatt, Ellen Creasser 9-23-92

**MARTHA LOVING FERRELL**

651198 Riley, Frances Fitz 1-8-92

**MARTHA VAIL**

297005 Fulton, Edith 8-18-92

649310 Thornboro, Gelda 6-6-92

**MARY WADE STROTHER**

458220 Haley, Virginia 5-15-92

526922 Ingram, Mary Fisher 4-6-92

**MINISA**

565305 Beaver, Mildred Schwen 1-12-93

361284 Black, Pauline Brown 6-3-92

675770 Tegeler, Alma 5-11-92

**MISSION HILLS**

496793 Barron, Doris 2-19-92

539547 Kennedy, Frances Lonnberg 1-13-93

685049 McCarty, Elizabeth 7-20-92

**MOLLY FOSTER BERRY**

480376 Johnmeyer, Mary J. Coe 1-9-92

**NATHAN EDSON**

363606	Dunham, Edna	7-28-92
289878	Hanna, Mildred Green	7-27-92
284038	Raynolds, Ruth	5-21-92

**NEODESHA**

572174	Thompson, Thelma Harp	8-16-92
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**NEWTON**

227611	Maxwell, Helen	5-11-92
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**NINNESCAH**

582156	Spicer, Esther	5-21-92
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**OCEANUS HOPKINS**

340399	Newman, Nina	7-13-92
600344	Schwab, Virginia	8-4-92
623086	Story, Anna Irene	9-17-92

**OLATHE**

610524	Fellenstein, Blanche	5-14-92
516308	Sharratt, Shirley Craig	5-11-92

**PELEG GORTON**

140403	White, Fern	5-30-92
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**POLLY OGDEN**

601859	Brill, Martha Esther	1-29-92
475345	Hunton, Elizabeth Ricker	11-30-92
302011	Parish, Kate Thummel	9-17-92

**RANDOLPH LOVING**

403149	Hinshaw, Mary Whiteman	6-8-92
585807	Rohrer, Bernyce Rogers	6-1-92

**SAGAMORE**

518330	Torbert, Myra Tuey	9-15-92
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**SMOKY HILL**

300311	Rankin, Joice Radiel	10-4-92
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**SUSANNAH FRENCH PUTNEY**

555507	Mason, Etta	1-6-93
373731	Whelan, Nadien Knight	8-3-92

**TOMAHAWK**

524251	George, Maurine Frisbey	2-8-93
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**TOPEKA**

446326	Baker, Ora	4-16-92 ✓
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**UVEDALE**

518329	Fickertt, Esther	3-7-92
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**WILLIAM WILSON**

674434	Winter, Bonnie	8-28-92
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## **NINETY-FIFTH STATE CONFERENCE MORNING MEETING MINUTES**

**Saturday, March 13, 1993**

The Ninety-fifth State Conference of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution reconvened at 9:33 a.m., Saturday, March 13, 1993, in room Regency B of the Holiday Inn in Manhattan, Kansas, with State Regent Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark presiding.

The invocation was given by Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. Gus Ramirez, State Chairman. The singing of the first and fourth stanzas of the National Anthem were led by Mrs. David L. Hawn, State Chairman of the American Heritage Committee. Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr., Honorary State Regent, led the assembly in reciting the Kansas Creed.

The Colors were posted and the Pages retired.

Mrs. Clark introduced those seated on the platform: Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Vice President General and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr., Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Past Vice President General and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Charles Keil Kemper, Past Recording Secretary General, and Honorary State Regent of California; Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent; Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain; Mrs. Larry D. Ream, State Recording Secretary; Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. John D. Afton, State Treasurer; Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger, State Registrar; Mrs. Howard R. Walker, State Librarian; Mrs. James N. Shirley, State Reporter; Mrs. Philip W. Bernstorff, National Chairman Children of the American Revolution Committee and Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway, State Parliamentarian.

The minutes of the Friday, March 12, 1993, morning meeting was read by the State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Larry D. Ream, and approved as corrected. The minutes of the Friday, March 12, 1993, afternoon meeting were read by Mrs. Ream and approved as read. Resumes of the Friday luncheon and evening banquet were also read by Mrs. Ream.

The State Chairmen's reports resumed as follows: Insignia, Mrs. Larry Overmiller; Dar Scholarship, Mrs. Kenneth A. Rice.

Mrs. Marion Butterfield, Resolutions Committee Chairman, presented four Resolutions on second reading.

### **REPUBLICAN FORM OF GOVERNMENT**

Whereas, The Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution is dedicated to the preservation of the republican form of government; and  
Whereas, The loss of respect for, and the integrity of, elected officials concern both our national and international communities; and

Whereas, We, the electors, should keep informed and monitor the actions of our elected officials;

Resolved, That the members of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution, as individuals, communicate their concerns to said officials and make known their expectations that they uphold the Law of the Land.

Mrs. Butterfield moved the adoption of the Resolution. The motion carried and was adopted.

On the reading of the Resolution, **DAR PATRIOT INDEX**, Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr. moved "to amend the first line of the second "Whereas" by inserting the word 'Revolution' between the words 'American and Patriot'." Motion was seconded and the motion carried. Mrs. Donald May moved "to amend the first line of the second "Whereas" by inserting the words 'revised edition' between the words 'Whereas and The'." There was a second and the motion carried.

### **DAR PATRIOT INDEX**

Whereas, The members of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution actively seek to disseminate educational information to the public; and

Whereas, The revised edition of The National Society Daughters of the American Revolution Patriot Index will be available in October of 1993, to ensure public access to accurate genealogical material;

Resolved, That the members of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution endeavor to support the placement of the Patriot Index in public libraries.

Mrs. Butterfield moved the adoption of the Resolution as amended. The motion carried and was adopted.

On the reading of the Resolution, **NATIONAL FLAGS IN EVERY CLASSROOM**, Mrs. Arthur M. Rogers moved "to amend the third paragraph "Resolved" of the Resolution to read: "Resolved, That the chapters of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution pledge to encourage every school in their area to have and properly display in every classroom the flag of the United States of America." There was a second and the motion carried.

## NATIONAL FLAGS IN EVERY CLASSROOM

Whereas, The Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution has the desire to instill and foster respect for the Flag of the United States of America; and

Whereas, This respect should be a high priority in every classroom and for every classroom teacher;

Resolved, That the chapters of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution pledge to encourage every school in their area to have and properly display in every classroom the Flag of the United States of America.

Mrs. Butterfield moved the adoption of the Resolution as amended. The motion carried and was adopted.

## COMMEMORATION OF THE BICENTENNIAL OF THE UNITED STATES CAPITOL BUILDING

Whereas, The Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution is dedicated to the preservation of national landmarks; and

Whereas, The cornerstone of the United States Capitol Building was laid on September 18, 1793;

Resolved, That the members of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution, as individuals, in every way possible, support the Commemoration of the Bicentennial of the laying of the cornerstone of the United States Capitol Building on September 18, 1993.

Mrs. Butterfield moved the adoption of the Resolution. The motion carried and was adopted.

On behalf of the author Mrs. Arthur M. Rogers, Mrs. Billy P. Compton presented Mrs. Charles Keil Kemper with a copy of the book "*A Dinosaur Dynasty*." Mrs. Kemper responded briefly expressing her appreciation to Mrs. Rogers for the gift.

Mrs. Donald F. Seefeld, Credentials Committee Chairman, presented the final report of the Committee as follows: National Officers 1, Honorary State Regents 3, State Officers 10, Chapter Regents 40, Delegates 130; total number voting 184; Alternates 28, Members 20, Visitors 10; total registration 242. Mrs. Seefeld moved the adoption of the final report of the Credentials Committee. The motion carried and the report was adopted.

The State Regent called for recommendations from the Board of Management. The State Recording Secretary read the the following: "That one dollar be given by each chapter for veteran-patients in order to meet the NSDAR Honor Roll requirement; to be sent to the State Treasurer, who shall make equal payment to the three Veterans Medical Centers."

Mrs. Ream moved the adoption of the recommendation. Motion carried and the recommendation was adopted.

Mrs. James N. Shirley moved "That the recommendation just adopted be made a Standing Rule." The motion was seconded, carried and adopted.

Mrs. John D. Afton, Chairman of the Finance Committee, presented the budget for 1993-1994. Printed copies of the Proposed Budget were distributed. After reviewing the proposed budget, Mrs. Afton read the following recommendation: "With the recommendation of the Finance Committee and the State Board of Management, I move that the budget proposed for the 1993-1994 year be adopted." The motion carried and the budget was adopted.

Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Chairman of the Bylaws Committee, presented the proposed admendments to the KSDAR Bylaws and moved the adoption of each:

1. Article IV, Section 2. Amend by striking out the phrase "January 1" at the end of Sentence 1 and inserting in its place "December 1." Further amend by striking out "December 1" between "paid by" and "shall be" in Sentence 2 and inserting in its place "January 1." Adopted.
2. Article VII, Section 3. Amend by inserting a new Paragraph 4 as follows: "She shall receive from the Chapter Regents their annual lists of names, addresses, and telephone numbers of Chapter Chairmen of state and national committees; she shall collocate for each State Committee Chairman a listing of the Chapter Chairmen of her committee." Existing Paragraph 4 will become Paragraph 5. Adopted.
3. Article VII, Section 6, Paragraph 1. Amend by inserting the phrase "of the members who are to receive meeting notices" after the words "mailing list." Adopted
4. ARTICLE VII, Section 9, Sentence 2. Amend by striking out the words "date admitted" between "husband's full name" and by "the National Society" and inserting in their place, the words "full date of admittance." Amend further by striking out the words "with spouse" between "ancestor" and "colony" and inserting in their place the phrase "with name of child through whom the lineage is traced." Adopted.
5. ARTICLE XI, Section 2, Paragraph 1, Sentence 1. Amend by striking out the word "who" between "chairman and" and "members" and inserting in its place the word "four." Adopted.
6. ARTICLE XI, Section 7, Paragrphs 2-3. Amend Paragraph 2 by striking out existing Sentence 2 and substituting the following sentences for existing Sentence 1: "The State Library Committee shall have the authority to select and purchase genealogical materials for

the Kansas DAR Library which will benefit the members of the chapters in the Kansas Society; all such purchases shall be subject to the approval of the State Regent and shall be made from donated funds designated for that purpose."

Further amend Section 7 by inserting a new Paragraph 3 as follows: "It shall be the duty of the State Library Committee to bring any special matters concerning the Kansas DAR Library to the attention of the Executive Committee and to request approval of purchases of non-routine equipment and supplies which exceed the balance designated for that purpose in the Library Petty Cash Fund."

Further amend Section 7, existing Paragraph 3, by inserting the word "genealogical" between "donations of" and "books."

Existing Paragraph 3 and 4 will become Paragraphs 4 and 5. Adopted.

Following brief announcements by Mrs. Warren Coupal, State Conference Chairman, the benediction was given by Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain.

The meeting was recessed at 11:28 a.m.

## **PATRIOTIC LUNCHEON**

**Saturday, March 13, 1993**

The Patriotic Luncheon was held at 12:00 noon on Saturday, March 13, 1993, in room Regency A of the Holiday Inn in Manhattan, Kansas, with the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark presiding.

Music for the processional of State Officers and honored guests was provided by Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist.

Following the invocation given by Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain, Mrs. Clark introduced those seated at the head table. Musical entertainment for the luncheon was provided by Mrs. Margo Stewart. A group sing-a-long of familiar favorites and gospel music solo's, performed by Mrs. Stewart, was enjoyed by those present.

Mrs. Clark introduced Dr. Joseph Barton-Dobenja, a professor of economics at Kansas State University. Dr. Barton-Dobenja presented a program on "Latest News of Prague and Czechoslovakia," in which he presented an overview of recent developments and achievements of the country since the separation of Czechoslovakia from communist rule.

The presentation of Youth Awards was made by the following State Chairmen: Mrs. Glen E. Mayden, American History Month; Mrs. Stan Kippenberger, DAR Good Citizens; Mrs. Kenneth A. Rice, DAR

Scholarship; Mrs. Ralph E. French, Jr., Junior American Citizens and Mrs. Gus Ramirez, The Flag of the United States of America. The State Regent announced the winner of the Occupational Therapy Award and presented a certificate to Mrs. Chester James, the 1992-1993 Kansas Outstanding American History Teacher. A complete list of the recipients will be in the Annual Report and Proceedings.

Mrs. Clark invited the youth, their parents, teachers and guests to a snack and beverage break in the Preconvention area immediately following the luncheon.

The benediction was given by the State Chaplain.

The meeting was recessed at 2:19 p.m.

## **AFTERNOON MEETING MINUTES**

**Saturday, March 13, 1993**

The Ninety-fifth State Conference reconvened at 2:55 p.m. in room Regency B.

The meeting was called to order by State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark. There being no objection, the Conference Rules were suspended, to allow Mrs. Edward Hackman, State Awards Chairman, and Mrs. David L. Hawn, State Chairman American Heritage Committee, to present the awards earned by chapters and individuals.

Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Chairman of the Bylaws Committee, resumed the presentation of the proposed admendments to the KSDAR Bylaws and moved the adoption of each:

7. ARTICLE XII, Section 4. Amend by adding the following phrase to the end of Sentence 2: "and shall assume the duties of their office at the close of the Chapter Regents' banquet at the State Conference."  
Adopted.
8. ARTICLE XIII, Section 5, Paragraph 1. Amend by striking out Paragraph 1 and substituting the following: "Annually before August 1, each Chapter Regent shall send to the State Vice Regent a listing of names, addresses, and telephone numbers of her chapter's chairmen of national and state committees." Adopted.
9. ARTICLE XIII, Section 8, Paragraph 1, Sentence 3. Amend by striking out the words "date admitted" between "husband's full name" and "national number" and inserting in their place the words "full date of admittance." Amend further by striking out the words "with spouse" between "ancestor" and "colony" and inserting in their place the phrase "with name of the child through whom the lineage is traced."  
Adopted.



Mrs. Compton presented the proposed amendments to Standing Rules of the Kansas Society and moved the adoption of each:

1. Number 10. Amend by striking out the word “five” between “pay” and “cents” and inserting in its place the word “ten.” Further amend by adding the following to the end of the sentence: “to help meet the annual library expenses of rent, insurance, operating costs, and purchases and maintenance of equipment.” Adopted.
2. Number 16, Sentence 1. Amend by adding to the end of Sentence 1 the phrase: “in order to ensure its future.” Adopted.
3. Number 33. Amend by adding the following sentence after Sentence 1: “Interim supplements to the Directory may be issued.” Adopted.
4. Add a new Standing Rule as follows: “An Honorary State Regent who becomes a candidate for national office shall be extended the courtesy of one full-page, black-and-white advertisement in the DAR Magazine; donations from Districts, chapters, and individuals may be solicited, but the Kansas Society shall be responsible for any remaining balance of the expense for the advertisement. The candidate shall be responsible for, and bear the expense of, the preparation of the advertisement for publication.” Adopted.

The State Regent recognized the Bylaws Committee members: Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Chairman, Mrs. Edwin E. Hein, Mrs. Stan Kippenberger, Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway, and Mrs. Arthur M. Rogers. Mrs. Clark expressed her appreciation to the members for their diligent work on this committee.

Conference Committee Reports were given: Ms. Shirley Coupal, Conference Marshal; Mrs. Doran Cole, Chairman of Pages; Mrs. Robert N. Kline, House Committee.

Mrs. Marion Butterfield, Resolution Chairman, presented the Courtesy Resolution and moved its adoption.

## **COURTESY RESOLUTION**

*Resolved*, That the members of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution express their deep appreciation to the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, for her gracious leadership; and

*Resolved*, That Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution express its appreciation to the State and Chapter Officers and Chairmen, and to all who participated in the events and activities of the Ninety-fifth State Conference; and

*Resolved*, That special appreciation be expressed to the Conference guests: to Mrs. John Mallison, Jr., NSDAR Representative to the Santa Fe National Historic Trail Advisory Council, speaker at the Friday luncheon; Mrs. Charles Keil Kemper, Past Recording Secretary General and Honorary

State Regent of California, speaker at the Saturday night banquet; and Mrs. William H. Hunter, Jr., Oklahoma State Regent; and

*Resolved*, That gratitude be tendered to Dr. Allen Perry, Preservation Specialist, for his workshop on Thursday afternoon; and to Dr. Joseph Barton-Dobenja, Kansas State University professor, speaker at the Saturday luncheon; and

*Resolved*, That appreciation be extended to the State Officers who conducted the Membership Workshop; and to Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain, for the Memorial Service; and

*Resolved*, That thanks be given to the members and guests who shared their musical talents during the Conference: Mrs. Richard Bullock and Mrs. Martin J. Robl, Conference Pianists; Mrs. Robert N. Kline, soloist for the Memorial Service; Mrs. Bobby Campbell, Mrs. Robert Lundstorm, and Mrs. Margo Stewart, vocalists; and the Manhattan High School Pops Choir under the direction of Mr. Dan Cummerford; and

*Resolved*, That gratitude be tendered to Mr. Rich Seidler, Mayor of Manhattan, for bringing greetings to the Conference; and to the Kansas State University ROTC Color Guard; and

*Resolved*, That special appreciation be expressed to Mrs. Warren Coupal, Conference Chairman; to Ms. Shirley Coupal and Mrs. Frank W. Huffman, Conference Marshals; to Mrs. Robert N. Kline and Mrs. James Tolbert, House Committee; to all the helpful Pages and their Chairman, Mrs. Doran Cole; and to all members of State Conference Committees and the chapters of the Northwest District which provided the morning coffees and the table decorations for luncheons and banquet; and

*Resolve*, That the sales and catering office and staff of the Holiday Inn of Manhattan, Kansas, be thanked for their courtesy, cooperation, and hospitality. Adopted.

The State Regent asked for remaining reports to be given:

Mrs. Kevin D. Smith, Junior Membership Chairman, reported \$817.80 total sales proceeds from the Junior Bazaar. Mrs. Doug Kocher, Junior Membership Sales, reported \$354.00 from Junior Sales during the Conference.

On behalf of the State Officers' Club, Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, President, presented \$20.00 to the KSDAR Library, toward the purchase of the revised edition of the NSDAR Patriot Index, in honor of Mrs. William C. Baker, KSDAR State Corresponding Secretary from 1977 to 1980; Mrs. Warren Coupal, State Regents' Club President, and Mrs. Tod Hettenbach, State Chairmen's Club President, presented Mrs. Clark with \$50.00 each, on behalf of their clubs, for her State Regent's Project.

The State Library Committee report was presented by Mrs. Howard R. Walker, Chairman.

Mrs. Robert N. Kline, Northeast District Director, extended an invitation to hold the Ninety-sixth State Conference, in 1994, in Lawrence, Kansas. Motion to accept the invitation was made by Mrs. Billy P. Compton. Motion was seconded and carried.

The State Regent expressed her appreciation to the Kansas Daughters and all those who worked and helped to make the Ninety-fifth State Conference a success. She extended her thanks to: Mrs. Warren Coupal, Conference Chairman; the Northeast District Chapters and Ms. Shirley Coupal, Northwest District Director; Mrs. Lawrence Hagen, Conference Treasurer; Mrs. Donald F. Seefeld, Credentials Chairman; Ms. Shirley Coupal and Mrs. Frank W. Huffman, Conference Marshals; Mrs. Robert N. Kline and Mrs. James Tolbert, House Committee; Mrs. Martin J. Robl and Mrs. Richard Bullock, Conference Pianists; Mrs. Lloyd Mordy, for hosting the Heritage Dinner on Thursday evening; and to the Manhattan Chamber of Commerce and the Holiday Inn for their cooperation and assistance.

After announcements made by Mrs. Warren Coupal, Conference Chairman, Mrs. James N. Shirley, State Reporter, led the assembly in the recitation of The Daughters' Pledge. The members then joined hands and sang *Blest Be The Tie That Binds*. The benediction was offered by Mrs. Richard C. Standrich, State Chaplain.

The State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, declared the Ninety-fifth State Conference adjourned at 4:14 p.m.

The Pages retired the Colors.

## **BANQUET**

**Saturday, March 13, 1993**

The banquet for the Ninety-fifth State Conference was held at 7:00 p.m., on Saturday, March 13, 1993, in the ballroom of the Holiday Inn of Manhattan, Kansas, with State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, presiding.

The musical prelude for the evening banquet and processional was played by Mrs. Martin J. Robl, pianist. The Kansas State University Air Force ROTC Color Guard advanced the Colors. The Pages escorted the State Officers and honored guests.

The invocation was given by Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. Gus Ramirez, State Chairman; the first and fourth stanzas of the National Anthem were sung by the assembly, led by Mrs. David L. Hawn, State Chairman. The recitation of the American's Creed was led by Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, Honorary State Regent.

The Colors were posted and the Color Guard retired.

The Pages were retired.

Musical entertainment for the evening was provided by the Manhattan High School Pops Choir from Manhattan, Kansas, under the direction of Mr. Dan Cummerford.

The State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, introduced those seated at the head table: Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Vice President General and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Past Vice President General and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr., Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Charles Keil Kemper, Past Recording Secretary General and Honorary State Regent of California; Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent; Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain; Mrs. Larry D. Ream, State Recording Secretary; Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. John D. Afton, State Treasurer; Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger, State Registrar; Mrs. Howard R. Walker, State Librarian; Mrs. James N. Shirley, State Reporter; and Mrs. Philip W. Bernstorf, National Chairman Children of the American Revolution Committee.

Mrs. Howard R. Walker, State Librarian, introduced heads of lineage societies in Kansas: National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, Mr. Herrick H. Kesler, President, Kansas Society S.A.R. and Mrs. Kesler; National Society United States Daughters of 1812, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., President Kansas Society; Mrs. Philip W. Bernstorf, Senior National President Children of the American Revolution; General Society of Mayflower Descendants in the State of Kansas, Mr. Howard R. Walker, Governor; National Society Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Governor of the Kansas Chapter; National Society Magna Charta Dames, Kansas Division, Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, Regent; National Society Daughters of the American Colonist, Kansas State Society, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Regent; Society Daughters of Colonial Wars in the State of Kansas, Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, President; and the Order of Descendants of Colonial Physicians and Chirurugiens, Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, President General. Mrs. Walker also recognized Mr. Robert E. Schweiger, husband of the State Registrar.

Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., introduced the speaker for the evening, Mrs. Charles Keil Kemper, Past Recording Secretary General and Honorary State Regent of California. The subject of Mrs. Kemper's speech, "Our Children, Our Heritage", centered on family values.

The benediction was offered by Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain.

The Pages retired the Colors.

## KSDAR APPROVED BUDGET, 1993

### INCOME

Dues	\$ 9,100.00
Interest, Gen.	2,443.00
Magazine Ad Commission	150.00
Sale of Proceedings	50.00
CAR, State Assessment	183.00
Chapel Assessment	64.00
Library Assessment	183.00
Int., Library Endowment	142.00

TOTAL INCOME	\$ 12,315.00	\$ 12,315.00
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### EXPENSE

#### Operating Expense:

Newsletter	2,600.00
Proceedings	2,600.00
Stationary, Printing & Copies	700.00
Computer Supplies	100.00
Library, S.R. #10	100.00

Total Operating Expense	\$ 6,100.00	\$ 6,100.00
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#### Officer Expense:

Regent	350.00
Vice-Regent	25.00
Chaplain	40.00
Recording Secretary	75.00
Corresponding Secretary	125.00
Organizing Secretary	15.00
Treasurer	190.00
Registrar	50.00
Historian	40.00
Librarian	35.00
Reporter	30.00

Total Officer Expense	\$ 975.00	\$ 975.00
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#### Chairman Expense:

Chairman	75.00
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Total Chairman Expense	\$ 175.00	\$ 175.00
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Fixed Expense:		
Professional Fees	300.00	
Treasurer Position Bond	30.00	
Annual Privilege Fee	5.00	
Golden West Tea	50.00	
Safety Deposit Box	15.00	
Insurance, Library	112.00	
Rent, Library	300.00	
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Total Fixed Expense	\$ 812.00	\$ 812.00
Other Expense:		
Am. History Teacher	40.00	
Markers, Hon. State Regents	40.00	
Amer. History Applicant	25.00	
Computer	528.00	
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Total Other Expenses	\$ 633.00	\$633.00
Standing Rule Expense:		
#3, Regent Allowance	2,000.000	
#4, Officers Allowance	275.00	
#5, Flowers, State Regent	25.00	
#6, Pages, Cont. Congress	50.00	
#7, State Conference Advance	364.00	
#8, CAR, State Assessment	183.00	
#9, Chapel Assessment	64.00	
#26 Outstanding Junior	150.00	
#29 Pilgrimage	50.00	
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Total Standing Rule Expense	\$ 3,161.00	\$ 3,161.00
TOTAL EXPENSE	\$ 11,856.00	\$11,856.00
Projected Income	\$12,315.00	
Projected Expense	11,856.00	
Projected Net Gain	459.00	

## **REPORTS OF STATE OFFICERS**

### **STATE REGENT**

**Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark**

This has been an exciting year for the 3687 DAR members in Kansas. With pride and enthusiasm, Kansas Daughters are continuing the commitment of our founders and challenging the future by making chapter activities and projects relevant to the communities in which they live. This type of programming reaps rewards in the public relations created in the community.

Our historic preservation project has been the location and restoration of the Santa Fe Trail Markers erected by Kansas Daughters in 1906 and 1907. We are most appreciative of the interest of the Santa Fe Trail Association and the Kansas State Historical Society in this project. Our project was opened with the rededication of a marker on the Fall Tour.

Joining the age of electronics, the Kansas Society purchased its third computer in the fall for the State Recording Secretary. All three of the computers are of the same make and have the same software so that data and/or information is interchangeable.

Youth are our members of the future. A new C.A.R. Society was formed this year with the help of two DAR Chapters.

We are striving to increase Junior Membership. We have more Junior Members Paging at State Conference than in the recent past.

Talented Kansas Daughters have written songs, music, poetry, plays and programs detailing the objectives of the National Society.

Continuing the commitment of God, Home and Country, Kansas Daughters have successfully challenged the future.

### **STATE VICE REGENT**

**Mrs. Vincent Traffas**

Your State Vice Regent has enjoyed serving the State Society this past year. She has been ready at all times to assist the State Regent, whenever needed.

All plans for the 1992 Fall Tour were completed in early May, thanks to the excellent efforts of our State Regent, District Directors, and the hostess Chapter Regents.

This officer attended the 101st Continental Congress where she served on a House Committee and participated in the installation ceremony. She attended the Executive Board meeting in June, and was a guest of the Captain Jesse Leavenworth Chapter at a tea honoring our State Regent. It was a delight to present a program at a fall luncheon to the Courtney-Spalding

Chapter, and to attend a meeting of the Desire Tobey Sears Chapter in November. This officer was the guest speaker for the Annual Meeting of the Retired Teacher Association in Smith County which was an excellent opportunity to "Tell the DAR Story."

The 1992 Fall Tour was the highlight of the year. This officer attended the Fall Board of Management meeting, all District meetings, and participated in the rededication ceremony of the Santa Fe Trail Marker at Burlingame. Much appreciation is expressed to the hostess chapters and to the District Directors who planned and provided a wonderful atmosphere of friendship, fun and learning.

It is a pleasure and a privilege to serve the State Society, and to work with my fellow State Officers and State Regent. Thank you for the many courtesies which you have extended to this officer.

## **STATE CHAPLAIN**

**Mrs. Richard D. Standrich**

This officer attended Continental Congress, the Golden West Tea, the tea in honor of the State Regent, on June 13, at Leavenworth, all Executive and Board of Management meetings, Fall Tour and State Conference.

Sixty-three chapters followed the Opening Ritual at their meetings each month.

Fifty-seven chapters have copies of the DAR Ritual.

Sympathy notes were written to families of deceased members. Notes of appreciation from families indicate the value of this service.

A reporting form was compiled for chapters to use in reporting deceased members to the State Chaplain.

The Memorial was prepared for State Conference and a Meditation was made to be placed in the Kansas Chapel during Continental Congress.

The office of State Chaplain is filled with many blessings, thank you for the privilege of serving.

## **STATE RECORDING SECRETARY**

**Mrs. Larry D. Ream**

The State Recording Secretary attended the 101st Continental Congress where she served on the Credentials Committee. She attended and recorded minutes of all Executive, Finance Committee and Board of Management meetings. The 1992 Fall Board of Management minutes were mailed to all voting members.

The majority of the 1991-1992 Annual Report and Proceedings were distributed at all four District meetings on the Fall Tour. The remainder were mailed in accordance with KSDAR Standing Rule Number 1.



This officer was a guest of Captain Jesse Leavenworth Chapter at a tea honoring our State Regent and participated in the rededication ceremony of the Santa Fe Trail Marker in Burlingame, Kansas.

Bids were taken and a printer contracted for the publication of the 1992-1993 Annual Report and Proceedings.

An IBM PS/1 computer was purchased in August and is proving to be a valuable asset in the performance of the duties of this office. It is in use during this State Conference.

