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This Volume of our Texas Society History is dedicated to Mary Smith Fay, to honor this lovely lady for her devoted leadership in the Texas Society. Her project of preserving the history of the members and the activities of the Texas Society and its supporting Chapters in a formal history book is worthy of note. We hope it will be an inspiration to all the Daughters who will carry our Society into the future.

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Each Chapter has contributed accounts of its activities and achievements throughout the years. Our sincere thanks to those Chapter Presidents, Chapter Historians, and Special Committees for their contributions to this History.

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Mrs. Charles H. Fay, President  
Texas Society of the National Society  
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On the anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans, 8th January, 1892, Flora Adams Darling, of the famous New England Adams family, fulfilled a dream of many years, the founding of the "United States Daughters General Society of the War of 1812."

To Mrs. Darling the natural sequence of the War of 1776 was the War of 1812. As one of the Founders of the Daughters of the American Revolution, she called this "the second Society of the Daughters." The objectives were "to unite the descendants of the men of 1812, the Second War of Independence," and "to foster pride in their descendants from an American point of view, whose very watchword was Patriotism."

The "trinity" who aided her in the foundation of the organization which took place in New York City were Mrs. Stephen Adams Webster, of New York and Ohio, Mrs. A. Ramon Salas, of New York and Georgia, and Mrs. Edward Irving Darling, Jr. of New York and Washington, D.C.

On the initial day the Seal was adopted: Liberty-Enlightening the World; the Motto: Liberty and Fraternity; the Colors Blue and Gray; the Badge: The Star and Anchor. On the initial day Mrs. Darling was given the title of Founder and Honorary Life Member. It was her firm belief that the descendants of the men of 1812 were entitled to co-equal honors as descendants of the men who founded this Republic.

Mrs. Darling wished that the annual "Historical Council" be held on the anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans, and that "The Hermitage", home of the Hero of New Orleans, was to be a mecca of the Daughters, in honor of General Jackson, the central figure of the War of 1812. On the initial day she appointed sixteen State Presidents, five Honorary Presidents General, eleven Honorary Vice Presidents General.

Flora Adams was descended from Henry Adams, who married Mary Alexander in England and came to Braintree, Massachusetts in the year 1632, with their eight sons and one daughter. On March 12, 1860 she was married to Edward Irving Darling, who fell mortally wounded November 29, 1863 in Franklin, Tennessee, fighting in the Confederate States Army. She gave the colors "blue and gray" to his Society, the blue representing the color of the Navy worn during the War of 1812 and the gray the color worn by the Army.

Sorrow again came to Mrs. Darling in the death of her only son. She was succeeded in office by Mrs. William Gerry Slade, of New York, whom she had previously appointed as "General Organizer." Mrs. Slade served from 1897 to 1915, a total of eighteen years.

In 1898 a new Constitution was adopted and on February 25, 1901 the National Society United States Daughters of 1812 was incorporated by the act of the Congress of the United States, this being almost the last act that President McKinley signed.

Mrs. Darling was born April 25, 1840 in Lancaster, New Hampshire, (or July 24, 1840. We find reference to both dates).

She died January 6, 1910, and her funeral took place on the anniversary of the day of the society's founding. Of her Founder, Mrs. Slade said: "The Crown of all glory is the good done while living, that which makes the world better when life is done. Whatever good or accomplishment which this Society has brought -- that is the tribute to the memory of our Founder."

Mrs. Darling was a truly great lady and a brilliant writer. She is buried in Congressional Cemetery, her grave marked in 1934 by the Association of State Presidents and Charter members.

#### CHARTER MEMBERS

The Charter Members were those whose National Numbers were among the first 400 admitted.

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PART A. FORMATION AND ACTIVITIES OF  
TEXAS SOCIETY N.S.U.S.D. OF 1812

I. ORGANIZATION

On Sunday, April 27, 1902 a "Federation Special" train carrying Federation club women and their husbands from New York and New Jersey was to pass through and make a brief stop-over in Austin. Ten special Pullman cars of club women had also departed for the Biennial meeting in Los Angeles. A Call meeting of those club women still in Austin resulted in provisions of suitable entertainment for the visitors.

It was arranged for these travelers to be given a drive thru the City of Austin with a view of the Capitol and the University of Texas and a stop at the Elizabeth Ney Studio, where refreshments would be served.

Local Presidents of the various organizations represented by the "Federation Special" were to meet and visit with these representatives. The Delegates of the various Clubs on the train were notified to look for their special greeters during the train stop in Austin.

One of the club women on the train was Mrs. William Gerry Slade, representing the newly chartered National Society United States Daughters of 1812. At this time there was not an 1812 organization in Texas, but Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore, a prominent club woman of Austin, was selected to greet Mrs. Slade. Mrs. Fulmore graciously made the greeting and presented a bouquet of flowers to Mrs. Slade. The few hours visit and discovery of mutual interests made these women firm friends. Organization of the Texas Society was the happy result!

Mrs. Slade, in her capacity as Organizer for the National Society believed the local Chapter should be the basis for the State Organization, with the State under control of the National by appointees from the President National until such time as qualified members could take control.

Following Mrs. Fulmore's appointment as the Organizer for N.S.U.S.D. of 1812 in Texas, the first meeting was held in the home of Mrs. J. E. Howze in Austin on June 9, 1903. Mrs. Fulmore had asked eleven ladies, who she thought were eligible, to this organizational meeting. These ladies were:

Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore (Luella Robertson)  
Mrs. Fred A. Scott (Bird Cochran)  
Mrs. G. B. Stowe (Naomi Perry)  
Mrs. Cone Johnson (Birdie Robertson)  
Mrs. George W. Massie (Mary Eilers)

Mrs. Alonzo T. McKean (Laura Eilers)  
Mrs. Howard H. Taylor (Mary Perry)  
Mrs. George L. Walton (A. M. Moore)  
Mrs. J. H. Langsford (Chloe Leigh Taliaferro)  
Mrs. Elton Perry (Lucy Smith)  
Mrs. T. A. Brown (Mary Robertson)  
Mrs. J. E. Howze (Rosa A. Woolsey)

Other names were added to this group of twelve women during the next few years, but these twelve were our proud beginners!

This group elected Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore as President or Regent, and she was to invite and guide qualified ladies to membership in the Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter of Texas. This group functioned as the Texas Society, with the Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter being formally Chartered November 9, 1907, four years after the Chapter's organization.

## II.CHARTER MEMBERS OF THE TEXAS SOCIETY

Antoinette Wells Steele (Mrs. Britton Davis)  
Luella Robertson (Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore)  
Bird Cochran (Mrs. Fred A. Scott)  
Naomi Perry (Mrs. G. B. Stowe)  
Birdie Robertson (Mrs. Cone Johnson)  
Mary Eilers (Mrs. George W. Massie)  
Ella Florence Fulmore (Mrs. W. C. Harllee)  
Laura A. Eilers (Mrs. L. E. McKean)  
Lolla E. McKean (Mrs. H. L. Marks)  
Mary Perry (Mrs. Howard H. Taylor)  
Amanda M. Moore (Mrs. George L. Walton)  
Ella Wiley (Mrs. Elijah Price Smith)  
Chloe Leigh Taliaferro (Mrs. J. H. Langsford)  
Fannie Morris Taliaferro (Mrs. Lee Mays Taylor)  
Mary Lee Horton (Mrs. Sidon Harris)  
Mattie Crutcher (Mrs. Charles F. Dickinson)  
Lucy Smith (Mrs. Elton Perry)  
Dora M. Fagan (Mrs. Henry Hart Neill)  
Victoria Shannon (Mrs. Edwin Moore)  
Alice Yturbide (Mrs. Edwin Bruce)  
Mary Robertson (Mrs. T. A. Brown)  
Annie Hill (Mrs. Henry Oscar Barthold)  
Rosa A. Woolsey (Mrs. Joseph E. Howze)  
Ida Boyd (Mrs. Joseph W. Robertson)  
Susan Farrow (Mrs. Thomas M. Bossom)  
Pauline Castleman (Mrs. Jourdon Walford Morris)

Note: Additional information on these Charter Members may be found on pages 56-58, of Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter History.

### III. PRESIDENTS OF TEXAS SOCIETY N.S.U.S.D. OF 1812

|                                     |                  |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|
| Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore, Austin          | June 1903-1907   |
| Mrs. Sidon Harris, Austin           | 1907-1911        |
| Mrs. Ella Wiley Smith, Austin       | 1911-1913        |
| Mrs. Milton Morris, Austin          | 1913-1915        |
| Mrs. Alvin Lane, Dallas             | 1915-1917        |
| Mrs. Thomas Buford, Dallas          | 1917-(Nov.) 1917 |
| Mrs. J. C. Muse, Dallas             | (Nov.) 1917-1920 |
| Mrs. J. E. Howze, Austin            | 1920-1922        |
| Mrs. Robert S. Lowe, Dallas         | 1922-1924        |
| Mrs. James J. Quinn, Houston        | 1924-1926        |
| Mrs. Henry Wofford, San Antonio     | 1926-1928        |
| Mrs. Cora E. Behrends, Dallas       | 1928-1930        |
| Mrs. Paul W. McFadden, Austin       | 1930-1932        |
| Mrs. P. S. Tilson, Houston          | 1932-1934        |
| Mrs. C. C. Holt, Dallas             | 1934-1936        |
| Mrs. J. E. Gardner, Ft. Worth       | 1936-1938        |
| Mrs. Ira D. Sykes, Houston          | 1938-1940        |
| Mrs. W. A. Quebedeaux, Austin       | 1940-1942        |
| Mrs. M. N. Crestman, Dallas         | 1942-1944        |
| Mrs. Ike Barton McFarland, Houston  | 1944-1946        |
| Mrs. John B. Mayfield, Tyler        | 1946-1948        |
| Mrs. Frederick B. Ingram, Dallas    | 1948-1949        |
| Mrs. Joseph K. Carnal, San Antonio  | 1949-1950        |
| Mrs. Ben A. Talbot, Houston         | 1950-1952        |
| Mrs. Uel Stephens, Ft. Worth        | 1952-1954        |
| Mrs. Kelly E. McAdams, Austin       | 1954-1956        |
| Mrs. Earle D. Behrends, Dallas      | 1956-1958        |
| Mrs. C. L. Farquaharson, Houston    | 1958-1960        |
| Mrs. L. E. Purnell, Austin          | 1960-1962        |
| Mrs. Loretta Thomas, Houston        | 1962-1964        |
| Mrs. Robert Parkinson, San Antonio  | 1964-1966        |
| Mrs. George Likins, Abilene         | 1966-1968        |
| Mrs. Earl L. Byers, Ft. Worth       | 1968-1970        |
| Mrs. Grady Kirby, Houston           | 1970-1972        |
| Miss Mildred Littlejohn, Tyler      | 1972-1974        |
| Miss Hazel Broderick, Austin        | 1974-1976        |
| Mrs. Lorenzo L. Skaggs, San Antonio | 1976-1978        |
| Mrs. Charles H. Fay, Houston        | 1978-1980        |

#### 1. Biographical Sketches of Honorary Texas Society Presidents

MRS. Z. T. FULMORE (LUELLA ROBERTSON FULMORE), entered on State No. 2 and National No. 840. She was a Real Daughter of Major Sterling Clack Robertson of Tennessee. Mrs. Fulmore was the founder and organizing Regent of Texas Society and Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter. She lived in Austin, Texas.

Luella Robertson was born November 9, 1855 in Salado, Texas. she was the daughter of Elijah Sterling Clack Robertson and his

second wife, Mary Elizabeth Dickey, pioneer settlers of the Robertson Colony. She was one of 15 children.

Luella attended Salado College, founded at the place of her birth by her father and other citizens of Salado. She specialized in literature, music and art, especially oil painting. She graduated with highest honors in 1872 and was essayist for the College Alumni Society in 1874-1875.

She was an accomplished musician and was talented in drawing; she cultivated art as an amateur throughout her life, executing numerous oil paintings.

Luella married young Zachary Taylor Fulmore on April 4, 1877, in her family home in Salado. Rev. R. K. Smoot of the First Presbyterian Church of Austin performed the ceremony.

The Fulmores lived in Austin and had five Children:

Ella Florence Fulmore (Mrs. William C. Harllee)  
Sterling R. Fulmore  
Zachary Taylor Fulmore  
Imogene Fulmore (Mrs. Grady H. Harrison)  
Frank Fulmore

Although devoted to her family, her home and church, Luella had extraordinary energy which she used in many social and public spirited activities. Her character and attainments were such that her leadership was often sought.

She was an active member in the following organizations:

1) Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812, through her grandfather, Sterling Clack Robertson who was born October 2, 1785, at Nashville, Tennessee. He married Francis King. His service in the war of 1812 was Deputy Quartermaster General Tennessee Militia, under command of Major General William Carroll. He was appointed November 13, 1814 and served to May 13, 1815, having fought in the Battle of New Orleans.

Luella Robertson Fulmore became interested in the National Society U.S.D. of 1812 when she met Mrs. William Gerry Slade, the President General, who was in Austin on a brief visit. Mrs. Fulmore was appointed Organizing Regent to form a Texas Society. She set up a State group and our Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter, and served as President from 1903 to 1907. She also served as National Curator General in 1905.

2) Daughters of the American Revolution

3) Daughters of the Republic of Texas

4) United Daughters of the Confederacy. Luella was a member of Albert Sidney Johnston Chapter No. 105 of Austin, serving as Vice-President in 1899, President in 1901-1902, and as Custodian Texas Division in 1904-1905.

Mrs. Fulmore served as Chairman of the Committee for placing the Tom Green Monument in Oakwood Cemetery in Austin. She served as one of the Lady Managers of the Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital in Austin in 1896 and raised funds to support this work. She was a member of the Pathfinder's Literary Club, and of the Woman's Press Association, serving as State President in 1905. She was a faithful and active Church worker. Luella was a beautiful and well loved woman by her family and many friends.

An 1812 memorial lay grave marker was placed on her grave in the Oakwood Cemetery, Austin, Texas on June 3, 1978 as part of our celebration of the 75th Anniversary of the founding of Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812.

MRS. SIDON HARRIS (MARY LEE HORTON), entered on State No. 15 and National No. 1042. Her ancestor was Dillard (Dillon) Jordan, Private in North Carolina Militia in the War of 1812. She was a Charter member of the Texas Society and Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter and lived in Austin, Texas.

Mrs. Harris served as Texas Society President and Oliver Hazard Chapter President June 1907-1911.

Mary Lee Horton Harris was born October 26, 1867 in Ellis County, Texas. She was the daughter of Anthony Wayne Horton and Mary Ann Lee. Her grandfather was Anthony Wayne Horton, Sr. of Fayetteville, North Carolina and his wife was Isabelle Jordan. Isabelle was the daughter of Dillon Jordan and Susan Shepherd of Fayetteville, North Carolina. Dillon was the son of Dominick Jordan and Mary Nichols of Mayo County, Ireland.

Mary Lee Horton married Sidon Harris, lawyer and realtor in Austin, on September 20, 1906. They had one son, Sidon Harris, Jr., born August 28, 1908. He married Evalyn Bell Brookshire of Austin, June 7, 1930. Sidon Harris, Sr. died January 16, 1926. Mary Lee Horton died December 31, 1941.

MRS. ELIJAH PRICE SMITH (ELLA WILEY), entered on State No. 12 and National No. 1012. She was a Real Granddaughter of Captain Evan Shelby Wiley of the North Carolina Militia. Mrs. Smith served as President of Texas Society and Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter June 1911-1913. She was a Charter member and lived in Austin, Texas.

Mrs. Smith's ancestor was Captain Evan Shelby Wiley, who served in the North Carolina Militia in the War of 1812. He was born in North Carolina in 1783, and died in Alabama in 1825. He married

Mary McCaleb and their son, James M. Wiley married Elizabeth Duckworth. Evan and his wife were citizens of Cabarros County in North Carolina.

Ella Wiley was born October 18, 1853 in Kickapoo, Texas. She was the daughter of Oliver Lee Wiley of Cabarros County, North Carolina and Mary McKeller of Summerfield, Dallas County, Alabama. Oliver Lee was the son of Evan Shelby Wiley and Mary McCaleb of Cabarros County. Mary was the daughter of James McCaleb who was also a veteran of the War of 1812.

Ella Wiley married Elijah Price Smith and they made their home in Austin. It is not known if they had children. Ella died in Austin December 16, 1953 at age 100 years and 2 months. She is buried in Oakwood Cemetery.

MRS. MILTON MORRIS (JANIE "JEANIE" ALICE MAXWELL), entered on State No. 71 and National No. 1941. Her ancestor was Wallace Willoghby, a Private in the Virginia Militia. She served as President of Texas Society and Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter June 1913-1915. She lived in Austin, Texas.

Janie (Jeanie) Alice Maxwell was the youngest of 10 children of Dr. Alexander C. Maxwell and Cynthia Owens Maxwell of Washington County, Virginia, who came to Texas about 1865. The family settled in Fiskville, Travis County, Texas in 1871. Janie grew up there. She attended the University of Texas and later taught in the Austin Public Schools.

