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PRESIDENT GENERAL'S THEME

"Continuing the Commitment, Challenging the Future"

MRS. RUTH KEYS CLARK, STATE REGENT, KANSAS SOCIETY

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VICE PRESIDENT GENERAL, NSDAR Mrs. Richard C. McGehee



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STATE CONFERENCE PAGES

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 Miss Amy Huffman, Miss Laurie Huffman, Miss Nina Huffman, Mrs. John Tully.



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DAR GOOD CITIZENS Jason Schreiner



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

I plcdge 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

NATIONAL OFFICERS

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Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Overland Park	
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Dec	eased	

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Mrs. Ralph Patterson, 2316 Schulman Ave, Garden City 67846 WYANDOT Mrs. Paul Steifer, 150N.38th St, Kansas City, KS 66102-3759	Northeast
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STATE REGENTS SCHEDULE March 27, 1993 to April 23, 1994

1993	
March 27	Kansas State Society SAR meeting in Lawrence
April 3	Marais des Cygnes Chapter with
ripin o	General Edward Hand Chapter members as guests
April 19-24	102nd Continental Congress in Washington, D.C.
April 30	Visit to Martha Loving Ferrell Chapter
May 1	Visit to Flores del Sol Chapter
May 11	Visit to DAR chapter in Jackson County, Missouri
May 14	Visit to Cimarron River Valley Chapter
May 14	Visit to Fort Larned Chapter
May 15	Visit to Captain Jesse Leavenworth Chapter
May 17	Visit to Mary Wade Strother Chapter
May 18	Visit to John Haupt Chapter
May 26	Visit to Shawnee Mission Chapter
June 12	Visit to Topeka Chapter
June 14	Visit to Desire Tobey Sears Chapter
July 6-7	Regional C.A.R. Conference in Kansas City
July 24	Dedication of marker by John Haupt Chapter
July 28	Genealogical workshop at Ness City
August 13	Kansas Governor Joan Finney's office for
	Constitution Week Proclamation at Topeka
August 14	Meeting with the past and present Regent
	of Minisa Chapter
August 21	Executive Committee Meeting, Salina
August 27	Eunice Sterling Chapter Membership Tea
August 29	Santa Fe Trail marker rededication by
	the Dodge City Chapter
August 30	Visit to KSDAR Library
September 10	Visit to Minisa Chapter
September 12	Executive Committee Meeting, Holton
September 13	KSDAR Fall Board of Management Meeting and
a	Northeast District Meeting, Holton
September 14	Northwest District Meeting, Clay Center
September 15	Pilgrimage at Fort Larned; Visit to KSDAR Library
September 16	Southwest District Meeting, Garden City
September 17	Southeast District Meeting, Neodesha
September 18	Visit to John Athey Chapter
October 1	Visit to Esther Lowrey Chapter
October 7	Visit to Little Arkansas Chapter
October 13-15	National Board of Management Meeting
October 29	KSDAR Library Open House, Dodge City
October 30	Visit to Quivira Crossing, Sagamore, and Prairie Rose Chapters
November 1	Visit to Polly Ogden Chapter

November 8 Visit to Emporia Chapter

- November 11 Visit to Neodesha Chapter
- November 13 Visit to Four Winds Chapter
- November 15 Visit to Cofachique Chapter
- November 16 Meeting at Miami, Oklahoma regarding Tri-state Marker erected by NYA
- November 18 Genealogical Workshop at Russell
- November 20 Visit to Nathan Edson Chapter
- November 22 Visit to Ninnescah Chapter
- December 4 Visit to Sarah Steward Chapter
- December 6 Visit to Smoky Hill Chapter
- December 8 Meeting with Holidome Officials in Lawrence
- December 11 Visit to Atchison Chapter
- December 18 Visit to Samuel Linscott Chapter

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January 8	Executive Committee Meeting, Lawrence
January 12	Visit to Willian Wilson Chapter
January 15	Visit to Jane Dean Coffey Chapter
January 25	American History Month Proclamation at Kansas
-	Governor Joan Finney's office, Topeka
February 3-5	National Board of Management Meeting
February 12	Visit to Newton Chapter
February 15	Meeting with Committee Chairman and Holidome
-	Officials, Lawrence
February 22	George Washington Birthday Dinner,
	SAR Chapter, Wichita
March 2	Shawnee Mission Tea honoring Faith Ann Shirley
March 12	Visit to Arthur Barrett Chapter
March 13-16	Kansas Society DAR State Conference at Lawrence
March 17-20	Missouri Society DAR State Conference
March 21	Visit to Oceanus Hopkins Chapter
March 24-26	Nebraska Society DAR State Conference
April 2	Visit to Olathe Chapter
April 18-23	103rd Continental Congress in Washington, D.C.
	National Board of Management Meetings

1994 NINETY-SIXTH STATE CONFERENCE OF THE Kansas Society DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

March 14-16, 1994 Holiday Inn – Lawrence, Kansas

"CONTINUING THE COMMITMENT, CHALLENGING THE FUTURE"

NORTHEAST DISTRICT HOSTESS CHAPTERS

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 Wyandotte

CONFERENCE RULES

- 1. All members shall be registered before entering the business meetings. Proper Identification badges shall be worn at all business sessions with blue ribbon for delegates and the red ribbon for alternates.
- 2. All meetings 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 Committee 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 meetings.
- 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, and 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. The current edition of *Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised* will govern all parliamentary action not covered by the Society Bylaws and Rules.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

Conference CochairmenMrs. Fred Bell and Mrs. Kenneth Conference TreasurerMrs. Elmer M Credentials Committee ChairmanMrs. Donald F. Se	ellies
Registration Committee Chairman	
Conference Marshals	
Mrs. Frank W. Hut	
House Committee	
Mrs. James T	
Literature Tables	apter.
Betty Washington Chapter, James Ross Ch	
Mission Hills Chapter, Tomahawk Ch	
Table Decorations	4
Tuesday LuncheonCaptain Jesse Leaven	worth
and Quivira Crossing Cha	apters
Tuesday ReceptionArthur Barrett and Samuel Linscott Cha	pters
Tuesday BanquetOlathe and Shawnee Mission Cha	
Wednesday LuncheonJohn H	
and Prairie Flint Hills Cha	
Wednesday BanquetSagamore, Prairie	Rose
and Wyandotte Cha	
Conference PianistsMrs. Richard Bu	
Mrs. Martin J.	
Mrs. Rose	
Hospitality State Regent's SuiteSarah Steward Ch	
Conference PhotographerBlaker S	
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Kansas Society Sons of the American Revolution	4 -
Color Guard	
Thomas Jefferson Ch Charles Bebinson Ch	
Charles Robinson Ch	lapter

C.A.R. SENIOR OFFICERS-KANSAS SOCIETY

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Second Vice President	Mrs. Dennis Owens
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Organizing Secretary	Mrs. Everett Mulkey
Corresponding Secretary	Mrs. Esburn T. James
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Registrar	Mrs. Dean B. Lappin
Historian	
Librarian-Curator	Mr. John Ŵ. McGuire, Jr.

CHAIRMAN OF PAGES Mrs. Doran Cole

Mrs. Mark Anderson (Susan)	Betty Washington
Mrs. Mark A. Barker (Polly)	
Ms. Tess Bateman	
Mrs. Richard Bullock (Denise)	Sagamore
Ms. Sarah Caillouet	
Mrs. Charles Carter (Rhonda)	Sagamore
Mrs. Daniel Clair (Kim)	Captain Jesse Leavenworth
Mrs. Gordon Etelamaki (Susan)	Arthur Barrett
Mrs. Randall J. Galemore (Penny)	
Mrs. Tod Hettenbach (Leesa)	
Miss Amy Huffman	
Miss Nina Huffman	Arthur Barrett
Miss Elizabeth Lawson	
Mrs. Gregg Ratzloff (Mary)	
Miss Laurie Schweiger	
Mrs. Robert Smith (Kelley Lee)	
Mrs. John Tully (Vivian)	
Mrs. Oliver I. West, Jr. (Kathryn)	

PRE-CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES

Monday, March 14, 1994

Noon-8:00 p.m.	Registration
_	Preconvene area
	Workshops, Brazilian A & B
1:30-2:00 p.m.	Fall Tour planning meeting, all District Directors and Regents of hostess Chapters
2:15-3:50 p.m.	
4:00-4:30 p.m	
4:35-5:00 p.m.	"Protocol for Chapter Regents and Chapter Members" Mrs. Robert Kline, Ms. Shirley Coupal and Mrs. Richard Standrich
5:45-7:45 p.m	State Officers' Club Dinner, Brazilian C Chapter Regents' Club Dinner, Brazilian D Heritage Dinner-Hostess, Mrs. Ross E. Wulfkuhle, Regency DII
8:00 p.m	State Board of Management Meeting Brazilian A & B
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,
Т	he Flag of the United States of America Committee
The American's Creed	Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice-Regent
The National Anthem	Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary
Pianist	Mrs. Richard Bullock
Reports	
Recommendations from the Executive Committee	ne State Mrs. Larry D. Ream, State Recording Secretary
Announcements	
Adjournment	

CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Tuesday, March 15, 1994

8:00 a.m.	Page Instruction, Suite #425
8:00 a.m.	Registration, Convention Lobby Coffee in Chancellor Suite #425
9:00 a.m.	CONFERENCE OPENING Brazilian A, B & C
Entrance of State Of	Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist ficers, escorted by the Pages and the st No. 14, Lawrence Color Guard
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 S	tates of AmericaMrs. Gus Ramirez, State Chairman
	Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Past Vice President General, Honorary State Regent
The National Anthem (firs	t stanza)Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary
GreetingsMrs.	Donald Shattuck Blair, President General, NSDAR
*(doors opened briefly)	
-	Robert Moody, Lawrence City Commissioner Mrs. Robert N. Kline, Northeast District Director rs. Kenneth M. Beal, State Conference Cochairman
Response	Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent
*(doors opened briefly)	

Presentation of Officers, Guests,
State Parliamentarian and National Appointees
Report of Credentials CommitteeMrs. Donald F. Seefeld, State Chairman
Reading of Conference RulesMrs. Harold N. Ottaway, State Parliamentarian
Presentation of
Conference ProgramMrs. Kenneth M. Beal, Conference Cochairman
*(doors opened briefly)
Minutes of closing meeting of the Ninety-fifth State Conference
Appointment of TimekeepersMrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary Mrs. G.D. Spafford, State Organizing Secretary
Appointment of Committee to approve the minutes of the closing meetings.
Reports of State Officers
*(doors opened briefly)
Reports of State Chairmen of National Committees, State Committees and State Appointees
AnnouncementsMrs. Kenneth M. Beal, Conference Cochairman
RecessionalMrs. Richard Bullock, pianist
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SANTA FE TRAIL LUNCHEON

Regency C & D

12:30 p.m.	Mrs. Charley Shoemake, State Historian, presiding
Invocation	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
Greetings	Mrs. Henry C. Rilling, Arizona State Regent
Program	"The Santa Fe Trail"
	Dr. David Clapsaddle, Larned,
	The Kansas Authority on the Trail
Announcements	Mrs. Kenneth M. Beal, Conference Cochairman
Benediction	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
Recessional	Mrs. Rose Musil, pianist
2:30 p.m.	BUSINESS MEETING, Brazilian A, B & C
Continued Reports of State Committee Chairmen	
Greetings	Mrs. Ollie L. Tracy, Missouri State Regent
Announcements	Mrs. Kenneth M. Beal, Conference Cochairman
Recessional	Mrs. Rose Musil, pianist
PICTURES	Brazilian D
5:25 p.mState Officers, Honorary State Regents, National Officers	

5:35 p.m.	President General and Visiting State Regents
5:40 p.m.	District Directors and Chapter Regents
5:50 p.m.	Pictures, All Chapter Regents
6:10 p.m.	Receiving Line and Punch Reception, Brazilian C & D
7:00 p.m	
Processional	Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist
Color Guard	Kansas Society Sons of the American Revolution
Invocation	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of AmericaMrs. Gus Ramirez, State Chairman The National AnthemMrs. Harry J. Carpenter,	
Taka 1 dia	State Corresponding Secretary
Introductions	
Presentation of Outstanding Junior MemberMrs. Kevin Smith, State Chairman, Junior Membership Committee	
Presentation of Distri	ict DirectorsMrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent
AnnouncementsMrs. Kenneth M. Beal, Conference Cochairman	
Benediction	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
Retiring of the Color	S
Recessional	Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist
9:30-11:30 p.m	Junior Members' Club Party, Suite #425

Wednesday, March 16, 1994

7:00 a.m.	State Chairmen's Club Breakfast, Regency DII
8:00 a.m10:00 a.m	Registration, Convention Lobby
7:00-9:00 a.m.	Coffee in Chancellor Suite #425
8:30 a.m.	Memorial Service, Brazilian A, B & C Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain, presiding Harpist, Pamela Keller Pianist, Mrs. Martin Robl
9:45 a.m.	BUSINESS MEETING, Brazilian A, B & C
Processional	Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist Color Guard, Girl Scout Troop #660, Lawrence
Call to Order	Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent
Invocation	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
The Pledge of Allegiand to the Flag of the United	e I States of AmericaMrs. Gus Ramirez, State Chairman

The National Anthem
(first and fourth stanzas)Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter,
State Corresponding Secretary
The Kansas CreedMrs. John W. McGuire, Jr.,
Honorary State Regent
Minutes of Tuesday MeetingsMrs. Larry D. Ream,
State Recording Secretary
Centennial Minute
Continued Reports
ResolutionsMrs. Lynn Stiggins, Resolutions Committee
Final Report of the
Credentials CommitteeMrs. Donald F. Seefeld, Chairman
Recommendations from the
State Board of ManagementMrs. Larry D. Ream,
State Recording Secretary
Report of the Finance CommitteeMrs. John D. Afton, Chairman
Report of the Bylaws CommitteeMrs. Billy P. Compton, Chairman
Report of the Conference MarshalMs. Shirley Coupal
Report of the Chairman of PagesMrs. Doran Cole, Chairman
Presentation of State AwardsMrs. Leon Torkelson, Chairman
AnnouncementsMrs. Kenneth M. Beal, Conference Cochairman
BenedictionMrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
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RecessionalMrs. Richard Bullock, pianist
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InvocationMrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
Program
Dr. Frederick A. Krebs, Johnson County Community College Courtesy of Kansas Humanities Council
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Presentation of Youth Awards
American History Essay ContestMrs. Glen E. Mayden, State Chairman
DAR Good CitizensMrs. Stan Kippenberger, State Chairman
DAR ScholarshipMrs. Leon Torkelson
Junior American CitizensMrs. Ralph E. French, Jr., State Chairman
Outstanding American History TeacherMrs. Charley Shoemake, State Historian
Santa Fe Trail Essay ContestMrs. Charley Shoemake, State Historian
Recessional
2:15 p.m

2:45 p.m	BUSINESS MEETING, Brazilian A, B & C
Continued Reports	
	Mrs. Lynn Stiggins, Resolution Committee
Report of the Junior Bazaar	Mrs. Kevin Smith,
	ate Chairman, Junior Membership Committee
Invitation to 1995 State Confere	nceMrs. Bobby Campbell, Southeast District Director
Appreciation to the Conference Northeast District, Mrs. Vincent	
	Mrs. James N. Shirley, State Reporter
"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"	
Benediction	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
Retiring of the Colors	
Recessional	Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist
Adjournment	
PICTURES	Brazilian D
5:30 p.m.	
5:45 p.m.	Pages
	BANQUET
Processional	Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist
Color Guard, Kansas Society So	ons of the American Revolution
Invocation	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
The Pledge of Allegiance to the	Flag of the
	Mrs. Gus Ramirez, State Chairman
The National Anthem	Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary
	Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Vice President General, Honorary State Regent
Introductions	
Presentation of Guests from	
	Mrs. Howard R. Walker, State Librarian
	Music EnsembleDorothy Harmes, Director
Introduction	Mrs. Richard C. McGehee,
	ice President General, Honorary State Regent
	"Continuing the Commitment"
	ld Shattuck Blair, President General, NSDAR
	Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain
Retiring of the Colors	
Recessional	Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist

MINUTES

FALL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

Presbyterian Church Holton, Kansas

Monday September 13, 1993

The Fall Board of Management of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution convened at 9:30 a.m., Monday, September 13, 1993, at the Presbyterian Church, Holton, Kansas, with the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, presiding.

In the absence of Mrs. Richard Standrich, State Chaplain, the invocation was given by Mrs. John Afton, State Treasurer. 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. Mrs. Robert Kline led the assembly in the singing of the first verse of the National Anthem, with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Martin J. Robl.

Mrs. Wilbur Stoll, Regent, Samuel Linscott Chapter, extended a welcome to those present on behalf of the chapter and the community of Holton, Kansas.

Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent gave the response. Mrs. Clark welcomed the Kansas Daughters and recognized distinguished members: Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, 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; Regent and Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Past Vice President General and Honorary State Regent. The State Regent introduced the State Officers: Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent; 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; and Mrs. James N. Shirley, State Reporter. Mrs. Clark then presented Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway, State Parliamentarian.

The State Regent recognized the National Vice Chairmen of the South Central Division: Mrs. Robert N. Kline, American Indians Committee, and Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway, Motion Picture, Radio and Television Committee.

The following chapters were represented by their Regent or Vice Regent for roll call: Arthur Barrett, Atchison, Betty Washington, Captain Jesse Leavenworth, Cofachique, Council Oak, Eunice Sterling, Flores del Sol, Isabella Weldin, James Ross, John Haupt, Kanza, Marais des Cygnes, Martha Loving Ferrell, Mary Wade Strother, Minisa, Mission Hills, Nathan Edson, Prairie Flint Hills, Prairie Rose, Quivira Crossing, Sagamore, Samuel Linscott, Sarah Steward, Shawnee Mission, Stone Corral, Susannah French

Putney, Tomahawk, Topeka, Wichita and Wyandot. One National Officer, eight State Officers and representatives of thirty-one chapters were present. A quorum was declared and the meeting proceeded.

The State Regent explained 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. Billy F. Lierly from the Northeast District, Mrs. Glen E. Mayden of the Northwest District and Mrs. Avis L. Fisher of the Southeast District were appointed, by Mrs. Clark, to serve on the committee to approve the minutes of the 1993 KSDAR Board of Management 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.

Five recommendations from the Executive Committee were read by the State Recording Secretary and moved the adoption of each:

1. "That the complete set of *Revolutionary War Patriot Pension Records* be purchased for the Kansas DAR Library, with the expense to be paid from the KSDAR Reserve Fund. The KSDAR Reserve Fund shall be repaid as contributions are received; the full payment of the purchase price (\$508.50) shall be completed by the end of the present administration."

Motion carried.

2. "That a special committee, the Kansas Society Centennial Committee, of four members be appointed for the purpose of planning the activities celebrating the one hundredth anniversary of the organization of the Kansas Society; and that the four members appointed to serve on the committee be sclected as follows: the State Vice Regent as chairman; and representatives from the three chapters formed in the year of organization, 1896, Topeka Chapter, Betty Washington Chapter, and Eunice Sterling Chapter."

Motion carried.

3. "That the action of the Executive Committee which authorized the relocation of the Kansas DAR Library to the lower level of the Village Square Mall, 2601 Central Avenue, Dodge City, Kansas, be ratified."

Motion carried.

Upon passage of Recommendation No. 3, Mrs. Clark stated "that the Bylaws Committee shall be instructed to prepare an amendment with the Library's new address to Standing Rule Number 16 (b), to be proposed to the State Conference."

4. "That the Bylaws Committee be instructed to prepare an amendment to Article XII, Section 4, of the Kansas Society Bylaws and the District Guidelines to permit a member to serve three consecutive terms in the offices of her District."

Motion carried.

5. "That KSDAR books borrowed from the Kansas DAR Library be mailed to the residences of KSDAR members only. The Kansas DAR Library will not participate in interlibrary loans."

Motion carried.

In compliance with Kansas Society Bylaws Article VI, Section 2 (a), Mrs. Clark opened the floor for nominations for the position of the Kansas Society State Nominating Committee Chairman.

Mrs. Glen E. Mayden, Mary Wade Strother Chapter, nominated Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr. There being no other nominations from the floor, the nominations were closed, and the motion carried. Mrs. Riden was elected and accepted the position of Chairman of the Kansas Society State Nominating Committee.

Mrs. Clark announced the members appointed to serve on the Kansas Society Centennial Committee: Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent, as Chairman; Mrs. Jerald L. Jennings of Topeka Chapter; Mrs. Kenneth M. Beal of Betty Washington Chapter; and Mrs. Larry D. Ream of Eunice Sterling Chapter.

Other announcements by the State Regent included: Chapter Regent's two minute report at State Conference will be "Interesting facts about an individual in our area who is known nationally for achievements in their area of endeavor." September 25, 1993, is the deadline to submit the names of members to serve on Continental Congress Committees. The names of Juniors to serve as State Conference Pages are to be sent to her by January 25, 1994. The Master Questionnaire is to be returned by January 25, 1994. The Honor Roll blanks are in the fall packet and will not be sent in the credentials packet. The \$30 Magazine Advertisement money for Honor Roll credit is to be mailed to the State Treasurer not the State Chairman. Chapter Officer lists must be returned by March 1, 1994. Chapters must report any changes in officer's name, address, to the National Organizing Secretary and to Mrs. Harry Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary.

Mrs. Clark extended an invitation to the members to attend the special Open House at the KSDAR Library, Dodge City, Kansas, on Friday, and Saturday October 29 and 30, 1993, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. This is a "working Open House," giving members an opportunity to do research.

Mrs. Clark announced the appointment, subject to confirmation at the October 1993, National Board of Management, of Mrs. Ida Eichman, Russell, Kansas, as the new Organizing Chapter Regent of a new chapter in the Russell, Kansas area.

Mrs. Clark expressed appreciation to the members of Samuel Linscott Chapter for serving as hostess chapter and to Mrs. Wilbur Stoll, Regent, for making the arrangements for the Fall Board of Management meeting.

Mrs. Afton offered the benediction.

Meeting adjourned at 10:37 a.m.

Patricia J. Parsons Ream (Mrs. Larry D. Ream) State Recording Secretary

Approval Committee: Mrs. Billy F. Lierly Mrs. Glen E. Mayden Mrs. Avis L. Fisher

MINUTES

SPRING BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

Holiday Inn Hotel Lawrence, Kansas

The Spring Board of Management of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution convened at 8:10 p.m., Monday, March 14, 1994, in Brazilian A and B rooms of the Holiday Inn in Lawrence, Kansas, with the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, presiding.

The State Regent called the meeting to order. The invocation was offered 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 American's Creed was led by Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent, followed by the first stanza of the National Anthem, led by Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary, with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Richard Bullock.

The State Regent extended a welcome to the assembly and presented honored guests: Vice President General and Honorary State Regent, Mrs. Richard C. McGehee; Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. Francis L. Johnson; Honorary State Regent, Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr.; Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. Billy P. Compton; Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr.

Mrs. Clark presented the State Officers: State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas; State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard D. Standrich; State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Larry D. Ream; State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter; State Organizing Secretary, Mrs. Gail D. Spafford; State Treasurer, Mrs. John D. Afton; State Registrar, Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger; State Librarian, Mrs. Howard R. Walker; and State Reporter, Mrs. James E. Shirley. She then presented the State Parliamentarian, Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway.

Mrs. Clark recognized the National Appointees: National Chairman, Children of the American Revolution Committee, Mrs. Philip W. Bernstorf; National Vice Chairman, South Central Division: American Indians Committee, Mrs. Robert N. Kline; Motion Picture, Radio and Television Committee, Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway.

The State Recording Secretary called the roll with the following chapters being represented by either the Regent or Vice Regent: Arthur Barrett, Betty Washington, Captain Jesse Leavenworth, Cimarron River Valley, Courtney-Spalding, Dodge City, Eunice Sterling, Flores del Sol, Four Winds, General Edward Hand, Good-Land, Isabella Weldin, James Ross, John Athey, John Haupt, Kanza, Little Arkansas, Lois Warner, Marais des Cygnes, Martha Loving Ferrell, Mary Wade Strother, Minisa, Mission Hills, Molly Foster Berry, Nathan Edson, Neodesha, Prairie Flint Hills, Prairie Rose, Quivira Crossing, Sagamore, Samuel Linscott, Sarah Steward, Smoky Hill, Stone Corral, Susannah French Putney, Tomahawk, Topeka, Uvedale, Wichita, William Wilson and Wyandot.

There was one national officer, ten state officers, and representatives of forty chapters present. The chair declared a quorum present.

The State Regent appointed Mrs. Gus Rameriz, Mrs. Ralph French, and Mrs. William Shropshire, to serve as the committee to approve the minutes of

the 1994 Kansas Society Spring Board of Management meeting.

The reading of the minutes of the September 13, 1993, 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 Recording Secretary presented a correction to the minutes of the March 11, 1993, Spring Board of Management meeting, printed in the 1992-1993 Annual Report and Proceedings. On page 33, paragraph 2, line 2, change the word "<u>seven</u>" and insert the word "<u>thirty-eight</u>." The paragraph will now read "There was one national officer, nine state officers and representatives of <u>thirty-eight</u> chapters present. A quroum was declared." There was no objection, and the the minutes were approved as corrected.

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

State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas, announced the schedule for the 1994 Fall Board of Management and District Meetings:

Monday, September 12K	SDAR Board of Management, Paola
	Southeast District, Paola
Tuesday, September 13	Northeast District, Lenexa
Wednesday, September 14	Southwest District, Wichita
Thursday, September 15	Northwest District, Goodland

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

State Librarian, Mrs. Howard R. Walker, reported on and encouraged members to use the State Library Resource File.

Mrs. Larry D. Ream, read the following recommendation from the Executive Committee, and moved its adoption:

"That a special gift, in the amount of \$400 for the President General's Project be presented to Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair with the love and affection of Kansas Daughters in honor of her visit to the Ninety-sixth State Conference of the Kansas Society." Motion carried and the recommendation was adopted.

The Chairman of the Bylaws Committee, Mrs. Billy P. Compton, gave the members an opportunity to ask questions regarding the proposed amendments to the Bylaws and Standing Rules of the Kansas Society.

Following announcements, the State Regent displayed the new "DAR Welcome Board," which may be purchased from National Headquarters, and explained its intended use.

The benediction was given by State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard C. Standrich. The meeting adjourned at 8:56 p.m.

> Patricia J. Parsons Ream (Mrs. Larry D. Ream) State Recording Secretary

Approval Committee: Mrs. Gus Ramirez Mrs. Ralph French Mrs. William Shropshire

NINETY-SIXTH STATE CONFERENCE

MORNING MEETING MINUTES Tuesday, March 15, 1994

The Ninety-sixth State Conference of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution convened at 9:05 a.m., Tuesday, March 15, 1994, in the Brazilian rooms A, B and C of the Holiday Inn in Lawrence, Kansas, with the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, presiding.

The Colors were advanced by the Color Guard of the American Legion Post No. 14, Lawrence, Kansas. 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, Honorary State Regent and past Vice President General. The assembly sang the first stanza of the National Anthem, led by Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary, with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Richard Bullock. The members remained standing while the State Regent, Mrs. Clark, presented the President General, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair. The President General extended greetings and expressed her pleasure at being in Kansas, which she noted was her "home in DAR."

Mrs. Clark expressed her appreciation to the members of the Color Guard for their escort in the opening processional. The Color Guard retired. The Pages posted the Colors and retired.

Mr. Robert Moody, Lawrence City Commissioner, was introduced by the State Regent. Mr. Moody welcomed the Kansas Society on behalf of the city of Lawrence. The Northeast District Director, Mrs. Robert N. Kline, and the State Conference Cochairman, Mrs. Kenneth M. Beal, also extended welcomes. The response was given by the State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas.

Mrs. Clark introduced those seated on the platform: the President General, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution. Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair; Vice President General and Honorary State Regent, Mrs. Richard C. McGehee; Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. Francis L. Johnson; Honorary State Regent, Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr.; Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. Billy P. Compton; Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr.; Arizona State Regent, Mrs. Henry C. Rilling; Missouri State Regent, Mrs. Ollie L. Tracy; State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas; State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard D. Standrich; State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Larry D. Ream; State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter; State Organizing Secretary, Mrs. Gail D. Spafford; State Treasurer, Mrs. John D. Afton; State Registrar, Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger; State Historian, Mrs. Charley Shoemake; State Librarian, Mrs. Howard R. Walker, and State Reporter, Mrs. James N. Shirley. Mrs. Clark then presented the State Parliamentarian, Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway.

The National Appointees were recognized by the State Regent: National Chairman, Children of the American Revolution Committee, Mrs. Philip W. Bernstorf; and the National Vice Chairmen of the South Central Division:

American Indians Committee, Mrs. Robert N. Kline; Motion Picture, Radio and Television Committee, Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway.

Area Representatives of the DAR Speakers Staff were presented: 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.

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

The Credentials Committee Chairman, Mrs. Donald F. Seefeld, gave the first report of the Committee as follows: National Officers 2, State Officers 10, Chapter Regents 35, Delegates 78, Alternates 13, Members 24, Membersat-large 2, Visitors 2; total registered 170, entitled to vote 128. Mrs. Seefeld moved the adoption of the first report of the Credentials Committee. The motion was adopted. The chair declared a quorum present.

The Conference Rules were read by the State Parliamentarian, Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway. A motion to adopt the Conference Rules as read was made by Mrs. Richard C. McGehee and was seconded. There being a 2/3 vote in the affirmative, the motion carried and the Conference Rules were adopted.

The Conference Cochairman, Mrs. Kenneth M. Beal, presented the Conference Program for the Ninety-sixth State Conference and moved that the program be adopted as printed, with changes. The motion was seconded and carried, and the Conference Program was adopted.

The reading of the minutes of the closing meetings of the Ninety-fifth State Conference was waived, as those minutes had been approved by the appointed committee and printed in the Annual Report and Proceedings. No corrections were offered.

Mrs. Gail D. Spafford, State Organizing Secretary, and Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary, were appointed as the official timekeepers for the Ninety-sixth State Conference. Mrs. Donald G. Horn, Mrs. Ray D. Bendorf, and Mrs. Ronnie L. Svaty were appointed to serve as the committee to approve the minutes of the closing meetings of this Conference.