A letter of instructions for preparing reports for the Proceedings was sent to all Chapter Regents and State Chairmen in the January 1993, mailing of the State Corresponding Secretary.

The reports of the chapters and committees have provided this officer the opportunity to gain a better insight into the activities of our State Society. It has been a privilege to work with the State Regent, other State Officers and you, the Kansas Daughters.

#### **STATE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY      Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter**

Since her election at the Ninety-fourth State Conference in March 1992, this officer has attended Continental Congress, the tea honoring the State Regent, hosted by Captain Jesse Leavenworth Chapter, the Fall Tour, and all meetings of the State Executive Committee, the Finance Committee and the Board of Management.

Letters were mailed to chapter regents, in June, giving information needed for preparation of chapter yearbooks.

Regent's packets were prepared and distributed at the Fall Board of Management meeting and the four District meetings on Fall Tour.

The State Conference Call was mailed to all National Officers residing in the state, Honorary State Regents, State Officers, Chapter Regents, State Committee Chairmen and District Directors. The mailing included the State Credential Form, Chapter Officer List, the 1993 KSDAR proposed budget, instructions for preparing annual reports, and hotel reservation forms.

Invitations to the 1993 State Conference banquet were mailed to special guests and heads of other lineage organizations.

She has been available to assist the State Regent when requested.

The help and cooperation of Kansas Daughters have made it a pleasure for this officer to serve KSDAR as Corresponding Secretary this year.

#### **STATE ORGANIZING SECRETARY      Mrs. G. D. Spafford**

This officer has attended all District meetings, the Board of Management meeting, and four Executive Committee meetings. It was a great pleasure to be present for the lovely tea given on June 13, for our State Regent, by her chapter in Leavenworth.

Although we have not had the honor to organize a new chapter this year, we are very pleased that our current 64 chapters have "continued the commitment" and that no chapters have been lost through disbandment or merger. All of our State Officers are prepared to assist chapters in any way to maintain memberships and to gain new members.

We continue to encourage members to enroll all eligible family members as a basic building block in our membership program. Prospective membership blanks have been utilized by several chapters and these have been forwarded, by this officer, to State Regents throughout the country. Emporia Chapter especially is to be commended for its work in this endeavor.

The chapter is the heart of our Society. It is in the chapter that our common heritage is nurtured and we are bound together to ensure that the patriot influence entrusted to our care is felt in the community, and from there to our state and nation.

## **STATE TREASURER**

**Mrs. John D. Afton**

This officer attended all Executive Board meetings, Board of Management, District meetings, dedication of Santa Fe Trail Marker at Burlingame, State Conference and Continental Congress.

All monies of the Kansas Society remain on deposit at the 1st National Bank of Wichita, Kansas. Lower interest rates are reflected in the amount of interest income for 1992, of \$3,988.11 compared to \$6,668.67 in 1991.

Nutplus, a software program, has been installed on the computers used by the State Registrar and State Treasurer. The Registrar has created a file for each Kansas Daughter that is constantly updated because of address or surname change, new admissions, resignations, transfer or death. This officer is able to access the group of files through exchange of computer disks with the Registrar and wishes to express appreciation for the privilege.

Sixty-one chapters of sixty-four met the monetary requirements for Honor Roll. All chapters remitted their dues and contributions on or before December 1, 1992. Smoky Hill Chapter is recognized for being first to remit by June 14, 1992—what a way to celebrate Flag Day! Seventy-two members have been admitted to the Kansas Society since October 7, 1992—state dues for thirty-two of them remain unpaid.

This officer has enjoyed serving the Kansas Society the past year and deeply appreciates the cooperation of every one involved with finances. Chapter Treasurers are doing a great job!

There have been personal mountains for your treasurer and other fellow officers to climb this year but your concerns and support have been felt. Some are still climbing—still need your support. We thank you for caring.

## STATE REGISTRAR

**Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger**

The Kansas Society is now fully computerized. It has been a very long year getting all of the inactive files on the computer, installing the various programs for the State Officers, including the label program for the State Reporter. This was in addition to maintaining the day-to-day records. With the cooperation of the chapters, our files have most of the information as the National Society.

This officer attended the Continental Congress where she worked on a Congressional Committee. She was very privileged to be selected to attend a week long workshop, presented by the NSDAR Genealogical Section, where, with fourteen other ladies, (one of whom was our lovely Registrar General), worked on verifying supplementals. She attended all Executive Board meetings, made the Fall Tour, attended the tea in honor of our State Regent, assisted in the installation of several chapters' officers, and presented a workshop on the advantages of the lineage kit.

The following is the statistical report for 1992-1993:

Total membership February 15, 1992:	3,763
Total membership February 15, 1993:	3,689
with 63 Members-at-Large.	

We have had a decrease of 84, but many chapters have advised they have papers working.

Chapters showing an increase:	20
Chapters showing a decrease:	38
Chapters showing no change:	6
Total number of Chapters:	64

Again, this officer wishes to thank all Chapter Registrars for their assistance in completing the computer printout. This officer's job would have been impossible without their cooperation. To the members of the Executive Board, it has been a pleasure to work with you this year. Thank you all.

## HISTORIAN

**Mrs. Charley Shoemake**

100% reporting by chapters, 121 adult and 23 children's historical programs were given.

Graves of twelve DAR members were marked. A new gravestone placed at a Revolutionary Soldier's grave.

Chapters are working on repairing bases and lettering on Santa Fe Trail Markers. One marker is being moved to a protected location. The rededication of the Santa Fe Trail Marker in Burlingame was held September 16, 1992, using the format of the original dedication eight-five years ago.

A Santa Fe Trail Essay Contest for sixth and seventh grade students was won by Erica Courtright, sponsored by the Newton Chapter.

The Madonna of the Trail Monument in Council Grove was glazed in October.

The 1992 Outstanding American History Teacher of Kansas is Mrs. Chester James, a fifth grade teacher in Kingman Elementary School. Mrs. James was sponsored by Martha Vail Chapter.

This officer was present at the signing of the Constitution Week Proclamation by the Kansas Governor.

This officer has been involved in "Trails.": Black Dog Trail, Madonna of the Trail, the Oregon Trail, and Santa Fe Trail.

We are thinking in earnest about our National Theme, "Continuing the Commitment, Challenging the Future."

## **STATE LIBRARIAN**

**Mrs. Howard R. Walker**

This officer has attended all meetings of the Board of Management, Finance Committee, four District meetings, and all but one Executive Board meetings. She considers it an honor to have been a participant in the rededication of the Mrs. Frances Geiger Thompson stone on the Santa Fe Trail.

She has made two trips to the KSDAR Library and wants to thank the Dodge City Library Committee and the former State Librarian, Mrs. William Daniels and her husband Bill, for their kindnesses to her and her husband.

New book plates were necessary for both KSDAR and NSDAR Libraries. They have been printed and are in use. This officer wishes to thank Mrs. Avis Tyson, a professional artist and a KSDAR member, for her gift of time and talent in designing them to fit requirements.

The State Librarian is also Chairman of the Library Committee composed of Mrs. William Daniels, Mrs. Augustus diZerega, Mrs. Stanley Smith, and Mrs. Ramon Herring. The Committee has been unable to find a date when all members could meet, but they have been conferring by mail and telephone.

Library reports were received from 100% of the chapters with 48 donating materials and money to the KSDAR Library. Eight chapters donated books to the NSDAR Library.

This officer is enjoying the work with the library and the fellowship with the other officers. Thank you for the opportunity of serving.

## **CHAPTER CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE KSDAR LIBRARY**

**ABILENE CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift.

**ATCHISON CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift.

**BETTY BONNEY CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift.

**BETTY WASHINGTON CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift.

BYRD PREWITT CHAPTER:

Echoes—Laura Vivian Roquemore Williams.

Gift: Nora O. Allen in memory of her mother Laura V. R. Williams.

Monetary gift.

CAPTAIN JESSE LEAVENWORTH CHAPTER:

Monetary gift.

CIMARRON RIVER VALLEY CHAPTER:

Genealogical Column published in *Liberal Daily Times*.

Gift: Mrs. Florence Herring.

Beaver Co. (OK) Marriage Records July 1890-1900.

Monetary gift.

COFACHIQUE CHAPTER:

Monetary gift.

COURTNEY-SPALDING CHAPTER:

10,000 Vital Records of Eastern New York, 1777-1834.

Memorial: Mrs. J. Russell Throckmorton (Helen) from  
from Courtney-Spalding Chapter.

1983 Update of Descendants of John Henry Youell and Elethea  
Haskins.

DESIRE TOBEY SEARS CHAPTER:

Monetary gift.

DODGE CITY CHAPTER:

The American Genealogist, Volume 66, 1991.

Gift: Mrs. William Bunyan, Sr.

The New England Historical and Genealogical Register,  
Volume CXLV, 1991. Gift: Mrs. William Bunyan, Sr.

1880 Federal Census, Ford Co., KS, abstracted from microfilm

T9-0381 by Mrs. William Daniels. Gift: Mrs. William Daniels.

Kentucky Tax Lists (Index to Tax List). Gift: Mrs. William Daniels.

Mississippi Index of Wills 1800-1900. Memorial to Mrs. Leo Johnson  
(Thelma Sutton).

"Our Kin" The Genealogies of some of the Early Families Who Made  
History in the Founding and Development of Bedford County,  
Virginia. Memorial to Mrs. Leo Johnson (Thelma Sutton).

Monetary gift.

Library supplies. Gift: Mrs. William Daniels and Mrs. Louis Hurtig.

GIFT OF DR. MARY ISABEL WINSLOW,

former Dodge City Chapter Regent:

Connecticut Revolutionary Pensioners.

Contributions for the Genealogies of the First Settlers of Ancient  
County of Albany, NY, 1630-1800.

Early Families of Wallingford, CT.

First Census of U.S., 1790, Connecticut.

Genealogical Data from Colonial New York Newspapers.

Gilberts of New England, Part I.

Gilberts of New England, Part II.

History of Colony of New Haven before and after the Union  
with CT.

New York Historical Manuscripts Dutch, Land Papers,  
Volume GG, HH, II.

New York Historical Manuscripts Minutes of the Mayors Court  
of NY, 1674-1675.

New York State Key and Guide to Genealogical Records of  
New York, Inc. Maps, Histories, Charts, etc.

Van Deursen Family, Volume I.

Van Deursen Family, Volume II.

Westchester Patriarchs, a Genealogical Dictionary of  
Westchester County, NY Families prior to 1775.

Winslow Memorial, Volume I.

Winslow Memorial, Volume II.

**EMPORIA CHAPTER:**

Memorial: Nellie Brown Goll Burow.

**EUNICE STERLING CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift.

**FLORES del SOL CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift.

**FORT LARNED CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift.

**FOUR WINDS CHAPTER:**

Some Descendants of Nathaniel Woodward Who Came from  
England to Boston about 1630 (appendix: Descendants  
of Robert Woodward, different line). Gift: Mrs. Howard R.  
Walker.

A Walker Family History with an Allied Baker Line, Descendants of  
Samuel Walker b. 1749 and his seven Children from North  
Carolina to Henry County, Kentucky to Central Indiana and  
elsewhere. Gift: Mr. and Mrs. Howard R. Walker.

Rebinding of Winslow Memorial, Volume I. Gift: In honor of Dodge  
City State Library Committee from Mrs. Howard R. Walker.

Rebinding of Winslow Memorial, Volume II. Gift: In honor of  
Howard R. Walker, Governor of the Kansas Society of  
Mayflower Descendants from Mrs. Howard R. Walker.

Library supplies. Gift: Mrs. Howard R. Walker.

**GENERAL EDWARD HAND CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift.

**ISABELLA WELDIN CHAPTER:**

Cemeteries of Butler County, Kansas Volume 7.

Gift: Mrs. John Afton

Monetary gift.

JAMES ROSS CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

JANE DEAN COFFEY CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

JEREMIAH HOWARD CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

JOHN ATHEY CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

KANZA CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

LITTLE ARKANSAS CHAPTER:  
Tucker, Ashbrook and Alsbury from Maryland to Virginia.  
Gift: Mrs. Kaye Stanley.

LOIS WARNER CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

MARAIS des CYGNES CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

MARTHA VAIL CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

MARY WADE STROTHER CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

MINISA CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

NATHAN EDSON CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

NEODESHA CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

NEWTON CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

NINNESCAH CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

OCEANUS HOPKINS CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

PELEG GORTON CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

PRAIRIE FLINT HILLS CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

PRAIRIE ROSE CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

QUIVIRA CROSSING CHAPTER:  
Monetary gift.

**RANDOLPH LOVING CHAPTER:**

What Mean Ye by these Times, (brief story of KSDAR marking of Santa Fe Trail). Gift: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Buchanan.

Williamstown (MA), The First Two Hundred Years 1753-1953 and Twenty Years Later 1953-1973. Gift: Joan Norton Mullen.

**SAGAMORE CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift.

**SAMUEL LINSKOTT CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift.

**SARAH STEWARD CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift.

**SHAWNEE MISSION CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift from Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr.

16 books given by President (KSSSAR) and Mrs. Herrick H. Kesler and listed under KSSSAR heading.

**SMOKY HILL CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift.

**TOMAHAWK CHAPTER:**

8,000 More Vital Record of Eastern New York 1804-1850.

Memorial: Clavin Curts and Robert Gunn.

Monetary gift.

**WICHITA CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift.

**WILLIAM WILSON CHAPTER:**

Monetary gift.

**WYANDOT CHAPTER:**

Waugh Family History: John of Litchfield, CT, Milo and Elizabeth (Kiou) Waugh of Ohio and Indiana.

Gift: Patricia Lee Waugh.

Monetary gift.

**KSDAR:**

Daughters of the American Revolution Magazine Volume 126, 1992, from KSDAR book fund.

Soldiers, Sailors and Patriots of the Revolutionary War –Vermont, from KSDAR book fund.

KSDAR Annual Report and Proceedings 1991-1992.

Monetary gift: Memorial to Mrs. Rueben Byler from KSDAR State Officers' Club.

Monetary gift from Mrs. L. Johnson.

**GENEALOGICAL RECORDS:**

(Mrs. G. D. Spafford, KSDAR Genealogical Records

Chairman and Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, KSDAR State Regent).

KSDAR Genealogical Records, Series 2, Volume 20, 1992.

Abstracts from "Olathe Mirror" 9 Oct. 1902-31 March 1904 (Sagamore Chapter).



KSDAR Genealogical Records, Series 2, Volume 21, 1992.  
Bible Records (11 records) (Minisa Chapter).  
KSDAR Genealogical Records, Series 2, Volume 22, 1992.  
Miscellaneous Records.

**KSSSAR:**

Ancestry from A to Z: Amos, Zoll and Related Families.  
Gift: Eugene P. Amos. (KSSSAR)  
Sloggett Family History. Gift: Robert E. Burt (KSSSAR)  
and Mary Burt (NSDAR).  
The following 16 books are a gift from Mr. Herrick H. ("Kes") Kesler,  
President of KSSSAR and his wife Jean, member of Shawnee  
Mission Chapter, KSDAR.  
Ashland, Kansas 1884-1984.  
Century of Stars, History of City of Bucklin, KS and surrounding  
community, 1887-1987.  
Centennial, Latham, KS 1885-1985.  
Centennial, Horton, KS 1886-1986.  
Confederate Roll of Honor: Missouri.  
Family Histories and Stories of Miami County, KS  
Gilbert Family.  
Meade, KS Centennial 1885-1985.  
Otis, KS 1886-1986.  
Peck, KS 1887-1987.  
Potwin Centennial 1885-1985.  
Prowers (Colorado) County History.  
Scott County, KS Centennial 1886-1986.  
Stafford County History, 1870-1990.  
Sylvia, KS 1887-1987.  
Woodbine, KS Centennial 1887-1987.

**MISCELLANEOUS GIFTS:**

Doane Family Association of America.  
Gift: Mrs. H. B. Brehm.  
Droste Family History. Gift: Mrs. Laura Tassett.  
Stegman Family History. Gift: Mrs. Laura Tassett.  
Records of First Church, Beverly, MA. Gift: Unknown.  
The Treeseacher, Volume 34, 1992. Gift: Kansas Genealogical  
Society.

**GIFTS TO NSDAR LIBRARY FROM KANSAS CHAPTERS**

**GOOD-LAND CHAPTER:**

History and Genealogy of Families in Pickett County.  
Gift: Enola Rich Roehrer honoring Mrs. Naomi Clark,  
in memory of Abraham McClellan.

**JOHN ATHEY CHAPTER:**

A Century of Blessings, The First Presbyterian Church,  
Hoxie, KS 1886-1986. In memory of Bonnie Gridley Brown.

**JOHN HAUPT CHAPTER:**

Elijah and Mary Ellen Kaylor Rhodes Family History:  
Gift: LaRita M. Neeley.

**SAGAMORE CHAPTER:**

The Schubrein-Schibendrein Family in Germany 1668-1751  
The Ancestor of the Shuptrine Family in Georgia.

**SHAWNEE MISSION CHAPTER:**

The Sumner County Story. Gift: Mrs. William R. Roberts  
honoring Mrs. Celena Barbara Gabel McKibben.

**TOMAHAWK CHAPTER:**

Our Bunn Generations in America 1696-1963.  
Gift: Mrs. Jennifer Bunn Weddle.

**TOPEKA CHAPTER:**

Updated History and Genealogy of the Isenberg Family.  
Gift: Faye Hill Greene and Fern Hill Hogue in honor  
of Clara Dawna Isenberger Hill.

**WICHITA CHAPTER:**

The Dockstader Family —Descendants of George Dockstatter,  
Volume 3. Memorial to Elizabeth Dockstader Kagey.

**STATE REPORTER**

**Mrs. James N. Shirley**

The primary duty of the State Reporter is editing and supervising the publication of the KSDAR Newsletter. This position is an exciting one because of the correspondence with so many chapters throughout the state. It is the chapter's reporting that makes our Newsletter interesting and the official announcements that make it important to save.

The cooperation of the State Registrar cannot be stressed enough. She has provided the mailing labels for the Newsletter and has fulfilled this duty with accuracy and promptness. The State Corresponding Secretary has also been a great help to this Reporter.

Two issues of the Newsletter are published each year. One in August, giving information for Fall Tour and one in February for State Conference.

An innovation of this administration has been a "pull-out" sheet of four pages giving the names and addresses of all State Officers, Chapter Regents and State Committee Chairmen. These will be updated as necessary.

Lastly, this officer wishes to thank the members of her chapter who contributed time and labor to fold, tab and label the Newsletters prior to mailing. In so doing they have saved the Kansas Society over two hundred dollars per issue.

## **REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN OF NATIONAL COMMITTEES**

### **AMERICAN HERITAGE**

**Mrs. David L. Hawn**

During the past year Kansas Chapters have participated in writing poetry writing short stories and making crafts.

Kansas sponsored a Poetry Contest within the state, the theme was "Honoring our American Heritage." There were fourteen entries. The judges were non KSDAR members, two were past teachers and one is teaching at the present. It had to be difficult to judge these poems as they were all very good.

In the letter announcing the contest, there was to be only one winner there were at least three, "They Worked and Dreamed" by Mrs. Frank Brune, Betty Washington Chapter; "Honoring our American Heritage", by Mrs. F. Stephen Warner, Quivira Crossing Chapter; and "My American Heritage" by Mrs. Hugh Ransom, Martha Vail Chapter. A short story, "Jays George" by Eveline E. Conway, was sent in, it was outstanding. We have a National winner in Crafts, Mrs. John Afton, won first place in Cross Stitch.

Fifty-three chapters gave programs, thirty-three toured historic places, forty five work at museums, thirty-five do preservation work, fourteen sent in poetry, one short story and one craft were sent to National.

Dodge City Chapter reported microfilming the Historian Scrapbook of years since organization up to 1992, for the Kansas Heritage Center. If there was room there, for all of the chapters in Kansas to do this, it would be a nice project. (Kansas has one hundred percent reporting.)

### **AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH**

**Mrs. Glen E. Mayden**

The pleasant part of being American History Month Chairman is the enthusiastic reports received from chapter chairmen. We had 100% reporting.

The exciting news is that 636 essays were received from schools, of these forty-two were sent to the state contest. The bibliographies of the ones sent to the state judges were truly impressive.

Ninety-six schools took part in the project. This increased media coverage and promoted awareness of KSDAR activities.

Total newspaper coverage was 727 inches with thirty-four photographs and eleven feature stories. Thirty-two window displays and radio and television coverage of 117 minutes were also reported.

On January 26, 1993, Governor Joan Finney proclaimed February as American History Month. State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark and State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter witnessed the event. Thirty-three chapters had proclamations issued by city mayors or county commissions. Fifty-eight chapters had one or more programs on American History, and thirty-two had window displays.

The four state essay winners and the sponsoring chapters are:

Fifth grade, Talia Pendleton, Neodesha Chapter,  
Sixth grade, Darren Haag, Emporia Chapter,  
Seventh grade, Jennifer Jo Lindquist, Mary Wade Strother Chapter,  
Eighth grade, Alison Brox, Quivira Crossing Chapter.

The essay by fifth grade student, Talia Pendleton, was also selected as first in the South Central Division and was forwarded to National where her essay placed third in the National contest.

The students will receive certificates and silver medals at the Awards Ceremony at State Conference.

Thank you, Madam State Regent, for the privilege of serving on this interesting committee.

## **AMERICAN INDIANS**

**Mrs. Rick Sellers**

The aim of the American Indians Committee is to continue with our help to the Native Americans. Kansas Chapters have responded generously to this objective. The scholarships were increased from \$300.00 to \$500.00 for students seeking financial aid for their education. Kansas Daughters donated \$133.00 from the American Indian Scholarship Fund and the General Fund for this purpose. Bacone College, who needed our help to restore the Chapel that was destroyed by fire, received \$334.00 from Kansas Daughters. The American Indian Church, the old Meeting House that was built around 1657, by the Pilgrims to teach the Wampanoag Indians Christianity, received \$105.00. The Chemawa Fund also had \$105.00 donated and \$6.00 went to special projects. Kansas Chapters saved over 8,400 soup labels and sent over 26 boxes and over \$315.00 to the White Cross Thrift Shop at Bacone.

Many interesting programs were given this year on American Indians, including: "My life on an Indian Reservation", a Bacone graduate who sang songs and told her story; a weigh-in fund raiser; and a "Gift from the Heart" Valentine's Day gift of supplies.

This Chairman also had the privilege of participating in the Flame Spirit Run—carrying of the Flame of Peace Torch across America.

This Chairman congratulates the Kansas Daughters on their impressive efforts for this committee.

## **AMERICANISM AND DAR MANUAL FOR CITIZENSHIP**

**Mrs. Chester Metcalf**

It has been a privilege and learning experience to serve as the Committee Chairman.

Several chapters participated in various activities honoring our new citizens. These activities range from putting together receptions and teas,

serving refreshments, having programs, handing out flag stickers and bookmarks.

Many small, 3x5 inch, U. S. Flags were presented to new citizens and a large U. S. Flag was given to a recreation center. Other memorabilia include flag pins, Pledge of Allegiance brochures and bookmarks.

Two chapters have written to me and are in the process of working on presenting the Medal of Honor.

Please keep up the good work on promoting Americanism and know that this is the best place to live.

## **CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

**Mrs. Laurence Ellis**

The Kansas State Society Children of the American Revolution was supported financially by sixty-four chapters. Chapters also reported donations and gifts to State Conference to be sold and the proceeds used for the State C.A.R. Ninety-five dollars was donated to three local C.A.R. Societies, \$191.00 was donated to the National Project and \$50.00 was donated to the Great Plains Regional Meeting.

Six chapters sponsor or co-sponsor Kansas C.A.R. Societies. Senior leadership either on the local, state, or national levels was provided by ladies from five DAR chapters. C.A.R. activities were reported at thirty-three meetings and seven programs were given.

Miss Claire Xidis, State President and Mrs. A. E. Carpenter, Senior State President helped K.S.C.A.R. to EXPLORE how to "Come Alive by '95" and to promote the National Project: Mt. Vernon: "Dig up our Past, Make it Last."

This chairman appreciates the efforts given to C.A.R. work this year by the KSDAR chapters.

## **CONSERVATION**

**Mrs. McCager W. Thompson**

Outstanding Conservation projects were activated with 100% reporting. Chapters RECYCLED 13,476 pounds of material—Little Arkansas recycled 8,650 pounds. Members REDUCED by car-pooling, turning down thermostats and electricity off. Most REUSED items—grocery bags. Chapters sold aluminum cans to pay for yearbooks, and for a Church Vacation Bible School.

Over 400 trees, 181 shrubs, and 529 bulbs, flowers and wildlife seed packets reported.

Donations made to "Trees of Life," "Operation Wild Life," and Wichita, The Botanica Gardens.

"Adopt-A-Highway," grass for Wildlife Habitat, Backyard Habitat, composts, and terracing land were recorded. Kansas Bankers Award for Conservation received by a Council Oak family.

Two bird feeders, 11,339 pounds of birdseed, and 50 pounds of corn for squirrels were reported.

Six chapters had Conservation programs. One had one-minute "highlights", another kept articles in book form.

Conservation medals were presented by Abilene Chapter to Mr. Edwin Earl Richardson, and by Tomahawk Chapter to Miss Marian Gault.

Conservation Awards:

1. Little Arkansas—Best Overall Conservation Report.
2. Newton—For Conservation Display. at Newton Public Library.
3. Isabelle Weldin—Best Recycling Report.
4. Quivira Crossing—221 trees planted.
5. James Ross—5,237 pounds bird seed provided.
6. Council Oak—Best Programs: "Toxic Waste" and "Water System Hazards."
7. Mrs. Dwight Dunham, Dodge City Chapter—  
For organizing the Meade County Recycling Program.

## **CONSTITUTION WEEK**

**Mrs. Raymond Schreiber**

Throughout the week, citizens of Kansas were reminded of their heritage by the displays in schools, libraries, banks and other businesses and, by the spot announcements on television and radio. The announcements were enhanced by background patriotic music and by Flags of the U.S.A. being flown.

One chapter lettered the Preamble to the Constitution on a tee shirt and used it as part of their display. Several chapters had bookmarks, Preamble cards, Flag Codes, and other free items for interested people.

Our State Regent, State Historian and State Constitution Chairman attended the signing of the Proclamation by Governor Joan Finney declaring September 17-23, as Constitution Week in Kansas. Throughout the state a total of 53 proclamations was issued for cities and counties. Our chapters had a total of 393 1/4 inches of publicity: 45 articles, 13 pictures, 5 editorials and 8 letters to editors. There were 440 minutes of radio publicity with 384 spot announcements and 2 programs; and 35 minutes of television resulting from 11 spot announcements. Eye catching displays were placed in 53 schools, 22 libraries, 12 banks, 39 stores and 1 museum. Forty-one chapters observed Constitution Week.

Thank you all for 100% reporting.

## **DAR GOOD CITIZENS**

**Mrs. Stan Kippenberger**

The Kansas Daughters of the American Revolution have responded in a positive manner in the search for this years DAR Good Citizen. Fifty-five out of sixty-four chapters participated by contacting one hundred and seventy-five schools. Twelve new schools were contacted this year.

Once again, Courtney Spalding Chapter sponsored the greatest number of students, eight. The Polly Ogden Chapter has the distinction of contacting the most schools, thirteen. They tied with General Edward Hand Chapter for second place in the number of students participating, five.

Chapters presented their students with pins, certificates, and pocket cards. Many chapters honored the student with teas, luncheons and at chapter meetings; gifting them with books, flags and a total of \$710.00, either in cash or savings bonds. General Edward Hand Chapter presented their local winner with \$200.00.

The State winner, Erin K. Shoulberg, was announced at the Youth Awards Ceremony at State Conference. She was sponsored by Betty Washington Chapter, Mrs. Richard Woodward, Chapter Chairman.

It is an honor and privilege to meet such enthusiastic and dedicated students. The chapters are to be congratulated on their efforts and success in presenting the state with such talented participants.

## **DAR MAGAZINE**

**Mrs. Raymond J. Kaufman**

Reports were received from sixty-four (64) chapters for one hundred percent reporting.

Kansas chapters donated fifty (50) DAR Magazine subscriptions to public libraries, schools, colleges, universities, Veterans Hospitals, retirement homes, YWCA, and historical societies. This is a drop from sixty-seven (67) subscriptions to such facilities in 1992.

Good news is that forty-three Kansas chapters made the twenty (20) percent subscription requirement for Honor Roll. Quivira Crossing was leader in the state with sixty-one (61) percent of the members subscribing to the magazine. Newton was second with forty-eight (48) percent subscribing.

Sad news is that twenty-one (21) chapters did not meet Honor Roll for magazine subscriptions. Kansas subscribers to the magazine total 831 or 22 plus percent of the total membership.