On June 21, 1898, Rev. Dr. Smoot married Janie Maxwell and Milton Morris of Austin in the First Southern Presbyterian Church. The Honorable Milton Morris represented the Second Ward on the City Council, was cashier of the southern division Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Co., and later served as Auditor for the City of Austin. They had no children.

The Morrisses were active and devoted Church members and Janie was a teacher in the primary department of the Sunday School. Mrs. Morris was active and well known in many organizations, among which were Daughters of the American Revolution, Colonial Dames, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Delta Kappa Gamma honorary teaching sorority, and Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812. Her life in Austin was a very busy one.

She died February 27, 1951, having survived her husband for a number of years. Her only living relatives were one sister, Mrs. T. P. Washington of Austin and many nieces and nephews.

MRS. ALVIN VALENTINE LANE (LULIE MARGARET HUGHEY), entered on State No. 87 and National No. 2086 in 1917. Her ancestor was John Cavet, Private in the Pennsylvania Militia.

Mrs. Lane served as Texas Society President June 1915-1917. She was founder and Charter member of John Cavet Chapter of Dallas, Texas. She served as 2nd Vice-President National in 1927.

Lulie Margaret Hughey (Huey) was born August 21, 1865 at Anderson, Grimes County, Texas. She was the daughter of Joseph Huey a noted pioneer Corsicana merchant, and Mary Ann Peters. Her grandparents were John Huey and Margaret Cavet, who was the daughter of the 1812 ancestor, John Cavet and his wife, Jean McKean.

Lulie was a graduate of the Alta Vista Institute of Austin. Following her marriage to Alvin Valentine Lane, University of Texas professor, the couple moved to Dallas in 1888. Mr. Lane became Vice-President of the First National Bank, and continued there until his death in 1938.

Mrs. Lane died October 30, 1941. At the time of her death, she was a Past President of the Dallas Bankers Wives, and a Past President of the Women's Society for Christian Service of the First Methodist Church. She was a member of the Board of Stewards of the Church; honorary Vice-President of Daughters of the American Revolution; Past National Treasurer and Past Vice-President of Daughters of 1812; Past Deputy Governor Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims; Past President of United Daughters of the Confederacy; honorary State Regent Daughters American Colonists; was a member of Founders and Patriots; Barons of Runnymede; Magna Charta Dames; Dallas Art Association; Historical Association; and Symphony Orchestra.

She was survived by two daughters, Mrs. Alice Lane Ingram, Mrs. W. J. Morris and one son Alvin H. Lane of Dallas, Texas, a sister, Mrs. Kate H. Whitesel of Corsicana, six grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

This gallant lady left us a remarkable legacy of her ability, leadership and other talents. Almost every worthy cause or movement which bettered the social and cultural life of Dallas had her able assistance.

MRS. THOMAS BUFORD (MADELINE BIRD HALL), held State No. 161 and National No. 911. Her ancestor was Col. Abraham Bird, born in Virginia and died there after 1787. Col. Bird was a member of the Virginia Legislature 1786-1787. His son, Abraham Bird, married Catherine Fry.

Mrs. Buford served as Texas Society President from June 1917 to November 1917. She is listed as a Charter member of the John Cavet Chapter, serving as its Vice-Regent.

Madeline Bird Hall was born in Shelbyville, Kentucky and her parents were John Hall and Catherine Kleiser. She married Thomas Buford and they were living in Dallas in 1916. She transferred

her membership in N.S.U.S.D. of 1812, Tennessee Society, to Become a Charter member of the Cavet Chapter, and served as our State President for a short period in 1917.

MRS. JAMES C. MUSE (KATIE DOSWELL CABELL - 1st husband was John R. Currie), held State No. 168 and National No. 4116. Her ancestor was Benjamin William Davidson Cabell, born May 10, 1793 in Danville, Virginia and died there April 19, 1863. He married Sallie Epes Doswell. Their son, George C. Cabell, married Mary Harrison Baird. Their son, John Roy Cabell, married Martha Wilson and their son, William Cabell, married Harriette Amanda Rector. Benjamin William Davidson Cabell served as an Ensign in the Virginia Militia in the War of 1812.

Katie Doswell Cabell was the daughter of General William Lewis Cabell, born January 1, 1827 in Danville, Virginia. He was a graduate of West Point, and served as Quartermaster of Commissary and Ordinance under President Jefferson Davis in the Civil War. He and his family came to Callas in 1872, where he practiced law and served a term as Mayor of the City.

Katie married John R. Currie April 24, 1898. After his death she married Judge James C. Muse of Dallas.

Mrs. Muse was active in patriotic organizations, and was the President of Pierian Literary Club for 25 years, and served as the President of Federated Clubs of Dallas for a number of years. She was a Charter member and President of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, and Organizing President of the Texas Division U.D.C.

Mrs. Muse was a faithful member of John Cavet Chapter. She was elected Texas Society President to complete the term of Mrs. Thomas Buford and served from November 1917 to June 1920. She Died July 18, 1927.

MRS. JOSEPH E. HOWZE (ROSA ALMA WOOLSEY), held State No. 23 and National No. 1140 and was a Charter member of the Texas Society. Her ancestor was Evander Kennedy, a Private in the Tennessee Militia. He was born in Murray County, Tennessee in 1785 and died in Lownes County, Alabama in 1840. He served in Captain Henry W. Newlins Co., Hull's 1st Regt. Tennessee Volunteers.

Rosa A. Woolsey was from the Woolsey family in Round Rock. She was born February 21, 1877 in Williamson County, Texas and Was the daughter of Samuel M. Woolsey and Eliza Catherine Cloud. Eliza was the daughter of William Augustine Cloud and Elizabeth Grace Kennedy of Williamson County. Elizabeth Grace was the daughter of Evander Kennedy and Mary (Polly) Gough of Lownes County, Alabama.

Rosa married Dr. Joseph E. Howze, a general practitioner from Hutto, Texas. She accompanied her new husband to Europe where he

studied for a year, specializing in eye, ear, nose and throat medicine. Dr. and Mrs. Howze then moved to Austin, where he maintained an office in the Littlefield Building for over 20 years. He had large ranch and farm holdings in Nueces County, Texas and spent his last years there as his health made it necessary to discontinue his medical practice.

The couple had four children: Dr. Joe W. Howze of Pampa, Texas; Jim Sam Howze of Corpus Christi; Mrs. Amanda Howze Amsler of Houston; and Mrs. Margaret Howze Purcell of Austin.

Mrs. Howze was a capable State President and was active in the Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter. She served as State President 1920-22.

Rosa Woolsey Howze died February 2, 1961 in Austin, Texas.

MRS. ROBERT SIMONTON LOWE (NELLIE GERARD BIDWELL), held State No. 33 and National No. 1226. She was a Real Granddaughter of 2nd Lt. Charles Bidwell of 1st Regt. Metcalf's West Tennessee Militia. He was born in Connecticut in 1787 and died in Tennessee in 1848.

Nellie Bidwell was born June 1, 1875 in Paducah, Kentucky. She was the daughter of Major B. G. Bidwell and Eleanor Patrick Flournoy. Her grandfather was Charles Bidwell, who married Martha Binkley.

The Bidwell family moved to Weatherford, Texas when Nellie was a young girl in 1885. She was married to Robert Simonton Lowe in 1895, and they moved to Dallas, Texas in 1921. Mrs. Lowe became an active Church and Club worker. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, Dallas Woman's Club and the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Mrs. Lowe died in April 1945 and was buried in the family plot in Weatherford. She was survived by her husband and two sons, R. B. Lowe of New York City and Dr. R. G. Lowe, Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Jackson, Mississippi.

MRS. JAMES JOHNSON QUINN (MARTHA EDITH REED), held State No. 173 and National No. 4451. Mrs. Quinn was organizing Regent of Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter of Houston, May 31, 1922. She served as Texas Society President 1924-1926.

Martha Edith Reed was born in 1864 in Titus County, Texas, the daughter of George Walker Reed and Minerva Narcissis Estes of Arkadelphia, Arkansas. Miss Estes was the daughter of Russel Estes of Alabama and Anna Marie Sorrels of Georgia. Anna Marie was the daughter of George Washington Sorrels. He was born in 1785 in N.C. and married Mary B. Chambers. George Washington Sorrels served as Private and later Sgt. in Capt. Harmon M. Runnels Co. of 13th Regt. Mississippi Militia. He died September 1855 in Waldron, Arkansas.

MRS. HENRY ROLLINS WOFFORD, SR. (SIMONA BROADBENT), joined the Texas Society in 1921 with State No. 226 and National No. 5843.

Mrs. Wofford served as Texas Society President 1926-1928. She was a Charter Member of the Augustus Jones Chapter of San Antonio. She served as her Chapter President 1924-1926 and again in 1940-1942. She served on the State Executive Board a number of times, and was President of the State Officers Club in 1942-1943.

Simona was the daughter of Charles S. Broadbent and Cordelia Fisk of San Antonio. She was named for her grandmother, Simona Smith, daughter of Erastus "Deaf" Smith, a native of Massachusetts and hero of the Texas Revolution. Simona married James Nathaniel Fisk of Massachusetts. James Nathaniel was the son of Simona's 1812 ancestor, James Fisk. The Honorable James Fisk and his wife Priscilla West resided in Massachusetts. He was born in 1763 and died in Swanton, VT. in 1844. He served as a member of the U. S. Congress 1805-1815.

Simona Broadbent married Harry Rollins Wofford and they made their home in Mexico City for 10 years, then settled in San Antonio. They had one son, Rollins Wofford, and two daughters, Mrs. Doris Wofford Brown and Mrs. Ernest Rubsamen.

Mrs. Wofford was a prominent San Antonio Club Woman, interested in historical preservation, local history and conservation. She served as President General of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas; was a member of Daughters of the American Revolution, Colonial Dames, Daughters of the King, and many other groups. She was a faithful member of St. Marks Episcopal Church and was always interested in education. Her mother was the first woman teacher in the public schools of San Antonio.

Mrs. Wofford died September 14, 1959 after a busy and fruitful life.

MRS. ALBERT BEHREND'S (CORA ELLA TALBOT), became a member of the Texas Society in 1926 with State No. 194 and National No. 4926.

She served as Texas Society President 1928-1930 and was a faithful member of the John Cavet Chapter.

Cora Ella Talbot was born in 1866 in Brazoria County, TX, and was the daughter of John Fletcher Talbot who married Elinor Ann Derrick. Her grandparents were John Talbot and Susannah Gholston of Virginia and Texas. John Talbot served as a Private in the Virginia Militia in the War of 1812. He was born in Virginia in 1790 and died in Brazoria County, TX. in 1854.

Cora Ella married Albert Behrends, a Grain Broker who died in 1902. She made her home in Dallas, TX. They had a son, Earle D.

Behrends. Mrs. Behrends was a devout Christian, a Baptist in faith, and a patriotic and generous woman. She served her community faithfully and was active in many organizations. She held memberships in the Wednesday Morning Choral Club, the City Federated Women's Club, Dallas Pen Women, Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims, Daughters of American Colonists, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Daughters of Republic of Texas. She served as President of John Cavet Chapter and was so loved that the Chapter presented a beautiful gift of a Silver Tray and two Water Pitchers to the National Headquarters House in her honor.

She died January 7, 1938 in Dallas, Texas.

MRS. PAUL WEBB McFADDEN (MARGARET QUAY MINTER) held State No. 90 and National No. 2130. Mrs. McFadden served as Texas Society President 1930-1932. Her ancestor was Andrew Quay, Private in the U. S. Rifles in South Carolina.

Margaret Quay Minter was born in Boonesville, Mississippi in 1869 and came to Abilene, TX, at the age of two years. Her husband, Paul W. McFadden, was born in Milford, Ellis County, TX. in 1866. The McFaddens came to Austin around 1900, where Mr. McFadden was a pioneer business man in the University neighborhood, as owner of the University Drug Store, one of Austin's oldest drug establishments. He served as Mayor of the City of Austin in 1926-1933. He died January 18, 1946. They were parents of one daughter, Margaret Quay, Mrs. Herbert H. Williams.

Mrs. Margaret McFadden was active in women's affairs of the First Southern Presbyterian Church, President of the Austin Women's Club and a faithful member of the Daughters of 1812. She served as Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter President 1926-1928. She died at the age of 87, at the home of her daughter in Comanche, TX, October 4, 1956.

MRS. PHINEAS SHIELD TILSON (FRANCES PARKER) , became a member of U. S. Daughters of 1812 December 8, 1925. She served as Texas Society President 1932-1934. She served as Curator National 1937-1938, as 4th Vice-President National, and finally as 2nd Vice-President National in 1943-1946.

Frances Parker was born February 24, 1879 at Bryan, TX, the daughter of Milton Parker and Mary Johnson Bryan. Her great-grandfather, Gouldman Parker, served as a Corporal in Captain Rueben M. Garnett's Co. of Infantry, 9th Regt. Virginia from King and Queen County, VA, in the War of 1812.

MRS. CHARLES COUCH HOLT (ANNIE YOUNG) became a Texas Society member in 1925 with State No. 366 and National No. 7857, as a transfer No. 106 of Macon, GA. She served as Texas Society President 1934-1936.

Annie Young was born in Eufala, Alabama and her parents were Edward Billups Young, Jr. and Marlene Jennings. Edward Billups Young, Sr. married Ann F. Beall. Her parents were Robert Beall and Elizabeth Marshall. Robert Beall was Captain in the Georgia Militia in the War of 1812. He was born January 4, 1767 in Prince George County, MD, and died in Georgia in 1832.

Annie Young attended Female College, Eufala, Al. She married Charles Couch Holt in 1894 and they lived in Georgia until they came to Dallas in 1923.

She was a faithful member of the Methodist Church and was a member of, Daughters of the American Revolution, Colonial Dames of America, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Founders and Patriots of America, and Order of the Crown of America.

MRS. JOE E. GARDNER (NELLY LAURA B. PROCTOR), was a Charter member of the Willis Brewer Chapter of Ft. Worth, TX, organized March 26, 1926. She served as Texas Society President 1936-1938.

Nelly's parents were William Clyde Proctor, born July 25, 1883 in Texas, and Anne Laura East, born December 11, 1885 in Mississippi.

Mrs. Gardner's Chapter was named after her ancestor, Willis Hamlin Brewer, born in Georgia in 1790, and died in Mississippi in 1869. His wife was Mary Walpole. He served as Private in the Georgia Troops during the War of 1812.

MRS. IRA D. SYKES (REGINA HIGDON), is a Charter member of Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter with State No. 287 and National No. 6363. She was President of her Chapter three times and served as Texas Society President 1938-1940. Her ancestor was John Thomas of Kentucky who served as a Surveyor and Citizen of Mercer County, KY, 1786-1808 during the War of 1812. He was born in Virginia in 1760 and died in Kentucky after 1808. He married Elizabeth Poague and their daughter, Ann, married John W. Davis.

Regina Higdon was born July 12, 1888 in Llano, the third daughter in a family of six girls of Lyde Davis and William Posey Higdon. Her grandfather, Captain John W. Davis, came to Texas from Kentucky in 1853. After the Higdon family moved to Dallas, Regina taught for 3 years in the Dallas Schools. In 1912 Regina Higdon married Ira D. Sykes, an accountant and auditor in Dallas. They moved to Kingsville, TX, where their first child, Lyde Gene, was born. Regina was active in club work here and organized the Sidney Lanier Chapter of United Daughters of the Confederacy. In 1917 the Sykes family moved to Houston and soon after their second child, Ira D. Sykes, Jr., was born.

Mrs. Sykes became very active in Houston Club work. She was President of the Woman's Club; President of the 4th District of

the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs and became State Secretary. She was President of the City Federation of Women's Club, active in the Chatauqua Club, the Ladies Reading Club, and helped to organize the Pan American Round Table. She served on committees for the Houston Symphony Orchestra, the Museum of fine Arts and made excursions for the Chamber of Commerce advertising their activities. She was member of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution and served twice as Regent for her local Chapter and later helped to form another local Chapter. She was also member of Daughters of American Colonists, Daughters of the Founders and Patriots of America, the Colonial Dames of America and the Huguenots Society. She taught an adult women's class at the South Main Baptist Church in Houston.

Mrs. Sykes will soon be 91 years of age and resides with her daughter, Mrs. C. Robert Paul, Jr., and her family in Colorado Springs, CO. She is a true inspiration to all who know her, including her three grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

MRS. WALTER ARNIM QUEBEDEAUX (MABEL TAYLOR), held State No. 59 and National No. 1929. She served as Texas Society President June 1940-1942.

