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A cordial invitation is extended to each member of our Society to attend the Eighty-Eighth National Conference at the Mayflower Hotel April 11-14, 2012. The Fall issue of the Seventeenth Century Review contains the schedule of events with reservation forms. An electronic copy has also been sent to members of the Board of Management. We encourage you to make plans to attend and enjoy being a part of all phases of Conference.

As part of the business sessions, we will be voting on amendments to the Bylaws and electing the Nominating Committee. On Saturday after Conference, members will have an opportunity to work in the Library to further their research.

Colonial Dames continue their efforts to create a “Lasting Legacy” by supporting the Object of the Society on many levels. Thank you members for your participation in embracing our goals and objectives. You have placed Historic Markers, preserved records, volunteered at libraries and Veterans facilities worked diligently on your genealogy and Coats of Arms and supported our National Headquarters. Those are only some of your many activities and all are appreciated.

Thanks to our chairmen, Colonial Heritage month was proudly proclaimed and proclamations issued. The President General and members of her chapter, Judith Jefferson Farrar, were honored by Mayor Crowell of Carson City with a Proclamation declaring October as Colonial Heritage Month.

Plans have been made for visits in February to Mississippi, Alabama, and South Carolina. She hopes to visit Tennessee and California in March depending on the timing of her eye procedure. This was a surprise and she eagerly anticipates perfect distance vision on March 6th.

She looks forward to attending these State Conferences. It will be an inspiration to meet with the members, to participate in Conference activities and hear their excellent reports.

As 2012 unfolds, we send our hopes for a blessed year to all our Dames. Let us look forward with enthusiasm as we continue to meet our goals for a strong future.

Yours In friendship and service,

Jan Lockard, President General
FIRST VICE PRESIDENT
GENERAL

This has been a very busy time for your First Vice President General. There are many facets to this office.

If you are a Sponsor State for our Conference in April 2012, be assured that this officer will help you any way that I can. Please do not hesitate to contact me at any time. I prefer a question rather than having a mistake made. Also, realize that when you are in charge of a project and have questions that there are no dumb questions. So, please, know that I am ready to help you. We thank you for your generosity and for your energies in helping to make our events memorable.

Membership is a project that I am very concerned about and after being the Registrar General for six (6) years, I am 100% behind that project. Ladies, we need membership. Be proud of your Society and help to keep it one of the best!

As Chairman of your Finance Committee, I worked with the Committee to prepare an annual budget which was presented to the Board of Management for approval. And, again, feedback from the membership is always welcome.

Preparations for the next annual Conference were discussed at the Conference Committee meeting. The Chairmen of the various committees involved are working very hard to bring you an interesting and helpful Conference. Many thanks are due to those involved. They have worked very hard to make sure that all will benefit from this event. This officer was so pleased to see the energy, the eagerness of each sponsor to bring this event to all of you. I thank each of them very much for their participation.

Also, this officer is busy making arrangements for the speaker (s) for this Conference. We hope that we are successful in our special speaker – a grand surprise for you, we know.

Also, thank you to those who invited me to their events. I am sorry that I could not attend most of them. Time flies by and there are many things this officer must complete by certain deadlines, so many of your invitations could not be accepted.

The dedication of all of you is awesome and your Society is proud of your efforts. Working together, we will reach our goals.

Dee Dupuis
1st Vice President General

SECOND VICE PRESIDENT
GENERAL

This officer is grateful to all those who have contributed to the funds of the National Society. Many contributions have been made “In Honor” or “In Memory” of members or special friends or relatives. Please remember to use the Special Gift Form of the Society that is on the web site and not one from your state. Make sure that addresses are correct in order for acknowledgement cards to reach their destination and not returned.

Thank you for all your greeting cards and invitations to your chapter meetings and State Conferences.

It is a pleasure to serve the Society in this office.

Pat Boals
2nd Vice President General
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THIRD VICE-PRESIDENT
GENERAL

It is with pleasure that I am again here at our National Conference and am visiting with old friends and becoming acquainted with new friends. It’s wonderful to see all of you here.

My responsibilities consist of the upkeep and maintenance of the Headquarters Building, working with the President General, the Curator General, the Headquarters Supervisor and, of course, our wonderful Headquarters Office Manager, Bea Strattner, who is right there on a daily basis and an invaluable help in keeping our lovely Headquarters building in good repair and well kept. I hope all of you attended the Tea and had a chance to tour the Headquarters building. Many of you introduced yourselves to me and I appreciate your doing so. One of my greatest pleasures is getting to know the ladies who are here for the Conference.

Since becoming your Third Vice President General last April, I have been involved in a number of maintenance problems, either directly or indirectly. There have been quite a few minor upkeep matters observed on my various walk-throughs of the building. With the assistance of Bea Strattner who handles the scheduling of these repairs, most of them have been taken care of. I have to express my appreciation to those who have noticed maintenance related matter and called my attention to it. I encourage everyone to let me know of anything you notice that needs attention.

I have also represented the National Society in my home state of North Carolina by attending several commemorative events relating to the Revolutionary War, the latest of which was the anniversary of the Battle of Cowan’s Ford held in Huntersville, North Carolina this past January. In 2011, I joined a group from my chapter and another chapter in touring Fort Defiance near Lenoir in the North Carolina Mountains. This is the restored home of Gen. William Lenoir who built the home between 1788 and 1792 on the former site of the fort, which was built to protect the settlers from the early Native Americans in the area.

I have done many things, experienced many things and am constantly learning more about the history of our
great country. Much of this is because of the opportunities I have had as a member of the Colonial Dames, and I thank you, the members, for your trust and friendship as I have served on your National Executive Board. Madam President General it has been a pleasure to serve in your administration.

Mary Ellen Hinson (Mrs. Bobby D.)
3rd Vice-President General

ORGANIZING SECRETARY GENERAL

The activities of this office are moving along at a good pace. New initiatives for this administration as well as ongoing initiatives from the prior administration continue to bring this officer into contact with many state officers and chapter representatives.

The scope of the Organizing Secretary General’s position includes organizing, chartering, disbanding, and merging of chapters. Since taking office, this administration has been involved with the following activities. Five organizing chapter presidents have been appointed. Requests to disband have been received from two chapters. Mergers have been approved for chapters in California, Connecticut, and Ohio. Requests have been granted by the National Executive Board for two chapters to bring their membership up to ten. Charters have been approved for the Arizona and Iowa State Societies. Three chapters have held organizing meetings, and three chapters have chartered.

She appreciates the many yearbooks that have been received from state societies and would like to request copies from those states that have not provided copies for her. The yearbooks are very beneficial to the work of this officer.

In October, this officer attended the National Board of Management and delighted in being with many friends and meeting new Dames. She was the speaker at the November meeting of the Fort San Juan Chapter-NC where she presented an original program on insignia. She looks forward being in Washington for the 88th National Conference in April and seeing many of you.

Serving as your Organizing Secretary General is a tremendous privilege. Please contact this officer if she can be of assistance. It is a pleasure serving the National Society in the administration of President General Jan Lockard.

Elizabeth Snuggs McAteer (“Libby”)
(Mrs. Porter L.)
Organizing Secretary General

TREASURER GENERAL

There appears to still be some confusion about the fees and dues of the National Society so the table below shows the correct amounts.

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Please remember that the Society’s dues year begins on July 1, no matter when your application was submitted. The date to remember is the date your application was approved. If your application was approved before 1 July 2011, you were responsible to pay the National Dues which were sent to the Treasurer National before 31 December. If your application was approved after 1 July you will not be responsible for dues until the next dues cycle.

With regard to members who Transfer between chapters, you are responsible to pay dues to one of the two chapters, the chapter you left or the chapter you joined. Please remember to notify the chapter you that you didn’t pay, that you pay dues to other chapter so they have the information for their records. I make it a point to find both the losing and the gaining chapter to make sure that dues have been paid by one of them.

The Treasurer General learned many things during the most recent Dues Collection cycle and wishes to thank all treasurers both chapter and state for their cooperation. She anticipates that she has learned enough to assure that the next cycle will go even smoother.

Remember that if you were delinquent with your dues payment and they did not reach the Treasurer General by 1 March 2012, you have been dropped as a member of the Society. To reinstate your membership a check is now required, made out to the National Society, in the amount of $44. If you were a Junior and were dropped the Reinstatement Fee is $22.00. Such reinstatements should be sent to the Treasurer General directly.

Please remember that checks sent to either Headquarters or to the Treasurer General, should be made payable to the National Society not to Treasurer General or to her personally.

Nancy Cobos
Treasurer General

HISTORIAN GENERAL

This Historian General is pleased to send in this report. Already, I am receiving reports from States sharing some of the important activities they are doing. I am also pleased to report that work has continued on revising the programs offered through Headquarters. I had received several requests for an explanation of each program as well as updating the programs to be used. Many of the programs were in slide form and this made it difficult for some Chapters to use since not everyone has a slide projector. Each slide program has now been converted to disc form. Sharon Hendershot, President of Susanna Fuller White Chapter in Columbus, Ohio was the first to use the newly converted disc with the photos of the Pocahontas Memorial in England. Mrs. Hendershot took this disc and wrote a PowerPoint presentation entitled “Pocahontas’ Life and Legacy” and voila, we have a new and improved program for all to share. Thank you Mrs. Hendershot for your donation to the National Society. This has been a remarkable example of our Dames sharing their talents to make our Society even better. Please let us know if you would be interested in borrowing this new program for one of your meetings. When the revised list of programs is completed, which should be by the National Conference, copies will be available to be distributed to all.

Plans are now being finalized to have our Historical Document collection digitalized and be made into book form for all to share. This will be
an ongoing project that will benefit not only the members of our society but also Professional Historians. We will once again benefit from the knowledge of Mr. Willis VanDevander and his expertise to guide us in preserving our collection.

I thank you again for the opportunity to serve you as Historian General. I will continue to welcome any requests and recommendations of how we can all work together to continue to move our Society forward.

Leslie Daly Breaux
Historian General

LIBRARIAN GENERAL

We are pleased to report that our new computers have been installed at your headquarters building. Thankfully, the list of current library books was downloaded to our new computers. Involved and revolving around the library’s functions are: the staff, volunteer genies, library committee members, the heraldry program, genealogical research patrons, national officers and committee members, and public visitors.

When making book applications and monetary donations, please follow the listed instructions on each form. By your volunteering and making donations in public and academic libraries, you are entitled to service documentation points for your chapter.

Our national library focus is to acquire books of vital records for states, counties, and municipalities that would serve to document lineages and support our research endeavors. Local historical or genealogical groups have important books for our acquisitions program. Desired are books of: birth, death, marriage registers, probate, estate, deeds, tax, legal, court records, and cemetery and church registers. We are unable to take general histories of family, churches, etc. due to space limitations. For donations to national and local libraries academic publications addressing 17th century and American historiographic issues are useful. Bibliographic guides are useful to genealogical research as Hollick’s New Englanders in the 1600’s. If these works are available online, please tell us the URL and we can refer to that information if there is a request.

Chapter and State Librarians, please report all approved activity as we are delighted to learn of our “Dames” who are promoting the goals and objectives of the National Society.

Your assistance in building our library for the benefit of our members is appreciated and acknowledged. We apologize for not being able to take a book if we already have a copy or the book is not suitable for our goals.