Chapter Regents receive in March, from Headquarters in Washington, D.C., a copy of the magazine subscribers within their chapter. They pass this list to the Chapter Magazine Chairman so that she can check the expiration date of the magazine and keep the chapters always on the Honor Roll.

## **DAR MAGAZINE ADVERTISING**

**Mrs. Robert N. Neubert**

Three full pages of camera-ready copy, including one page devoted to the Kansas State Regent and the State Officers; a page honoring the 1992 Kansas Outstanding Junior, Mrs. Kirkman Graves Baxter, a member of the Quivira Crossing Chapter; and a third page focusing on the Kansas District Directors and their assistants, are to be in the May 1993, issue of DAR Magazine.

Chapter reporting was 100% with fifty-nine chapters donating \$1,770.00 to the state co-op ads to National; two chapters placed commercial ads. Please inform the State Magazine Advertising Chairman when an ad has been placed directly with National.

One chapter donated \$10.00 to State. However, a chapter must donate \$30.00 to the co-op State Magazine Fund to qualify for Honor Roll or submit an ad costing at least \$30.00 to the National DAR Magazine office, sending the ad and the check for the ad at the same time.

A full-page announcement of Mrs. Richard C. McGehee's candidacy for Vice President General appeared in the February 1993, issue of the DAR Magazine. Twelve chapters contributed \$270.00 toward the page in addition to their individual \$30.00 co-op ad contribution.

It is a pleasure to serve in this capacity during the administration of Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, Kansas State Regent.

## **DAR MUSEUM**

**Mrs. Neil L. Price**

Sixty-four chapters reported, giving a total of 100%. Fifty-four chapters contributed \$80.00 to the Museum General Fund, \$204.00 to the Friends of the Museum and \$51.00 to the Book Fund.

There were fifteen chapters who gave programs on the NSDAR Museum, twelve of them using slides, and eleven Correspondent Docent programs were given. Twenty-one chapters had programs for Honor Roll credit.

Thirteen chapters gave programs or toured other museums, including visits to the Cherokee Strip Museum, The Arabia, Trails Center in Independence, Missouri, and Shawnee Indian Mission.

A \$200.00 memorial tribute in honor of Mrs. Reuben E. Byler, deceased member of the Newton Chapter, was contributed to the Friends of the Museum.



## **DAR SCHOLARSHIP**

**Mrs. Kenneth A. Rice**

The DAR Scholarship Committee is happy to report that all sixty-four chapters reported.

A total of \$245.00 was donated to NSDAR American History Scholarship, the Occupational Therapy Scholarship, and the Caroline E. Holt Scholarship programs. A total of \$82.00 was donated for the KDSAR Scholarship program.

Five chapters reported separate scholarship awards ranging from \$50.00 savings bonds to interest accrued on savings accounts. Washburn University reports six scholarships are awarded in the name of Topeka DAR. Wichita Chapter established a memorial scholarship at Friends University with the first recipient being awarded a scholarship in 1992-1993.

Kansas entered an application into the NSDAR American History Scholarship contest, and nine applications were filed for the KSDAR Scholarship.

Casey Scott Markee, Augusta, Kansas, sponsored by Susannah French Putney Chapter, was the NSDAR American History Scholarship applicant. He will attend Cornell College, Mount Vernon, Iowa. Erin Lee Watts, Derby, Kansas, sponsored by Little Osage Trail Chapter, was the applicant chosen for the KSDAR Scholarship. Erin will attend the University of Kansas. Joy Hawley, sponsored by Dodge City Chapter, received the 1992-1993 NSDAR Occupational Therapy Scholarship. She is attending the University of Kansas.

The chapter DAR Scholarship Chairmen should take a bow for their excellent work. The scholarship program of DAR is an outstanding opportunity to create interest in our organization in each community and at the same time help our youth.

## **DAR SCHOOLS**

**Mrs. John Oakleaf**

It is the pleasure of this committee chairman to report 100% of the KSDAR chapters furnished reports of their year's work.

Forty-two chapters collected and sent 20,261 labels to the schools. Over 1,000 pounds of clothing were donated by eight chapters. Thirty-five postage stamps and over 2,600 coupons were sent.

Fifty-seven chapters reported cash contributions through the State Treasurer. The following amounts represent the total financial gifts given during the past year: Tamasee-\$371.98, Kate Duncan Smith-\$381.50, Hindman-\$192.00, Crossnore-\$212.00, Hillside-\$150.00, and Berry-\$173.50.

Six chapters reported having a program on the schools; How Can We Help; Our DAR Schools; Measure Up for Education...In Inches; a slide program—DAR Schools, and a film about Berry College presented by a former student, Martha Hilley—named for Martha Berry.

Special projects include Christmas gifts to the Thrift Shop, The Bird Cage, or Bacone College. A few chapters have clothing drives to collect garments to be sent to the schools. Two chapter regents took advantage of the Dillons store special to sent 1,000 labels to a school of their choice, which was a DAR school.

#### **DAR SERVICE FOR VETERAN-PATIENTS      Mrs. Alec S. Odevseff**

Results of the tabulation of service, donations and time given to Veterans and nursing homes are impressive indeed. Incredibly, the DAR ladies contributed 6,780 hours to the Veterans and the elderly. The grand total value came to \$45,053.00 and 22,903 miles were logged in the process.

Eighty-two parties were given and donated, including cash of \$291.85, comfort items, magazines, books, puzzles, cards, party food, favors and both stamped and unstamped Christmas and other cards. One chapter delivered four pick-up trucks full of magazines and books, another adopted two patients, one lady drove 112 miles once a week to volunteer, one spent ten hours writing newsletters for Korean Veterans, and then there are the always faithful, dedicated ladies who knit and sew. A total of 524 ounces of stamps was donated. In addition, four chapters contributed \$145.00 to the Veterans Hurricane Flood Fund in Florida.

Eighty-six percent of the chapters actively participated in this committee's work. We will strive for the magical 100% next year.

This chairman enjoys working with all chapters in providing comfort, care and concern for those who served our country so honorably. It is an opportunity for all of us to share.

#### **THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**Mrs. Gus M. Ramirez**

Congratulations to Kansas Chapters for presenting 22 large, 902 small and 778 miniature American Flags this year! Flags were presented to new chapter members, DAR Good Citizens, American History Essay Award winners and new citizens. One chapter gave two Braille Flags to city libraries, and one gave hand made Flag pins.

All chapters give the Pledge of Allegiance at the chapter meetings. October 12, 1992, marked the 100th Anniversary of the Pledge of Allegiance, written by Francis Bellamy. This chairman was invited to attend a ceremony to honor this event, commemorated by the Quivira Crossing Chapter in cooperation with the city of Lenexa.

Several chapters report featuring "Flag Facts" at each meeting, some giving Certificates of Appreciation to members for flying the Flag consistently and most reported having Flag programs. Some of these were quite unique. Several continue to faithfully observe the 21-Day Flag Salute.

The state winner of the Francis Scott Key Poetry Contest honoring "The Star Spangled Banner" is Miss Abbie Graham, sponsored by Betty Washington Chapter, Lawrence. The title of her poem is "Our Flag." She was presented with a certificate and received a memento from the Francis Scott Key Park Foundation.

## **GENEALOGICAL RECORDS**

**Mrs. William D. Daniels**

This State Chairman received 100% reporting from sixty-four Kansas chapters. Twelve chapters submitted 1,147 pages of material. Fifty-two chapters reported no activity.

KSDAR sent three volumes and one genealogy to the NSDAR National Committee Chairman: Death Records [Dodge City, General Edward Hand, Mary Wade Strother, and Topeka Chapter]; Bible and County Records [Arthur Barrett, Captain Jesse Leavenworth, Emporia, Fort Larned, Minisa and Tomahawk Chapter]; Newspaper Abstracts, complete volume [Sagamore Chapter]; My Wiley Families from A to Z by Helen Wiley Lee, a genealogy [Eunice Sterling Chapter].

KSDAR also presented duplicate volumes to KSDAR Library in Dodge City and the Center for Historical Research in Topeka.

With genealogical records no longer on the Honor Roll, fewer chapters submitted pages. The quality of the work remained high. Your State Chairman looks forward to next year as the local chapters locate, prepare and send in original genealogical records that will become a part of the extensive KSDAR genealogical records collection in Washington, D. C., Topeka and Dodge City.

It has been a pleasure to serve as your Genealogical Records State Chairman in 1992-1993.

## **HONOR ROLL**

**Mrs. Kenneth Beal**

This chairman was pleased to receive reports from all sixty-four chapters giving Kansas 100% reporting.

There were forty-seven chapters receiving awards of which twenty-four were gold, ten were silver, and thirteen were honorable mention.

**GOLD:** Arthur Barrett, Eunice Sterling, Flores del Sol, General Edward Hand, Good-Land, Isabella Weldin, John Haupt, Little Arkansas, Martha Vail, Mary Wade Strother, Minisa, Mission Hills, Newton, Olathe, Peleg Gorton, Prairie Flint Hills, Quivira Crossing, Sagamore, Sarah Steward, Shawnee Mission, Susannah French Putney, Tomahawk, Topeka and Wichita.

**SILVER:** Betty Washington, Byrd Prewitt, Cofachique, Dodge City, Fort Larned, Little Osage Trail, Marais des Cygnes, Molly Foster Berry, Samuel Linscott and Stone Corral.

HONORABLE MENTION: Abilene, Captain Jesse Leavenworth, Cimarron River Valley, Desire Tobey Sears, Emporia, John Athey, Kanza, Lois Warner, Nathan Edson, Ninnescah, Polly Ogden, Randolph Loving and Smoky Hill.

## **JUNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS**

**Mrs. Ralph French**

Kansas had 100% of chapters reporting. Dodge City, Sagamore, Eunice Sterling and Isabella Weldin sponsored JAC activities. One hundred-forty students, in eleven schools, took part in the program this year. The JAC items distributed were: 140 pins and membership cards, 86 handbooks and 46 United States Flags. Two Thatcher Awards were presented.

Our 1992-1993 theme, "1492-1992, 500 years of American Discovery," was inspirational to the 117 students involved in the contest. The idea of space exploration and science appealed to many in the Art category, while famous Americans and their personal experiences appealed to the writers most often. Entries of twenty-four first place finalists were forwarded to our Division Chairman for further judging.

The first place winners and sponsoring chapter is as follows: ART-STAMP: Dodge City—Austin Fruechting, second grade; Justin Swank, third grade; Jeremy Fruechting, fifth grade; Julie Swank, sixth grade; Connie Webb, eighth grade; Amanda Pruter, fourth grade-special education. Eunice Sterling—T.J. Trent, second grade-special education. POSTER: Dodge City—Brock Stoltzfus, kindergarden; Justin Swank, third grade; James Irsik, sixth grade; Megan Tracy, fourth grade-special education. Eunice Sterling—Brittani Markano, second grade. Isabella Weldin—Amber Haslocker, fourth grade. BANNER: Dodge City—Niketa Kay Schimming, first grade; Katee Anne Schimming, sixth grade; Chris Mathias, fourth grade-special education. WRITING—POETRY: Dodge City—Danae Fieser, second grade; Beth Ann Hesterman, third grade. ESSAY: Dodge City—Beth Ann Hesterman, third grade; Justin Powell, fourth grade; Jeremy Fruechting, fifth grade; Timothy Burke, seventh grade; Connie Webb, eighth grade. SHORT STORY: Dodge City—Mae Wells, seventh grade.

Second place winners: ART-STAMP: Eunice Sterling—Barrett Culbertson, second grade. POSTER: Isabella Weldin—Yalanda Braster, third grade. Dodge City—Theron Stoltzfus, second grade.

South Central Division winners: POSTER: Dodge City—James Irsik and Megan Tracy. POETRY: Dodge City—Beth Ann Hesterman. ESSAY: Dodge City—Beth Ann Hesterman.

I would like to extend my personal thanks to all chapter chairmen for their patience and helpful cooperation. Special thanks to Mrs. Dwight Dunham and Mrs. McCager Thompson for their outstanding efforts on behalf of the Kansas JAC Program.

## **JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP**

**Mrs. Kevin Smith**

The Junior Membership Committee would like to thank all chapters for reporting 100%. We have a total of 314 Juniors. Juniors are serving the Society in the following capacities: State Chairman-4, Chapter Regents-2, Chapter Officers-13, Chapter Chairman-30.

Total contributions to the Helen Pouch Fund were \$1,018.00. Mrs. Doug Kocher, State Sales Vice Chairman, reports Junior sales and contributions to Junior Bazaar were very good at State Conference.

Mrs. Steven Cohorst, State Contest Vice Chairman, reports that Mrs. Ricky Sellers, is the 1992-1993 Kansas Outstanding Junior. We are proud that Jodi has received this award twice. Jodi is recognized as the South Central Divisional winner. She has been an active member since 1978 with the Council Oak Chapter. This committee has given financial assistance of \$150.00 to help with her expenses to Continental Congress.

A special thanks to Mrs. Cohorst for her most effective handling of the Junior Contest.

Mrs. Smith announced the Juniors' money making project for this administration. A Joke Book is to be compiled from chapter contributions of favorite humor. We hope to sell it at the next State Conference.

Remember to keep the Juniors in mind as you plan your upcoming DAR activities. The goals of this committee are: 1. Increase membership, 2. Improve sales of Junior products, and 3. Involve Juniors in DAR programs and activities. Thanks to everyone for their continued support of our Juniors and this committee.

## **LINEAGE RESEARCH**

**Mrs. Albert R. Hagemann**

All 64 chapters in the State sent in reports giving us 100% reporting.

A total of 181 prospective members was assisted by Lineage Research Chairmen with fifty of them becoming members and some of the prospective members still continuing work on their papers.

During the year, I have had one request for assistance in another state and the information was sent on to that State Lineage Research Chairman for her assistance.

Two Lineage Chapter Chairmen have asked for workshops. Plans for these workshops, hopefully, can be developed during State Conference.

Several of the Lineage Research Chairmen have ordered the Lineage Research Kits. These are an excellent source of information concerning DAR membership and will be an invaluable help in assisting prospective members.

Thank you for sending in your reports.

## **MEMBERSHIP**

**Mrs. Donald G. Horn**

1992-1993 Membership Theme: "Honor Our Past As We Chart Our Future." All 64 chapters, which is 100% of the chapters in Kansas, reported and many listed the various ways they had used to acquire new members.

Even though the chapters worked diligently to increase their membership, our overall state membership has decreased for this year. Forty chapters showed a decrease, four chapters remained the same and twenty chapters showed an increase.

Stone Corral Chapter had the largest percentage of increase in membership by application with 9.09%. Eunice Sterling and Shawnee Mission Chapters tied for the largest increase in membership by application with each having eight new members.

## **MOTION PICTURE, RADIO AND TELEVISION**

**Mrs. Avis L. Fisher**

I am pleased to report that we have 100% of our chapters reporting and all were prompt. From our 64 chapters only 21 reported "no activity."

The Molly Foster Berry Chapter, Fort Scott, presented certificates of appreciation to their radio station and newspaper. Ninety-eight letters have been written to the media. Twenty-six chapters took part. Tomahawk Chapter is recognized for having mailed twenty-two letters.

Current motion picture voted best for children was "*Beauty and The Beast*." For adults it was "*Sister Act*." Close to the winner were "*Dances with Wolves*" and "*A River Runs Through It*."

"*Sesame Street*" was voted as the best television show for children. "*Murder She Wrote*" was chosen by adults.

Do we have video tape legislation in our community? Chapters checking found that ten had legislation and twenty-two had none. However, most thought video stores were complying with legislation.

No chapters contributed to the NSDAR Videotape Library. The Tomahawk Chapter contributed nine historical videos of "*Freedom Trail*" to middle school and high school libraries.

It is important that we know and care what is being aired and shown that effects our children and ourselves. BECOME INVOLVED.

## **NATIONAL DEFENSE**

**Mrs. Harold B. Myers**

100% reporting!

All 64 chapters had at least 5 minutes of National Defense at each regular meeting. Sixty had one or more programs on National Defense. Seven ROTC medals and 10 Good Citizenship medals were presented. National Defense material was available at meetings of 61 chapters and 16 chapters

placed material in public places for a total of over 300 pieces. Fifty-three chapters discussed the National Resolutions and 47 the State Resolutions. Forty-eight contributed to the ROTC program and 1 to "Dollars for Defense." Sixty-two encouraged members to register and vote. Over 500 letters were sent to political leaders, members of Congress, public officials, etc.

The topics of greatest interest were: No.1 Education; No.2 The Financial State of Our Country (Economy, Deficit, Budget); No.3 Health Care.

The State Chairman's Award, consisting of a certificate and an American Flag, which had been flown over our Nation's Capitol, was presented to Flores del Sol Chapter, Wichita, for the most outstanding report.

It is a pleasure to serve on this committee.

## **PROGRAM**

**Mrs. Milton N. Thomas**

As requested by the National Chairman no yearbook contest was held. Yearbooks we received will be checked. Suggestions will be made if we feel a change or correction will be helpful to members using yearbooks.

New members join DAR because of the actions of their ancestors—they will be active members if good programs keep them coming.

Programs listed ranged from "Play Day" to "Yesterdays RVing—Life on the Oregon Trail."

Programs were on Columbus, Eleanor Roosevelt, Native Americans, POW's, Women in Lincoln's Life, The Flag, and Conservation.

Nine chapters sent entries to the Best Program Contest. Thirteen entries were sent to our Division Chairman.

A three-year "Program of Excellence" Contest—where points for these programs, yearbooks and program content will be used to give certificates to the Top Ten Chapters.

Yearbooks were printed by 54 chapters with 8 printing supplementals.

Slides, manuscripts, cassettes, and videos were used for programs.

As one program chairman stated: "We seem to find enough interesting and appropriate material at hand to adequately cover material suitable for carrying out our required programs. We use our own people where possible. Originality and creativity abound in our chapter." I know if you look and ask it does in your chapter too.

## **PUBLIC RELATIONS**

**Mrs. Wayne M. Cope**

Kansas read 790 articles, saw 223 photographs and read 6,701 news inches about activities in the 64 DAR chapters in the state.

In addition, we heard 106 minutes of radio news and 337 spots and watched 50 spot announcements on television totaling 44 minutes on our works.

Each year the DAR story seems to be more prevalent in the media—showing our public relations people are working hard.

Three chapters sent articles to National Headquarters for posting on their bulletin board. Two chapters chose to enter the National Public Relations Media Contest on “DAR Service In Our Community.” Locally DAR was promoted in a variety of ways—members spoke at clubs and schools. Chapters inspired proclamations in their towns for Constitution Week and American History Month. Youth contests were sponsored for DAR Good Citizen, ROTC awards, poster contests, scholarships. Several chapters set up exhibits and booths at fairs and libraries to distribute DAR pamphlets. However, guest day teas and meetings seemed to be Favorites to share a “Positive, Enthusiastic, Attitude toward DAR.”

“Together we can challenge the future by publicizing the DAR as a dynamic organization whose service is relevant in today’s world.” Did your community read, hear, and see all about your DAR activities?

## **SEIMES MICROFILM CENTER**

**Mrs. Ray D. Bendorf**

The new National Chairman’s Project for Seimes Microfilm Center is the acquisition of “Military Service Records of the Revolutionary War.” There are approximately 2,000 rolls of film in this collection costing \$23.00 each.

This State Chairman issues the challenge to each chapter to do what it takes to purchase one roll of film each year. With 100% of 64 chapters reporting, \$402.05 has been collected with 24 chapters participating.

I urge all chapters to start now collecting dollars for their contribution to the National Chairman’s Project for next year. Topeka Chapter donated three rolls of genealogical records film to the Seimes Center and Little Arkansas and Sarah Steward Chapters each donated census film to a public library.

I purchased a copy of the twelve minute video “DAR Seimes Microfilm Center” for use by Kansas chapters. If your chapter would like to use this film for a program, rental is \$5.00. Please return the film to me first class, insured mail. At the end of my term I will see that any money collected will be donated to Seimes Microfilm Center in the name of KSDAR State Society.



## **STATE CHAIRMEN OF NATIONAL SPECIAL COMMITTEES**

### **COMMEMORATIVE EVENTS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**Mrs. Emma Lou McDaniel**

Fifty chapters participated in at least one event and several chapters had two celebrations.

Chapters commemorated the World War II Fiftieth Anniversary of the four Chaplains, who gave their lives when their ship sank in the North Atlantic. A number of chapters have honored the women of World War II: Nurses, WACS, Waves and others who served. Dodge City honored one of its past Regents and her husband who received a medal, given by the Russian Ambassador in Washington, D.C. Art Leonard sailed in "Air Angel" to Murmansk, Russia on a "suicide" run. Chapters recognized veterans in nursing homes and Veterans Hospitals with special songs and programs.

Chapters observed Columbus Quincentennial with many interesting programs. The Laying of the Corner Stone of the White House was celebrated by several chapters. Sagamore asked the sixth graders in seven schools to compose poems for the Centennial of the "Star Spangled Banner."

Arthur Barrett Chapter Chairman wrote a song telling the history of the Pledge of Allegiance. She sang her song and gave a talk, at three elementary schools, on the history of the Pledge of Allegiance. Quivira Crossing, Lenexa; the city of Lenexa; Shawnee Mission School District and the National Guard joined together in special celebration of the Pledge of Allegiance.

Thank you Chapter Regents and Chairmen who observed these Commemorative Events of the United States of America.

### **FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY**

**Mrs. Ronnie L. Svaty**

Financial contributions to the NSDAR Library were made by two Kansas chapters. The total contribution was \$34.20. No reporting by the chapters was required this year because the State Treasurer receives the money and the report is made by her.

### **INSIGNIA**

**Mrs. Larry Overmiller**

Kansas Daughters have again been faithful in sending reports on time, with 100% reporting for this committee. Of the 64 DAR chapters in Kansas, 49 own the Chapter Regent's pin, 23 give the outgoing Regent the Ex-Chapter Regent's pin, and 13 programs were given on the Insignia at chapter meetings. Approximately 34 pins were purchased by 7 chapters. Members are urged to guard against the Insignia and other DAR pins falling into the hands of antique dealers or resale shops.

The official ribbon shall be no longer than 12 inches, nor more than 3 ribbons wide worn at one time and only on the left breast. The printed Insignia is in the place of honor, either upper center or left hand corner, with no printing above it. It is not to be used on throw away items, like cakes, napkins, etc. Be sure to keep track and report all DAR pins purchased by your chapter members on the questionnaire. HONOR OUR DAR INSIGNIA BY WEARING IT CORRECTLY AND WITH PRIDE.

## **LITERACY CHALLENGE**

**Mrs. Tod Hettenbach**

This chairman was pleasantly pleased with the number of active committees in Kansas. She hopes to get out information to have greater participation next year.

Out of sixty-four chapters, there are fifty chairmen. Fifteen chapters had a program on literacy or literacy challenge and one chapter chairman stressed it at their meetings. There were eighteen chapters involved with a local literacy program. An encouraging amount of twenty-nine chapters has members who tutor. The number of members serving on a literacy committee was eleven. A total of \$160.00 was contributed to local literacy programs.

It gives this chairman great pleasure in being able to report the above participation. Many times we take reading and writing for granted, and need to help the many who are not able to. Being a member of an organization that promotes volunteers to a worthy committee makes her proud.

Nineteen ninety-four will continue to be a challenge and this chairman wishes everyone to meet that challenge of literacy.

## **NSDAR MUSEUM**

### **CORRESPONDENT DOCENTS**

**Mrs. Martin J. Robl**

This committee is one with great potential for informing the public about the work of our society. Docent programs are available for schools, youth groups, historical societies, ladies' clubs and virtually any other gathering one might name. The museum office does a marvelous job of filling orders for these scripted slide programs both rental and purchase. Unfortunately, just over half our chapters even recognize this committee and only fifteen percent have docents.

Of the ten Docents reported to this Committee Chairman, seven were active this year, taking seven programs to chapters and eleven programs to other groups.

This chairman would like to see every chapter in the state have at least one active NSDAR Museum Correspondent Docent. The Docent program is a marvelous way to make your chapter visible in the community.

## **PRESIDENT GENERAL'S PROJECT**

**Mrs. Jerald L. Jennings**

Restoration of Constitution Hall is proposed to be the President General's Project for the administration of Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair. It is to be voted upon by the 102nd Continental Congress during April 1993.

A total of \$3,452.06 has been contributed by ALL 64 chapters of the KSDAR for the first year of this project. One hundred percent means that every chapter member has participated each year of the President General's term, so the Kansas Daughters are off to a great start toward achieving this goal.

## **REPORTS OF STATE COMMITTEES**

### **BYLAWS COMMITTEE**

**Mrs. Billy P. Compton**

The State Bylaws Committee reviewed the Bylaws of the Kansas Society and necessary amendments were presented at the State Conference to be voted on.

Some necessary changes in the Standing Rules of the Kansas Society were recommended for amendment at the State Conference.

### **KANSAS CHAPEL**

**Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr.**

The Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution has a real "treasure" in our museum room at our National Headquarters building. This "treasure" is the Kansas Chapel. It is one room in our headquarters building, where you can go in and spend a few quiet moments away from all the noise and congestion of Continental Congress.

We appreciate the money in the amount of \$365.00 for memorials that has been given by our Kanss members. The memorial names are entered in our beautiful memory book. Money remaining from inscribing the names is put in the Chapel Fund for future maintenance and refurbishment when necessary.

Fresh flowers will be placed again in the chapel during Continental Congress by the Wichita Chapter. A register will be placed for visitors to sign in with any comments they wish to make. The State Chaplain has prepared a devotional folder that will be available to all the vistors.

As you visit our chapel, take a moment to gaze at the light coming through our Sunflower windows and remember "the latch string is always out."

## STATE APPOINTMENTS

### CHAIRMAN OF PAGES

**Mrs. Doran W. Cole**

It gives this Chairman great pleasure, Madam State Regent, to serve during your first year. This is my first year as a Chairman of Pages, my first year as a Chapter Officer and only my third year to Page for State Conference. It certainly is a learning experience, but one I highly recommend.

There are many new Pages serving this year, which I think is very exciting. It has been my privilege to work with all these hard working ladies. I look forward to promoting Junior Membership and the Paging experience in our future years together. I am very pleased to present the Pages serving this Ninety-fifth Annual State Conference. They are:

Mrs. Mark Barker, Polly,  
Mrs. Richard Bullock, Denise,  
Ms. Sari Caillouett,  
Mrs. Daniel Clair, Kim,  
Mrs. Gordon Etelemaki, Sue,  
Mrs. Tod Hettenbach, Leesa,  
Miss Amy Huffman,  
Miss Nina Huffman,  
Mrs. Doug Kocher, Kristi  
Miss Gayle McGehee,  
Miss Laurie Schweiger,  
Mrs. Rick Sellers, Jodi,  
Mrs. John Tully, Vivian,  
Mrs. Oliver West, Kathryn.

Thank you, Madam State Regent.

### CONFERENCE MARSHAL

**Shirley S. Coupal**  
**Mrs. Frank Huffman**

The duties of the Conference Marshal consist of following the protocol set forth by the National Society. This protocol includes arranging processionals, recessionals and the receiving line. Additional responsibilities of the Marshal are seating of the head table, special tables for guests and reserved sections for meals and business sessions. These duties have been carried out during the Ninety-fifth Annual State Conference of the Kansas Society.

This Chairman wishes to extend special thanks to the Page Chairman, Mrs. Doran Cole, and to all the Pages for their untiring assistance. The House Committee has seen to the physical plant of the meeting and banquet rooms. Mrs. Robert N. Kline and Mrs. James Tolbert were an invaluable help to these Marshals.

A special thank you goes to Mrs. Frank Huffman, Co-Conference Marshal, for her assistance. A year ago the Kansas Society found itself without a trained Marshal to take over. Upon consultation with the most recent Marshals, the State Regent decided to enlarge both the Marshal and House Committees to include a co-chairman-in-training. This ensures that these two very important committees have continuous successors without recycling the previous chairmen.

A very special thank you goes to Mrs. Warren Coupal, Conference Chairman, her staff and the Daughters of the Northwest District, who have worked very diligently to provide this State Conference.

It has been a pleasure to work with the Honorary State Regents, State Officers, honored guests and many of the Kansas Daughters.

## **CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE**

**Mrs. Donald F. Seefeld**

This has been a very enlightening time while working with the Officers, Regents, Delegates and Alternates that attended the Ninety-fifth State Conference. They all have been very helpful, especially the last Credential Chairman, the Conference Chairman and the women from the Northwest District that helped at the registration table. I am looking forward to the next two years which should be much easier. All chapters returned the Credential Forms, however, two were after the February 8, 1993, final date. Hoping next year to have 100%. The weather and so much illness did not help.

Total registration this year was 242 which included visitors from Missouri, California and Oklahoma. Three 50-year and over members registered. We enjoyed meeting and being with these women.

## **HOUSE COMMITTEE**

**Mrs. Robert N. Kline**

**Mrs. James Tolbert**

The House Committee was initially established in 1989 to alleviate the responsibilities for physical arrangements of State Conference which were not related to the protocol of the Conference Marshal.