Mabel Taylor was born August 7, 1888 at Georgetown, Williamson County, TX. Her parents were Lee Mays Taylor of Taylor, TX, and Fannie Morris Taliaferro of Austin, TX. Her grandparents on the maternal side were Rev. Robert Hay Taliaferro and Chloe Ann Anderson. Rev. Taliaferro organized the first Baptist Church in Austin in July of 1847. Chloe Ann Anderson was the daughter of Washington Anderson and Mary Ann Glasscock, pioneer settlers of Webberville, TX. Mary Ann Glasscock was the daughter of George John Glasscock and Anne Payne Coleman, daughter of Daniel Coleman who served as Lt. Col. in the Virginia Militia in the War of 1812, 101st Pittsylvania Virginia Regt.

Mrs. Quebedeaux served as librarian in the public schools and in college. She taught college French and German, and was the Director of Physical Education for Women. She also served as Translator for the U. S. Government for the duration of W. W. II. After retirement she continued her activities in various patriotic organizations such as Colonial Dames, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Daughters of the American Revolution, and Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812.

She gave her time and devotion loyally to our Texas Society, serving as President, State Historian, State Custodian, and Curator. She donated the four-drawer metal filing cabinet and card file cabinets and supervised the moving and placing of the Texas Society's Historical Records for safe preservation in the stacks of the Lorenzo de Zavalla State Library and Archives Building in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Quebedeaux were parents of Walter Arnim Quebedeaux, Ph.D., Mrs. Chloe Lee (Edward F.) Mallett, and Mrs. Carol (Harmon) Watts, all residents of Houston, TX. Mrs. W. A. Quebedeaux died in Houston April 2, 1965.

MRS. MARION NELSON CRESTMAN (MARY ELIZABETH WATHAN), joined the Texas Society in 1930 with State No. 482 and National No. 10,048. She served as Texas Society President 1942-1944.

Mary Elizabeth was born at Mexia in Limestone County, TX, and her parents were John Scott Wathan and Stella Love. Her parents moved to Dallas when she was a child and she met and married Marion Nelson Crestman, a Dallas Attorney.

Her 1812 ancestor was Robert Elliot Love, father of Stella Love. He was born April 19, 1791 in Chester District, SC. He died October 10, 1833 in Wilkerson County, MS. He married Pamela Canty McCullough and their son, Matthew, married Mary Ellen Wall Ives. Sgt. Love served in 1st Regt. Mississippi Territory Volunteers.

Mrs. Crestman was a faithful Chapter member and was active in many Dallas organizations. She was a member of Daughters of Founders and Patriots of America, Daughters of American Revolution, the Baptist Church, Y.W.C.A., Dallas Women's Club, and Dallas Forum. She was living in Houston at the time of her death in 1963.

MRS. IKE BARTON McFARLAND (MAE SAMUELLE MAGRUDER WYNNE), was a Charter Member of the Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter, and held State No. 244 and National No. 6097. She served as State Society President 1944-1946.

Her ancestor was Williamson Wynne, born in South Carolina in 1760 and died in Alabama in 1829. He married Eleanor Magruder. He served as Private in the North Carolina Militia.

Mae Wynne was born Sept. 23, 1884 in Huntsville, TX, the daughter of Gustavus Adair and Samuella (Gibbs) Wynne. She attended the University of Texas. On April 14, 1914 she married Ike Barton McFarland.

She served her Chapter as President three different times, and was Recording Secretary National at the time of our organization's 60th Anniversary. She compiled much material on veterans of the War of 1812 and their families who had been in Texas at any time. At her death, 45 notebooks were deposited in the Library of Sam Houston State Library in Huntsville, TX. A recognized authority on Texana, Mrs. McFarland was in demand as a speaker on radio and before clubs. Her special interest was in the history of Huntsville and Walker County.

Her other memberships included: Harris County Historical Society, Daughters of the Republic of Texas, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Colonial Dames, and National League of American Pen Women. She was a member of the Trinity Episcopal Church. She helped to organize the Alexander Love Chapter, DAR in 1923, and was a Regent for two terms and later was Texas State Regent.

Mrs. McFarland died January 7, 1962, and was buried in the Oak Wood Cemetery in Huntsville.

MRS. JOHN BLYTHE MAYFIELD (HATTIE BELL PATTERSON), was a Charter Member of the Lieutenant Silas Alexander Chapter in Tyler, TX. and held State No. 592 and National No. 13,169. She served as Texas Society President 1946-1948.

Her 1812 ancestor was Thomas Gray born August 11, 1761 in Abbeville County, SC, and died there April 27, 1818. He married Rebecca Jons. Their daughter, Sara Gray, married Charles Davenport. The son, John William Davenport, married Isabell Deal, and their daughter, Lelia May, married John Pinckney Patterson. Thomas Gray served as Private in the Georgia Militia in the War of 1812.

Hattie Bell was born January 28, 1876 in Tyler, TX, to John Pickney and Leila May (Davenport) Patterson. Her father was born 1847 in Coosa County, AL, and died about 1906, her mother was born 1856 in Tyler and died there April 1921. Hattie Bell was the oldest of six children.

Hattie Bell married John Blythe Mayfield, June 1899 in Tyler, who had 5 almost grown sons when their mother died. Hattie and John had three children (one died in infancy) those living were, Dr. Jack Hastings Mayfield who married Nancy McCleskey and Lelia Isabel who married Erwin Fulton Hill.

Mrs. Mayfield was a member and often held offices, both local and national, in about 32 organizations - religious, civic and patriotic. She traveled extensively throughout the United States and around the world. She had 12 living great grandchildren and died September 21, 1970 in Houston.

MRS. FREDERICK BREWSTER INGRAM (ALICE LANE), held State No. 516 and National No. 10,989. She served as State Society President 1948-1949 when she resigned to serve as President National 1949-1952. She had served as 4th Vice-President National 1946-1949.

Alice Lane was born November 4, 1887 in Austin, TX, the daughter of Alvin V. Lane and Lulie Margaret Hughey. She attended schools in Austin and New York. Her first husband was J. O. Newberry of Dallas and they had 2 children, Alvin and Margaret. After her husband's death, she married Frederick Brewster Ingram June 26, 1941.

Mrs. Ingram was a faithful member of Daughters of American Colonists; Honorary Vice-President General Daughters of the American Revolution; member Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims; Honorary President National and Honorary Texas Society President N.S.U.S.D. of 1812: and member United Daughters of Confederacy.

She was active in the Matheon Club, U. S. O., the Y. W. C. A., First Methodist Church, and the Dallas Woman's Club. In addition to one brother, she was survived by 8 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren.

Her War of 1812 ancestor was John Cavet who married Jean Ann McKean. The Dallas Chapter was named in honor of this man. He served as Private in the Pennsylvania Militia.

Mrs. Ingram died on September 10, 1978 at age 90, and is buried in Grove Hill Cemetery, Dallas, TX. On June 13, 1979 the Texas Society and John Cavet Chapter placed a lay memorial marker on Alice Lane Ingram's grave.

MRS. JOSEPH K. CARNAL (SUSAN KROEGER), held State No. 265 and National No. 6250. Mrs. Carnal served as State Society President 1949-1950 to finish the term of Mrs. Frederick Brewster Ingram. After the death of her first husband, Susan married Mr. Joe N. Sanderson August 10, 1954. Her ancestor was James Fisk of Vermont. He was born in Massachusetts in 1763 and died in Vermont in 1844. He married Priscilla West and their son, James Nathaniel Fisk, married Simona Smith. James Fisk served as a member of the United States Congress from Vermont 1805-1815.

Susan Kroeger was born at Fairview, TX, November 27, 1895. Her parents were William C. Kroeger and Ophelia Fisk of San Antonio, TX. Mrs. Sanderson after the death of her second husband returned home to San Antonio and died there November 14, 1975, age 80 years.

MRS. BEN ABNER TALBOT (ALFFIE WISE), became a member of the Texas Society in 1924 with State No. 311 and National No. 6960. She served as Texas Society President 1950-1952.

Alffie Wise was born October 12, 1888 at Lone Star, Polk County, TX. Her parents were Frost Keel Wise and Mattie Cecile Parker. She died February 11, 1958.

Her grandparents were Joseph Lacy Wise of Virginia and Lucy Eliza Hall. Her great grandfather was John Wise born 1770 in Virginia and died in Atica Mississippi in 1840. His wife was Judith Lacy. John Wise served as Private under Capt. Isaac Smith from May 22, 1813 to August 14 and under Capt. Joseph Ames from August 14 to October 1, 1814, in the Virginia Militia in the War of 1812.

MRS. UEL STEPHENS (HATTIE MILLER), became a member of Texas Society, Tarrant Chapter, in 1948 with State No. 667 and National No. 14,478. She served as Texas Society President 1952-1954.

Her ancestor was Thomas Briscoe who was born in Virginia 1791 and died in West Virginia 1868. He married Juliet Wood Hite and their daughter, Frances Amelia, married William B. Gallaher, Sr. Their daughter, Juliet, married Norman Miller, Hattie's grandfather. Thomas Briscoe served as an Ensign in Col. Boyd's 4th Regt. Virginia Militia in the War of 1812. Mrs. Stevens also has a Supplemental line for Major James Hite, Virginia Militia.

Hattie Miller was born December 8, 1895 in Ballinger, Runnels County, TX. She was the daughter of Frank C. Miller and Evie Henry. Her grandparents were Norman Miller, Sr. of Martinsburg, VA, and Juliet Baker Briscoe, who was the daughter of Major Thomas Briscoe, her War of 1812 ancestor.

Hattie Miller married Uel Stephens of Ft. Worth. She became very active in Church and patriotic work. She is a member of Daughters of American Revolution, Magna Carta Dames, Colonial Dames of America, Daughter of American Colonists and Huguenot Society of Texas.

Her 1812 service included Recording Secretary National and President National in 1958-1961.

MRS. KELLY E. McADAMS (INA MAE OGLETREE), holds State No. 561 and National No. 12,523. She lists as her 1812 ancestors the original John Pickett line and six Supplemental lines:

John Pickett - Private Tennessee Volunteers  
Rev. Reuben Pickett - Patriot of Virginia  
Capt. Philemon Bird - Virginia Infantry  
John Adams - Private Tennessee Militia  
James Thomas Ogletree - Patriot of Virginia  
William Bird - Private Accomac County, Virginia Militia  
Rev. Jacob White David - pioneer minister in Georgia

Ina May Ogletree was born in Wetumka, OK, May 28, 1906. Her parents were George Roydon Ogletree, an important Texas lumberman, and Londa Marsleet Pickett, a teacher, historical author and civic leader. Mrs. Londa Ogletree and her three daughters, Mrs. Billy McElroy, Mrs. Fred J. Ribar, and Mrs. Kelly E. McAdams all joined the Texas Society in the same year. Some years later sixteen Junior Members from the Ogletree, McAdams and Vertrees families were added to the Texas Society membership, as well as Mrs. McAdams daughters, Martha Lucille and Billy May.

Ina May Ogletree attended East Texas State College, Baylor University, Texas A. & M. College, and got a Bachelors of Science

Degree from Sam Houston State College. She later studied Journalism at the University of Texas. Her professional career included freelance writing, genealogical research publications, and owner and Vice-President of M & O Timber Co, in Austin, TX.

Mrs. McAdams was the first woman of Texas Good Neighbor Commission; was City Coordinator of Ground Observer Corps; was member of International Relations and International Good Neighbor Commission. She is a member of Texas Federated Women's Clubs, Texas Fine Arts Association, Austin Genealogical Society, Austin Woman's Federation, Texas University Ex-Students Association and others.

Her patriotic work includes Daughters of American Revolution - serving as Regent, member of State Board and Registrar. Her devotion and support of N.S.U.S.D. of 1812 earned a place of high honor in the Texas Society. Mrs. McAdams served as Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter President - 1946-48, 1954-56 and 1964-66. She served as Texas Society President 1954-56. She generously contributed time, energy and money to our Chapter, State and National projects.

Ina May Ogletree married Kelly McAdams on May 30, 1928. He is from a prominent Central Texas family and is very helpful with all of his wife's endeavors. They have three children, Kelly Roy McAdams, Martha Lucille McAdams (Mrs. Ralph W. Vertrees), and Billy May McAdams (Mrs. Herbert Oscar Muecke).

Mrs. McAdams regrets she finds little time for her patriotic work at this time. She and her husband have extensive timber, ranching and oil interests, necessitating a great deal of travel. They are involved in a number of philanthropic projects and she plans to write a definitive history of their families for their children and grandchildren.

MRS. EARLE D. BEHREND'S (DAISY TEAGARDEN), holds State No. 258 and National No. 6208. She is a member of John Cavet Chapter and served as Texas Society President 1956-1958.

Daisy Teagarden was born February 29, 1888 in Greenville, TX. Her parents were Joseph A. Swin Teagarden and Cornelia Rudd Birdsong. Her grandparents were John B. Teagarden and Rosa McGuire. Her great-grandfather and 1812 ancestor was William Teagarden born 1746 in Pennsylvania, he married Bethia Craig. He served as a Ranger in the Washington County, Pennsylvania Militia.

Daisy Teagarden married Earle D. Behrends August 17, 1909. He was the son of Albert Behrends and Cora Ella Talbot, thus Daisy followed in her mother-in-law's career of service in the Texas Society. Daisy and Earle had two children, Marcella and Albert. She is active in Club and Church work in Dallas, and is still a member of our Texas Society.

MRS. CHESTER L. FARQUHARSON (JULIA BLISS TRAUTWINE), became a member of the United States Daughters of 1812 on May 15, 1947. She served the Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter as President 1951-1953 and served as State President 1958-1960. She held State No. 646 and National No. 14,213.

Julia Bliss Trautwine was born February 20, 1893, in Wichita, KS, a daughter of John Hannibal Trautwine and Hannah Doane. Her great great grandfather, Samuel Smock, served as a Justice of the Peace, Militiaman, Judge of the Common Pleas Court and Justice of the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, IN.

Julia studied music in New York City under Frederick Haywood and at the Damrosch School of Music, taught by Walter and George Damrosch, before she went to France to attend the American School of Music at Fontainbleau. She toured Europe with opera companies for several years after completing her studies.

After returning to the United States, Julia developed appendicitis and later married the handsome physician who took out her appendix. They came to Houston in 1932 where Dr. Farquharson built a clinic. After his death, Mrs. Farquharson became interested in genealogy and joined several organizations. She organized the Tejas Chapter, DAR; was State Governor of the Mayflower Society; was state first vice-president of the Huguenot Society; was formerly state president of the Colonial Dames of America; was a member of Daughters of American Colonists; daughters of Colonial Wars: New England Women; and the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company.

She was an outstanding public speaker and was much in demand for programs for civic and patriotic organizations. "Talking is my hobby" she once said. She taught classes in parliamentary law and in August 1960 was the first woman to address the United States Naturalization Court.

Mrs. Farquharson died September 7, 1964, leaving two daughters and a sister, Mrs. Milton A. Bridges, who was also very active in the Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter and the Texas Society.

MRS. LELAND E. PURNELL (FLEECIE OGARITA PHILLIPS), held State No. 483 and National No. 10,138. Her ancestor was John Oliver Bracken, born 1791 in Ireland, died 1848 in Texas. He married Annie Grymes Richards, and their son, Edward R., married Sarah Watkins. Their daughter, Blanche, married J. Hall Phillips. John Oliver Bracken served as Private in the Kentucky Mounted Volunteer Militia. Mrs. Purnell served as State Society President 1960-1962.

The parents of Fleecie Ogarita Phillips were J. Hall Phillips and Blanche Bracken. Mrs. Blanche Bracken was the daughter of John Oliver Bracken. She was a Real Daughter of the Texas Society.

Fleecie was a student at the University of Texas 1906-10 and served as substitute teacher in Austin Public Schools 1910-13. She married Leland Everett Purnell and they had one daughter, Le Nell Blanche Purnell. Mr. Purnell died of a heart attack June 3, 1946.

Mrs. Purnell held offices in many patriotic groups. She was Vice-President National Society of Huguenots of Texas and President of the Fleur de Les Chapter 1959-1961; Chapter Recording Secretary Daughters of American Revolution; Texas Division U.D.C. Registrar; President Albert Sidney Johnson Chapter No. 105 U.D.C. 1952-1954.

She was also a member and officer in Colonial Dames of XVII Century, Daughters of American Colonists, Magna Charta Dames, Austin Genealogical Society and Ex-Students Association of the University of Texas.

She was the recipient of the Fannie Ransom Williams Medal, and several other awards for her U.D.C. work. She was also active in Travis County Women's Council, Violet Crown Garden Club, and other City activities.

Mrs. Purnell was an active and faithful member until her death.

MRS. LORETTA GRIM THOMAS (LORETTA GRIM), became a member of Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter U.S.D. of 1812 in 1951 and served as Chapter President in 1960. She served as State Society President 1962-1964, and as 4th Vice-President National under Mrs. C. T. Hays, 1967-1970.

Her ancestor was Henry Boyer, born in Pennsylvania 1778 and died there in 1857. He married Sarah Krebe and their daughter, Catherine K., married John Rhoads. Henry Boyer served as Private in the Lebanon County Pennsylvania Rangers in the War of 1812.