Elizabeth W. Gramling
Librarian General

LIBRARY MONETARY DONATIONS

In honor of the National Library Book Fund by the Thomas Miller Chapter, Georgia

In honor of Jean Audrey Taylor of Denver, Colorado, by the Brewster of Scrooby Manor Chapter, Colorado

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In honor of Susan Lemesis, Georgia, by Rachel Colbert of the Thomas Wingfield Chapter, Georgia

In honor and appreciation of the National Library by the Brewster of Scrooby Manor Chapter, Colorado

**Books Donated**

- Donated by the North Carolina Society of CDXVIIC in honor of former North Carolina State President Libby McAteer, Historic Sites Markings of North Carolina by the NCSCCDXVIIC
- Donated by the Brewster Scrooby Manor Chapter, Colorado, in memory of Arlene Johnson, 1885 Colorado State Census for Arapahoe County, Volumes I and II, 1885 Colorado State Census, Index to Arapahoe County, and Colorado Marriages 1885-1939
- Donated by the Williamsburg Chapter, California in memory of Evelyn Savage, Index to Virginia Estates, 1800-1865, Volume 09
- Donated by Ellen S. Hinson of the Fort San Juan Chapter, North Carolina, Mecklenburg County, North Carolina Cemeteries, Volumes I, II, III, IV, V
- Donated by Sandra S. Wilson of the Captain Thomas Yale Chapter, Alabama, The Index of the First Presbyterian Church of Alexander City, Alabama 1893-1993
- Donated by Linda M. Neal of the Edmund Sheffield Chapter, Florida, in memory of her mother, Peggy Pierce Lindsey Moody, Fabian Families of Buck County, Pennsylvania
- Donated by Billie Jo M. Westby, Washington State President, Cary-Estes Genealogy

**Books Purchased**

From Diane Publishing Co.
- *Colonial Philadelphians*

From Faye Pass
- *Early Jefferson County, Georgia Newspaper Abstracts, 1799-1811*

From the Bedford, Virginia
- *Carder Funeral Records from 1876-1935*
- *Bedford Marriage Index 1754-1899*
- *Cemetery Records, 1500 Cemeteries, 37,000 Names*
Books ordered from Colonial Roots:
North Carolina Genealogical Books
- Bertie Co. Deeds 1785-1794
- Bertie Co. Deeds 1772-1785
- Marriage Abstracts Bertie Co.
- Marriage Abstracts Burke Co. 1780-1869
- Caswell Co. Marriage Bonds 1778-1868
- Caswell Co. Wills 1777-1843
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- Craven Co. Deeds, Wills, Inventories 1742-1801
- Craven Co. Deeds, Wills, Inventories 1801-1812
- Craven Co. Wills, Volumes 4 & 5
- Currituck Co. Deeds, Volume 2
- Duplin Co. Deeds 1784-1813
- Duplin Co. Marriage Bonds 1749-1868
- Edgecombe Co. Deeds 1759-1768
- Edgecombe Co. Deeds 1768-1778
- Edgecombe Co. Deeds 1778-1786
- Edgecombe Co. Deeds 1786-1794
- Edgecombe Co. Deeds 1794-1798
- Edgecombe Co. Deeds 798-1802
- Franklin Co. Wills, Volumes 6, 7, 8
- Franklin Co. Wills, DEFG, 1812-1824
- Franklin Co. Wills, HIJ, 1824-1834
- Franklin Co. Loose Estate Papers, Volume 1
- Franklin Co. Marriage Bonds 1779-1868 and Marriage Registrations 1851-1867
- Franklin Co. Original Wills, 1779-1861
- Franklin Co. Original Wills, 1862-1900
- Franklin Co. Court Minutes, 1785-1789
- Franklin Co. Court Minutes, 1789-1793
- Halifax Co. Deeds, 1758-1771
- Halifax Co. Deeds, 1771-1786
- Halifax Co. Deeds, 1786-1796
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- Halifax Co. Deeds, 1907-1811
- Halifax Co. Deeds, 1811-1817
- Halifax Co. Deeds, 1817-1820
- Mecklenburg Co. Court Minutes, 1774-1780
- Nash Co. Wills, Volumes 1 & 2
- Northampton Co. Deeds, 1759-1774
- Northampton Co. Deeds, 1774-1787
- Marriages of Orange Co., 1779-1868
- Rockingham Co. Wills, 1785
- Marriages of Rowan Co., 1753-1868
- North Carolina-South Carolina Bible Records
- Probate, Administration, Inventory, 1753-1790
- Probate, Administration, Inventory, 1677-190
- Loose Estate Papers, 1712-1798
- North Carolina Wills, Volume 4, 1663-1722
- North Carolina Wills, Volume 5, 1723-1736
- North Carolina Wills, Volume 6, 1737-1749
- North Carolina Wills, Volume 7, 1750-1755
- North Carolina Wills, Volume 8, 1756-1794
- North Carolina Estate Papers A to Gibson
- North Carolina Estate Papers Gilbert-Owen
- North Carolina Estate Papers Packe-Young
- Bertie Co. Deeds, 1757-1772

Elizabeth W. Gramling
Librarian General
The “Call to Conference” has been issued and I hope many of you are planning to attend the Eighty-Eighth National Conference. It is also my hope that there will be many newcomers to the conference from throughout the National Society as we prepare the way to the 100th Anniversary 2015 Celebration of the National Society.

At this year’s Open House and Nevada State Tea on Thursday, April 12, there will be the much anticipated unveiling and dedication by the 100th Anniversary Celebration 2015 Committee of the State Quilt Squares. Each and every state in the National Society submitted a quilt square reflecting their state’s diversity. You will not want to miss this special event. In addition, an original painting of Tennessee Irises, the State flower, from the Tennessee State Society will be unveiled. Other gifts have been approved and will be listed upon receipt.

Your Curator General has worked diligently with the Decorating Committee to maintain and preserve the artifacts preserved at our National Historic Headquarters. Please remember to continue your contributions to the Headquarters’ Decorating Committee—allocated and unallocated funds are greatly appreciated.

Frances Caillouet Carlton
Curator General
Bobbye Roberts Harkins, widow of John Patrick Harkins, Sr., died at her home in New Orleans, Louisiana on Saturday, December 17, 2011. Her life was a long road that stretched out for 98 years.

She was born in Simpson County, Mississippi, the oldest of three daughters of the late Drussila Walker Roberts and the late William Walter Roberts. Bobbye Harkins was a seventh generation Mississippian. She is survived by her three children, John Patrick Harkins, Jr. of New Orleans, Louisiana, Johnnita Harkins Cook (Dr. William Alan) of Pelham, Alabama, and Walter Michael Harkins, Sr. (Susan Sawaya) of Jackson, Mississippi. She also is survived by eight grandchildren, Alayna Cook Hornsby (Stuart), Charlottesville, Virginia; the Reverend Jonathan Alan Cook (Candace Handley), Northport, Alabama; Courtney Cook Rodgers (Geoffrey), Birmingham, Alabama; the Reverend Brandon Cook (Rebecca Rainboldt), Long Beach, California; Walter Michael Harkins, Jr. (Waverly Almon), Madison, Mississippi; Justin Patrick Harkins, Dallas, Texas; Madeleine Drusilla Harkins Roy, Claremont, California; and David Walker Roy Harkins, New Orleans, Louisiana. In addition, she is the great-grand mother of six with two more to be born soon. She was pre-deceased by her sister, Oneta Roberts Boxx (Solomon Estus), Simpson County, Mississippi and a great-grandson John Whittaker Cook, Northport, AL. She is survived also by another sister, Willlene Roberts Sartin (Floyd Bennett) Simpson County, Mississippi. Additionally, she is survived by several brothers- and sisters-in-law and a host of nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, great-great-nieces and great-great nephews, cousins and friends.
Affectionately known as "Moe" by her descendants, the name carried through to her grandchildren's friends and families (and sometimes "Photo Granny"). Photography was one of her passions, and she especially enjoyed watching and photographing her grandchildren participate in sports. And to many, she was known as dear "Miss Bobbye."

Bobbye concluded her education at the School of Nursing at the Mississippi Baptist Hospital, earning her R.N. Degree. She became surgical assistant and office manager for The Clinic of Doctors Long and Dees. In addition, Bobbye Harkins studied Law at the Jackson School of Law.

She married John Patrick Harkins, Sr. of the St. Anne's Community in Leake County, Mississippi on May 31, 1939. Together they began Harkins, the Florist in Jackson, which eventually included six flower shops, a growing operation with 20 greenhouses and shrubbery farm, a landscaping company, a pet shop and a candy and greeting card business.

With the outbreak of World War II she joined Dr. Long at the Selective Service Center for Mississippi, holding the highest civilian position.

With the birth of her second child, she retired to be a homemaker, shepherding her children through many activities. Scouting was of special interest to her, and she was proud that all three children became Eagle Scouts or Curved Bar.

She was an accomplished horsewoman, and she and her husband for many years helped present an annual Mississippi State Horse Show at the Fairgrounds.

In the mid-1950s Bobbye developed a lifelong interest in genealogy. Long before the days of computer-aided research, she visited cemeteries throughout Mississippi, interviewed older generations, sought out family Bibles and spent countless hours with microfilmed records. Her first and proudest line was proving her descent from Lt. Isaac Walker and his wife, Elizabeth Stuart, participants in the ill-fated attempt to bring "Bonnie Prince Charlie" to the British.

In addition to membership in the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution and the Magnolia State Chapter DAR, National Society CDXVII Century, the Mississippi State Society CDXVII Century and the Reverend Samuel Swayze Chapter, Bobbye Harkins was a member of 30 patriotic-lineage societies. Bobbye Harkins was a member of the Magna Charta Dames, United Daughters of the Confederacy, U.S. Daughters of 1812, Descendants of the Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims, Dames of the Court of Honor, Daughters of Colonial Wars, Daughters of the American Colonists, Children of the American Revolution, Scottish Dames of America, Colonial Dames of America, Caledonian Society of Mississippi, Southern Dames of America, Mississippi Genealogical Society, Family Research Association, Clan Gregor Society, Mississippi Historical Society, National Genealogical Society, National Gavel Club, First Families of Mississippi, National Society Descendants of Antebellum Planters 1607-1861, Sovereign Colonial Society Americans of Royal Descent, Order of the Crown, Order of Washington, Plantagenet Society, and Descendants of the Knights of the most Noble Order of the Garter.

Since the National Society Colonial Dames XVII Century was her greatest devotion, she served as president of both her chapter and state before she was chosen as Parliamentarian General by President General Phyllis Chait. She served three terms as Parliamentarian General. Bobbye Harkins served as Recording
Secretary General, Second Vice-President General, and President General of the National Society Colonial Dames XVII Century from 1987-1989. During her two-year term as President General, she visited 49 states at least once. She remained active in the Society until relatively recent times. Bobbye Harkins attended the NSCDXVIIC National Conference and the National Board of Management meetings in Washington, DC for 36 consecutive years. What a record!

Services were held at Wright and Ferguson Chapel on High Street in Jackson, Mississippi on Tuesday, December 20, 2011 at 11:00 a.m. Visitation was held from 10 until 11 a.m. Her two grandsons who are pastors, the Reverend Jonathan Cook of the Tuscaloosa Vineyard Church and the Reverend Brandon Cook of the Long Beach Christian Fellowship officiated. The Eulogy was delivered by Bobbye's long-time fellow Honorary President General National Society Colonial Dames XVII Century, Mary Johnston of Athens, Alabama. Grandson Justin Harkins shared remembrances. Burial followed at Lakewood Memorial Park in Jackson, Mississippi.

All of our lives were enriched by knowing Bobbye Harkins. Her values will live on in her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was a role model to those who knew her. Mrs. Harkins had high moral principles and her character was solid gold. She was a lady of quality, strength and dignity.

When asked as to what she wanted to be remembered? She would like to remembered for: Kindness to Others, Work with Children, and A Family Person.

As the Apostle Paul wrote to Timothy, Bobbye Harkins can also say: "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith."

Those wishing to make memorial donation in Bobbye's name may do so to Trinity Episcopal Church, 1329 Jackson Avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana 70130, The New Hope Cemetery Fund, 239 Boxx Road, Mt. Olive, Mississippi 39119 or the Taney or General Scholarship Fund, National Society Colonial Dames XVII Century, 1300 New Hampshire Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20036.

Memorial submitted by:
Mary Stagg Johnston
Honorary President General
National Society Colonial Dames XVIIC
NATIONAL COLONIAL HERITAGE MONTH

Bob Crowell, Mayor of Carson City, Nevada, presented Jan Lockard, President General, Colonial Dames XVII Century and her chapter, the Judith Jefferson Farrar Chapter, with a Proclamation recognizing October 2011 as Colonial Heritage Month.