The State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas, assumed the chair and presented the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, who gave her report. At the conclusion of her report, Mrs. Clark reassumed the chair, and the following State Officers presented their reports: State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas; State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard D. Standrich; State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Larry D. Ream; State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter; State Organizing Secretary, Mrs. Gail D. Spafford; and State Treasurer, Mrs. John D. Afton. Following her report Mrs. Afton presented the financial statements. She then read the report of the Auditor and moved its adoption. 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, 1993, and related statements of receipts and disbursements for the twelve months ended December 31, 1993, in accordance with standards established by the National Society of Public Accountants.

A review consists principally of inquiries of corporation personel 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 principes.

E. Eldis Beets, Public Accountant Wichita, Kansas, March 4, 1994

KSDAR NET WORTH

December 31, 1993

170.74

528.00

100.00

110.00

246.50

138.50

450.00

258.06

717.74

101.72

62.00

389.00

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\$ 94,190.24

ASSETS Cash and Bank Accounts: 1-GENERAL FUNDS #19-3338-8 \$ 15,368.05 2-Library Petty Cash #32033-3, Dodge City Chapel Reserve, #26-4197-6 1,890.36 Co-op Advertising Res., #26-4197-6 1.922.30 Computer Reserve, #26-4197-6 Conservation Res., #26-4197-6 Cowger Reserve, #26-4197-6 Friendship Reserve, #26-4197-6 General Funds Reserve, #26-4197-6 5,627.21 JAC Price Fund Reserve, #26-4197-6 KSDAR Award Reserve, #26-4197-6 KSDAR Library Reserve, #26-4197-6 1,335.07 Lempenau CD Reserve, #26-4197-6 Library Oper. Reserve, #26-4197-6 Records, Genealogical Res., #26-4197-6 Santa Fe Trail Reserve, #26-4197-6 Transportation Reserve, #26-4197-6 Total Cash and Bank Accounts \$ 29,415.25 Other Assets: General Fund CD's (4) #934007, #934009, #934014 and #934015 40,000.00 Kessler Scholarship, #934006, \$3050.00 3,608.88 KSDAR Scholarship, #934001, \$5800.00 6.436.73 Lempenau Trust, #934008, \$850.00 1,140.40 Library Endowment, #934010 7,500.00 Pendleton Scholarship, #524394, \$2100.00 2,721.28 Routh Scholarship, #934004, \$3,100.00 3.367.70 \$ 64,774.99 Total Other Assets \$ 94,190.24 TOTAL ASSETS LIABILITIES

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KSDAR FINANCIAL REPORT

January 1 through December 31, 1993

INCOME	
Banquet Tickets, Con't Congress	\$ 360.00
Chapel Assessment	98.00
Chapel Fund	352.00
Co-op Magazine Advertising	1,803.00
DAR Magazine Commission	156.00
Donation, Other	401.25
Dues	8,965.50
Genealogical Records	79.00
Interest Income	1,864.19
Interest, Library Endowment CD	241.10
JAC State Prize Fund	138.50
Jr. Members Sales	1,300.00
KSDAR Scholarship Investment	107.00
Library Assessment	353.10
Library Book Donation	1,221.50
National Refund, Good Citizen Award	250.00
Refund, Golden West Tea	61.10
ROTC	132.00
Sale of:	
Good Citizenship Pins 215.25	
Library Catalogs 73.50	
Proceedings 86.00	
Tea, Golden West 361.25	
Trail, Santa Fe Pins <u>172.00</u>	
	908.00
State CAR Assessment	180.25
State Conference Return	1,479.99
State Regent's Project	798.72
Topeka, one-half of mail permit	37.50
Treasurer General Funds	12,288.76
Veteran Patient Contribution	248.75
TOTAL INCOME	\$ 33,825.21

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KSDAR FINANCIAL REPORT

January 1 through December 31, 1993

DISBURSEMENTS	
Add to Lempenau CD	\$ 290.40
Advertising, Magazine	1,787.75
Applicant, American History National	25.00
Award, Good Citizen	250.00
Banquet, Continental Congress	360.00
CAR Collections (St. Conf)	48.25
Chapel Expense	25.45
Computer Expense	83.76
Genealogical Records	45.28
Golden West Tea	411.25
Good Citizen Pin	2.50
Filing Fee, State	5.00
KSDAR Newsletter	2,394.27
Library Book Purchase Fund	1,221.50
Library Expense	348.25
Officer Expense	491.48
Outstanding Junior Pin	50.00
Printing & Copy Expense	407.33
Proceedings	
Professional Fees (Accountant)	2,851.89 300.00
Refund for overpayment by Chapters	35.30
Report, Treasurer General Funds	
Safe Deposit Box	13,043.76
S.R.#3, Regent's Allowance (1992)	15.00
	1,445.30
S.R.#3, Regent's Allowance (1993)	2,000.00
S.R.#4, State Officer's Allowance S.R.#5, Flowers for Regent	275.00
	25.00
S.R.#6, Gifts for Pages	50.00
S.R.#7, State Conference Advance S.R.#8, State CAR	369.00
	135.18
S.R.#19, Scholarship Award	450.00
S.R.#26, Awards at State Conference	45.40
S.R.#27, State Outstanding Junior	150.00
S.R.#30, Pilgrimage	50.00
State Committee Chairman Expense	48.00
State Conference Expense	75.23
Trail, Santa Fe Pins (Purchase)	150.00
Transfer Funds to General Reserve Act. #26-4197-6	2,540.29
Treasurer General, Chapter Contribution	132.00
Treasurer Position Bond	30.00
Veteran-Patient Contribution	248.75
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$ 32,712.57
NET GAIN	\$ 1,112.64

KSDAR INVESTMENT REPORT

January 1 - December 31, 1993

Certificate No.	Amount	Matures	Interest Pd.	Balance
CD#934014** CD#934007	10,000.00 10,000.00 10,000.00 10,000.00 2	04/26/95 04/10/95 03/13/95 05/01/95	\$ 387.96 481.60 468.83 525.80	\$ 10,000.00 10,000.00 10,000.00 10,000.00
Interest transferred to Checking Account	, #19-3338-8		\$1,864.19	
Scholarships CD#524394	2,610.98	06/04/95	110.30	2,721.28
(Pendleton) CD#934016	3,232.30	07/15/95	135.40	3,367.70
(Routh) CD#934013	6,135.89	04/10/95	300.84	6,436.73
(KSDAR SCH) CD#934017 (Kessler)	3,464.00	11/05/95	144.28	3,608.88
<u>Library</u> CD#934018	7,500.00	12/19/96	241.10	7,500.00
Interest transferred to L Operating Reserve			241.10	
Other CD#934012 (Lempenau Trust)	1,140.40	03/20/94	34.88	1,140.40
Interest transferred to Lempeneau Reserve Account			34.88	
TOTAL INVESTMEN	TS, 12/31/93			\$ 64,774.99

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: State Registrar, Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger; State Historian, Mrs. Charley Shoemake; State Librarian, Mrs. Howard R. Walker; and State Reporter, Mrs. James N. Shirley.

The State Regent thanked the State Officers and commended them on the professional manner in which they carried out the duties of their respective offices during the past year.

Mrs. Clark read a letter of greetings from Mrs. Bertram J. Lempenau, Honorary State Regent and Past Librarian General.

Reports were given by the State Chairmen of National Committees were as follows: American History, Mrs. Glen E. Mayden; Children of the American Revolution, Mrs. Laurence Ellis; Conservation, Mrs. McCager W. Thompson; 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; Junior American Citizens, Mrs. Ralph E. French, Jr.; Junior Membership, Mrs. Kevin D. Smith; Lineage Research, Mrs. Albert Hagemann; Membership, Mrs. Donald G. Horn. Mrs. Horn presented a National Membership Certificate for "the largest percentage of increase in membership by application" to the Four Winds Chapter.

State Committee Chairmen reports continued: Motion Picture, Radio and Television, Mrs. Avis L. Fisher; National Defense, Mrs. Harold B. Myers; Program, Mrs. Milton N. Thomas; and Seimes Microfilm Center, Mrs. Ray D. Bendorf.

The State Chairmen of National Special Committees reported as follows: Friends of the NSDAR Library, Mrs. Ronnie L. Svaty; Literacy Challenge, Mrs. Tod Hettenbach; NSDAR Museum Correspondent Docents, Mrs. Martin J. Robl. Mrs. Robl recognized the Museum Correspondent Docents who were present: Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Mrs. Vincent Traffas, Mrs. Larry D. Ream, Mrs. R. G. Swede Swenson, Mrs. McCager W. Thompson, and Mrs. Philip W. Bernstorf.

The report of the State Chairmen of the President General's Project was given by Mrs. Jerald L. Jennings.

At the conclusion of Mrs. Jennings report, the President General commented on the condition of Constitution Hall. She stressed the serious need of repair and extensive renovation to modernize the facility and meet federal and local building standards. Mrs. Blair displayed photographs and samples of the used and worn wiring in the building.

State Appointees reporting were: Kansas Chapel, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr.; State Parliamentarian, Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway; and Kansas Centennial Committee, Mrs. Vincent Traffas.

A report on the DAR Speakers Staff was presented by Mrs. Harold B. Myers, Representative.

Announcements were made by Mrs. Kenneth M. Beal, Conference Cochairman. The benediction was offered by Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain.

The meeting was recessed at 11:38 a.m.

SANTA FE TRAIL LUNCHEON

Tuesday, March 15, 1994

The Santa Fe Trail Luncheon was held at 12:26 p.m. on Tuesday, March 15, 1994, in the Regency rooms C and D of the Holiday Inn in Lawrence, Kansas, with the State Historian, Mrs. Charley Shoemake, presiding.

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

At the conclusion of the luncheon Mrs. Shoemake presented those seated at the head table, then introduced the Arizona State Regent, Mrs. Henry C. Rilling, who brought greetings on behalf of the Arizona Daughters.

Mrs. Shoemake introduced the guest speaker, Dr. David Clapsaddle, Coordinator of Research and Training at Larned State Hospital, Larned, Kansas, a recognized authority on the Santa Fe Trail in Kansas. Donning a hat, Dr. Clapsaddle made history come alive by assuming the character of George Bent and recounting the fascinating events of his life. A question and answer period followed.

Announcements were made by the Conference Cochairman.

Music for the recessional was provided by Mrs. Dan W. Musil, pianist. The meeting recessed at 2:38 p.m.

AFTERNOON MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, March 15, 1994

The Ninety-sixth State Conference reconvened at 3:01 p.m. in the Brazilian rooms A, B and C.

The State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, called the meeting to order and introduced the Missouri State Regent, Mrs. Ollie L. Tracy. Mrs. Tracy extended her personal greetings and those of the Missouri Society.

State Chairmen reports resumed with reports from the following committees: Junior Membership Sales, Mrs. Kevin D. Smith; and Public Relations, Mrs. Wayne Cope.

The first reading of the resolutions was presented by Mrs. M. Lynn Stiggins, a member of the Resolutions Committee.

Mrs. Clark called for recommendations from the State Board of Management. The State Recording Secretary read the following recommendations and moved the adoption of each:

Recommendation No. 1.

"That the complete set of <u>Revolutionary War Patriot Pension Records</u> be purchased for the Kansas DAR Library, with the expense to be paid from the KSDAR Reserve Fund. The KSDAR Reserve Fund shall be repaid as contributions are received; the full payment of the purchase price (\$508.50) shall be completed by the end of the present administration." Adopted.

Recommendation No. 2.

"That a special committee, the Kansas Society Centennial Committee, of four members be appointed for the purpose of planning the activities celebrating the one hundreth anniversary of the organization of the Kansas Society; and that the four members appointed to serve on the committee be selected as follows: the State Vice Regent as chairman; and representatives from the three chapters formed in the year of organization, 1896, Topeka Chapter, Betty Washington Chapter, and Eunice Sterling Chapter." Adopted.

Recommendation No. 3.

"That the action of the Executive Committee which authorized the relocation of the Kansas DAR Library to the lower level of the Village Square Mall, 2601 Central Avenue, Dodge City, Kansas, be ratified." Adopted.

Recommendation No. 4.

"That KSDAR books borrowed from the Kansas DAR Library be mailed to the residences of KSDAR members only. The Kansas DAR Library will not participate in interlibrary loans." Adopted.

Recommendation No. 5.

"That a special gift, in the amount of \$400, for the President General's Project be presented to Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair with the love and affection of Kansas Daughters in honor of her visit to the Ninety-sixth State Conference of the Kansas Society." Adopted.

Mrs. Beal, State Conference Cochairman, made brief announcements. Music for the recessional was provided by Mrs. Dan W. Musil.

The Pages retired the Colors and the meeting was recessed at 3:36 p.m.

CHAPTER REGENTS' BANQUET

Tuesday, March 15, 1994

The Chapter Regents' Banquet was held at 7:10 p.m., on Tuesday, March 15, 1994, in the Regency rooms C and D of the Holiday Inn in Lawrence, Kansas, with the State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas, presiding.

The musical prelude for the evening banquet and processional was provided by Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist. Leading the processional were the Chapter Regents, arranged in the four Districts, and escorted by the Pages, followed by the State Officers and distinguished guests.

The State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, offered the invocation.

The Kansas Society Sons of the American Revolution Color Guard, under the direction of Mr. Rodney Burt, advanced the Colors.

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. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary.

The Colors were posted, and the Color Guard retired.

The State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas, thanked the members of the Kansas Society Sons of the American Revolution Color Guard, adding that they had added greatly to the spirit of the occasion by their participation.

The Pages were retired.

Mrs. Traffas presented those seated at the head table: State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark; the President General, NSDAR, Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair; Vice President General and Honorary State Regent, Mrs. Richard C. McGchee; Honorary State Rogent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. Francis L. Johnson; Honorary State Regent, Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr.; Honorary State Regent, and Past Vice President General, Mrs. Billy P. Compton; Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr.; Arizona State Regent, Mrs. Henry C. Rilling; Missouri State Regent, Mrs. Ollie L. Tracy; State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard D. Standrich; State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Larry D. Ream; State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter; State Organizing Secretary, Mrs. Gail D. Spafford; State Treasurer, Mrs. John D. Afton; State Registrar, Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger; State Historian, Mrs. Charley Shoemake; State Librarian, Mrs. Howard R. Walker; and State Reporter, Mrs. James N. Shirley.

Mrs. Traffas also recognized the National Chairman of the Children of the American Revolution Committee, Mrs. Philip W. Bernstorf.

The State Chairman of the Junior Membership Committee, Mrs. Kevin Smith, read remarks prepared by Mrs. Steven J. Cohorst, Chairman of the Outstanding Junior Member Contest, in which the selection of Mrs. Tod Hettenbach as the Kansas 1994 Outstanding Junior was announced. Mrs. Smith presented Mrs. Hettenbach, a member of Abilene Chapter, with tho Outstanding Junior pin and sash. A framed certificate was then presented to Mrs. Hettenbach on behalf of Mrs. Cohorst. The Pat Decker Award was presented by Mrs. Billy P. Compton, representing Flores del Sol Chapter. Mrs. Compton related the history of the Pat Decker Award, which is an engraved silver bowl.

Mrs. Hettenbach thanked the Kansas Society for the honor conferred. She introduced her husband, mother and other family members and expressed her appreciation to her family and the members of the Kansas Society for their encourgement and support.

The President General, Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair, assisted by Mrs. Jerald L. Jennings, State Chairman of the President General's Project Committee, presented certificates to forty Kansas Chapters that had achieved 100% participation in the President General's Project. Mrs. Blair posed for individual photographs with each of the chapter representatives.

Mrs. Vincent Traffas, presented the four District Directors. Each District Director gave her report and introduced the Chapter Regents in her respective District. The Chapter Regents each gave a report on "Interesting facts about an individual in our area who is known nationally for achievements in their area of endeavor."

State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, offered the benediction.

The Pages retired the Colors and the Chapter Regents' Banquet was concluded at 10:38 p.m.

Patricia J. Parsons Ream (Mrs. Larry D. Ream) State Recording Secretary

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Wednesday, March 16, 1994 8:30 a.m. Brazilian Rooms A, B, & C

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

Scripture reading from Psalm 23 was read by State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, and a prayer was offered by Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain.

Pamela Keller, harpist, played "Carolan's Welcome" followed by the Pages lighting the altar candles.

The tribute to Mrs. C. Richard Cain was read by Mrs. Arthur Rogers. The Memorial Roll call was road by Mrs. Robert Schweiger, State Registrar, and Mrs. Standrich.

The Memorial Service was concluded with Mrs. Keller playing "Sheebeg & Sheemore" and Mrs. Standrich offering a closing prayer and benediction. The Pages extinguished the candles. Postlude by Mrs. Robl.

MEMORIAL TO JEAN BOLING CAIN

Jean Cain loved DAR and devoted a generous portion of her time to the organization. She prided herself on doing a few things well, rather than spreading her talents and interests over a wide area and DAR was fortunate to be a preferred activity.

Jean was born January 27, 1916, in Indianapolis. She married C. Richard Cain and spent much of her married life in Hays where her husband was head of the department of industrial arts at Fort Hays University. She taught art for serveral years in the public schools and briefly at Fort Hays State. She loved to travel and with her daughter, enjoyed numerous trips to far-flung regions of the world.

Her academic major was history and she enjoyed genealogy and immediately after joining DAR began a continuing program of service to the organization at the chapter, state and national level. She served Courtney-Spalding Chapter as Regent 1980-1983, and during the same period was State Scholarship Chairman. She was chosen State Reporter in 1983, then was Chairman of Public Relations and most recently, 1988-1991, Chairman of American History at the State level.

She seldom missed attending Continental Congress and was active on Membership Registration Desk at Continental Congress from 1988-1992.

She provided the motivation necessary to establish a chapter of Sons of the American Revolution in Hays and was higly supportive of the organization.

She also served as a judge at the Regional High School Journalism contests for a number of years and became a close friend of one of the judges who wrote this tribute to Jean.

She believed in doing her best. If she didn't know how to do something,

she found books, did research and practiced until she could do it. Jean said "After all, you wouldn't want to be remembered as someone who did a poor job and was capable of better." This comment was in reference to her experience editing the DAR Newsletter, an area in which she didn't feel compctent at first. She was a proud American and confided to her young friend, "You know, we live in a great country. Everyone has something to contribute. And they should."

Probably the area of DAR where Jean was the happiest was serving as chairman of State Committees where she worked with youth, Scholarship and American History. She accepted eagerly every challenge these positions presented and thoroughly enjoyed presenting winners at State Conference.

Jean died following a long illness July 9, 1993, in Hays. She is survived by a daughter, Cheryl Merrick of San Francisco, and a son, Kerry Cain of Randolph, New Jersey. She is missed by a host of DAR friends thoughout the state.

MEMORIAL ROLL 1993-1994

ABILENE

225100 709629	Bell, Joyce Smith Bishop, Althea Brook	12-2-93 1-14-93
ARTHUR BAR	RETT	
571577	Fincham, Evelyn Bauer	5-18-93
ATCHISON		
592481	Bailey, Laura Conard	1-4-94
BETTY WASH		
469979	Frakes, Mildred Ewing	5-22-93
541323	Franks, Pearl McClendon	7-22-93
BYRD PREWI	ГТ	
602662	Hawkins, Maxine Morrell	2-10-93
CIMARRON R	IVER VALLEY	
477318	Riggs, Mary Buckbee	11-1-93
697161	Heckman, Ruth Skinner	1-7-94
COFACHIQUE		
663711	Rhoads, Jennetta May McCrate	6-28-93
COUNCIL OA	K	
709301	Bolton, Gladys Hazel Metzger	7-5-93
425247	Snider, Elizabeth Williams	9-7-93
482938	Fisher, Rose McDivitt	11-17-93
COURTNEY-S	PALDING	
604302	Cain, Jean Boling	7-9-93
478868	Foutz, Marguerite Saylor	12-16-93
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DODGE CIT	Y	
395546	Alger, Anna Henderson	3-28-93
703893	Bartlett, Ellene Hughes	10-28-93
671707	Nevins, Myrtle Warren	11-15-93
578711	Winslow, Mary Isabel	11-29-93
EMPORIA		
428762	Somers, Harriet Whitaker	2-21-93
ESTHER LO	WREY	
475338	Combs, Patricia Silverwood	3-26-93
574016	Wilson, Myrtle Lillian Cowles	6-16-93
586301	Shultz, Edna Hughes	12-25-93
685426	Dunn, Faxine Barnes	2-6-94
EUNICE STE	CRLING	
632348	Farmer, Olive Leora Martin	4-23-93
648126	Garvey, Olive White	5-3-93
553016	Field, Dorothy Lindsay	1-21-94
471042	Williamson, Jennie Struthers	2-6-94
FLORES DE	L SOL	
628289	Wright, Mabel Snyder	5-21-93
480371	Callison, Mary Cecilia Sayler	8-25-93
735620	Grubbs, Alice Rose	10-19-93
FOUR WIND	S	
543341	Moody, Jaunita Hunt	10-18-93
GENERAL E	DWARD HAND	
089583	Spears, Lucretia	5-31-93
414340	Carter, Esther M. Ross	7-30-93
JAMES ROS	s	
687840	Faubion, Elizabeth Berry	3-12-93
518906	Gilmour, Mary Louise	3-15-93
245790	Zoellner, Helen Peck	8-5-93
JANE DEAN	COFFEY	
442403	Sticelber, Golda Irene Banta	1-25-93
545528	Hyer, Elizabeth Jack	6-1-93
JOHN ATHE	Y	
552420	Hockersmith, Ethel Mae Yale	10-22-93
JOHN HAUP	Т	
349605	Smith, Louise Haupt	4-5-93
JONATHAN	GILBERT	
315953	Haas, Marijane	1-7-94

KANZA		
471045	Symns, Nellie Forester	8-4-93
559099	Luther, Nora Cool	11-4-93
578803	Jenkins, Doris Cline	10-22-93
342971	Roenbaugh, Mildred Shank	12-21-93
LOIS WARN		
418693	Lyon, Grace	2-3-93
244015	Scothorn Mary L.	6-3-93
MARTHA VA		
529577	Honn, Esther Troutman	3-6-93
491816	Fisher, Josephine Moyer	8-8-93
378795	Pearl, Helen Hobson	9-14-93
	E STROTHER	
517942	Berggren, Nadine Burell	10-19-93
296984	Weisgerber, Neva Elizabeth	12-6-93
357281	Butler, Gwendolyn L. Malone	1-10-94
MINISA		
691332	Grow, Ruth May	3-14-93
MISSION HI		
501544	Kratzer, Olive Flattre	2-22-93
693258	Webb, Elsie Wakeman	4-29-93
NEODESHA		
491823	Isenburg, Daisy Smith	6-11-93
NEWTON		
280672	Godwin, Laura Maurine Kinzer	6-25-93
558720	Sergeant, Nellie King	8-17-93
303215	Humberg, Dorothy Myer	9-9-93
286573	Graybill, Ione Haskell Goodrich	12-5-93
OCEANUS H		
520522	Roberts, Madora E.	1-26-94
OLATHE		
530988	Eldridge, Louise	5-26-93
328861	Duval, Almyra Marie Barnes	9-23-93
461104	Phillips, Moffett Bell	11-8-93
PRAIRIE RO		
709630	Pilant, Mildred Alice Luce	6-2-93
SAGAMORE		
668855	Wise, Verdia Willis	2-20-93
SAMUEL LIN	NSCOTT	
580268	Hochuli, Helen Schaffer	10-6-93

SHAWNEE N	IISSION	
634579	Brooks, A. Elizabeth Paterson	5-29-93
302392	Nelson, Maisie Arnett	10-28-93
SMOKY HIL	L	
605438	Eilrich, Lois Keys	2-11-93
676743	Cikanek, Jessie Bebout	11-24-93
SUSANNAH	FRENCH PUTNEY	
380872	Graves, Ila Shaver	1-20-93
355777	Deewall, Virginia Selover	1-18-94
TOMAHAWI	K	
437028	Jochems, Isabel Bandy	9-4-93
510285	Warnhoff, Georgia Morris	5-4-93
479676	Spink, Anne Carlisle	10-23-93
558983	McMillen, Marjorie Fritts	10-25-93
ТОРЕКА		
653292	Kramer, Waneta Stone	2-16-93
446327	McMillen, Ora Mae	4-12-93
558249	Jacobe, Livonia Sarah Legg	6-29-93
615195	Cook, Loretta Weaver	8-5-93
505475	O'Brien, Cevilla Jean Harper	10-23-93
UVEDALE		
737857	Bartlett, Helen Adams	4-19-93
662079	Collins, Anabel High	7-3-93
234666	Spanier, Frances Anne Fuller	9-22-93
380874	Bevan, Mary Shaner	11-1-93
WYANDOT		
642870	March, Elinor Shaw	8-16-93
468157	Barrett, Miram Adams	10-17-93

NINETY-SIXTH STATE CONFERENCE

MORNING MEETING MINUTES Wednesday, March 16, 1994

The Ninety-sixth State Conference of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution reconvened at 9:38 a.m., Wednesday, March 16, 1994, in Brazilian rooms A, B and C of the Holiday Inn in Lawrence, Kansas, with State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, presiding.

The Colors were advanced by the Color Guard of Girl Scout Troop Number 660, of Lawrence, Kansas. The Pages escorted the State Officers and honored guests in the processional, with musical accompaniment provided by Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist.

State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, called the meeting to order. The invocation was given by State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard D. Standrich. 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 was led by Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary. Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr., Honorary State Regent, led the assembly in reciting the Kansas Creed.

Mrs. Clark thanked the Girl Scout Troop Color Guard for their participation. The Color Guard retired.

The Colors were posted and the Pages retired.

State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, announced that President General, NSDAR, Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair, was temporarily detained conducting business for the National Society. She then introduced those seated on the platform: Vice President General and Honorary State Regent, Mrs. Richard C. McGehee: Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. Francis L. Johnson; Honorary State Regent, Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr.; Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. Billy P. Compton; Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General. Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr.; Arizona State Regent, Mrs. Henry C. Rilling; Missouri State Regent, Mrs. Ollie L. Tracy; State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas; State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard D. Standrich; State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Larry D. Ream; State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter; State Organizing Secretary, Mrs. G. D. Spafford; State Treasurer, Mrs. John D. Afton; State Registrar, Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger; State Historian, Mrs. Charley Shoemake; State Librarian, Mrs. Howard R. Walker; and State Reporter, Mrs. James N. Shirley. The State Regent then presented the State Parliamentarian, Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway.

Mrs. Clark recognized the National Chairman of the Children of the American Revolution Committee, Mrs. Philip W. Bernstorf.

The State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Larry D. Ream, read the minutes of the Tuesday, March 15, 1994, morning meeting. A correction to the minutes was offered by Mrs. McCager W. Thompson, to add her name to the list of NSDAR Museum Correspondent Docents introduced by State Chairman, Mrs. Martin Robl. The minutes were approved as corrected. The minutes of the Tuesday, March 15, 1994, afternoon meeting were read by Mrs. Ream and approved as read. Resumes of the Tuesday Santa Fe Trail Luncheon and evening Regents' Banquet were also read by Mrs. Ream.

The Kansas Centennial Committee presented a "Centennial Minute." Dressed in costume depicting the 1890's, Mrs. Charles Maxwell read the announcement of the forthcoming One-Hundredth Anniversary of the organization of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution on April 2, 1896.

State Chairmen reports resumed: Americanism and DAR Manual for Citizenship, Mrs. Chester Metcalf; and DAR Good Citizens, Mrs. Stanley Kippenberger.

Mrs. Lynn Stiggins, a member of the Resolutions Committee, presented three Resolutions on second reading and moved the adoption of each.

COMMEMORATION OF THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF D-DAY

Whereas, The members of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution are dedicated to the preservation and teaching of history; and Whereas, The fiftieth anniversary of the Normandy Invasion is June 6, 1994;

<u>Resolved</u>, That the members of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution, as individuals, oncourage, support, and participate

in local community commemorations of this anniversary. Adopted. On the second reading of the Resolution "GOVERNMENT

INTRUSION IN EDUCATION," Mrs. Peggy M. Boggs moved "that Resolution Number 2 be returned to Committee for further study." The motion was seconded by Mrs. Bertha Milbank. The chair called for a "rising vote." The vote was 62 affirmative, 47 negative. The motion passed and Resolution Number 2 was returned to the Committee.

VOLUNTEERISM

Whereas, As members of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, Kansas Daughters are committed "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";

Whereas, Our nation's future is in the hands of its youth, and;

Whereas, Public funding of many programs for youth is decreasing;

<u>Resolved</u>, That the members of the Kansas Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, as individuals, support and encourage civic volunteerism, and give time whenever possible to help inform youth about, and lead youth toward, the wholesome American principles on which this nation is founded. Adopted.

Mrs. Donald F. Seefeld, Chairman, Credentials Committee, presented the final report of the Committee as follows: National Officers 2, Honorary State Regents 4, State Officers 11, Chapter Regents 41, Delegates 113; total number voting 170; Alternates 37, Members 43, Visitors 3; Members-at-Large 2; total registration 256. Mrs. Seefeld moved the adoption of the final report of the Credentials Committee. The motion carried and the report was adopted.

Mrs. John D. Afton, Chairman of the Finance Committee, presented the budget for 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 1994 year be adopted." The motion carried and the budget was adopted.

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

Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Chairman of the Bylaws Committee, presented the proposed amendments to the KSDAR Bylaws and moved, "In accordance with notice given, and by direction of the State Bylaws Committee, I move the adoption of the following amendments to the Bylaws of the Kansas Society".