Loretta Grim was born April 7, 1898, in Pennsylvania, and while still a small child, her family moved to Texarkana, TX. There her mother, Mrs. W. R. Grim, enrolled her children in the Children of the American Revolution and then began Loretta's long association and interest in genealogical and historical research. At the age of 18 she transferred to the Lone Star Chapter, D.A.R., and served frequently as a page at Continental Congress while a student at the Shipley School in Pennsylvania and at Bryn Mawr where she got a B.A. Degree. Following her marriage in 1923, she transferred to John McKnitt Alexander Chapter in which she was active for years, serving two separate terms as Regent. In State D.A.R. work she was Corresponding Secretary, Vice-Regent, and State Regent 1952-1955, at the close of which term she was elected Vice-President General of the National Society. In 1956 she was appointed National Chairman of the Americanism and D.A.R. Manual for Citizenship Committee.

In the Daughters of the American Colonists, Mrs. Thomas was an early member of the State Society before that organization formed

into Chapters. She held several offices and in 1958 when D.A.C. organized into Chapters she became a Charter Member of LaSalle Chapter of Houston. At that time she was National Chairman of the National Awards Committee, a position which she held for six years. She **then** served as National Organizing Secretary, 1964-1967, and as National Vice-President of the Southern Section, 1967-1970.

Mrs. Thomas was a long-time member of the Huguenot Society of Pennsylvania and became a Charter Member of St. Bartholomew Chapter of the National Huguenot Society when the Texas Huguenot Society was organized.

Mrs. Thomas died on August 11, 1971, and was survived by a son and four grandchildren. Much could be written about this handsome and stately lady who was so generously endowed with ability, warmth and graciousness -- truly, one "to the manner born".

MRS. ROBERT H. PARKINSON (LILLIAN COTTON), became a member of the Texas Society in 1944 with State No. 619 and National No. 13,626. She served as State Society President 1964-1966.

Her ancestor was Major William Houck, M.D.. He was born in Maryland in 1781 and died in Pennsylvania in 1851. He married Eve Ebaugh. Their daughter, Julia, married Melchoir Allgire. Dr. Houck served in the 5th District Maryland Cavalry in the War of 1812.

Lillian Cotton was the daughter of Orville A. Cotton and Jalla L. Hamby. Her grandparents were Dr. Aman Cotton and Ann Josephine Shaner, and her great grandparents were George Edward Shaner and Mary Elizabeth Houck.

Mrs. Parkinson is still very active in the Augustus Jones Chapter of San Antonio and the Texas Society.

MRS. GEORGE HALFIN LIKINS (MARY RUTH NORWOOD), holds State No. 738 and National No. 15,301. She served as State Society President 1966-1968. Her ancestor was George Tye. He was born in North Carolina in 1782 and died in Kentucky in 1845. He married Margaret Leah Pearce and their son, John P., married Charity B. Tuggle. The grandson, Robert W. Tye married Catherine Ann Hayden. George Tye served as Sargeant in the Kentucky Mounted Volunteers.

Mary Ruth Norwood was born in Burleson, TX. to the union of Robert Edward Lee Norwood and Mary Elizabeth Tye. Her grandparents were residents of Tarrant County, TX, having come to Texas after the grandfather served in the Confederate Army. Her family moved to Abilene, TX. when she was five years old. She and her mother became Charter Members of the John Hudnall Chapter in 1951.

Mary Ruth attended college at Simmons Academy, Abilene; Crescent Junior College, Eureka Springs AR; Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene; and did graduate work at the University of Texas.

Her professional career includes French Instructor at St. Hilda's Hall, Charlestown, WV; French teacher at Bon-Avon School for girls in San Antonio; was Principal and taught English in Ropesville and Childress High School; served as Bursar at the San Marcos Academy. She joined the Universal Producing Company as director of amateur theatricals and traveled the United States.

She met and married George Halfin Likins, a Pennsylvanian who was Editor of the Daily News in Tucumcari, NM. The couple, working for Alexander Film Corp. of Colorado Springs, set up a number of theaters with headquarters in Abilene. They continued this business for 25 years. Mr. Likins died in 1959.

Mary Ruth began to devote her time to her various Clubs and Patriotic Societies, property management and travel. She is a member of the Episcopal Church of the Heavenly Rest, Order of the Eastern Star, Altrusa Club, and Abilene Woman's Club. Her Patriotic Societies include Mayflower Descendants of Texas, serving as Governor; Daughters of American Revolution, serving as State Registrar; Colonial Dames of XVII Century, having organized the William Norwood Chapter in Abilene; and Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812. Before serving as the State Society President in 1966-1968, she served as the Texas Society First Vice-President in 1960-1962. In 1973, Mrs. Likins was elected President of the Association of State Presidents and Charter Members United States Daughters of 1812.

She has been a guiding and inspiring influence in the Hudnall Chapter and the Texas Society, and we all look forward to seeing her at the Annual Council Meetings. She served as General Chairman of the 75th Diamond Jubilee Anniversary meeting in Abilene, March 13-14, 1978. Under her guidance we enjoyed an outstanding Council Meeting and Celebration.

MRS. EARL LOUIS BYERS (WINNA BELL PICKETT), joined the Texas Society as a Charter Member in the General Edward H. Tarrant Chapter with State No. 672 and National No. 14,729. She served as State Society President 1968-1970.

Winna Bell Pickett was born August 8, 1900 in Roanoke, TX. Her parents were Walter Gray Pickett and Effie Lucy Shelton; her grandparents were Edward Mitchem Gray Pickett and Paralee Adams. **His father**, John Pickett, was Winna Bell's 1812 ancestor. He was born 1795 in North Carolina and died 1833 in Dickson County, TN. He married Rebecca Collier in 1815. John Pickett served as a Private in Capt. Joseph Williams Co. and later as Sergeant in 1st Regt. Mounted Gunmen Tennessee Volunteers.

Winna Bell attended Fort Worth High School, and Ward-Belmont College in Nashville, TN. She married Earl Louis Byers of

Ididorod, Alaska, on November 24, 1920, in Fort Worth. They have one son, James Earl Byers, and three grandchildren.

Mrs. Byers has been very active in Fort Worth Church and Patriotic activities. She is a member of Central Christian Church and President of Christian Women Fellowship. She is a member of Colonial Country Club with honors and official positions; Ft. Worth Women's Club; Huguenot Society of Texas (serving twice as president); Daughters of American Colonists, Hon. Phillip Livingston Chapter; Colonial Dames of XVII Century (State President); Ladies Lions Club; Lamp Lighters Story Club; and served 14 years as Red Cross Gray Lady in Navy Hospital.

She has always been active in General Edward H. Tarrant Chapter as Chapter President and in other offices, and is one of our Honorary Texas Society Presidents. We were proud to have her at the 76th State Council Meeting in Austin in March 1979.

MRS. GRADY KIRBY (JOSEPHINE COOMBS), holds State No. 813 and National No. 16,148. She joined the Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter, U.S.D. of 1812 in 1955, and held several offices before becoming Chapter President 1970-1972. In State work, she was the chairman of several committees and served as State Registrar during the term of Mrs. L. E. Purnell 1960-1962, and as First Vice-President 1968-1970. She served as State Society President 1970-1972. She held the office of Assistant Curator National 1972-1975, and served as Chairman National of the Bacone College For American Indians Committee 1976-1979. She served as President of the Association of State Presidents and Charter Members 1975-1977.

Her ancestor was Major Charles Morehead of Kentucky. He was born in Virginia in 1762 and died in Kentucky in 1828. He married Margaret Slaughter and their daughter, Elvira S., married William Coombs, Sr. Major Morehead served in the Kentucky Militia in 1797.

Josephine Coombs is a native of Bowling Green, KY, where she was born on March 15, 1896 and moved with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hines Coombs to Texas when quite a small child. Her parents lived in San Antonio and Houston. She was educated in public schools and received her B. A. Degree from Randolph Macon Woman's College. She did graduate work at Columbia University and attended extramural session at Oxford University, England. In 1925 she married Grady Kirby, a petroleum geologist, whose profession necessitated frequent assignments of work in various areas, but for 20 years the Kirbys maintained a house in San Antonio which was considered "home". In 1945 they moved permanently to Houston where Mrs. Kirby became quite active in the work of genealogical and historical societies.

Her memberships include the Daughters of American Revolution in which she served as Regent of John McKnitt Alexander Chapter,

as State Chairman of the D.A.R. Good Citizens Committee and of the Public Relations Committee, and as State Treasurer; in Daughters of the American Colonists, she was Organizing Regent of La Salle Chapter, and is Honorary State Regent of the Texas Society, D.A.C., National Chairman of the Colonial and Genealogical Records Committee and served as National Organizing Secretary; she is Honorary State President of Texas Society Colonial Dames XVII Century and held several National Offices, and is an Honorary Vice-President General; she is Honorary State President of Huguenot Society of Texas and served six years as Historian General of the National Huguenot Society; and she is a member of the Magna Charta Dames.

Mrs. Kirby is very special supporter of all Texas Society projects, and faithful in her attendance at Council Meetings and other Society functions.

MISS MILDRED LITTLEHOHN, holds State No. 1069 and National No. 19,167. She served as State Recording Secretary 1970-1972 and as State Society President 1972-1974. Her ancestor was Judge Thaddeus Beale II of North Carolina. He served in a Judicial capacity during the War of 1812.

Miss Littlejohn was born in Forest, TX, in Cherokee County, July 15, 1903. She moved with her parents at an early age to Tyler, TX. She received her early education in Tyler Public Schools, and later attended Southern Methodist University for two years and then received her B.S. Degree from Sul Ross Teachers Collete at Alpine, TX. She taught in the Public Schools for 33 years, and continued her graduate work at the University of New York, University of Ohio, University of Colorado, and Columbia University. She became a life member of Phi Mu National Sorority, and is a member of Delta Kappa Gamma, honorary Teachers Sorority.

Her life in Tyler has been a busy one. She received a 35 year pin for service with the American Red Cross; was President of the Smith County Unit American Cancer Society; serving 20 years on the Unit Board; Charter Member of East Texas Symphony and a life member of National Federation of Music Clubs; was first President of Tyler's International Zonta Club; was President for 2 years of the United Methodist Women of Marvin U. M. Church; is a member of Tyler Rose Society, the Camellia Club, A.A.U.W. and the Tyler Music Coterie.

She is listed in Who's Who of American Women; listed in the "Hereditary Register of the U.S." and in "Living Descendants of Blood Royal"; a member of "Assoc. of Descendants of the Knights of the Garter, King Edward III, Founder". She is a member of Daughters of American Revolution, United Daughters of Confederacy, Colonial Dames of XVII Century; Magna Charta Dames; Daughters of the Barons of Runnemede; and Daughters of American Colonists.

MISS HAZEL BRODERICK, holds State No. 723 and National No. 15,220. She has served twice as President of the Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter; is a former State Treasurer, State Recording Secretary and President of the Officers Club of the Texas Society. Miss Broderick served as State Society President 1974-1976.

Her ancestor was Robert Rowe of North Carolina. He was born in North Carolina in 1793 and died in Texas in 1869. He married Mary Hooper and their daughter, Mary G., married Stephen Ralph Cummings. Robert Rowe served as Private in the North Carolina Militia.

Hazel was born October 24, 1904 in San Antonio, TX. Her parents were living there temporarily while her father, a member of the Regular Army, was stationed at Fort Sam Houston. At the end of his enlistment, the family moved back to Austin, to reside in the house of Hazel's grandfather which he built in 1870. This house was inherited by her mother.

Miss Broderick attended the Austin Public Schools, graduating from Stephen F. Austin High School in 1922. She continued her studies at the University of Texas and is a member of the Ex-Students Association. She is a life member of Beta Sigma Phi, international non-academic educational and social sorority and was awarded their "Order of the Rose" in 1962. She was an employee of the State Comptroller's Department for more than 40 years, retiring in 1974.

While a State employee, she was a member of the Board of Directors of the Texas Public Employees Association, president of the Capitol Chapter of the Association, and a member of the Board of Directors and President of the Capitol Credit Union. She also helped to organize these three groups. She was a Democratic Precinct Chairman for 17 years.

Miss Broderick's other patriotic societies, member of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Daughters of the Republic of Texas. She is an active member of the First Southern Presbyterian Church of Austin.

MRS. LORENZO LEMUEL SKAGGS (MARY ELIZABETH McCLELLAND), holds State No. 1008 and National No. 18, 139. She is a member of the Captain Augustus Jones Chapter. Mrs. Skaggs served the Texas Society as 4th Vice-President in 1970-72 and as State President 1976-1978.

Her ancestor was Elias McClelland. He was born in Carlisle, Cumberland County, PA, in 1784 and died there in 1820, a relatively young man. On December 23, 1808 Elias Married Mary McKinney at Big Springs Presbyterian Church, Newville, PA. Elias McClelland enlisted in Capt. William Alexander's Co., 5th Regt. Pennsylvania

Militia on February 24, 1814. He was discharged August 14, 1814 at Albany, NY. His powder horn dated 1813 is a prized relic of his 1812 War service. It is now owned by Mrs. Fred S. Bennett (Kathleen McClelland, a daughter of the 2nd wife of his son, J. J. McClelland) in Tombstone, AZ. The son John James McClelland was born December 6, 1812.

Mary Elizabeth was born November 25, 1905 at Beckville, Panola County, TX. Her parents were Dr. John James McClelland and Elizabeth Salina Stallworth McClelland of Alabama. They were married in Camden, AL, in 1900 and moved to Texas. Mary Elizabeth attended the San Antonio public schools and Westmoreland College in San Antonio.

She married Dr. Lorenzo Lemuel Skaggs January 15, 1938. He was a prominent Doctor of Dental Surgery and Dentistry for many years in San Antonio until his health necessitated retirement. The couple have no children. Mary Elizabeth proudly lists herself as a housewife and ranchette, having successfully managed a home and social life in town and a productive ranch near San Antonio, where the Skaggs spend their leisure time.

Mrs. Skaggs has been a member of the Travis Park United Methodist Church for over 25 years. She serves on the Communion Committee, the Ella Goodwyn Carter Philathea Sunday School Class and the Wesleyan Fellowship Guild.

Her civic interests have been varied for she and her husband have been active in the San Antonio Garden Club, San Antonio Conservation Society, King William Association, Beautify San Antonio Association, and she has been a working member of the Woman's Auxiliary of the San Antonio District Dental Society.

Mrs. Skaggs' interest in Patriotic Societies grew out of her love of history. She is a member of the United Daughters of the Confederacy; Daughters of the American Revolution; Alamo Mission Chapter, Daughters of the Republic of Texas; Magna Charta Dames; and Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812 from Captain Augustus Jones Chapter. She is now an Honorary Texas Society President and a member of the National Association of State Presidents U.S.D. of 1812.

MRS. CHARLES HEMPHILL FAY (MARY SMITH), became a member of the Texas Society U. S. Daughters of 1812 on May 27, 1961 and holds State No. 968 and National No. 17,519, and one of her first duties was to represent her Chapter on the Texas Society State Board. She was appointed to fill out the term of Mrs. Frank Williford as State Historian 1962-1964. She was President of the Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter 1974-1976, and was State First Vice-President 1976-1978. Mrs. Fay served as President of the Texas Society 1978-1980. Her ancestor is Stephen Kincheloe born in Virginia and died in Kentucky. He married (2nd) Elizabeth Tyler and their son

William H. married (1st) Margaret Lynn. Stephen Kincheloe served as Sargeant in the Kentucky Volunteers.

Mary Smith was born August 27, 1915 in White County, IL, to William Logan and Myrtle (Hunsinger) Smith. She attended school in Carmi, IL, and received her masters degree in mathematics and education from the University of Illinois. After Teaching mathematics and general science in Crossville, IL Community High School for one year, Miss Smith spent the next ten years in hospital administration before coming to Texas in 1948 to join the Shell Development Company's Exploration and Production Research Laboratory. Mary retired in August 1969 before her marriage to Dr. Charles H. Fay who, according to Charles, is an "ex-physicist" also retired from Shell.

Mrs. Fay borrowed from Sam Houston State University in Huntsville the material compiled by Mrs. I. B. McFarland about veterans of the War of 1812 of Texas, and has arranged it for publication with the hope it will help prospective members to complete their lineages. During Mrs. Lemuel L. Skaggs' term as State President, the publication of this book was encouraged and endorsed, and the book will be off the press this summer.

At the April 8, 1979 meeting of the Association of State Presidents and Charter Members in Washington, Mrs. Fay was elected Fourth Vice-President. Also, she was appointed Chairman National of the Reciprocity Committee of the National Society for the next three years.

Mrs. Fay's other activities include having been a member of Ann Poage Chapter, DAR for close to 30 years, serving as Regent 1961-1963. She has worked actively with the C.A.R. and presently is Honorary Senior National Vice-President (term expires in 1982.) She is a member of the Daniel Braman Chapter, Daughters of the American Colonists, and the Harris County Heritage Society. She is an enthusiastic member of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church.