Pictured here from left to right are: Cindy Trissel, Marsha Strand, Mayor Bob Crowell, President General Jan Lockard, Gloria Jaureguy, and Dixie Judge.
Mayor Bob Crowell of Carson City, Nevada, declaring October 2011 as National Colonial Heritage Month.
Office of The Mayor
City of Reno, Nevada

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the glory and the promise of our great nation has been enhanced by acclaimed organizations like the Judith Jefferson Farrar Chapter and the Thomas Holcomb Chapter of National Society Colonial Dames XVII Century, whose distinguished members are direct descendants of our country's earliest settlers; and

WHEREAS, one of the sound and noble goals of this heralded Society is to promote the tremendous colonial heritage upon which the very principles of our mighty nation were kindled and passed on - both in spirit and by example; and

WHEREAS, Colonial Dames XVII Century members, who are also highly respected for their longstanding record of caring and community service, proudly trace their time-honored roots back to our earliest settlers who came to America prior to 1701; and

WHEREAS, the city of Reno is pleased to join in celebrating this special month which is aptly set aside to wisely promote and explore our family backgrounds, origins, and our knowledge and appreciation of colonial history...as such a bountiful and glorious past continues to merit a special place in the minds and in the hearts of our people.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Robert A. Cashell, Sr., Mayor of the City of Reno, Nevada, do hereby proclaim

October 2011 as
COLONIAL HERITAGE MONTH

In and for the City of Reno, Nevada, and encourage all citizens to give observance to this organization for their lasting legacy of virtue, courage and patriotism that has molded the character of the this nation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Reno, Nevada, to be affixed this first day of October 2011.

Robert A. Cashell, Sr., Mayor
City of Reno

Lynnette Jones, City Clerk
City of Reno

ATTEST:
PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the CHARLESTOWNE Chapter of the National Society Colonial Dames XVII Century of CHARLESTON, South Carolina, is locally sponsoring National Colonial Heritage Month during the month of October, 2008; and

WHEREAS, National Colonial Heritage Month brings to mind the first courageous settlers who arrived in America and who determined the direction for the formation of our country; and

WHEREAS, the members of this Society, by virtue of their lineal descent from those early arrivals, feel an obligation to work for the preservation of the priceless legacy that these early arrivals left to all American citizens; and

WHEREAS, they continue to convey the true meaning of the inheritance by reminding us that our privilege to live in a free country has stemmed from “loving our country, obeying its laws, respecting its flag and defending it against all enemies”

NOW, THEREFORE, I, F. MICHAEL SOTTILE, BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME AS MAYOR OF THE CITY OF ISLE OF PALMS, SOUTH CAROLINA, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 2008 AS

NATIONAL COLONIAL HERITAGE MONTH

in the City of Isle of Palms, South Carolina, and encourage all citizens of the City of Isle of Palms to observe this month as a means of reinforcing the priceless legacy that we inherit with our citizenship, in order to help preserve our rich culture and heritage with deep respect for the principles upon which our great country was founded.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Isle of Palms to be affixed this 23rd day of September, 2008.

[Signature]
Mayor
CALL TO THE
EIGHTY- EIGHTH NATIONAL CONFERENCE
THE MAYFLOWER HOTEL, WASHINGTON, D.C.

April 11 – 14, 2012
Jan S. Lockard (Mrs. Keith) President General

CONFERENCE CHAIRMAN
DeLores L. Dupuis (Mrs. L. E.)
First Vice President General

CONFERENCE VICE CHAIRMAN
Pat Boals (Mrs. H. Ansil)
2nd Vice President General

HOST STATES
Nevada, Missouri, Tennessee, Arkansas

TO: NATIONAL BOARD OF MANAGEMENT, CHAPTER PRESIDENTS AND MEMBERS

All meetings are held at the Mayflower Hotel unless otherwise indicated

PRE-CONFERENCE

Wednesday, April 11, 2012

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
Delaware Board Room, Mayflower Hotel

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MEETING
South Carolina Room, Mayflower Hotel

3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. ONE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY
CELEBRATION COMMITTEE MEETING
South Carolina Room, Mayflower Hotel

REGISTRATION: Promenade, Mayflower Hotel

4:00 p.m.– 5:00 p.m. PAGES MEETING
South Carolina Room, Mayflower Hotel

Thursday, April 12, 2012

8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. REGISTRATION: Promenade, Mayflower Hotel

9:00 a.m. -- 11:00 a.m. BOARD OF MANAGEMENT MEETING:
East Room ((Elected, Appointed & Honorary Officers,
Chairmen of Standing and Special Committees, State
Presidents and Chapter Presidents in unorganized states. State Presidents Elect are invited as guests.

Immediately following the State Presidents Club Meeting:

Board of Management Meeting: East Room, Mayflower Hotel

11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.  
NATIONAL OFFICERS CLUB BRUNCH
South Carolina Room, Mayflower Hotel

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
OPEN HOUSE AND TEA
National Headquarters
1300 New Hampshire Ave., NW

To avoid overcrowding, the Tea has been divided into two sessions:

Session One: 1:45 p.m.–2:45 p.m.: Members & Guests from Alabama – Louisiana
Session Two: 3:15 p.m.–4:15 p.m.: Members & Guests from Maryland – Wyoming

7:30 p.m.  
FORMAL OPENING OF CONFERENCE
State Room

(Procession of National Officers, Honorary Officers & State Presidents forms at 7:00 p.m. Formal dresses and white gloves. President Generals’ Reception after close of Conference: Virginia Room)

Friday, April 13, 2012

8:00 – 12:00 Noon & 2:00 – 4:00 Noon  
Registration – Promenade

9:00 a.m.  
CONFERENCE CONVENES
East Room, Mayflower Hotel

Procession of National Officers forms at 8:30 a.m.

12:30 p.m.  
AWARDS LUNCHEON
Tennessee State Society, Host State
Colonial Room, Mayflower Hotel

2:00 p.m.  
CONFERENCE RESUMES
East Room, Mayflower Hotel

7:30 p.m.  
BANQUET
Arkansas State Society, Host State
East Room, Mayflower Hotel

Saturday, April 14, 2012

8:00 a.m.– 9:00 a.m.  
FINAL REGISTRATION

8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.  
THE HOUR OF REMEMBRANCE

Procession forms at 8:00 a.m.: Grand Marshall, Pages, State Chaplains or Representatives, those giving Memorials and the Chaplain General. White dresses and gloves. East Room, Mayflower Hotel
9:30 a.m.  CONFERENCE RECONVENCES  
East Room, Mayflower Hotel

12:30 p.m.  LUNCHEON  
Missouri State Society, Host State  
Colonial Room, Mayflower Hotel

2:00 p.m.  CONFERENCE RESUMES  
East Room, Mayflower Hotel

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE CONCLUSION OF THE CONFERENCE, THE EXECUTIVE BOARD WILL MEET IN THE DELAWARE BOARD ROOM, MAYFLOWER HOTEL.

DELEGATES TO NATIONAL CONFERENCE: See Bylaws, Article XIII

DUES: National dues must be received by the Treasurer General on or before December 31, 2011. When The State or Chapter President and the Treasurer sign the Credentials Report Form, they certify that the 2011 dues for the delegate have been paid.

CREDENTIALS: Send State/Chapter Credential Report Form as soon as delegates and alternates are elected but no later than April 1, 2012, to Mrs. Pamela Meiring, Chairman, 1909 George Mason, Williamsburg, VA 23188-1404; Tel.: 757-253-2640; Email: meiringp@cox.net

PAGES: Pages should be between the ages of 18-40. At least 12 are needed for the Annual Conference. White clothes and a smile the only prerequisites. Please send names of Pages immediately to the Chairman, Mrs. Kimberly Jo Alexander, 215 Cloverdale Circle, Madison, AL 35757-8132; Tel.: 256-461-0762; Email: kimjoalex@aol.com. Pages will receive an information packet and instructions for completing the Ticket Order Form.

HEADQUARTERS LIBRARY: The Library Hours are: Monday, April 9, Tuesday, April 10 and Wednesday April 11: 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m: Closed on Thursday, April 12 and Friday, April 13, 2012. Will be open April 13 one hour after adjournment of Conference. Open Sunday, April 15, by appointment only. Contact Office Manager, Bea Strattner cd17th@verizon.net or Tel: 202-293-1700.

PAMELA WRIGHT COLLECTIONS: She will have Colonial Dames jewelry, ribbons, monogrammed Pouches, elegant evening bags, silver and other items of interest. Please visit her during the following hours: Wednesday, April 11, 1-6 p.m.; Thursday, April 12, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.; Friday, April 13, 8 a.m. – 6 p.m.; Saturday, April 14, 8 a.m. – 10 a.m. Independence Room & Constitution Room.

SOCIETY SALES: Same locations as Pamela Wright Collections.
HOTEL RESERVATIONS:

**THE MAYFLOWER HOTEL:**  (The Conference Hotel.) 1127 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20036: Phone: 202-347-3000. The room rate is $261.00 plus tax for single or double occupancy. Cutoff date is 15 March 2012. Please be sure to have your room mates name included on the reservation. **BE SURE TO MENTION “GENEALOGICAL RELATED SOCIETIES” WHEN MAKING YOUR RESERVATION.**

**THE WASHINGTON MARRIOT HOTEL:**  1221 22ND Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20037, Phone: 800-228-9290 OR 202-872-1500. The hotel is two & ½ blocks from the NSCDXVIIC Headquarters and within walking distance to the Mayflower Hotel. Room rate is $190.00, plus tax, for single or double occupancy. Please be sure to have your room mates name included on the reservation. **BE SURE TO MENTION NATIONAL SOCIETY COLONIAL DAMES XVII CENTURY WHEN MAKING YOUR RESERVATION.**

ROOMMATES
April 11-14, 2012

Room rate for the Mayflower Hotel is $261.00 per night, plus tax. Room rate for the Washington Marriott Hotel is $190.00 per night, plus tax. We have the option of an option that may enable more to attend the National Conference without undue financial burden. If you are interested in sharing a room and the cost of the room, please contact: Emily Richardson, 2150 Whippoorwill Rd, Charlottesville, VA 22901-8811; E-mail: emilytr@embarqmail.com; Tel: 434-977-6880; . Please complete the application and circle the number of roommates you’d be willing to have. Include the dates you would need roommates.

You will receive a list of others desiring roommates, if there is sufficient response.

NAME & NATIONAL #: ________________________________

ADDRESS: __________________________________________

________________________________________________________________

CITY/STATE & ZIP CODE (Above)

TELEPHONE #: ___________ E-MAIL: ________________

I would like roommates for the following nights: April 11, 12, 13, 14. Please circle the # of roommates: 1 2 3. The cutoff date for reservations is March 22, 2012. You must be a current member of NSCDXVIIC to use this service.
TICKET SALES & RESERVATIONS: MEALS & TEA TICKETS: 2012

Mail ticket order form and reservation check to Joanne Byerly, 2233 Kiretzke Lane #A, Reno, NV 89502-3642; Tel: 775-786-2836; E-mail: red488@att.net. Deadline: March 28, 2012. There will be a service Charge of $5.00 on each order post-marked after that date. Tickets may be picked up during registration Hours. NO TICKETS WILL BE MAILED. If you wish a confirmation that the Ticket Chairman has received your reservation, please enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope in your envelope. Written cancellation requests for refunds must be accompanied by a self-addressed, stamped envelope. It must be received by April 2, 2012. Refunds for approved cancellations will be made by the Conference Chairman approximately 30 days following the Conference. Make checks payable to: NSCDXVIIC Conference Fund.

NAME: _______________________________________________________

ADDRESS: _______________________________________________________________________________________

STATE in which you are a member IF different from where you reside: __________________________

E-MAIL: _______________________________________________________

NATIONAL OFFICER (Title) ________________________________________________________________

NATIONAL CHAIRMAN (Title) ________________________________________________________________

NATIONAL HONORARY (Title) ________________________________________________________________

STATE PRESIDENT Yes_______ No ______

GUEST ______ PAGE ________ MEMBER OF NATIONAL CHORUS ______

DIETARY RESTRICTIONS: ______________________________________________________________

OPEN HOUSE & TEA: APRIL 12, 2012

Members Gratis: No. tickets ______

Guests - $2.00:  No. tickets ______ $__________

April 13, 2012 Luncheon: Colonial Room $48.00 $__________

1. Grilled Berkshire Pork Loin #1____

2. Cornbread crusted brook Trout #2____

April 13, 2012 Banquet: East Room $73.00 $__________

1. Grilled Beef Flat Iron Steak #1____

2. Macadamia Crusted Mahi Mahi #2____

April 14, 2012 Luncheon: Colonial Room $49.00 $__________

1. Roasted Chicken Breast ______

TOTAL: $__________
Calling all members of the State Presidents Club! Plans have been made for our club to have an evening out. Reservations have been made to see “1776” at the Ford Theater on Wednesday April 11, 2012 at 7:30 p.m.