- 1. <u>ARTICLE IV, SECTION 2, PARAGRAPH 1, SENTENCE 2</u>. Amend by substituting the following: "<u>Only</u> a member whose state dues have been paid by <u>December 1</u> shall be <u>eligible</u> to serve as a delegate or an alternate at the State Conference."Adopted.
- 2. <u>ARTICLE VII, SECTION 8.</u> Amend by striking out PARAGRAPH 10. Adopted.
- 3. <u>ARTICLE VII, SECTION 9, PARAGRAPH 1, beginning with SENTENCE 3 ("She shall update these files....").</u> Amend by making a new PARAGRAPH 2, as follows: "<u>The State Registrar shall receive the membership changes from the Chapter Registrars.</u> She shall update the <u>membership</u> files with the 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." Existing following paragraphs will be renumbered. Adopted.
- 4. <u>ARTICLE VIII, SECTION 3.</u> Amend by adding a new PARAGRAPH 1, as follows: "Each chapter entitled to representation at the Continental Congress, in accordance with the Bylaws and Standing Rules of the National Society, shall be entitled to representation at the State Conference, provided that its members' state dues are credited to the State Treasurer by December 1 and its State Credentials Forms have been completed in accordance with these bylaws." Existing <u>PARAGRAPH 1</u> becomes new <u>PARAGRAPH 2</u>. Amend new <u>PARAGRAPH 2</u> by inserting "with the National and Kansas Societies" in line 6 between "good standing" and "at the time of her election." Existing <u>PARAGRAPH 2</u> becomes <u>PARAGRAPH 3</u>. Adopted.
- 5. <u>ARTICLE VIII, SECTION 4 (a).</u> Amend by substituting the following: "The representation of a chapter at the State Conference or at any

meeting of the Kansas Society during the year, <u>beginning January 1</u>, shall be based upon the number of members whose <u>national and state</u> dues for the current year have been paid by the <u>December 1</u> preceding the State Conference, <u>provided that the chapter meets the qualifications</u> for representation in accordance with <u>Section 3 of this Article</u>. A member <u>whose national and state dues are delinquent</u> shall not be counted in determining representation at the meetings of the <u>Kansas</u> <u>Society</u>, <u>shall not</u> be entitled to vote for delegates and alternates to meetings of the <u>Kansas Society</u>, and <u>shall not be entitled</u> to act as representative or alternate at such meetings." Adopted.

6. <u>ARTICLE XII, SECTION 4.</u> Amend <u>SENTENCE 3</u>, by striking out the comma and phrase following "same District office" and inserting a period. Add a new <u>SENTENCE 4</u>, as follows: "<u>A member may serve consecutive terms in the three offices of her District; such consecutive service shall be limited to three terms." Adopted.</u>

Mrs. Standrich, State Chaplain, offered a closing prayer. The meeting was recessed at 11:35 a.m.

PATRIOTIC LUNCHEON

Wednesday, March 16, 1994

The Patriotic Luncheon was held at 12:08 p.m., Wednesday, March 16, 1994, in Regency rooms C and D of the Holiday Inn in Lawrence, Kansas, with State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, presiding.

Following the invocation offered by State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, Mrs. Clark introduced those seated at the head table.

The State Regent introduced Dr. Frederick Krebs, an instructor in the Social Sciences and Humanities Division of Johnson County Community College. Mrs. Clark noted that his appearance was made possible by the Kansas Humanities Council. The topic of Dr. Krebs' presentation was "The Ninth Amendment."

State Chairmen presented Youth Awards as follows: Mrs. Glen E. Mayden, American History; Mrs. Stanley Kippenberger, DAR Good Citizens; and Mrs. Ralph E. French, Junior American Citizens.

Mrs. Leon Torkelson, State Awards Chairman, presented the DAR Scholarships. Mrs. Charley Shoemake, State Historian, presented Mrs. David L. Emerick, the 1993-1994 Kansas Outstanding American History Teacher, with a pin and framed certificate. Mrs. Shoemake also announced the winner of the Santa Fe Trail Essay Contest. The list of award recipients will be printed in the Annual Report and Proceedings.

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

The State Chaplain offered the benediction, the meeting recessed at 2:25 p.m.

AFTERNOON MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, March 16, 1994

The Ninety-sixth State Conference reconvened at 2:48 p.m. in Brazilian A, B and C rooms.

The meeting was called to order by State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark.

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

- <u>ARTICLE XIII, SECTION 2</u>. Amend <u>SENTENCE 1</u>, by striking out the words "Recording Secretary" between "Chapter" and "shall" and inserting in their place "<u>Regent.</u>" Amend <u>SENTENCE 2</u> by inserting "from the office of the Organizing Secretary General which are" between "forms" and "furnished"; further amend by inserting the phrase "to the chapters" between "furnished" and "by the State Corresponding Secretary." Adopted.
- 8. ARTICLE XIII, SECTION 4 (a), PARAGRAPH 1, SENTENCE 2. Amend by substituting the following: "Using blanks furnished by the National Society, the name of the Chapter Regent and Vice Regent and a list of the delegates and alternates, with the date of their election by the chapter, shall be sent, bearing a postmark no later than February 15 to the chairman of the Credentials Committee and to the State Regent.

Further amend <u>SECTION 4 (a)</u> by substituting the following for <u>PARAGRAPH 2</u>: "Only a chapter member in good standing, whose credentials have been completed in accordance with the Standing Rules of the National Society, shall be eligible to represent her chapter at meetings of the National Society." (National Bylaws, Article <u>VIII</u> Section <u>2(e)</u>.) Adopted.

- 9. <u>ARTICLE XIII, SECTION 4 (b)</u>. Amend <u>ARTICLE XIII, SECTION 4(b)</u>, <u>PARAGRAPH 1</u>, by inserting at the beginning of <u>SENTENCE 2</u> the phrase: "<u>The name of the Chapter Regent and Vice Regent and</u>" Further amend <u>SECTION 4 (b)</u> by substituting the following for <u>PARAGRAPH 2</u>: "<u>Only a chapter member in good standing with the National and Kansas Societies</u>, whose state credentials have been completed in accordance to these bylaws, shall be eligible to represent her chapter at meetings of the Kansas Society." Adopted.
- 10. <u>ARTICLE XIII, SECTION 5</u>. Amend by inserting a new <u>PARAGRAPH</u> <u>2</u> between the existing parapraphs, as follows: "<u>The Chapter Regent is</u> responsible for completing and returning by the stated deadlines the copies of the chapter credentials forms after the election on or before <u>February 1 of the chapter representatives to the Continental Congress</u> and the State Conference."

Existing PARAGRAPH 2 becomes PARAGRAPH 3. Adopted.

11. <u>ARTICLE XIII, SECTION 7(b)</u>. Amend <u>SENTENCE 3</u>, by substituting the following for the existing sentence: "<u>Only a member whose state</u>

dues have been paid by December 1 shall be eligible to serve as a delegate or an alternate at the State Conference." Adopted.

- 12. <u>ARTICLE XIII, SECTION 7 (d)</u> Amend by striking out the entire paragraph following the words "as they occur to" and inserting in its place "<u>her Chapter Registrar</u>." Adopted.
- 13. <u>ARTICLE XIII, SECTION 8</u>. Amend by inserting a new <u>PARAGRAPH</u> 1, as follows: "The Chapter Registrar shall report to the Organizing Secretary General, in writing, all changes in membership, marriages, divorces, deaths, resignations, transfors, and changes of address as they occur (Bylaws of the National Society, Article XIII, Section 11). These reports of membership changes shall be made on Membership Change Forms and directed to the Office of the Organizing Secretary General, Membership Department. Membership Change Forms may be obtained from the Membership Department." Existing <u>PARAGRAPH 1</u> becomes <u>PARAGRAPH 2</u>. Further amend new <u>PARAGRAPH 2</u> by adding a new <u>SENTENCE 1</u> at the beginning of the paragraph and by striking out "<u>The Chapter Registrar</u>" at the beginning in its place "<u>She</u>," as follows: "<u>The Chapter Registrar shall report all changes in membership, in writing, to the State Registrar. She</u>"

Mrs. Compton offered the following motion: "By direction of the State Bylaws Committee, I move the following editorial correction to Proposed Amendment 13: That the two references to "Membership <u>Department</u>" be changed to read "Membership <u>Office</u>." The motion carried and the editorial correction to the Proposed Amendment 13 was accepted.

Following the adoption of the Amendment to the Proposed Amendment 13, Mrs. Compton continued with the Proposed Amendment:

ARTICLE XIII, CHAPTERS, SECTION 8, CHAPTER REGISTRAR: "The Chapter Registrar shall report to the Organizing Secretary General, in writing, all changes in membership, marriages, divorces, deaths, resignations, transfers, and changes of address as they occur (Bylaws of the National Society, Article XIII, Section 11). These reports of membership changes shall be made on Membership Change Forms and directed to the Office of the Organizing Secretary General, Membership Office. Membership Change Forms may be obtained from the Membership Office.

<u>The Chapter Registrar shall report all changes in membership, in writing,</u> to the <u>State Registrar</u>. She shall report all information necessary for the State Registrar to keep her records exact. Adopted.

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

14. <u>STANDING RULE NUMBER 12</u>. Amend <u>STANDING RULE</u> <u>NUMBER 12</u> by substituting the following for the existing standing rule: "<u>Each year, on or before September 15, each chapter shall provide</u> copies of its chapter yearbook to the State Officers, the Director of its District, the State Chairman of the Membership Committee, and the State Chairman of the Program Committee. Adopted.

15. <u>STANDING RULE NUMBER 16, SENTENCE 1 and PARAGRAPH</u> (a). Amend <u>STANDING RULE NUMBER 16, SENTENCE 1</u>, by striking out the words "<u>Dodge City Recreation Center at Avenue G and</u> <u>Vine</u>" between "located in the" and "in Dodge City, Kansas" and inserting in their place "<u>lower level of the Village Square Mall, 2601</u> <u>Central Avenue.</u>"

Further amend <u>STANDING RULE NUMBER 16, in PARAGRAPH (a)</u> by striking out "<u>Dodge City Recreation Center</u>" at the end of the sentence and inserting in its place "<u>Village Square Mall</u>." 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; and Mrs. Robert N. Kline, House Chairman. Mrs. Doran Cole, Chairman of Pages, gave her report then presented the Pages serving at this State Conference.

President General, NSDAR, Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair, addressed the assembly regarding pressing National Society business which had prevented her from attending all of the State Conference meetings. She then discussed the proposed amendment to the NSDAR Bylaws for a dues increase which will be voted on at the 103rd Continental Congress.

Mrs. Clark asked that the remaining State Chairmen reports be presented.

Mrs. Leon Torkelson, State Awards Chairman, presented awards earned by chapters and individuals.

Mrs. Kevin D. Smith, Junior Membership Chairman, presented her State Chairman's report followed by a report on the Junior Bazaar. Mrs: Doug Kocher, Junior Membership Sales, reported on the Junior Sales during the Conference.

Mrs. Bobby Campbell, Southeast District Director, extended an invitation to hold the Ninety-seventh State Conference, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 16, 17, 18, 1995, at the Holidome Hotel in Emporia, Kansas.

A motion to accept the invitation was made by Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr., seconded by Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr. Motion carried and the invitation was accepted.

The State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, announced that the meeting would resume at 7:00 p.m. this evening.

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

Music for the recessional was provided by Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist.

The meeting was recessed at 4:56 p.m.

The Pages retired the Colors.

BANQUET

Wednesday, March 16, 1994

The banquet for the Ninety-sixth State Conference was held at 7:15 p.m., Wednesday, March 16, 1994, in the Regency room C and D of the Holiday Inn in Lawrence, Kansas, with State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, presiding.

The musical prelude for the evening banquet and processional was played by Mrs. Richard Bullock, pianist. The Kansas Society Sons of the American Revolution Color Guard advanced the Colors. The Pages escorted the State Officers and honored guests.

The invocation was offered by State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard D. Standrich. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. Gus Ramirez, State Chairman; the first stanza of the National Anthem was sung by the assembly, led by Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State Corresponding Secretary. The recitation of the American's Creed was led by Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General.

The Colors were posted and the Color Guard retired.

The Pages were retired.

The State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, presented those seated at the head table: President Gereral, NSDAR, Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair; Vice President General and Honorary State Regent, Mrs. Richard C. McGehee; Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs Francis L. Johnson; Honorary State Regent, Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr.; Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. Billy P. Compton; Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr.; Arizona State Regent, Mrs. Henry C. Rilling; State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas; State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard D. Standrich; State Recording Secretary, Mrs. Larry D. Ream; State Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter; State Organizing Secretary, Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger; State Librarian, Mrs. Howard R. Walker; and State Reporter, Mrs. James N. Shirley.

The State Regent then recognized the National Chairman of the Children of the American Revolution Committee, Mrs. Philip W. Bernstorf.

Mrs. Howard R. Walker, State Librarian, introduced heads of lineage societies in Kansas: National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, Mr. John G. Sayler, President, Kansas Society S.A.R. and Mrs. Sayler; National Society United States Daughters of 1812, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, President Kansas Society; Senior National President Children of the American Revolution, Mrs. Philip W. Bernstorf; National Society Colonial Daughters of the XVII Century, Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, State President; General Society of Mayflower Descendants in the State of Kansas, Mr. Howard R. Walker, Governor; National Society Daughters of Founders and Patriots of America, Mrs. A. E. Carpenter, President Eastern Kansas Chapter; National Society Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Governor, Kansas Branch; National Society Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims, Mrs. Philip W. Bernstorf, Governor, Southern Kansas Branch; National Society Magna Charta Dames, Kansas Division, Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, Regent; National Society Colonial Dames of the XVII Century, Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., President Kansas Society; National Society of the Dames of the Court of Honor, Mrs. Neil Price, Kansas State Society, President; Society Daughters of Colonial Wars in the State of Kansas, Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, President; and The Jamestown Society, Kansas and Missouri Branch, Mrs. Carlton B. White, Governor. Mrs. Walker also recognized Mr. John W. McGuire, Jr., husband of Honorary State Regent, Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr.; and Mr. Robert E. Schweiger, husband of State Registrar, Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger.

Musical entertainment was provided during the dinner hour by the Lawrence Music Ensemble under the direction of Dorothy Harmes.

State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, called the business meeting to order. Mrs. Lynn Stiggins, Resolutions Committee Member, presented the Courtesy Resolutions and moved the adoption of each:

COURTESY RESOLUTION

- Resolved, That the members of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution express grateful appreciation to the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, for her inspired and gracious leadership;
- Resolved, That the Kansas Society convey deep appreciation to the President General, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair, for her presence and her message at the Wednesday evening banquet;
- *Resolved,* That the Kansas Society express gratitude to all the State and Chapter Officers and Committee Chairmen, and to all who participated in the events and activities of the Ninety sixth State Conference;
- Resolved, That special appreciation be expressed to Dr. Allen Perry, Preservation Specialist, to Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway, State Parliamentarian, to Mrs. Robert N. Kline, Ms. Shirley Coupal, and Mrs. Richard D. Standrich for their informative workshops on Monday afternoon; and to the State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, for the Memorial Service;
- *Resolved*, That gratitude be tendered to Mrs. Charley Shoemake for presiding at the Santa Fe Trail Luncheon on Tuesday, and to Dr. David Clapsaddle, the luncheon speaker; and to Mr. Fredrick A. Krebs for presenting the program at the Patriotic Luncheon on Wednesday;
- *Resolved*, That appreciation be expressed to the State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas, for presiding at the Chapter Regents' Banquet;
- Resolved, That thanks be given to members and guests who shared their musical talents during the Conference: Mrs. Richard Bullock and Mrs. Dan W. Musil, Conference Pianists; and Ms. Pamela Keller, harpist, and Mrs. Martin Robl, pianist, for providing music at the Memorial Service; and to the Lawrence High School Music Ensemble for performing at the Wednesday night banquet;
- Resolved, That gratitude be expressed to Mr. Robert Moody, Lawrence City Commissioner, for bringing greetings to the Conference; and to the Color

Guards of American Legion Post Number 14, Kansas Society Sons of the American Revolution, and Girl Scout Troop 660 for presenting the Colors;

Resolved, That special appreciation be extended to the Conference Cochairmen, Mrs. Kenneth M. Beal and Mrs. Fred Bell; 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 Northeast District which so amply provided coffee, refreshments, and lovely table decorations and hospitality; and

Resolved, That the sales and catering office and staff of the Holiday Inn of Lawrence be thanked for their courtesy, cooperation, and hospitality. Adopted.

Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, presented the State Conference honored guest, President General, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair. On her official state visit to the Kansas Society, the President General addressed the assembly on "Continuing the Commitment." At the close of her speech, a video tape recording was viewed on the restoration of Constitution Hall.

The State Regent thanked Mrs. Blair for attending the Ninety-sixth State Conference of the Kansas Society and for her presentation this evening. Mrs. Clark then presented her with a gift of \$500 for the President General's Project. The combined gift was \$400 from the Kansas Society and \$100 from an individual contribution.

State Vice Regent, Mrs. Vincent Traffas, presented State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, with a \$40 check for the State Regent's Project in memory of Jean Cain.

Mrs. Richard B. Hartzler, presented \$50 to the President General, on behalf of the State Chairman's Club; and \$100 was presented to her from the Junior Membership Committee, by Mrs. Kevin D. Smith, for the President General's Project.

Mrs. Clark thanked everyone who contributed their time and talent to make the Ninety-sixth State Conference a success. A special acknowledgement was extended by the State Regent, to the State Parliamentarian, Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway, for her assistance.

The Daughter's Pledge was recited by the assembly, led by Mrs. James N. Shirley. The members then joined hands and sang *Blest Be The Tie That Binds*. The benediction was offered by Mrs. Richard D. Standrich, State Chaplain.

The State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, declared the Ninety-sixth State Conference adjourned at 10:07 p.m.

The Pages retired the Colors.

Patricia J. Parsons Ream (Mrs. Larry D. Ream) State Recording Secretary

Approval Committee: Mrs. Donald G. Horn Mrs. Ray D. Bendorf Mrs. Ronnie L. Svaty

KSDAR APPROVED BUDGET, 1994

INCOME Dues Interest, Gen. Magazine Ad Commission Sale of Library Catalogue Sale of Proceedings CAR, State Assessment Chapel Assessment Library Assessment	\$ 9,112.50 1,864.00 120.00 30.00 30.00 182.25 64.00 364.50	
Interest, Library Endowment	<u>240.75</u>	¢ 12 000 00
Total Income	\$ 12,008.00	\$ 12,008.00
EXPENSE Operating Expense: Newsletter Proceedings Stationary, Printing and Copies Computer Supplies Total Operating Expense	2,500.00 2,600.00 650.00 <u>90.00</u> \$ 5,840.00	\$ 5,840.00
Total Operating Expense	\$ 5,840.00	\$ 5,840.00
OFFICER EXPENSE Regent Vice Regent Chaplain Recording Secretary Corresponding Secretary Organizing Secretary Treasurer Registrar	60.00 125.00 15.00	350.00 20.00 20.00 175.00 25.00
Historian Librarian		20.00 35.00
Reporter	15.00	55.00
Total Officer Expense	\$ 860.00	\$ 860.00
CHAIRMAN EXPENSE Total Chairman Expense	\$ 175.00	\$ 175.00

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INCOME		
Dues	\$ 7,112.50	
Interest, Gen.	1.864.00	
Magazine Ad Commission	120.00	
Sale of Library Catalogue	30.00	
Sale of Proceedings	30.00	
CAR. State Assessment	182.25	
Chapel Assessment	64.00	
Library Assessment	364.50	
Interest, Library Endowment	240.75	
Total Income	12.008.00	\$ 12,008.00
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EXPENSE		
Operating Expense:		
Newsletter	2,500.00	
Proceedings	2,600.00	
Stationary, Printing and Copies	650.00	
Computer Supplies	90.00	
Total Operating Expense	5,840.00	5,840.00
OFFICER EXPENSE		
Regent	350.00	
Vice Regent	20.00	
Chaplain Description	20.00	
Recording Secretary	60.00	
Corresponding Secretary	125.00	
Organizing Secretary	15.00	
Treasurer	175.00	
Registrar	25.00	
Historian	20.00	
Librarian	35.00	
Reporter	15.00	_
Total Officer Expense	860.00	860.00
CHAIRMAN EXPENSE		
Total Chairman Expense	175.00	175 00
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FIXED EXPENSES		
Professional Fees	300.00	
Treasurer Position Bond	30.00	
Annual Privilege Fee	5.00	
Golden West Tea	50.00	
Safety Deposit Box	15.00	
Library Insurance	170.00	
Library (extra néed)	150.00	
Library Rent/Utilities	300.00	
Total Fixed Expenses	1,020.00	1,020.00
OTHER EXPENSES		
American History Tea	40,00	
Markers, Hon. State Regents	40.00	
American History Applicant	25.00	
Chapel Expense	64.00	
Centennial Celebration	300.00	
Computer (Reserve)	300.00	
Genealogical Records Binding	50.00	
Outstanding Jr. Member	50.00	
Total Other Expenses	869.00	869.00
STANDING RULE EXPENSES		
#3 Regent's Allowance	2,000.00	
#4 Officers Allowance	275.00	
#5 Flowers, St. Regent	25.00	
#6 Pages, Cont. Congress	50.00	
#7 State Conf. Advance	364.00	
#8 CAR, State Assessment	183.00	
#26 Outstanding Junior	150.00	
Total Standing Rule Expanse	3,047.00	3.047.00
TOTAL EXPENSE		\$ 11,811.00
PROJECTED NET GAIN		\$ 197.00

FIXED EXPENSES Professional Fees		300.00
Treasurer Position Bond	30.00	300.00
Annual Privilege Fee	5.00	
Golden West Tea		50.00
Safety Deposit Box		15.00
Library Insurance		170.00
Library (extra need)	150.00	
Library Rent/Utilities	300.00	
Total Fixed Expenses	\$ 1,020.00	\$ 1,020.00
OTHER EXPENSES		
American History Tea	40.00	
Markers, Hon. State Regents	40.00	
American History Applicant	25.00	
Chapel Expense		64.00
Centennial Celebration	300.00	200.00
Computer (Reserve)	50.00	300.00
Genealogical Records Binding Outstanding Jr. Member	50.00 50.00	
Outstanding J1. Memoer		
Total Other Expenses	\$ 869.00	\$ 869.00
STANDING RULE EXPENSES		
#3 Regent's Allowance	2,000.00	
#4 Officers Allowance		275.00
#5 Flowers, St. Regent		25.00
#6 Pages, Cont. Congress		50.00
#7 State Conf. Advance#8 CAR, State Assessment		364.00 183.00
#26 Outstanding Junior	150.00	165.00
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Total Standing Rule Expense	\$ 3,047.00	\$ 3,047.00
TOTAL EXPENSE		\$ 11,811.00

REPORTS OF STATE OFFICERS

STATE REGENT

Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark

The creative and innovative ideas used by Kansas Daughters in their programs and activities continue to be a great source of pride to this officer. During visits to chapters, we have been impressed by the efforts of the chapters to meet the challenges of today's world.

We have enjoyed the rededication of a Santa Fe Trail marker by the Dodge City Chapter. The dedication of a special marker for two Kansas Governors in the Topeka Cemetery was a project of the John Haupt Chapter. Both coremonies were well planned and attended. Several societies visited the Santa Fe Trail markers in their area. Junior members cleaned up and landscaped some markers in the northeast district.

Patriotic activities rank high among the projects of our chapters. The Emporia Chapter did an outstanding job during Constitution Week. Many other chapters made school children and the public aware of this important part of our history with special activities and exhibits. Chapters all over the state were very visible during the patriotic parades on Veterans Day.

Flags were given to schoolchildren in their classrooms and to new citizens during naturalization ceremonies. The Ninnescah Chapter gave the city a flag for the city's avenue of flags. Patriotic bookmarks were also favorite gifts for school children.

Daughters have spent hours working with veterans in the three large hospitals in Kansas. Special parties, carnivals and other special events have been popular activities. Those daughters, who could not visit, spent hours sewing and knitting many care articles. Others sent cards and stamps for use by the veterans. Service to our veterans continues to be a popular and worthwhile project for Kansas Daughters.

This officer appreciates the efforts of chapters who held a joint meeting for the official visit. The lovely tea of the Prairie Rose, Quivira Crossing and Sagamore Chapters was an outstanding event. The luncheon of the James Ross and Wyandot Chapters was truly enjoyable.

Kansas Daughters are dedicated to making Kansas a better place to live and a safer place for our children.

STATE REGENT'S ADDRESS TO THE NINETY-SIXTH KSDAR STATE CONFERENCE

This has been a noteworthy year for this officer. The opportunity to visit chapters to renew friendships and to meet other members has been most gratifying.

Immediately following the 95th State Conference, we were a guest at the Oklahoma State Conference. It was a pleasure to become acquainted with our new Organizing Regent. She informed this officer they were returning to Kansas and was interested in forming a new chapter in Russell. Permission

has been granted, a name has been chosen and we hope to have a new chapter by winter.

I enjoyed the hospitality of Ileen Marrs when I visited the Martha Loving Ferrell Chapter and their Regent, Mary Alice Stephens. The next day I visited the Flores del Sol Chapter at their luncheon meeting and was treated to a tour of the Wichita VA facility by Past Vice President General, Kathryn Compton.

Visits to the Fort Larned Chapter and the Cimarron River Valley Chapter on the same day brought out truly western Kansas hospitality from these two vivacious and active chapters. This was followed by a visit to my own Chapter, Captain Jesse Leavenworth and their Regent, Kathryn West.

During the visit to the Mary Wade Strother Chapter, it was a privilege to install Ruby Mayden as the new Regent. It was a pleasure to listen to the exciting plans made on my visit to the John Haupt and their Regent Roberta Hagemann.

The production of a play based on the novel "<u>The Famous DAR Murder</u> <u>Mystery</u>" called for a second visit to the Shawnee Mission Chapter. It was a memorable experience and one that will always be remembered.

Past Vice President General, Mary Lempenau was present on the visit to the Topeka Chapter and their Regent, Fern Hogue. This oldest chapter in the state continues to be most active.

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After a steak dinner as a guest of the Desire Tobey Sears Chapter we enjoyed a talk by a young farm wife who had traveled to Europe in a group directed by Joe Barton, our youth luncheon speaker at last year's conference. She enjoyed seeing the things we marveled about as he spoke.

We were pleased with the youth participation during the Regional C.A.R. Conference in July in Kansas City. The dedication of the marker in Topeka Cemetery by the John Haupt Chapter was most impressive. The rededication of a Santa Fe Trail marker by the Dodge City Chapter was well planned and well attended.

Genealogical workshops were held at Ness City and Russell. This officer was honored to be in the receiving line at the Membership Tea of the Eunice Sterling Chapter.

A meeting was held with the outgoing regent and the incoming regent of the Minisa Chapter to help decide the direction that chapter should take in the future. An official visit was made to chapter members to encourage them to keep that chapter a vital part of the Kansas Society.

The Fall Tour took us to all four corners of the state and was a week of enjoyment for this group of state officers. As you are aware we had fun while we "delivered the new procedures for our society" to you at the district meetings. The Fall Board of Management meeting in Holton was well attended. The Pilgrimage planned by Vice Recent Pat Traffas with the Fort Larned Chapter was most informative and educational.

The John Athey members and Regent Mrs. Hurst made the visit to that chapter a most enjoyable day for this officer. There was a good turnout at the meeting of the Esther Lowrey Chapter on my first visit to Independence since returning to my home state. Wanda Hackney did everything possible to make this officer feel welcome on a visit to the Little Arkansas Chapter. The October and February meetings of the National Board were most informative and a newsletter was sent to chapters telling them of the events of these meetings.

This officer was honored at a tea held by the Quivira Crossing, Sagamore and Prairie Rose Chapters. It was very well planned and well-attended thanks to the cooperation of Regents Mrs. Lierly, Mrs. Bennett and Mrs. Hartzler.

A visit to the Polly Ogden Chapter at their luncheon meeting was a time to renew some friendships and to learn of their activities for our great organization. Regent Dr. Marylouise Meder was my hostess on my visit to the Emporia Chapter. Again, it was good to see DAR in action with their many activities.

This officer was privileged to participate in a Veterans Day parade in a car driven by Regent Lucille Doyle on our visit to the Neodesha Chapter. Two days later we traveled to Garnett to be the guest of the Four Winds Chapter and their Regent, Alice Walker, State Librarian. The chapter is very active in all DAR activities and projects.

A group of enthusiastic and active members attended the meeting of the Cofachique Chapter. This group under the leadership of Regent Donna Hawn has made Iola aware of the objectives of DAR.

The celebration of the Nathan Edson Chapter's 60th birthday was a successful event. Under the leadership of Regent Betty Coupal, all enjoyed the events of the day. Members of the Abilene Chapter and Mary Wade Strother Chapter joined in this celebration.

The Ninnescah Chapter, under the leadership of Regent Mrs. Shank, presented a flag to the Kingman Avenue of Flags during my official visit. Christmas was most enjoyable this year. The antiques and Santa Claus collection at the home of Pat Svaty made the visit to the Smoky Hill Chapter very special. A very Beary Christmas was present when I visited the Sarah Steward Chapter with Regent Mrs. Swank and member State Vice Regent Pat Traffas. At the visit to the Atchison Chapter and Regent Ruth Easter, we enjoyed an informal discussion and delicious Christmas "goodies." Our return to Holton, for a visit to the Samuel Linscott Chapter, was rewarded with a good attendance and report of exciting chapter projects.

I greatly appreciate the flexibility of the William Wilson Chapter in changing their meeting days to fit into by busy schedule. We had a delightful January drive to Garden City and found again the very warm hospitality we enjoyed on Fall Tour. This is another chapter working to keep patriotic and educational issues alive and well in their area.

The visit to the Jane Dean Coffey Chapter and Regent Sue Kimbrel found a large attendance and a group planning some exciting future activities.

It was a pleasure for this officer to attend the Shawnee Mission Chapter Tea, which was given in honor of their member, Faith Ann Shirley, State Reporter.

Because of snow and ice, my visit to the Jonathan Gilbert Chapter was rescheduled in May. This officer was honored with a tea on a visit to the Newton Chapter and Regent Ann Walker. The visit to the Arthur Barrett Chapter and Regent Mrs. Gaston took us to the Black Squirrel city of Marysville.

STATE VICE REGENT

Your State Vice Regent has been ready at all times to assist the State Regent whenever needed. She has enjoyed a busy and productive year while serving the State Society.

This officer was privileged to attend the 102nd Continental Congress where she served on a House Committee, and served at the Golden West Tea. Upon returning to Kansas, plans were finalized for the 1993 Fall Tour. This officer attended the Fall Board of Management meeting in Holton, the Northeast District Meeting in Holton, Northwest District Meeting in Clay Center, the Pilgrimage in Larned, the KSDAR Library in Dodge City, Southwest District Meeting in Garden City, and the Southeast District Meeting in Neodesha. Much appreciation is expressed to each District Director and Hostess Chapter Regent and members for their wonderful cooperation. The 1993 Fall Tour covered over 900 miles on the odometer, but the warmth and fellowship was most rewarding. This officer will choose to remember the SMILES, not the MILES.