A Page had been assigned to the chairman, however due to the unforeseen shortage of Pages, the decision was made to have a co-chairman to assist in the duties.

The committee responsibilities are to facilitate the physical arrangements of the conference in cooperation with the Conference Chairman, Conference Marshall, and hotel management for an orderly conference.

It is a pleasurable learning experience to serve the members of the Kansas Society, and to work with the hotel management in fulfilling the obligations set by the committee.

## **PARLIAMENTARIAN**

**Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway**

The State Parliamentarian has been available for consultation in regard to concerns about parliamentary procedure and bylaws and, when requested, has rendered assistance and advice to the State Regent and other members of the Kansas Society. As a member of the State Bylaws Committee, she assisted with the preparation of amendments to the Bylaws and Standing Rules of the Kansas Society proposed for consideration at the Ninety-fifth State Conference. She has attended meetings of the State Executive Committee and the State Board of Management and is serving as Parliamentarian at this State Conference.

In compliance with a directive from the National Society made during the previous administration, this State Parliamentarian has continued the effort to compile a file of bylaws from all Kansas chapters. To that end, appeals for copies of bylaws not on file were made during the Fall District Tour and by written request. The State Parliamentarian has reviewed bylaws received from chapters and, when appropriate, has responded with suggestions.

Should the proposed revision of the Bylaws of the National Society be approved at the 102nd Continental Congress, the State Parliamentarian urges members to be alert to the effect that the revised document may have on their chapter bylaws.

## **PRESS BOOK**

**Mrs. Fred D. Stockstill**

The Kansas Press Book for 1992-1993, contains 384 news clippings and 75 photographs submitted by twenty-five chapters.

There were 49 articles with 13 photographs received from one chapter and over 20 articles received from each of six chapters.

The cooperation of those sending in news items of their chapter activities was appreciated.

## **STATE LIBRARY COMMITTEE**

**Mrs. Howard R. Walker**

Though November and December were bad weather months, the KSDAR Library was open a total of 248 days during 1992, with a total of 1,260 individuals signing the register. Visitors came from 17 KSDAR chapters, 14 states and 1 foreign country.

Dodge City Chapter Kansas DAR Library Committee members worked 415 hours at the library with at least 50 more hours worked at home with accessioning and correspondence. The mail loan use has increased from 68 books last year to 131 this year. Number of pages copied has also increased. Since both printings of the KSDAR Library Catalog have been sold out a xerox copy will be available at the price of \$5.00.

The library has added 64 books this past year including two large gifts. President of KSSAR Mr. Herrick K. Kessler and his wife, Jean, a KSDAR member gave 16 new genealogical books and Dr. Mary Isabel Winslow, former Dodge City Regent also gave 16 books.

The State Library Committee working through the chapter librarians is starting a Resource File of KSDAR Daughters who are willing to check their own personal, specialized libraries to answer questions with hopes that it will help to locate needed proof for members and prospective members.

This officer wishes to thank both the State Library Committee and the Dodge City Chapter Kansas DAR Library Committee for their dedication and work and thank the KSDAR membership for their gifts and use of the library.

## **STATE CONFERENCE AWARDS**

**Mrs. Edward Hackman**

The following chapters and individuals received Certificates of Award at the Ninety-fifth State Conference:

### **AMERICAN HERITAGE COMMITTEE**

Poetry Contest Theme "Honoring our American Heritage."

Georgiana Brune—Betty Washington Chapter.

Mary G. Warner—Quivira Crossing Chapter.

Grace Ransom—Martha Vail Chapter.

Short Story—Evelyn E. Conway.

Crafts—Mrs. John Afton—Isabella Weldin Chapter.

### **CONSERVATION**

1. Little Arkansas—Best Overall Conservation Report.
2. Newton—Conservation Display at Newton Public Library.
3. Isabella Weldin—Best Recycling Report.
4. Quivira Crossing—221 Trees Planted.
5. James Ross—5,237 pounds bird seed provided.
6. Council Oak—Best Programs: "Toxic Waste" and "Water System Hazards."
7. Jacqueline Dunham—Dodge City Chapter—For organizing the Meade County Recycling Program.

### **CONSERVATION PROGRAMS**

Prairie Flint Hills Chapter—First Place Single Chapter Narrative Contest.

Arthur Barrett Chapter—First Place Single Chapter Narrative Contest.

### **KSDAR GENEALOGICAL RECORDS**

Sagamore Chapter—Genealogical Records Award 1992-1993.

## **MEMBERSHIP**

Stone Corral Chapter—Largest percent of increase in membership by application.

Eunice Sterling Chapter and Shawnee Mission Chapter—  
Largest increase in membership by application.

## **NATIONAL DEFENSE**

The State Chairman's Award

Flores del Sol Chapter—For the most outstanding report.

## **REPORTS OF DISTRICT DIRECTORS**

### **NORTHEAST DISTRICT**

**Mrs. Robert N. Kline**

Lane University Museum, Lecompton, Kansas was the site of the Forty-seventh Annual Northeast District meeting on September 17, 1993, with the Betty Washington Chapter hosting, Mrs. Fred Bell, Regent.

Mrs. Charles Maxwell, Chapter Vice Regent gave the welcome followed by a response from the State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas. After roll call of seventy-seven members, the State Officers offered information regarding their respective office. Mini-workshops were presented by Mrs. John Afton, State Treasurer, and Mrs. Robert Schweiger, State Registrar. The State Chairmen in attendance gave facts about their individual committee.

Lunch was served by the local extension unit in the former school building adjacent to the museum. The meeting reconvened in the museum auditorium at which time Mrs. A. K. Winter, Museum Program Coordinator, gave a historic overview of the Lane University Museum, and the town of Lecompton.

Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent, presented insightful information from the national level to the members. Mrs. Clark was then recognized by her State Officers with red roses for her first fall tour. The District contributed one hundred dollars to the State Regent's Project.

An invitation for the 1993 District meeting was extended by Mrs. Wilbur Stoll, Regent Samuel Linscott Chapter, Holton, Kansas. The benediction was offered by Mrs. Richard Standrich, State Chaplain.

### **NORTHWEST DISTRICT**

**Shirley S. Coupal**

The Forty-eight Annual Meeting of the KSDAR Northwest District was held at the Covenant Church in Lindsborg, on Monday, September 14, 1992. Hostess chapter was Mary Wade Strother, Mrs. A. V. Schwartz, Regent. One hundred-eight persons were present. All the chapters of the Northwest



District were represented. This included fifteen Regents, one Vice Regent and forty-five members.

The District Director called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m. Welcoming addresses were given by Mrs. Schwartz and Lindsborg Mayor Donald L. Anderson. Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent gave the response.

It was an honor to have the State Officers and several of the Honorary State Regents present. Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent, reported on the activities for the year. Reports were also given by the other State Officers and the State Committee Chairmen.

Mrs. Lawrence Hagen, Mrs. Ronnie L. Svaty and Mrs. Tod Hettenbach were appointed to a committee for a District Guideline update. The District supported Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, Honorary State Regent, with a \$30.00 gift for an ad in the DAR Magazine. The District also voted to give \$50.00 to the State Regent's Project, the Library Endowment Fund.

Nathan Edson Chapter extended an invitation for the Fall 1993, meeting to be held in Clay Center. This was accepted.

## **SOUTHEAST DISTRICT**

**Mrs. Bobby Campbell**

The Sixty-second Annual Meeting of the Southeast District was held September 16, 1992, at the American Legion Hall in Emporia, Kansas. Hosting the meeting was Emporia Chapter, Mrs. Leo Martin, Regent.

The meeting was called to order by the Mrs. Bobby Campbell, District Director. The invocation was given by the State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard Standrich. Mrs. William Warren led the Pledge of Allegiance. The National Anthem was led by Mrs. David Isaacs. A greeting was extended by the Emporia Chapter Regent, Mrs. Léo Martin. A welcome was given by Mayor, Dr. John Webb. The State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, was introduced by Mrs. Campbell.

State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, presided and introduced the State Officers and State Committee Chairmen, who then presented their reports.

Luncheon was served in the American Legion Hall. The program was presented by four of the District Chapters: Council Oak, Isabella Weldin, Molly Foster Berry, and Peleg Gorton.

District Secretary, Mrs. Donald May, read the minutes, and they were approved. Assistant Director, Mrs. Daniel Doyle, was present. Thirteen chapters responded to roll call.

An invitation was extended by Neodesha Regent, Mrs. Daniel Doyle, for the 1993 District meeting.

The benediction was given by Mrs. Richard Standrich.

Following the meeting, a Pilgrimage was made to Burlingame, Kansas, for a rededication ceremony of the Santa Fe Trail Marker located in Burlingame.

## **SOUTHWEST DISTRICT**

**Mrs. Charley Shoemake**

The Forty-eighth Annual Meeting of the Southwest District, KSDAR, was held September 15, 1992, at the First Methodist Church in Kingman. District Director, Mrs. Charley Shoemake, called the meeting to order. A welcome was extended to all present by Mrs. Shoemake, Regent of Martha Vail, the hostess chapter.

Following the opening exercises Mr. Charles Crouch, City Commissioner, welcomed all to Kingman. Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent, gave the response.

Mrs. Shoemake introduced honored guests. Roll call was taken by Mrs. Larry D. Ream, District Secretary, with 14 of the 16 chapters present.

The State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, and State Officers were introduced and gave reports. State Committee Chairmen gave their reports.

A \$40.00 contribution was approved for the Library Endowment Fund, our State Regent's project. A \$40.00 donation was approved for the DAR Magazine advertisement of Mrs. Richard C. McGehee as candidate for Vice President General.

The Registration Committee reported 62 present, 54 members and 8 guests.

Luncheon was at 12:00 noon. The meeting reconvened at 1:15 p.m. An invitation from William Wilson Chapter to hold the Southwest District meeting in Garden City in 1993, was accepted.

The State Treasurer and State Registrar held workshops in the afternoon.

On September 21 and 22, 1992, this District Director, the State Regent and the State Organizing Secretary visited the Byrd Prewitt Chapter as their guests.

## **REPORTS OF CHAPTER REGENTS**

### **ABILENE—Abilene**

**Mrs. Wendell Stull**

One of the highlights of our year was to present a DAR Conservation Medal to Mr. Earl Edward Richardson. Mr. Richardson had worked in conservation activities for thirty-three years. Through his efforts he was responsible for much of the success of the Wildlife Habitat Improvement Program, (WHIP) in this area.

We were honored to present a certificate of service for fifty years to our member, Mrs. G. W. Houser.

A trip to our Telephone Museum was very interesting and educational. To see the different eras of improvement in one of our communication systems, was most enlightening.

We enjoyed a visit from Museum Correspondent Docent, Mrs. Martin J. Robl. She gave a slide presentation on the quilts at the DAR Museum in

Washington, D. C. Many different designs were shown.

To end our year, we had a very interesting slide and oral history of the locating and bringing up of the Steamboat Arabia. The man who gave this, was one of two who cleaned, polished and restored the engine of the boat. The treasures of this steamboat may be seen in the Arabia Steamboat Museum in Kansas City, Missouri.

#### **ARTHUR BARRETT—Marysville**

**Mrs. Frank W. Huffman**

Arthur Barrett Chapter honored two DAR Good Citizens with pins and certificates. American History essay contest winners were honored and received certificates and flags at the February meeting.

We have had an enjoyable year with informative programs. "Views of a Vanishing Frontier," an American Indian program, was prepared by Mrs. Gordon Etelemaki. Mrs. Dwight Burkhead presented "Women of the American Revolution." Mrs. Adolph Musil told of her family genealogy project by sharing "Genealogy—A look into the past." "A Military Perspective," was presented by a Ft. Riley speaker for our National Defense program. The Crossnore School video was enjoyed at the December meeting.

A program was given on October 5, in three grade schools in observance of the Centennial of the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America. Another program was given to two preschools. Each preschooler received a copy of the Pledge, an American Flag, and a picture of an American Flag.

A special conservation project was to send the fronts of religious Christmas cards to St. Jude's Ranch for Children. The children then make new cards and sell them.

Our new member this year is Marlene Richter. Membership totals fifty-six.

#### **ATCHISON—Atchison**

**Mrs. Max M. Easter**

Our May meeting of the past year was most interesting. We went to Troy, Kansas, where we placed a wreath and flag on the grave of a Real Daughter, Harriet Gregg Melvin. She died in 1901 at the age of 98. The grave is well tended and has previously been marked by the DAR with a bronze plaque. After publication of the Kansas DAR News we were delighted to have a letter from her great-great-great-granddaughter, Mrs. H. Ted Loyd, Emporia, Kansas. Following the visit to the grave we visited the Toth Indian Memorial on the Court House grounds at Troy. We then went to the lovely Victorian home of Mrs. John Blevins for our meeting. Mrs. Blevins has been a member of DAR for 63 years.

Under the leadership of Mrs. Leon Torkelson, our Vice Regent, we had students participating in the American History Month Essay contest. A school assembly was held and winners and entrants were recognized.

We were saddened this year by the death of Mrs. Ethel Gaylord, a valued member.

### **BETTY BONNEY—Arkansas City**

**Mrs. Maurice W. Maxwell**

We are pleased to have been able to hang on to our chapter for another year!

We now have twenty-five members. We take pride in the members who can attend our meetings and hope to get new members this year.

At the October meeting one of our longtime members gave us a lovely report on "The First Ladies of the White House." Miss Iva Barkley, an excellent speaker, and a marvelous cook, presented recipes from the White House First Ladies.

December found our group at the lovely home of Miss Verna Stuteville, who decorates all of the rooms in her home in Christmas finery. One member said, "You have not experienced Christmas until you've been to Verna's home."

Mrs. R. E. Brooks, our Chaplain, gave the treatise on "Looking Back at Childhood Christmases." The Ark High Singers from the Arkansas City High School, under the direction of Mr. Tim Harmon, gave a program of lovely Christmas music.

Miss Stuteville will present the Good Citizen at our February meeting, with Miss Ann Groves as hostess at her home, at Crescent Creek Towers.

We are hoping for a good 1993-1994.

### **BETTY WASHINGTON—Lawrence**

**Mrs. Fred Bell**

Betty Washington has enjoyed another good year. Our chapter hosted the Northeast District Meeting on Constitution Day, at Lane University, in Lecompton. In October, we were honored to place and dedicate DAR markers on the graves of our first Regent, Miss Mary L. Robinson, and our former member, Mrs. Marie Abels, Chapter Regent, KSDAR State Regent, and NSDAR Vice President General. We were delighted to have KSDAR Regent, Ruth Keys Clark, visit us in December.

Our programs have included Mother Teresa's work; an interesting talk on women in the military by retired Major General Clayton Comfort, USMC; a biography of Kansas author Margaret Hill McCarter; and Children of Historical Lawrence.

We honored our American History Essay Award winners and presented a Good Citizens Medal to a high school student. We support the ROTC

program at the University of Kansas, giving medals each year, to graduating cadets in the Army and Navy. We remember all local veterans in nursing homes at Christmas and during the year.

Our chapter has gained one new member through transfer and two new Junior Members by application. In May 1992, we lost by death our Vice Regent, Elizabeth Neis.

**BYRD PREWITT —Ulysses**

**Mrs. Therman Howard**

Our programs are interesting as well as informative. In our meetings we have the opening Ritual of devotions, the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States, the Daughters' Pledge, the American's Creed, one verse of the National Anthem, and the Preamble of the Constitution of the United States. The National Defense report and the President General's message are given at each meeting.

We now have 24 members having lost one faithful member, Maxine Hawkins, by death. Maxine was a strong supporter of the DAR Schools.

The State Officers, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent, Mrs. G. D. Spafford, Organizing Secretary, and Mrs. Charley Shoemake, Historian, visited our chapter to discuss the possibility of having a workshop to help create interest.

Our members are dedicated to practicing conservation. Our desire is to preserve our liberty and freedom, and to honor God, our homes and our country.

**CAPTAIN JESSE**

**LEAVENWORTH—Leavenworth**

**Mrs. Oliver I. West, Jr.**

This chapter has participated in a multitude of exciting programs during this past year. Events included a trip to the National Frontier Trails Center in Independence, Missouri. The Center is uniquely designed to discuss the Oregon and Santa Fe Trails and the westward expansion of the United States.

Hosting a tea in June, to honor the KSDAR State Regent and Officers, was a delightful and rewarding experience for this chapter.

We are committed to participating in the JROTC Awards night each year at the high school by awarding medals to the winners of the ninth, tenth and eleventh grade drill competition. A DAR bronze medal is also awarded to the outstanding graduating cadet. American History Month winners and Good Citizens winners, accompanied by their parents, are recognized for their achievements.

Our chapter remembers all veterans each year by donating cards, stamps, and money to the patients of the Veterans Hospital. Mrs. Gilbert Harris has given countless hours of service to the veterans. A program on the mission of

the Buffalo Soldiers of the 9th and 10th Cavalry was presented at the November meeting.

The chapter welcomes two new members (one a Junior) and regretfully announces the loss of three very dedicated members.

### **CIMARRON RIVER VALLEY—Liberal**

**Mrs. Earl Sexton**

Our year started with the National Defense program, "Literacy Our Nation's Defense." A program on the history of quilts included a display of old American quilts. The May luncheon program, "The Dinner Table Then and Now," featured old fashioned recipes and table settings.

Fall meetings included a program on "Flag Etiquette" and in October a "Dialogue between Christopher Columbus and a Native American." The chapter donated \$30.00 to buy a roll of film after viewing the Seimes Microfilm Center slide program.

February is our annual guest day "George Washington Tea" at which youth awards are presented.

Four members attended State Conference and five members attended the Southwest District meeting.

The chapter dedicated a marker to a deceased member and also gave the Memorial Service for a NSDAR member for an out of town chapter.

The chapter met all Honor Roll qualifications and received the yearbook award.

The chapter assisted in fund raising for the restoration of the vandalized Civil War Memorial Statue in Liberal Cemetery.

A garage sale in August provides us with funds for all activities and donations.

We have three members over 90 years of age.

### **COFACHIQUE—Iola**

**Mrs. David L. Hawn**

Cofachique Chapter received the Gold Honor Roll and 100% for the President General's Project.

Constitution Week was celebrated by: The Mayor signing the proclamation, radio spots, news stories, a library display, and the chairman sent seventeen letters to religious groups in the area.

Columbus Day was celebrated with guest speaker, Mrs. Jay Thyer, presenting a lesson on "The Perseverance of Columbus."

Mr. Eddie Vaughn, a teacher who specializes in the Civil War, was the November speaker. We were honored to have Mrs. Howard Walker, KSDAR State Librarian, attend.

Christmas was a real treat for the members. We had our first Christmas brunch in the home of Mrs. Eugene Myers with Mrs. Bobby Campbell, Southeast District Director, as guest.

The chapter decorated a Christmas tree, at Bowhus Fine Arts Center, in red bows and gold bells.

The chapter honored the Good Citizens and American History winners. The teachers of the American History winners received a Certificate of Award and a Century of Service book.

Other activities were: A Flag donated to the city of Iola, three members presented gifts on all holidays to nursing homes, and soup labels and articles were sent to Tamassee and Bacone.

## **COUNCIL OAK—Council Grove**

**Mrs. Ernestine Donahue**

Fifty dollar scholarships were given to Herington, Chalk Mound, and Council Grove High School graduate students. Clothing was sent to Bacone. Magazines, books, games and toiletries were sent to Veterans Hospital at Topeka. Ernestine Donahue and Bob Roberts dressed as Aunt and Uncle Sam at the Flag raising at the DAR Madonna of the Trail Monument and in the Washunga Days Parade at Council Grove.

The DAR Santa Fe Trail Marker, six miles south of Herington, was reset after member Mrs. Ed Gutsch wrote a letter to the Herington Times.

Mrs. Kenneth Anderson, past Regent, was Annie in the musical "Annie Get Your Gun" production in the park at Council Grove.

Constitution Week and Veterans Day programs were presented, by Aunt and Uncle Sam, at area schools.

Georgie Miller, a graduate of Bacone, sang a medley of patriotic songs, and told the history of Bacone, at the January meeting.

Mrs. Bobby Campbell, Southeast District Director, was guest speaker at the February meeting. DAR grave markers were ordered and a memorial prayer-poem was read for Mary Schultz and Virginia Malia.

Delegates to KSDAR State Conference will be Mrs. Rick Sellers and Mrs. Nelson. Mrs. Sellers will be a delegate to the 102nd Continental Congress.

## **COURTNEY-SPALDING—Hays**

**Mrs. John Launchbaugh**

The March 1992, program was a discussion of "Juvenile Problems in Our Area."

In April, we were privileged to hear a book review entitled "*The Sternbergs, Fossil Hunters*," presented by the author, Katherine Rogers.

The May program focused on conservation, a presentation of "Recycling at McDonalds."

Five members represented the chapter at the Northwest District meeting, in Lindsborg, in September.

Mrs. P. W. Johnson presented a program on the Constitution in September, and has been reading portions of the Constitution at each

meeting. The mayor signed a proclamation declaring the week of September 17 as Constitution Week.

In October we celebrated the Columbus Quincentennial with a program about the voyages of Columbus. We had a "Weigh-in" for DAR schools.

Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent, spoke to us in November.

We received a contribution of \$100.00 from one of our members to be forwarded to the Veteran's Hurricane Fund.

The mayor of Hays declared February to be American History Month. At our February meeting, awards were presented to our Good Citizen and winners of the American History Essay contest.

### **DESIRE TOBEY SEARS—Mankato**

**Mrs. G. D. Spafford**

Our chapter was very pleased this year to sponsor the KSDAR Scholarship winner, National Honor Society member Nickia Rajean McDill, daughter of Mahlon and Janis Randolph McDill, our faithful Chapter Treasurer.

We currently have forty-eight members, approximately twenty of whom attend meetings regularly and participate in activities. We were saddened to hold memorial services for cherished members Viola Switzer Ross and Manilla Widrig Jorgensen.

Our Flag Day Luncheon was a highlight of the year with members of the American Legion and VFW participating in our program. Other programs included "The First Ladies," "Patriotic Symbols," "Food and You," "Goddess of the Rainbow," "How to Record your Family Records," "Columbus," and "The Story of a Pioneer Woman" by Sharon Treaster. Dressed in costume, she gave a first person narrative of her ancestor's life as a pioneer. We were also happy in November to welcome Mrs. Martin J. Robl, Museum Correspondent Docent, who presented a program on the DAR Museum, and State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas.

We celebrated Constitution Week, promoted American History Month, collected soup labels and stamps, reminded citizens to vote, and presented Flags and literature to schools and libraries.

It is an honor to serve as State Organizing Secretary and it is always both a privilege and a pleasure to serve as Regent of Desire Tobey Sears Chapter.

### **DODGE CITY—Dodge City**

**Mrs. Louis Hurtig**

Our Dodge City Chapter is in the midst of an active year. Members voted in November to approve a revised set of Chapter Bylaws. We were honored to have our State Regent pay her official visit and be the speaker for our Christmas meeting.

The Dodge City Mayor and other area mayors proclaimed Constitution Week and American History Month. Downtown windows were decorated to



celebrate. American History Essay winners, DAR Good Citizens and JAC winners were honored at our George Washington Day Tea. A large number of the Chapter JAC winners were also State winners.

We are especially proud that our applicant, Joy Hawley of Dodge City, received the NSDAR Occupational Therapy Scholarship. She is now enrolled in her major at the University of Kansas.

Our Literacy Challenge Committee has been active, and members are actively involved in conservation in their communities.

It is a privilege for our chapter to be custodian of the KSDAR Library located in Dodge City. The energies of many chapter members have given 465 hours to volunteer service in the Library. DAR members from over the State have researched here, and the mailing loan service has been well used during this year.

## **EMPORIA—Emporia**

**Mrs. Leo R. Martin**

Our chapter is pleased to have one new member, one Junior Member who will soon become eligible, and two prospective members. We lost two dedicated members. One, a Past Regent, who had been a DAR for forty years.

Our chapter had proclamations for Constitution Week and American History Month.

Our American History Essay contest was a big success this year. A sixth grade student from Olpe won the Chapter contest, and also the State contest. He and our other winners, Emily Pierson, fifth grade; Stacy Tehr, seventh grade; and Julia Martin, eighth grade, received certificates and medals at our February meeting. Their parents, grandparents, and teachers were present at the meeting, when they read their essays. We presented twenty-six appreciation certificates for other students who entered our contest from eight schools.

We also gave our Good Citizens winner, Whitney Ace, a certificate, a medal, and a fifty dollar bond.

The chapter hosted the Southeast District meeting this fall at the American Legion Building. Many members attended.

Our Veteran-Patients Committee out did themselves with more than seventy slippers, caps, laundry bags, and ditty bags.

Eight members attended the State Conference.

## **ESTHER LOWREY—Independence**

**Mrs. Frank E. Foster**

The Esther Lowrey Chapter, Independence, Kansas, met for the required six times a year. The average attendance was twenty-five with a membership of seventy-four.

Our first meeting was a dinner meeting. Mrs. Bobby Campbell, Southeast District Director, gave a very impressive musical program, "The Spirit of Patriotic Music."

Our November program was presented by Mr. James Arnwine, Instructor at Independence Community College, on "Montgomery County Critters." There are several interesting "Critters" in our county.

We had an informative National Defense presented by Mrs. James Graves in January.

Mrs. Ginny Kelly, Marketing Development Representative, gave an educational program on "Kansas Treasures" in April.

For our June meeting we will be meeting in the home of Mrs. Merle Crooks, Parsons. She will present "The Flag—Long May She Wave." This meeting gives our teachers, who are members, a chance to be hostesses.

We had two students for DAR Good Citizens recognition and thirteen students in the American History Essay contest. They were presented certificates by Mrs. S. B. Duryea and Mrs. Gerald Clubine.

The election of new officers for 1993-1994, and election of delegates and alternates to National and State went very smooth. This has been a delightful two years for me.

## **EUNICE STERLING—Wichita**

**Mrs. William S. Shropshire**

Eunice Sterling Chapter, Wichita, proudly celebrating its 96th year—251 members including twenty-three Junior Members and fifteen over the age of ninety.

Eunice Sterling received the Gold Honor Roll, Tri-color Ribbon for Yearbook, first place for Centennial Program for KSDAR and for NSDAR Program Committee, South Central Division. Other awards for 1991-1992 include: Bicentennial, Constitution, Bill of Rights, Conservation, Junior Membership award for Helen Pouch Fund, Junior Membership award for increase in Junior Members, State Chairman DAR Schools Project award and Magazine Advertising award.

A Kapaun-Mt. Carmel senior, Kimberly Ebben, received our 1992-1993 Good Citizens pin, award and \$50.00. Our two new Junior American Citizen Clubs total forty-six students. These second grade students had three first place winners in their State division: Original Poster, Stamp Design and Special Education State award. Our Chapter Chairman, Mrs. Charles Brewer is very proud of this. These winners, their families and the two teachers plan to attend the Saturday luncheon at the State Conference.

Eunice Sterling Chapter Chairman for Americanism and DAR Manual for Citizenship, Mrs. Dean Lappin, attends all Naturalization Court proceedings in Wichita, where she distributes American Flags and the DAR Manuals. Several members, including our chapter member, Mrs. Donald G. Horn, Representative of the VAVS Board, give many hours to Wichita

Veteran's Hospital. Eunice Sterling placed the name of Honorary Chapter Regent, Mrs. E. D. True, in the Kansas Chapel Memorial Book.

The chapter was represented at Continental Congress, Fall Tour and State Conference.

### **FLORES del SOL—Wichita**

**Mrs. Melvin Cattrell**

Flores del Sol Chapter of NSDAR has made and hopefully fulfilled all major requirements, thanks to the dedicated members.

In September we gave 230 small flags to children who participated in the summer Reading Program at the Haysville Community Library.

The Chapter nominated a V.A. patient as our volunteer. He weeds and waters our garden at the Veterans Hospital. We prepared approximately 300 ditty bags for the V.A. patients. Members sewed the bags and we filled them with toilet articles donated by Dillons.

The chapter was represented on the Fall Tour and at the Southwest District meeting. We have had members at naturalization ceremonies, promotion signing and Regents' Round Table. The delegates and the alternates for both Continental Congress and State Conference have been duly elected. We have observed Constitution Week, American History Month, Columbus Quincentennial; commemorated the anniversary of World War II, the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States, and the Star Spangled Banner.

Flores del Sol earned the Silver Honor Roll last year and we have four new members, one of which is a Junior Member. We also have six prospective members.

### **FORT LARNED—Larned**

**Mrs. Roy E. Arnold**

Fort Larned Chapter received Gold Honor Roll, Yearbook Tricolor ribbon, 100% participation in the President General's Project, and two State awards this year.

We are pleased to have welcomed two new members by application and one by transfer, but saddened to lose two by death and one by transfer.