With quick-witted dialogue and a playful score, 1776 dramatizes the impassioned debates of Philadelphia’s Second Continental Congress. As George Washington sends updates from the military front, patriots John Adams, Benjamin Franklin and Thomas Jefferson attempt to persuade the 13 colonies to separate from British rule. Motivated by a series of abuses from King George, America’s first politicians forge a new democracy by composing the Declaration of Independence. Based on the letters and memoirs of America’s founding fathers, this classic, Tony Award-winning musical showcases the principles, pride and determination that influenced the birth of our nation.

The cost for this affair will be $46.00. Please make checks payable to the State Presidents Club - NSCDXVIIC. Reservations must be made no later than March 1, 2012 and monies in the hands of the club treasurer (Info at bottom of page). Space is very limited so reserve early.

Once your reservation has been made, information will be sent to you regarding this event.

If you are not already a member and would like to join us, please send a check to the treasurer, Connie Young, in the amount of $30 Life Membership or $3 annually.

Please join us on Thursday, April 12, 2012 for our annual meeting (check your program for more details.)

We look forward to meeting again in friendship and service.

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Calling all Dames!

Your Society needs YOU!!

Pages are needed for our National Conference April 11-14, 2012.

Pages should be between 18-40 but exceptions may be made.

A smile and white clothes of appropriate length are the only requirements.

Names of prospective Pages need to be submitted to the Page Chairman or Vice Chairman as soon as possible.

Contact
Kimberly Alexander
(kimjoalex@aol.com)

Before March 1, 2012
UPDATE

ONE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY

CELEBRATION – 2015

To serve as the chairman of the 100th Anniversary Celebration Committee is indeed an honor and privilege. This committee has implemented the overall scheme and is accomplishing its goals. We continue to add new ideas and activities as we plan for this wonderful occasion to pay tribute to our Society’s heritage and achievements.

I am delighted to report that ALL of the State Societies have contributed a State Quilt Square for our Anniversary Celebration 2015 Quilt. Thank you to each State President for your cooperation. Mary Ann Hepler has procured the services of a “wonderful quilting lady” who will complete the quilt in time for the unveiling in April 2012.

All of the social activities at the 2015 National Conference will be funded by this committee and not by the state societies. Therefore, your continued planned contributions to this fund is greatly appreciated and needed. Honorariums and memorials are also gifts of appreciation.

As you plan your programs for the years leading up to the National Celebration, it is the hope of this committee that you will select programs on the history of our Society, its Founder and our Headquarters Building and furnishings. Suggestions on how to procure these programs are found on the 100th Anniversary Celebration form found on the Society’s website.

In addition, there are two pins available from Hamilton’s for a donation of $100.00 each. All of us will want to proudly add one of the collector’s pins to our ribbons or to give one as a gift to honor one of our members.

I look forward to receiving your reports and meeting with the 100th Anniversary Committee in April 2012.

Kathleen LaValle Deegan
Chairman
STANDING RULE #23 CORRECTION

Please note the following correction in the Standing Rules regarding rule #23, in bold.

23. All fees and dues shall be sent to the State Treasurer by November 15th from the chapters, and these shall be forwarded to the Treasurer General by December 31st, except those fees and dues stipulated in the National Bylaws as payable directly to the Treasurer General, and shall be paid by Cashier’s Check, Money Order, or Chapter check. **Annual dues shall be twenty two dollars ($22.00) (adopted 2011). The new member application fee shall be forty-five dollars ($45.00) (adopted 2011)** which includes national dues for one year. The fees for supplemental papers shall be twenty dollars ($20.00) (adopted 2004). The fees for application papers for Coats of Arms shall be fifteen dollars ($15.00.) (adopted 2006) A certificate for approved supplementals shall be available on request at a cost of ten dollars ($10.). *(This rule #23 was changed by the adoption of the 2010 National Bylaws, which gave Junior Members a dues and fee change of one half of the current national dues charged and one half of the application fee charged.) *(2011 – edited).*

State Presidents and Chapter Presidents in Unorganized States

Your Second Vice President General and Organizing Secretary General appreciate the copies of current yearbooks that have been provided to each of us.

If your state or chapter in an unorganized state has not sent a copy of your yearbook to one or both of us, we would appreciate receiving your yearbook. These yearbooks are most helpful to each of us with our work.

Thank you so much!

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Still Available!!

DAMES!!
THE ANCESTOR ROSTER BOOK IS BACK!!

We plan to reprint the Society’s 2005 Ancestor Roster Book that was published during Mary Johnston’s Administration. MANY Dames have tried to order this book, only to be told it is out of print. That is about to change.

This book covers all ancestors from 1915 to 2005. It will include all pertinent information necessary for a person to become a member of our Society. It includes the ancestor’s name, immigration date, colony, birth date, death date, spouse and service when known, as recorded in the Application and Supplemental paper of the Society. This reprinting will be the same as the original book.

Buy one for yourself! Your Chapter Registrar! Your local library! Your Historical Society! Your State Registrar!

THE ANCESTOR ROSTER
National Society Colonial Dames Seventeenth Century
Pre-publication price (hardbound): $85.00
Shipping: add $10.00 for 1 or 2 books

Please complete the order form at the bottom of the page for your copy/copies.

**********************DETACH HERE**********************

Order Now!

Enclosed is my check in the amount of $________ for the purchase of ________ copy/copies of the Ancestor Roster Book, made payable to the Treasurer General NSCDXVIIC.

Please send your check and this form to Mrs. Dean F. Cobos, 89 Cross Street, Rowley, MA 01969-1413

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STANDING COMMITTEES

AUDIO-VISUAL TECHNOLOGY
The promotion of communication, information and technology are among the cornerstones of the Lockard Administration. Technology will also help to achieve the goal of increased membership as we reach out to prospective members for our beloved Colonial Dames XVII Century. This chairman enjoyed producing the interview of former President General Juanita Gex which will be used during our 100th Anniversary Celebration in 2015. All former President Generals will be interviewed for this most special occasion and this video will be archived for future generations. It is my pleasure to donate this project. Serving as Chairman, Audio-Visual Technology has been extremely rewarding. It is a pleasure to serve the Lockard Administration and our National Society.

Anna Marie Lee, Chairman
Genealogical Queries

While genealogical queries have been a traditional part of historical and lineage society publications, the explosion of Internet data collections has changed the way members seek information.

In the first year of the Lockard administration, no queries were submitted for publication in the Review. So we have launched a page for genealogical queries in the Members Only section of our website and have expanded the guidelines which are published there.

First you go to the website: www.colonialdames17c.org and scroll down the front page to “Members Only.” Click on that, entering the universal username and password. Then scroll down to “New! Genealogical Queries.” This will take you to a page published in PDF that you can print out. Follow the guidelines and submit your query anytime.

There is no cost for a query. It can be up to 100 words in length. Two queries are currently published to show the conventions to use.

Send your queries to this Chairman at: sandy@clunies.net

Hopefully, another member may have some information to help you solve your research puzzles or break down that frustrating brick wall!

Sandra MacLean Clunies, Chairman

Grave Markers

Honoring the memory of our deceased members by placing a grave marker is one of the privileges of our society. This year has been a learning experience for this chairman. It has been a pleasure working with the chapters, members and their families. A huge thank you to all of you for your patience during a time made more difficult by the price increases last spring.

Currently the 3 inch lug mounted cast bronze markers are $133.00. The cost of 6 ¾ inch cast bronze markers with 19” bronze stake or for mounting on stone is $163.00. An image for use in engraving the emblem directly on the grave stone is available from this chairman. Please be sure to use the order form on our National Website, reflecting the correct prices, for ordering a marker or the stencil.

This chairman looks forward to another year of serving our society with this most interesting committee.

Patricia Fullerton, Chairman

** NOTICE **

Insignia Pins on eBay

It has been found that Colonial Dames 17th Century Official pins have been placed on EBAY and in Estate sales. This is contrary to the desire of the National Organization. Please notify your relatives what you wish to have done with your pins when you can no longer wear them. If you know of anyone who plans to put their pins in either of these two (2) places, please give me this information.

Yvonne Young Miller, National Insignia Chairman
The Winter Review was published by Carlisle Publishing of Reno, Nevada. I hope you enjoyed the new format!

The Post Office failed us this holiday season by delaying delivery of some Reviews. These delays were not based on the distance from the publisher because members close to the publisher experienced long delays as well.

Local post offices are always concerned about their customer service levels. If they hear from their local patrons, they know that someone is anxious to receive their magazine and it may prompt them to deliver it more quickly. If more than one member calls, they may really get the message!

Your chairman has also written to the Postmaster General and her U.S. Senators and Congressman about the poor service they provided to us. Please join me in this effort!

Betsy Phillips Jones, Chairman

How are you attracting members to your chapter? How about Facebook? Individual chapters can set-up a Facebook page advertising their events and adding pictures. You can set it up with a page for public view and a page for members only. You will need to follow the guidelines for a webpage. Give it a try and let me know how you are doing.

Does your town or city have a free publication advertising events like Annapolis has a What’s happening Annapolis? Or the local newspaper either in print or online? Post pictures of your chapter’s activities and don’t forget to add your contact information!

Let’s make 2012 a record year for increased membership. We can do it!

Jackie Ruffing, Chairman

I hope all of you have checked out your State Page on our National Web site. We still have 7 (seven) states who do not have Web pages. Some of the state pages that are on line need to be updated. Please check your state page and work with your state to get a web page for your state connected to the National Web Page. You do not need to know how to design a web page, you just need to provide the information and it is FREE. If you would like a web page or if you need to update your web page please contact me at: 928-453-1824 or sdulac@uneedspeed.net.

Selena Du Lac, Chairman

I wish to thank you for allowing me to serve as National Courtesy Resolutions Chairman. I look forward to bringing Courtesy Resolutions to the National Conference in April, 2012.

I appreciate the information and help that I have received from you and immediate past National Courtesy Resolutions Chairman Mrs. Ruffing concerning this committee.

Mrs. Ronald King, Chairman
HERALDRY & COATS OF ARMS

2011 was a successful year for the Heraldry~Coats of Arms. There were a total of 1094 new applications approved. Many were first time applicants. Many States and Chapters have raised the awareness level of the Heraldry~Coats of Arms program with workshops and initiatives to encourage participation.

In October, the Florida State Society “charted” all of the beautiful Coats of Arms hanging at the National Society. Shortly we hope to have this information available to all members so that anyone wishing to locate a particular Coat of Arms will be able to do so easily. If the Coat of Arms is not currently on display at the National Society, members may want to consider having it painted and submitted for hanging.

Please remember that all Heraldry~Coats of Arms application packages must include the original application on the official acid free paper plus two copies (bond paper), a copy of the membership or supplemental application on the Colonial Ancestor specified on the application, copies of any material cited as a reference-proof including previously approved COAs, and a check for $15.00 (per application) made out to: NSCDXVIIC.

Maureen L McGowan-Singer
ROLL OF ARMIGERS
#11650 (* may not copy)

Wilson, P., NC; Robert Abell, MA (1630-1663) #11677, Charlemagne, HRE; #11900, Robert Abell.

Dean-Thomas, L., FL; Robert Abell, MA (c1630-1663) #11868, Charlemagne, HRE.

Brostrom, D., AZ; John Alden, MA (1620-1687) #11870, John Alden.

Crockett, H., GA; John Awbrey, VA (1670-1692) #11682, Malcolm III, King of Scotland.

Golden, N., GA; John Awbrey, VA (1670-1692) #11728, Malcolm III, King of Scotland.

Warren, P., TX; William Ballagh/Bellah, SC (1692-1739) #11873, Isabel de Vermandois, Countess of Leicester; #11874, Adelaide de Vermandois, Countess of Vermandois, Valois & Vexin; #11875, Henry IV, Count of Vermandois & Valois; #11876, Otho (Otto, Eudes) Count of Vermandois; #11877, Albert III Count of Vermandois; #11878, Albert I, the Pious, Count of Vermandois.

Nelson, G., AZ; Francis Billingsley, VA/MD (1649-1684) #11879, Richard de Clare, MCS.