It was a delight to assist with a genealogical workshop in Russell in cooperation with the Organizing Chapter Regent, the State Regent, and the State Lineage Research Chairman. This officer attended all meetings of the Executive Board, and conducted a Workshop for District Directors and Hostess Chapter Regents for 1994 Fall Tour prior to the opening of this State Conference.

Many thanks to our State Regent and fellow Officers for the joy of working with you, and to all members of KSDAR for the privilege of serving our State Society.

STATE CHAPLAIN

Mrs. Richard D. Standrich

This officer attended Continental Congress, where she served as a Vice Chairman on the Marshal Committee, the Golden West Tea, State Conference, a portion of Fall Tour and Executive Board Meetings.

Thirty-eight Chapters have a copy of the 1993 Ritual. Forty-eight Chapters reported deceased members. Forty eight Chapters reported having members over Ninety. Fourteen Chapters participated in National Bible Week. Several Chapters participated in the DAR DAY of Prayer. Some attended church together as a Chapter.

Sympathy notes were written to families of deceased members. Notes of appreciation from families indicate the value of this service. Thank you for using the reporting form to report deceased members. Kansas lost ninety-one members due to death this year.

The Memorial Service was prepared for State Conference and a Meditation was made for the Kansas Chapel during Continental Congress.

Thank you for the privilege of serving.

STATE RECORDING SECRETARY

The State Recording Secretary attended the Ninety-fifth State Conference, State Board of Management, Executive and Finance Committee meetings. The minutes of these meetings were recorded and distributed to all who were to receive them, or printed in the Annual Report and Proceedings.

She attended the 102nd Continental Congress, where she served on the Credentials Committee; served as a personal Teller at the elections of the National Society; and attended the Golden West Tea.

This officer edited the 1992-1993 Annual Report and Proceedings prior to its publication. They were distributed at the District meetings during Fall Tour or mailed in accordance with Standing Rule Number 1.

On October 15, 1993, at the direction of the State Regent, the State Recording Secretary forwarded copies of the Kansas Society Bylaws and Standing Rules; and copies of the 1992 Financial Statements to the President General, NSDAR, Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair, and the National Parliamentarian, Mrs. Paul Bearrs.

She attended the Kansas Centennial Committee meetings in Holton, and Lawrence, Kansas. This officer appreciates the appointment, by the State Regent, allowing her to serve on this committee.

A letter of instructions for the preparation of reports for the 1993-1994 Proceedings was included in the January 1994, mailing of the State Corresponding Secretary.

This officer attended the grave marker dedication, by John Haupt Chapter, of Governor Crawford and Senator Capper; the Wichita Area Regents' Round Table of the DAR, as the State Regents' representative; was a guest at a Cofachique Chapter meeting; and presented Programs to Martha Vail and Eunice Sterling Chapters.

It has been a pleasure working with all the Kansas Daughters during this past year while serving the Kansas Society. Thank you for the privilege

STATE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter

This officer attended State Conference, Continental Congress, the Golden West Tea, Fall Tour and all Executive Committee, Finance Committee and Board of Management meetings. She attended the dedication of the marker at the graves of Crawford and Capper and the KSDAR Library Open house.

Letters were mailed to all State Officers, Honorary State Regents and Chapter Regents with information regarding Fall Tour.

Regent's packets were prepared and distributed at the Fall Board of Management and District meetings. Packets were mailed to Regents not attending Fall Tour.

The State Conference Call, State Conference Credential Blank, 1994 KSDAR proposed budget, instructions for preparing annual reports, Chapter Officer Report, State Conference registration form and hotel reservation forms were mailed to all National Officers residing in the state, Honorary State Regents, State Officers, Chapter Regents, State Committee Chairmen and District Directors.

Invitations to the 1994 State Conference banquet were mailed to heads of other lineage organizations.

The Corresponding Secretary has been available to assist with any correspondence requested by the State Regent.

It is a pleasure and honor to serve the State Society and work with the State Regent, the other State Officers and the Kansas Daughters.

STATE ORGANIZING SECRETARY

Mrs. G. D. Spafford

This officer attended Continental Congress, the Golden West Tea, the Fall Board of Management meeting, the Fall Tour of District Meetings, all but one Executive Committee meetings, and the inspirational tours of the Santa Fe Trail Center and Fort Larned. Your State Organizing Secretary was in the hospital during the 1993 KSDAR State Conference, and appreciated very much the messages of encouragement from Daughters all over Kansas.

We are very happy to announce the confirmation of the appointment of Mrs. Ida Wilkerson Eichman as Organizing Regent for the proposed chapter in Russell. It was a great pleasure to attend the lovely Tea in Russell on February 13, for prospective members of the new chapter which will be named the Major Elijah Hyde Chapter.

Regretfully, Minisa Chapter in Wichita has submitted a formal letter of request for disbandment. This officer has been able to offer assistance and support to several chapters which hope to remain active.

It was a special honor to be able to tell the DAR story as a committee member of the Republic County Quintennial Celebration on September 4.

Let us persevere as we promote, protect, perpetuate, and preserve the principles of our Patriots!

STATE TREASURER

Mrs. John D. Afton

This officer attended the 102nd Continental Congress where she served on a House Committee, volunteered at the Library and poured at the Golden West Tea. Other meetings attended were Executive Board, Board of Management, District, Finance Committee, and State Conference. The site of 21 DAR Markers on the Santa Fe Trail were visited. She participated in a genealogical workshop in Ness City.

Certificates of deposit owned by the society have been reinvested for longer terms which resulted in an interest rate of 4.016% rather than 3.21% in some instances. Interest income for 1993 was \$3,103.83 compared to \$3,988.11 for 1992. This is a 22% decrease compared to 40% decrease in 1992 so interest income has stabilized somewhat.

Sixty-three chapters of sixty-four remitted their dues and contributions on or before December 1, 1993. Sixty-two chapters met the monetary requirements for Honor Roll and forty-nine chapters marked the computer printout of members correctly. Forty chapters have achieved 100% Participation in the President General's Project to date. Sixteen chapters have not remitted dues and contributions for members admitted in October or December 1993, and February 1994.

Again, this officer wishes to thank the Chapter Treasurers for their continued good work. Please know that your efforts are appreciated.

It is truly a pleasure to serve as your state treasurer.

STATE REGISTRAR

Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger

This officer has had a very busy year keeping the records current for the membership. She has had a number of requests for assistance from other officers and chairmen for various reports. It was a matter of great satisfaction that this officer could assist them in completing their tasks. It means that the computer system is doing what it should do.

This officer has attended Continental Congress, all Executive Board meetings, and assisted in presenting three genealogical workshops including one in Virginia with a number of very young ladies under the age of nine whereby they obtained a Brownie badge. She enjoyed the Fall Pilgrimage and while on Fall Tour this officer was very impressed by our new library facilities in Dodge City. This is something all Kansas Daughters should see and use. She joined in the celebration of the Fortieth Anniversary of the Wyandot Chapter, attended the grave marker dedication in Topeka cemetery sponsored by the John Haupt Chapter, and was privileged to attend the tea given by the Shawnee Mission Chapter honoring Mrs. James Shirley, State Reporter.

The following is the statistical report for the year 1993-1994:

Total membership February 15, 1993:	3689
Total membership February 15, 1994:	3612
with 67 members-at-large.	
Chapters showing an increase in membership:	28
Chapters showing a decrease in membership:	27
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Chapters showing no change in membership:	9
Total number of Chapters	64

This officer wishes to thank all chapter registrars for the complete cooperation they have shown in their very timely reporting of all changes.

Last but not least to the members of the Executive Board, it has been a pleasure to work with you this year and look forward to the coming year. Thank you all for your support at this time.

HISTORIAN

Mrs. Charley Shoemake

Chapters reported 100%, with 110 adult programs and 20 children's programs.

Reports of thirteen graves being marked were received, eleven this year and two in previous years but not reported.

On July 24, 1993, the John Haupt Chapter, Topeka, dedicated a new

marker at the grave sites of former Governers Crawford and Capper. These are located in the Topeka cemetery, the oldest chartered cemetery in the state. This officer was honored to be asked to participate in the ceremony.

On August 28, 1993, the Dodge City Chapter honored Aaron Cross, a Boy Scout, who repaired the base of a Santa Fe Trail marker near Spearville. The ceremony took place at the site of the marker. This officer was privileged to present Aaron with a Kansas Society Certificate of Award.

An increased interest in preservation of our Santa Fe Trail and other historical markers was evident this year.

More entries in the Outstanding American History Teacher Contest were received this year. The 1993-1994 selection is Mrs. Joanne Emerick (David L.), Hoxie, Kansas, sponsored by the John Athey Chapter.

The Santa Fe Trail Essay Contest for sixth and seventh grade students has grown by "leaps and bounds." Research was done before writing the essays and much imagination then used. Many were written as if the writers were making the trip on the Trail.

Thanks to all who have made this a good year for the State Historian.

STATE LIBRARIAN

Mrs. Howard R. Walker

This officer has had an exciting year for the KSDAR Library has had changes. In 1930, the KSDAR Library was a trunk of books, moving with the state librarian, eventually settling in Dodge City, variously housed over the years. Last August, the library moved to the lower level of Village Square Mall giving much needed room, more exposure, and a better locale. Usage has already increased making it necessary to open an extra Saturday a month.

The Library's Open House consisting of an extra two full days for researching was well received. All Kansas SAR Chapters were invited and some attended.

Individuals, districts and fifty-three chapters donated materials and/or money to the KSDAR Library. Six chapters contributed to the NSDAR Library.

By increasing holding, extending hours, being more visible, and developing the resource file, we hope to help more women qualify for DAR membership. In these ways the KSDAR Library is "Continuing the Commitment, Challenging the Future."

This officer has attended State Conference and meetings of the Board of Management, Executive Committee and Finance Committee. She has made trips to the KSDAR Library and attended the Library Open House. As State Librarian she is Chairman of the Library Committee composed of Mrs. William Daniels, Mrs. Augustus diZerega, Mrs. Stanley Smith and Mrs. Ramon Herring. She is most appreciative of the work they have done.

Thank you for letting her serve you in this office.

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HUGUENOT SOCIETY of KANSAS

Our Taunton Burt's Richard and James and Their Descendants by Mary and Robert Burt.

Gift: Robert, Mary and Grace Burt through the Huguenot Society of Kansas.

MISCELLANEOUS GIFTS:

Ground-Grounds Family Association Newsletter, 1991-1992. Gift: Bruce Grounds.

Schulte Tieben Family History by Margaret Stegman. Gift: Margaret Stegman.

Urban 1877-1985 by Margaret Stegman.

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Sheckler (Schackler) by Joyce Sheckler Heiss.

Gift: Kansas Genealogical Society.

- The Treesearcher, Vol. 35 (1993),
 - Gift: Kansas Genealogical Society.
- Volunteer workers who helped move the KSDAR Library in August 1993: Judy and Dale Hull, Rowena and Herbert White, Marian and Louis Hurtig, Norma and Bill Daniels, Alice and Howard Walker, Margaret and George Cole, Jacqueline Dunham, Patricia Smith, Dorothea Kline, Anna Lew Johnson, Nadine Petty, Gertrude Jones and Mike Goddard.

GIFTS TO NSDAR LIBRARY FROM KANSAS CHAPTERS

FOUR WINDS CHAPTER: A Walker Family History with Allied Baker Line. Gift: Alice A. and Howard R. Walker. ISABELLA WELDIN CHAPTER: Directory of the City of El Dorado (Kansas) for 1885. Gift: Corrine L. Afton. LITTLE ARKANSAS CHAPTER: The Great Sioux War, 1876-77. Memorial: Ellen A. Hiatt. LITTLE OSAGE TRAIL CHAPTER: Homestead of the Free: The Jeffries Heritage. Gift: Vanatta Frances Baldock Standrich. MARAIS DES CYGNES CHAPTER: Family Histories and Stories of Miami County, Kansas. SAGAMORE CHAPTER: Alexander Morrow 1745-1817 of Brooke County (W) Virginia and His Descendants.

STATE REPORTER

Mrs. James N. Shirley

Your reporter has been able to keep the cost of printing the Newsletter at the same level as last year. We shall endeavor to continue procuring the best possible price without sacrificing quality. However, we may be facing price increases in the near future.

The Newsletter was printed and mailed on or around February one and August one of the past year. In November we experienced a postal increase due to changes in the bulk mailing rates. Because our mailing list was a little shorter KSDAR was not too severely affected.

Once again, the newsletter has been folded, sealed and labeled, then sorted into mailbags by the Daughters of the Shawnee Mission Chapter. This reporter is deeply indebted to them.

The chapter regents, throughout the state, deserve a great amount of credit for the success of our KSDAR News. Their interesting and lively articles make fascinating reading. Thank you all for your work and reporting.

REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN OF NATIONAL COMMITTEES

AMERICAN HERITAGE

Mrs. David L. Hawn

Mrs. Glen E. Mayden

During the past year Kansas chapters have been busy preserving the American Heritage, by giving programs on American dolls, homemaking in early America, first ladies favorite recipes, the meaning of angels in art, Dolly's last party, revolutionary children, keeping and storing photos and records for heritage purposes, Washington's bodyguard, a program on sagebrush and canvas was presented at a Martha Loving Ferrell Chapter meeting, this is only a partial listing of all the interesting programs given this last year.

Kansas members also participated in touring museums, dedicating landmarks, showing slides, being in parades, Quivira Crossing's entry won first place, and entering national and state contests.

A short story contest was sponsored this year by the state. The winners are Larine Biggs of Susannah French Putney Chapter, "He Dared to Lead" and June Swindell Webb of Eunice Sterling Chapter, "American Heroism."

This chairman appreciates the efforts given to the American Heritage work this year by the KSDAR members.

AMERICAN HISTORY

Governor Joan Finney issued a Proclamation designating February as American History Month in Kansas on January 25, 1994. State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark and Mrs. Martin Robl, Chairman of the Museum Correspondent Docents Committee, accompanied this chairman to witness the signing and have a photograph made at the state capitol. Twenty-nine chapters had proclamations issued by county and city commissions. These were posted in seven counties and twenty-four cities. Sixty-one chapters had one or more programs on American History and all 64 chapters responded to the State Regent's questionnaire, giving us 100% reporting.

Twenty-eight chapters participated in the American History essay contest, 895 essays were received from 84 schools. Eleven schools were participating for the first time. The essay topic was "Coming to America in Colonial Days: 1607-1776." Individual titles were diverse and imaginative.

The writers of the winning essays will be luncheon guests of the Society at State Conference, March 16, and will receive silver medals, certificates and gifts at the 1:30 p.m. Awards Ceremony. The students and sponsoring chapters are:

Fifth grade. Matthew Kellerman, Roeland Park, Nathan Edson Chapter.

Sixth grade. Shannon Curry, Ottawa, Betty Washington Chapter. Seventh grade. Keith Redmond, Mission, Shawnee Mission Chapter. Eighth grade. Michael Hughes, Prairie Village, Sagamore Chapter.

Recognition of other students was made by chapters at their February meetings with presentation of 33 bronze medals, 6 desk flags, monetary awards and certificates.

It is a special pleasure to announce that the sixth grade winner, Shannon Curry, placed first in the South Central Division and was presented a certificate and book, *Liberty, The Statue and the American Dream*, on behalf of the Division Chairman, Mrs. Nancy Wright.

American History has been promoted with 72 displays, 229 inches of press in 42 news stories and 259 minutes of radio and TV coverage. One chapter had spot announcements prepared and broadcast by a class of gifted students, another had special history dates included on the community calendar.

With the deletion of the work <u>Month</u> from this committee title, American History is to be promoted all year long rather than just the month of February. Chapter chairmen are urged to meet this challenge with innovative ideas and enthusiastic year-long activity.

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

AMERICAN INDIANS

Mrs. Rick Sellers

Kansas Daughters had a busy year commemorating our Native Americans. One-hundred percent of the Kansas chapters reported contributing to the American Indians in various ways. Financially, Kansas Daughters contributed to the Scholarship Funds, the School Funds, the Old Indian Meeting House, and the American Indian Books for a combined total of \$539. Kansas Daughters were also busy clipping Campbell Soup labels— 6,903 labels were sent to Bacone College to be used in purchasing muchneeded supplies. Six chapters sent clothing to Bacone for a total of 764.3 pounds. Five programs were given about our Native Americans, six video tapes were donated, Christmas gifts were collected, and a Bake Sale was held to raise money for the American Indians.

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

AMERICANISM AND DAR MANUAL FOR CITIZENSHIP

Another year is complete and the Kansas chapters have once again been busy honoring the new American citizens with flags, teas and receptions. The Kansas chapters have given out over 1,825 *DAR Manual for Citizenship*, 37 to individuals and over 100 to hospitals, Immigration Service, the FCE office and libraries.

Three Medals of Honor were presented by Kanza and Shawnee Mission Chapters. The Shawnee Mission fifth grade students were presented with Pledge of Allegiance bookmarks during Constitution Week.

Kansas chapters have 100% reporting for the second straight year. Good work chapters and hopefully we will have another successful and productive year.

CHILDREN OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Mrs. Laurence Ellis, Jr.

This chairman attended the State Conference last year in Manhattan, Kansas, in March 1993, the Board of Management meeting in Holton, Kansas, where she presented the goals of the Children of the American Revolution for the upcoming year.

This chairman attended the Great Plains Regional Conference for Children of the American Revolution in Overland Park, Kansas, last July 1993, to learn what the objectives for the upcoming year would be.

This chairman presented Children of the American Revolution to a speech class she was enrolled in last semester at Washburn University. There were a lot of questions and inquiries about Children of the American Revolution, as well as for Daughters of the American Revolution and Sons of the American Revolution. This chairman answered the questions about how to become a member of these organizations.

CONSERVATION

Mrs. McCager W. Thompson

Chapters reported plantings of 3,685 trees; 1,270 shrubs, plants, and bulbs; and fed 26,942 pounds of birdseed. Pounds of RECYCLE included 57,793 paper; 4,300 glass; 237 plastic; 1,630 tin; 442 aluminum.

Dish, laundry, and basement water leakage was REUSED on trees, plants, and lawns. Utilities were REDUCED by turning down thermostats,

Mrs. Chester Metcalf

turning off un-needed lights and appliances (clotheslines versus dryers).

Conservation practices worth \$7,800 was reported; members car-pooled; two chapters had mini-talks at every meeting.

At Topeka's Arbor Day program they planted a tree, an annual event since 1966, at Washburn University. Little Arkansas cleans two miles in the Adopt-A-Highway program, planted herbs and flowers to attract wildlife and for medicinal purposes, planted butterfly and vegetable gardens, plus 75 sunflower plants that yielded 200 pounds of seed, and harvested fruit. Cofachique planted a wildlife refuge.

Four chapters gave Conservation Medals: Betty Washington to Alvin Fishburn; Dodge City to Jacqualine Dunham; Eunice Sterling to Doris Mayhew; and Shawnee Mission to Dr. Paul Hilpman.

Programs included a video "Come On Geese," at Desire Toby Sears; Wildlife and Conservation talk by a Game Warden at Fort Larned; John Athey had a conservation program; and Mary Wade Strother had a conservationist speak on Conservation and Recycling. Olathe had the Johnson County Extension Agent speak; and Shawnee Mission celebrated Arbor Day with Syed Hassen, UMKC, giving a conservation talk at the Medal Ceremony for Dr. Hilpman. Several chapters had memorial plantings.

Congratulations to all for a great year! Let's do it again!

CONSTITUTION WEEK

Mrs. Raymond Schreiber

Constitution Week was observed by most of our chapters last September. There were 62 Proclamations issued, plus one by Governor Joan Finney. We had a total of 407 inches of newsprint, which covered 57 articles, 10 pictures, and 23 letters and/or editorials. There where 1,968 broadcast minutes and 935 square feet of displays in libraries, schools, banks and stores. In one town, Aunt and Uncle Sam visited the schools and greeted the children. In another town, the marquee at the bank carried a Constitution Week reminder. In yet another town, all the churches carried a message about our Constitution in their bulletins. Others found it an excellent time to give flags and/or books to schools and libraries, and to give children bookmarks with the Preamble to the Constitution printed on it. Obviously, you all worked very hard. You did just great!

In the State Constitution Week Activities Contest we had two first place winners: Prairie Flint Hills and Courtney-Spalding. All of you who entered the contest, thank you so much. You did a fine job!

Congratulations to the 30 chapters in Kansas who have a Constitution Minute at each meeting! Thank you for 100% reporting.

DAR GOOD CITIZENS

Mrs. Stan Kippenberger

The response of the Kansas chapters to the DAR Good Citizen scholarship contest has been especially rewarding. One hundred percent of the chapters reported, with fifty-four of the sixty-four chapters participating. Chapter chairmen doubled the number of new schools contacted this year, by adding twenty-three schools, and enabling Kansas to receive an HONORABLE MENTION AWARD at Continental Congress.

Of the three hundred fifty-five high schools in Kansas, there were one hundred sixty-seven contacted and eighty of these schools participated. Dodge City Chapter contacted the greatest number of schools, eleven; Courtney-Spalding Chapter sponsored the greatest number of students, eight; Mary Wade Strother Chapter had one hundred percent of the schools contacted participate, seven; and General Edward Hand Chapter presented the largest monetary prize, a \$200 scholarship.

Students were honored at chapter luncheons and teas. They were presented with certificates, pins, the Great Seal of the United States paper weight, books, cash, and bonds.

The commitment of the chapter chairmen toward the youth of our country is truly inspiring. It is a very rewarding experience to work with the chapters on this committee. Thank you for this privilege.

DAR MAGAZINE

Mrs. Raymond J. Kaufman

Forty-one Kansas chapters attained the twenty percent DAR Magazine subscription requirement for Honor Roll. Newton Chapter was the leader in the state with 62 percent of the membership subscribing to the magazine. Quivira Crossing Chapter was second with 50 percent of their membership subscribing.

Fifty-eight gifts of the magazine were made to libraries, schools, and new members. All sixty-four Kansas chapters reported. Twenty-three percent of the total Kansas DAR membership subscribe to the magazine.

Historical articles are the most popular feature of the magazine readers, and these articles were oftentimes used as program material for chapter meetings. Genealogy information, the President General's message, and parliamentary procedure were also popular features. Least interesting to readers were the advertising section and national defense news.

DAR MAGAZINE ADVERTISING

Mrs. Robert N. Neubert

Congratulations to the 64 Kansas Chapters! Your contributions of either \$30 and/or \$1 to the State Co-op ads represent 100 percent participation. As a result, there are four and one-half pages of camera-ready copy plus a oneinch ad prepared by this chairman, which will appear in the May, 1994, issue of the *DAR Magazine*. A total of \$1,775 was received by the State Treasurer. Four Chapters also submitted individual \$30 ads to the *DAR Magazine*, plus contributing \$1 each to the co-op Kansas advertising.

This chairman appreciates chapter cooperation in contributing \$1 to the co-op ads even though the Honor Roll requirement of \$30 cannot be met. Please remember this when setting-up your budgets for the coming year. In this way, we again will receive a certificate for 100 percent participation. Individual ads may be submitted according to the information in the regent's packet, but also remember to allot \$1 to the state co-op ad. Again, please

send this chairman a copy of any ads sent directly to National, the ad copy plus a copy of the contract page.

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

DAR MUSEUM

Mrs. Neil L. Price

Sixty-four chapters reported, giving a total of 100% reporting. Fifty-five chapters contributed \$80.50 to the Museum General Fund, \$24 to the Book Fund and \$2 to the Friends of the Museum.

There were sixteen chapters who gave programs on the NSDAR Museum. Seven chapters gave slide programs on the period rooms. Four slide programs were given on the New Hampshire Toy Attic "For the Fun of it," and eight slide programs were given by Correspondent Docents.

Nine other chapters gave programs or toured other museums. The tours included visits to the Seelye House in Abilene, Coffey County Museum, Wichita-Sedgwick County Historical Museum, Santa Fe Trail, Coronado Museum, Kansas Aviation Museum, and Kansas Museum of History. There were other slide programs including Antique Glass Collecting and Washington Landmarks. Seven programs were given for Honor Roll credit.

The Courtney-Spalding Chapter of Hays, Kansas, raised \$500 for the purchase of twelve Boxwood plants to be planted on the campus of Fort Hays State University. The boxwood plants are from Mt. Vernon and are taken from those planted by George Washington himself. This chapter devoted a program to the new exhibition recently opened in the National DAR Museum.

The DAR Museum and the Mt. Vernon Ladies Association opened the jointly sponsored exhibition entitled "George Washington, The Man Behind the Image." The March *DAR Magazine* has a feature story on the exhibition. Please try to read the article, as there are many illustrations of the priceless and irreplaceable objects from the exhibit. The exhibit will be open until September 1, 1994, and is worthwhile attending if you have the opportunity.

DAR SCHOLARSHIP

Mrs. Kenneth A. Rice

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

The Kansas chapters donated \$107 to the KSDAR Scholarship program.

Five chapters reported separate scholarship awards ranging from \$50 savings bonds to interest accrued on savings accounts. Topeka Chapter reported three scholarships awarded at Washburn University through the DAR. These scholarships were awarded to Travis Hagemann (\$300), Michelle Green (\$400) and Cynthia Hart (\$62). Esther Lowrey Chapter gave a scholarship of \$200 to David Hellenon. Wichita Chapter reported a scholarship awarded through their chapter at Friends University. The recipient, Nathan Roher, received a \$500 scholarship.

A number of high schools and colleges were contacted regarding the DAR Scholarship programs. As a result, Kansas entered an application into the NSDAR American History Scholarship Contest, and fifteen applications were filed for the KSDAR and Elizabeth M. Hill Kessler DAR Scholarships.

Amy A. Wilkin of Burlingame, Kansas, was the American History Scholarship nominee. She will be a student at Baker University, Baldwin City, Kansas in the fall of 1994, studying Political Science and American History.

Elizabeth Claire Xidis of Lenexa, Kansas, was the applicant chosen to be the KSDAR Scholarship recipient. She plans to study Environmental Science and International Studies at Kansas State University or Marine Biology at the College of Charleston, Charleston, South Carolina. She has been very active in the C.A.R. on both the state and national level. She was sponsored by the Quivira Crossing Chapter where she plans to become a member upon her eighteenth birthday.

Cathleen Anne Donahue of Frankfort, Kansas, was the applicant chosen to be the Elizabeth M. Hill Kessler DAR Scholarship recipient. She plans to attend Kansas State University studying in the field of Education. She was sponsored by the Arthur Barrett Chapter.

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 E. Oakleaf

One hundred percent of the Kansas DAR Chapters reported regarding their work with the DAR Schools. Twelve have had programs, which ranged from video presentations to talks given by former students of one of the various schools. Special projects were reported by ten chapters. These were in the form of Memorials by specific members, a "Weigh-In" fund raiser, Birdcage Project at Crossnore, food sales, and silent auctions.

Saving and sending labels was a favorite in numerous chapters. Various schools received 15,856 labels and 1,670 coupons. Clothing totaling 964 pounds, plus 10 large boxes, with no weight mentioned, were delivered.

Forty-four chapters sent financial gifts through the KSDAR Treasurer. The following amounts represent the total financial gifts given during the past year: Tamassee-\$432, Kate Duncan Smith-\$329, Hindman-\$138.73, Crossnore-\$238, Hillside-\$99, and Berry, \$118.50.

It has been a pleasure to work on this committee and to learn about the interesting activities used to promote DAR Schools.

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

Veterans and nursing home patients across the State are recipients of the wonderful care and concern of our Kansas Daughters.

One thousand twenty eight visits were made and sixty eight parties were given. Cash/Canteen Books totaled \$1,614, magazines and books, \$2,082; gifts, \$2,670; party food and favors, \$2,217. Six-hundred-fifty Braille flags and flag codes were handed out, and 15,100 miles were traveled. The

"Stamps for the Wounded" project received 445 ounces of canceled stamps. The grand total came to \$42,374.

Ninety-one percent of the chapters now participate in the "Stamps" program, which is up from 86% last year.

The chairman thanks all the wonderful Daughters who contribute and give so unselfishly to our veterans who sacrificed so much for our nation.

THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Mrs. Gus M. Ramirez

As Chairman of the Flag Committee I am pleased to report 100% of Kansas Chapters sent reports of the past year's work.

There were 37 large, 513 small and 1,073 miniature Flags presented this year. Two chapters are making Braille Flags. A total of 970 Flag codes were given.

All chapters open their meetings with the Pledge of Allegiance. Special programs near Flag Day were given by 30 chapters. It was reported that 228 members observed the 21 Day Salute to the Flag and 45 observed the Pause for the Pledge on Flag Day.

One chapter provided funds to replace Flags on the Avenue of Flags in their city. John Haupt gave 500 miniature Flags.

The Dodge City Chapter presented a Flag with standard, and a permanent sign for a window display at the Government Center. Little Arkansas donated a Flag that had flown over our nation's Capitol, to the oldest school in Sedgwick County.

The Randolph Loving Chairman is to be commended, and a special salute goes to the Chairman of Eunice Sterling Chapter for her efforts.

It is a pleasure to serve on this committee.

GENEALOGICAL RECORDS

Mrs. William D. Daniels

All sixty-four Kansas DAR Chapters reported to the State Regent on Genealogical Records. This was 100 percent. Postal service handling damaged the letter containing the individual reports before this state chairman received it.

Twenty-three chapters submitted 3,270 pages to the state chairman. Little Arkansas and Sagamore Chapters prepared two complete volumes. Fort Larned also made a complete volume with this chairman preparing the master index. The remaining three volumes were Bible Records, Miscellaneous and Vital Records.

The Kansas Society DAR sent six volumes to NSDAR with a total of 1,090 pages. KSDAR also presented duplicate sets to the KSDAR Library in Dodge City and the Center for Historical Research in Topeka.

This chairman prepared four master indexes and numerous analytical cards for the NSDAR Genealogical Records office and the KSDAR Library in Dodge City. She wrote thirty-five letters to KSDAR chapters, NSDAR and KSHS in Topeka. Chapters submitting outstanding work were: Dodge City, General Edward Hand, Little Arkansas, Sagamore, and Topeka Chapters.

Please continue to collect, prepare and submit genealogical records for your local chapter. It has been a pleasure to serve as the State Genealogical Records Chairman in 1993-1994.