Our chapter honored an American History student for her essay. Two DAR Good Citizen Award winners were presented pins and certificates.

Chapter members continue to donate generously to the Wichita Veterans Hospital at Christmas with useful gifts, and collect "Stamps for the Wounded" for donation.

Constitution Week was observed with displays and radio announcements. A program in September entitled "Constitutional Rights-Patients Rights" was presented by a local attorney.

Outstanding programs have included "Women of Fort Larned," "Presidents' Wives," "My Life on an Indian Reservation," and Mrs. Martin Robl, Museum Correspondent Docent, presented "NSDAR Museum."

Chapter members attended the Northwest District meeting and State Conference.

The graves of two deceased members were marked. Family members attended the memorial ceremonies. We are honored to have five ninety-year old plus members.

Our chapter continues to try to achieve the goals of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

#### **FOUR WINDS—Garnett**

**Mrs. Howard R. Walker**

Four Winds Chapter, the smallest in Kansas, gained one new member by application and have two Junior Members' application papers ready to be sent to Washington. Since it had been several years since anyone could attend State Conference, they were pleased to have three members attend and are honored that the Chapter Regent is serving as a State Officer.

The chapter continued giving the flag award at the yearly family picnic and giving the Good Citizen Award to a Garnett High School student. The winners of the American History Essay contest and their mothers were guests at a meeting when the Williamsburg video "*Story of a Patriot*" was shown. They made ditty bags, collected used stamps and personal items for the veterans. They sent used clothes to Bacone.

They enjoyed both the fellowship and the programs when they were guests of Cofachique Chapter. Several very interesting lessons included visiting the Coffey County Historical Museum and two meetings on the St. Mary's Mission, which is one of the five names the park or site goes by. The first meeting, they toured the park and learned its history. Later the site archeologist spoke to the chapter telling how he works and showing items he had found, telling of their significance.

#### **GENERAL EDWARD HAND—Ottawa**

**Mrs. Harold Stevens**

General Edward Hand Chapter membership numbers 104. Contributions were made to all funds required by Honor Roll and most optional funds. A donation was made to the Rock Ford Foundation that maintains the restored home of General Edward Hand, located near Lancaster, Pennsylvania, and to the Florida Veterans' Hurricane Fund.

A medal was presented to an AFROTC student at the University of Kansas. Two Ottawa High School juniors and two seniors were honored with American History certificates and desk flags. DAR Good Citizens' awards were presented to four seniors from the remaining four Franklin County High Schools. The top DAR Good Citizen received our \$200.00 scholarship.

Subscriptions to the DAR Magazine were given to our new members and to local libraries. Chapter members saved Campbell soup labels for Tamasee School. At the Chapter's request, the Mayor issued a proclamation for Constitution Week. Prior to Spring Opening, chapter members continue to annually clean the Dietrich Centennial Cabin in Ottawa's City Park adjacent to the City Library.

## **GOOD-LAND—Goodland**

**Mrs. Lawrence Kriegh**

Good-Land Chapter remains at forty-five members for the year 1992-1993. We have met once a month except for the month of January when the weather made it impossible to meet.

Programs have been varied following the themes of patriotic, historical and educational. A Constitutional minute was observed each time we met. The Columbus Quincentennial was observed in the month of October. One very informative program took place in November titled "Living Wills and Power of Attorney." Physical Fitness was the topic of another meeting. A Flag that has been flown over our nation's capitol is ordered each year and presented to a worthy organization in our area.

Good-Land Chapter has made Veterans Service a very important part of the year with a very active Veterans Service Chairman. Members have donated materials and the chairman has sewn lap robes, ditty bags, etc., which have been given to Veterans Hospitals in our state. Comfort items, such as, soap, toothpaste, razors, and shampoo have also been given.

Chapter meetings are held in the Carnegie Arts Center in Goodland, Kansas. This building has been declared a Kansas Historic site and is listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

## **ISABELLA WELDIN—Augusta**

**Mrs. John D. Afton**

Our State Regent and members of Susannah French Putney Chapter were guests at the showing of the slide program, "Discover Columbus in America."

"The Challenge of Commitment" was the topic of our National Defense speaker, Col. Edward L. Sykes, McConnell AFB.

We gained a new member this year but lost another through transfer.

An outstanding historical program was the portrayal of Eleanor Roosevelt (Mrs. Franklin D.) by Peg Vines of Wichita.

At the annual Youth Luncheon in February, Jacob Marr, senior of Augusta High School was presented the chapter DAR Good Citizen Medal; Andrew McClellan, fifth grade student of Seal Elementary, Douglass, Kansas was presented the chapter Bronze American History Medal for his winning essay; Yolanda Branster, third grade, and Amber Haslacker, fourth grade, of

Haverhill Grade School were presented the Thatcher Award for their winning JAC Posters. We have learned that Yolanda's poster won second place and Amber's won first place in state competition.

The American Flag was presented to the newly organized Black Dog Trail Society, C.A.R. and valentines were sent to shut-ins.

Slides of the Regent's trip to 101st Continental Congress in Washington, D.C. and Rosalie House in Natchez, Mississippi were shown at a chapter meeting.

### **JAMES ROSS—Kansas City**

**Mrs. Paul Lawhead**

Our October meeting was honored with a program by Mrs. Boyd Peak of the Isabella Weldin Chapter. Her Conservation program was interesting and very informative.

We presented a Good Citizenship Award to Frederick Spears of Harmon High School.

A Bingo party was held again this year for the Veterans, money was given and food furnished. Many members attended and helped with the Carnival at the Eisenhower Hospital. Many went on the tour of the hospital facilities including furniture, weaving and craft shop and their beautiful church.

We attended naturalization ceremonies and presented 475 Flag Codes to new citizens. A naturalized citizen of 1960, gave us a talk on what it was like for him then and now.

Our chapter has furnished laundry and ditty bags, comfort items, stocking caps and jacket for the Veterans.

We furnished bird seed and planted trees, shrubs, and wild flowers. Labels and money were given to DAR schools and Bacone Indian school.

A program by Shirley Lutz on Lord Cornwallis was very interesting. We were represented at the Regents' Round Table, Fall District meeting, Board of Management and State Conference. We have several prospective members.

### **JANE DEAN COFFEY—Coffeyville**

**Mrs. Claude R. Kimbrel**

Jane Dean Coffey Chapter was pleased to congratulate Mrs. Barbara Jean Pendleton on her fiftieth anniversary in DAR, and to welcome four new members, two as new members, one transfer, and one reinstatement. We were saddened by the death of Mrs. J. A. Sticelber.

District Director, Mrs. Bobby Campbell, charmed us all with her program "Our Musical Heritage." We have had programs on The Flag and It's Symbols; Norman Rockwell's Americana, and Mr. Ray Caldwell, Montgomery County Commissioner, spoke on current problems and their

solutions. DAR Good Citizen, Chris McKee, was honored at a "Digging in Virginia" luncheon where he was presented with the Good Citizen pin and booklet.

We will have programs on Ben Franklin and Women; Ft. McHenry and the Star Spangled Banner, and close our year with an Indian Style Show.

We have contributed to all the Honor Roll projects.

We were represented at the State Conference and Continental Congress.

## **JEREMIAH HOWARD—Great Bend**

**Mrs. Raymond Schreiber**

Jeremiah Howard Chapter celebrated its Fiftieth Anniversary on June 8, 1992. Our three Charter Members were unable to attend, but we were honored to have with us Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent, and Ms. Shirley Coupal, our District Director. They helped in making this a memorable occasion. Mrs. Merrill Bayer, a past Regent, had prepared a history of our chapter, and we were all proud to review past accomplishments.

A good number of people were very much interested in our first Genealogy Workshop held in September. We were pleased with the number of members and prospective members attending.

Programs have enlightened us on a wide variety of subjects: Columbus and the Indians, Nature Conservancy, education updates, the meaning of our Christmas symbols, an extraordinary review of the Bill of Rights, and as always, our informative National Defense.

Flags, which had flown over our Nation's Capital, were presented to Barton County Historical Society and to Sunflower Diversified Services. Soup labels and clothing were sent to our DAR schools; cookies and cards to a VA Hospital. Local residents were receptive to our display for Constitution Week and the Columbus display, both at the Library.

We've had a busy and very good year.

## **JOHN ATHEY—Oakley**

**Mrs. Francis Hurst**

John Athey Chapter has fifty-five members from Gove, Logan, Rawlins, Thomas, and Sheridan counties. Meetings are held in one of these five counties the third Saturday of each month except June and July.

In May we had an interesting program by Betsy Wigner on "American Indians." She showed Indian costumes, jewelry, and artifacts depicting the culture of the North American Indians. Installation of new officers followed the program.

John Athey members decorated the grave of Bonnie Gridley Brown (Mrs. Don J.) of Oakley with a DAR marker following the meeting on August 15, 1992.

The Regent, Mrs. Francis Hurst, and the Secretary, Mrs. Gustave Stolte, attended the Northwest District meeting in Lindsborg on September 15.

The Northwest District is hosting the KSDAR State Conference in Manhattan, March 11-13. The chapter is working with Stone Corral and Jonathan Gilbert Chapters on luncheon table decorations. Two of our members will attend.

The Oakley members have begun plans for a one-hundredth birthday celebration at the September 18 meeting for Mrs. Guy Hughes, whose birthday will be September 22, 1993. We are happy that State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, will attend to help us celebrate this special occasion and help us work with our program.

### **JOHN HAUPT—Topeka**

**Mrs. Albert R. Hagemann**

This year, our chapter received the 100% participation certificate for the President General's Project, Gold Honor Roll, two State Awards and the Yearbook Tricolor Ribbon.

Our nominee, Travis Hagemann, was the recipient of the Genevieve Pendleton Memorial Endowment Scholarship and was presented the award at the 1992 State Conference.

Flag Day was again celebrated by presenting a 3' by 5' cotton flag to the historic Topeka Cemetery and by furnishing cupcakes for the patients at the Colmery-O'Neil VA Hospital. In December, a Christmas party was given for Vietnam Era Post-Traumatic Syndrome patients at the Colmery-O'Neil VA Hospital and was attended by chapter members.

Spot radio announcements were sponsored during Constitution Week. Proclamations for Constitution Week and American History Month were received from the Mayor of Topeka and the Shawnee County Commissioners.

We provided and served refreshments to the new citizens and their families following Naturalization Court in October.

A 50-year membership certificate was presented to Mrs. Walter B. Norris at our December meeting.

We sadly report the deaths of two members, Mrs. C. W. Taylor and Mrs. Marion McDonald. Three members have resigned and two transferred. Four new members have joined our chapter, two of whom are Juniors.

### **JONATHAN GILBERT—LaCrosse**

**Mrs. Francis McGaughey**

Our chapter is small but we have wonderful programs and a good time at each meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. (Lucille and Bus) Lamer were married July 14, 1942, and they were in Paris on Bastille Day, July 14, 1992, for their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary. Lucille made us all feel that we were with them on their trip.



Carolyn and I attended the Northwest District meeting and Board of Management in Lindsborg in September.

For Columbus Day we had a roundtable discussion and members brought mementos of the voyage. One member had mugs with all the ships. For our Conservation Project we decorated a large tree in the City Park with plastic milk cartons, painted silver, pill bottle bells, sprayed red, and large pine cones from a former resident of northern California. The foam peanuts used for packing were strung and three sets of mini-lights encircled it.

Due to bad weather, we missed our January meeting.

In February we elected the same officers so you can see we are hoping for a workshop to recruit new members. We would hate to see our chapter disband so we are all searching for prospects.

## **KANZA—St. John**

**Mrs. Carol McNickle**

Outstanding programs prevailed for Kanza Chapter during the 1992-1993 year. "Life at Berry School" presented by Martha (Marty) Hilley, a graduate of Berry College was presented in March. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hilley and children are Stafford residents and Marty is an accomplished teacher in the Stafford schools. Dave, manager of Quivira Wildlife Refuge, is also a Berry College graduate.

DAR Good Citizens from the three high schools in the county were honored in April. Matt Richardson of St. John High School was named the Stafford County DAR Good Citizen. "History of Patriotic Music" was the program given by former Kanza Chapter member, Denise McNickle Bullock.

"State Rooms," a slide presentation was given by DAR Correspondent Docent, Mrs. Larry Overmiller, in October. Kanza Chapter DAR Docent is Mrs. Ruth Van Winkle.

Slides on the "Constitution-Bill of Rights" and the reading of Resolutions started the yearly programs in September.

DAR Magazine subscriptions total 33% of Kanza membership. The Chapter received 100% recognition for the President General's Project. Our yearbook received the Tricolor ribbon award, with no errors. Recognition was received for the Bill of Rights participation.

In July four markers were dedicated and a memorial service given, for deceased members, at three Stafford County cemeteries.

Members attended the Southwest District meeting, the KSDAR Board of Management meeting and State Conference.

We are working on membership with two prospective members filling out their papers.

## **LITTLE ARKANSAS—Valley Center**

**Mrs. Charles Hackney**

The Little Arkansas Chapter received the Gold Honor Roll, and the Conservation award for "one liners." In September the members participated in the Fall Festival Parade with a S.A.R. member dressed in colonial era clothes carrying a gun. The thirteen star flag was waving freely in conjunction with the American Flag.

We had many interesting programs. The National Defense program, "Desert Storm", given by a young man who grew up in Valley Center, Jodie Gragg.

At the October meeting one member, Linda Sorrell, gave a Columbus Quincentennial program on "Tides of Change." She also presented this program to an assembly of fifth and sixth grade students in Wichita. Chapter member, Martha Smith, was a teacher of one group.

In December members helped decorate a Christmas tree at the VA Nursing Center. The chapter has adopted two Veterans, John Miller and Jan Graham. We have also adopted eight girls at the Booth Memorial Home. We participated in the "Adopt the Highway" program.

The chapter gave two students the Good Citizenship Award this year. We have members helping with the Washington Chapter S.A.R., annual George Washington Birthday Celebration. We have lost two members through death and added a Junior Member.

Constitution Week and American History Month were celebrated with colorful window displays in a downtown store window.

## **LITTLE OSAGE TRAIL—Derby**

**Mrs. Chester Metcalf**

During the 1992-1993 year members of the Little Osage Trail participated in Constitution Week by having displays at the Derby Hills Elementary school and the Derby Public Library. Stickers were also handed out to the Rainbow Girls and the Learning Garden Preschool. Lesa Killingsworth and Tammy Metcalf showed the Derby Hills sixth grade students how to properly raise, lower and fold the flag.

Our chapter is honored with members serving in KSDAR and State C.A.R. positions. Mrs. Richard Standrich, State Chaplain, and Mrs. Chester Metcalf, State Chairman for Americanism and DAR Manual for Citizenship. Mrs. Esburn James is serving as State Registrar for the C.A.R.

The chapter has enjoyed programs on such topics as POW's and MIA's In Southeast Asia (which is being considered for national recognition), Antiques, and Ellis Island. We were also honored to have Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark as our guest speaker in February.

Little Osage Trail was honored to have Mrs. Chester Metcalf's poem awarded in the American Heritage Poetry Contest.

## **LOIS WARNER—Junction City**

**Mrs. Orville Sieber**

The Lois Warner Chapter meets the third Monday of the month from October through June. We have thirty members including one new member through application, plus two associate members. With twelve being non-resident, two in nursing homes and three teaching, it limits program participation. However, our programs are interesting and informative.

All meetings begin with Invocation, DAR Ritual, Pledge of Allegiance, National Anthem, American's Creed. The President General's Message is read and the National Defense report given.

Proclaiming Constitution Week and American History Month, we had radio spot announcements and newspaper articles.

Many comfort items, magazines and books were taken to Topeka VA Hospital.

We continue to stress conservation through recycling, planting trees, shrubs and feeding birds.

Programs enjoyed were: "Lest We Forget" from the *DAR Magazine*; "The Open Door-Helping the Homeless" by the Open Door Director; "Coming to Kansas" by a speaker from Geary County Historical Society; "*The Covered Wagon Lady*" book review by a local librarian and "Opera House Renovation" given by Renovation Committee Chairman.

The DAR ROTC Medal was presented to an outstanding cadet from Junction City High School.

All Honor Roll donations were made and labels and stamps collected. Donations were given to all DAR Schools.

## **MARAIS DES CYGNES—Paola**

**Mrs. Charles Freeman**

The Regent attended the State Officers Tea in Leavenworth, Kansas in June 1992. The Southeast District meeting held September 16, 1992, was attended by Regent, Vice Regent, Recording Secretary, and Registrar. All four attended the rededication of the Santa Fe Trail Marker at Burlingame.

We presented copies of the Constitution of the United States to the libraries in Louisburg, Osawatomie, and Paola. We presented the American Flag to the Osawatomie Museum. Members made laundry bags for the Leavenworth VA Hospital. Evaline Conway, chapter member, entered the Poetry and Short Story Contests.

Our program for October was "Columbus Quincentennial" given by a chapter member. Our Christmas program was "Revolutionary War Era Christmas Carols." It was excellent. The January program was "Famous Kansans" that was informative and well received. The Harmony Family Community Education Unit presented "Folding the American Flag" that was our February program. It was well done. Our Good Citizenship participant and her mother were our guests.

Our March meeting will be an historical program. April will be a luncheon meeting with our State Regent as guest speaker. In May, we will have our District Director give a program on American Musical Heritage.

**MARTHA LOVING FERRELL—Wichita**

**Mrs. William Stephens**

In April 1992, Continental Congress treated the Regent to many different experiences: an invitation to the Oval Office, a photography session with President Bush, and an informal coffee hour with Barbara Bush in the family quarters of the White House.

Dr. Philip Thomas of Wichita State University, combined a talk, in April, on Columbus and the Indians. By popular demand he will be our speaker in May 1993.

Chapter member Wanda Glassburner, gave the best talk on the Flag of the United States of America that I have ever heard.

Other interesting programs: *The Education of Little Tree*, a book review; the dulcimer; DAR Docent, Ileen Marrs, presented "Women of the Revolution."

We gave knitted caps, parties, and filled ditty bags for the Wichita VA Hospital.

Our chapter called the Mount Vernon Ladies Association, concerning their packet on George Washington, which has many teaching tools. We placed a packet in a Wichita middle school that is being tried in the month of February.

We attended proclamation ceremonies of Constitution Week and American History Month. Materials on the Flag of the United States of America, in the form of book marks and posters, were placed in the public schools. Two books on Columbus were given to Colvin Elementary School and Hamilton Middle School libraries.

**MARTHA VAIL—Anthony**

**Mrs. Charley Shoemaker**

We started our new year 1992-1993, by hosting the Southwest District meeting on September 15, in Kingman at the First Methodist Church. Our chapter meeting was held on September 25.

Museum Docent, Mrs. Martin Robl, gave an interesting program on our National Museum in October.

In November we learned of some unusual facts about Columbus and the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Our Good Citizens and their mothers were with us at our January meeting and each Good Citizen received a medal and certificate.

We sponsored Sharon James, an American History teacher, in the Outstanding Teacher of American History Contest and she was chosen the

1992-1993 KSDAR State winner.

The Regent and Honor Roll Chairman attended State Conference. The Regent attended Continental Congress.

Another year has passed and we were saddened by the death of two members. No members resigned, we gained one new member and have papers in Washington for a Junior Member.

#### **MARY WADE STROTHER—Salina**

**Mrs. Albert V. Schwartz**

September 14 our chapter was hostess at the combined meeting of the Northwest District and the KSDAR Fall Board of Management held in Lindsborg. The attendance was excellent.

Constitution Week was observed with the Mayor's Proclamation, a great window display downtown, and radio and television spot announcements. American History Month also started with the Mayor's Proclamation and radio and television spot announcements.

In October we had our combined meeting with the Bennington Chapter SAR. We sent twenty-seven cartons of clothing, Betty Crocker points, Campbell soup labels, and miscellaneous items to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee Schools.

In February at our Washington Day Tea we honor our DAR Good Citizens and American History essayists and their mothers. They will be presented their awards at this time. It is always thrilling to see and hear from our young people.

We are looking forward to our May meeting. Our KSDAR State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, will be our special guest.

At St. John's Military School Commencement we will present the ROTC Medal to an outstanding senior.

#### **MINISA—Wichita**

**Mrs. Bill E. Smith**

Members of Minisa were saddened by the deaths of three members this past year: Mrs. W. Burton Black, a Charter member; Mrs. William Tegeler, our oldest member, and Mrs. James L. Beaver, a member for many years. We welcomed one new member and have two applications pending.

Minisa members attended the Southwest District meeting, State Conference and Continental Congress. We continued to participate in the Wichita Regents' Roundtable. Activities included Constitution Week and American History Month Proclamations signed by Wichita's Mayor and the Sedgwick County Commission. Additional proclamations were signed by Mayors of Kiowa and Sedan, Kansas. Radio spot announcements were also made.

Minisa made every effort to comply with the Honor Roll requirements

including the requested contributions. A monetary offering was sent to Bacone College designated for the Scholarship Fund. Christmas gifts were wrapped and mailed to Bacone College and Crossnore School. Three members residing in retirement communities were remembered with Christmas gifts, candy and cards. Magazines and other reading materials was taken to the Wichita Veterans Hospital and Nursing Home. Minisa joined with other Wichita chapters participating in the Spring Fling for Veterans.

Chapter programs were informative and enjoyable with Historical, Education, Patriotic and National Defense subjects selected. Members presented several programs including one on Columbus Quincentennial, Russia and National Defense.

Monthly meetings included Devotions, Patriotic Ritual, the President General's Message, National Defense five-minute report, committee reports and old and new business.

### **MISSION HILLS—Mission Hills**

**Mrs. Donald F. Willsey**

Mission Hills Chapter continues its emphasis on membership, especially Junior Members. We again received Gold Honor Roll. We were represented at the KSDAR State Conference, Continental Congress, Board of Management and the Southwest and Northeast District meetings.

Constitution Week was celebrated with displays and proclamations from Mayors. Books were donated to the Johnson County Library using interest from the Betty Kessler Fund. We donated 550 labels to Tamassee School. An ROTC medal was presented. We sponsored several naturalization teas for new citizens. Seventy-five dollars was given for coupon books and ditty bags were made for the veterans at the Dwight D. Eisenhower Medical Center where a bingo party was held.

The cost of a roll of film was donated to the Seimes Microfilm Center. We have had interesting programs and well attended meetings.

It has been a privilege to serve this chapter as Regent for the third time.

### **MOLLY FOSTER BERRY—Fort Scott**

**Mrs. Ralph French**

Molly Foster Berry Chapter took an active part in many patriotic activities in our community and helped to spread the story of DAR through public involvement. Flag Day, Constitution Week, and the importance of exercising our voting rights were publicized.

A special program marked the Columbus Quincentennial. Art and music of Native Americans combined in a moving original program in November. Christmas was observed in Fort Scott's Historic Congregational Church. A program entitled "Washington's Christmases" and music from the local high school chorale group assisted in welcoming a visit from our District Director, Mrs. Bobby Campbell.

Our February meeting, a luncheon honoring Presidents Day, was made particularly enjoyable by visiting Kansas State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark. A program on "Colonial Clergy" and award presentations to American History Essay, Good Citizenship, and Conservation winners.

Our chapter collected 1,400 soup labels, stamps for our veterans, and in the process of good works, cheerfully undertaken, added five new members to our chapter.

Molly Foster Berry Chapter continues to represent, in a very real and active manner, those beliefs in GOD, HOME and COUNTRY that all DAR members hold dear.

### **NATHAN EDSON—Clay Center**

**Mrs. Warren Coupal**

Mayor Lawrence Cameron, Clay Center, signed proclamations for Constitution Week and American History Month. Displays were at the Public Library.

The chapter honored our Clay County youth in 4-H and had five high school students enter the Good Citizen Essay Contest. The students, with their mothers, were guests at a Good Citizen Program luncheon.

Nathan Edson Chapter Charter member, Charlotte Stagner, gave two books reviews at chapter programs: *"A Century of Service: The Story of the DAR"* and *"George Washington Walked Here."*

The National Defense Program focused on "Today's Teacher" and the rigorous test for teacher training as they enter their junior year in college.

The chapter lost by death three devoted members that served the chapter in many offices in past years. Ruth Raynolds, Miss Edna Dunham and Mildred Hanna were our ninety year old members and had been in DAR over fifty years.

Our chapter has a concern with the loss of our coveted Honor Roll due to dropped members for non-payment of dues. Many hours are spent to meet the NSDAR requirements and to lose the Honor Roll has been discouraging. Resignation may have merit.

Nathan Edson is honored to have one member serving as District Director and Conference Marshal and one as Conference Chairman.

Application papers have been sent to National for one prospective member. The chapter membership is 39.

### **NEODESHA—Neodesha**

**Mrs. Daniel A. Doyle**

Chapter revised bylaws were printed and distributed with the 1992-1993 Yearbook. Three members attended KSDAR State Conference. Two members attended Continental Congress and served on the House Special Service Committee. Five members were at the Southeast District meeting.

We saved stamps for wounded veterans and labels were sent to Bacone, along with a van load of articles for their White Cross Program. Memorial service was held for a deceased member. We took part in Veterans Day Parade honoring our World War II Veterans. The entry for fifth grade American History essay contest was judged winner on the State level. An 84-year old member entered the American Heritage Poetry contest. A roll of film was purchased for Seimes Military Service Records of the Revolutionary War. Citizenship books were presented to local libraries. Four area Good Citizens were honored. The District Director made her official visit. The Committee Chairman presented facts about our flag at each meeting. Recycling was emphasized by the Conservation Committee. A Christmas luncheon was enjoyed, gifts were sent to veteran patients and home bound were remembered with a gift and visit.

Our attendance has been good and programs enjoyed. Subjects were: American Indian Artifacts and a Constitution Week skit narrated by wives of early statesmen. Quilt slides from the NSDAR Museum were shown by our Docent.

#### **NEWTON—Newton**

**Mrs. Richard E. Walker**

Newton Chapter worked diligently in all areas and although small in number received the Gold Honor Roll. With average attendance in the low teens, this chapter remains active while struggling to reach the younger women.

We honored sixty-year member, Gladys Brewer, with a corsage at the May spring luncheon.

The DAR Museum was the recipient of \$200.00 in memory of Dorothy Byler. Other memorial money was used to purchase genealogical books for the local library.

Our chapter sponsored the Northwest District Good Citizens winner, Miss Jennie Topham of Peabody High School.

In observance of the Columbus Quincentennial we sponsored a display at the library and were invited to do a Christmas display. Using items from nearly every decade in the Twentieth Century, Lois Prater did an excellent job showing "Christmas Then and Now."

Through our genealogical workshop in October one new member was gained and papers are pending for another. Prospective members were invited to our February Tea and highly entertained by Lucille Lukens' book review of *"The Famous DAR Murder Mystery."*

Conservation Chairman Millicent Classen organized the purchase and planting of a six foot tree in Athletic Park. She also had a marvelous water conservation display at several locations.

Programs included a slide presentation of quilts in the DAR Museum by Edith Crispino, Museum Docent; the 100th Anniversary of the Anderson



Book Store, by Jan Anderson; the writing of the Constitution by Joan Orr, and Columbus by Barbara Scofield.

### **NINNESCAH—Pratt**

**Mrs. Robert Shank**

The Ninnescah Chapter met regularly each month throughout the year. The advanced age and poor health of several members left much of the load of the chapter on a very few members. Retirement of husbands and serious illness of family members has hampered others from taking a more active part. Many members live in another city or state.

In September, we heard a report of Continental Congress and had a Constitutional quiz. The October program was American Indians and minorities in the American Revolution. Thanksgiving was celebrated with a Dutch Lunch at the Golden Corral Steak House, where we learned about genealogy research in NSDAR libraries. In January, we learned more about history depicted with beautiful quilts. Our DAR Good Citizen, Jennifer Swiantek, was honored at our February meeting. The program was "Restoring Honor to George Washington." Our March, meeting will be a religious slide program of the Holyland, and April will be Etiquette of the American Flag.

A magazine subscription and the book "*A Century of Service: The Story of the DAR*," were given to the Pratt Library. One member was deceased, one dropped for non-payment of dues and we gained one new member.

### **OCEANUS HOPKINS—Pittsburg**

**Mrs. Andrew Boso**

On February 14, 1993, Oceanus Hopkins celebrated its 79th birthday, happy to be alive, but suffering somewhat from "Senior Citizen Syndrome." That is, it takes longer to get less done about more things we would like to do; more members or their spouses fall prey to more ailments, and we lose more friends from our earthly circle.

Death claimed three chapter members. Three memorials were held, with two graves being marked. On the good side, the Regent is recovering from a stroke and broken hip.

As children have "spurts" of growing taller between times of muscle and tissue building, so do organizations have years of maintenance and regrouping, which is where Oceanus Hopkins is at this time. We have held regular meetings, complete with all required agenda, but curtailed almost all other activities, and missed Honor Roll status by a margin.