Timberlake, M., CA; Richard Bowen, MA (c1638-1674/5) #11781, Sir Robert Goushill of Hoveringham; #11782, Bartholomew de Badlesmere; #11783, William de Braose, Lord of Abergavenny; #11784, Sir John de Stanley, Lord of the Isle of Man; #11786, Richard FitzAlan, Earl of Arundel; #11785, Enguerrand II de Fiennes.

Canup, L., GA; Chistopher Branch, VA (1623-1681) #11700, St. Arnulf (Arnuld), Bishop Metz.

Hickam, N., NC; Christopher Branch, VA (1620-1681) #11776, Charlemagne, HRE.

Hendershot, S., OH; William Brewster, MA (1620-1644) #11842, William Brewster of Doncaster, Yorkshire.

Pennington, A., MO; Obadiah Bruen, CT/NJ (1640-1690) #11780, Obadiah Bruen - OAAA, NEHGS.

Martin, M., TX; Peter I Bulkeley, MA (1635-1659) #11764, Egbert, King of Wessex; #11765, William I, The Conqueror, King of England; #11766, Matilda/Maud of Flanders; #11767, Malcolm III “Canmore”, King of Scotland; #11768, St. Margaret of Scotland.
Schiller, S., CA; Peter (Rev.) Bulkeley, CT/MA (1635-1658/9) #11801, Rev. Peter Bulkeley, OAAA; #11802, Randall Grosvenor, Esq. of Bellaport; #11803, Anthony Irby of co. Lincoln.

Story, O., OK; Martha Bulkeley-Mellowes, MA (1632-1639) #11841, Rodrigo Diaz “El Cid”, Senor de Bivar/Bivar.

Koelling, D., AZ; Thomas Bye, PA (1699-1726) #11740, Malcolm III “Canmore”, King of Scotland.

Gillespie, J., FL; Edward Carleton, MA (1638-1649) #11694, John De Lacy, Earl of Lincoln, MCS; #11695, Rodrigo Diaz “El Cid”, Senor de Bivar/Bivar.

Morrison, C., GA; John Case, MA/CT (?-1704) #11656, Sir Reynold de Mohun; #11657, Thomas Basset, MCS, Advisor to King John; #11658, Sir Nicholas Poyntz, 2nd Lord Poyntz; #11659, Sir Robert III, de Beaumont, Lord of Hatch, Somerset; #11689, Sir Philip de Clanvowe of Michaelchurch-on-Arrow, co. Radnof & Yazor; #11690, James de St. Hilary, Lord of Field Dalling, Norfolk; #11691, Ranulph le Meschin, Earl of Chester; #11692, Richard fitz Gilbert de Clare & Tonbridge; #11693, Richard Pollard of Devon; #11897, John de Acton; #11898, John Prutteston of Prutteston/Preston; #11899, John Whalesburgh/Whaliborough.

Thompkins, R., GA; David I Crawford, VA (1643-1710) #11790, John Beaufort, Knight, King’s Knight, Constable of Wallingfur Castle.

Hacke, E., AZ; Isaac de Forest, NY (1636/7-1674) #11871, Isaac de Forest.

Collins, S., LA; George Denison, MA (1631-1694) #11804, George Denison of Bishops Stortford, Hertfordshire; #11805, William Denison of Bishops Stortford, Hertfordshire.

Canales, C., NC; George Denison, MA (1631-1694) #11806, George Denison of Bishops Stortford, Hertfordshire; #11807, William Denison of Bishops Stortford, Hertfordshire.

Long, L., OH; William Dennison, CT (1655-1715) #11667, George Denison.

Hann, J., OH; Thomas (Gov.) Dudley, MA (1630-1653) #11839, Roger le Bigod, Earl of Norfolk, MCS.

Hann, J., OH; Thomas (Gov.) Dudley, MA (1630-1653) #11840, Saher (Saier) de Quincy, 1st Earl of Winchester, MCS.

Timberlake, M., CA; Henry Farwell, MA (c1636-1670) #11735, Hugh Magnus, Duke of France; #11736, Jaroslav I, Grand Prince of Kiev; #11737, Henry I “the Fowler”, King of Germany.
Sutton, E., SC; Robert Feake, MA (1630-1660/1) #11665, Robert Feake, Gentleman of London.

Cameron, S., CO; Elizabeth Fones, CT (1631-1669) #11822, Elizabeth Fones - OAAA, NEHGS.

Nelson, G., AZ; Henry Fowler, RI (1652-1687) #11712, Robert de Vere, Knight, Earl of Oxford, MCS; #11856, Henry de Bohun, MCS.

Rockabrand, K., WA; Alice Eltonhead Gascoigne/Gaskins, VA (1619-1702) #11683, Eleanor of Aquitaine, Queen of France & Queen of England.

Boyd, S., MS; Thomas Gascoigne/Gaskins, VA (1619-1665) #11727, Edward I, King of England.

London, M., TX; Thomas Gascoigne/Gaskins, VA (1619-1665) #11792, William de Montagu, Lord Montagu; #11793, Simon de Montagu, Lord Montagu, Admiral of the Fleet; #11794, William de Montagu; #11795, Drew de Montagu; #11796, William de Montagu, Sheriff of Somerset & Dorset; #11797, Adelaide de Vermandois, Countess of Vermandois, Valois & Vexin; #11798, Herbert IV, Count of Vermandois; #11799, Hugh Magnus, Duke of France; #11808, John De Warenne, 7th Earl of Surrey; #11809, William De Warenne, 6th Earl of Surrey; #11810, William De Warenne, 3rd Earl of Surrey; #11811, Isabel De Warenne, Countess of Surrey; #11812, William De Warenne, 2nd Earl of Surrey; #11813, William De Warenne, 1st Earl of Surrey; #11830, Pepin le Bref “the short”, Mayor of the Palace, King of the Franks.

Paulson, G., AR; Thomas Gascoigne/Gaskins, VA (1619-1665) #11828, Richard de Clare, Knt., Baron of Clare, 3rd Earl of Hereford, MCS; #11829, John de Lacy, MCS.

Paulson, H., AR; Thomas Gascoigne/Gaskins, VA (1619-1665) #11872, Alfred the Great, King of England.

Shoupe, L., NV; Thomas Gerard, MD/VA (1638-1673) #11769, William the Conqueror; #11770, Robert Fitz Harding; #11771, Sir John de Arderne; #11772, Sir John Savage, KG of Clifton & Rocksavage, Cheshire; #11773, Rogerlus de Berkeley.

Stephenson, I., TN; Benjamin Gill, MD (1642-1655) #11862, Thomas Gerard, Knight; #11863, Peter Legh, Knight; #11864, Thomas Stanley, Knt., KG, 1st6 Lord Stanley; #11865, William Torbock, Knight, of Tarbock; #11866, Oliver Manwaring, Gentleman of Exeter; #11867, Benjamin Gill, Gentleman of London.

Nelson, G., AZ; Thomas Godwin, VA (c1650-1658) #11650, William Godwin of Wells.
Stuart-Borok, B., CA; Thomas Greene, MD (1634-1651) #11668, William de Warrene, 3rd Earl of Surrey; #11669, Ralph de Tony of Hertfordshire; #11774, William de Fiennes; #11775, James Fiennes of Herstmonceux; #11814, Gilbert de Clare, MCS; #11815, Richard de Clare, Knt., Baron of Clare, 3rd Earl of Hereford, MCS.

Reeve, L., MD; John I Greene, MA (1635-1659) #11787, Alfred the Great, King of England.

Chapuis-Matthews, FL; Matthew I Griswold, CT (1639-1698) #11880, John Greswold of Kenelworth.

Wilson, M., CA; Robert Harrington, MA (1634-1707) #11661, Sir Thomas Terrill; #11662, Sir Walter Terrill of Heron; #11663, Sir James Terrill, Knt. Of Heron; #11664, Sir Hugh Terrill of Great Thorndon in Essex; #11708, Sir Edward Tyrrell; #11709, Sir John Hawkwood of White Company; #11710, Sir William Coggleshell, Sheriff of Essex and Herford.

Shawver, I., OH; Burr Harrison, VA (1699-1775) #11835, Burr Harrison - OAAA.

Caddell, S., IL; William Hatch, MA (1634-1651) #11726, John at Hecche of co. Kent.

Jackson, N., GA; William Herndon, VA (1672-1722) #11741, William Herndon.

Stephens, K., CA; Thomas Holcombe, MA/CT (1630-1673) #11711, Thomas Holcombe.

Rainier, P., CA; Stephen Hopkins, MA (1620-1644) #11722, Stephen Hopkins, Gentleman of London.

Eaton, S., AZ; Stephen Hopkins, MA (1620-1644) #11869, Stephen Hopkins, Gentleman of London.

Paxton, V., CA; Thomas I Hungerford, CT (1639-1663) #11670, Gilbert de Clare, MCS*; #11671, Hugh le Bigod, Earl of Norfolk, MCS*; #11672, Roger le Bigod, 2nd Earl of Norfolk, MCS*; #11673, John IV FitzAlan, 7th Earl of Arundel*; #11674, Ralph Daubeney, 2nd Baron Daubeney*; #11675, Sir William Inge, Knt., Lord Chief Justice of the King’s Bench; #11676, John Lovel, 1st Baron of Tichmarsh; #11702, Richard Seymour, 6th Baron St. Maur*; #11703, Henry de Green, Lord Chief Justice of the King’s Bench; #11704, Robert de Ros, 1st Baron de Ros of Helmsley; #11705, Robert de Ros, Lord of Hamlake Castle, MCS; #11706, Edmund II “Ironside”, King of England; #11730, Bartholomew de Badlemere; #11731, Jordan Foliot, 1st Baron Foliot; #11732, Walter de Bolebec, Lord of Whitechurch*; #11733, John de Mohun, 2nd Baron Mohun, KG;
#11734, Bartholomew de Burghersh, 1st Baron Burghersh; #11816, William I “the Lion”, King of Scotland; #11817, Henry de Huntingdon, Earl of Huntingdon & Northumbria*; #11818, David I, King of Scotland*; #11819, William de Warenne, 2nd Earl of Surrey; #11831, William II de Braose, 4th Lord of Bramber*; #11832, William de Briwere, Justiciar of England, Baron of the Exchequer*; #11833, Miles (FitzWalter) de Gloucester, 1st Earl of Hereford*; #11859, Sir Alexander Comyn, Sheriff of Aberdeenshire & Wigtown*; #11860, Alexander Comyn, 2nd Earl of Buchan, Guardian of Scotland*; #11861, Adam de Everingham, 2nd Baron Everingham*; #11894, Roger de Mortimer, 1st Baron Mortimer of Wigmore*; #11895, Duncan I, King of Scots*; #11896, Llywelyn ab Iorwerth, King of Wales*.

**Stuart-Borok, B., CA;** Thomas Hussey, MD (1656-1700) #11724, Robert Wroth; #11725, Roger de Lewknor.

**Nelson, B., CO;** Thomas Hynson, MD (1651-1667/8) #11882, Thomas Hynson.

**Doran, D., FL;** Joseph Jewett, MA (1638-1660) #11837, Edward Jewett, Gentleman of Braford.

**Wildasin, M., FL;** Joseph Jewett, MA (1638-1660) #11838, Edward Jewett, Gentleman of Braford.

**Glielmi, N., NC;** Francis Kendall, MA (1640-1708) #11729, John Kendall of Cambridge.


**Ballard, P., CO;** Robert Kinsman, MA (1635-1664) #11742, Simon Kynesman of Loddington.

**Canup, L., GA;** Nicholas Knapp, MA/CT (1630-1670) #11699, Nicholas Knapp.

**Arnold, R., TN;** Samuel Lane, MD (1663-1681) #11884, John of Gaunt; #11885, Charles of France, Knt., Count of Valois, Alencon, Chartres & Perche; #11886, Charles II of Salerno, King of Jerusalem & Sicily; #11887, Charles of France, King of Jerusalem & Sicily; #11888, Louis VIII, le Lion, Knt., King of France; #11889, John of Gaunt; #11890, Charles of France, Knt., Count of Valois, Alencon, Chartres & Perche; #11891, Charles II of Salerno, King of Jerusalem & Sicily; #11892, Charles of France, King of Jerusalem & Sicily; #11893, Louis VIII, le Lion, Knt., King of France.

**Dalbec, R., OH;** John II Lanier, VA (?-1719) #11697, Nicholas Lanier.
Shawver, I., OH; Richard Lee, VA (1639-1664) #11836, Richard Lee - OAAA.