HONOR ROLL

Mrs. Kenneth Beal

This year there were forty-eight chapters receiving awards of which fifteen were gold, fifteen were silver and eighteen were honorable mention. Chapters receiving awards were:

GOLD: Captain Jesse Leavenworth, Cofachique, Emporia, Flores del Sol, Four Winds, Isabella Weldin, Little Arkansas, Molly Foster Berry, Neodesha, Prairie Flint Hills, Quivira Crossing, Sagamore, Shawnee Mission, Tomahawk and Topeka.

SILVER: Arthur Barrett, Betty Washington, Dodge City, Eunice Sterling, General Edward Hand, Jeremiah Howard, John Athey, John Haupt, Kanza, Newton, Olathe, Randolph Loving, Stone Corral, Susannah French Putney and Wichita.

HONORABLE MENTION: Abilene, Cimarron River Valley, Council Oak, Desire Tobey Sears, Fort Larned, Lois Warner, Martha Loving Ferrell, Martha Vail, Mary Wade Strother, Minisa, Mission Hills, Oceanus Hopkins, Peleg Gorton, Polly Ogden, Prairie Rose, Samuel Linscott, Sarah Steward and Smoky Hill.

JUNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS

Mrs. Ralph French

Kansas Junior American Citizens activities began in 1993-1994, with success reported from Continental Congress. Chris Mathias, fourth grade student from Syracuse Elementary, sponsored by Dodge City Chapter, was named Second Place winner in Banner. Kansas received First Place in greatest number of publicity inches with Dodge City receiving greatest number of chapter publicity inches. The Dodge City Chapter JAC Chairman is Jacqueline Dunham.

One-hundred percent of the chapters reported. Eight chapters reported JAC activities with 250 total students participating, 119 for the first time. Donations to the National and State Prize Fund were made by 47 chapters, for a total of \$134.35.

Membership pins distributed-230; Membership cards-129; handbooks-72; United States Flags-81. Three Thatcher Awards were given for outstanding leadership and service.

The theme of the JAC Contest was "Flags in American History." A total of 240 students participated in the Art, Writing and Special Project Categories. Thirteen first place entries were forwarded to Division for further consideration.

The Junior American Citizens Program stimulates and inspires our youth. We are proud to be a part of it.

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP

The Junior Membership Committee would like to thank all chapters for their support. This State Conference has been a very successful one. The sales from the Junior Bazaar, the "Bouquet of Smiles" Joke Book, and from the Junior Sales, (jewelry, stationery, other items), will make the amount of our contribution to the Helen Pouch Fund be approximately \$1,800.

Mrs. Doug Kocher, Kristi, Chairman of Junior Membership Sales, reports that the stationery, jewelry, and other new items sold well. Twentyseven chapters made Honor Roll for Helen Pouch Fund, from her sales at State Conference.

Mrs. Steve Cohorst, Chairman of the Outstanding Junior Member Contest, reports the selection of Mrs. Tod Hettenbach, Leesa, as the Kansas 1994 Outstanding Junior. She has been an active Abilene Chapter member since 1983. To help this Outstanding Junior go to Continental Congress, this committee has given financial assistance of \$150 to help with her expenses.

The Junior Membership Committee was also pleased to be able to contribute \$100 to the President General's Project. We believe this to be a very valuable project to preserve our part of DAR history.

Remember to keep your Junior members active in chapter activities. This year Juniors served as: State Chairmen-2; Chapter Regents-2; Chapter Officers-16; Chapter Chairmen-44. Continue to keep your Junior members in mind for programs, presentations, and chapter positions.

Thanks to everyone for their continued support of the Juniors and this committee.

LINEAGE RESEARCH

Mrs. Albert R. Hagemann

Reports were received from all 64 chapters this year which is 100% reporting.

There were 260 prospective members assisted by chapters with 120 of them becoming new members or with papers pending at NSDAR.

There were several requests for help with research from KSDAR members this past year. Two of them were for assistance from out-of-state. The information requested was passed on to the Lineage Research Chairmen in those states. Several requests were handled locally.

Eight chapters sponsored public genealogical workshops with one chapter reporting four workshops being given in a middle school.

Three public genealogical workshops put on by DAR chapters were participated in by your chairman, one in Ness City, one at Stafford and one at Russell.

The enthusiasm and interest of those attending the workshops was rewarding. We trust these workshops will add new members to our State Society.

The 1993-1994 Membership Theme: "Send Out the Message; WE CAN...WE WILL...INCREASE MEMBERSHIP!" All 64 chapters reported. This is 100% of the chapters in the state of Kansas. It is my belief that all chapters made an attempt to honor our theme.

Forty-six chapters showed an increase in membership this past year which is 71.88% of the chapters. Eighteen chapters did not increase in membership this past year.

Chapters with the largest percentage of increase by application are listed in three categories for 1993: (12-49 members) Four Winds Chapter, 21.42%; (50-99 members) Flores del Sol Chapter, 11.11%; (100+ members) Topeka Chapter, 5.38%.

Congratulations to all of you who have been reaching out to your communities in an attempt to gain new members. The task may not be easy in every area, but keep trying. The DAR has much to offer.

MOTION PICTURE, RADIO AND TELEVISION

Mrs. Avis L. Fisher

SPEAK UP to CLEAN UP, this is the challenge our national chairman has given us. By your reports I know we are doing our part.

The television and radio media had many letters written by our chapters to let them know that they either approved or felt that they needed to be improved. Violence in the media has been attacked.

ALADDIN was the best movie chosen for children. Adults selected SOMERSBY. IRON WILL and SISTER ACT II shared the vote for family viewing.

SESAME STREET was again the most popular television show for children. HOME IMPROVEMENT and DR. QUINN, MEDICINE WOMAN share the television choice for adults.

A long time radio friend, Paul Harvey, was chosen as best radio program.

Tomahawk Chapter donated nine videos titled "WITHIN THESE WALLS, A VISIT TO THE WHITE HOUSE" to schools and Johnson County Library. Randolph Loving Chapter gave tapes to Mid-American All Indian Center.

There is good entertainment. Just find it and help get rid of the other.

NATIONAL DEFENSE

Mrs. Harold B. Myers

100% reporting!

All sixty-four chapters had at least five minutes of National Defense at each regular meeting. Fifty-four had one or more programs on National Defense. Four gold and five bronze ROTC medals and twenty Good Citizenship medals were presented. National Defense material was available at fifty-nine chapter meetings, nine schools and eighteen libraries. Sixty chapters discussed the National Resolutions and forty-six the State Resolutions. Sixty chapters contributed to the ROTC program for a total of \$132. One chapter contributed \$2 to "Dollars for Defense." Sixty-three chapters encouraged members to register and vote.

The topics of greatest interest were: 1. Education, 2. Health Care and 3. Immigration.

The State Chairman's Award was given to Mary Wade Strother Chapter for the most outstanding report.

It is a pleasure and a privilege to serve as chairman of this committee.

PROGRAM

Mrs. Milton N. Thomas

The Program Committee again had 100% of the chapters reporting. Sixty-four reported with thirty-nine chapters printing yearbooks and twentyfive having supplementals printed.

Slides, cassettes, a video from Berry College, programs from National and ideas from chapter members made for an interesting list of program ideas this year.

In the South Central Division of the Best Program Contest, Kansas had two winners:

Patriotic—First Place

Martha Loving Ferrell Chapter

Women In Aviation In World War II.

Educational—Second Place

Captain Jesse Leavenworth

"Lest We Forget"-The Buffalo Soldier Story.

A three-year "Program of Excellence" Contest is being held. Points are being given for programs submitted, yearbooks or supplementals sent in and for interesting program ideas.

One chapter had a member presenting a program on Indians for two other chapters.

We received word too late for the report last year that Molly Foster Berry and Little Osage Trail Chapters had programs sent from the South Central Division to the National Best Program Contest. Little Osage Trail was a winner in the National Contest.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Mrs. Wayne M. Cope

Our Kansas Society had another successful year by working together to inform the public of DAR's Services to our communities.

Kansans heard throughout the state from all 64 chapters recorded meetings and their community involvement.

In our newspapers, we read 5,666 news inches about activities in 743 stories with 113 photographs.

We tuned into 86 radio spots and 1 program for 42 minutes of broadcasting our messages promoting Patriotism, Education and American Historical facts.

Visually, we watched on television one program and twenty-two spots as seven members promoted our activities.

Using the Blair Administration theme, "Continuing the Commitment, Challenging the Future"—two chapters sent news stories to National Headquarters for posting on their bulletin board.

The Kansas entries in the National Public Relations Contest were: Susannah French Putney Chapter for Category #1, and the Neodesha Chapter entry for Category #2.

One chapter held a Public Relations workshop and organized their publicity goals for the whole year.

The DAR's Story of Service in our communities was told in a variety of ways, but nothing seems more effective than the person to person approach of sharing at meetings and guest days.

As we wrap up the past months and reflect on all that we have accomplished, we must remember there is much more to be done and we should "blow our own horns" by having everyone seeing, hearing, or reading about DAR and their activities.

SEIMES MICROFILM CENTER

Mrs. Ray D. Bendorf

This chairman received 100% reporting from our 64 chapters. There are 49 chapters with a chairman, but 100% of all chapters gave at least \$1 to Seimes for Honor Roll. According to the reports sent to me, we collected \$743.23 for Scimes; 20 chapters purchased one or more rolls of film. I want to thank all chapters for making a commitment and following through. Lets keep it up.

A report from Mrs. Humphrey at the Seimes Center says we are half way to completion of the National Chairman's project on "Military Service Records of the Revolutionary War." The Center has also purchased two new Guideon 1000 readers. The Library is helping to catalog the film in Seimes Center. It is becoming more important for these films to be at Seimes Center because the National Archives is cutting down on hours open, particularly at night.

Remember, I have a copy of the Video film, "DAR Seimes Microfilm Center," available for our Kansas Chapters to use. Please see me.

As a result of our light hearted tactics during the Fall Tour, I collected \$24 for a roll of film and I thank everyone. I truly am enjoying working on this committee.

REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN OF NATIONAL SPECIAL COMMITTEES

COMMEMORATIVE EVENTS OF THE UNITED STATE OF AMERICA Mrs. Emma Lou McDaniel

The second year of Commemorative Events is almost finished with chapters participating in more than one event.

World War II Fiftieth Anniversary will continue through 1995. Isabella Weldin Chapter became a World War II Commemorative Community, completing three events: Party at a Veterans Hospital with games and refreshments; World War II artifacts window display; and Medal Pinning of Committee Members. Dodge City Chapter had a World War II window display of World War II artifacts.

Other events honored in chapter meetings were: Veterans Day World War I Seventy-Fifth Anniversary; Four Chaplains' Breakfast; Columbus Quincentennial; 150-year Anniversary of Oregon Trail; Santa Fe Trail; Cornerstone of United States Capital; Flag Day; and other events.

William Wilson Commemorative Events Chairman gave a short talk on the special events at each meeting, such as Cherokee Strip, Ellis Island, George Washington, Gettysburg Address, John F. Kennedy Memorial, Pony Express, and others.

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

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

Mrs. Ronnie L. Svaty

The number of contributions to Friends of the Library doubled this year. Contributions were received from the following chapters: Jane Dean Coffey, Prairie Rose, Smoky Hill, and Ninnescah. These contributions will be used to purchase new chairs in the NSDAR Library or for shelving for a new Rare Book Room. Remember that donations to the Library are tax deductible and one does not need to be a member of the DAR to contribute.

INSIGNIA

Mrs. Larry Overmiller

Congratulations to Kansas Chapters with 100% reporting! Fifty-five chapters out of sixty-four have active chairmen and nineteen chapters reported the purchase of seventy-six pins!! This is way up from last year. Kansas Chapters have twenty-eight Banners and forty-nine chapters report that they have Chapter Regent Pins. Outgoing Regents from 24 chapters receive an Ex-Chapter Regent Pin from their loyal chapter members.

This year eight Recognition pins were purchased and twelve programs given.

The December 4, 1993, National Board of Management accepted a "generic" design for a Chapter Centennial pin which will be made by J. E. Caldwell Company. This pin will be engraved with the Chapter name and

dates and is worn just below the Chapter Bar. The Centennial of KSDAR will be celebrated in April 1996. Watch for plans of a Centennial KSDAR Pin!

LITERACY CHALLENGE

Mrs. Tod Hettenbach

This Committee Chairman had the privilege to attend the fall Northwest District meeting held in Clay Center. At that meeting she was able to encourage all officers and members to get involved in the "Challenge of Literacy."

The pep talk paid off. There was 100% reporting from all of the Chapter Chairmen. However, this State Chairman still has the challenge to get 100% of the chapters to have a chairman.

A total of nine chapters had programs on literacy and twenty-two chapters are involved with a local literacy program. A total of \$80 was given by five chapters.

Chapter members participated by tutoring in groups and also individuals. They reached out to children as well as adults. One man being tutored had the goal to be able to read to his three-year-old daughter. Fort Larned reported that Esther Beer has been tutoring patients at the Larned State Hospital for the last twelve years.

This chairman wants to thank all of those members who have helped tutor and to encourage you to keep up the good work.

NSDAR MUSEUM CORRESPONDENT DOCENTS

Mrs. Martin J. Robl

With all sixty-four chapters of the state reporting, we have a 100% report. Since the inception of this committee, Kansas has given the service of thirteen ladies to the NSDAR Correspondent Docent program. We now have eight active docents in the state. During this past year, they gave a total of seventeen programs with a combined audience of three hundred fifty persons. Eleven of these programs, almost two/thirds of the total, were given for non-DAR groups. Three of our docents are still in training. Five of our active docents are wearing pins; two are working on their plus twenty-five bar, two are wearing the plus-twenty-five bar and one is working on the plus 50 bar. One new docent pin was purchased this year and \$48 was donated to the museum.

Successful docent programs have been given to quilting societies, ladies clubs, church circles, youth groups and schools. The Correspondent Docent program remains one of the best ways to get the message of DAR service to our communities. Thank you, madame state regent, for the privilege of serving on this committee.

PRESIDENT GENERAL'S PROJECT Mrs. Jerald L. Jennings

President General, Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair's Project is the RENOVATION OF CONSTITUTION HALL. Our beautiful hall was finished and dedicated on April 19, 1929. It is heavily used, being the only hall in the metropolitan D.C. area that was designed exclusively for concerts and having a capacity of nearly 3,700. The project is to improve the appearance of the Hall and address the mechanical and electrical systems that are not up to code.

Over half of KSDAR chapters completed their three-year quota of donating \$4 per chapter member based on the February 1993, membership count. These Chapter Regents are qualified to receive a certificate personally from the President General, NSDAR, at the 1994 KSDAR State Conference.

All 64 chapters participated in the project. Those chapters completing their quota this year will only need to donate \$1 for the required Honor Roll donation to the President General's Project next year.

You will continue to receive note cards and calendars. You are not required to purchase these items when received, but please remember that any contribution is greatly appreciated and is tax deductible.

REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN OF STATE STANDING COMMITTEES

BYLAWS COMMITTEE

The revision of the Bylaws of the National Society, adopted at the 102nd Continental Congress, necessitated some changes to the Bylaws of the Kansas Society. The State Bylaws Committee presented the amendments to the State Conference.

Standing Rules Number 12 and 16 were also recommended for amendment to the State Conference.

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

This Ninety-sixth State Conference went very smoothly for the Credential Committee with so many from the Northeast District willing to help as did the Northwest District last year.

This year was special with the President General, NSDAR, Mrs. Donald Shattuck Blair, attending, along with two State Regents, Mrs. Ollie L. Tracy of Missouri and Mrs. Henry C. Rilling of Arizona. The total registration was 256, surpassing last year's registration.

Two chapters did not send in Credential Forms and four Chapters' Credential Forms were postmarked after February 8, 1994. Four members signed the Fifty-year paper. They were: Jackie Theis of Randolph Loving, 58 years; Dorothy Seward of Shawnee Mission, 50 years; Susan B. Kaufman of Newton, 50 plus years; and Jeanette Valentine of Nathan Edson, 50 plus years.

A special thank you to all who helped and especially to Mrs. Wilbur Weedin of Minisa Chapter, Wichita, who spent the entire time at the Registration Table.

Mrs. Donald F. Seefeld

Mrs. Billy P. Compton

STATE LIBRARY COMMITTEE

Because of weather and moving, the KSDAR Library was only open 220 days. However, the move created increased usage with 1,506 individuals signing the register, up 250. Visitors came from 23 KSDAR Chapters, and 13 states. The number of books checked directly from the library doubled. Mail loan and copying are well used. Because of increased usage, the library is open an additional Saturday each month. It is now open 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday and 10:45 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on the first and third Saturdays.

Members of Dodge City Chapter Library Committee worked 500 hours at the library with at least 50 more hours at home with accessioning and correspondence. They and their spouses did the heavy, dirty work of the move. Dodge City Chapter members purchased needed equipment and supplies including four units of heavy library shelving.

The library has added 51 volumes, including the 4 volume Revolutionary War Pension Abstracts costing \$508. Thank you for that very special gift. Kanza Chapter gave another major gift: \$515 from memorial funds for books in memory of Nellie Forrester Symns.

Hundreds of materials from DAR private libraries are entered in the Resource File. Use this tool in researching.

This officer thanks the State Library Committee and the Dodge City Chapter Library Committee for their dedication and work, their loyalty and love for the library and she thanks you, the KSDAR membership, for your gifts and use of the library.

REPORTS OF STATE CHAIRMEN OF STATE COMMITTEES

CONFERENCE MARSHAL

Shirley S. Coupal Mrs. Frank Huffman

The duties of the Conference Marshals 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 Marshals 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-sixth Annual State Conference of the Kansas Society.

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

A special thank you goes to Mrs. Frank Huffman, who is doing an outstanding job of learning the duties of the Marshals' Committee. This year she assumed the role of liaison to the Page Committee.

Thank you's also go to Mrs. Fred Bell and Mrs. Kenneth Beal, Conference Cochairmen, their staff and the Daughters of the Northeast District, who have worked very diligently to provide this State Conference.

It has been a pleasure to work with the President General, the National Officer, the Honorary State Regents, State Officers, honored guests and many of the Kansas Daughters attending Conference.

HOUSE COMMITTEE

Mrs. Robert N. Kline Mrs. James Tolbert

The House Committee Chairman and Cochairman have collaborated with the State Regent, State Conference Chairmen, State Conference Marshal, and hotel management in facilitating efforts to make the physical arrangements of the State Conference conditional to the needs of the Kansas Society.

Preplanning assessments of the facility, and negotiating sessions have proved to be a positive outcome for a more comfortable and pleasurable setting for you, the members and guests of the Kansas Society.

KANSAS CHAPEL

Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr.

Our Kansas Chapel of the Kansas Society Daughters of the American Revolution is one of the most popular rooms in our Headquarters Building in Washington. 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 \$352 for memorials that has been given by our Kansas members. The memorial names are entered in our beautiful memory book. Money remaining from inscribing the names is added to 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 signin with any comments they wish to make. The State Chaplain has prepared a devotional folder that will be available to all the visitors.

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."

KANSAS SOCIETY CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE

Mrs. Vincent Traffas

By approval of the Board of Management in September 1993, the State Regent appointed members to serve on this committee. Representing the first three chapters organized in Kansas will be: Mrs. Jerald L. Jennings, Topeka Chapter; Mrs. Larry D. Ream, Eunice Sterling Chapter; and Mrs. Kenneth N. Beal of Betty Washington Chapter. Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent, will serve as Chairman.

This committee has met in September 1993, in Holton, and in January

1994, in Lawrence. The Organizing Secretary General, NSDAR, has advised that the formal date of organization was April 2, 1896. With permission from the President General, NSDAR, J. E. Caldwell & Company has been instructed to prepare designs for approval of a State Centennial Pin, which will be official insignia. A skit was prepared and presented at the 1994 KSDAR State Conference to announce the upcoming Centennial.

Madam State Regent, thank you for the privilege of serving on this most exciting committee.

PAGES COMMITTEE

Mrs. Doran W. Cole

Madam State Regent, it gives this chairman great pleasure to serve during our second year together. Paging gives Junior members the opportunity to continue the commitment of service and to begin challenging our future with DAR. This chairman thanks you for the opportunity to serve and has special thanks to the fifteen Pages whose efforts helped make this a successful conference. There are once again, many new faces this year, which is always exciting. The sacrifice of time from families and jobs is greatly appreciated. And now, may I present the Pages of the Ninety-sixth State Conference. They are:

Ms. Tess Bateman Mrs. Richard Bullock Mrs. Charles Carter Mrs. Daniel Clair Mrs. Gordon Etelamaki Mrs. Tod Hettenbach Miss Amy Huffman Miss Laurie Huffman Miss Nina Huffman Miss Elizabeth Lawson Mrs. Greg Ratzloff Miss Laurie Schweiger Mrs. Robert Smith Mrs. John Tully Mrs. Oliver I. West, Jr.

PARLIAMENTARIAN

Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway

The State Parliamentarian has been available for consultation about parliamentary matters and bylaws interpretations and, when requested, has rendered assistance to the State Regent and other members of the Kansas Society. She attended the September meetings of the State Executive Committee and State Board of Management, assisted with the preparation of amendments being proposed to the Kansas Society Bylaws, and is serving as parliamentarian during this State Conference.

Appreciation is expressed to the Chapter Regents for their cooperation in sending copies of their chapter bylaws for the State Parliamentarian's file.

Presently, bylaws from 61 of the 64 chapters are on file. The three chapters that are unable to locate copies of their bylaws have been provided with copies of the updated "Model for Chapter Bylaws."

The Proposed Revision of the Bylaws of the National Society and new Standing Rules were adopted, as amended, by last April's 102nd Continental Congress. Jointly with the State Bylaws Committee Chairman, a letter outlining the changes affecting the chapters was placed in the fall state packet. To further aid chapters in the task of incorporating the appropriate changes into their chapter bylaws, a workshop was conducted by the State Parliamentarian in conjunction with this State Conference.

PRESS BOOK

Twenty-three chapters submitted 378 news items and 75 photographs for the year March 1, 1993, through February 28, 1994. One chapter sent 70 news clippings and 20 photographs and five chapters sent over 20 news clippings.

This chairman expresses sincere thanks to those submitting news items and encourages 100% representation of the chapters for the 1994-1995 Press Book.

STATE CONFERENCE AWARDS

The chapters and individuals receiving Certificates of Award at the Ninety-sixth State Conference are as follows:

AMERICAN HERITAGE Short Story Contest:

Larine Biggs—"He Dared To Lead" Susanna French Putney Chapter. June Swindell Webb—"American Heroism" Eunice Sterling Chapter.

DAR SCHOLARSHIP

American History Scholarship—Kansas Society Amy A. Wilkin—Captain Jesse Leavenworth Chapter
Elizabeth M. Hill Kessler DAR Scholarship Cathleen Anne Donahue—Arthur Barrett Chapter.
KSDAR Scholarship Elizabeth Claire Xidis—Quivira Crossing Chapter.
KSDAR GENEALOGICAL RECORDS Dodge City Chapter Mrs. Dwight Dunham and Mrs. Gary Evans—"Copying and preparing manuscript of Meade County, Kansas Early Birth Records—1886-1911" Topeka Chapter "Abstracts of Deaths from Mayetta Kansas Newspapers, Part 4" (continuation of pervious records submitted).

Mrs. Leon Torkelson

Mrs. Fred D. Stockstill

Mrs. Donnalene Lesh-"Abstracts of Marriages, Obituaries and Wills"---General Edward Hand Chapter. Mrs. Lori Grace Ragsdell-"Preparation of an Entire Volume of Miscellaneous Records with index" 189 pages. Little Arkansas Chapter. Sagamore Chapter "Abstracts from the Olathe Mirror-April 4, 1901 through October 2, 1902" (continuation of pervious records submitted). JUNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS POSTER: First Place Winners: First Grade-Brock Stoltzfus, Meade Grade School, Dodge City Chapter. Second Grade-Bryce Stang, Vermillion Primary, Eunice Sterling Chapter. Fifth Grade—(Group)—Amy Davis and Amy Hughes, Meade Grade School, Dodge City Chapter. Fifth Grade—Special Education—Megan Tracy, Syracuse Elementary, Dodge City Chapter. Seventh Grade-James Irsik, Ingalls Jurnior High School, Dodge City Chapter. Second Place Winners: Third Grade—Joseph Estas, Haverhill Elementary, Isabella Weldin Chapter. Fourth Grade-David Gardner, Haverhill Elementary, Isabella Weldin Chapter. Fifth Grade-Tim Nickel, Haverhill Elementary, Isabella Weldin Chapter. Eighth Grade-Fredonia Middle School, Neodesha Chapter. Honorable Mention: Second Grade, Special Education-Amber Myers, Vermillion Elementary, Dodge City Chapter. STAMP: First Place Winners: Pre-School-Amanda Metcalf, Boone Pre-School, Little Osage Trail Chapter. Third Grade-Theron Stoltzfus, Meade Grade School, Dodge City Chapter. Sixth Grade—Amber Welch, Southwestern Heights, Dodge City Chapter. Seventh Grade—Jacob Riley, South Gray Junior High, Dodge City Chapter. POETRY: First Place Winner: Fourth Grade-Beth Ann Hesterman, Meade Grade School, Dodge City Chapter.

Second Place Winner: Eighth Grade—Andrea Schmidt, South Gray Junior High, Dodge City Chapter. SHORT STORY: Second Place Winner: Fifth Grade-Andrea Schmidt, South Gray Junior High, Dodge City Chapter. VIDEO: First Place Winners: Girl Scout Troop No.153, Kismet Elementary, Dodge City Chapter. Special Project—Third Grade Class, Pawnee Elementary, Sagamore Chapter, Honorable Mention: Seventh Grade-Scott Sinclair and Lance Merten, South Gray Junior High, Dodge City Chapter. Banner: First Place Winners: Fifth Grade Special Education—Chris Mathias, Syracuse Elementary, Dodge City Chapter. Essay: Honorable Mention: Fourth Grade-Charissa Totten, Totten Homeschool, Sarah Steward Chapter. MEMBERSHIP: Chapter with 12-49 members Four Winds Chapter, Mrs. Howard Walker, Regent. Chapter with 50-99 members Flores del Sol Chapter, Mrs. Melvin Cattrell, Regent. Chapter with 100+ members Topeka Chapter, Mrs. Robert V. Satzler, Regent. PUBLIC RELATIONS South Central Division Honorable Mention-Best story written by a DAR Member, "DAR honors resident for invention," Susannah French Putney Chapter. Second Place-Best story written by a DAR Chapter, written by a newspaper, "Couple bridges gap with understanding of Indian life," Neodesha Chapter. Congratulations-For informal workshop, Cofachique Chapter.

REPORTS OF DISTRICT DIRECTORS

NORTHEAST DISTRICT

The Forty-eighth Annual Northeast District Meeting was held September 13, 1993, at the Presbyterian Church in Holton, Kansas. Following the Board of Management Meeting of the Kansas Society, a protocol workshop was presented by Ms. Shirley Coupal, State Conference Marshal.

The hostess chapter was Samuel Linscott with Mrs. Wilbur Stoll as Regent. During the luncheon, served by the chapter, Mrs. Stoll gave a

Mrs. Robert N. Kline

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biographical sketch of Mrs. Martha Scott Hand, first State Regent of Kansas, and gave historical facts of Jackson County relating to the Kansas Society.

Information from the National Society was presented by the State Regent Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, the State Officers, and the State Chairmen, concerning their respective office's and committee's.

Mrs. Kenneth Beal from the Betty Washington Chapter, was elected to the State Nominating Committee. The Northeast District Nominating Committee was also elected: Mrs. Robert Schweiger, Prairie Rose Chapter; Mrs. Wilbur Stoll, Samuel Linscott Chapter; and Mrs. Lawrence Ellis, Prairie Flint Hills Chapter, as prescribed in the State Bylaws.

The final registration report was given with 101 members and guests in attendance. Gratitude was extended to Mrs. Stoll and chapter members for their efforts for a successful district meeting. Mrs. Billy Lierly, Regent of the Quivira Crossing Chapter extended an invitation for the 1994 district meeting.

NORTHWEST DISTRICT

Shirley S. Coupal

The Northwest District of KSDAR met for its Forty-ninth Annual Meeting at the Catholic Parish Center in Clay Center, September 14, 1993. Nathan Edson was the hostess chapter, Mrs. Warren E. Coupal, Regent.

Mrs. Coupal and the Honorable Don Hatfield, Mayor of Clay Center, welcomed the Daughters. Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent, gave the response.

Reports were heard from Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent, and the other State Officers. Mrs. Clark gave reports for the State Officers, who were absent. State Committee Chairmen, who were present, gave their reports.

Shirley Coupal, Conference Marshal, gave a workshop on "Protocol," followed by one on "Junior Membership" by Mrs. Kevin D. Smith, Junior Membership Chairman. Sixty-five persons were present at Roll Call. The District Guidelines Committee reported. It was voted to accept their recommendations. Ruby Mayden was elected to serve on the State Nominating Committee. Elected to the District Nominating Committee were: Susan Kaufman, Thyra Fager and Florine Hurst.

The fiftieth anniversary year for the District will be in 1994, and a special observance is being planned. The District donated \$100 toward the purchase of the "*Revolutionary War Pension Abstracts*" books for the State DAR Library. A suggestion was made that a budget be prepared for ordinary meeting expenses. Then these expenses could be grouped and paid.

An invitation from the Good-Land Chapter to host the 1994 meeting was accepted.

SOUTHEAST DISTRICT

Mrs. Bobby Campbell

The Sixty-third Annual Meeting of Southeast District KSDAR, was held September 17, 1993, at the Methodist Church in Neodesha, Kansas.

The meeting was called to order by District Director, Mrs. Lucille Campbell. Neodesha was the hostess chapter, Mrs. Lucille Doyle, Regent. The State Chaplain, Mrs. Richard Standrich, gave the invocation. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mrs. Floyd Timmons. The National Anthem was led by Mrs. Wilma Haring, accompanied by Mrs. Clark Frankenberry. Welcomes were given by Mrs. Lucille Doyle, and Mr. Oris Killebrew, Mayor of Neodesha.

Regent Lucille Doyle introduced State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, who introduced the state officers and chairmen with their reports.

The program was presented by Esther Lowrey, Marais des Cygnes, and Oceanus Hopkins Chapters.

The meeting resumed after lunch with the Daughters' Pledge led by Mrs. McCager Thompson.