We have acquired one new member by application, and by the time this report is printed, we should have had two more accepted by National. Several sets of papers are being worked on. We look forward to being 80, "Continuing the Commitment, Challenging the Future."

## **OLATHE—Olathe**

**Mrs. William J. Kelly**

This year Olathe Chapter has received four new members. We continue to support Eisenhower Memorial Veterans Hospital with party refreshments, over 200 hand-knitted items and over 500 other donations.

Our programs have been outstanding. We celebrated the Columbus Quincentennial with colored slides showing his ancestral background in Spain.

Mrs. Robert Lohse spoke on "The War of 1812" using commemorative spoons from her collection.

An Olathe Daily News reporter and columnist, Leslie Frost, vividly shared her experiences of the "Airlift to Russia." She told of the lack of food, medicine, and clothing that was evident everywhere, and of the "new-born" nursery in a hospital where for lack of food the nurses had to decide which babies had the best chances of surviving.

A review of the autobiography, "*Life of Frederick Douglas, An American Slave*," told of plantation life with a cruel heartless owner. Later sold to a kinder man, he eventually learned to read and to get his freedom.

We toured the historic home of Alexander Majors, who ran wagon trains in the late 1800's over the Santa Fe Trail. The tour was conducted by his great, great, great granddaughter, who incidentally, is the daughter of our past Regent, Mrs. Merritt Goddard.

## **PELEG GORTON—Winfield**

**Mrs. William Rosecrans**

A highlight of our year was in June when Mrs. Richard McGehee and Mrs. John Afton conducted a genealogy workshop in Winfield for prospective members.

Our September meeting was a luncheon and field trip to the Cherokee Strip Museum south of Arkansas City. During the business meeting in the museum library, members shared stories of their relatives who took part in the Oklahoma Land Rush.

We honored our Winfield High School DAR Good Citizen at a tea in February. Mrs. Lawrence Christenson is our enthusiastic Good Citizens Chairman.

Our chapter is proud to have Mrs. Bobby Campbell serve as the Southeast District Director. Mrs. Campbell, an active member of Peleg Gorton Chapter, presented an entertaining musical program "American Heritage in Music" at our November meeting.

A memorial book was presented to the Winfield Public Library in memory of our longtime member Fern White, who passed away in June.

We now have 39 members; several members are not able to attend meetings. Our officers and active members continue to try to achieve the goals of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

## **POLLY OGDEN—Manhattan**

**Mrs. Harold A. Albrecht**

At the ROTC Awards Ceremony, our chapter presented two gold medal awards to outstanding AROTC and AFROTC students.

On Memorial Day, members attended the service at Sunset Cemetery. We furnished and placed two wreaths honoring those who served in the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812.

Observed Constitution Week with radio publicity and posters placed in store windows. Constitutional Minutes were read at several meetings. We use the Preamble to the Constitution in our opening Ritual.

Our chapter sponsored Ray Kowalczewski, senior at Kansas State University for the Enid Hall Griswold Memorial Scholarship. Mr. Kowalczewski was awarded this NSDAR Scholarship.

Two of our members died this year, and we gained two new members.

We honored our Good Citizen and American History essay winners at our February meeting.

In 1926, Polly Ogden Chapter and Riley County Historical Society erected, on the corner of College Ave. and Claflin Road, a monument to Bluemont Central College. It is a large granite stone on a concrete base. Engraved on the stone are these words: "Site of Bluemont College. Established February 3, 1858, by Bluemont Central College Association, founded by Joseph Denison, S. D. Houston, G. S. Parks, Isaac Goodnow, John Kimbal, Washington Marlatt. Building erected 1859. Farm and building donated to State of Kansas, February 3, 1863. Site of Kansas State Agricultural College 1863-1875. Stone erected by Polly Ogden Chapter DAR and Riley County Historical Society." The DAR Insignia is engraved in the stone. In 1992, it was found the concrete base had deteriorated. Kansas State University repaired the base with no cost to us.

## **PRAIRIE FLINTS HILLS—Dover**

**Mrs. Laurence Ellis**

The chapter has been active learning about DAR work. Three members attended the State Conference in Wichita and the Northeast District meeting, in September, in Lecompton, Kansas. Members marched in a parade on the 4th of July. We received proclamations for Constitution Week and American History Month from the Shawnee County Commission and the Mayor of Topeka. A DAR Good Citizen was sponsored and the National Defense Good Citizenship medal was presented. Wrapping paper was sold for the Helen Pouch Fund. The Senior President for the Kansa Society C.A.R. is from our chapter.

A Christopher Columbus celebration was combined with the John Haupt Chapter and the Topeka Chapter, as well as, a combined Christmas party on the Vietnam ward at the Colmery O'Neil VA Hospital in Topeka.

Our second year has been very busy and very productive as our new members continue to learn about DAR.

## **PRAIRIE ROSE—Overland Park**

**Mrs. Charles L. Bennett**

We were represented at Regents' Roundtable, Northeast District meeting, Board of Management meeting, State Conference and Continental Congress.

Programs were presented on conservation, education, National Defense, literacy and colonial Christmas customs. A meeting was held at the Shawnee Indian Mission State Historic Site in Fairway beginning with a tour of the facilities, given by Mrs. Pat Wright, wife of the curator.

Chapter members participated in Naturalization Court proceedings and contributed to service for Veteran-Patients at the Leavenworth domiciliary, bringing refreshments and games to those residents.

Support of the schools, 100% participation in the President General's Project, as well as, collection of labels was continued this year. "Have a Heart" month in February gave the chapter a chance to support Bacone with both money and personal items for the Green Cross Shop.

Proclamations were received from Overland Park for Constitution Week and American History Month.

A successful garage sale and Christmas mini-bazaar helped finance chapter expenses. A community service project was bell ringing for the Salvation Army at Christmas, resulting in an award to the chapter from the Salvation Army.

The chapter is proud of Mrs. Robert Schweiger, State Registrar, and Mrs. Robert N. Kline, Northeast District Director.

## **QUIVIRA CROSSING—Lenexa**

**Mrs. Billy F. Lierly**

Quivira Crossing coordinated a city wide event to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the Pledge of Allegiance, Columbus Day, October 12, 1992. Chapter members have taken part in other community activities—Fourth of July Parade, Spinach Festival, literacy program and care of Santa Fe Trail Marker.

Some excellent programs were: Tour of Shawnee Indian Mission, "Tribute to the Kansas Sunflower," "Potpourri of Christmas Past," "Unlocking Literacy," American History Month program—"Showtime: The Bill of Rights." Jason Newcomer, a senior at St. Thomas Aquinas High School was presented the DAR Good Citizen award. Four bronze medals were awarded to essay winners. Alison Brox, eighth grade is a state winner.

Proclamations were issued and displays placed in local museum for Constitution Week and American History Month. A flag was presented to a local school. We had a bingo party at Eisenhower VA Medical Center, contributed personal items, games and money for annual carnival, served punch and cookies twice at Naturalization Court.

Quivira Crossing received Gold Honor Roll, was represented at District

meeting, KSDAR State Conference, received five awards and certificate for 100% participation in President General's Project. Helen Neubert, past Regent, is serving as KSDAR State Chairman of DAR Magazine Advertising.

Four members have been added to our membership rolls; four more pending (two Juniors). Wonderful Year!

#### **RANDOLPH LOVING—Wichita**

**Mrs. J. T. Koelling**

Randolph Loving Chapter has had a very good year in 1992. We gained three new members through the good work of our Membership Chairman, and now have fifty-one members. We donated several books to the Midwest Historical and Genealogical Society.

Through Junior Membership Sales, we donated money to the Helen Pouch Memorial Fund; American Indians received fifty-four pounds of clothing, labels were sent to Crossnore School, and thirty dollars was donated for DAR Advertising. Several from our chapter put up Christmas decorations at the Veterans Hospital.

We found a very deserving man from Laos, who had worked very hard to learn English well enough to earn his citizenship papers. The Chapter gave him a 3' by 5' flag with flag holder for his house. He was very appreciative.

We met the Honor Roll requirement and had very interesting programs. A Colonel from the Air Force Base talked to us about our "World Community"; a County Commissioner talked to us about our "County Community"; We also enjoyed a program on our "Early Community" by the Director of the Mid-America All-Indian Center.

Since this is my final year as Regent, I must thank a wonderful group of women for all the help and support they have given.

#### **SAGAMORE—Leawood**

**Mrs. Richard B. Hartzler**

Sagamore Chapter meets in the evening ten months of the year. We have sixty-three members, eleven of whom are Juniors.

We were represented at all state functions and Continental Congress, and again qualified for Gold Honor Roll. We participated in the following observances: Flag Day, the 21-Day Flag Salute, Constitution Week, the Columbus Quincentennial, the Centennial of the Pledge of Allegiance, and American History Month. We sponsored entrants in the American History Month Essay contest, the DAR Good Citizen contest, and Junior American Citizens.

Collecting aluminum cans continues to be a conservation project, the proceeds from which pay for yearbook printing. Over 1,000 soup labels and 150 pounds of clothing were sent to Tamassee. We help provide Manuals for

Citizenship and refreshments for Naturalization Teas; and for the veterans we held a bingo party and gave stamped Christmas cards, 20 ounces of stamps and Valentine cards.

Members purchased ten pieces of Insignia, copied 190 pages of genealogical records, obtained twenty-two inches of publicity, and gave seven of our chapter programs.

It is a real pleasure to serve such a cooperative, active and enthusiastic chapter!

### **SAMUEL LINSKOTT—Holton**

**Mrs. Wilbur Stoll**

The star event of 1992-1993 year for Samuel Linscott Chapter was the acceptance of a new member as a result of the Genealogy Workshop held the previous year. There are several candidates working on their papers. Although the members of our chapter have been plagued with illnesses this year, the chairman or their substitutes have supported the goals of NSDAR. Constitution Week, Columbus Quincentennial, American History Month, The Flag of the United States of American, National Defense committees not only made presentations within the chapter but also in other organizations. The DAR Service for Veteran-Patients was especially active. We had one entry in the state American Heritage contest. Several members represented the chapter at the Captain Jesse Leavenworth's reception for the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark; the Northeast District meeting, and the State Conference.

Samuel Linscott Chapter members are looking forward to entertaining the Northeast District meeting September 13, 1993.

### **SARAH STEWARD—Smith Center**

**Mrs. Merle Swank, Sr.**

A rewarding program for our Sarah Steward Chapter was the recognition of the surviving World War I Smith County Veterans. These men were very appreciative of the program and recognition.

Good Citizenship and American History Month winners were recognized and presented awards in April.

The new chapter officers were installed in June.

Members participated in the 21-Day Flag Salute from June 14 to July 4.

The highlight of the September Constitution Week meeting was the special observance of the ninetieth birthday of chapter member, Veda Green.

An informative program on the life and discoveries of Christopher Columbus was presented in October for the Columbus Quincentennial.

New chapter bylaws have been written and approved; they will be included in the next chapter yearbook.

A United States Flag was presented to the Lebanon, Kansas, Christian Church; a "*Century of Service: The Story of the DAR*" was given to the Smith Center Public Library.

Four new members were added by application to bring our membership to fifty-seven.

The chapter was represented at State Conference, Continental Congress and the Northwest District meeting.

Our chapter is greatly honored to have Mrs. Vincent Traffas serve as State Vice Regent.

### **SHAWNEE MISSION—Shawnee Mission**

**Mrs. Louis B. Seibel**

Shawnee Mission Chapter presented to Dr. Paul Hilpman of UMKC the NSDAR Conservation Medal and certificate. Dr. Hilpman has a distinguished record in environmental research and was recommended by Conservation Chairman, Mrs. Earl A. Anderson.

Members have enjoyed a Flag Day picnic, an August tea, and programs about the Columbus Quincentennial and literacy. Constitution Week was recognized by a window display and three Proclamations. *A Century of Service: The Story of the DAR* was given to a speaker from the League of Women Voters and Mrs. John W. McGuire moderated a panel concerning current issues. A tour of the Arabia Museum was well attended. Our State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, was our honored guest in December. She presented Mrs. R. C. Kiouss her twenty-five year certificate of membership. Mrs. James Shirley, State Reporter, received her certificate in January.

Awards were given to two American History essay winners and an outstanding Good Citizen, who, also, received a flag flown over the United States Capitol. A DAR ROTC medal was awarded to a deserving cadet.

Members attended the KSDAR State Conference, Continental Congress, Board of Management, and the Northeast District meeting. They have participated in the Naturalization Courts, the Veteran-Patients programs, giving generously of their time and talents, attending the carnival and bingo games and a tour of the Eisenhower Medical Center. The requirements were fulfilled for the Gold Honor Roll.

### **SMOKY HILL—Ellsworth**

**Mrs. R. L. Svaty**

A visit from our District Director, Shirley Coupal, helped the Smoky Hill Chapter get a good start this year. She reviewed highlights of the Continental Congress. Most members are not finished with their genealogical pursuits and the offerings of the genealogical section in the Salina Public Library were viewed at one of our meetings.

After a thorough review of our bylaws, following DAR guidelines, new bylaws were adopted by our chapter. The bylaws were distributed to each member and to the State Society.

The proper display of the U.S. Flag was the topic of the December meeting. In February we presented a small flag to our American History essay winner. There were sixty-three entries by the Ellsworth-Kanopolis Middle School students. At the February meeting we honored our DAR Good Citizen, Chad Roehrman. Chad has been notified that he has been accepted at West Point.

### **STONE CORRAL—Lyons**

**Mrs. Martin J. Robl**

Stone Corral Chapter, NSDAR, proudly announces three new members, two by application, bringing membership to twenty-five.

The September tour of the Stone Corral site on the Santa Fe Trail occasioned a visit from our Northwest District Director, Miss Shirley Coupal. Contemplating the crossing to the Corral from the Marker Cottonwood, one could feel the heartbeat of history.

Our chapter historian, Mrs. Bill Richa, has prepared an application to list the Stone Corral Schoolhouse on the National Register of Historic Places. Her documentation will be of lasting value to those interested in Kansas heritage.

We are especially proud of Mrs. G. L. Bolton whose poem "Democracy" took second place nationally in the NSDAR American Heritage Poetry Contest. Word of this recognition was received just after KSDAR State Conference.

An important contribution of this chapter is the renewed interest in DAR locally. Our guests, virtually all of whom are working on research to complete application papers, say they enjoyed themselves and feel the Society has much to offer.

Members are learning to fulfill the responsibilities of the chapter and becoming a cohesive unit, ladies who have fun together while accomplishing the goals of the Society.

### **SUSANNAH FRENCH PUTNEY—El Dorado**

**Mrs. Clarence Kerns**

Susannah French Putney Chapter meetings were conducted as outlined in the National Handbook.

KSDAR Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Treasurer, Mrs. John Afton, and Southeast District Director, Mrs. Bobby Campbell were guests with Mrs. Clark giving the program on Continental Congress and Resolutions. Programs were presented on literacy, conservation and "Early Kansas History." Mayor Edward Blake signed the proclamation and Constitution Week was observed.



Vice Regent, Mrs. Avis Fisher, and Chaplain, Mrs. Winifred Jacobs, attended Continental Congress. Regent Mrs. Clarence Kerns attended KSDAR Board of Management meetings and five members the Southeast District meeting.

Two members, Mrs. Lester W. Nixon, Mrs. Carl B. Murray are over 90-years old. Five are 50-year members, Mrs. Agens E. Heitman, Mrs. Lawrence W. Covert, Mrs. Edward A. Buchmann, Mrs. Robert G. Morrison, Jr., and Mrs. Gerald I. Biggs.

Good Citizenship awards were presented to two seniors, three DAR Good Citizens certificates and medals were awarded, and four American History certificates and medals awarded. There were eighty-seven entries in four grade levels of the American History Month essay contest. Winners were honored at the February Colonial Tea.

Chapter has met the Gold Honor Roll requirements.

### **TOMAHAWK—Prairie Village**

**Mrs. Leslie Young, Jr.**

Marian Gault honored our chapter as recipient of the NSDAR Conservation Award in April. In May \$100.00 was contributed to the Women In Military Service For American Memorial Foundation honoring Martha Dexter, U. S. Marines, and Jane Lohse, U. S. Army. Tomahawk received a certificate of award for contributions to DAR Schools State Chairman's Project.

Constitution Week celebrations included a Mayor's Proclamation, window display, and distribution of 2,575 Preamble to the Constitution bookmarks to fifth grade students. Ten patriotic videos, "*Freedom Trail*" was donated to seven middle and two high schools and one to the Johnson County Library.

Members supported Naturalization with citizenship manuals and a reception. School supplies, clothing and contributions were sent to Bacone College. Service to Veterans was supported with parties, gifts and comfort items.

A \$100.00 donation was sent to Kate Duncan Smith School lunchroom as a memorial to Doris Sernes Smith. Seimes Microfilm Center received \$23.00 to purchase a roll of Revolutionary Military Service Records.

Good Citizen award and American History essay winner were honored with medals, certificates and a copy of *A Century of Service: The Story of the DAR*. The NSDAR Library received a history of the George Bunn Family; KSDAR Genealogical Records received twenty-one pages of Bible records from the Griffith Family. Tomahawk contributed \$100.00 to the NSDAR Magazine Endowment Fund honoring our organizing Regent Vera Greenlease. Tomahawk's 104 members were honored to receive the 1992 Gold Honor award.

## **TOPEKA—Topeka**

**Mrs. Don F. Hogue**

Our year commenced with an entertaining program by Don Chubb, comparing life and deeds of early day Topeka politicians and office holders with those of men of national reputation.

Special activities of our members included presentation of microfilm to Seimes Microfilm Center; a family genealogical book to the NSDAR Library; a contribution to the Adult Education Center to support one person to take the GED test, and participation in the rededication ceremony of the Santa Fe Trail Marker at Burlingame.

The Topeka Chapter has each year, since 1966, presented Washburn University with a tree for their campus, celebrating Arbor Day.

The Department of Veteran Affairs awarded the Topeka Chapter a special Certificate of Appreciation for Outstanding Service to the Veterans of Colmery-O'Neil Hospital.

Six members who died during the year were memorialized in a service. Twelve members are ninety or older. Ora McMillen celebrated her 106th birthday on February 24. Five persons have fifty years of service to DAR.

State Conference rewarded the chapter with six certificates. The Topeka Chapter, oldest chapter in Kansas, reported on Martha Scott Hand, our Organizing Regent.

Highlighting the fall season was a joint meeting with the John Haupt and Prairie Flint Hills Chapter to celebrate Columbus Day.

## **UVEDALE—Hutchinson**

**Mrs. Marion Butterfield**

Uvedale Chapter will celebrate its 85th year in April. A tea is planned and we will dress in the vintage of 1908. Our program will be "Uvedale Remembers," given by Regent Mrs. Marion Butterfield.

State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, was our first guest speaker in September 1992. In February 1993, our guests were the Sons of the Plains, Hutchinson Chapter, S.A.R. Our meeting featured an outstanding National Defense slide presentation by Dr. Joe McMullin who was a surgeon during Desert Storm. It was amazing to see how the armed forces built a hospital and a city in the desert. Another outstanding program was given in January by member Elizabeth Plummer on "Columbus Quincentennial."

Vice Regent, Maxine Lindburg, contacted Senator Dole who sent all members a book on the Constitution, which was very informative.

Uvedale Chapter followed the Honor Roll guidelines in program planning, including historical, educational and patriotic themes.

Uvedale Chapter continues to donate generously to the Wichita Veterans Hospital at Christmas with money and useful gifts. We continue to have our annual garage sale in October for a fund-raising project. In February, Regent

Butterfield and Jean Niemann checked markers placed by Uvedale Chapter in our area.

Members attended the KSDAR State Conference and Southwest District meeting in Kingman.

## **WICHITA—Wichita**

**Mrs. Marvin Martin**

Wichita Chapter was pleased to hear that the Helen Hoehn DAR Scholarship Fund, established last year at Friends University, had its first American History student recipient this fall.

Three programs this year were presented by our own members. One on Christopher Columbus, "A Man and His Vision"; one with music and voice, adding interesting facts about hymns and their authors, and one for American History Month celebration.

Constitution Week was observed with a store front poster display, and attendance at the signing of City and County Proclamations.

We contributed small gifts, books, cards, etc., to the Veterans Hospital and attended their Spring Fling.

During the year: We presented the Good Citizen Pin award to winner Carry Austin; we were represented at District and State Conference; fifteen Columbus Quincentennial Pins were bought by the chapter, and two volumes of the *"Dockstader Family in Kansas"* were given to NSDAR Library and to our City Library.

We were pleased to receive the Gold Honor Roll and a blue ribbon for the Chapter Yearbook.

We have one new member and two pending.

## **WILLIAM WILSON—Garden City**

**Mrs. Ralph Patterson**

This chapter has just completed another very productive year for DAR. We have enjoyed interesting programs with several special guests to keep us up to the minute. New officers were installed and we begin this new three year term with enthusiasm. The registrar is currently working with several prospective members and we look forward to having new faces soon. We will welcome their new ideas for planning activities and programs.

We were pleased to have all the officers in attendance at State Conference and the new suggestions learned have been implemented. We continue to make use of the KSDAR Library in Dodge City for research. We have also added to the DAR section in the local Finney County Library with books and materials. We continue to take part in all local observances and volunteer our time and talent when and where needed.

As Regent, I am proud of William Wilson Chapter. As a member, I am proud of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

## **WYANDOT—Kansas City**

**Mrs. Paul Steifer**

We have sixty-six members and meet most of the time, in our homes, churches, the Library and the Museum.

Each regular meeting includes devotions, patriotic exercises, President General's Message and a five minute National Defense report.

With the exception of one, all our programs this year were written by various members. They were: Interesting Facts About Our Constitution by Georgie Steifer; Christopher Columbus by Margaret Flattery; Dorothy Shaffett made us all sit up and think, with her National Defense at Home program. Louise-Haines Sherman regaled us with such interesting stories of how the different First Ladies handled their positions, and sometimes effected the way their husbands handled the Presidency.

We will have a program in May on the Local Indian Heritage. The Wyandots and the Delewares were very important in this county.

We were represented at the Northeast District meeting, we who went, enjoyed ourselves immensely.

We had representatives at the Bingo Party for the Veterans.

We help serve at the citizenship ceremonies. If you have never attended a Naturalization Court—I sincerely recommend that you do.

## **REPORTS OF CONTINENTAL CONGRESS**

### **ONE HUNDRED-SECOND CONTINENTAL CONGRESS**

Twenty-seven Kansas Daughters attended the Congress, April 20-24, 1993. Those attending included Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent; Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Vice President General; Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Past Vice President General; Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent; Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain; Mrs. Larry D. Ream, State Recording Secretary; Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Gail D. Spafford, State Organizing Secretary; Mrs. John Afton, State Treasurer; Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger, State Registrar; Mrs. James N. Shirley, State Reporter; Mrs. Philip Bernstorf, National Chairman Children of the American Revolution Committee; Mrs. Robert N. Kline, National Vice Chairman, South Central Division, American Indians Committee; and Mrs. W. Ward Marrs, National Vice Chairman, South Central Division, Columbus Quincentennial Committee. Four State Chairmen and seven Chapter Regents were also present.

Those serving on various House Committees were: Mrs. Vincent Traffas, Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, Mrs. John Afton, Mrs. Robert Schweiger, and Mrs. Gus Ramirez. Mrs. Larry D. Ream and Mrs. W. Ward Marrs served on the Credentials Committee, and Mrs. Richard D. Standrich served as Vice Chairman on the Marshall Committee.

Miss Laurie Schweiger served as Chief Page of Ushers. Others serving as Pages included: Mrs. Rick Sellers, Mrs. William C. Schneck, Jr., and Mrs. Daniel Clair.

The quiet beauty of the Kansas Chapel was enhanced by the flowers contributed by the Wichita Chapter. A devotional, for quiet reflection, was available for those visiting the Chapel.

The Golden West Tea on Wednesday afternoon was well attended. Kansas Daughters assisted at the serving tables.

The Kansas Daughters were filled with pride as the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, presented the state report on Wednesday evening. Mrs. Robert N. Kline performed later that evening with the All-American National DAR Chorus.

On Thursday evening, Mrs. Billy P. Compton placed the name of Mrs. Richard C. McGehee in nomination, as a candidate for Vice President General. Mrs. Larry D. Ream served as a personal Teller at the Friday election. Mrs. McGehee was installed at the Saturday morning installation ceremonies.

A complete revision of the National Bylaws predominated the business sessions of the 102nd Continental Congress.

The closing Saturday evening banquet was attended by fourteen Kansas Daughters, which included: the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark; Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, Vice President General; and the immediate Past Vice President General, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr.

## **AWARDS AT CONTINENTAL CONGRESS**

### **HONOR ROLL:**

Kansas—100% reporting.

### **AMERICAN HERITAGE:**

Columbus Counted Cross Stitch—Mrs. John Afton,  
Isabella Weldin Chapter.

### **AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH:**

Fifth Grade Essay Contest—3rd place, Talia Pendleton,  
Neodesha Chapter

### **AMERICANISM AND DAR MANUAL FOR CITIZENSHIP:**

100% Reporting; Poem—"Democracy"—Mrs. G.D. Bolton,  
Stone Corral Chapter

### **COMMEMORATIVE EVENTS**

#### **OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA:**

Outstanding Support and Participation—Kansas Society.

### **CONSTITUTION WEEK AWARDS:**

Excellent Participation—Emporia Chapter and Prairie Flint Hills Chapter.

## **JUNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS:**

State with Greatest Number of Inches of Publicity—1st place-Kansas.

Chapter with Greatest Number of Inches of Publicity,

Dodge City Chapter.

Fourth Grade Poster Contest—2nd place-Chris Mathias,

Dodge City Chapter.

**JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE:** 100% reporting.

## **PROGRAMS:**

Best Programs—Patriotic—2nd place—Little Osage Trail Chapter.

## **PUBLIC RELATIONS:**

State-Most Printed Inches—South Central Division.

Best Overall State Chairman Report—1st place.

## **SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION**

**AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH ESSAY:** Fifth Grade-Neodesha Chapter.

**OUTSTANDING JUNIOR:** Mrs. Rick Sellers, Council Oak Chapter

## **REPORTS FROM STATE CONFERENCE**

### **KANSAS CHAPTER REGENTS' CLUB**

**Mrs. Warren Coupal**

The Kansas Chapter Regents' Club dinner meeting was held at the Holiday Inn, Manhattan, Kansas, on Thursday evening, March 11, 1993, at 6:00 p.m. The meeting was called to order by President, Mrs. Warren Coupal. She extended a welcome to all present. The invocation was given by Mrs. Coupal.

Introduction of the officers and members followed dinner. There were forty-eight in attendance.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by the Secretary, Mrs. Dale Bell. They were approved as read.

Mrs. Albert Schwartz, Treasurer, presented the treasurer's report. It was filed.

Mrs. Coupal thanked Mrs. Martin Robl for the attractive colorful tea pots she had made of plastic canvas for the table centerpiece decorations. The individual plastic canvas tea cups for each guest present contained a tea bag of the only American grown tea from Charleston, S.C. She also thanked Mrs. Robl, as meal coordinator, for the delicious dinner she had selected.

Business for the Regents' Club was the election of the 1994 officers from the Northeast District. The following were elected:

President-Mrs. Oliver West

Vice President-Mrs. Gus Ramirez

Secretary-Mrs. Albert Hagemann

Treasurer-Mrs. Donald Willsey

Meal Co-ordinator-Mrs. Gus Ramirez

Mrs. Martin Robl presented an interesting program, "The Charleston Tea Party," the only tea grown in America, by the Charleston Tea Plantation at Charleston, South Carolina, known as the "American Classic Tea."

The Chapter Regents' Club voted to contribute \$50.00 to the State Regent's Project. Mrs. Coupal adjourned the meeting at 7:45 p.m.

## **STATE CHAIRMEN'S CLUB**

**Mrs. Tod Hettenbach**

The State Chairmen's Club met at the Manhattan Holiday Inn on Saturday, March 13, 1993, at 7:00 a.m. Mrs. Tod Hettenbach, President, called the meeting to order at 7:04 a.m. and gave the invocation prior to a buffet breakfast.

The State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Clark, was introduced along with her guests. Mrs. Tod Hettenbach welcomed those present and introduced the club officers, Miss Shirley Coupal, Vice President; and Mrs. Rudolph Barta, Treasurer. Due to health problems, Mrs. Gail Spafford, Secretary, was unable to attend. There was a total of thirty-three in attendance.

Since there were no minutes to read, and no one remembered any old business, the club went on to new business. It was brought up about the confusion on paying the current club dues. After discussing and clarifying the guidelines, it was agreed a donation will be collected if necessary.

The following officers were nominated from the floor and elected by voice vote: President, Mona Hartzler; Vice President, Helen Neubert; Secretary, Judith Hackman; and Treasurer, Faith Ann Shirley.

Shirley Coupal gave the program on being a cat. The meeting adjourned.