Overstreet, L., TX; Thomas Ligon/Lygon, VA (1640-1674/5) #11823, Charlemagne, HRE; #11824, Geoffrey V Plantagenet, Count of Anjou; #11825, Edward I, King of England.

Canup, L., GA; Daniel Llewellyn, VA (1633-1656) #11701, Daniel Llewellyn.

Dinkins, B., AZ; Simon Lynde, MA (1650-1687) #11791, Sir Roger De Grey of Ruthin.

Alworth, M., TX; John Maverick, MA (1630-1635/6) #11743, Ruutpert IV, “Robert the Strong”, Count of Paris & Marquis of Anjou; #11744, Sir William de Cantelou, Baron Abergavenny; #11745, William de Braose, 5th Lord of Braose (Briouze); #11746, Reynold (Reginald) de Braose; #11747, Alan, Lord Galloway, Constable of Scotland; #11748, Robert I, Count of Paris & Poitiers; #11749, Pepin, King of the Franks, “The Short; #11750, Albert I, “the Pious”, Count of Vermandois; #11751, Herbert III, Count Vermandois; #11752, Herbert I, Count of Vermandois; #11753, Herbert II, Count of Vermandois; #11754, Odo (Otho), Count of Vermandois; #11755, Robert II “the Pious”, King of France, Duke of Burgundy; #11756, Guigui, Count of Soissons; #11757, Hugh Capet, Count of Orleans & Paris, Elected King of France, first Capetan King; #11758, Malcolm III “Canmore”, King of Scotland; #11759, Hugh de Kevelioc, 3rd Earl of Chester, Vicomte d’Avranche; #11760, Hugh the Great, Duke of France & Burgundy; #11761, Henry I, “the Fowler”, Duke of Saxony, King of Germany & Lorraine, Emperor of the West; #11762, Duncan I, King of Scots; #11763, Endo (Eon or Eudes) la Zouche of Ashby & Harringworth.

Adams, S., TX; Patrick Napier, VA (c1665-1668/9) #11713, John Napier, 1st Baron of Kilmahew & Dumbartonshire.

Berta, L., CO; Thomas Newberry, CT (1634-1636) #11721, Clovis the Riparian, Frankish King of Cologne.

Nelson, B., CO; Thomas Newberry, MA (1634-1636) #11883, Henry De Newburgh, Earl of Warwick.

Brandhorst, M., TX; John Newton, VA (1660-1697) #11651, Sir Robert de Beaumont, 1st Earl of Leicester; #11652, Sir Baldwin de Reviers/Redvers, 1st Earl of Devon; #11653, Sir Renaud/Reginald de Courtenay, Baron of Oakhampton/ Okehampton; #11654, Sir Richard de Wydville/Woodville; #11655, Sir William Huddlesfield/Huddesfield of Shillingford.


Melton, M., TX; Richard, Sr. Parker, VA (1654-1680/1) #11707, Hugh de Courtenay, KG, 10th Earl of Devon, Lord of Oakhampton.
Prentice, R., CO; John I Payne, VA (1653-1690) #11684, John Payne of Wallingford, co. Berks.

England, P., AZ; George Poindexter, VA (1657-c1692) #11826, George Poindexter of the Isle of Jersey-OAAA.

Poindexter, P., AZ; George Poindexter, VA (1657-c1692) #11827, George Poindexter of the Isle of Jersey-OAAA.

Huskey, F., CA; Edward Rainsford/Raynsford, MA (1630-1680) #11820, Richard I the Fearless, Duke of Normandy; #11821, William Longsword, Duke of Normandy.

Wilson, M., CA; William Reed, MA (1635-b1656) #11660, William de Lovel, Baron of Titmarsh.

Lambuth, W., MS; Cocke Richard, VA (1636-1665) #11666, Richard Cocke of Stottesdon.


Payne, E., MD; Lawrence Smith, VA (bef1652-1700) #11714, Sir William de Plumpton, Knight of Plumpton in Spofforth; #11715, Sir Robert de Plumpton, Knight of Plumpton in Spofforth; #11716, Sir William de Roos, Knight of Ingmanthorpe; #11717, Sir William de Roos, Knight of Helmsley & Huntsingore; #11718, Sir Robert de Roos, Knight of Helmsley, Sheriff of Cumberland, MCS.

Thompson, D., NC; William Spencer, VA (1607-1637) #11698, William Spencer, Gentleman of Bedfordshire.

Whitson, S., GA; William Spencer, MA/CT (1634-1640) #11857, Gerard Spencer of Stotfold.

McCasland, G., OK; William IV Strother, VA (1650-1702) #11777, Isabel of Angouleme; #11778, John “Lackland”, King of England; #11779, Ralph Neville, Earl of Westmoreland.

Horvath, I, IL; James Torrey, MA (1637-1665) #11843, Roger Bigod, Lord High Stewart of England, 2nd Earl of Norfolk; #11844, Lady Godiva Hereward of Coventry; #11845, William de Mowbray, Baron of Axholme, MCS; #11846, Henry de Bohun, Earl of Hereford & Essex, MCS; #11847, William D’Aubigny, Earl of Arundel & Sussex, MCS; #11848, King John “Lackland”, King of England; #11849, Jaroslav I, Grand Prince of Kiev; #11850, Geoffrey V, Plantagenet, Count of Anjou; #11851, Baldwin I, “Ironman”, 1st Count of Flanders; #11852,
Eleanor of Aquitaine, Duchess of Aquitaine, Queen of France & England; #11853, Kenneth II, 1st King of the Scots; #11854, Edward the Elder, King of England; #11855, Sir John de Lacy, Earl of Lincoln, MCS.

Glenn, M., TX; James Vaitche/Veitch, MD (1651-1685) #11719, Charlemagne, HRE; #11720, Hugh Capet, 1st Capet King of France.

deVane, B., GA; Richard Washington, VA (1660-1724) #11800, John Washington of Whitfield, c. Lancaster.

Timberlake, M., CA; Olive Welby-Farwell, MA (c1636-1670) #11738, John de Neville, Lord Neville; #11739, Henry de Percy, Lord Percy.

Page, D., TX; Matthew I Whitfield, VA (1679-aft1708) #11723, Charlemagne, HRE.

May, R., IL; John Whitney, MA (1635-1673) #11788, Charlemagne, HRE; #11789, William the Conqueror, King of England.

Caddell, S., IL; Simon Willard, MA (1634-1676) #11834, Richard Willard of Horsmonden, Kent.

Kuchta, E., WI; Peter I Worden, MA (c1637-1638/9) #11678, Robert de Ros, “Furfan”, MCS, KT; #11679, Robert de Ros, “Furfan”, MCS, KT; #11680, Robert de Ros, “Furfan”, MCS, KT; #11681, Robert de Ros, “Furfan”, MCS, KT.


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The Arizona Society is busy filling out report forms and getting ready for our State Conference to be held on the 18th of February. Our Heraldry Chairman, Honorary President General Dorothie Lovett, is busy organizing our “Arizona Desert Dames Coat of Arms Club”, and this is stirring up member’s interest in working on their Coats of Arms. Progress is being made on the State President’s project which is to place a marker at Mission San Xavier Del Bac, established in 1700 by Father Francisco Kino. This is the one of the oldest structures in Arizona. I look forward to 2012 and am encouraged by the enthusiasm of our members.
**Ocotillo Chapter**

The Dames of Ocotillo Chapter ended 2011 with a wonderful Christmas Party Luncheon. In lieu of exchanging Christmas presents, the 17 members in attendance supported the Chapter President’s Project, “Books-for-Kids”.

Eighty-four books were donated to Sally’s House, a local shelter for abused women and their children. In November, Ocotillo Chapter’s Dames honored our Veterans and participated in the local Veterans Day Parade and Ceremony.

They also donated needed items valued at over $700 to the Prescott Veterans Administration Hospital. The Chapter is looking forward to an exciting 2012.

In January, our Annual Meeting’s program will center on Annual Reports and Why We Do Them. Ocotillo Chapter will participate in a Prospective Member workshop at the Lake Havasu Genealogy Library. In February, the Dames will assist Interagency with a “Birthday in a Bag” Project and will prepare a Coats of Arms display for the local library for the month of March.

**Palo Verde Chapter**

Palo Verde Chapter is working hard and growing. We added 7 new members this past year and 29 supplementals were approved. Several more new member applications are nearing completion.
Supporting Colonial Days at Tarwater Elementary School in Chandler, AZ was a fun activity to show life in colonial times. Members Georgia Hier and Beverly Hayes-Hartnett helped teach quilting, table decorations and manners. Other activities for the day included candle making, and calligraphy. Students also learned to march and hold muskets.

We are working to support our veterans. We provided food and drinks to the USO Military Lounge at Phoenix Sky Harbor Airport at both the Thanksgiving and Christmas busy travel days. Members also donated 9 wreaths to Wreaths Across America for Christmas.

Programs on Heraldry and Coats of Arms, Bugles Across America and Colonial Religion and Its Effect on America: The Quaker Influence will finish out our year.

Barbara Smith to their December meeting. President Betsy Jones donated to the National Society, her latest publication, “Remembering Those Who Came Before, Volume 2: Immigrant Ancestors of Alona Frances Thompson Phillips”. This donation joins her earlier donation of Volume 1 on her paternal grandfather.

Chapter members thoroughly enjoyed the program given by Duane Bingham on the Mormon Battalion. The Battalion passed through the San Pedro River Valley of Southern Arizona in 1846 led by Mormon company officers, commanded by regular US army officers. Mr. Bingham is a descendant of the original Mormon settlers. The battalion made a grueling march, nearly 2,000 miles from Council Bluffs, Iowa to San Diego. The battalion’s march and service was
instrumental in the US securing much of the American Southwest, especially the Gadsden Purchase of 1853. The march also opened a southern wagon route to California.

**ARKANSAS STATE SOCIETY**

**OUACHITA VALLEY CHAPTER**

“Nothing is really ended until it is forgotten. Whatever is kept in memory still endures. “was heard on a perfect Saturday afternoon April 16, 2011 as members of Ouachita Valley Chapter CDXVIIC and their guests gathered on the grounds of the Leake-Ingham Library for a ceremony to place and dedicate a Historical Marker.
The Leake-Ingham Library: Built in 1850 in Camden as a law office for attorney William W. Leake, the Greek Revival–style Leake-Ingham Building later housed Camden’s office of the Federal Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands better known as Freedmen’s Bureau. The building also once functioned as Ouachita County’s first library. Guests were greeted by Mrs. Leah Chidester wife of John T. Chidester.

**CALIFORNIA STATE SOCIETY**

**CAPT. JAMES DAVIS CHAPTER**

Five college students are recipients of the first award of the Captain James Davis Chapter Scholarship for 2011-12. The Chapter proudly established its first scholarship to promote education and foster a love of Colonial History in our youth.

The Chapter installed new officers in May for the 2011-2013 term. President Christine Hollister represented the Chapter at the Summer Board of Management meetings in Ontario, and as the newly elected State Librarian.

The Chapter holds its meetings in member’s homes to foster
relationships as we carry out the important work of the Society. Registrar Loretta Davis is working with several prospective members and with members as they work to complete supplemental applications. The new chapter administration is focusing on promoting membership in the Society and will hostess the 2012 California State Society Annual Conference.

Valley of the Mist Chapter

Valley of the Mist Chapter observed its 30th anniversary in November. Murrieta HS Marine JROTC presented colors to open the celebration. The Chapter was honored to have State President Diana Robertson at the party. President Candace Suneson welcomed President Diana, members and guests, and introduced the Chapter’s newest member, Jane Gibbons, who received a presentation bouquet.

Thanksgiving baskets and fall leaves on gold cloths decorated luncheon tables. Dessert was a cake decorated with the Colonial Dames logo. During luncheon, Beverlee Stuart-Borok held drawings for door prizes. Entertainment was provided by the Skylark Singers, who sang medleys from show tunes. President Diana requested the Singers lead everyone in singing “Happy Birthday” to the Chapter.

President Diana spoke about

(L-R) Valley of the Mist President Candace Suneson, State Registrar Kay Hildebrandt, State President Diana Robertson and State Coat of Arms Chairman Marsha Timberlake.
founder Mary Florence Taney. Beverlee Stuart-Borok gave the
history of the Chapter.