The treasurer, Mrs. Donald May, reported a balance of \$84.68. It was voted to donate \$50 toward the purchase of the *"Revolutionary War Pension Abstracts"* books for the KSDAR Library.

Rovella Kerns, Betty Bendorf, and Norma Turner were elected to the District Nominating Committee. Lucille Campbell was elected to serve on the State Nominating Committee.

An invitation for 1994 district meeting was extended by Ann Roark for Marais des Cygnes Chapter.

The benediction was offered by Mrs. Richard Standrich.

SOUTHWEST DISTRICT

Mrs. Charley Shoemake

The Forty-ninth Annual Meeting of the Southwest District KSDAR, convened at 9:30 a.m., September 16, 1993, in the Plaza Inn Hotel, Garden City, Kansas, with Mrs. Wayne Cope, Assistant District Director, presiding.

Following the opening exercises, Mrs. Ralph Patterson, Regent of William Wilson, the hostess chapter, welcomed all present. Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent, gave the response. The State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Officers, and the State Chairmen presented reports. Chapters answering Roll Call were: Cimarron River Valley, Dodge City, Eunice Sterling, Kanza, Martha Loving Ferrell, Randolph Loving and William Wilson.

The minutes of the 1992 Annual Southwest District Meeting were read by Mrs. Larry D. Ream, District Secretary-Treasurer, and approved.

Elections were held for members to serve on the State and District Nominating Committees. Mrs. Louis Hurtig was elected to serve on the State Nominating Committee. Mrs. Milton Thomas, Mrs. Carol McNickle and Mrs. George Milbank were elected to serve on the District Nominating Committee.

The Southwest District donated \$50, in honor of Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, to the KSDAR Library, to apply toward the purchase of a set of *"Revolutionary War Pension Abstracts"* books.

The invitation by the Wichita Chapter to host the 1994 Southwest District Meeting was read and accepted. This will be the Fiftieth Annual Meeting of the Southwest District.

The meeting adjourned at 1:27 p.m.

REPORTS OF CHAPTER REGENTS

ABILENE—Abilene

Mrs. Paul Furbeck

Abilene Chapter gained four new members, three by application and one by transfer, making a total membership of sixty-four.

Our chapter has met all the monetary requirements, including 100% participation in the President General's Project. Stamps and food labels were collected and a cash donation was sent to Veteran Patients in Topeka.

Small United States Flags have been presented to the new members, and an interesting "Flag Fact" is given by the Flag Chairman at alternate meetings. A Resolution is read at the other meetings. Every meeting opens with Devotions, Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and the DAR Ritual. We also have the President General's message and a report on National Defense.

Some of the interesting programs we have had include "Quilts at the DAR Museum," "Restoration of the Steamboat Arabia," "Continental Congress," Dr. Wickman telling about "Fur Traders and Mountain Men," a good presentation about "The Red Cross," and a tour of the historic Seelye Mansion.

We had good representation at the September meeting of the Northwest District, which was held in Clay Center.

We were pleased to have members of Mary Wade Strother Chapter as guests at our June mooting, and in December some of our members attended their luncheon.

ARTHUR BARRETT—Marysville

Mrs. Max H. Gaston

Arthur Barrett Chapter held a Presidents Tea in February to honor one DAR Good Citizen and ninc American Ilistory Essay Contest winners. They received pins, certificates, and American Flags.

The chapter had several programs given by members during the year. The history of hooked rugs was the subject of "Homemaking in Early America" by Mrs. Max Gaston; "In Support of the Constitution" was given by Mrs. Thomas Ray; and "What Is On The Stamps" by Mrs. Dan Musil. A video "Beginning of the Revolution" was viewed. Mike Simmons, local Veterans Representative, told about Veteran Services in Kansas.

The chapter presented the "Excellence in Community Service Award" to Scott Cohorst for his project of mapping and cataloging the Marysville Public Cemetery. The incomplete city records showed approximately 4,500 graves, from 1903 to 1910 were missing. Over 5,400 graves were found and recorded.

Soup labels were collected and gifts were given to the veterans at Christmas. A book "A Century of Service: The Story of DAR" was given to the Beattie Public Library.

We are pleased to have two new Junior members this year, Jennifer Rueger Downard and Louise Blankenship. Lavonne Ungerer was reinstated. Membership totals fifty-six.

ATCHISON—Atchison

Our chapter, though small, has had an enjoyable year. We have had some interesting programs. In September, Kari Torkelson, our Junior member, told of her year spent in Norway as an Exchange Student and exhibited many interesting souvenirs of her trip. She and her family took a trip to Norway this past summer and visited her host family as well as the site of the Winter Olympics. In October, Robert Staley, a local man, told us of the history of the Orphan Train. He was doubly interesting as his mother had been one of the orphans. In December, our State Regent was a guest of the chapter.

We were saddened this January by the death of our Recording Secretary, Laura Bailey. She had been a long and faithful member and will be missed by us all. Marguerite Mueller has graciously consented to accept the position of Recording Secretary.

We do have the promise of a new Junior member when she becomes eighteen this coming year.

BETTY BONNEY—Arkansas City

The Betty Bonney Chapter has twenty-four members, and is trying for more. Many of our members live out of town and are unable to attend the meetings.

Our Christmas program was held in the home of Miss Verna Stuteville. It was a lovely musical program of carols and Christmas songs, given by the Arkansas City High School singers, The Ark Highs.

Our long-time National Defense Chairman, Mrs. Bea Boory, has entertained us with many informative lessons. Patricia Brooks, Chaplain, has given us many lovely devotional thoughts.

One of our long-time members is moving to Georgia, and we will greatly miss Lois Hinsey.

Our Nominating Committee gave us Miss Verna Stuteville to serve as our new Regent for the coming term. She previously served three years, 1971-1973. We will give her all the help we can, as she is an avid devotee to our chapter and to our State and National Societies.

Miss Stuteville is also our long-time DAR Good Citizens Chairman. The lovely high school girl chosen as our DAR Good Citizen was Miss Reagan Noble. Her mother attended the meeting with her.

BETTY WASHINGTON—Lawrence

In September, a motorcade of members from Betty Washington Chapter followed the Santa Fe Trail markers and ended with a picnic at Black Jack Cabin.

All members participated in a National Defense program in October. A Conservation Medal was awarded to Mr. Alvin Fishburn in November, by Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Past Vice President General and Honorary State Regent.

An angels-in-art slide presentation by a Spencer Museum docent was featured at the December luncheon.

Mrs. Maurice W. Maxwell

Mrs. Charles Maxwell

Slides were shown by our member, Mrs. Mary Gordon, of her sixteenth ski trip to Aspen, Colorado, with twelve blind and sight-impaired students. Election of officers and State Conference delegates and alternates was also held.

The February meeting honored the essay winners, their parents and teachers with a brunch at the Watkins Museum.

We have welcomed one member by transfer and one member by application.

We presented two flags, one to the Douglas County Extension Service and one to a Senior Citizens Apartment Complex.

BYRD PREWITT—Ulysses

Mrs. John Shore

Our chapter has gained two new members this year making us twentyeight members. We are at a disadvantage since so many of our members live at a distance and cannot attend our meetings. We have one ninety year old member, Lucile Lewis. She is still active and is interested in current events.

We open our meetings with a Devotional, the Flag Salute, the Daughters' Pledge, one verse of the National Anthem and the Preamble of the Constitution of the United States. We have the President General's message read at each meeting. An article on National Defense is given at each meeting.

Our members are all dedicated to making our country a better place to live and a safer environment for our children.

CAPTAIN JESSE LEAVENWORTH—Leavenworth

Mrs. Oliver I. West, Jr.

This chapter is proud to promote the Society by participating in public events. Numerous visitors signed our guest book during an activities' registration event resulting in the issuance of six invitations to join. At this same event, 500 leaflets on The Constitution and Pledge of Allegiance were distributed to students.

During the annual JROTC award ceremony this chapter recognizes high school students including the presentation of the DAR Bronze Medal for the outstanding graduating cadet.

This chapter also participated in the Veterans Day Parade and has contributed time, laundry bags, cash, cakes, cards and stamps to the veterans at the Eisenhower VA Medical Center.

Programs included information on genealogical research at the LDS Library, Crossnore School as remembered by a former student, a tribute to Kansas presented by the local state senator, and the history and plans of the Haskell Indians Nation University.

Chapter members participated as delegates and Pages in State Conference and Continental Congress and enjoyed the fall Northeast District Meeting. This chapter is honored and proud to have the Kansas Society State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, as a member.

The chapter welcomes four new members and pays tribute to Mrs. Norman K. (Helen) Weimer, a very vivacious 90+ member.

CIMARRON RIVER VALLEY—Liberal

Our programs have been varied and unusual. We have had an accomplished vocalist give a program on Americas' Musical Heritage. She sang songs and gave brief histories of the tunes from Revolutionary times.

A video tape rented from the program office on Whigs and Tories was very interesting to those of us whose ancestors were from the Carolinas.

We visited the Seward County Historical Museum. The new curator is an ambitious speaker with many plans for the museum.

The most unusual program was given by Carl "White Eagle" Barnes. He has been active in collecting and growing extinct corn seeds for over forty years in the quest of preservation and research. This seemed quite appropriate because this is the year of honoring the American Indian and that culture.

The highlight of our year was the May meeting. We had a luncheon and our speaker was Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent. Her talk was on one of her favorite topics, Santa Fe Trail markers. We were also honored because she installed the new officers.

We had our annual garage sale in August. The proceeds help defray costs for activities and donations.

Our year also had a sad side, we lost two faithful members.

COFACHIQUE-Iola

Mrs. David L. Hawn

Constitution Week was celebrated by the Iola Mayor signing the proclamation, radio spots, article in paper, letter to the editor, letters to ministerial alliance, 310 minutes of televised time, ran for ten days on 24 hour cycle, displays in libraries, banks, and stores.

KSDAR State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, visited our chapter in November and gave an inspirational speech about the National Society.

The winners of the American History Essay contest were Nathan Bumstead and Sarah Lower, both from Humboldt.

Cofachique Chapter also sponsored the Good Citizen Contest, the winners were Kevin Bishop and Tammy Tholen. The bronze seal paper weight was presented to the winners at the school presentation program by the chapter regent.

A flag was presented to the Humboldt Historical Society and to the Iola Public Library. The chapter has a Flag and Constitution Minute at each meeting.

Veterans Day was celebrated with an entry in the parade, this was a project that the Junior members worked on.

Clothing and articles were sent to Bacone for Christmas, and soup labels were sent to Tamassee.

This Regent attended State Conference, Continental Congress, the Board of Management and the Southeast District Meetings. Cofachique Chapter has fulfilled all requirements for the Gold Honor Roll.

COUNCIL OAK—Council Grove

Ms. Ernestine Donahue

Interesting roll calls were a part of this past year for the Council Oak Chapter. The 1993 Kansas Society Outstanding Junior, Jody Sellers, shared her video tape, memories, and photos from her April 1993, trip to Washington, D.C. The chapter made a trip to the Allen Town marker site with Santa Fe Trails Association member, Don Cress. The 1993 Resolutions were discussed as were American quilts and the additions to the Herington Museum. Regent, Tene Donahue attended the State Conference and Fall Board of Management meeting.

COURTNEY-SPALDING—Hays Mrs. John Launchbaugh

We end the year with fifty-six members. Two were lost by death and one new member was gained in December.

Several members journeyed to Russell in October to place a DAR marker on the grave of Mabel Lacey.

Along with the Mortar Board organization and the University we raised \$500 in donations to contribute to the George Washington Exhibit. The trees will be planted on the campus of Fort Hays State University

We collect Campbell soup labels and "Stamps for the Wounded."

Two members attended the Northwest District meeting at Clay Center in September.

We had programs on the Constitution, nutrition, the Santa Fe Trail, the role of the National Guard in National Defense and world wide security, the DAR Schools, and nursing in World War II.

At the January meeting the Mayor of Hays spoke about upcoming trash collection and recycling changes. He also stressed the need to continue water conservation.

We celebrated American History Month in February with an Awards Tea and Guest Day. Awards were presented to two essay contest winners, and one Good Citizen. We had speakers from DAR and SAR to brief us on the goals and activities of both organizations.

The March program will be about American Women in History.

DESIRE TOBEY SEARS—Mankato

Mrs. Raymond Lange

Desire Tobey Sears Chapter is honored to have member Peggy Spafford serve as the State Organizing Secretary. State Regent, Ruth Keys Clark, was a special guest at the annual Flag Day Observance and Guest Day in June. At this meeting we recognized our chapter Good Citizen Billi Loomis, Jewell High School.

Our programs for the year were varied and included a presentation by the area wildlife representative on eagles and other wildlife at the area lakes. Mrs. Barb Oplinger, Jewell, a KARL participant, (Kansas Agricultural Rural Life program) gave a very informative presentation on her trip to Russia by the State group. Mrs. Spafford reported on attending Continental Congress in 1993.

Victorian clothing came "alive" when the promotional group of Superior, Nebraska, modeled replicas of Victorian clothing. "Keeping Your Treasures" - prolonging the life of photos and valuable papers, Little Known Kansas Facts, The Service of Dogs in the Military, Work Done by NSDAR for National Defense in Times Past, Updates on the Literacy program, along with Constitution Week and American History month observance, American Indians, Valentine Card History and schools were topics. Labels and canceled stamps were sent to schools and veterans.

DODGE CITY—Dodge City

Mrs. Louis Hurtig

In August our State Regent and State Historian joined the Dodge City Chapter in rededicating the Santa Fe Trail marker on the Wright Road. It had been knocked off the base and was reset as an Eagle Scout project. Those attending the ceremony met at the Wright City Park afterwards for a social.

Our chapter remains active in many phases of DAR. We are proud to be custodians of the KSDAR Library. Your Library moved last Fall, along with the Kansas Genealogical Library, to the new location in the lower level of Village Square Mall. The area is much larger, well-lighted and comfortable. We invite everyone to visit and research. Our Dodge City Chapter members responded to the need and purchased four new shelving units.

During the year we lost four faithful members. Grave markers were placed for them. We have two new members and look forward to more.

We placed a permanent flag display in an outside window-box at the Ford County Government Center on Central Avenue and Wyatt Earp Boulevard.

DAR Good Citizen, American History Essay Contest, and JAC Awards were given at our George Washington Day Tea in February.

EMPORIA—Emporia

Dr. Marylouise Dunham Meder

The 81st year of Emporia Chapter, NSDAR, has been a year of accomplishment. Jane Hammer received a Certificate of Recognition for her efforts during Constitution Week. Darren Haag, sixth grade winner of the American History Essay Contest, won at the State level. The chapter received Honorable Mention on the Honor Roll.

Chapter membership remains at sixty-four. During the year we welcomed three new members but lost three old ones. Another member joined our growing group on ninety and above.

Members enjoyed a number of fine programs on historical, education, or patriotic topics. Chapter members prepared and presented most of these. An illustrated talk on the American Flag and a video procured from Monticello on Thomas Jefferson were highlights:

Southeast District Director, Mrs. Lucille Campbell, attended our March 1993, meeting and in November, State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, addressed the group.

Our National Defense Chairman is faithful in keeping members abreast of current developments in this area. The same individual did an outstanding job in promoting the Constitution during Constitution Week.

Members of this chapter have attended state and district meetings; contributed knitted items, stamps, cards, and money for veterans; planted trees, bushes and bulbs, saved cans and paper; honored an ROTC Cadet; painted a DAR Santa Fe Trail marker; and participated in a literacy program.

This year we have fulfilled all requirements necessary for Honor Roll consideration. The chapter flourishes because of the dedication and commitment of its members.

ESTHER LOWREY—Independence

Mrs. Earl B. Kirchoff

Esther Lowrey met the required six times during the year, with an average attendance of twenty-five members. This is from a total membership of seventy-three. Three valued long-time members were lost by death.

At the June meeting at the home of Mrs. Dale Crooks, Parsons, Kansas, the program was presented by Lt. Col. Frank Jordan, Administrative head of the Army Ammunition Plant. He stated the U. S. Army celebrates its 218th birthday on June 14, 1994. He suggested the Army cannot and should not be the world's policeman, but stands ready in a leadership role.

Mayor Mike Sellers of Independence, signed a Constitution Week Proclamation, Radio Station KIND read spot announcements during the week, and the Independence News carried a one-half front page article.

Three members attended the Southeast Kansas District meeting in Neodesha.

In October, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent, presented the program, "To Enlighten the Chapter Members."

On November 11, 1993, the officers presented a flag to Sirloin Stockade for their meeting room, a flag that had flown over the Capitol. The pole and base were made by a veteran and donated by the VFW Auxiliary.

In February, the Good Citizen Chairman introduced two girls, one from Parsons, and one from Independence High School, both of whom were presented Certificates of Award and gift certificates.

Forty-four boys and girls entered the American History Essay Contest. First place winners from Parsons and Cherryvale read their essays. All entrants received certificates and flag pins.

EUNICE STERLING—Wichita

Mrs. William S. Shropshire

Eunice Sterling received the Gold Honor Roll and completing major requirements thanks to dedicated Board members, Chapter Chairmen and members.

Eunice Sterling awarded the Good Citizens Pin and Certificate, and was proud to award member Mrs. Robert Walters, the "Outstanding Community Service Pin and Certificate," and Mrs. Thurmon Mayhew the "Conservation Medal and Certificate." Two new Junior American Citizen Clubs are active. Three 25-year Certificates were presented. Eunice Sterling is in the final step of placing grave markers for two past Chapter Regents that were also past State Regents, Mrs. W. E. Stanley and Mrs. Elmer E. Huffman.

Our annual Tea was attended by Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent. The annual Christmas Bazaar was a success thanks to our Finance Chairman, Mrs. Robert Walters, and all of our membership. Work at the Veterans Hospital and Naturalization Court by dedicated members continues each year. Constitution Week and American History month were observed. The Chapter Regent attended the signing of Proclamations at both the Wichita City Council and Sedgwick County Courthouse.

The chapter was represented at the State Conference, Southwest District Meeting, Fall Tour, and Continental Congress. As Regent I am proud of Eunice Sterling Chapter as it tries to achieve the goals of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

FLORES DEL SOL—Wichita

Mrs. Melvin Cattrell

The 1993-1994 activities of the chapter started in August with the presentation of 260 small American Flags to the children enrolled in the Summer Reading Program at the Haysville Community Library.

The Annual Membership Tea was held September 12, 1993, at the home of our past Regent, Mrs. Leslie Odevseff. Kathryn Compton informed the gathering of Bylaw changes.

Our meetings are held at 9:30 a.m., the first Saturday of the month. This concept has been well received as it negates another nighttime meeting.

In October we visited the Midwest Genealogical Society where several of our members are very active.

We mourn the loss of one of our newer, but very supportive member, Mrs. Alice Grubbs. Alice was the National Defense Chairman for our chapter.

We were very fortunate to have two programs from the Kansas Humanities Program this year. First, Dr. Loren Pennington of Emporia State University, gave us "The Real Ike," and in April, Professor Joyce Sullentrop of Kansas Newman College enlightened us about "Women and Health Myths."

A dedicated United States Flag was presented at the opening of the new library in Haysville. We filled ditty bags for the veteran patients, kept the garden at the V.A. Nursing Home full of plants, where some of our members see that the garden is well cared for, and donated 150 books to the V.A. Hospital Library.

It has been a very full year and we had papers approved for seven new members this year.

FORT LARNED—Larned

Mrs. Roy E. Arnold

The chapter was honored to be the hostess chapter for the Fall Pilgrimage in September.

Constitution Week was publicized with a display in a store window and spot announcements by radio and local newspaper. "Care Given The Constitution In Washington, D.C.," was the title of our program.

Other outstanding programs included "Wild Life and Conservation," "Spirit Of The Old West," and "Researching My Genealogy."

State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, was our guest in May and presented a program on "Santa Fe Trail Markers."

Three members received twenty-five year certificates. The graves of two deceased members were marked with family members attending the memorial ceremonies.

Our chapter was represented at the Northwest District Meeting and State Conference.

A guest night in October, and Flag Day luncheon and guest day were held to interest prospective members.

DAR Good Citizens' certificates and pins were presented to two high school seniors. We continue to donate generously to the Wichita Veterans Hospital at Christmas and to collect "Stamps for the Wounded." One-hundred fourteen pages of genealogical records were sent to the State Chairman.

The chapter has promoted conservation by feeding wildlife, planting trees and flowers, recycling paper, glass, cans, and plastic.

FOUR WINDS—Garnett

Mrs. Howard R. Walker

Four Winds membership is sixteen. We gained three new members by application of whom two are Juniors. In October, a faithful charter member, Jaunita Hunt Moody, died. Knowing that she was very ill, she had earlier given the chapter a \$1,000 gift to help keep the chapter alive. She also requested that memorial money go to either the local library or to Four Winds DAR. How that money will be used has not yet been decided. As customary in our chapter, we gave a DAR marker for her grave.

Four Winds has had many interesting programs. We especially enjoyed having State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark make her official visit in November and talk on Women in the Revolution. The chapter continued their usual projects of Good Citizen, History Essay Contest and the flag award. They collected items for the veterans and sent Christmas gifts to the students at Bacone. They give a subscription to the DAR Magazine to the Garnett Library. With more finances, Four Winds Chapter has tried for honor roll, hoping to be a gold chapter.

GENERAL EDWARD HAND—Ottawa Mrs. Harold Key Stevens

Through efforts of our Notification Committee, we are enjoying an increase in attendance.

Our membership is 104. We present new members with subscriptions to the DAR Magazine. We gained two new members but lost two: Miss Lucretia Spears, 102, member since 1991, and Mrs. Benjamin Carter, 97, member since 1953.

Our Program Committee continued to delight us. At our first meeting, member Mrs. Wayne Reichard, who had dreamed of becoming an artist and

started taking lessons at age 60+, displayed some of her paintings. (Another of her dreams was realized recently when her three daughters became DAR members.)

Recipient of our \$200 Good Citizen Scholarship was Stephanie Chandler, a senior at Central Heights. Certificates and pins were awarded to Sara Knop and Shawnee Bolei of Pomona and Williamsburg High Schools.

Four Ottawa High School juniors were honored with American History certificates and desk flags: Molly Denton, Blaine Finch, David Klingele, and Rochelle Servatius.

A medal was presented to an AFROTC student at the University of Kansas.

We achieved our three-year goal of microfilms for Seimes in one year through the efforts of our Registrar.

Our Chaplain inspired us with her short, meaningful devotions each month.

GOOD-LAND—Goodland

Mrs. Verla Carroll

Good-Land Chapter has forty-three members. Meetings are once a month, with the hostesses choosing the place to meet. Usually there are twelve to fifteen members attending the meetings, with representation from Goodland, Sharon Springs, Brewster, and Wallace, Kansas, also Burlington, Colorado.

Programs have followed the guidelines with themes of Historical, Patriotic, and Educational. Some examples are: World War II, Indian Life, The Constitution, Kansas Wildlife, Know Your Libraries, and Genealogy. A National Defense program is given each year, and also five minute reports at each meeting.

Members of our chapter took part in Memorial Day Services at the Ft. Wallace Cemetery, a historical cemetery, which dates back to Indian days. An "Avenue of Flags," containing twenty-one flags, has been erected there, and one of our members helps fly them each holiday. Several members have planted windbreak and ornamental trees, and some are very active in recycling.

Our Veterans' Service Chairman is a dedicated person, and has sewn numerous ditty bags, lap robes, laundry bags, etc., for our veterans. We have also given comfort items for this purpose. A United States Flag, which had flown over our nation's Capitol, was presented to the Carnegie Arts Center in Goodland.

ISABELLA WELDIN—Augusta

Mrs. John D. Afton

Our chapter has been designated as a Commemorative Community by the Department of Defense, World War II Commemorative Committee. The three activities for 1993, were "Spring Fling" at the Wichita VA Hospital, window display in Augusta during November of World War II articles and an editorial in "The Augusta Daily Gazette" on November 11, 1993, about Lee Curtis Belt who was KIA during World War II.

The Community Service Award was presented to Kenneth Dill of Augusta, a very deserving citizen. The topic of our National Defense speaker, Mike Pulice, a Special Agent of the U. S. Secret Service, was "Speak Softly and Carry a Big Stick."

Gunder Swendson, seventh grade student of Augusta Middle School was the chapter winner of the Santa Fe Trail writing contest. Shelli McFadden, fifth grade student of Seal Elementary at Douglass was the American History Essay winner. Winners of the JAC Poster Contest from Haverhill School were Joseph Estas, third grade; David Gardner, fourth grade; and Tim Nickel, fifth grade. All three students were second place winners in state competition.

Our American Heritage program was an "Americana Musical" by Mrs. Lucille Campbell, Southeast District Director. "The Sounds of Christmas Past" with a display of antiques was given by Mrs. Betty Peak. Our chapter members were guests of the Susannah French Putney Chapter at a luncheon in the Purple Room of Butler County Community College.

JAMES ROSS—Kansas City

Mrs. Paul H. Lawhead

Our September meeting was celebrated by presenting ten members with twenty-five year certificates. Our October meeting was about the Oregon Trail by James Fisher of the "Kansas City Star" who participated in the trip. Phil Barbour, husband of our Vice Regent and a SAR member, presented articles that were used on the Trail. A reminder in November, about how important Literacy is in this day and age, was given by a leader of Cross Lines, which teaches the Laubach method.

Evelyn Krause, one of our twenty-five year members showed us and told about her Antique Dolls. The January topic was income tax, given by our own member who recently retired from the Income Revenue Service.

At the February meeting we will each tell our own memories, after fifty years, of World War II. In March a speaker from Sagamore Chapter will speak on "Charters of Freedom."

We will join the Wyandot Chapter in April and have a report on the Continental Congress by Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, our State Regent.

We presented certificates and Good Citizenship Medal and made a donation to the Museum Gallery in Washington, D.C. We participated in events at the Eisenhower Veterans Hospital and made many donations of time, articles and food. We feed birds and donate to wild life and plants. We are represented at the Regents' Round Table, the Fall and District meetings and have two prospective members.

JANE DEAN COFFEY—Coffeyville Mrs. Claude R. Kimbrel

The Jane Dean Coffey Chapter, of Coffeyville, Kansas, was saddened by the deaths of three members this program year, Miss Elizabeth Jack Hyer, our Librarian, Mrs. Paul Cruit, former Historian, and Mrs. Barbara Kiser Smoot.

It was our pleasure to welcome Mrs. Barbara Stope and Mrs. Deborah Stope Harris as new members of the chapter.

This being the Year of the Woman, our programs were centered around that theme. All of our speakers were women who had distinguished themselves in their field of politics, philosophy, teaching, horticulture, our State Regent, and our own gifted members. Happily, this year even our DAR Good Citizen was a young woman of fine achievements. The single exception to our programing theme was our guest from the Kansas National Guard.

We were represented at the Continental Congress by Mrs. James Sylvester who lives in that area.

JEREMIAH HOWARD—Great Bend Mrs. Raymond Schreiber

Chapter members and prospective members enjoyed an informal coffee in August. We reviewed the Resolutions of the 102nd Continental Congress. Several members attended the meeting in Larned and were treated to a wonderful talk by Dr. Clapsaddle.

Programs this year included the personal experiences of a retired Naval Officer who had served with Admiral Nimitz during World War II; and the story of the dedicated work of a family in excavating dinosaur bones right here in Kansas. We plan a trip to Abilene to visit an historical home and museum.

Permission was obtained to move a Santa Fe Trail marker, which had stood for 87 years near our railroad station, and was in danger of being removed and/or destroyed. It is now in a prominent place near our Courthouse, and is cleaned so the inscription is again readable. Rededication of this marker is planned for May.

Our chapter gained three new members this past year; two are Juniors. Our Constitution Week display was well received as were editorials for American History Month and the Santa Fe Trail. Flag Codes will be distributed in May to all third grade students in our local schools.

It has been a very good year and membership participation has been excellent.

JOHN ATHEY—Oakley

Mrs. Francis Hurst

The John Athey Chapter has forty-seven members, meeting in Atwood, Hoxie, Oakley, and Quinter the third Saturday of each month except June and July. We lost one member, Ethel Hockersmith, a former regent, by death.

We enjoyed Shirley Coupal, Northwest District Director, and her mother, Betty Coupal, at the April 17, 1993, Oakley meeting. Shirley gave an interesting talk about her trip to Continental Congress and Betty invited us to the next District Meeting in Clay Center.

The chapter was honored to have Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark at our September 18, 1993, meeting and a 100th birthday celebration for Hazel Hughes. Hazel fell a short time before her birthday, but cards, flowers, and a gift reached her at her Oakley home. Mrs. Clark gave an interesting talk on citizenship to the John Athey and Good-Land Chapters.

The Regent, Florine Hurst, attended the Northwest District meeting in Clay Center, September 14, 1993. Florine was nominated to the District Nominating Committee along with Thyra Fager of Abilene and Susan B. Kaufman of Moundridge.

The John Athey Chapter is happy to announce that Mrs. Joanne Emerich of Hoxie has been selected "Kansas Outstanding American History Teacher" for 1994. Plans are made for the Regent and Mrs. Emerich to attend the State Conference March 14-16, 1994, at Lawrence.

JOHN HAUPT—Topeka

Mrs. Albert R. Hagemann

John Haupt Chapter had the privilege of having Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark as our honored guest and speaker at the May meeting. Mrs. Clark also installed the new chapter officers for 1993-1995.

On July 24, 1993, the chapter dedicated a bronze marker at the grave sites of former Governor Samuel Crawford and his son-in-law, former Governor and later United States Senator Arthur Capper in the historic Topeka Cemetery.

We were saddened by the death of the John Haupt Chapter Organizing Regent in April, 1993. Although Louise Haupt Plyley Smith had lived out of state for many years, she kept her membership in the chapter that she organized and each year wrote a cheerful, positive letter of encouragement. We will miss her.

First and second place winners of the Good Citizen Award were guests at our February meeting and each received a monetary award along with a pin and certificate.

Applicants for the Kansas DAR Scholarship, Elizabeth M. Hill Kessler Scholarship and the Irene and Daisy MacGregor Memorial Scholarship were sponsored by our chapter.

This has been a busy and rewarding year.

JONATHAN GILBERT—LaCrosse Mrs. Francis McGaughey

Our May meeting is traditionally a luncheon in Hays along with a tour of the local art museums.