Long interested in genealogy and the techniques for doing research, Mrs. Fay became a Certified Genealogist, approved 10 June 1974 by the Board of Certification of Genealogists, in Washington, DC. For her term as State President, U. S. Daughters of 1812, Mrs. Fay's major projects are to increase membership and to compile a history of the Texas Society from its founding in 1903 to the present. Mrs. Sam G. Cook, State Historian, will edit this history which will emphasize the Chapters and the accomplishments of the individuals who have worked so lovingly and long for our Organization.

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These Biographies represent the total information available from members or their families and friends. We regret some are too short to do justice to these ladies so important to us.

## 2. Complete List of Officers of the Texas Society 1903-1980

### CHAPTER AND STATE

1903 - 1907

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| President               | Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore (Luella Robertson) |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. Britton Davis (Antoniette W.)    |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. Cone Johnson (Birdie Robertson)  |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Fred A. Scott (Bird Cochran)     |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Wm. C. Harllee (Ella Fulmore)    |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. George W. Massie (Mary Eilers)   |
| Registrar               | Miss Naomi Perry                      |
| Historian               | Miss Chloe Leigh Taliaferro           |

1907 - 1911

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|-------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. Sidon Harris     | Austin      |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. R. C. Schindler  | Nacogdoches |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. T. N. Bosson     | Austin      |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. F. A. Scott      | Austin      |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. J. E. Howze      | Austin      |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. George W. Massie | Austin      |
| Registrar               | Mrs. Harry L. Marks   | Austin      |
| Historian               | Mrs. E. P. Smith      | Austin      |

1911 - 1913

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|-------------------------|---------------------|-----------|
| President               | Mrs. E. P. Smith    | Austin    |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. Wells Thompson | Houston   |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. Edwin Booth    | Galveston |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. B. B. Throop   | Austin    |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Eugene Barker  | Austin    |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. T. A. Brown    | Austin    |
| Registrar               | Mrs. Harry L. Marks | Austin    |
| Historian               | Mrs. Fred A. Scott  | Austin    |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. Elton Perry    | Austin    |

1913 - 1915

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| President (Honorary)    | Mrs. Milton Morris                             | Austin    |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. Edwin Brown (Booth)                       | Galveston |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. A. V. Lane                                | Dallas    |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. James H. Maxwell                          | Austin    |
| Corresponding Secretary | Miss Ethel Bowman                              | Austin    |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. T. A. Brown                               | Austin    |
| Registrar               | Miss Elma Dill                                 | Austin    |
| Historian               | Mrs. S. Dalhart                                |           |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. Elton Perry (Changed to Mrs. T. A. Brown) |           |

### STATE OFFICERS

1915 - 1917

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| President          | Mrs. A. V. Lane    | Dallas |
| 1st Vice-President | Mrs. A. J. Doremus | Bryan  |

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| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. J. E. Howze      | Austin      |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. Robert B. Rogers | Brownwood   |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. Walter Gresham   | Galveston   |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Oscar Barthold   | Weatherford |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. G. G. Sherrin    | Dallas      |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. C. B. Colquit    | Dallas      |
| Registrar               | Mrs. J. M. Earnest    | Austin      |
| Historian               | Mrs. Harry Hyman      | San Antonio |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. E. P. Smith      | Austin      |
|                         | Mrs. T. A. Brown      | Austin      |
| Curator                 | Mrs. Milton Morris    | Austin      |

1917 - 1920

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| President               | Mrs. Thomas Buford (June 1917-Nov. 1917) |           |
|                         | Mrs. J. C. Muse (November 1917-1920)     |           |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. J. A. Walker                        | Brownwood |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. Laura McKean                        | Austin    |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. J. C. McKeelan                      | Temple    |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. Lucy Cary                           | Dallas    |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. P. P. Fox (1917-19)                 | Dallas    |
|                         | Mrs. R. S. Goble (1919-20)               | Dallas    |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. G. W. Gibson                        | Dallas    |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. T. L. Westerfield                   | Dallas    |
| Registrar               | Mrs. R. W. Skinner (1917-19)             | Dallas    |
|                         | Mrs. W. W. Deatherage (1919-20)          |           |
| Historian               | Mrs. M. M. Birge                         | Dallas    |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. Lipscomb Norvell                    |           |

1920 - 1922

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| President               | Mrs. J. E. Howze         | Austin      |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. J. T. Padgit        | Coleman     |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. J. A. Walker        | Brownwood   |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. J. Lee Hoover       | Greenville  |
| 4th Vice-President      | Miss Constance McCuiston | Paris       |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. George Bussy        |             |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. J. Lee Costley      | Austin      |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. F. S. Bowman        | Austin      |
| Registrar               | Mrs. M. M. Birge         | Austin      |
| Historian               | Mrs. W. S. Splawn        | Dallas      |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. J. Fletcher         | Victoria    |
| Curator                 | Mrs. J. D. Russell       | San Antonio |

1922 - 1924

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| President               | Mrs. Robert S. Lowe      | Dallas    |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. Lipscomb Norvell    | Beaumont  |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. J. M. Roseborough   | Victoria  |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. J. J. Quinn         | Houston   |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. Adelia C. M. Martin | Brownwood |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Cora E. Behrends    | Dallas    |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Milton Morris       | Austin    |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. Walter Reid         | Dallas    |

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| Registrar | Mrs. Margaret S. Caruth | Dallas      |
| Curator   | Mrs. J. D. Russell      | San Antonio |
| Chaplain  | Mrs. John E. Pickle     | Austin      |
| Historian | Mrs. Lee M. Taylor      | Georgetown  |

1924 - 1926

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. J. J. Quinn         | Houston     |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. Edwin Bruce         | Galveston   |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. T. S. Cullen        | Cleburne    |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. S. S. Walker        | Belton      |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. E. Y. Early         | Brownwood   |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Edward C. Brock     | Houston     |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Eugene T. Harris    | Houston     |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. Roy T. Walker       | Houston     |
| Registrar               | Miss Constance McCuiston | Paris       |
| Curator                 | Mrs. Lee Hoover          | McKinney    |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. C. B. Jones         | Greenville  |
| Historian               | Mrs. H. E. Baxter        | Austin      |
| Genealogist             | Mrs. John Hyde           | Dallas      |
| Flag Bearer             | Mrs. Irvin Brown         | San Antonio |

1926 - 1928

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. H. R. Wofford      | San Antonio |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. Cora Behrends      | Dallas      |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. Merrick Davis      | Paris       |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. Roy Walker         | Houston     |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. Chas. T. Kennedy   | Greenville  |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. M. F. Ross         | San Antonio |
| Corresponding Secretary | Miss Ruby Cole          | San Antonio |
| Treasurer               | Miss Evelyn Sterling    | San Antonio |
| Registrar               | Mrs. J. Carter Bardin   | Dallas      |
| Curator                 | Mrs. H. W. Broadus      | El Paso     |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. J. M. Rosenborough | Victoria    |
| Historian               | Mrs. Jennie M. Hardy    | Belton      |
| Genealogist             | Mrs. J. J. Quinn        | Houston     |
| Flag Bearer             | Miss Ethel Bowman       | Austin      |

1928 - 1930

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. Cora E. Behrends   | Dallas      |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. Raymond Moore      | Ft. Worth   |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. C. Y. Early        | Brownwood   |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. E. C. Brock        | Houston     |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. Irwin Brown        | San Antonio |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Helmer Bekkelund   | Dallas      |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. William Deatherage | Dallas      |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. J. Carter Bardin   | Dallas      |
| Registrar               | Mrs. E. M. Pickard      | Dallas      |
| Curator                 | Mrs. D. N. Rice         | Corsicana   |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. A. C. Zumwalt      | Houston     |
| Historian               | Mrs. W. N. Woods        | Lubbock     |
| Genealogist             | Mrs. H. R. Wofford      | San Antonio |

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| Auditor         | Mrs. A. V. Lane         | Dallas      |
| Flag Bearer     | Miss Katherine Reynolds | Houston     |
| Parliamentarian | Mrs. J. K. Beretta      | San Antonio |

1930 - 1932

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. P. W. McFadden      | Austin      |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. J. J. Grissom       | San Antonio |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. J. L. Smith         | Amarillo    |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. C. Y. Early         | Brownwood   |
| 4th Vice President      | Miss Constance McCuiston | Paris       |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. J. E. Howze         | Austin      |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Earle B. Mayfield   | Austin      |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. M. S. Hatcher       | Austin      |
| Registrar               | Mrs. Milton Morris       | Austin      |
| Curator                 | Mrs. J. E. Gardner       | Ft. Worth   |
| Chaplain                |                          |             |
| Historian               | Mrs. E. S. Cuney         | Houston     |
| Genealogist             | Mrs. Earle D. Behrends   | Dallas      |
| Auditor                 | Mrs. T. A. Brown         | Austin      |
| Flag Bearer             | Mrs. B. D. Leggett       | Brookshire  |
| Parliamentarian         | Miss Elma Dill           | Austin      |

1932 - 1934

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|-------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. P. S. Tilson     | Houston     |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. C. B. Jones      | Greenville  |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. E. M. Pickard    | Dallas      |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. V. Y. Robnet     | Brownwood   |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. C. C. French     | Ft. Worth   |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. E. C. Brock      | Houston     |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Ira D. Sykes     | Houston     |
| Treasurer               |                       |             |
| Registrar               | Mrs. R. B. Browder    | Houston     |
| Curator                 | Mrs. Milton Morris    | Austin      |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. Cora E. Behrends | Dallas      |
| Historian               | Mrs. J. Howell Bunton | Austin      |
| Genealogist             | Mrs. J. A. Walker     | Brownwood   |
| Auditor                 | Mrs. D. H. Smith      | Houston     |
| Flag Bearer             | Mrs. W. P. Coleman    | San Antonio |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. George Boeck     | San Antonio |

1934 - 1936

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|-------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. Charles C. Holt  | Dallas      |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. W. P. Coleman    | San Antonio |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. H. C. Churchill  | San Antonio |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. R. B. Browder    | Houston     |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. James H. Maxwell | Austin      |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. B. D. Adkerson   | Dallas      |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Henry L. Tenison | Dallas      |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. George E. Bell   | Dallas      |
| Registrar               | Mrs. M. N. Crestman   | Dallas      |
| Curator                 | Mrs. E. L. Nall       | Beaumont    |

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| Chaplain        | Mrs. Cora E. Behrends | Dallas      |
| Historian       | Mrs. J. H. Connell    |             |
| Genealogist     | Mrs. P. S. Tilson     | Houston     |
| Auditor         | Mrs. E. H. Blum       | Dallas      |
| Flag Bearer     | Mrs. Paul Osterhout   | San Antonio |
| Parliamentarian | Mrs. E. M. Pickard    | Dallas      |

1936-1938

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|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. J. E. Gardner     | Ft. Worth   |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. H. R. Wofford     | San Antonio |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. P. W. McFadden    | Austin      |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. P. S. Tilson      | Houston     |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. C. C. Holt        | Dallas      |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Earle D. Behrends | Dallas      |
| Corresponding Secretary |                        |             |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. George Bell       | Dallas      |
| Registrar               | Mrs. R. B. Browder     | Houston     |
| Curator                 | Mrs. Milton Morris     | Austin      |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. J. K. Carnal      | San Antonio |
| Historian               | Mrs. I. B. McFarland   | Houston     |
| Genealogist             | Mrs. A. B. Marks       | Beaumont    |
| Auditor                 | Mrs. C. C. Peters      | Ft. Worth   |
| Flag Bearer             | Mrs. W. P. Higdon      | Dallas      |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. E. C. Brock       | Houston     |

1938 - 1940

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. R. D. Sykes        | Houston     |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. W. P. Coleman      | San Antonio |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. J. Howell Bunton   | Austin      |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. J. M. Spellman     | Dallas      |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. J. S. Morris       | Ft. Worth   |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. D. H. Smith        | Houston     |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Milton Morris      | Austin      |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. E. C. Brock        | Houston     |
| Registrar               | Mrs. W. N. Crestman     | Dallas      |
| Curator                 | Mrs. James H. Maxwell   | Austin      |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. H. E. Baxter       | Austin      |
| Historian               | Mrs. I. B. McFarland    | Houston     |
| Genealogist             | Mrs. R. B. Browder      | Houston     |
| Auditor                 | Mrs. H. R. Wofford      | San Antonio |
| Flag Bearer             | Mrs. E. L. Nall         | Beaumont    |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. Alice Lane Newbury | Dallas      |

1940 - 1942

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| President               | Mrs. Mabel T. Quebedeaux (Mrs. W.A.) | Austin      |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. E. H. Blum                      | Dallas      |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. John E. Wright                  | San Antonio |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Miss Margaret Hall                   | Ft. Worth   |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. R. B. Browder                   | Houston     |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Leland Purnell                  | Austin      |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. James H. Hart                   | Austin      |

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| Treasurer       | Mrs. J. D. Bolding     | Austin      |
| Registrar       | Mrs. J. D. Harvey      | Austin      |
| Curator         | Mrs. H. R. Wofford     | San Antonio |
| Chaplain        | Mrs. J. Howard Bunton  | Austin      |
| Historian       | Mrs. M. N. Crestman    | Dallas      |
| Genealogist     | Mrs. C. W. Atkinson    | Ft. Worth   |
| Auditor         | Mrs. H. E. Maddox      | Houston     |
| Flag Bearer     | Mrs. W. P. Coleman     | San Antonio |
| Parliamentarian | Mrs. Earle B. Mayfield | Tyler       |

1942 - 1944

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. M. N. Crestman     | Dallas      |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. F. W. Fischer      | Tyler       |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. D. H. Smith        | Houston     |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. Ross S. Neighbors  | San Antonio |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. Leland E. Purnell  | Austin      |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Neal Davidson      | Dallas      |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. John M. Spellman   | Dallas      |
| Treasurer               | Miss Belle Ragsdale     | Dallas      |
| Registrar               | Mrs. Gus L. Ford        | Dallas      |
| Curator                 | Mrs. James E. Gardner   | Ft. Worth   |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. Fred Schenkenburg  | Dallas      |
| Historian               | Mrs. George Carlisle    | Dallas      |
| Genealogist             | Mrs. David James Pickle | Austin      |
| Auditor                 | Mrs. H. C. Moseley      | Athens      |
| Flag Bearer             | Mrs. R. B. Browder      | Houston     |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. I. B. McFarland    | Houston     |

1944 - 1946

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|-------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. I. B. McFarland                            | Houston     |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. F. W. Fischer                              | Tyler       |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. Joe Rowe                                   | Austin      |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. Earle Behrends                             | Dallas      |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. August Small                               |             |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. O. F. Carroll                              | Houston     |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. P. S. Tilson                               | Houston     |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. E. C. Brock - Mrs. Milton Bridges succeeds |             |
| Registrar               | Mrs. R. B. Browder                              | Houston     |
| Curator                 | Mrs. Milton Morris                              | Houston     |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. John B. Mayfield                           | Tyler       |
| Historian               | Mrs. Ben A. Talbot                              | Houston     |
| Genealogist             | Mrs. Kelly McAdams                              | Austin      |
| Auditor                 | Mrs. R. H. Parkinson                            | San Antonio |
| Flag Bearer             | Mrs. W. P. Coleman, Jr.                         | San Antonio |
| Librarian               | Mrs. P. W. McFadden                             | Austin      |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. M. N. Crestman                             | Dallas      |

1946 - 1948

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|--------------------|------------------------|-------------|
| President          | Mrs. John B. Mayfield  | Tyler       |
| 1st Vice-President | Mrs. Ben A. Talbot     | Houston     |
| 2nd Vice-President | Mrs. Leland E. Purnell | Austin      |
| 3rd Vice-President | Mrs. J. K. Carnal      | San Antonio |

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| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. B. T. Adkerson      | Dallas      |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. M. V. Davidson      | Tyler       |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Burnett Price       | Tyler       |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. B. R. Hayslip       | Tyler       |
| Registrar               | Mrs. Earl B. Mayfield    | Tyler       |
| Curator                 | Mrs. Milton Morris       | Austin      |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. W. P. Coleman       | San Antonio |
| Historian               | Mrs. George A. Pfaeffle  | Greenville  |
| Genealogist             | Mrs. D. H. Smith         | Houston     |
| Auditor                 | Mrs. Robert H. Parkinson | San Antonio |
| Flag Bearer             | Mrs. L. B. Cuney         | Houston     |
| Custodian (Life)        | Mrs. P. W. McFadden      | Austin      |
| Parliamentarian         |                          |             |