On display were the Chapter Ancestor Book and Proclamations
from the Cities of Temecula and Menifee. Committee members
for the celebration were Carol Anderson, Carol Fitzpatrick,
Beverlee Stuart-Borok and Marsha Timberlake.

**COLORADO STATE SOCIETY**

**BREWSTER OF SCROOBY MANOR CHAPTER**

On a beautiful Colorado fall day in November, the Chapter
met at the Denver Public Library
where a program was provided
by member Virginia Kracaw
about Coats of Arms. Those in
attendance included ten guests
(yea!). After the program, a
number of people stayed to work
on their COAs.

A funny incident happened
before the November meeting.

State President Susan Cameron,
while examining her gavel, was
puzzled by the name and date
on it. After further research she
called Chapter President Beverly
Nelson, who discovered that “her”
gavel also had an unfamiliar name
and date and research showed
it belonged to the state. After a
good chuckle, the two gavels,
with a correcting switcher-roo
took place during the November
meeting.

Activities for the chapter this
past quarter included sending
three books to the national library
about Colorado history (1885
genealogy-related information),
and also having the Brewster
chapter charter reframed.

**FLORIDA STATE SOCIETY**

**BERKELEY PLANTATION CHAPTER**

Berkeley Plantation Chapter
celebrated their 40th Anniversary
on November 11, 2011. There were
special decorations, door prizes
and dessert to commemorate the

(L-R)
Anne Watkins,
Chapter President,
Ann Waggaman,
Florida State Society
President;

Mary Kitchen and Julia Noah,
Past Chapter Presidents.
occasion. Florida State Society President Ann Waggaman gave remarks about the society’s history and Chapter President Anne Watkins spoke about the chapter’s history. Member Donarita Vocca presented the program entitled “The Revered and the Reviled: Two Early Families of Connecticut.” Members have been concentrating on COAs and 14 have been recently approved.

**EDMUND SHEFFIELD CHAPTER**

Edmund Sheffield Chapter, Tampa, FL donated 15 wreaths to “Wreaths Across America.”

Standing by the Memorial located at the cemetery are, left to right, Annie-Kate Carpenter, National Defense Chairman; Linda Neal, Chapter President; Ann Dunlap, 2nd Vice President.

Partial view of the cemetery after the ceremony.
American Legion Post 5, Tampa, supports the local veterans’ cemetery adjacent to their Post. The ceremony, held December 10, 2011 at noon, was simultaneous across the nation at all veterans’ cemeteries. The chapter has also donated several cases of body wash to the spinal cord unit at James Haley VA Hospital. Proclamations were presented to the chapter by Governor Rick Scott and Mayor of Tampa, Bob Buckhorn.

GEORGIA STATE SOCIETY

JOHN LEE OF NANSEMOND CHAPTER

On November 1, 2011, John Lee of Nansemond Chapter placed a historical marker on All Saints’ Episcopal Church, Thomasville, Georgia. The church was built in 1881 as St. Augustine Catholic Church. Over the years other church buildings in Thomasville burned, were torn down or rebuilt, leaving St. Augustine the oldest church building in the city. The

Members of John Lee of Nansemond Chapter, (L-R) Sheila Tucker, Kathy Mills, President Jinanne Parrish, Carol Singlertary, Miriam Powell, Mary Julia Coons, Rosemary Henderson, Marilyn Joyner, and Margaret Scott, on All Saints’ Day 2011, at the marking of All Saints’ Episcopal Church
building was abandoned in 1967 when the Catholics built a new facility.

On November 1, 1980, a group of 43 Episcopalians founded a new church. The abandoned Catholic Church was ideal for their new house of worship. The Episcopalians named the church All Saints’ to commemorate their founding date. The building was moved in 1981 to its present location. Renovation began immediately and the congregation held its first service in the church on November 1, 1982, All Saints’ Day. A reception in the parish hall followed the ceremony.

ILLINOIS STATE SOCIETY

PIMITEOUI CHAPTER

Cleta Riggins of the Pimiteoui Chapter, Peoria, IL, has completed a remarkable job of research, tracing the lines of 100 ancestors. Cleta joined CD in 1991, a year before the chapter and the Illinois State Society placed a marker to recognize a former native village overlooking the Illinois River. In the winter of 1691-1692, exploring French Voyageurs found six Illinois tribes occupying about 260 cabins there. The French settled nearby. The chapter name comes from this village.

Mrs. Riggins’ milestone of 98 documented male and two female ancestors is a source of quiet pride. When asked why she undertook such a task, Riggins said, “This was a challenge I gave myself. The research was work, but fun. I’ve many people to thank.”

Surprisingly, Mrs. Riggins completed her feat without a computer to help with the research. “I’m sure I could find more if I tried,” she stated. Perhaps she will continue.

KENTUCKY STATE SOCIETY

Kentucky Dames are proud of our three scholarship winners. Our six chapters are focused on membership and planning for the future. The state newsletter is sent to all members and prospective members. We attended the Louisville Genealogy Seminar.
and the SAR Library Genealogy Fair to raise awareness for our society. Our state brochures are at the SAR library and each chapter has personalized chapter versions.

Members are working with many prospective members. All of our activities are honoring the 2011-2013 state administration’s scriptures:

“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the LORD, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.” Jeremiah 29:1

“Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father, which is in heaven.” Matthew 6:16

LOUISIANA STATE SOCIETY

The Louisiana Dames have been very busy reaching out to their communities. One Dame, Janis Franklin of the Matthew Agee Chapter, volunteered 100 hours planning a community party for the elderly for Mardi Gras. Several Chapters participated in programs honoring our Veterans; laying wreaths on Memorial Day, and visiting Veterans at Veterans Hospitals over the Holidays providing stamps and toiletry bags. The Robert Ruffin Chapter donated a much needed flag to a local school. Interesting speakers have been invited to Chapter meetings encouraging member attendance. One Chapter
members do, always in attendance at our chapter meetings, with their Colonial Dames tote bags in tow full of papers, reports and information for chapter and state projects and activities.

**MARYLAND STATE SOCIETY**

**AUGUSTINE HERMAN CHAPTER**

Our past state historian and member of our chapter, Augustine Herman, Margaret Begg, snapped a photo at our fall meeting on September 17th of the Colonial Dames tote bags carried by Mrs. William Rowe and Mrs. Henry Peden. These members exemplify the hard work that our chapter
the hard work that our chapter members do, always in attendance at our chapter meetings, with their Colonial Dames tote bags in tow full of papers, reports and information for chapter and state projects and activities.

MISSISSIPPI STATE SOCIETY

The Forty-eighth Mississippi State Conference will be held on January 28, 2012, at the Holiday Inn, Pearl, Mississippi. Guests of Honor will be President General Mrs. Keith Lockard; Curator General Mrs. Frank Carlton, Jr.; Guide to Historic Sites Chairman Mrs. C. Ray Phillips; and Honorary President General Mrs. Emile Gex, Jr.

The Mississippi State Society was saddened at the deaths of two of our honoraries. Honorary President General (1987-1989) Mrs. John P. Harkins passed away on December 17, 2011. She was State President (1975-1977) and member of Rev. Samuel Swayze Chapter. Honorary President General Mrs. James Johnston gave the eulogy at her funeral on December 20th. Bettye Williams Holmes, State President (2001-2003), passed away on November 27, 2011, in Hattiesburg. She was a member of Ensign John Sheldon Chapter. Both of these Dames will be missed by all who loved them.

NEVADA STATE SOCIETY

Nevada Dames are busy doing the work of the Society. A Proclamation was given to the Judith Jefferson Farrar Chapter (see photo) by the Mayor of Carson City, Nevada proclaiming October 2011 Colonial Heritage Month. Our two Northern Chapters, Thomas Holcomb and Maryland tote bags, Augustine Herman Chapter
Judith Jefferson Farrar joined together to accept a Proclamation for National Colonial Heritage Month from the Mayor of Reno, Nevada.

Colonial beverages were the theme for two of our chapters. Judith Jefferson Farrar Chapter President Ann Potts gave a program on “Alcohol in the Colonies” while Samoset Chapter learned about “the Importance of Tea.”

State President Patricia Dell’aira, State Vice President Rebecca Eisenman, State Registrar Wendy Kelly and several prospective members joined together to place a wreath in memory of those who lost their lives at Pearl Harbor. The Annual Ceremony was held at the Palm Mortuary Chapel in Las Vegas, Nevada on December 7, 2011.

**Samoset Chapter**

Though Samoset Chapter was very busy this autumn we have had a marvelous time. We sponsored a third genealogy workshop, presenting a program, “Breaking Down Brick Walls,” which was tremendously informative to those in attendance. Members assisted the nine prospective members attending with finding application proofs.
Samoset Chapter members participated in the Annual Las Vegas Veterans Day Parade held 11-11-11, distributing American Flags, patriotic items and goodwill. The November Meeting assumed a ‘Tea” theme. Our speaker presented a program on “the Importance of Tea in the American Colonies”. Delicious brewed teas and treats, typical to “high tea” were served.

On December 7th a wreath was presented by Samoset Chapter at a memorial service commemorating the 70th Anniversary of Pearl Harbor. Members attending the Wreaths Across America Service December 10, 2011 at the SNMVC in Boulder City placed wreaths on the graves of those servicemen interred there.

**REV. JOSEPH ADAMS CHAPTER**

The annual meeting of The Reverend Joseph Adams Chapter was held Oct 5, 2011 at the Common Man Restaurant, Concord, NH.

Marsha Stewart, member and past president, did a presentation on the Colonial Dames XVII Century Museum in Washington, DC. The emphasis was on the New England Textile Room. The Rev Joseph Chapter, NH has long been a contributor to this textile room.
The Dames of Penelope Van Princes Chapter in New Jersey in Ridgefield Park, New Jersey, enjoyed a lovely Christmas luncheon with members and friends over the Thanksgiving holiday weekend. The first of its kind, the members enjoyed gathering together for a lovely meal at St. John’s Restaurant in New Brunswick, followed by a lively gift exchange, all organized by Chapter Vice President, Pattey Herron. The group was also honored to host its “littlest Dames”, Martha and Margaret

(1-r) Marilyn Pratt-Holmquist, President, Marsha Stewart past president and speaker and Mildred Grady past president.
Speas, daughters of the President, Heather Speas. The chapter looks forward to making this luncheon an annual tradition.

NEW YORK STATE SOCIETY

First Vice President Mary Raye Casper is working on plans for our 2012 State Conference to be held in Corning, NY on May 5th and 6th. Our speaker will discuss the history of Steuben Glass, long a part of the Corning community and, unfortunately, planning to discontinue operation. We are hoping that many of our ladies will make plans to attend.

State President Peg Raymond made the first of her State visits to Alice Putnam Chapter of Buffalo in November. It was a pleasure to visit again with friends and especially nice to meet ladies who have been unable to attend State Conferences. Chapter Officers, President Carol Cornwell and Vice President Karen McKee were gracious hostesses and all enjoyed a lovely day. Visits to other Chapters are planned for 2012.

CAPT. HENRY HUDSON CHAPTER

In October 2011 our Chapter enjoyed a demonstration by Linda Tomkins on how to card wool. Member Dorothy Burnside tried it and stated “It’s not a piece of cake.” Linda also demonstrated a drop spindle, a Lazy Kate and the use of a Niddy Noddy as well as showing us how to spin the carded wool into yarn. She mentioned some of the various fibers from which yarn can be spun – camel, yak and goat hair as well as our familiar sheep’s wool.

Chaplain Lillian Nixson presented “Presidential Trivia” at our November meeting. She had found some interesting and unusual facts about our Presidents. It was fun to hear and ladies could be heard saying, “Wow, I didn’t know that.”

We don’t meet during the winter as our New York weather can be nasty, but we look forward to April.
Mohawk Valley Chapter

Registrar Evelyn Newby (NY State Chaplain) is preparing applications for two prospective members, finished a Coat of Arms for a current member and three chapter supplementals are works in progress. Beverly Gillette designed lovely birthday cards for NY Dames and Treasurer Esther Hays (NY State 2nd VP) mailed newsletter/Christmas cards to members. National Defense Chairman Betty Rewkowski delivered outstanding reports at each meeting and Carol McLaren, Marion Chester and Mary Zucco received 25-year certificates.