In July we attended and provided refreshments for the Ness County Historical Society Workshop on genealogy. This workshop was under the sponsorship of the State DAR Lineage Research Chairman, Roberta Hagemann, to recruit new members. We ordered lineage packets to encourage new members. One has her papers almost complete.

An organizing member, Dorothy Humburg, died in September.

We particularly enjoyed attending the Pilgrimage in September at the Santa Fe Trail Center in Larned. The luncheon speaker, Dr. David Clappsaddle, held everyone spellbound with his portrayal of Mr. Bent. The video "A Century of Service to the Nation" was obtained for use from the State Program Chairman in October.

A patriotic program on Betsy Ross was well received. Betsy married three men all of whom gave their lives for the American Revolution.

As a small chapter we continue to struggle, but we remain optimistic.

KANZA-St. John

Mrs. Carol McNickle

It was a busy and exciting year for Kanza Chapter. In October we had a booth at the Stafford Oktoberfest to advertisc our Genealogy Workshop and to distribute DAR literature.

Mrs. Robert Schweiger, State Registrar; Mrs. John Afton, State Treasurer; and Mrs. Albert Hagemann, State Lineage Research Chairman, were in Stafford, November 5, 1993, for our Genealogy Workshop. Expert information was shared by them with some twenty two participants. Many toured the Stafford County Museum in Stafford in the afternoon.

The public and special guests were invited for Veterans Day, November 11, 1993, to a program honoring our World War I Veterans at the Leisure Homestead, Stafford. The Medal of Honor was presented to World War I Veteran, Ralph Garey and posthumously for Adolph Bill to Mary, his wife. Mr. Bill died just a few days before the planned ceremony. It was standing-room only for this occasion.

World War II Veterans were honored with a breakfast and program in February. The story of the Four Chaplains and the Chapel of Four Chaplains was given by Kanza Chapter members. Each veteran told of his branch of scrvice and where he served. Slides were shown and experiences shared by Judy Williams Algrim, (Mrs. Tracy), of Wichita, a nurse and veteran of Desert Storm.

Thirteen books will be placed in the KSDAR Library in memory of Nellie Forrester Symns (Mrs. Charles), by Kanza Chapter. The Chapter also placed the "<u>Patriot Index</u>" in the three Stafford County Libraries and in the Stafford County Historical and Genealogical Museum Library in Stafford, in memory of Ruth Nolf Russell, (Mrs. Orrin). Memorials had been established for these two members to Kanza Chapter.

Two Good Citizens were honored in April. The American Flag was presented to a home for the handicapped in June. Members attended State and District meetings.

We have gained one member by application, Sharon Mather Wagner, (Mrs. Paul). We lost four by death this year.

LITTLE ARKANSAS—Valley Center

Mrs. Charles Hackney

Little Arkansas Chapter is honored that our Organizing Chapter Regent, Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, was elected to the office of Vice President General, NSDAR. Our chapter made the table decorations for the DAR Spring Fling held at the Wichita Veterans Medical Center. The Boy Scout Troop 494, were our guests when Jodie Gregg gave the National Defense Program on Desert Storm.

A one minute report on Conservation and a Constitution Fact is given at each meeting. Window displays commemorated Constitution Week and American History Month. The chapter is 100% for the President General's Project. The Good Citizenship Award was awarded to a student, and a United States Flag was presented to a school in Wichita by our chapter.

We were honored to have State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, make her official visit in October.

Members recycled Newspapers—4,000 pounds; Glass—550 pounds; Aluminum Cans—215 pounds; and Telephone Books—50 pounds. Seventyfive Sunflower Plants yielded 200 pounds of bird seed, and members purchased two bird feeders for Conservation.

The chapter cleaned two highway miles in the "Adopt-a-Highway Program"; and contributed Campbell soup labels—650; and Stamps for the Wounded—1 1/2 pounds. We sent 188 pages of Genealogical Records to the State Chairman.

The members will celebrate two special birthdays in May, Mrs. Leona Thompson will be 91 and Mrs. Dorothy Miles will be 90 years old.

Mrs. Fred Stockstill is serving as State Press Book Chairman during this administration.

LITTLE OSAGE TRAIL—Derby

Mrs. Timothy Killingsworth

During Constitution Week and the month of February, the Derby City Library and the Derby Hills Elementary School Library displayed items about the Constitution, flags, and information about DAR.

Lesa Killingsworth helped a local Webelo's Den earn their Citizenship pin by talking about flag history and etiquette. She also talked about our National Anthem and what it means to be a United States citizen.

Our chapter has enjoyed several programs throughout the year. Some of these topics were: "POW's and MIA's" given by Gary Magner, President of Wichita Vietnam Veterans; "My Favorite Rock Collection," by Corrine Afton; "Religious Freedom and our Constitution," by Mark Powell; and "Indian Trail: The Hidden Highways of the Kansas Prairie," by Donald J. Blakeslee.

Representation for our chapter was at both State Conference and Continental Congress.

Our Patriotic Program from the previous year entitled "POW's and MIA's IN SOUTHEAST ASIA," received a second place award from National.

Our chapter presented to the Superintendent, Dr. Melva Owens, an American Flag for the new Derby High School.

We have had one Junior member added this year with two additional members hopefully by the start of our September meeting.

LOIS WARNER—Junction City

Much interest has been added in the chapter this year through our roll call at each meeting. Outstanding programs enjoyed this year were: "Pioneer Christmas," presented by the director of the Geary County Historical Museum; "Remembering Our Kansas Heritage," by one of our own members; and "Our Country Divided," given by the local librarian. Lois Warner Chapter follows the Honor Roll guidelines in program planning, including historical, educational and patriotic themes.

The chapter sadly reported the deaths of two members. We gained one new member this year by application. Our chapter has twenty-nine members plus two associate members.

Spot radio announcements were sponsored during Constitution Week and American History Month.

Members participated in the 21-Day Flag Salute from June 14 to July 4. Collection of soup labels was continued this year.

Each year we present the DAR ROTC Medal to an outstanding cadet from the Junction City High School. The presentation takes place at the Leader's Club in Fort Riley.

Our February meeting was a guest day luncheon. This is an annual celebration honoring the birthdays of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln.

We are looking forward to our May meeting when KSDAR State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, will be our special guest.

MARAIS DES CYGNES—Paola

Mrs. Charles H. Freeman

The Southeast District meeting was attended by the Regent and eight members. We presented a humorous patriotic skit.

This Regent was very proud to present the Silver Honor Roll to her chapter in October in recognition of their hard work. We presented a framed picture of the Signers of the Constitution to the Osawatomie Junior High School during Constitution Week.

Our chapter donated twenty-three laundry bags and ten pair of knitted booties to Colmery-O'Neil Veterans Medical Center. The American Flag was presented to Louisburg Improvement Association. We had a DAR Kansas Day Booth at Paola High School. Six hundred thirty-six soup labels were sent to Kate Duncan Smith School.

We presented a Good Citizens Pin, Certificate and wallet card to Mark Buckingham of Louisburg. He and his parents were our guests at the February meeting.

In April, we will join the General Edward Hand Chapter for lunch at the Ottawa Country Club.

Our Southeast District Director will give a patriotic musical program at the May meeting.

We have had good programs this year and have taken in two new members. Our chapter has had good newspaper coverage and radio time.

It has been a privilege to serve this chapter as Regent.

MARTHA LOVING FERRELL—Wichita Mrs. William Stephens

The chapter had many extremely interesting programs. One of our most requested speakers was Dr. Philip Thomas, a Wichita State University faculty member, who spoke on the "Sagebrush and Canvas." The ferry pilot of World War II, Mrs. Mickey Axton, intrigued us. A Wichita native, Mrs. Axton was a member of the WASP's, and flew new airplanes before the men did, in order to test whether or not the planes were safe. During 1993, she was honored at many reunions and commemorative events, including the Vietnam Memorial in Washington, D.C. Dr. Forrest Robinson, of Winfield, will give his interpretation of Abraham Lincoln at our February meeting. At the same meeting our Good Citizen, Alicia Rivas, will be presented with her pin, \$20, and the book "A Century of Service—The Story of DAR." When the Public Broadcasting Television Station invited DAR members to answer telephones, during a financial drive, Judi Myers represented our chapter. The Wichita VA Hospital and Bacone College received much of our interests during the year.

We attended Proclamation ceremonies for Constitution Week and American History Month. Materials on the Flag of the United States of America, in the form of bookmarks and posters, were placed in the public schools. A book "Star Spangled Banner: Our Nation and it's Flag," by Margaret Sedeen, published by the National Geographic Society, was given to the Colvin Elementary School, which has a combination school-public library.

MARTHA VAIL—Anthony

Mrs. Charley Shoemake

As dedicated DAR members we have fulfilled the requirements for the Honor Roll to the best of our abilities. We have paid the President General's Project in full.

Our programs have been interesting this year. Three of the most outstanding ones were: Betty Amick presented slide show on "Barns in Kansas," Byron Walker, retired Fish and Game Area Manager, gave a program on the "Flora and Fauna" of our State, and Katie Davis, our Junior member, gave an informative program on "Signing."

We promoted Constitution Week and American History month. We also entertained our Good Citizens and their parents at our March meeting. Pins and certificates were presented to the Good Citizens. Twenty dozen cookies, valued at \$60 (\$3 per dozen), were sent to the Veterans Hospital in Wichita, in addition to the money we gave.

We have five (5) members over 90 years of age; our member, Mrs. Helen Watts turned 102 in February. The Chapter Regent attended the 101st birthday party for member Mrs. Helen Pearl and presented her with flowers from the chapter.

We have lost three (3) members by death; one resigned due to ill health; and we have papers pending for one. We also have a new associate member.

MARY WADE STROTHER—Salina

Members of Mary Wade Strother were happy to have State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, make her official visit in May and report on the 1993 Continental Congress and goals for the coming year. Chapter officers elected for the 1993-1995 term were installed at this meeting.

We regret the loss of three long-time members by death and two by resignation. We have gained one Junior member and two others by application and several others are working on application papers.

The chapter has enjoyed outstanding programs during the year. One member shared a video of the marine journey she and her husband took "Going the Columbus Route," during the celebration of the Columbus Quincentennial. At the October joint meeting with Bennington Chapter, SAR, on a Sunday noon at the Brunswick Hotel in Lindsborg, a member gave a light-hearted dissertation "Skeletons in the Closet." Members of Abilene Chapter were invited to the Christmas luncheon. Our Registrar decorated the tables with ovor fifty music boxes and shared the history of music boxes. At the close of her talk she invited everyone to turn on the one in front of them, the resulting medley was a delight to all present. Toys were given to DVAK.

An ROTC medal was presented in May to an outstanding student at St. John's Military School. In January, chapter members joined the students for lunch at the school. The regular meeting followed the meal and the school president, Capt. A. E. 'Skip' McAlexander, presented a National Defense message.

Good Citizen winners from soven area schools and two American History essayists and their mothers were honored at the February tea which was held at the Salina Country Club.

This year DAR Schools receive our memorial money, twenty boxes of good used clothing weighing 370 pounds, and 779 Campbell labels were sent to Tamassee and Kate Duncan Smith.

With a dedicated corp of officers and many willing and able members, Mary Wade Strother is looking forward to another productive year.

MINISA—Wichita

Mrs. Donald F. Seefeld

This chapter lost five members this year, two by death, three by resignation and one by transfer. We had one new member by application. Papers for two others are being researched.

We participated in Constitution Week and American History Month by attending the signing of the Proclamations by both City and County. Two out of town members had Proclamations signed and displayed in their towns. We also helped with the DAR Spring Fling at the Wichita Veterans Hospital and donated magazines to their library.

The State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, made her official visit at our September meeting. Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Past Vice President General and Honorary State Regent, presented the October program about her "Visit to Continental Congress." Everyone helped with our Indian Program by bringing and telling about their favorite piece of Indian Jewelry. A collection was taken and sent to Bacone College. This was in addition to the money allotted in the chapter budget.

Thirty-four pages of original source material were sent for the Genealogical Records.

We worked on Conservation with five members feeding over 1000 pounds of bird seed, two members planting three "Memorial Trees," and all others helping with recycling.

We helped with Naturalization by handing out flags when needed and giving the "DAR Manuals for Citizenship."

MISSION HILLS—Mission Hills

Mrs. Leslie Eichem

Mission Hills Chapter welcomed four new members, one of whom was a transfer. We have one Life Member and five Organizing Members, two of whom are over ninety. We have five prospective members. Although we are growing in number we still meet in homes of members with a salad luncheon.

Each April, we entertain veteran patients at Leavenworth with a bingo party. Hand knitted caps, ditty bags, laundry bags and quarters are given for prizes. We gave fifty dollars (\$50) at Christmas for coupon books. We joined two local chapters in attending Naturalization Ceremonies and serving refreshments to the new citizens, their families and friends.

Our programs have been interesting and informative. "Fashion in Colonial Times" was a fun program and "South Africa" by Kirk Perncea was of great interest.

We owe a debt of gratitude to Mrs. James Masson for taking over as Chairman of the American History Committee.

The essay response has been most gratifying with more than fifty entries. We entertained two essay winners, their parents, one teacher and one grandmother at our Patriotic Luncheon in February.

We gave a DAR Baby Spoon to Grant Allen Wolfe, infant son of DAR member, Kate Mordy Wolfe.

MOLLY FOSTER BERRY—Fort Scott

Mrs. Ralph French

Molly Foster Berry Chapter spent an eventful year. We studied Ellis Island on video and heard National Guardsmen discuss national security. Chapter members toured the Linn County Museum; trudged down the Santa Fe Trail with Southeast District Director, Lucille Campbell; and saw an original play-let by our Program Chairman. The members of Cofachique Chapter were Christmas guests for a musical program. The Presidents Day Luncheon, in February, was highlighted by American History Essay and Youth Citizenship Awards and the honoring of nine chapter members that have been members of DAR for forty years or more.

We practiced conservation, supported DAR Schools, saved stamps and soup labels, appreciated Colonial Art and prayed for strength and leadership in our Country. The chapter presented a "DAR MANUAL FOR CITIZENSHIP," to a recent immigrant, U.S. Flags to our city, and funds to our National Cemetery land expansion.

Our greater participation in community projects has begun to bring rewards, not only in added membership, but in the recognition and appreciation of the goals of our National Society.

NATHAN EDSON—Clay Center

Mrs. Warren Coupal

A most enjoyable Northwest District meeting was hosted by Nathan Edson Chapter at the St. Peter and Paul Catholic Parish Center, in Clay Center, on September 14, 1994. This was the first Northwest District meeting hosted by our chapter since 1955.

Nathan Edson met National requirements with Mayor Proclamations and public displays for Flag; Constitution Week; American History Essay Contest; and National Defense. The chapter honored Good Citizen and 4-H students. New Chapter Bylaws were written and will be included in the next Chapter Yearbook.

The Sixtieth Anniversary of Nathan Edson Chapter was celebrated November 20, 1993, with a program and reception at the St. Peter and Paul Catholic Parish Center. Special invited guests included State Officers, Committee Chairmen and Chapter Regents of the Northwest District. Charter member, Charlotte Buchmann Stagner, recalled chapter history: The chapter had to wait for her to have her eighteenth birthday before it could organize, as she was the twelfth member needed for organization. There was a "little" controversy over the chapter name between two of the ladies. It was resolved that the chapter would be named after the Chapters' first Regent, Mrs. Vernon Vay Noy's, Revolutionary Ancestor, Nathan Edson.

State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, made her official visit to our Sixtieth Anniversary and as a guest speaker, gave interesting excerpts from the "KSDAR Annual Report and Proceedings," about the many DAR activities over past years.

The first time in years, the chapter invited fifth and sixth grade students of St. Pius X Catholic School, to enter the American Essay Contest and the Santa Fe Trail Essay Contest. The chapter is proud to have a State winner, Matthew Kellerman, a fifth grade student. The chapter selected Mrs. Susan Lee as our nominee for the Outstanding American History Teacher contest.

Nathan Edson is proud to have three members serving the Kansas Society, DAR during this administration: Shirley Coupal, Northwest District Director and Conference Marshal; Mrs. Kevin D. Smith (Jean), Junior Membership Committee Chairman; and Mrs. Warren Coupal, 1993 KSDAR State Conference Chairman.

Our Sixtieth year has been a wonderful "HALLMARK DAR YEAR."

NEODESHA-Neodesha

Mrs. Daniel A. Doyle

We were happy to be the hostess chapter for the Southeast District meeting. The State Regent joined us for Veterans Day Parade, we saved stamps for the Veteran Patients, located one World War I Veteran, encouraged flying the Flag for twenty-one days, and ordered a set of the new "Patriot Index" books for the local library.

Programs were about Electric Conservation; Constitution Week; Indian Myths and Legends; and slides from "New Hampshire Toy Attic."

Memorial service was held for deceased members, we aided a new citizen with the "DAR Manual for Citizenship," book and gave copies to local libraries. The chapter presented a Community Service Award, nominated a teacher for Outstanding Teacher of American History, and entered published article in Public Relations contest.

Fruit baskets were delivered to shut-in members. Soup labels and other items were delivered to Bacone College. Two members attended State Conference. Money for special projects raised with voices on a quilt and an afghan. Good Citizen contest entries were honored at the March meeting. This year the membership increased. The Chapter Scrapbook was retired at the end of 80 years and a new one started.

Chapter entry for American History Essay on fifth grade level won at State, at Division and placed third at the National level. Displays were placed at the library and in a store window for Constitution Week and American History Month.

NEWTON—Newton

Mrs. Richard E. Walker

This past year began with a light-hearted book review program presented by Ms. Lucile Lukens on "*The Famous DAR Murder Mystery*." In April, DAR Museum Correspondent Docent Mrs. Edith Crispino, gave a slide presentation. Our May meeting was a wonderful brunch with a program on foods.

September was a full month with our first meeting a celebration of Constitution Week and a patriotic program on the American Flag. In October, we enjoyed a program by a local young lady, in authentic period costume, on the Renaissance. Our annual Thanksgiving dinner was shared by all, served by the Trinity Heights United Methodist Women, and an excellent program was given on Equus Bed Water Management by the District Director, Mr. Mike Dealy.

The chapter was saddened by the loss of three DAR Daughters, Nellie Sergeant, Maurine Godwin and Ione Graybill. Also, two members resigned and one transferred to the chapter in Lyons, Kansas.

We have, however, welcomed two new members, Betty Hess and Bonnie Schroeder.

In keeping with our spirit of conservation, our chapter donated a flowering pear tree to the City of Newton.

NINNESCAH—Pratt

The Ninnescah Chapter, KSDAR, had a good and informative year, even though most of our members live elsewhere and only a few members of advanced age and poor health take part.

Our report of Continental Congress is the next best thing to being there, since most of us live too far away or cannot afford to go. In October, we had an excellent report of all the DAR Schools. We are in awe and filled with pride at all they do. In November, we met at the Golden Corral for our Annual Thanksgiving Dinner. Our delightful guest was the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, who spoke on "Women in the American Revolution." For January, we took a tour along the Santa Fe Trail by slides and a report. We enjoyed Parkwood Village, a great retirement facility located in Pratt, Kansas. Good Citizen, Jodi Honeman, was honored in February, and the program, "Thomas Jefferson, Designing President-Scientist." "The Challenges America Faces Today," was the National Defense program for March. In April, we showed and enjoyed our families most cherished keepsakes. A large American Flag was donated to the "Avenue of Flags," in Pratt; and a book, "A Century of Service, The Story of the DAR," was donated to the Kiowa County Library in Greensburg.

OCEANUS HOPKINS—Pittsburg

Mrs. Andrew Boso

Eighty years old this February, Oceanus Hopkins Chapter is proud to announce the arrival of seven (7) new members in the family in 1993: Five by application; one by transfer; and one by reinstatement. We welcomed each one with open arms.

We honored two members for their ninetieth (90) birthdays: Bessie Boso and Dorothy Lampton. Death claimed Madora Roberts, 84, on January 26, 1994.

We held nine meetings with interesting programs. Following one meeting we were escorted through a local museum by a chapter member that is affiliated with the museum. One outstanding program was given by Southeast District Director, Mrs. Lucille Campbell, another was presented by DAR Museum Correspondent Docent, Mrs. Betty Thompson. These programs were publicized in four area newspapers.

Members participated in an event for the preservation of an area landmark hotel, and in the Pittsburg Veterans Day program.

American History month was promoted by Proclamation and a window display. Constitution Week was well publicized by our 90 year-old Chairman, who was graciously received by six schools, where she gave out patriotic information. Proclamations were issued by the cities of Frontenac, Cherokee and Pittsburg, where she met with the City Fathers and was momentarily seen on television. The chairman visited two radio stations and three television stations. Several members, in costume, rode in a Homecoming Parade in a wagon pulled by ponies.

Four members attended the Southeast District meeting at Neodesha.

We have made all required contributions, and believe we have attained Honorable Mention status for Honor Roll.

OLATHE—Olathe

The Olathe Chapter has had interesting programs this year. Each meeting opened with the DAR Prayer, Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, the President General's message and reports on National Defense.

Some very educational programs were presented. Topics included the American Indian, prominent black persons and Presidents' wives. Congresswoman Jan Meyers gave our National Defense program, which was very informative. We were very disappointed when she had to leave for her next appointment.

Our chapter continues to knit caps and mittens for local schools. Knit caps, clothing, books, cards, and more were taken to the Eisenhower Medical Center in Leavenworth, Kansas. While visiting the Medical Center, we played bingo and served refreshments. We also furnished refreshments for Naturalization ceremonies in Kansas City, Kansas, at the Federal Court House.

We received a Gold for Honor Roll, have two members (one by transfer) and our Registrar has several papers working. Our attendance is good. We have had two deaths.

PELEG GORTON—Winfield

Mrs. William Rosecrans

Through the hard work of the officers and members, we were able to receive the Gold Honor Roll this year.

Flag Day was celebrated in June when our chapter entertained the Betty Bonney Chapter from Arkansas City at a luncheon. Through the years our chapters have enjoyed entertaining each other at teas and other activities.

Some of our outstanding programs were: "The Cherokee Strip Land Rush," "The early Indians in our Area," historical book reviews, National Defense, and a musical story of the Santa Fe Trail presented by Mrs. Bobby Campbell, Southeast District Director. Our DAR Good Citizen, a student at Winfield High School, is always honored at our February meeting.

Even though there are 38 members on the roll, we have a small group of active workers. We are encouraging prospective members and hope to increase our local membership.

POLLY OGDEN—Manhattan

Mrs. Harold A. Albrecht

Polly Ogden Chapter has two new members by application this year and several prospective members working on their papers.

One of our most interesting programs was "NEEDLEWORK OF OUR PAST." Charlotte Brighton Herr spoke on Quilts, old and new. She told us something of their care, identification and registration. The members brought their quilts for "show and tell." Some were made before 1850. There were pieced quilts, appliqued quilts, and embroidered quilts.

We presented two gold medal awards at the ROTC Awards Ceremony. These were given to outstanding AROTC and AFROTC students. At our American History meeting we gave four first place American History medals and twelve certificates and one DAR Good Citizen Award.

Mary Linquist, our Veterans-Patients Chairman, visits our veterans on Holloween, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Easter, and the Fourth of July. We have 29 veterans in the four nursing homes in Manhattan. She takes them small gifts and refreshments.

We have three members over 90 years of age.

PRAIRIE FLINTS HILLS-Dover

Mrs. Laurence Ellis, Jr.

The Prairie Flint Hills Chapter had one new Junior member. The chapter had ten (10) meetings covering various topics from American Heritage to Indian Code Talkers.

The chapter participated in the Veterans Hospital Carnival at Topeka and helped when all the area chapters gave the patients a Christmas party.

The chapter received the Gold Honor Roll and one of our members submitted a program on Constitution Week and won first in our Division and second at National.

PRAIRIE ROSE—Overland Park

Mrs. Charles L. Bennett

Prairie Rose Chapter continued its tradition of enlightening programs under the direction of Mrs. Donna Muiller. A highlight was the presentation, by Ms. Lou Eisenbrant, of her experiences as an Army Nurse during the Vietnam War. Other topics ranged from "History of American Women's Suffrage" to "Salem Witch Trials."

Members participated in the Shawnee Indian Mission Fall Festival with a booth to promote DAR programs and enroll prospective members. Prairie Rose serves as a hostess chapter for receptions given for the new citizens at the Federal Court in Kansas City, Kansas. The chapter continued to ring bells for the Salvation Army at Oak Park Mall and supported our veterans with a bingo party, summer carnival and by baking cakes for the Salute to Veterans, in February. Clothing, stamped cards and other gifts are delivered to Leavenworth several times during the year.

A successful garage sale, Christmas Bazaar and aluminum can recycling project have enable us to increase our giving to DAR projects and to achieve 100% participation in the President General's Project.

We are proud of our members who serve in state capacities: Mrs. Robert Schweiger, State Registrar; Mrs. Robert Kline, Northeast District Director and House Committee Chairman; Ms. Laurie Schweiger and Mrs. William Schneck who serve as Pages.

QUIVIRA CROSSING—Lenexa

Mrs. Billy F. Lierly

In October, our chapter along with two other chapters, was privileged to honor our State Regent with a tea.

We are learning much about NSDAR, with excellent programs on DAR

Buildings, Insignia, Committee, and having representation at Round Table, District Meetings, State Conference and Continental Congress.

Our chapter awarded a Good Citizen medal to Philip O'Hara. Two bronze medals were presented to American History Essay winners. Certificates were given to 58 participants. We provided refreshments and co-hosted at two Naturalization Courts. Members contributed many items to the Eisenhower VA Medical Center when we hosted a Bingo party. Proclamations were issued and displays set up in the local areas for Constitution Week and American History Month. A display was also set up in a museum commemorating the 50 year celebration of World War II. Members are actively engaged in local activities. We have again earned Gold Honor Roll status. Our membership is at 28, including one new member and one by transfer in February. Papers are in Washington for a new Junior member. Ten prospective members have been endorsed and invited to present application papers for membership. Twelve pages of genealogical records were sent to the State Chairman. We are 100% in the President General's Project.

This ends my two years as Regent of Quivira Crossing. It has been a great experience and a joy to have met and worked with our wonderful members. Thank you!

RANDOLPH LOVING—Wichita

Mrs. Paul M. Buchanan

We have had an active year. Through the Area Regents' Round Table, we participated in public relations. We contributed money for the purchase of flags and postage on manuals given to new citizens at naturalization ceremonies.

During Constitution Week the chapter displayed posters on bulletin boards at Larksfield Retirement Center. Our Flag Chairman organized eighteen people to buy and present flags.

Our chapter remembers the veterans with participation in the DAR Spring Fling, and contributed Christmas, note, post cards, calendars, and stamps.

Four genealogy workshops were given to middle school children to promote love of family, history, and the Daughters of the American Revolution.

We contributed sixty-three pages of source material.

We mailed clothing, labels, and monetary gifts to Kate Duncan Smith and Tamassee Schools.

Monetary gifts were contributed to the KSDAR Library for shelving and books. Videotapes were given to the Mid American All Indian Center.

Our programs have been excellent. One unique program was Commitment to American history, "The Golden Age of the Great Passenger Airships," by author and pilot, Hal Dick.

The Good Citizen Award went to Kristin Kelly.

We have 51 members. Chapter representatives attended Continental Congress, District meeting and State Conference.

We met Honor Roll requirements.

SAGAMORE—Leawood

Sagamore Chapter's 67 members have worked diligently to again accomplish Gold Honor Roll. We are proud to have Jean Ramirez and Hazel Myers serving as State Chairmen.

One member, Ann Morrow Nees, wrote and published "Alexander Morrow of Brooke County (W.) Virginia," and contributed a copy to the NSDAR Library, as well as to 24 others across the country.

Members enjoyed repainting lettering on the Santa Fe Trail marker in Olathe so it could again be read; holding a bingo party for the veterans; and helping conduct two receptions for 130 new citizens and their families.

Especially good programs were presented on The Oregon Trail, Colonial Lighting, the White House, and a Day in the Life of Grandma. Instrumental Christmas music played by Carol Surman and friends is always a highlight of the Christmas dinner we have with our husbands. Another highlight is a silent auction, which not only entertains and provides a good shopping opportunity for Christmas gifts, but adds several hundred dollars to our treasury. Husbands are also included in our Flag Day picnic.

American History Essay winners and DAR Good Citizens and their families are guests at our February meeting. The students read their essays for the program that evening.

Sagamore, along with two other chapters, had the pleasure of entertaining Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent, at a tea in her honor in October.

SAMUEL LINSCOTT—Holton

Mrs. Wilbur S. Stoll

Samuel Linscott Chapter presented an American Flag to the Kids Express Day Care after the proprietor and director had given us a program and tour of the facility.

A highlight of our year was to serve as the hostess chapter for the State Board of Management and Northeast District meeting in September. We were happy to entertain one-hundred Daughters.

Another highlight was the visit and program by Kansas State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, in December.

We were able to complete our assessment for the President General's Project.

We failed to meet the membership Honor Roll requirement.

SARAH STEWARD—Smith Center

Good Citizens awards were presented in April, after our Museum Docent presented "For the Fun of It," slides on the New Hampshire Toy Attic.

A flag was presented to Keith Hooper, a military retiree, who gave an interesting National Defense talk, January 8, 1994.

Mrs. Merle Swank, Sr.

Soup labels for schools and cancelled stamps for veterans were saved. A Christmas package of comfort items, puzzles, stamps, and books was sent to the Veterans Medical Center in Topeka. The chapter sent \$23 to Seimes Microfilm Center.

A genealogical workshop was held for prospective members and other interested persons. Four new members were added through applications; three applications are pending; three supplementals were approved. We lost no members.

Special programs for members and guests recognized Constitution Week, Native Americans, 75th Anniversary of World War I, History of the United States Flag and Thomas Jefferson's 250th Birthday.

The Flag Salute, June 14 through July 4, Day of Prayer and National Bible Week were observed.

A Constitution Minute and a Flag Fact were given at each meeting.

Our State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, honored us with her presence at our Christmas luncheon and meeting. Mrs. Clark presented an informative program, "Responsible Citizenship."

Sarah Steward Chapter was represented at State Conference, Continental Congress, State Board of Management and the Northwest District meeting.