1948 - 1950

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. Joseph K. Carnal    | San Antonio |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. Robert H. Parkinson | San Antonio |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. Milton A. Bridges   | Houston     |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. George Boeck        | Austin      |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. George A. Pfaeffle  | Greenville  |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Ross A. Neighbors   | Tyler       |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. A. M. Lyons         | San Antonio |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. George I. Dorman    | Dallas      |
| Registrar               | Mrs. Lora B. Glenn       | Seagoville  |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. Earl B. Mayfield    | Tyler       |
| Historian               | Mrs. James A. Lewis      | Dallas      |
| Custodian               | Mrs. P. W. McFadden      | Austin      |
| Librarian               | Miss Laura P. Mussey     | San Antonio |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. John B. Mayfield    | Tyler       |

1950 - 1952

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|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. Ben A. Talbot     | Houston     |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. B. D. Bolding     | Austin      |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. N. Nelson Leonard | Ft. Worth   |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. W. A. Letchworth  | Ft. Worth   |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. James A. Lewis    | Houston     |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Milton A. Bridges | Houston     |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. D. H. Smith       | Houston     |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. Samuel H. Boren   | Dallas      |
| Registrar               | Mrs. A. M. Lyons       | San Antonio |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. Earl B. Mayfield  | Tyler       |
| Historian               | Mrs. Karl A. Martin    | Houston     |
| Custodian               | Mrs. P. W. McFadden    | Austin      |
| Librarian               | Mrs. A. H. Wolverton   | Austin      |
| Parliamentarian         | Dr. Ezwoh Snead        | Houston     |

1952 - 1954

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|--------------------|------------------------|-----------|
| President          | Mrs. Uel Stephens      | Ft. Worth |
| 1st Vice-President | Mrs. Mason Briscoe     | Richmond  |
| 2nd Vice-President | Mrs. Fred Schenkenburg | Dallas    |
| 3rd Vice President | Mrs. L. E. Purnell     | Austin    |
| 4th Vice-President | Mrs. George Ogletree   | Austin    |

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| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. W. E. Huster     | Ft. Worth |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. W. F. Wright     | Ft. Worth |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. Alvin Nemir      | Abilene   |
| Registrar               | Mrs. T. P. Perkins    | Ft. Worth |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. John B. Mayfield | Tyler     |
| Historian               | Mrs. John Glass       | Houston   |
| Curator                 | Mrs. P. W. McFadden   | Austin    |
| Librarian               | Mrs. H. L. Tenison    | Dallas    |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. Earle Behrends   | Dallas    |

1954 - 1956

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|-------------------------|---------------------------|------------|
| President               | Mrs. Kelly E. McAdams     | Austin     |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. John Hammonds        | Pipe Creek |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. R. B. Browder        | Houston    |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. Edmons L. Crow       | Dallas     |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. G. I. Dorman         | Dallas     |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Jessie McIlroy Smith | Austin     |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. W. R. Davis          | Austin     |
| Treasurer               | Miss Hazel Broderick      | Austin     |
| Registrar               | Mrs. Mary Johnson Posey   | Austin     |
| Chaplain                |                           |            |
| Historian               | Mrs. Earle L. Byers       | Ft. Worth  |
| Curator                 | Mrs. J. E. Howze          | Austin     |
| Custodian               | Mrs. P. W. McFadden       | Austin     |
| Librarian               | Mrs. Milton A. Bridges    | Houston    |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. Earl Middleton       | Austin     |

1956 - 1958

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------|
| President               | Mrs. Earle D. Behrends   | Dallas        |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. C. L. Farquharson   | Houston       |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. Arthur M. Lyons     | San Antonio   |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Miss Tommie Clack        | Abilene       |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. Earl B. Mayfield    | Tyler         |
| Recording Secretary     | Miss Marie Garlington    | Dallas        |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. N. Nelson Leonard   | Ft. Worth     |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. T. P. Perkins       | Mineral Wells |
| Registrar               | Mrs. Samuel H. Boren     | Dallas        |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. P. H. Daniel        | Houston       |
| Historian               | Mrs. Joe N. Sanderson    | San Antonio   |
| Curator                 | Mrs. J. E. Howze         | Austin        |
| Librarian               | Mrs. W. R. Davis         | Austin        |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. Frederick B. Ingram | Dallas        |

1958 - 1960

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. C. L. Farquharson   | Houston     |
| 1st Vice-President      | Miss Edna Hinde          | Dallas      |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. Alford Williams     | San Antonio |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. Earl L. Byers       | Ft. Worth   |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. Eula Lee Carson     | Austin      |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Milton A. Bridges   | Houston     |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Robert H. Parkinson | San Antonio |

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| Treasurer | Miss Alice J. Cherry  | Galveston     |
| Registrar | Mrs. J. A. Newsome    | Houston       |
| Chaplain  | Mrs. John W. Crutcher | Mineral Wells |
| Historian | Miss Dolly Stone      | Dallas        |
| Curator   | Mrs. Ralph Vertrees   | Austin        |
| Librarian | Miss Mildred Cherry   | Galveston     |
| Custodian | Mrs. J. E. Howze      | Austin        |

1960 - 1962

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. L. E. Purnell       | Austin      |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. George H. Likins    | Abilene     |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. Giles E. Berry      | Ft. Worth   |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. Alford Williams     | San Antonio |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. Verne Tye Price     | Dallas      |
| Recording Secretary     | Miss Hazel Broderick     | Austin      |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. W. F. Wright        | Ft. Worth   |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. Kelly E. McAdams    | Austin      |
| Registrar               | Mrs. Grady Kirby         | Houston     |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. Frank Williford     | Bellaire    |
| Historian               | Mrs. Mabel T. Quebedeaux | Austin      |
| Curator                 | Mrs. W. R. Davis         | Austin      |
| Librarian               | Mrs. Chas. H. Roverson   | Abilene     |
| Custodian               | Mrs. J. E. Howze         | Austin      |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. Ezwoh B. Snead      | Houston     |

1962 - 1964

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|-------------------------|--------------------------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. Loretta G. Thomas                     | Houston     |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. Marvin Nichols                        | Ft. Worth   |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. G. L. Dorman                          | Dallas      |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. Edward W. Conley                      | San Antonio |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. Stafford Lightburne                   | San Antonio |
| Recording Secretary     | Miss Adele Mansell                         | Houston     |
| Corresponding Secretary | Miss Ida May Cherry                        | Galveston   |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. Milton A. Bridges                     | Houston     |
| Registrar               | Miss Miriam Dozier                         | Austin      |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. Edward A. Everitt                     | Houston     |
| Historian               | Mrs. Frank Williford - Mrs. Charles H. Fay |             |
| Curator                 | Mrs. W. A. Quebedeaux                      | Austin      |
| Librarian               | Mrs. W. R. Davis                           | Austin      |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. F. B. Ingram                          | Dallas      |

1964 - 1966

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. Robert H. Parkinson | San Antonio |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. George H. Likins    | Abilene     |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. John N. Michie      | Dallas      |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. Stafford Lightburne | San Antonio |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. Merrill W. Joy      | Arlington   |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Walter G. Davis     | San Antonio |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. John C. Williams    | Bellaire    |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. Alford Williams     | San Antonio |
| Registrar               | Mrs. Kelly E. McAdams    | Austin      |

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| Chaplain        | Mrs. J. A. Newsome      | Houston     |
| Historian       | Mrs. E. W. Conley       | San Antonio |
| Curator         | Mrs. George C. Wickline | Austin      |
| Librarian       | Mrs. George T. Dorman   | Dallas      |
| Parliamentarian | Mrs. Uel Stephens       | Ft. Worth   |

1966 - 1968

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|
| President               | Mrs. George H. Likins   | Abilene       |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. L. Warren Baker    | Dallas        |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. J. A. Newsome      | Houston       |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. Mark F. Upson      | San Antonio   |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. C. W. Atkinson     | Ft. Worth     |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Robert R. Milstead | Abilene       |
| Corresponding Secretary | Miss Marian Bell        | Houston       |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. James E. Webb      | Austin        |
| Registrar               | Mrs. S. F. Hignett      | San Angelo    |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. John W. Crutcher   | Mineral Wells |
| Historian               | Mrs. George H. Santerre | Dallas        |
| Librarian               | Mrs. Dwight M. Bartlett | Austin        |
| Curator                 | Mrs. Arthur M. Scott    | Austin        |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. Leland E. Purnell  | Austin        |

1968 - 1970

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|-----------|
| President               | Mrs. Earl L. Byers       | Ft. Worth |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. Grady Kirby         | Houston   |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. Mildred F. Clegg    | Houston   |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. Lora Glenn          | Dallas    |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. Dwight Bartlett     | Austin    |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Mary S. White       | Dallas    |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Frederick M. Lange  | Dallas    |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. Kelly E. McAdams    | Austin    |
| Registrar               | Mrs. Ralph M. Vertrees   | Austin    |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. Marshall D. Barnett | Dallas    |
| Historian               | Mrs. Arthur M. Scott     | Austin    |
| Librarian               | Mrs. L. Warren Baker     | Dallas    |
| Curator                 | Mrs. C. F. Niebuhr       | Austin    |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. Uel Stephens        | Ft. Worth |

1970 - 1972

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| President               | Mrs. Grady Kirby        | Houston     |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. Fred M. Lange      | Dallas      |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. W. I. Fleetwood    | Arlington   |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. D. N. Bartlett     | Austin      |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. Lorenzo L. Skaggs  | San Antonio |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. M. D. Barnett      | Dallas      |
| Corresponding Secretary | Miss Mildred Littlejohn | Tyler       |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. Mary S. Bock       | Houston     |
| Registrar               | Mrs. L. W. Taylor       | Houston     |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. Robert Milstead    | Abilene     |
| Historian               | Mrs. Mark F. Upson      | San Antonio |
| Librarian               | Mrs. A. M. Scott        | Austin      |

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| Curator         | Mrs. Kelly E. McAdams | Austin    |
| Parliamentarian | Mrs. Earle L. Byers   | Ft. Worth |

1972 - 1974

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Miss Mildred Littlehohn  | Tyler       |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. C. F. Niebuhr       | Austin      |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. Lawrence W. Taylor  | Houston     |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. Emil P. Reed        | Dallas      |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. Francis M. Graham   | Abilene     |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Mary S. Bock        | Houston     |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Vernon G. Gillette  | Ft. Worth   |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. Marshall D. Barnett | Dallas      |
| Registrar               | Mrs. W. I. Fleetwood     | Arlington   |
| Chaplain                | Miss Lucy Alice Posey    | San Antonio |
| Historian               | Mrs. Robert D. Evans     | Devers      |
| Librarian               | Mrs. J. F. Kramer        | Austin      |
| Curator                 | Mrs. James A. Gunn       | San Antonio |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. Grady Kirby         | Houston     |

1974 - 1976

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Miss Hazel Broderick    | Austin      |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. W. I. Fleetwood    | Arlington   |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. Mary S. Bock       | Houston     |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Miss Nan Jones          | Dallas      |
| 4th Vice-President      | Miss Lucy Alice Posey   | San Antonio |
| Recording Secretary     | Miss Ama Lou McGill     | Dallas      |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. R. W. Norwood      | Abilene     |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. Galen H. Iago      | Houston     |
| Registrar               | Mrs. W. Curtis Mitchell | Austin      |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. Robert D. Evans    | Devers      |
| Historian               | Mrs. Quincy W. Bynum    | San Antonio |
| Librarian               | Mrs. Lewis P. O'Neill   | Dallas      |
| Curator                 | Mrs. Lorenzo L. Skaggs  | Dan Antonio |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. Grady Kirby        | Houston     |

1976 - 1978

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| President               | Mrs. Lorenzo L. Skaggs   | San Antonio |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. Charles H. Fay      | Houston     |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. Robert W. Norwood   | Abilene     |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Miss Ama Lou McGill      | Dallas      |
| 4th Vice-President      | Miss Pauline Jefferies   | Ft. Worth   |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. Dan Lockety         | Mabank      |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Robbins Claypool    | Bellaire    |
| Treasurer               | Mrs. Quincy W. Bynum     | San Antonio |
| Registrar               | Mrs. M. H. Baughn, Jr.   | San Antonio |
| Chaplain                | Mrs. W. Curtis Mitchell  | Austin      |
| Historian               | Mrs. Robert R. Milstead  | Abilene     |
| Librarian               | Mrs. J. C. Marshall, Jr. | Dallas      |
| Curator                 | Mrs. Robert D. Evans     | Devers      |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. Grady Kirby         | Houston     |

1978 - 1980

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| President               | Mrs. Charles H. Fay      | Houston         |
| 1st Vice-President      | Mrs. J. C. Marshall, Jr. | Dallas          |
| 2nd Vice-President      | Mrs. S. F. Hignett       | San Angelo      |
| 3rd Vice-President      | Mrs. Homer L. Roper      | Ft. Worth       |
| 4th Vice-President      | Mrs. M. H. Baughn, Jr.   | San Antonio     |
| Chaplain                | Miss Ama Lou McGill      | Dallas          |
| Recording Secretary     | Mrs. L. M. Rathbone      | Austin          |
| Corresponding Secretary | Mrs. Emil P. Reed        | Dallas          |
| Treasurer               | Miss Hattie Lel Red      | Houston         |
| Registrar               | Mrs. R. M. Claypool      | Houston         |
| Historian               | Mrs. Sam G. Cook         | Austin          |
| Librarian               | Mrs. R. L. Denham        | Midland         |
| Curator                 | Mrs. Joseph C. Brusse    | College Station |
| Parliamentarian         | Mrs. Grady Kirby         | Houston.        |

IV. NARRATIVE HISTORY OF THE TEXAS SOCIETY

As early as 1927 the President National was urging the State Societies to send a brief history of every Chapter to the Historian General. Over the years reports from the Texas Society have indicated that the various Chapter histories were being prepared. Unfortunately very few of these can be located. Our special file in the State Library and Archives in the Lorenzo de Zavalla Building in Austin, TX, was searched and only one of the histories was found.

By searching the published reports from our Texas Society in the National News-Letter we hoped to find the highlights of our history. Our Texas Society Officers, listed above have been dedicated, capable women, and faithfully reported our activities.

Mrs. Alvin Valentine Lane of Dallas was one of the first women from our State to hold a National Office. She served as 2nd Vice-President National in 1927.

On October 16-17, 1925 the National Society Executive Board with 10 members present, met in Dallas, TX. Mrs. Lane and the John Cavet Chapter were hosts and Mrs. J. J. Quinn, Texas Society President from Houston, attended the meeting.

In 1926-1928 Mrs. W. R. Wofford reported that The Texas Society had won commendations for the work of our Registrar, Mrs. J. Carter Bardin, for "exceptionally perfect condition of all applications sent in, and in Texas being second in point of new members".

In 1926 Texas had nine Real Daughters and one Real Son, an honorary member of the William Ramey Chapter of Brownwood:

Miss Fannie George Jones - San Antonio  
Mrs. Joseph M. Cary - Dallas

Mrs. William P. Martin - Dallas  
Mrs. Andrew Cochran Zumwalt - Houston  
Mrs. James M. Mahon - Columbus  
Mrs. John Hall Wise - Houston (d. August 25, 1929 - a  
lineal descendant of Pocahontas and John Rolfe.)  
Mrs. William Stuart Bringhurst - San Antonio  
Mrs. Pauline Russell - San Antonio  
Miss Mary Adeline Oliver - Belton  
Mr. James C. Early - Brownwood  
(See biographical information on these under Chapter  
histories.)

In 1927 for the first time our Texas Flag was used at the Associate Council Meeting. It was presented to the Texas Society by Mrs. O. B. Colquitt of Dallas. It is of peculiar sentimental value, because it was presented to her as a gift of love, during the time her husband was Governor of Texas (1911-1915). The gold fringe on the flag was given and sewed on by Mrs. R. H. Fassett of San Antonio.

Also in 1927 all Chapters wrote their Congressmen urging the adoption of the "Star Spangled Banner" as the National Anthem.

On March 8, 1929 the Texas Associate Council (now the Texas Society) met in Dallas with John Cavet as host Chapter. Mrs. Cora E. Behrends was State President. Support was pledged to Headquarters House in Washington, D.C.; the Wakefield Memorial Fund to restore the home of George Washington; and to Mountain Schools in Kentucky.

The State Associate Council met in Austin on March 5, 1930 at the Driskill Hotel. State President Mrs. Cora E. Behrends presided.

The Council met again in Austin on March 7, 1931 with State President Mrs. P. W. McFadden presiding.

At this time there were nine Chapters with a total membership of 153, with 45 at-large members making a total of 198. These nine Chapters were:

Oliver Hazard Perry - Austin  
William Ramey - Brownwood  
Willis Brewer - Ft. Worth  
Capt. Augustus Jones - San Antonio  
John Cavet - Dallas  
Captain James Asbury Tait - Houston  
James McCuistion - Paris  
Col. William Sterling - San Antonio  
John Wesley Boatner - Lubbock

In 1932 the Tait Chapter in Houston was looking forward to the February 24th visit of the U.S.S. Constitution, "Old Ironsides", for a week's stay in the Port of Houston. While in Houston "Old Ironsides" reported the 4th largest attendance of visitors during its cruise. 110,000 persons walked its decks during the four days it was in Houston. The Tait Chapter served as hostess to the Descendants of some of the men who had served on the old Constitution, who had come to visit the Ship.