Speakers this year included a docent from the Oneida Indian Nation Cultural Center (artifacts and reservation update). The Herkimer County Historical Society Director brought Maps of Palatine Settlements and historians of the Grand Army of the Republic displayed Civil War artifacts, documents and news articles. Docents from the Stanley Center for the Arts in Utica conducted a tour of the renovated backstage area of the historic Stanley Theatre. Great job everyone!

North Carolina State Society

Eleanor White Dare Chapter

Whitaker descendants, Ann Boyd Whitaker Bulloch and Chapter President, Martha Johnson Strange stands by Eleanor White Dare Chapter Plaque indicating when Chapel was marked in 1999.
The Eleanor White Dare Chapter met on December 1, 2011 at Historic Whitakers Chapel, Enfield, North Carolina. President Mrs. Edward M. Strange and Mrs. Ann Boyd Whitaker Bulloch, Whitaker descendents welcomed members.

State President, Annie Laurie Holland brought greetings. Four new members were recognized. The program was on “Religious Principles” of the founders of our country and the signing of the “Declaration of Independence. The documented program of each of the signers and their belief in God or a Supreme Deity was supported by historic documents, letters and journals. Whitakers Chapel is one of three Historic Methodist Shrines in North Carolina.

The group was invited to Strawberry Hill Plantation for luncheon. Brochures on Whita- kertown, Whitakers Chapel and Strawberry Hill Plantation and were presented as gifts to all attendees. A Colonial Dames bookmark gift was also given to members by The State President.

Governor John Archdale Chapter

NC House Bill 76 was signed into law by NC Governor Beverly Perdue on August 04, 2010 and declared this flag as the state’s official memorial symbol to honor service members killed in battle. This is the first flag approved since WW II and is presented to the families of deceased service members.
Honor and Remember Inc., a Virginia-based non-profit, is pushing to have all 50 states adopt the flag, which it says should be used to honor not only those lost to fighting in Iraq and Afghanistan, but in all wars. You can view this flag on the website www.honorandremember.org.

The flag features the gold star, the symbol of the parent who has lost a child in military service, the blue star, indicating that a family member served in wartime; the eternal flame, which burns at Arlington National Cemetery in honor of all fallen service members; and the folded flag, taken from the casket and presented to a family member at the end of a military funeral.

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE SOCIETY

Greetings from the Palmetto State.

This President continues to travel the state and has attended ten chapter meetings since her presidency began. The state is digitizing records and other historical documents to preserve and protect them. Our chapters continue to support the veterans of our state and mark historical sites. Five SC Society members have passed away this year.

In August 2012, we are planning a “Heraldry Workshop, and when a member obtains a new COA during this presidency, she will become a member of the new SC Heraldry Club and receive a special pin.

We look forward to having President General Lockard and her husband as our guests at the Annual SC State Conference in February. The newly formed ‘State Presidents Club’ will have its first Breakfast Meeting during conference. A new ‘State Chorus’ will perform for the first time.
**The Colonel John Robins Chapter**

The Colonel John Robins Chapter proudly gave back to the veterans at the Richard M. Campbell Veterans Nursing Home in Anderson, South Carolina. With the help of prospective junior member, Talia S. Major, who came up with the idea, Chapter President, Mari R. Noorai, had members of the Junior American Citizens Club at the Tamassee DAR School make special pillows.

Chapter member, Jean Anne Cooper, took the lead in preparing forty wheelchair pillowcases so that the students could stuff and close up these pillows for the veterans.

Chapter President Noorai explained, “Working with the students to make something for our veterans touched all of our members, who in turn contributed other items to show the residents of the Campbell Veterans Nursing Home how much we appreciate their sacrifices.”

**Hilton Head Island Chapter**

South Carolina Society members participated in “Wreaths Across America” wreath-laying on Saturday, December 10th at
Beaufort National Cemetery. Dr. Henry Woodward and Hilton Head Island chapter members joined veterans from all branches of service, ROTC cadets, SAR members and a variety of other organizations in laying 1400 wreaths on the graves of veterans from WWI to present date. Efforts are being made to enlist increased donations and support to ensure that all 1800 veterans’ graves will have a wreath next year.

**Kenelm Winslow Chapter**

The Kenelm Winslow Chapter South Carolina Colonial Dames of the XVII Century purchased the South Carolina road marker from the Department of Archives and History.

It is the 16th marker for Laurens County. October is National Heritage month for the Colonial Dames. The Simpson family was celebrating 239 years of being in South Carolina and America. William and Mary Simpson of Belfast, Ireland sailed to Charleston, South Carolina 18 October 1772. It is believed that their son, John built Belfast Plantation for his wife, Mary Wells Simpson of England c. 1786. Governor William Dunlap Simpson, the first Governor from Laurens County was born at Belfast Plantation 27 October 1823.

Richard Fowler was the Speaker. He is an author, historian who has done research in Northern Ireland. His talk on the “Simpson Family of Belfast”
was magnificent. The unveiling service for the legendary Simpson family’s Historical marker was a success due to the support of the Department of Natural Resources, Department of Transportation, and the Department of Archives and History.

TENNESSEE STATE SOCIETY

CAPT. CHARLES BARHAM

Captain Charles Barham Chapter held their annual Christmas Tea in the home of member, Stephanie Tayloe. Guest enjoyed the beautiful Christmas decorations and trees at the historical two story family home.

This year the new tree was the ancestor tree in the den. Pictures of Stephanie’s great grandparents, Steven Palmer and Mary Katherine Haymes Routon; grandparents S. J. and Pearl Sanders Routon; parents, Jim and
Val Rucker Routon; decorated the tree along with bird’s nest representing the empty nest in the family. Steven and Mary had 17 grandchildren, each representing a different branch of the family.

Other trees included the Patriotic tree in the front red parlor which featured an ornament that plays the National Anthem when activated; the Scarlett O’Hara tree with large display of antique dolls; the all gold tree in the front blue parlor; a tree trimmed with pink ornaments and tatted snowflakes.

TEXAS STATE SOCIETY

The Dames of Texas are again at work achieving the goals of the National and State Society.

Our Chapters are planning 100th Anniversary Celebrations as time is quickly approaching. The Texas State Bylaws were rewritten to conform to the new National Bylaws. I thank Ina Morris for her diligent work.

Our Ladies are working every day to gain new members, helping with research and also doing more supplementals and Coats of Arms. Grave Markers are being placed in remembrance for loved members. Historic sites are planned to be marked. Our Ladies continue to work for education, national defense, and for our servicemen and women and our veterans.

GOV. THOMAS HINCKLEY CHAPTER

Governor Thomas Hinckley Chapter met jointly with the Texas Society Daughters of Colonial

Chapter President Carolyn Schiewe has selected for her President’s Project the reframing of the chapter charter of April 9, 1952. Sealed in a handsome new frame with archival materials, the charter will continue to be displayed at all chapter meetings.

Projects for the next two years will be promoting recognition of our Colonial Heritage, promoting membership growth, and the continuation of our chapter’s Crusade for Heraldry.

**JOSEPH UNDERWOOD CHAPTER**

At the February 2011 meeting of Joseph Underwood Chapter, Kingwood, TX, State President...
Marilyn Evans and State Historian Connie Zoch congratulated Marsha Richards and Melanie Nolan on their election to state office. Marsha Richards will serve as State Recording Secretary and Melanie Nolan will serve as State Registrar.

On December 10, 2011, Wreaths Across America Houston had a wreath laying ceremony at Houston National Cemetery. Over 31,000 wreaths were placed on veterans’ graves and Joseph Underwood Chapter was proud to contribute 45 wreaths to this worthy project. Pictured is chapter member and honorary Texas State President Marilyn Evans, who placed a wreath on her husband’s, Alfred Evans, grave.

Richard Borden Chapter

A “Colonial Food History” program was presented by members reporting on a food and preparing a recipe of that food for our Colonial Feast. President Mouser compiled the recipes and history into a booklet for members. The program also included singing “The Law That Banned Christmas in the Colonies”, “The Use of Firebacks” and “The Oldest Christmas Carols”. Two of the oldest carols sung by members were “What Child is This” and “Joy to the World”. Each meeting ends with the singing “God Bless America.”

Richard Borden received Proclamations from Governor Rick Perry and Tyler Mayor

Madeline Alworth (left) presents 101 year old charter member Earline Andrews (right) her Heraldry Certificate for tracing back 49 generations to Clovis I., “The Great”, King of Salic Franks (481-511).
Barbara Bass for National Native Heritage month. The annual month long Library Exhibit emphasized Colonial and National American Indian heritage featuring many members’ private collections.

87 Heraldry and COA’s were approved this year bringing the Chapter’s total to 106. Sixty Christmas cards were sent to Veterans thanking them for their service and wishing them a Merry Christmas.

VIRGINIA STATE SOCIETY

DAUGHTERS OF THE STARS CHAPTER

Members of the newly organized Daughter of the Stars Chapter in the Harrisonburg/Rockingham County area were recently joined by the Liberty Hall Chapter in the Lexington area in collecting boxes of paperbacked books which have been sent to our troops in Afghanistan.

Shipments of these books are airdropped to the troops serving on the front lines and are literally read by hundreds of American soldiers before being donated to a local Afghanistan library. Besides books of all types, the ladies of these two chapters make an effort to also send boxes of new greeting and note cards to enable these soldiers to send a card to their own loved ones here at home.

GEORGE MASON I CHAPTER

George Mason I Chapter held its annual Colonial Christmas Tea on Dec. 4 at the Fredericksburg Presbyterian Church House in Fredericksburg. Tea hostesses were Lynn Norfleet, Vice-President, and Cathy Akers, Pocahontas Chairman. Members brought treats for the tea table and especially enjoyed a Queen
George Mason I Chapter members: Nancy Maune, librarian, Lynn Norfleet, vice-president, Nackie Steinback, president, Connie Lapallo, author, and Helen Maisonpierre, chaplain.

Packing Books For The Troops: (L-R): Brenda Babcock, Allene Blessing and Billie Jo Monger, Faith Forkovitch was absent from the picture.
Cake (prepared from a 200 year old recipe) by member May Jane Tillman.

The Chapter was delighted to have author Connie Lapallo speak on her latest book, “When the Moon Has No More Silver”, the second book in the Jamestowne Sky Trilogy.

Members and guests enjoyed Mrs. Lapallo’s program based on the true story of the women and children at Jamestowne.

Chapter President Nackie Steinbach conducted the business meeting and Linda Southall, National Defense Chairman, reminded members of the events at Pearl Harbor and encouraged members to fly their flags.

**John Witt Chapter**

The John Witt Chapter held a joint meeting in November with the Necostin Chapter. Jamestown Chapter President Virginia Rouse presented a well received program titled In Search of Armigers.

Necostin Chapter President Eloise Brooks introduced the honored guests: Chaplain General Nan S. Ackerman (John Witt Chapter member), Virginia State President Jodi C. Killeen (Necostin Chapter member), Virginia First Vice President Kathy L. Deegan (Virginia Colony Chapter
member), and Assistant Librarian Lea Fowlie (Necostin Chapter member).

John Witt Chapter members collected games, puzzles and sporting goods to be sent to a troop in Afghanistan. Members also received years of service certificates.

WISCONSIN STATE SOCIETY

REGINALD FOSTER CHAPTER

On September 17, the Reginald Foster Chapter members learned the history of “The One-Room Country School: An American Tradition,” through a presentation by member, Joan Wootton. Joan has served the Rock County Historical Society as the Frances Willard School Honorary Curator for the past several years. Her desire to preserve this one 1853 school building blossomed into a mission to record and preserve the stories of the students and teachers of the Rock County, Wisconsin one-room schools.

The meeting was held in a repurposed one-room country school, now the Cooksville Community Center. Joan presented a time-line history of public schools in the North West Territory.

WYOMING STATE SOCIETY

EQUALITY STATE CHAPTER

Habitat for Humanity has had a busy year as they presented keys to new homes to two families. Once again we had the privilege
of presenting a U.S. flag to each homeowner. The flags have been flown over the Wyoming State Capitol.

Included is a certificate signed by the governor and a flag etiquette booklet. As the flags are presented the following is read: “May the flag that is being presented to you always be flown proudly. Guard and respect this flag at all times, for it is the symbol of every high ideal in the American way of life”. The meaning of the colors is also read.

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