## **STATE OFFICERS CLUB**

**Mrs. Richard C. McGehee**

The Fifty-seventh annual meeting of the KSDAR State Officers' Club was held at 5:45 p.m. Thursday, March 11, 1993, in Rooms 2 and 3 of the Manhattan Holiday Inn.

The President, Betty McGehee, called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. The Recording Secretary, Thelma Carpenter, was absent. Kathryn Compton was appointed to serve as Secretary pro-tem. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The Treasurer's records were not available for a report.

The following guests were introduced: Mrs. Charles K. Kemper, Past Recording Secretary General and Honorary State Regent of California; Mrs. William H. Hunter, Jr., Oklahoma State Regent; and Mrs. John Mallison, Jr., of Missouri, Representative of the Santa Fe National Historic Trail Advisory Council.

Isabel McGuire conducted the initiation for Pat Ream, Pat Carpenter, Corrine Afton, Faith Ann Shirley, Alice Walker and Dorothea Schweiger. Two other new members, Getha Shoemake and Peggy Spafford, were absent due to illness.

The Chaplain, Colleen Anderson, wrote a tribute to Ora Baker, past State Corresponding Secretary, which was read by Kathryn Compton. The members signed a card for Lucille Johnson who could not attend.

The officers present and introduced were: Susan Kaufman, First Vice President; Ruby Mayden, Second Vice President; Vanatta Standrich, Third Vice President; Velda Wymore, Treasurer; and Clara Barta, Historian, with Jackie Theis serving as appointed Doorkeeper.

The "brag" box was passed and \$40.00 was collected. A donation of \$20.00 was given to the State Regent's Project in memory of Ora Baker. The proposed Guidelines, to replace the Bylaws, were passed out and will be voted on in March 1994. New officers elected were: President, Susan Kaufman; First Vice President, Phyllis Kippenberger; Second Vice President, Faith Ann Shirley; Third Vice President, Ileen Marrs; Chaplain, Alice Walker; Secretary, Norma Daniels; Treasurer, Pat Traffas; and Historian, Dorothea Schweiger. They were installed by Isabel McGuire

Twenty-five members were present. The meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

## **CONFERENCE CHAIRMAN**

**Mrs. Warren Coupal**

The Ninety-fifth State Conference was held March 11-13, 1993, at the Holiday Inn, Manhattan, with 242 members and guests registered.

The Northwest District Chapters were hostesses and provided table decorations, door prizes, and financial support for Conference musical entertainment, piano, flowers, coffee and cookies to serve the registration hour; hospitality room refreshments; and punch reception.

Mrs. Lawrence Hagen, Conference Treasurer, spent many hours compiling reservations and the financial responsibilities for Conference.

Miss Shirley Coupal, Conference Marshal, provided the necessary direction for DAR protocol. Mrs. Robert Kline and Mrs. James Tolbert, House Committee Chairmen, worked continuously, to assure that Conference ran smoothly. A special "THANKS" to all of you.

An appreciative "THANK YOU" goes to Mrs. Doran Cole, Chairman of Pages, and her dedicated, hardworking, courteous Page staff, that served all of us.

Mrs. Kevin D. Smith, Junior Membership Chairman, and all the Junior members are to be commended for their time and work for their worthy money making project endeavor at the Junior Membership Sales Table.

To all the sixteen Northwest District DAR Regents and Chapter members, the true success of this 95th Conference belongs to each of you for the many hours of work, financial support, cooperation, and kind courtesies to this Chairman, as your representative, you have this Chairman's "THANKS." The valuable "learning experience" of Conference Chairman will remain always with this Chairman as an honor and a wonderful "JOY" to serve the DAR.



It has been this Chairman's privilege and honor to serve under the enthusiastic and kind leadership of the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, and her administration for their gracious support to this 1993 Conference Chairman.

## CONFERENCE TREASURER

Mrs. Lawrence J. Hagen

1993 KSDAR State Conference

Treasurer's Report

May 22, 1993

### RECEIPTS:

Kansas Society Advance	\$ 360.00	
Registration fees	1,008.00	
Meals and Reception	9,775.10	
NW District Chapter Donations	205.00	
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### DISBURSEMENTS:

Holiday Inn	\$ 8,563.94	
Printing	247.00	
Flowers	8.51	
Credential Committee	45.54	
Gifts	100.47	
Refunds	675.30	
Piano Rental	159.60	
Treasurer's Expense	10.85	
Conference Chairman Expense	56.90	
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TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS \$ 9,868.11

Balance on Hand, May 1993 \$ 1,479.99

### Attendance:

203 Friday Luncheon  
 186 Friday Banquet  
 192 Saturday Luncheon  
 126 Saturday Banquet  
 114 Reception

## **REPORT OF THE CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

### **STATE PRESIDENT**

**Claire Xidis**

After being elected State President at the March 1992, Kansas State C.A.R. Meeting, Claire Xidis attended the C.A.R. National Convention in April in Washington, D.C. She served as the head of the Kansas delegation and also participated in the impressive swearing-in ceremonies held at the National Masonic Temple.

In July, she represented Kansas C.A.R. Societies by participating in the Naturalization and Citizenship ceremonies at the Federal Court House in Kansas City, Kansas. From July 31-August 1, 1992, she helped organize the social activities and participated in the Great Plains Regional Conference held at the Adams-Mark Hotel, Kansas City, Missouri, where she served as Regional Chaplain and led the Kansas delegation. She also participated in a wreath-laying ceremony at the Harry S. Truman Library in honor of President and Mrs. Truman.

In September, she discussed Kansas C.A.R. activities to a joint meeting of the Topeka S.A.R.'s and DAR's. At a December Christmas luncheon she explained the advantages of C.A.R. membership to the Sarah Lewis Boone DAR Chapter, Kansas City, Missouri.

In February 1993, she represented Kansas C.A.R. at a joint Kansas and Missouri S.A.R. luncheon held at the KCI Embassy Suites in Kansas City, Missouri and in March she will attend the State C.A.R. Conference scheduled in Wichita, Kansas.

**BYLAWS**  
**OF THE KANSAS SOCIETY**  
**OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE**  
**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

**Revised by the Ninety-third KSDAR Conference**

**March 6, 1991**

**Amended by the Ninety-fourth KSDAR Conference**

**March 21, 1992**

**Amended by the Ninety-fifth KSDAR Conference**

**March 13, 1993**

**ARTICLE I**

**Title**

The name of this organization shall be the Kansas Society of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

**ARTICLE II**

**Object**

The object 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 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.

## **ARTICLE III**

### **Members**

#### **Section 1. Members.**

The membership of the Kansas Society shall consist of the chapters of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution in the state of Kansas.

#### **Section 2. New Chapters.**

The State Organizing Secretary shall notify the Executive Committee the following information about a chapter newly confirmed by the National Society: name and location, date of organization, names and addresses of its chapter officers and members, and chapter code number. This notification shall cause the newly confirmed chapter to be enrolled as a member of the Kansas Society, and a District assignment shall be made by the Executive Committee.

## **ARTICLE IV**

### **Fees and Dues**

#### **Section 1. Fiscal Year.**

The fiscal year of the Kansas Society shall be January 1 through December 31.

#### **Section 2. Dues.**

The annual state dues of a chapter shall be \$2.50 per chapter member, payable to the State Treasurer before December 1. A member whose state dues have not been paid by January 1 shall be ineligible to serve as a delegate or an alternate at the State Conference.

The dues of a member admitted or reinstated after April 1 shall be credited for the next succeeding calendar year.

#### **Section 3. District Dues.**

Each chapter shall pay annual District dues to the treasurer of its assigned District, according to the guidelines of the District.

#### **Section 4. Additional Payments.**

Each year, each chapter shall remit to the State Treasurer the payments designated in the Standing Rules.

## **ARTICLE V**

### **Officers**

#### **Section 1. Officers.**

The officers of the Kansas Society shall be a State Regent, a State Vice Regent, a State Chaplain, a State Recording Secretary, a State Corresponding Secretary, a State Organizing Secretary, a State Treasurer, a State Registrar, a State Historian, a State Librarian, and a State Reporter.

## **Section 2. Eligibility.**

To be eligible for the office of State Regent or State Vice Regent, a member of the National Society shall have held membership in a chapter within the state of Kansas for at least five years prior to her election and shall have served as a Chapter Regent for at least one-half of the chapter term.

To be eligible for any other state office, a member of the National Society shall have held membership in a chapter within the state of Kansas for at least two years.

No member shall be eligible to the same state office for two successive terms, and no member who has served two terms in any state office shall be eligible to any other state office, except that of State Regent or State Vice Regent, until the expiration of at least one year.

A member having served more than one-half of a term in a state office shall be deemed to have served a term.

## **Section 3. Term.**

The officers of the Kansas Society shall hold office 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 State Vice Regent is confirmed.

## **Section 4. Expenses.**

The expenses of the State Officers, as approved in the budget, shall be submitted as itemized statements in writing, with receipts, to the State Regent, who shall present them to the State Treasurer for authorized payment. Requests to be reimbursed for additional expenses shall be submitted as itemized statements in writing, with receipts, to the Executive Committee for its action.

## **Section 5. Vacancies.**

If the office of State Regent becomes vacant, the State Vice Regent shall become State Regent.

Vacancies in other state offices shall be filled by appointment of the Executive Committee, with the approval of the State Board of Management, until the next regular meeting of the State Conference, when the vacancy for the unexpired term shall be filled by the Kansas Society.

## **Section 6. Automatic Resignation.**

Any State Officer unable to carry out the duties of her office for a period of six months automatically relinquishes her position as a State Officer, unless ruled otherwise by the State Regent with the approval of the Executive Committee.

## **Section 7. Honorary State Regent.**

In recognition of valuable service to the Kansas Society, a member who has served as State Regent, upon her retirement from office, may be elected Honorary State Regent for life. Election shall be at State Conference and may be by voice vote. An Honorary State Regent is entitled to a vote at the State Conference.

## **ARTICLE VI**

### **Nominations and Elections**

#### **Section 1. Election.**

The officers of the Kansas Society shall be elected at the State Conference every third year, coinciding with the year of election of National Executive Officers. The election shall be by ballot, and a majority vote shall elect.

#### **Section 2. Nominating Committee.**

##### **(a) Members.**

The Nominating Committee shall be composed of five members. The chairman shall be elected at the Fall State Board of Management meeting during the second year of the administration. Each District shall elect one committee member at its annual District meeting which follows.

No member shall be eligible to serve on the Nominating Committee for consecutive terms.

##### **(b) Duties.**

Before May 1, the chairman of the Nominating Committee shall notify, in writing, all chapters of the impending election and shall indicate the final date on which the names of members to be considered for state offices shall be received from the chapters.

The committee shall select one nominee for each office. In its selection of candidates, the committee shall endeavor to represent each of the four Districts. No chapter shall have more than one member serving as a State Officer at a time. No nominee shall be eligible for election to a state office unless a chapter endorsement, signed by the Chapter Regent and the Chapter Recording Secretary, is received by the Chairman of the Nominating Committee prior to the election.

By January 15, the report of the Nominating Committee shall be sent to the State Officers, the Honorary State Regents, the Chapter Regents, and the State Committee Chairmen.

The report of the Nominating Committee shall be presented at the State Conference. 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 the Chapter Recording Secretary.

#### **Section 3. Vice President General.**

A candidate for Vice President General from Kansas shall be endorsed by a majority vote by ballot at a State Conference. No endorsement for Vice President General shall be made more than fifteen months in advance of the Continental Congress so designated in the motion.

## **ARTICLE VII**

### **Duties of Officers**

#### **Section 1. General Duties.**

The officers of the Kansas Society shall perform the duties prescribed by these bylaws, the Bylaws of the National Society, and by its parliamentary authority.

Each State Officer shall type an annual report of less than two hundred words: before March 1, one copy shall be sent to the State Regent and two copies to the State Recording Secretary. These annual reports shall be presented at the State Conference and shall be published in the Annual Report and Proceedings.

Within thirty days after the State Conference, each retiring State Officer shall deliver to her successor a written procedure of the requirements of her office, a list of the KSDAR property in her custody, and all records and property of the Kansas Society, and she shall obtain a receipt for these items. A duplicate of the list of the KSDAR property in her custody shall be sent to the State Regent-elect.

#### **Section 2. State Regent.**

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 executive officer and shall have general supervision of the affairs of the Kansas Society.

She shall appoint all committees except the Nominating Committee, naming the chairman of each; shall be ex officio a member of all committees except the Nominating Committee; shall appoint a State Parliamentarian; shall cosign all checks drawn on the Kansas Society accounts; shall plan the schedule for the Fall tour; shall plan and prepare the program for the State Conference and shall approve the arrangements, contract, and payments made by the State Conference Chairman and the State Conference committees.

Along with the State Treasurer, signature cards for all bank accounts and for the safe deposit box (containing the bonds, securities, and other evidence of invested funds of the Kansas Society) shall bear her signature, and she shall possess a key to the safe-deposit box.

She shall receive from the State Officers and the State Committee Chairmen all statements of expenses, as approved in the budget, and present them to the State Treasurer for authorized payment.

At the beginning of her term of office, she shall file with the insurance company a complete and current inventory of the materials and equipment in the Kansas DAR Library.

With the assistance of the State Vice Regent or any other member whom she designates, she shall oversee the printing and distribution of the official KSDAR stationery.

She shall send each Chapter Regent the names and addresses of the State Chairmen of the national committees and of any other appointees and shall notify the Chapter Regents of all changes in personnel and addresses of National and State Officers and appointees.

She shall endeavor to visit each chapter in the Kansas Society at least once during her term of office.

Prior to their publication, the State Regent shall have the privilege of approval of the final proof copies of the "Kansas DAR News" and the KSDAR Annual Report and Proceedings.

### **Section 3. State Vice Regent.**

In the absence or inability of the State Regent, the State Vice Regent shall perform the duties of the office of State Regent.

The State Vice Regent shall preside at the Chapter Regents' banquet at the State Conference and shall work with the State Regent and the District Directors in planning the District meetings.

If requested, she shall assist the State Regent with the printing and/or distribution of the official KSDAR stationery.

She shall receive from the Chapter Regents their annual lists of names, addresses, and telephone numbers of Chapter Chairmen of state and national committees; she shall collocate for each State Committee Chairman a listing of the Chapter Chairmen of her committee.

She shall perform any other duties designated to her by the State Regent.

### **Section 4. State Chaplain.**

The State Chaplain shall open and close meetings of the Kansas Society with the reading of scripture and prayer and conduct such religious services as occasion may require.

She shall conduct a Memorial Service at each State Conference; she shall receive the necrology from the State Registrar and prepare the printed program.

She shall send notes of sympathy to the families of recently deceased members.

### **Section 5. State Recording Secretary.**

(a) The State Recording Secretary shall keep a record of the proceedings of the meetings of the Kansas Society, the State Board of Management, the Executive Committee, and the Finance Committee.

She shall notify State Officers, Chapter Regents, and State Committee Chairmen of any actions taken at these meetings affecting their duties.

She shall maintain the official membership roll of the State Board of Management.

She may cosign checks drawn on the Kansas Society accounts. She shall be a member of the Finance Committee.

Each year she shall file the annual reports of State Officers, Chapter Regents, District Directors, and State Committee Chairmen until January 1.



(b) It shall be the duty of the State Recording Secretary to compile, edit, and publish the Annual Report and Proceedings of the State Conference. A committee to assist with this duty may be selected by the State Recording Secretary. She shall provide to the State Regent a final proof copy of the Proceedings prior to its publication.

By November 1, the State Recording Secretary shall distribute the Proceedings to those specified in the Standing Rules.

#### **Section 6. State Corresponding Secretary.**

The State Corresponding Secretary shall maintain the official Kansas Society mailing list of the members who are to receive meeting notices, shall attend to all the correspondence of the Kansas Society, and shall assist the State Regent in her official correspondence.

She shall notify the State Officers and the delegates of any special meetings that may be called.

She shall send out notices of meetings of the State Board of Management and the Executive Committee at least thirty days prior.

Immediately after a State Conference at which an election is held, she shall send to each Chapter Regent the names and addresses of the newly elected state officers.

Each year by January 15, she shall send the official call for the State Conference to the State Officers, the National Officers and Honorary National Officers whose memberships are within the state, the Honorary State Regents, the Chapter Regents, the State Committee Chairmen, and the District Directors.

Each year by January 15, she shall send each Chapter Regent one credentials form and one form for reporting chapter officers, which shall be duplicated and returned by the Chapter Regents. She shall compile the lists of chapter officers reported by the Chapter Regents and, before Continental Congress, send one set to the Organizing Secretary General and one set to the State Regent. She shall file the remaining set.

#### **Section 7. State Organizing Secretary.**

The State Organizing Secretary shall assist the State Regent and Chapter Organizing Regents in the organization of new chapters.

She shall be responsible for the correspondence related to the organization of a new chapter, and she shall notify the Executive Committee the following information about a chapter newly confirmed by the National Society: name and location, date of organization, names and addresses of its chapter officers and members, and chapter code number. This notification shall cause the newly confirmed chapter to be enrolled as a member of the Kansas Society, and a District assignment shall be made.

She shall determine the possibilities for new chapters within the state and shall assist existing chapters in maintaining their memberships and in gaining new members.

## **Section 8. State Treasurer.**

The State Treasurer shall receive and take charge of all funds and securities of the Kansas Society. She shall deposit them in the name of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution and shall disburse these funds as directed by the State Board of Management or the State Conference. All checks drawn on the Kansas Society accounts shall be cosigned by the State Regent, except in cases of emergency when the State Recording Secretary may cosign.

Upon assuming the duties of her office, she may transfer the checking accounts to a convenient, federally insured banking institution, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee; this action shall be ratified at the next meeting of the State Board of Management.

She shall keep an itemized account of the receipts and expenditures, close the books on December 31, and submit them for audit to a public accountant. She shall present the auditor's report at the annual State Conference.

She shall serve as the chairman of the Finance Committee. (See Article XI, Section 4.)

Prior to the State Conference, she shall report to the State Credentials Committee Chairman the number of votes to which each chapter is entitled. After the delegates and alternates are elected, she shall verify their eligibilities for the State Credentials Committee.

She shall be bonded in the amount of \$10,000; the fee to be paid by the Kansas Society.

She shall be the custodian of all bonds, securities, and other evidence of invested funds and shall rent a safe-deposit box for their safekeeping. A key to the safe-deposit box shall be issued to the State Treasurer and to the State Regent.

Signature cards for all bank accounts and the safe-deposit box shall bear the signatures of the State Regent and State Treasurer.

She shall retain the audited accounts and the tax records of the Kansas Society for a period of six years and shall be responsible for their transfer to her successor at the close of the term.

She shall receive the membership changes from the Chapter Treasurers and shall enter these changes in her records.

## **Section 9. State Registrar.**

The State Registrar shall keep the files containing the names of all chapter members of the Kansas Society and, when possible, the names of the members at large residing in Kansas. The record shall include: full name, including maiden name and, if married, husband's full name, full date of admittance by the National Society; national number, name of chapter or, if the member has belonged to more than one chapter, the names of her original and current chapters; name and rank of ancestor, with name of child through whom the lineage is traced; colony or state, and branch of service in which

the ancestor served; and the dates and locations of any transfers. She shall update these files with information reported by the chapters, including changes in membership by admission, transfer, resignation, removal for nonpayment of dues, reinstatement, death, marriage or divorce, and changes of name or address.

She shall prepare and send duplicate forms to each Chapter Registrar for the chapter's annual membership report, which shall list the members who have been accepted, dropped, resigned, reinstated, transferred, married, divorced, or who have died during the preceding year. Newly accepted Junior Members and their dates of birth shall also be listed on the annual report. She shall send one set of the forms to the State Treasurer by June 1.

Prior to the State Conference, she shall prepare a necrology for the Memorial Service and shall furnish copies to the State Regent and the State Chaplain.

She shall assist the editor of the "Kansas DAR News" in maintaining a current mailing list.

#### **Section 10. State Historian.**

The State Historian shall direct such historical work as may be required by the Kansas Society or suggested by the National Society.

She shall keep a file of all historical markers and monuments erected by the Kansas Society.

She shall prepare and submit an annual report to the Historian General.

She shall keep a reference record of the archives of the Kansas Society and, at the close of her term, shall prepare copies of the inventory for the following incoming officers: State Regent, State Vice Regent, and State Historian.

At the close of the administration, she shall prepare a summary of the highlights of the past three years to be published in the Annual Report and Proceedings.

#### **Section 11. State Librarian.**

The State Librarian shall have supervision of the Kansas DAR Library and shall serve as the chairman of the State Library Committee.

She shall be responsible for all books, papers, microfilm, microfiche, and equipment in the Kansas DAR Library. She shall keep a current list of all the materials and equipment in the Kansas DAR Library and shall submit to the State Regent duplicate copies of the list, one of which shall be for the insurance company.

She shall list in her annual report all materials sent to the NSDAR Library and all those accepted for the Kansas DAR Library. These lists shall be published in the Annual Report and Proceedings.

She shall work with the Dodge City Chapter Kansas DAR Library Committee in maintaining the State DAR Library.

### **Section 12. State Reporter.**

The State Reporter shall be the editor of the "Kansas DAR News" and shall keep a file of the current Kansas Society mailing list.

She shall provide to the State Regent a final proof copy of each issue of the "Kansas DAR News" prior to its publication.

She shall be ex officio a member of the Public Relations Committee and the State Conference Public Relations Committee.

Each year she shall send a report of the State Conference to the DAR Magazine of the National Society.

## **ARTICLE VIII**

### **Meetings**

### **Section 1. Annual Meeting.**

The annual meeting of the Kansas Society shall be known as the State Conference and shall be held in March. The date and location of the State Conference shall be determined by the State Regent and the host District. The meeting shall be for the purpose of receiving reports of the State Officers, the State Board of Management, the Chapter Regents, the District Directors, and the State Chairmen of all committees; the election of officers; and for any other business that may arise.

### **Section 2. Voting Members.**

The voting members of the State Conference or any special meeting of the Kansas Society shall be the State Officers, the National Officers and Honorary National Officers whose memberships are within the state, the Honorary State Regents, each Chapter Regent or, in her absence, the First Vice Regent or alternate, and the elected delegates or alternates of each chapter in the state entitled to representation at the State Conference. A member holding two or more offices, each carrying a vote at the annual State Conference, shall be limited to one vote.

### **Section 3. Qualifications.**

Delegates and alternates to the State Conference shall be elected by their respective chapters by February 1 each year and reported by February 8 on State Credentials Forms (See Article XIII, Section 4(b), of these bylaws). A delegate or an alternate shall have been a member of her chapter for one year immediately preceding the State Conference to which she is elected and shall be in good standing at the time of her election, as verified by the State Treasurer.

The Regent or First Vice Regent of a newly organized chapter may be a delegate.

### **Section 4. Chapter Delegates and Alternates.**

(a) The representation of a chapter at the State Conference or at any meeting of the Kansas Society during the year shall be based upon the

number of members whose dues for the current year have been paid by the January 1 preceding the State Conference. A member who is in arrears for national or state dues shall not be counted in determining representation at the meetings of the National or Kansas Societies, or be entitled to vote for delegates or alternates to meetings of the National Society or the Kansas Society, or to act as representative or alternate at such meetings.

(b) The representation of a chapter at the State Conference or at any other meeting of the Kansas Society shall be as follows:

12 through 49 members	Regent and two delegates	3 votes
50 through 199 members	Regent and five delegates	6 votes
200 through 299 members	Regent and eight delegates	9 votes

(c) The number of alternates elected by a chapter shall not exceed twice the number of voters to which the chapter is entitled.

### **Section 5. Privileges.**

(a) Any member of the National Society who is a member in good standing of a chapter in the Kansas Society or a member at large residing in Kansas may attend the State Conference.

(b) State Committee Chairmen and District Directors who are not elected delegates shall have the privilege to speak without vote.

### **Section 6. State Conference Registration.**

Kansas members who attend any session or meal of the State Conference shall pay a registration fee, determined by the State Regent, not to exceed \$5.00. This fee shall be paid to the State Conference Treasurer toward the expenses of the State Conference. Any balance remaining after the approved bills have been paid shall be sent to the State Treasurer to be deposited in the General Fund. Payment of all bills of the State Conference shall be approved by voucher, signed by the State Regent and the State Conference Chairman.

### **Section 7. State Conference Chairman.**

A State Conference Chairman shall be appointed annually by the State Regent. She shall be a member of a chapter in the District hosting the State Conference.

It shall be the duty of the State Conference Chairman to be responsible for planning and coordinating the arrangements of the State Conference under the supervision of the State Regent and in cooperation with the host District. She shall appoint, subject to approval of the State Regent, a State Conference Treasurer and the State Conference committees, including House, Public Relations, Registration, and such other committees as deemed necessary. She shall appoint members to assist the Credentials Committee Chairman (See Article XI, Section 3). She shall assign the various functions at the State Conference to the chapters in the host District and shall serve as an advisor for their plans.

Along with the State Regent, she shall sign all vouchers for payments of

State Conference expenses.

The State Conference Treasurer shall receive the registration fees and the payments for meal reservations. She shall pay the bills of the State Conference which have been approved by vouchers bearing the signatures of the State Regent and the State Conference Chairman. After all approved bills have been paid, she shall send any balance remaining in the State Conference account to the State Treasurer.

#### **Section 8. Special Meetings.**

Special meetings of the Kansas Society may be called by the State Regent and shall be called upon the written request of five chapters. The purpose of the meeting shall be stated in the call. Except in cases of emergency, at least fifteen days' notice shall be given, and only the business specified in the call shall be transacted. 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 9. Quorum.**

Twenty-five voting members, of which twenty shall be chapter representatives, shall constitute a quorum at the State Conference or any special meeting of the Kansas Society.

### **ARTICLE IX State Board of Management**

#### **Section 1. Members.**

The State Board of Management shall consist of the elected State Officers, the National Officers whose membership is within the state, and each Chapter Regent in the state or, in her absence, the Chapter Vice Regent.

#### **Section 2. Officers.**

The officers of the Kansas Society shall be the officers of the State Board of Management.

#### **Section 3. Meetings.**

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 preceding the Annual District Meetings and the second meeting shall immediately precede the State Conference. Except in cases of emergency, at least thirty days' notice of the time and location of the meetings shall be given.

#### **Section 4. Authority.**

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, except that of modifying any action taken by a regular or special meeting of the Kansas Society.

### **Section 5. Duties.**

The State Board of Management shall report annually to the State Conference, shall ratify any decisions made by the Executive Committee, and may make recommendations to the State Conference.

It shall approve any appointment made by the Executive Committee to fill a vacancy in a state office, except that of State Regent.

It shall elect the chairman of the State Nominating Committee at the Fall State Board of Management Meeting in the second year of an administration.

It shall approve the budget submitted by the Finance Committee, shall ratify any transfer of funds by the State Treasurer, and shall consider any recommendations concerning the finances of the Kansas Society.

### **Section 6. Special Meetings.**

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.

### **Section 7. Quorum.**

Eleven members shall constitute a quorum at any meeting of the State Board of Management.

## **ARTICLE X**

### **Executive Committee**

### **Section 1. Members.**

The elected officers of the Kansas Society shall constitute the Executive Committee.

### **Section 2. Meetings.**

The Executive Committee shall hold meetings prior to the regularly scheduled meetings of the State Board of Management, at the call of the State Regent, or upon the written request of three of its members. Except in cases of emergency, at least ten days' notice shall be given.

### **Section 3. Authority.**

The Executive Committee shall have general supervision of the affairs of the Kansas Society between the meetings of the State Board of Management. The Executive Committee shall be subject to the orders of the State Conference, and none of its acts shall conflict with action taken by the Kansas Society.

### **Section 4. Duties.**

The duties of the Executive Committee shall be to transact business between meetings of the State Board of Management and to report all actions and recommendations to the next meeting of the State Board.

It shall approve the standing and special committees appointed by the State Regent.

It shall declare a vacancy in any state office or committee for failure to perform stated duties; shall rule on any exception to an automatic resignation of a State Officer; shall fill any vacancy in a state office, except that of State Regent, subject to the approval of the State Board of Management; and shall fill any vacancy which may occur on the State Nominating Committee.

It shall approve any transfer of funds made by the State Treasurer.

It shall consider any special matters or recommendations concerning the Kansas DAR Library referred to it by the State Library Committee.

It shall receive and act upon requests for reimbursements of additional expenses submitted as itemized statements in writing, with receipts, by the State Officers and the State Committee Chairmen.

It shall outline the guidelines for the Districts and shall assign a new chapter to a District.

### **Section 5. Emergency Business.**

When necessary, the Executive Committee may conduct business by mail or telephone.

### **Section 6. Quorum.**

Seven members shall constitute a quorum at any meeting of the Executive Committee.

## **ARTICLE XI Committees**

### **Section 1. Standing Committees.**

The standing committees of the Kansas Society shall be: Bylaws, Credentials, Finance, Kansas DAR Scholarship, Resolutions, and State Library.