The State Board Meeting was held in Austin in November of 1931. By September 1932 the William Wilcoxson Chapter of Beaumont was in full swing under the Presidency of Mrs. A. S. Marks. Willis Brewer Chapter of Ft. Worth unveiled and dedicated a Marker on the grave of Gen. Edward H. Tarrant, May 15, 1932. The Executive Board Meeting was held in November of 1932 in Austin. Mrs. P. W. McFadden presented a bookcase to house the Memorial Books donated by the Texas Society to the Texas State Library in honor of deceased members. The bookcase and the State Records of the Texas Society were temporarily housed in the Vault Room of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas Museum in Austin.

Tait Chapter reported another Real Daughter, Mrs. Joseph Bruckmuller of Houston, National No. 10,790, State No. 5117. Mrs. P. S. Tilson was State President.

In 1933, Mrs. A. V. Lane, Chairman National Washington Headquarters House announced the gift of two silver trays and pitchers to the House, honoring Mrs. Cora E. Behrends, Honorary State Society President.

On December 6, 1932, taps sounded in the gray walls of the Alamo for the daughter of the great General Sam Houston, Nellie Houston Bringhurst. As her body lay in state in the Old Shrine, a company of distinguished pioneers composed of the sons and daughters of the founders of Texas, paid their farewell tribute. The six flags of Texas stood like sentinels in the background inside the building where 183 frontiersmen under Col. William Barret Travis gave up their lives in 1836. This was only the third time since that battle that funeral services had been held in the Alamo. One was for General Funston, 16 years ago, and one for the unknown soldiers who died in France during W. W. I.

Mrs. Bringhurst was a member of the Captain Augustus Jones Chapter, San Antonio, and a Real Daughter. Her father, Sam Houston, had enlisted at the age of 20 in the Tennessee Militia and was severely wounded in the Battle of Horseshoe Bend. He later won immortal fame at the decisive Battle of San Jacinto, winning independence for the Republic of Texas. He later served as President of the Republic and Governor of the State of Texas. It is fitting that his daughter Nellie should be honored by these services in the Sacred Alamo Shrine. She was buried in Mission Burial Park.

The State Council met in San Antonio March 17-18, 1934. Members of the Texas Society attended the dedication of the Memorial Shaft given in honor of the Meir and Dawson men, and marked the grave of Umbleton Gregory at La Grange, TX.

In 1934 it was announced that the Texas Society would assist in caring for and helping to furnish the home of O. Henry, the writer, William Sidney Porter in Austin.

The William Sidney Porter home had been purchased by the Austin Rotary Club to be used as rental property. In 1934 it was given to the City of Austin and they moved it from East 4th Street to East 5th Street and opened it as a Museum, honoring the famous writer. Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter members were active in locating period furnishings for this 1890 house. The State Society furnished books and had the family portraits reframed.

The State Society had the honor of placing a "tree marker" at the foot of an oak tree in the new patio of the Historic Alamo, directly in front of the Library. The marker was designed by Mrs. W. P. Coleman of the Jones Chapter and was placed in memory of the Soldiers of the War of 1812 who served the Republic of Texas. It was dedicated March 16, 1935. The marker is of bronze in the shape of an Indian arrow head.

The 32nd Annual State Council Meeting was held in Dallas on March 7, 1935. We had ten Real Daughters at this time. We were contributing to the Lulie Huey Lane Scholarship in the John Brown School in Arkansas, honoring Mrs. A. V. Lane, founder of the Cavet Chapter.

The Texas Society participated in the many Centennial Celebrations in Texas. On July 9, 1936 they entertained President National, Mrs. John Francis Weinmann of Little Rock, AR. She toured the State Fair Grounds in Dallas, was given a Staffordshire China Centennial Souvenir Plate of Texas, and then toured the San Jacinto Battleground in Houston. President National Mrs. Weinmann and Texas Society President Mrs. J. T. Gardner were presented brass-bound engraved gavels, made from elm wood grown on the San Jacinto Battleground. A "tree marker" was dedicated on a tree brought from Sam Houston's old home in Huntsville and transplanted on the Battleground.

The State Board met in Fort Worth on November 9, 1937. Mrs. P. S. Tilson of Houston had been elected Curator National. A request for cancellation of Beaumont's William Wilcoxson Chapter was accepted and official announcement was made to the President National.

Plans were made to publish a History of the Texas Society in the Historical Association of American Women publication. Mrs.

Sidon Harris of Austin was appointed Chairman. (No trace of this History has been discovered to date.)

The 35th Annual State Council Meeting was held in Temple, TX, March 15-16, 1938. State Historian, Mrs. J. B. McFarland, reported her work on compiling a list of 1812 veterans in Texas. (This work was finally completed and published in 1979 by Texas Society President Mrs. Charles H. Fay.)

The book, "Historic Liberty County" by Arlene Pickett, daughter of Mrs. Earnest W. Pickett of Willis Brewer Chapter, was presented to National Headquarters Library, along with Mrs. McFarland's report on "Some 1812 Veterans in Texas", and a copy of Real Daughter Kate Baldwin's song, "My Dear Sunny South". Mrs. Baldwin was a member of Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter.

In June of 1938 the Texas Society decided to place a scholarship in the Home Demonstration School at Texas A. & M. College. The name of the Scholarship is to be Lulie Hughey Lane in honor of Mrs. A. V. Lane of Dallas. The Texas Society Constitution and Bylaws were studied and revised.

At the Fort Worth Texas Society Board Meeting, June 9, 1938, the State Officers Club of Texas was organized. Sixteen former and current State Officers met and organized this Club. There was to be no initiation fee, but dues were to be fifty cents per year.

The following Officers were elected:

President - Mrs. P. S. Tilson  
Vice-President - Mrs. A. V. Lane  
2nd Vice-President - Mrs. W. P. Coleman  
Recording Secretary - Mrs. J. E. Gardner  
Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. I. B. McFarland  
Treasurer - Mrs. James H. Maxwell

Mrs. Alice Lane Newberry and Mrs. M. N. Crestman were chosen to write the Bylaws for the new Club. Membership is open to any member who has held a State Office in the Texas Society. A beautiful Official State Officers Club Pin is available.

The Charter Members were:

|                       |                          |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| Mrs. Ira D. Sykes     | Mrs. Edward C. Brock     |
| Mrs. James H. Maxwell | Mrs. M. N. Crestman      |
| Mrs. M. H. Coleman    | Mrs. I. B. McFarland     |
| Mrs. John H. Spellman | Mrs. R. B. Browder       |
| Mrs. J. S. Morris     | Mrs. H. C. Wofford       |
| Mrs. D. H. Smith      | Mrs. H. E. Baxter        |
| Mrs. Milton Morris    | Mrs. E. L. Nall          |
| Mrs. J. E. Gardner    | Mrs. Alice Lane Newberry |

Mrs. P. S. Tilson  
Mrs. E. D. Behrends  
Mrs. W. E. Bounds  
Mrs. A. V. Lane

Mrs. Charles W. Atkinson  
Mrs. G. E. Bell  
Mrs. W. P. Higdon

The Texas State Officers Club has a very modest budget derived from Annual Dues (now \$1.00), but it contributes faithfully to the Lulie Huey Lane Scholarship Fund. Each year at State Convention, the Club hosts the traditional Andrew Jackson breakfast, and always provides a lively and entertaining program.

Mrs. P. S. Tilson, Curator National, was asked by Mrs. Arthur J. O'Neill, President National, to represent the National Society in presenting the Weinmann Medal at Camp Mabry in Austin, TX. On June 25, 1938, this colorful ceremony followed a Battalion Review at Camp Mabry. Sergeant Paul W. Fuhrhop Company B, of Galveston, TX, received the coveted Weinmann Award Medal, honoring President National Mrs. John Francis Weinmann (1934-1937).

On September 16, 1938, President National Mrs. O'Neill was entertained by the Tait Chapter on the occasion of the observance of Constitution Day, September 17th. A "tree marker" was placed and dedicated on a hickory tree planted by the State Highway Department on the San Jacinto Battleground in honor of Veterans of the War of 1812 who also fought for Texas Independence.

The Texas Society took for one of its objectives the awarding of Scholarships to rural 4-H Girls. Each Chapter was to raise funds and send a girl to the A. & M. short summer course, held in July each year on improvement of home and community life in rural districts.

The 37th State Council Meeting was held March 5-6, 1940 in Austin. Mrs. Earle B. Mayfield of Austin, wife of Senator Mayfield, was appointed Organizing Regent for a Tyler Chapter. The State Officers Club was mentioned as sponsoring an Andrew Jackson Breakfast for the first time at this Austin Council Meeting. Mrs. Mabel Taylor Quebedeaux was serving as Texas Society President. She reported that the Constitution Flag Pole at the Headquarters House in Washington, D.C. flies a flag which had been presented by the Texas Society. This U. S. Flag was given in honor of our Past Curator National, Mrs. P. S. Tilson.

Mrs. Alvin V. Lane (Lulie Hughey) died on October 30, 1941. The State Associate Council Meeting in 1939 voted to create a permanent fund of \$500.00 to be known as Lulie Hughey Lane Scholarship Fund. It was used at first to aid more 4-H Girls to broaden their training.

The State Board meeting was held in Austin on November 14, 1940. The War Work of W.W. II was beginning. Special Committees

for Red Cross Work, War Savings Bonds, Blood Banks, Women's Auxiliary Corps, National Defense, and Patriotism were quickly formed and proceeded to work.

March 21, 1941 the Associate Council Met in Austin. It was reported that the Lulie Hughey Lane Scholarship Fund was up to nearly \$200.00. The Tyler Chapter held its first meeting on Sept. 17, 1941, with Mrs. Earle B. Mayfield as President.

In 1942 the Scholarship at A. & M. for 4-H Girls had to be discontinued because their school was needed for training Service Men. The funds were placed in Lulie Hughey Lane Fund and War Bonds were purchased. War Work was the primary concern of the Texas Society.

By 1945 our Chapters had dropped to five in the Texas Society, but War Activities continued with unabated zeal. These Chapters were:

Capt. Augustus Jones  
Capt. James Asbury Tait  
Lt. Silas Alexander  
Oliver Hazard Perry  
John Cavet.

The October 1945 News-Letter reports a banner year for the Texas Society - with participation in the Centennial Celebration of Mary Hardin-Baylor College, a visit to McClosky General Hospital (the largest U. S. amputation center), and an official visit from President National Mrs. Lloyd DeWitt Smith. Mrs. I. B. McFarland was our Texas Society President.

In 1946 Mrs. Frederick B. Ingram of Dallas was serving as Vice-President National. We were concerning ourselves with the post-war problems of rehabilitation, housing and schooling of veterans of W.W. II, the election of the right men for the right places, soaring prices, etc.

In 1947 Mrs. B. A. Talbot honored Mrs. L. W. McConnell, President National by presenting a handsome blue carpet to the National Headquarters House.

Gen. Edward H. Tarrant Chapter of Fort Worth was organized in March 1947 with 11 members.

By 1948 Texas Society membership had risen to 205 plus 13 members-at-large, with Mrs. Frederick Brewster Ingram of Dallas as our President.

The State Council met in Galveston March 18-19, 1949. Reports showed much work had been accomplished. Contributions had been

made to Lulie Hughey Lane Scholarship Fund, from which \$200.00 each year is given to a sophomore student at Texas A. & M. It was presented this year to David Felix Sechelki, one of 11 children, who had worked his way through his sophomore year.

In 1950 the scholarship went to Cadet Erwin Williams Neuvar of Hallettsville, TX. Mrs. Frederick B. Ingram of Dallas was President National and Mrs. I. B. McFarland of Houston was Recording Secretary National.

November 9, 1951 saw the organization of John Hudnall Chapter of Abilene, TX, under Mrs. A. M. Ewing. Texas Society now has 6 Chapters.

Mrs. Ben A. Talbot, President Texas Society, reported membership at the 1952 Council Meeting to be 277, including one Real Daughter, Mrs. Bonordon of El Paso. The Texas Society placed a mahogany bookcase in the National Headquarters House honoring two Texas Daughters. Mrs. Ingram donated the cost of binding the second unit of 200 Application Papers for better storage in the State Library and Archives cabinet. Mrs. J. B. Bowen of the John Cavet Chapter presented to National Headquarters House, a metal shield plate showing the Regimental Insignia worn on the helmet of her 1812 ancestor in the Battle of New Orleans.

In 1952 Mrs. Uel Stephens of Fort Worth served as our President National. Mrs. Stephens continued her efforts on a National level as an outstanding President National. Her interest in the Texas Society and her participation in all State affairs was an inspiration to all of us.

The State Board met in Austin in June 1954 in the home of Mrs. Kelly E. McAdams, President of the Texas Society. Official badges for all State Officers, a gift of Mrs. McAdams, were presented to the Texas Society. Each Officer was presented with her special Official Badge, to wear during the remainder of her term of office, at which time she will pass her badge on to her successor.

In March of 1955 the Lulie Huey Lane Scholarship (this is the first time "Hughey" was changed to "Huey" in the fund name) was awarded to two Cadets, L. L. Pullen and Richard Gentry. Mrs. Dallas Scarborough, State Chairman 1812 Markers, made a survey of the 1812 Soldiers for whom Texas Counties had been named, with the idea of perhaps placing markers on the Court House lawns honoring these Soldiers - for example Tarrant County was named for Gen. Edward H. Tarrant. Perhaps if graves were located for these men, they could be marked with Soldiers of 1812 markers. David Crockett for whom Crockett County Was named, was killed at the Alamo and buried there in a mass Grave. He was an 1812 Soldier.

The 53rd State Council met in Austin March 22-24, 1956. Mrs Uel Stephens was named Corresponding Secretary National.

At this Council Meeting, the Texas Society placed War of 1812 Soldier's grave markers on the graves of four men in the State Cemetery in Austin. These men were:

Lt. Bailey Hardeman, son of Thomas and Mary (Perkins) Hardeman, was born February 26, 1795 in Davidson County, TN. During the War of 1812 he served with the West Tennessee Volunteers, being promoted to 1st Lt. in 1813. He and his family came to Texas in 1835, where he served in various governmental posts for the Republic of Texas. He died at his home on Caney Creek in Matagorda County on September 25, 1836. In 1936 his remains were reinterred in the State Cemetery in Austin, TX.

Private Oliver Jones was born in Connecticut in 1794. He took part in the War of 1812 and was captured by the British. Angered at the delay of the U. S. in securing his release, he went to Mexico City where he met Stephen F. Austin and became a Texan in 1822 as one of Austin's Old Three Hundred Colonists. He was prominent in Texas government. He died in Houston November 17, 1866 and was buried in Episcopal and Masonic Cemetery in Houston. In 1936 he was reinterred in the State Cemetery.

Quartermaster General Sterling Clack Robertson was born in Tennessee in 1772. He was a soldier, colonizer, and legislator on the frontiers of Tennessee and Texas. In the War of 1812 he served as Quartermaster General and participated in the Battle of New Orleans. He was prominent in the Republic of Texas and in the State of Texas. He died in Nashville, TX, on March 4, 1842. In 1936 his remains were reinterred in the State Cemetery.

Col. Edward Burleson, son of Nancy (Christian) and James Burleson, was born in 1793 in Buncombe County, NC. The family moved to Tennessee and later to Alabama. In 1814 they were in Missouri, where Burleson commanded a Company of Militia and was made Colonel of 1st Regt. Saline County. He came to Texas in 1830 and was a prominent Colonist and soldier, and Congressman, serving as Vice-President of the Republic in 1841. He died December 26, 1851, in Austin, TX. He was buried in the State Cemetery.

Two other grave markers were dedicated at this time, one to Governor George T. Wood, buried at Point Blank Cemetery in San Jacinto County, and one to General Sam Houston buried in Huntsville City Cemetery.

George Tyler Wood was born in Randolph County, GA. At the age of 19 he organized a Company and fought in the Creek Indian War at Horseshoe Bend. In 1839 he moved his family to Texas. He served as the Second Governor of Texas. He died September 3, 1858 and he and his wife are buried in the plantation on the Trinity River.

General Sam Houston, son of Elizabeth (Paxton) and Samuel Houston, was born in Rockbridge County, VA, March 2, 1793. He served in War of 1812, having enlisted March 24, 1813 and was wounded in the Battle of Horseshoe Bend. He rose to rank of Lieutenant. He came to Texas in 1832 and became one of the Republic of Texas' most famous men. He died July 26, 1863.

These last two markers were removed from the grave sites by vandals, and the Texas Society furnished replacements. These were beautifully framed and hang in the Genealogy Section, State Library and Archives Building in Austin, TX, where they can be seen and admired by all visitors.

Richard Gentry of Dallas received the Lulie Huey Lane Scholarship in 1954 and William Joe Smith of Palestine received the award in 1956.