SHAWNEE MISSION—Shawnee Mission Mrs. Louis B. Seibel

A red maple tree was planted in June, at the Gardner Lanesfield School, to honor Mrs. John W. McGuire, Jr., Honorary State Regent, by Mr. McGuire and Mrs. Earl A. Anderson. The Santa Fe Trail marker was also rededicated. This highlighted a year of meetings with excellent programs ranging from contemporary educational theories, the American Revolution, the Navajo Indian, an original play, to a Commemoration of World War II.

In May, a play based on the book, "The Famous DAR Murder Mystery," was presented by a group of talented members. Applause is deserved, also, for the playwright, Mrs. Robert Crowther. A DAR ROTC medal was awarded that month to a deserving cadet. The Commemoration of World War II, featured a speech by Army Nurse member, Mrs. James T. Early, with much member participation.

The George Washington Tea honored Mrs. James N. Shirley, State Reporter. Mr. Frederick A. Krebs received the DAR Community Service Award. Awards were also presented to the Good Citizen winner and the American History Essay winners. Mrs. William Kenton received her Twentyfifth Anniversary Certificate and Mrs. Frank Sewart received her Fiftieth. We have welcomed four new members and one transfer.

The chapter was represented at the KSDAR State Conference, the Continental Congress, the State Board of Management, the Northeast District meeting, all Naturalization Courts, and many Veteran-Patient activities at the Eisenhower Medical Center.

SMOKY HILL—Ellsworth

Our State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, honored our chapter by presenting the December program. Her stories of the women patriots wore interesting and inspirational. Ruth's long drive to Ellsworth and back to her home in one day was also inspirational!

An Ellsworth County connection to the Sternberg Museum in Hays, was discovered by our chapter members when Mrs. Kathryn Rogers of Ilays, reviewed her book about the Sternbergs. The collection of miniature carousel horses of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Svaty was viewed at one program about "The Art of Carousel Horses." The main emphasis of the study of the horses was on those carved in Leavonworth and Abilene by the Charles Parker Company. A study of the NSDAR Library and its needs was another valuable program.

Smoky Hill Chapter continues to teach the community about DAR by displays in the library and by honoring the DAR Good Citizen and American History Essay winners at a tea in February. The American History Essay Contest continues to grow; we had 77 participants this year.

STONE CORRAL—Lyons

Mrs. Martin J. Robl

Stone Corral Chapter reports another "first" experience. At the request of Courtney Spalding Chapter we participated in the dedication of a grave marker for a deceased member.

The resignation of our treasurer, because of increasing business responsibilities, required a midterm election giving the chapter two new officers: Mrs. Lawrence Warlick, treasurer, and Mrs. Robert Lundstrom, secretary.

Our policy of inviting guests to our meetings continues to stir interest in the chapter. We have two new members bringing our total to 27, and five ladies are working on applications. In other registrar business, two name changes were reported due to the marriages of our eldest member and our youngest member.

Our programs continue to be interesting and challenging. Early in the year, we toured Rice County historical sites, including the DAR markers along the Santa Fe Trail. Our American Heritage program displayed the collected dolls of one of our members. A recent program featured Rev. and Mrs. Howard Bergland, ambassadors for Bacone College.

The work of the society is always challenging, and the associations between our members become ever stronger bonds of sisterhood in our commitment to God, home and country.

SUSANNAH FRENCH PUTNEY—El Dorado Mrs. Avis L. Fisher

Susannah French Putney Chapter started our fall meetings at the Butler County Community College with the Isabella Weldin Chapter as our guests. Mrs. John Afton, State Treasurer, spoke of her trip to the 102nd Continental Congress.

Mrs. Ronnie Svaty

Constitution Week Proclamation was signed by the mayor, we had a radio spot, and also had a booth at the Walnut Valley Festival.

Mrs. Bobby Campbell, Southeast District Director, presented a very good program "Americana Musical." The period from the American Revolution to the present was represented in her music and costume.

Mr. Rodney Norris was submitted by our chapter for the Outstanding Community Service Award and he was accepted. He had made a device for a lady that has multiple sclerosis that lets her run her television. A wonderful gift.

Bylaws were reviewed this year and adopted. We work helping the veteran programs and the Salvation Army.

I do want to thank my officers and committees for their support.

TOMAHAWK—**Prairie Village**

Mrs. Leslie Young, Jr.

In October, Tomahawk Chapter presented newly rebuilt Prairie School with an American Flag for use in their auditorium. The Regent read "Old Glory Speaks," assisted by Boy Scouts David Coon, Aryn Crowley and Chris Kalkofen. Members enjoyed a tour of National Frontier Trails Center and RLDS Temple in Independence, Missouri.

Constitution Week was observed with the Mayor's Proclamation, window display and distribution of 2,900 bookmarks. Nine videos "Living White House" were donated to middle schools and Johnson County Library.

Indian schools were supported with clothing to Bacono and school supplies to Haskell. Tamassee received 1,900 labels. Veterans enjoyed a bingo party with refreshments, lap robes, caps, comfort items and cards. "Stamps For The Wounded" were collected. Two receptions were given after Naturalization ceremonies and 500 "DAR Manuals for Citizenship" were donated. A donation of \$25 was given to C.A.R. Great Plains Regional Convention. Seimes Microfilm Center received \$23 for a roll of Revolutionary Service Records.

Good Citizen and American History Essay winners were honored with medals, certificates and bonds. Posters were placed in a local library.

Five members were recognized with a Memorial service. Shut-in members received Valentines, and a copy of "Annual Report and Proceedings" was mailed to non-resident members.

Tomahawk has one member 91 years old and eight active members over the age of 80 years. Thirty-five members received a 25-year certificate and one received a 50-year certificate.

Sixty pages of original material was sent to NSDAR Genealogical Records. President General's Project was paid in full through 1995, and individual donations were also made. Tomahawk received Gold Honor Roll Award.

In April, members will honor our Organizing Regent, Vera Greenlease, at our Fortieth Anniversary Tea.

TOPEKA—Topeka

New officers were installed by State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Kcys Clark. A special program was given by members portraying the founders of NSDAR. A defense speaker, Col. John Sray of Leavenworth, recently returned from Russia, used Russian cartoons to illustrate the political climate there.

An Oregon Trail marker at Tecumseh, Kansas, was rededicated with Regent Satzler portraying her ancestor's brother who traveled the trail in 1843.

Arbor Day was observed with the traditional tree planting ceremony at Washburn University; Constitution Week with messages on several billboards; and Armistice Day with a large display of mementos from World War I and World War II. Proclamations for February's American History month were given by city and county commissioners. Flags were presented to naturalized citizens at four District Court proceedings. Topeka Chapter and VA representatives were honored for 329 volunteer hours, parties and gifts. The DAR Schools were sent 600 soup labels. Good Citizen pins were given to two high school seniors.

A 50-year Membership Certificate was presented to Marjorie Gamet Raish. Memorial Service was held for Josephine Snook, Waneta Kramer and Ora Mae McMillen.

DAR was represented at the Genealogy Society Workshop which attracted prospective members. Nine members joined this year. The chapter attained Gold Honor Roll and has met requirements this year.

UVEDALE—Hutchinson

Mrs. Lynn Stiggins

Uvedale Chapter follows Honor Roll guidelines for program planning, and this has been an exceptionally exciting year. The highlight of the season was a costume tea in April, in celebration of our 85th Anniversary. Regent, Mrs. Marcia Butterfield, gave a historical account of the founding, in 1908, of the Uvedale Chapter. At this meeting, we honored Mrs. Jean Niemann, with her 50-year pin. The presence of her family greatly enhanced our celebration.

Librarian, Jean Gaeddert, informed us about the literacy program at the Hutchinson Library. Some of our members volunteer for this program and we contribute monetarily. Timely and interesting programs on the Sesquicentennial of the Oregon Trail, and Kansas Historical Sites were given. The History of the United States as told by "Hats," was given by Naomi Stiggins, Curatorial Assistant, at the Reno County Museum. As guests of SAR we enjoyed a "town meeting forum."

Programs on the Constitution-Court System; DAR Museum State Rooms; and American Indian Cultures will complete this program year.

Planting trees, feeding birds and wildlife, and programs for schools are important to Uvedale.

Each year we contribute volunteer work, gifts and money to the Wichita Veterans Hospital.

Our chapter enjoys having representatives in attendance at all KSDAR meetings.

WICHITA---Wichita

This has been a good year, as we participated in the usual activities. Our Program Committee planned a variety of programs not only fulfilling requirements but of interest to members of all ages.

Some favorites—our May "Play Day" (that raised some other DAR eyebrows) was a surprise garden party to honor our three fifty-year members. We were asked to wear unusual hats in keeping with the occasion. In October, we met at the Sedgwick County Zoo Pavilion for our box lunch, meeting and "Growth of the Prairie" program, followed by a trek to the new Prairie Exhibit. Two other favorites were emergency fill-ins. Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway brought many of her American Indian museum quality artifacts with a fascinating talk on Indian culture and archeology in northern New Mexico. Mrs. W. W. Marrs' talk on "Women in the American Revolution" was both interesting and humorous.

We are thrilled with the great enthusiasm in our new Motion Picture, Radio and Television Committee. We meet the second Monday of each month at a theater decided upon at the previous meeting.

Our Friends University Helen Hoehn DAR Scholarship for 1993-1994, was awarded to Nathan Roher, a student majoring in American History.

WILLIAM WILSON—Garden City

Mrs. Ralph Patterson

Our year was highlighted by good programs by our own members, following the Honor Roll guidelines. We appreciate their talents.

This Regent attended Memorial Day services at the cemetery and placed a wreath honoring veterans. The chapter members participated in the Valentines Project, sent \$24 to Seimes Microfilm Center for Revolutionary Military Service Records, gave a monetary donation for the KSDAR Library relocation and car-pooled to the Open House on October 30, 1993.

We have been represented at KSDAR State Conference and the Southwest District meeting. This chapter was pleased to host the Southwest District meeting in Garden City on September 16, 1993.

Constitution Week was observed with a poster display at the Dental Clinic.

State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, was our honored guest on January 13, 1994.

This chapter has four members over ninety years of age. A memorial service for two deceased members was held at the meeting. We have three persons currently working to complete papers for membership. We are pleased to have the State Program Chairman, Mrs. Milton N. Thomas, as a member of this chapter.

WYANDOT—Kansas City

The Fortieth Anniversary of Wyandot Chapter was celebrated with a luncheon at Lake Quivira. We were lucky to have one Charter Member in attendance. Dorothy Shockley, another Charter Member, was our host, but unable to attend because of an accident.

We attended the Wyandotte County Genealogical Society's meeting when our Regent was one of the speakers, along with Ed Shutt representing the SAR. They told of the beginnings of both organizations, explaining their aims and purposes. We were happy to hear the guests express their amazement at the work DAR has and continues to perform. We gave Fact Sheets to those attending. I think that meeting made it a most productive year. We need to educate the public that we are not just a bunch of old ladies with tea, cakes and brag books. Rather an organization of Patriots with a purpose that has done a tremendous amount of good.

In March, we were sorrowed by the death of one of our members. We did acquire one new member, making 65 members.

We presented a flag to the library in observance of Flag Day and have started presenting small flags to our new members at their installations.

All in all, it was a very good year.

REPORTS FROM STATE CONFERENCE

KANSAS CHAPTER REGENTS' CLUB Mrs. Oliver I. West, Jr.

The Kansas Chapter Regents' Club met at the Holidome, Lawrence, Kansas, on Monday, March 14, 1994, at 5:45 p.m. President Kathryn West called the meeting to order, extended warm greetings, offered the invocation and dinner was served. It was noted that Jean Ramirez made the lovely wheat and sunflower table decorations. Following the meal, officers were introduced and included: Vice President and Meal Coordinator, Mrs. Gus (Jean) Ramirez, Sagamore Chapter, Treasurer, Mrs. Donald F. (Marj) Willsey, Mission Hills Chapter, and Secretary, Mrs. Albert (Roberta) Hagemann, John Haupt Chapter. Introductions around the room were then made.

The business meeting was brief, consisting of election of officers from the Southeast District for the 1994-1995 term and the approval to donate \$50 to the State Regent's project.

Jean Ramirez presented her unique and timely program on the Kansas River. She revealed both the history of and statistics on this body of water. As a reminder, Jean had hand painted river rocks with the outline of Kansas and sunflowers, and passed out a magnetized "piece of the river" to all attending the meeting.

Following the program, the meeting was adjourned.

STATE CHAIRMEN'S CLUB

Mrs. Richard Hartzler

The annual breakfast meeting of the KSDAR State Chairmen's Club was held at 7:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 16, 1994, in the Brazilian Room, of the Holiday Inn, in Lawrence, Kansas.

The President, Mrs. Richard Hartzler, opened the meeting. Mrs. John McGuire, Jr., was appointed secretary pro tem. There were 22 present, including the State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark. The members introduced themselves and mentioned chairmanships they had held.

The minutes of the 1993 meeting were not read as they were not available.

The Treasurer, Mrs. James Shirley, reported a balance of \$134.82, as of March 29, 1993, receipts of \$234.54, and disbursements of \$289.33. In honor of the President General's visit to the Conference, a contribution of \$50 was voted later in the meeting for her project, the renovation of Constitution Hall. With this additional disbursement, the Treasurer reported a closing balance on March 16, 1994, of \$80.03.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. Betty Bendorf; Vice President, Mrs. John Afton; Secretary, Mrs. A. V. Schwartz; Treasurer, Mrs. Albert Hagemann.

The President presented a hilarious program based on the book *Anguished English* by Richard Lederer.

STATE OFFICERS' CLUB

Mrs. Raymond J. Kaufman

The fifty-eighth annual meeting of the State Officers' Club met at 5:45 p.m., Monday, March 14, 1994, in Brazilian room D, Holiday Inn, Lawrence, Kansas.

Susan Kaufman, president, called the meeting to order. The invocation was given by Chaplain Alice Walker. Secretary Norma Daniels read the minutes of the 1993 meeting, which were approved.

Mrs. Ollie Tracy, State Regent of Missouri, was a special guest. Also present were Vice President General and Honorary State Regent, Betty McGehee; Honorary State Regent, Isabel McGuire; Past Vice Presidents General and Honorary State Regents, Lucille Johnson, Kathryn Compton, and Sally Riden.

A memorial written by Katherine Rogers for Jean Cain, former State Reporter and State Committee Chairman, was read by Chaplain Alice Walker.

New Guidelines, which were presented to the club at the annual meeting in 1993, were read by Kathryn Compton. They were approved with Guideline 8 being amended to read "The guests of KSDAR State Conference shall be guests of the club at the annual meeting, and the cost involved shall be paid from the club treasury."

The Brag Box was passed with a collection of \$43. Treasurer Pat Traffas reported a carry-over of \$25. The club voted to give \$40 to the State Regent's Project in memory of Jean Cain.

Isabel McGuire initiated Peggy Spafford into the club. Faith Ann Shirley awarded a "Miracle Worker" award to State Regent Ruth Clark and a "Very Special Person" award to Susan Kaufman.

New officers elected unanimously were President, Faith Ann Shirley; First Vice President, Alice Walker; Second Vice President, Corrine Afton; Third Vice President, Hazel Myers; Chaplain, Pat Ream; Secretary, Verda Thomas; Treasurer, Dorothea Schweiger; Historian, Pat Carpenter. They were installed by Isabel McGuire. The meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Members present were: Betty McGehee, Lucille Johnson, Isabel McGuire, Sally Riden, Kathryn Compton, Katherine Rogers, Verda Thomas, Ruth Clark, Velda Wymore, Jackie Theis, Pat Ream, Alice Walker, Peggy Spafford, Faith Ann Shirley, Pat Traffas, Pat Carpenter, Corrine Afton, Dorothea Schweiger, Susan Kaufman, Norma Daniels, Hazel Myers, Ruby Mayden, Vanatta Standrich.

KANSAS STATE OFFICERS' CLUB GUIDELINES Adopted March 14, 1994

1. NAME

The name of the club shall be Kansas State Officers' Club.

2. OBJECT

The object of this club shall be to promote the interests of the National and Kansas Societies of the Daughters of the American Revolution and to foster sociability and friendship among officers.

- 3. MEMBERSHIP
 - a. Those eligible for membership shall be state officers and past state officers of the Kansas Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.
 - b. The membership chairman must notify newly elected officers that they are eligible for membership in State Officers' Club.
- 4. MEETINGS
 - a. The annual meeting shall be held during the KSDAR State Conference.
 - b. Special meetings of the State Officers' Club and of the State Officers' Executive Committee may be called by the president as she wishes or upon written request of five members.
 - c. A quorum of the annual meeting shall be the number present.
- 5. OFFICERS
 - a. The officers of the club shall be President, three Vice Presidents, Chaplain, Secretary, Treasurer, Historian, and Reporter. These officers together with the Past State Regents shall constitute the Executive Committee.
 - b. The election of officers shall be held at the annual meeting with nominations from the floor.

- c. Three members shall constitute a quorum of the Executive Committee.
- d. Vacancies in office shall be filled by the Executive Committee.
- e. The term of office shall be for one year only and no officer may succeed herself.
- 6. DUTIES OF OFFICERS
 - a. The president shall preside at all meetings, appoint all committees, and approve disbursements of club funds.
 - b. The First Vice President shall perform duties of the President in her absence and serve as Chairman of the Guidelines Committee.
 - c. The Second Vice President shall be meal coordinator for the annual meeting of the club. She shall work in cooperation with the State Conference Chairman.
 - d. The Third Vice President shall be chairman of membership and arrange a brief program for the annual meeting.
 - e. The Chaplain shall offer prayer as directed by the President.
 - f. The Secretary shall keep and report minutes of the annual meeting and executive meetings of the club. She shall send a report of the annual meeting to the State Recording Secretary.
 - g. The Treasurer shall collect dues and disburse funds.
 - h. The Historian shall keep a record of all activities of the club. (This could be a scrapbook.)
 - i. Each officer shall report at the annual meeting.
- 7. DUES

The annual dues shall be fifty cents (\$.50) per member, payable to the Treasurer before the annual meeting each year. The initiation fee shall be one dollar (\$1). Only members in good standing are eligible to attend the annual meeting of the club.

8. GUESTS

The guests of KSDAR State Conference shall be guests of the club at the annual meeting, and the cost involved shall be paid from the club treasury.

9. AMENDMENTS

- a. These Guidelines shall become effective upon acceptance by the club.
- b. These Guidelines may be amended at any annual meeting by a majority vote of those members attending.
- 10. The rules contained in the current edition of *Robert's Rules of Order*, *Newly Revised* shall govern the club in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with these Guidelines and any special rules of order the club may adopt.

CONFERENCE CHAIRMAN

The Kansas Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution held the Ninety-sixth State Conference at the Holiday Inn Hotel, Lawrence, Kansas, March 14-16, 1994, with 268 members and guests attending.

The highlight of the conference was the attendance of Mrs. Donald S. Blair, President General, NSDAR. All the members were charmed by her friendly and gracious manner and inspired by her address at the Wednesday night banquet.

Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent, and the state officers provided the able leadership needed for a successful conference. We also recognize Mrs. Robert Kline, Chairman of the House Committee, Miss Shirley Coupal, Conference Marshal, Mrs. Doran Cole and wonderful Pages, and the regents and members of the Northeast District chapters. We also extend a special thanks to our extremely able Conference Treasurer, Mrs. Elmer Mellies and her assistant, Mrs. Richard Woodward. The dedication of all these women made the conference proceed smoothly and the job of these chairmen so much easier.

It was a pleasure to serve as chairmen of this conference and we thank Mrs. Clark for the honor.

CONFERENCE TREASURER

1994 KSDAR STATE CONFERENCE Treasurer's Report May 16, 1994		
RECEIPTS:		
Kansas Society Advance	\$ 369.00	
Registration fees	1,072.00	
Meals and Reception	11,556.05	
Other Income		
Donations and miscellaneous	27.65	
TOTAL RECEIPTS	<u> </u>	\$13,024.70
DISBURSEMENTS:		
Holiday Inn	\$11,826.49	
Printing	311.35	
Flowers	24.67	
Gifts	150.64	
Refunds	218.45	
Music donation	25.00	
Treasurer's Expense	11.84	
Conference Chairman Expense	79.38	
Other Expense		
Miscellaneous	81.45	
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS		\$12,729.27
Balance on Hand, May 1994		\$ 295.43
AMOUNT REMITTED TO KSDAR STATE TREASURER		\$ 295.43
Registration: 268		
Attendance: 192 Tuesday Luncheon 188 Tuesday Banquet 190 Wednesday Luncheon 156 Wednesday Banquet 184 Reception		

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CONTINENTAL CONGRESS REPORTS

STATE REGENTS' REPORT AT CONTINENTAL CONGRESS

Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark

Dedicated Kansas Daughters continue to participate in activities and projects that are vital to their communities. They are working hard at making DAR visible in their area.

Our historical preservation emphasis of the relocation and restoration of Santa Fe Trail markers has proved to be exciting. Chapter members have formed a motorcade and traveled from marker to marker in their area. During this tour they noted the restoration needs of the markers and reviewed the history that made these markers historically important. Many markers have been restored with help of teen-age groups such as projects for Eagle Scout candidates or community projects for 4-H groups. These markers are rededicated and the work of the teens recognized by the public and press. Plans are made to rededicate other markers next year.

Following the direction of the President General, chapters are continuing to work for an increase in membership. Several genealogical workshops were held throughout the state. All were well attended and well received. We are using a plan to have an experienced researcher assigned to one or two individuals at each workshop. This experienced individual will continue to support and help the prospective member until her papers have cleared.

The library of the Kansas Society has been moved to the lower level of a shopping mall. This gives us added exposure to the public and we have noted an increase in the use of the research materials.

We have a new chapter forming in Kansas. A name has been chosen and prospective members are working on their papers. We plan to have this chapter organized before winter.

The Page holding the Kansas flag is my Chapter Regent, Mrs. Kathryn West.

ONE HUNDRED-THIRD CONTINENTAL CONGRESS

Thirty-six Kansas Daughters attended the 103rd Continental Congress, April 20-23, 1994. Those attending included: Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, State Regent; Mrs. Richard C. McGehee, Vice President General; Mrs. Billy P. Compton, Past Vice President General; Mrs. Joseph R. Riden, Jr., Past Vice President General; 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. Robert E. Schweiger, State Registrar; Mrs. James N. Shirley, State Reporter; Mrs. Philip Bernstorf, National Chairman Children of the American Revolution Committee; Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway, National Vice Chairman, South Central Division, Motion Picture, Radio and Television Committee.

Those serving on various House Committees were: Mrs. Vincent Traffas, Mrs. Harry J. Carpenter, Mrs. Gail D. Spafford, Mrs. Robert E. Schweiger, Mrs. Gus Ramirez and Mrs. Albert Hagemann. Mrs. Larry D. Ream served on the Credentials Committee. Mrs. Richard D. Standrich and Mrs. Harold N. Ottaway served on the Marshal Committee.

The Kansas Society had four Juniors serving as Pages: Mrs. William C. Schneck, Jr., Miss Laurie Schweiger, Mrs. Tod Hettenbach and Mrs. Oliver I. West, Jr.

The quiet beauty of the Kansas Chapel was once again enhanced by the fresh flowers placed in the chapel by the Wichita Chapter. A devotional folder, for a few quiet moments of reflection, was available for those visiting the chapel.

All the Kansas Daughters were delighted to see Mrs. Tod Hettenbach, the 1994 Kansas Outstanding Junior, carry the Kansas flag in the Processional for the Opening ceremonies on Wednesday evening.

The Golden West Tea on Thursday afternoon was enjoyed and well attended by the Kansas Daughters.

State Regent, Mrs. Ruth Keys Clark, presented the state report on Thursday evening. The Kansas flag barrier, escorting Mrs. Clark, was her own Chapter Regent, Mrs. Oliver I. West, Jr.

Mrs. Vincent Traffas, State Vice Regent, was elected to the office of treasurer in the State Vice Regents Club at their Luncheon meeting on Friday. This is the first time since 1957, that a member of the Kansas Society has been elected to an office in the State Vice Regents Club.

The business meetings of the 103rd Continental Congress included discussions on the Renovation of Constitution Hall and the Proposed Amendments to the National Bylaws, which included a dues increase.

Eleven members of the Kansas Society attended the Saturday evening closing banquet.

CONTINENTAL CONGRESS AWARDS

In addition to the National Awards handed out by the State Chairmen, awards received at the 103rd Continental Congress are as follows:

CONSTITUTION WEEK	JUNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS
Outstanding Participation	Kansas Society—Greatest number
Chapter Activities Contest	of inches JAC Publicity
Courtney Spalding Chapter	Dodge City Chapter—Greatest number
Emporia Chapter	of inches JAC Publicity
Mary Wade Strother Chapter	James Irsik—First Place—Poster
DAD COOD CITIZEN	Megan Tracy—First Place—Poster
DAR GOOD CITIZEN	Beth Ann Hesterman—Second Place
Honorable Mention, Kansas Society Addition of 23 new schools.	—Poem
	Amanda Metcalf—Second Place
Kansas Society—100% Participation	—Stamp Design
JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP	Mrs. Campbell's Class—Third Place
Kansas—100% Reporting	—Special Project
National Chairman's Award for	Girl Scout Troop #150—First Place
Outstanding Projects	—Video
Junior Joke Book, Kansas	

CORPORATE CHARTER OF THE KANSAS SOCIETY OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

FIRST: The Name of the corporation is the KANSAS SOCIETY of the NATIONAL SOCIETY of the DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

SECOND: The name and address of its Resident Agent in this State is Mrs. John D. Afton, State Treasurer, 410 West Henrie, P.O. Box 103, Benton, Butler County, KS 67017.

THIRD: This Corporation is organized NOT for profit, and the objects and purposes to be transacted and carried on are:

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

(2) To carry out the injunction of Washington in his farewell address to the American people, "to promote, as an object of primary importance, institutions for the general diffusion of knowledge," thus developing an enlightened public opinion, and according to 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.

(4) This corporation shall have power to receive title to real and personal property by gift, devise, bequest or purchase; to own, hold, sell, convey, lease and re-lease, let and sublet real and personal property; and to manage, invest, reinvest or disburse the funds that may accrue from the holdings of such property in the manner provided by the Bylaws of the Kansas Society as now constituted or as hereafter amended. This corporation shall have the power to sue and to be sued.

No officer, director or member of this corporation shall be individually liable for the obligations of the corporation.

These articles may be amended by a two-thirds vote, provided a copy of the proposed amendment has been sent to all chapters of the Kansas Society at least thirty days prior to the Annual State Conference of the Kansas Society. This corporation shall have such other authority as may be provided in the Bylaws of the Kansas Society, not in contravention of the provisions of this Charter or the laws of the State of Kansas.

This corporation shall not have authority to issue capital stock.

FOURTH: The elected officers of the Kansas Society shall constitute the Board of Directors of this corporation, and shall be the managers of the business of the corporation and shall hold, manage and control all property of the corporation.

The members of the Kansas Society and all persons who shall hereafter become members, who are in good standing under the Bylaws of said Society, shall be members of this corporation.

FIFTH: The term for which this corporation is to exist is ONE HUNDRED YEARS.

ATTEST: July 15, 1992 Mrs. Larry D. Ream, KSDAR State Recording Secretary

Filed: July 23, 1992 The Office of the Secretary of State, State Capitol, Topeka, Kansas

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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 1992, 1993 and 1994

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 Rovolution, 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. Only a member whose state dues have been paid by December 1 shall be eligible 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 I. 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 those moetings 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 vorify 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.

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.

The State Registrar shall receive the membership changes from the Chapter Registrars. She shall update the membership files with the 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.

Each chapter entitled to representation at the Continental Congress, in accordance with the Bylaws and Standing Rules of the National Society, shall

be entitled to representation at the State Conference, provided that its members' state dues are credited to the State Treasurer by December 1 and its State Credentials Forms have been completed in accordance with these bylaws.

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 with the National and Kansas Societies 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, beginning January 1, shall be based upon the number of members whose national and state dues for the current year have been paid by the December 1 preceding the State Conference, provided that the chapter meets the qualifications for representation in accordance with Section 3 of this Article. A member whose national and state dues are delinquent shall not be counted in determining representation at the meetings of the Kansas Society, shall not be entitled to vote for delegates or alternates to meetings of the Kansas Society, and shall not be entitled 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

(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. A member may serve consecutive terms in the three offices of her District; such consecutive service shall be limited to three terms.

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 Regent shall report the names and addresses of the chapter officers for the ensuing year. This report shall be made on forms from the office of the Organizing Secretary General which are furnished to the chapters 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.) Using blanks furnished by the National Society, the name of the Chapter Regent and Vice Regent and a list of the delegates and alternates, with the date of their election by the chapter, shall be sent, bearing a postmark no later than February 15 to the chairman of Credentials Committee and to the State Regent.

Only a chapter member in good standing, whose credentials have been completed in accordance with the Standing Rules of the National Society, shall be eligible to represent her chapter at meetings of the National Society. (National Bylaws, Article VIII, Section 2(e).)

(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.) The name of the Chapter Regent and Vice Regent and 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.

Only a chapter member in good standing with the National and Kansas Societies, whose state credentials have been completed in accordance to these bylaws, shall be eligible to represent her chapter at meetings of the Kansas Society.

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.

The Chapter Regent is responsible for completing and returning by the stated deadlines the copies of the chapter credentials forms after the election on or before February 1 of the chapter representatives to the Continental Congress and the State Conference.

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 \$25.00 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. Only a member whose state dues have been paid by December 1 shall be eligible 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 her Chapter Registrar.

Section 8. Chapter Registrar.

The Chapter Registrar shall report to the Organizing Secretary General, in writing, all changes in membership, marriages, divorces, deaths, resignations, transfers, and changes of address as they occur (Bylaws of the National Society, Article XIII, Section 11). These reports of membership changes shall be made on Membership Change Forms and directed to the Office of the Organizing Secretary General, Membership Office. Membership Change Forms may be obtained from the Membership Office.

The Chapter Registrar shall report all changes in membership, in writing, to the State Registrar. She shall report all information necessary for the State Registrar 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 *Roberts 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 1992, 1993 and 1994

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 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 provide copies of its chapter yearbook to the State Officers, the Director of its District, the State Chairman of the Membership Committee, and 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 lower level of the Village Square Mall, 2601 Central Avenue, 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 Village Square Mall.

(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 Committee Chairman, the State National Defense Committee 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 Shawnee 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 Committee Chairman, the KSDAR American Indians Committee 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.

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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.

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