### **Section 2. Bylaws Committee.**

The Bylaws Committee shall be composed of a chairman and four members, all appointed by the State Regent. It shall be the duty of the Bylaws Committee to consider all properly submitted proposals for amendments and to present amendments and recommendations concerning the Bylaws to the State Conference for action.

Amendments and recommendations from the chapters, the Executive Committee, the State Board of Management, or the previous State Conference shall be presented to the committee ninety days prior to the State Conference. (See Article XV, Section 1.)

The committee shall have the right to edit proposed amendments and the right to originate amendments.

Previous notice of all proposed amendments from the Bylaws Committee shall be sent to all chapters thirty days prior to the State Conference.



### **Section 3. Credentials Committee.**

The Credentials Committee Chairman shall be appointed by the State Regent. She shall be assisted by members of the host District for State Conference, who shall be appointed by the State Conference Chairman, and shall be advised by the State Treasurer and the State Registrar.

It shall be the duty of the chairman to supply the State Credentials Forms to the State Corresponding Secretary for the January 15 mailing, to advise chapters of the number of delegates and alternates to which they are entitled, and to receive their State Credentials Forms each year by February 8. She shall examine the returned forms and shall verify with the State Treasurer and State Registrar the eligibilities of the delegates and alternates listed. She shall have charge of the registration and its committee at the State Conference and shall submit credentials reports to the assembly.

It shall be the duty of the Credentials Committee to have the responsibility for the proper identification and registration of the delegates and the alternates attending the State Conference.

### **Section 4. Finance Committee.**

The Finance Committee shall be composed of the State Treasurer, who shall serve as chairman; the State Recording Secretary; and three members appointed by the State Regent. It shall be the duty of the Finance Committee to prepare an annual budget to be submitted to the State Board of Management at its meeting preceding the State Conference. The recommended budget shall be submitted to the State Conference for action.

The Finance Committee shall report any recommendations concerning the finances of the Kansas Society to the State Board of Management.

### **Section 5. Kansas DAR Scholarship Committee.**

The Kansas DAR Scholarship Committee shall be composed of a chairman and two members, all appointed by the State Regent. It shall be the duty of the Kansas DAR Scholarship Committee to select the recipients of the Kansas DAR Scholarship and the Elizabeth M. Hill Kessler Scholarship from the eligible applicants. Funds for the Kansas DAR Scholarship are provided from interest on designated investments.

It shall also be the duty of this committee to select the Kansas Society's candidate for the NSDAR American History Scholarship.

### **Section 6. Resolutions Committee.**

The Resolutions Committee shall be composed of a chairman and two members, all appointed by the State Regent. It shall be the duty of the Resolutions Committee to consider all submitted resolutions, evaluating their suitability according to the guidelines of the National Society, and to present resolutions to the State Conference for action.

Resolutions may be submitted by chapters or individual members. Except for a courtesy resolution, all resolutions shall have been previously

submitted to the committee in order to be considered for a State Conference. To be considered for a State Conference, a resolution shall be submitted to the committee by the February 15 immediately preceding.

The committee shall have the right to edit submitted resolutions and to originate resolutions. The courtesy resolution shall be prepared and presented by the Resolutions Committee Chairman.

#### **Section 7. State Library Committee.**

The State Library Committee shall be composed of the State Librarian, who shall serve as chairman, and four members appointed by the State Regent. The committee may meet quarterly and shall meet upon the request of the State Regent.

The State Library Committee shall have the authority to select and purchase genealogical materials for the Kansas DAR Library which will benefit the members of the chapters in the Kansas Society; all such purchases shall be subject to the approval of the State Regent and shall be made from donated funds designated for that purpose.

It shall be the duty of the State Library Committee to bring any special matters concerning the Kansas DAR Library to the attention of the Executive Committee and to request approval of purchases of non-routine equipment and supplies which exceed the balance designated for that purpose in the Library Petty Cash Fund.

It shall promote greater use by loan of the books in the Kansas DAR Library and shall encourage donations of genealogical books, periodicals and other materials from chapters, members of chapters, and other interested individuals.

It shall serve as an advisor to the Dodge City Chapter Kansas DAR Library Committee. The Dodge City Chapter Kansas DAR Library Committee shall be composed of members of the Dodge City Chapter, who shall be appointed by the Chapter Regent. It shall be the duty of this committee to assist the State Librarian in maintaining the materials and equipment of the State Library and in providing library services to members, according to the guidelines set by the Executive Committee.

#### **Section 8. Other Committees.**

Such other committees, standing or special, shall be appointed by the State Regent as the Kansas Society may authorize or as the National Society may require. The State Regent shall be ex officio a member of all committees except the Nominating Committee.

#### **Section 9. Committee Appointments.**

Appointments of committee chairmen and members shall be concurrent with the term of the appointing State Regent.

### **Section 10. Expenses.**

The expenses of the State Committee Chairmen, as approved in the budget, shall be submitted as itemized statements in writing, with receipts, to the State Regent, who shall present them to the State Treasurer for authorized payment. Additional expenses shall be submitted as itemized statements in writing, with receipts, to the Executive Committee.

### **Section 11. Reports.**

Each State Committee Chairman shall type an annual report of less than two hundred words; before March 1, one copy shall be sent to the State Regent and two copies to the State Recording Secretary. These annual reports shall be presented at the State Conference and shall be published in the Annual Report and Proceedings.

Each State Committee Chairman shall prepare and send by the designated deadline a report to the Vice Chairman of the South Central Division of her committee. A copy of this report shall be sent to the State Regent.

### **Section 12. Transfer of Records and Property.**

At the completion of her term, each State Committee Chairman shall deliver to the State Regent-elect or, if so instructed, to the newly appointed State Chairman of her committee, a written procedure of the requirements of her chairmanship, a list of the KSDAR property in her custody, and all records and property of the Kansas Society, and she shall obtain a receipt for these items. She shall provide a duplicate of the list of the KSDAR property in her custody for the State Regent-elect.

## **ARTICLE XII Districts**

### **Section 1. Names.**

The Kansas Society shall be divided into four Districts: the Northeast District, the Northwest District, the Southeast District and the Southwest District. The chapters in each District are designated in the Standing Rules. District assignments of new chapters shall be made by the Executive Committee.

### **Section 2. Jurisdiction.**

The four Districts are under the jurisdiction of the Kansas Society and shall follow the guidelines set forth by the Executive Committee. Each District shall have the privilege to determine the amount and deadline for payment of dues from its chapters and other financial matters and to allow for any traditional procedures and courtesies, provided that they shall not conflict with the Bylaws of the National and Kansas Societies or the District guidelines set by the Executive Committee.

### **Section 3. Meetings.**

(a) The meetings of the Districts shall be held for the general purpose of expanding the programs of the National and Kansas Societies, to provide instruction and inspiration to chapter members, and to acquaint them with the State Officers and the State Committee Chairmen.

(b) The Annual District Meetings shall be held in the fall, following the State Board of Management meeting, for the purpose of receiving the reports of its officers and conducting the business of the District. In the second year of an administration, each District shall elect a member to represent the District on the State Nominating Committee and a District Nominating Committee. District officers shall be elected at the Annual District Meeting. The call for the meetings shall be published in the "Kansas DAR News."

(c) Annual District Meetings shall be held in the fall, the times and locations to be arranged by the District Directors and the State Vice Regent, with the approval of the State Regent.

### **Section 4. Officers.**

The officers shall be a Director, an Assistant Director, and a Secretary-Treasurer. Officers shall be elected for a term of three years at the Annual District Meeting preceding the election of the State Officers and shall assume the duties of their office at the close of the Chapter Regents' banquet at the State Conference. No member shall be eligible to succeed herself in the same District office, and no member shall be eligible to serve more than two consecutive terms in the offices of her District.

### **Section 5. State Conference.**

The Districts shall host the State Conference by rotation in the following order: the Northwest District, the Northeast District, the Southeast District, and the Southwest District. If necessary, the rotation order may be altered. The chapters in the host District shall be assigned responsibilities for the State Conference by the State Conference Chairman.

## **ARTICLE XIII**

### **Chapters**

#### **Section 1. Officers.**

The chapters shall elect their officers by February 1 of the year in which they elect officers. Newly elected chapter officers shall assume the duties of their offices after the close of the Continental Congress and by the June meeting.

#### **Section 2. Chapter Officers Report Forms.**

Each year before March 1, the Chapter Recording Secretary shall report the names and addresses of the chapter officers for the ensuing year. This report shall be made on forms furnished by the State Corresponding Secretary and shall include the names and addresses of all chapter officers, whether newly elected or completing the term of election; the date of election; the

date on which office is assumed; and the length of term. The report form shall be signed by the designated officers, and one original and two photocopies shall be returned to the State Corresponding Secretary by the March 1 deadline.

### **Section 3. Provision for Fees and Dues in Chapter Bylaws.**

A chapter may provide in its bylaws for fees and dues for chapter use in addition to national and state dues, but may not levy assessments in excess of the requirements of its bylaws. The bylaws of a chapter shall prescribe a date for collection of chapter dues sufficiently in advance to meet the requirements for payment to the National and Kansas Societies before December 1.

### **Section 4. Representation and Return of Credentials Forms.**

(a) Delegates and alternates to the Continental Congress shall be elected by February 1 of each year. (For number and qualifications of delegates and alternates to Continental Congress, see National Bylaws Article XIII, Sections 9 and 10.) A list of the delegates and alternates, with the date of their election by the chapter typewritten on blanks furnished by the National Society, shall be sent, bearing a postmark no later than February 15, to the National Chairman of Credentials and to the State Regent.

No Regent, First Vice Regent, delegate or alternate whose dues for the current year have not been received by the Office of the Treasurer General on or before the first day of January, preceding Continental Congress, shall be entitled to represent her chapter. (see National Bylaws Article IV, Section 2 (e) (3).)

(b) Delegates and alternates to the State Conference shall be elected by February 1 of each year. (For number and qualifications of delegates and alternates to State Conference see Article VIII, Sections 3 and 4, of these bylaws.) A list of the delegates and alternates and the date of their election shall be typewritten on the State Credentials Form, which is furnished to the chapter by the Kansas Society in a January mailing from the State Corresponding Secretary, and shall be photocopied and sent to the State Registrar, the State Treasurer, and the State Credentials Committee Chairman by February 8.

No Regent, First Vice Regent, delegate or alternate whose state dues for the current year have not been received by the State Treasurer on or before the January 1 preceding State Conference shall be entitled to represent her chapter.

Kansas members who attend any session or meal of the State Conference shall pay a registration fee, determined by the State Regent, not to exceed \$5.00.

### **Section 5. Chapter Regent.**

Annually before August 1, each Chapter Regent shall send to the State Vice Regent a listing of names, addresses, and telephone numbers of her chapter's chairmen of national and state committees.

Each Chapter Regent shall type an annual report of less than two hundred words: before March 1, one copy shall be sent to the State Regent and two copies to the State Recording Secretary. These annual reports shall be published in the Annual Report and Proceedings.

### **Section 6. Chapter Chaplain.**

The Chapter Chaplain shall report deaths immediately to the State Chaplain. Information about the deceased member shall include her name and national number, date of death, name and address of next of kin, and any offices held in the chapter or in the State and National Societies. A newspaper obituary shall be sent with the report of a member's death.

### **Section 7. Chapter Treasurer.**

(a) Each year before December 1, the Chapter Treasurer shall remit the annual national dues of \$15.00 for every active member in the chapter to the Office of the Treasurer General. The computer printout of the chapter membership, received by the Chapter Treasurer from the Office of the Treasurer General by September 15, shall accompany the chapter's payment of annual national dues.

Payments to the Treasurer General, other than those remitted with the computer printout, shall be accompanied by remittance blanks, which may be ordered free of charge from the Office of the Treasurer General. Payments for which remittance blanks are required include additional annual national dues and the fees for applications, reinstatements, and supplementals.

All checks remitted to the National Society shall be made payable to the Treasurer General, NSDAR.

(b) Each year before December 1, the Chapter Treasurer shall remit the annual state dues of \$2.50 for every active member in the chapter to the State Treasurer. A computer printout of the chapter membership, received by the Chapter Treasurer from the State Treasurer in September, shall accompany the chapter's payment of annual state dues. A member whose state dues have not been paid by January 1 shall be ineligible to serve as a delegate or an alternate at the State Conference.

Each year before December 31, the Chapter Treasurer shall also send to the State Treasurer all chapter contributions for the National Society and the Kansas Society, including the required payments designated in the KSDAR Standing Rules, accompanied by the State Treasurer's Remittance Form. Only payments received by the State Treasurer by December 31 will be processed for that year's reporting period; payments received after December 31 will be applied to the succeeding calendar year's reporting period.

All checks remitted to the Kansas Society shall be made payable to the Kansas Society DAR.

(c) Each chapter shall pay annual District dues to the treasurer of its assigned District, according to the guidelines of the District.

(d) The Chapter Treasurer shall report all changes in membership as they occur to the Membership Department of the Office of the Treasurer General and to the State Treasurer. Reports of membership changes shall be made on Membership Change Forms, available free of charge from the Membership Department of the Office of the Treasurer General, and shall include changes by admission, transfer, resignation, removal for nonpayment of dues, reinstatement, death, marriage or divorce, and changes of name or address.

### **Section 8. Chapter Registrar.**

The Chapter Registrar shall report to the State Registrar all information necessary to keep her records exact. Changes in membership by admission, transfer, resignation, removal for nonpayment of dues, reinstatement, death, marriage or divorce, and changes of name or address shall be reported on State Registrar's Report Forms. Information about newly admitted members shall include: full name, including maiden name and, if married, husband's full name; full date of admittance; national number; name of chapter; name and rank of ancestor, with name of the child through whom the lineage is traced; colony or state, and branch of service in which the ancestor served. Information about members transferring into the Kansas Society from out of state shall include, in addition to the information required for newly admitted members, the name and location of former chapters and dates of transfers.

She shall complete the chapter's Annual Membership Report Form, supplied by the State Registrar, and return it to the State Registrar by February 15. Information listed on the annual membership report shall list members who have been accepted, dropped, resigned, reinstated, transferred, married, divorced, or who have died during the preceding year. Newly admitted Junior Members, with dates of birth, shall also be listed on the annual report.

## **ARTICLE XIV**

### **Parliamentary Authority**

The rules contained in the current edition of *Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised* shall govern the Kansas Society in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with these bylaws or the Bylaws of the National Society.

## **ARTICLE XV**

### **Amendments**

**Section 1.** These bylaws 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 prior to the State Conference, and that the amendment has been proposed by the State Bylaws Committee, the State Board of Management, the previous State Conference, or by a chapter of the Kansas Society. An amendment proposed by a chapter 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 shall take effect at the close of the State Conference at which it is adopted.

**Section 3.** Any amendment adopted by the National Society affecting the work of the Kansas Society or the chapters in the state shall become the law of the Kansas Society and chapters without further notice.



## **STANDING RULES**

**Revised by the Ninety-second KSDAR Conference  
March 17, 1990**

**Amended by the Ninety-fourth KSDAR Conference  
March 21, 1992**

**Amended by the Ninety-fifth KSDAR Conference  
March 13, 1993**

**Number 1.** The report of the Kansas Society shall be known as the Annual Report and Proceedings of the Annual State Conference of the Kansas Society of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The report shall be distributed by the Recording Secretary as follows: State Regent, the number she desires; State Officers, 1 to 3 each; Chapters, 1 each; Honorary State Regents, 1 each; State Chairmen of National and State Committees, 1 each; Senior State President C.A.R., 1; District Directors, 1 each; the Library of the Kansas Society, 1; the KSDAR Archives in the Memorial Building of the Kansas State Historical Society, 2; the President General, NSDAR, 1; and the Kansas State Historical Society, 1. In an election year, one copy shall be given to each of the new officers and the chairmen of committees. Chapter Regents may receive a free copy by special request made before June 1. Except for State Officers, no one individual shall receive more than one free copy. Other members desiring copies may place by June 1 with the State Recording Secretary a prepaid order at four dollars per copy.

**Number 2.** At least two issues of the "Kansas DAR News" shall be printed each year and mailed to each member. The printing and mailing expenses shall be borne by the State Society.

**Number 3.** A sum of \$2,000.00 shall be allowed the State Regent each year for the purpose of carrying on her work in addition to her office expenses.

**Number 4.** Twenty-five dollars shall be allowed each State Officer to partially defray her State Conference expenses.

**Number 5.** Twenty-five dollars shall be allowed for the courtesy of flowers for the Kansas State Regent at Continental Congress; and twenty-five dollars shall be allowed for the courtesy of flowers for the Kansas State Regent-elect; arrangements shall be made by the State Treasurer.

**Number 6.** Fifty dollars shall be allotted to the State Regent for Kansas Pages at Continental Congress.

**Number 7.** Each year, the State Treasurer shall set aside from the General Fund ten cents per chapter member for 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.

**Number 8.** Each year, each chapter shall pay five cents per member for the support of the Kansas State Society Children of the American Revolution.

The KSDAR State Treasurer shall forward these funds to the K.S.C.A.R. Senior State Treasurer.

**Number 9.** Each year, each chapter in Kansas shall pay one dollar for the Kansas Chapel Maintenance Fund.

**Number 10.** Each year, each chapter in Kansas shall pay ten cents per member for the Kansas DAR Library Fund to help meet the annual library expenses of rent, insurance, operating costs, and purchases and maintenance of equipment.

**Number 11.** Each year, each chapter in Kansas shall pay one dollar for veteran-patients in order to meet the NSDAR Honor Roll requirement; to be sent to the State Treasurer, who shall make equal payment to the three Veterans Medical Centers.

**Number 12.** Each year, on or before September 15, each chapter shall send copies of its chapter yearbook to the State Officers, the State Chairman of the Membership Committee, and 2 copies to the State Chairman of the Program Committee.

**Number 13.** The State Regent, State Vice Regent, and Historian shall have the custody of the archives 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 incoming Regent, to the Vice Regent, and to the Historian. No one shall have the key without the permission of these three officers.

**Number 14.** The State Regent may send a report of the October National Board Meeting to each chapter of the Kansas Society.

**Number 15.** The State Regent shall have the State Regent's Pin appraised by the J. E. Caldwell Company once during her administration, and if the pin is lost the State Society shall assume the cost of replacing it.

**Number 16.** The Kansas DAR Library shall be located in the Dodge City Recreation Center at Avenue G and Vine in Dodge City, Kansas.

(a) The Kansas Society DAR shall have the responsibility and jurisdiction over the maintenance, insurance, loan and period of housing at the Dodge City Recreation Center.

(b) The Dodge City Chapter DAR shall provide a committee that shall be known as the Dodge City Chapter Kansas DAR Library Committee to assume care of the library. The committee shall keep the State Librarian informed of the condition and status of books, materials and equipment; shall assist the State Librarian when possible in the repair and maintenance of these items; and shall receive and answer all requests for the loan of books and other materials.

(c) The annual rent of \$300 shall be paid by January 1 to the Kansas Genealogical Society.

(d) Materials submitted to the Kansas DAR Library shall be limited to items of genealogical nature. To avoid duplication, donors shall check with the State Librarian before books are sent.

**Number 17.** An Endowment Fund for the support of the Kansas DAR Library has been established in order to ensure its future.

(a) Monies contributed to the Endowment Fund shall be under the jurisdiction of the State Treasurer.

(b) The annual interest accrued from the fund shall pay for the following annual library expenses: rent, insurance, operating expenses, and purchase and maintenance of equipment.

**Number 18.** The Genevieve Pendleton Memorial Endowment Scholarship shall be given the third year of each KSDAR administration to a high school senior who is entering a two- or four-year college or university. The selection shall be based on an essay relative to the broad aspect of national defense, the patriotic awareness of the candidate, two references as to the applicant's character and integrity, and an acceptable academic record. Selection shall be made by the State Scholarship Chairman, the State National Defense Chairman, and the State Regent.

**Number 19.** A Kansas DAR Scholarship shall be awarded annually to a high school senior who has DAR eligibility or to a member of DAR; proof of enrollment in a two- or four-year college or university shall be required.

**Number 20.** The Elizabeth M. Hill Kessler Scholarship shall provide a college scholarship for a girl graduating from high school. The recipient of this scholarship shall have acceptable scholastic ability, show financial need, be a citizen of the United States of America, and be eligible for membership in the DAR. This award will be given the second year of each KSDAR administration.

If the two rooms at the Shawnoo Mission in Fairway, Kansas, formerly supported by the KSDAR are again maintained and refurbished by the Kansas Daughters, the interest from this fund shall be used for these purposes and take precedence over the scholarship fund.

**Number 21.** The Gladys E. Routh Memorial Scholarship, in memory of her parents, Albert Jesse Jones and Mabel Clare Early Jones, shall be awarded to a deserving boy or girl, preferably one who is at least 1/4 Pottawatomie Indian. If a deserving individual of Pottawatomie heritage is not available, another Indian heritage may be substituted. The interest from the \$3,000 gift shall be awarded the first year of a KSDAR administration for attendance at an accredited college or university. Members of the scholarship committee who will supervise the awarding of the scholarship shall consist of: the KSDAR Scholarship Chairman, the KSDAR American Indians Chairman and a member of the Eunice Sterling Chapter.

**Number 22.** In the event that no applications are received for the scholarships offered during any year of the term, applications will be accepted for those scholarships the following year in addition to those regularly scheduled to be awarded.

**Number 23.** State Chairmen of Committees, District Directors, and Honorary State Regents may attend the meetings of the State Board of Management with voice but no vote.

**Number 24.** At the Conference Opening, the State Regent shall appoint a committee to approve the minutes of the closing meeting of the State Conference.

**Number 25.** The hospitality of the following persons, if attending the State Conference at the official invitation of the State Regent, shall be a Conference expense: Candidates for President General, NSDAR; National Officers or National appointees appearing as speakers; two members of the National Board of Management; representatives of the DAR Schools, Approved Schools, and Indian Schools; or any designated speaker for a special program or event.

**Number 26.** (a) A \$10 limit shall be placed on awards at State Conference.

(b) Interest accrued annually from the Mary Lempenau Permanent Trust of \$750 shall pay monetary awards at State Conference.

**Number 27.** The Kansas State Outstanding Junior shall be awarded \$150 if she attends Continental Congress, to be paid from the General Fund.

**Number 28.** A National winner of the Good Citizens Contest, American History Essay Contest, Outstanding Junior Contest and V.A. Volunteer shall be awarded \$250 toward transportation expenses to attend Continental Congress. The money awarded shall be paid from the Award Transportation Fund.

**Number 29.** The Kansas Society shall present to the State Regent an Ex-State Regent's Pin or, if she has been elected Honorary State Regent, an Honorary State Regent's Pin at the end of her term of office, providing that she has served two-thirds of her elected term.

**Number 30.** A pilgrimage to a historically significant Kansas site may be held annually on Constitution Day, September 17. Local chapters may act as hostesses. A sum not to exceed fifty dollars shall be allotted to the committee in charge of the pilgrimage.

**Number 31.** An Honorary State Regent who becomes a candidate for national office shall be extended the courtesy of one full-page, black-and-white advertisement in the *DAR Magazine*; donations from Districts, chapters, and individuals may be solicited, but the Kansas Society shall be responsible for any remaining balance of the expense of the advertisement. The candidate shall be responsible for, and bear the expense of, the preparation of the advertisement for publication.

**Number 32.** The schedule for the Fall Tour shall be made before March 1 by the State Regent and State Vice Regent in consultation with the four District Directors and representatives of the hostess chapters. All plans for the tour shall be finalized by June 1.

**Number 33.** A State Press Book Chairman shall be appointed by the State Regent, such Chairman to receive all publicity from the chapters and to prepare a State Press Book. The Press Book shall be given to each State Regent under whose administration it is compiled.

**Number 34.** An updated list of past State Officers, KSDAR holdings and other pertinent historical information shall be published in the Annual Report and Proceedings every ten years, beginning in 1980.

**Number 35.** A Directory of members may be printed every ten years beginning in 1990. Interim supplements to the Directory may be issued.

**Number 36.** The chapters in each District are as follows: NORTHEAST—Arthur Barrett, Atchison, Betty Washington, Captain Jesse Leavenworth, James Ross, John Haupt, Mission Hills, Olathe, Prairie Flint Hills, Prairie Rose, Quivira Crossing, Sagamore, Samuel Linscott, Shawnee Mission, Tomahawk, Topeka, and Wyandot. NORTHWEST—Abilene, Courtney-Spalding, Desire Tobey Sears, Fort Larned, Good-Land, Jeremiah Howard, John Athey, Jonathan Gilbert, Lois Warner, Mary Wade Strother, Nathan Edson, Newton, Polly Ogden, Sarah Steward, Smoky Hill, and Stone Corral. SOUTHEAST—Betty Bonney, Cofachique, Council Oak, Emporia, Esther Lowrey, Four Winds, General Edward Hand, Isabella Weldin, Jane Dean Coffey, Marais des Cygnes, Molly Foster Berry, Neodesha, Oceanus Hopkins, Peleg Gorton, and Susannah French Putney. SOUTHWEST—Byrd Prewitt, Cimarron River Valley, Dodge City, Eunice Sterling, Flores del Sol, Kanza, Little Arkansas, Little Osage Trail, Martha Loving Ferrell, Martha Vail, Minisa, Ninnescah, Randolph Loving, Uvedale, Wichita, and William Wilson.

**Number 37.** These Standing Rules may be amended at any State Conference by a two-thirds vote and may be suspended for that meeting by a majority vote.

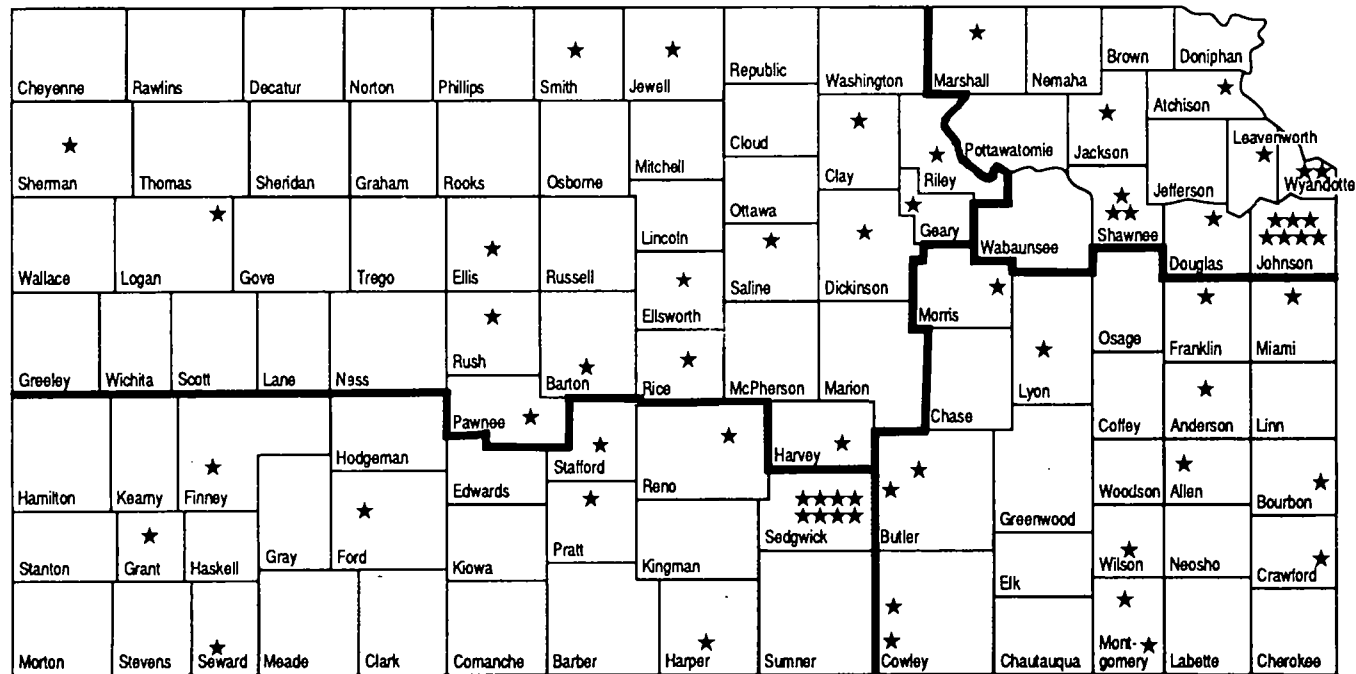
## CHAPTER REGENTS 1993-1994

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<b>BETTY WASHINGTON</b>	<b>Northeast</b>
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<b>JOHN HAUPT</b>	Northeast
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<b>LITTLE OSAGE TRAIL</b>	Southwest
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<b>PELEG GORTON</b>	<b>Southeast</b>
Mrs. William Rosecrans, 2002 Mound, Winfield, 67156	
<b>POLLY OGDEN</b>	<b>Northwest</b>
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