In 1957 we had Seven active Chapters - Hudnall, Perry, Cavet, Tarrant, Jones, Tait, and Alexander.

In 1958 Mrs. Uel Stephens from Ft. Worth was serving as our President National.

In 1960-1961 the Texas Society records were placed in the Texas Library and Archives Building in a new filing cabinet presented to the Society by Mrs. Mabel T. Quebedeaux, Honorary State President.

In 1962 the Junior Membership of Texas held its first State Annual Meeting at the home of Mrs. A. P. Drouilhet of Baytown, TX. The meeting was sponsored by the Texas Society U.S.D. of 1812, and Texas Society Sons of War of 1812. Following the State Meeting, the Dickson-Smock Chapter of Juniors, sponsored by Capt. James Asbury Tait Chapter of Houston, held its first annual meeting. The officers were as follows:

President - John Roth  
Vice-President - Charles Sears  
Secretary - Kathy Roth  
Treasurer - James Roth  
Registrar - Linda Smith

The Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter at one time had the 20 Junior Members listed as follows:

Collin Trube  
John Collins Trube  
Demara Carolyn Trube  
Susan Malalie Trube  
Ancestor - William T. Kincaid, Kentucky

Alan David Vertrees  
Diane Claire McAdams  
Marlanne Vertrees  
Billye Mae McAdams

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| Kelton Ogletree                    | Gregory Robin Ogletree  |
| Ben Royden Ogletree                | Barry Gray Ogletree     |
| Fred John Riber                    | Londa Marsleet Peterson |
| Charles Lee Pickett                | Donald Roy Pickett      |
| Dana Sue Sinclair                  | James Gary Sinclair     |
| Sheri June Sinclair                | Susan Alexander Wilson  |
| Ancestor - John Pickett, Tennessee |                         |

The 62nd Annual Council Meeting was held in Austin in 1966. Mrs. Robert H. Parkinson, President Texas Society, reported a year of constructive work. The seven Chapters gave \$444.00 to National Projects. Texas had 286 active members, 6 junior members, 7 at-large State members and 1 Real Daughter. Cadet Corporal Robert Allan Holcomb from Ft. Worth received the Lulie Huey Lane Scholarship. Mrs. Kelly E. McAdams, State Chairman of Press Relations, won first place at National with her Press Book.

On June 25, 1967 Mrs. George Likins, President of the Texas Society, officiated at the dedication of a bronze placque placed on the buhrstone of the Mill of John Berry, an 1812 Soldier. The marker was placed on the stone on the Court House lawn in Georgetown, TX. This was the 75th Anniversary year of our National Society U.S.D. of 1812.

On February 17, 1969 the Tait Chapter marked the graves of two Real Daughters in Glenwood Cemetery in Houston, TX. They were Margaret Houston Williams, daughter of Sam Houston, and Jane Minerva Sims Abercrombie, daughter of Col. John Sims.

Mrs. Grady Kirby, President Texas Society, presided at the State Board Meeting in Georgetown on July 15, 1970. The Texas Society stressed increasing membership and adding to Memorial Books in the Texas State Library. The grave of Real Daughter, Mrs. Nancy Elizabeth Houston Morrow, daughter of Gen. Sam Houston, in the Odd Fellows Cemetery was marked with a Real Daughter's grave marker. Mrs. Jennie Morrow Decker age 99, a daughter of Nancy Elizabeth Houston Morrow, was present at the Ceremony.

The State Board met in Austin, TX, March 15-16, 1971 with Mrs. Grady Kirby presiding. President National Mrs. Ira J. Dietrick was an honored guest. Mrs. J. F. Kramer, Sr., President Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter, was hostess.

In 1974-1976 the Texas Society was headed by Miss Hazel Broderick of Austin, TX. Her goals were increased membership and organization of new Chapters. Three new Memorial Books were placed in the State Library. Stephen Williams Chapter of Bryan was organized and installed by President National Mrs. Enos H. Horst at the Texas Council Meeting in Salado, TX.

In 1976-1978 Texas Society was led by Mrs. Lorenzo L. Skaggs of San Antonio, TX. Under her leadership, membership was increased and another new Chapter, Alexander Daugherty of Midland, was organized and installed. The Lulie Huey Lane Scholarship award was presented to Cadet Corporal Dale A. Lago at A. & M. University.

Mrs. Earl L. Whitaker, President National, was entertained at the 74th Annual State Council Meeting in San Antonio, TX, March 1-2, 1977. Mrs. Whitaker installed the Alexander Daugherty Chapter at this meeting. The Texas Society presented the new Chapter with a set of flags, a U. S. Flag, a Texas Flag, and the Flag of 1812. Twenty-seven new members were added in this two year period, giving a total of 302 members.

In 1977 the Texas Society had an inventory of 95 volumes of Memorial Books in the Texas State Library and a set of the National Society News-Letters.

The Texas Society Executive Council Meeting was held in Georgetown, TX, November 1977. President Mrs. Lorenzo L. Skaggs and members dedicated an official memorial marker to our deceased Real Granddaughter, Mrs. Jennie Belle Morrow Decker. Mrs. Decker was a member of the Tait Chapter and died March 16, 1977 at the age of 106. Her daughter, Mrs. Margaret D. Everitt, unveiled the marker.

Mrs. Charles H. Fay, President 1978-1980, reported 316 members, six of whom are Flora Adams Darling Daughters and six are Junior Members. The Diamond Jubilee, 75th State Council Meeting, was held in Abilene, TX.

The Texas Society placed a lay member grave marker and dedicatory granite monument on the grave of Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore, founder of the Texas Society. Oliver Hazard Perry served as host Chapter for the Executive Board Meeting and the Dedication Ceremonies on June 3, 1978.

The Stephen Williams Chapter continued the 75th Anniversary Celebration by marking Stephen William's grave in Fayette County, TX.

The State Executive Board Meeting was held in Salado, TX, November 1978. Plans were made to compile a history of the Texas Society from the beginning in 1903 to the present, whih each Chapter having a section in the History. The material in each Chapter's section was submitted by the President and her Committee.

The 76th Texas Society Council Meeting was held in Austin on March 6-7, 1979. Fifty-three members and guests were present. The Historical evening program was dedicated to Texas Society Honorary Presidents. Seven of these lovely and dedicated ladies were present; Mrs. Earl L. Byers of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Grady Kirby of Houston, Mrs. George H. Likins of Abilene, Mrs. Robert H. Parkinson of

San Antonio, Miss Mildred Littlejohn of Tyler, Miss Hazel Broderick of Austin, and Mrs. Lorenzo L. Skaggs of San Antonio.

This brief survey of the activities of the Texas Society as a whole is but a small part of the history of the work done by the Society in Texas. The activities of the local Chapters, spread all across this great State, represent the total story of this History. Under the able guidance and leadership of the Texas Society Executive Board, the history of the activities of the Chapters give a story of dedication to and achievement of the worthwhile goals of our Society. We are a real force for preserving and increasing the knowledge of the history of the American people, and for promoting patriotism as actively today as it was nurtured and protected by those noble women who founded our National and Texas Societies of the United States Daughters of the War of 1812.

The Chapter Histories will be given chronologically in order of the date of organization for all nine Chapters still in operation. All the information available to the Historian for the disbanded Chapters will be found under part C, following the current Chapters.



PART B. FORMATION AND CHAPTER HISTORIES

1. Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter - Austin
2. John Cavet Chapter - Dallas
3. Captain Augustus Jones Chapter - San Antonio
4. Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter - Houston
5. Lieutenant Silas Alexander Chapter - Tyler
6. General Edward H. Tarrant Chapter - Fort Worth
7. John Hudnall Chapter - Abilene
8. Stephen Williams Chapter - College Station
9. Alexander Daugherty Chapter - Midland
10. Micajah Fort Chapter - West Columbia



## OLIVER HAZARD PERRY CHAPTER

### I. FORMATION OF CHAPTER

In the "Record Book A" of the Texas Society from the Archives Filing Cabinet, we found an account of the start of our Society. It states that Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore was appointed organizing Regent and served as Regent of Texas Society from its Chartering on June 9, 1903 until June 9, 1907. The Annual State Meetings were to be held on April 9th. The Report continues as follows: \*

"A very pleasant incident is connected with the appointment of Mrs. Fulmore. When the 'Federation Special' train reached Austin on its way to Los Angeles in April 1902, the Presidents of the various societies on the 'Special' found that each one was especially delegated to some society in Austin as her guest, and to this delicate courtesy was added a beautiful floral gift. The special hostess for the U.S.D. of 1812 was Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore, wife of Judge Fulmore, who presented President Slade with a bouquet in the name of the 'Daughters of Texas'. A reciprocal interest arose from this short acquaintance and thus the Texas State organization of U.S.D. of 1812 was accomplished."

The Officers were:

Regent - Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore  
1st Vice-Regent - Mrs. Britton Davis of El Paso  
2nd Vice-Regent - Mrs. Cone Johnson of Tyler  
Recording Secretary - Mrs. Fred Alex Scott  
Corresponding Secretary - Miss Ella Fulmore  
Treasurer - Mrs. George W. Massie  
Registrar - Miss Naomi Perry (Mrs. G. B. Stowe)

\* The Club Woman September 1903, page 40.

Following Mrs. Fulmore's appointment as Organizer in Texas, the first meeting was held in the home of Mrs. J. E. Howze in Austin on June 9, 1903. Mrs. Fulmore had asked eleven ladies, whom she thought were eligible to this organizational meeting. These ladies were:

Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore (Luella Robertson)  
Mrs. Fred A. Scott (Bird Cochran)  
Mrs. G. B. Stowe (Naomi Perry)  
Mrs. Cone Johnson (Birdie Robertson)  
Mrs. George W. Massie (Mary Eilers)  
Mrs. Alonzo T. McKean (Laura Eilers)  
Mrs. Howard H. Taylor (Mary Perry)  
Mrs. George L. Walton (A. M. Moore)

Mrs. J. H. Langsford (Chloe Leigh Taliaferro)  
 Mrs. Elton Perry (Lucy Smith)  
 Mrs. T. A. Brown (Mary Robertson)  
 Mrs. J. E. Howze (Rosa A. Woolsey)

Other names were added to this group of twelve women during the next few years, but these twelve were a proud beginning!!

Mrs. Fulmore served as President of the Texas Society and of the Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter from 1903 to 1907. Our Chapter was formally Chartered November 7, 1907, four years after its organization. The Officers chose to name the Chapter in honor of Oliver Hazard Perry, the famous Naval hero of the War of 1812. The Perry family of America were descendants of Edward Perry of England who came to Sandwich, Massachusetts in 1639. His brilliant defeat of the British Navy on September 10, 1813 on Lake Erie assured him a place among our great American heroes.

Three of the Charter Members of the Chapter, Mrs. G. B. Stowe, (Naomi Perry), Mrs. Howard H. Taylor (Mary Perry) daughters of Elton Perry, and Lucy Smith Perry (Ancestor-Joseph Wingfield) were direct descendants of the Perry Family. Their 1812 ancestor was Ensign James Perry, Jr. He was born in Newport, Rhode Island on September 20, 1795 and died in Galveston, Texas April 18, 1860. He served as Ensign in 40th Regt. U. S. Infantry along the coast of Maine, then as Captain of the Newport Volunteers. His parents were Edward Perry and Sarah Trippe of Sandwich, Rhode Island.

## II. CHARTER MEMBERS OF OLIVER HAZARD PERRY CHAPTER

The Charter Members are considered to be those women listed in the "First Roll Book of 1903" and those with Texas State numbers 1 through 26.

This information was taken directly from the members' application papers. Real Daughters are noted by one asterisk and Real Granddaughters by two. The Charter Members are as follows:

| N             | S   |                                                                                                          |
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| 107<br>or 271 | 1   | (N.Y. 36 transfer) Antoinette Wells Steele (Mrs. Britton Davis) El Paso, TX. Ancestor - Levi Steele, NY. |
| 840           | 2** | Luella Robertson (Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore)<br>Ancestor - Major Sterling C. Robertson, TN.                     |
| 927           | 3   | Bird Cochran (Mrs. Fred A. Scott)<br>Ancestor - Major Thomas Lawson, KY.                                 |
| 928           | 4** | Naomi Perry (Mrs. G. B. Stowe)<br>Ancestor - Ensign James Perry, Jr., ME.                                |

| N    | S    |                                                                                                                |
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| 977  | 5**  | Birdie Robertson (Mrs. Cone Johnson)<br>Ancestor - Major Sterling C. Robertson, TN.                            |
| 978  | 6    | Mary Eilers (Mrs. George W. Massie)<br>Ancestor - Chauncy Johnson, CT.                                         |
| 979  | 7    | Ella Florence Fulmore (Mrs. W. C. Harllee)<br>Ancestor - Major Sterling C. Robertson, TN.                      |
| 1008 | 8**  | Laura A. Eilers (Mrs. L. E. McKean)<br>Ancestor - Chauncy Johnson, CT.                                         |
| 1009 | 9    | Lolla E. McKean (Mrs. H. L. Marks)<br>Ancestor - Chauncy Johnson, CT.                                          |
| 1010 | 10** | Mary Perry (Mrs. Howard H. Taylor)<br>Ancestor - Ensign James Perry, Jr., ME.                                  |
| 1011 | 11** | Amanda M. Moore (Mrs. George L. Walton)<br>Ancestor - Gen. Thomas Moore, SC.                                   |
| 1012 | 12** | Ella Wiley (Mrs. Elijah Price Smith)<br>Ancestor - Capt. Evan Shelby Wiley, NC.                                |
| 1013 | 13   | Chloe Leigh Taliaferro (Mrs. J. H. Langsford)<br>Ancestor - Col. Daniel Coleman, VA.                           |
| 1014 | 14   | Fannie Morris Taliaferro (Mrs. Lee Mays Taylor)<br>Georgetown, TX. Ancestor-Col. Daniel Coleman, VA.           |
| 1042 | 15   | Mary Lee Horton (Mrs. Sidon Harris)<br>Ancestor - Dillard Jordan, NC.                                          |
| 1043 | 16** | Mattie Crutcher (Mrs. Charles F. Dickinson)<br>Ballinger, TX. Ancestor - James Crutcher, KY.                   |
| 1065 | 17** | Lucy Smith (Mrs. Elton Perry)<br>Ancestor-Joseph Wingfield, TN.                                                |
| 1087 | 18** | Dora M. Fagan (Mrs. Henry Hart Neill) San Antonio, TX.<br>Ancestor - Corp. Robert Lanier Fagan, TN.            |
| 1085 | 19** | Victoria Shannon (Mrs. Edwin Moore) Sherman, TX.<br>Ancestor - Thomas Shannon, KY.                             |
| 1109 | 20** | Alice Yturbide (Mrs. Edwin Bruce) Galveston, TX.<br>Ancestor - Purser John Green, U.S. Navy <u>Brig Hornet</u> |
| 1132 | 21** | Mary Robertson (Mrs. T. A. Brown)<br>Ancestor - Pvt. John Robertson, East TN.                                  |

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| N     | S    |                                                                                      |
| 1136  | 22   | Annie Hill (Mrs. Henry Oscar Barthold)<br>Ancestor - John Rodgers (Rodgers), TN.     |
| 1140  | 23   | Rosa A. Woolsey (Mrs. Joseph E. Howze, M.D.)<br>Ancestor - Pvt. Evander Kennedy, TN. |
| 1146  | 24   | Ida Boyd (Mrs. Joseph W. Robertson)                                                  |
| N has | 25   | Ancestor - Joseph Boyd, East TN.                                                     |
| 1180  | 25** | Susan Farrow (Mrs. Thomas M. Bosson) Gainesville, TX.                                |
| N has | 24   | Ancestor - Maj. William Farrow, KY.                                                  |
| 1181  | 26** | Pauline Castleman (Mrs. Jourdon Walford Morris)<br>Ancestor - James Somers, TN.      |

### III. LIST OF CHAPTER PRESIDENTS AND YEARS SERVED

|                            |              |
|----------------------------|--------------|
| Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore         | 1903-1907*   |
| Mrs. Sidon Harris          | 1907-1911*   |
| Mrs. E. P. Smith           | 1911-1913*   |
| Mrs. Milton Morris         | 1913-1916*   |
| Mrs. J. E. Howze           | 1916-1918* * |
| Mrs. H. E. Baxter          | 1918-1920    |
| Mrs. Laura McKean          | 1920-1922    |
| Mrs. Annie Hill Snyder     | 1922-1924    |
| Mrs. B. G. Smith           | 1924-1926    |
| Mrs. Paul Webb McFadden    | 1926-1928* * |
| Miss Elma Dill             | 1928-1930    |
| Mrs. Howard Bunton         | 1930-1932    |
| Mrs. Mattie Austin Hatcher | 1932-1934    |
| Miss Minnie G. Dill        | 1934-1936    |
| Mrs. H. E. Baxter          | 1936-1938    |
| Mrs. James H. Maxwell      | 1938-1940    |
| Mrs. David J. Pickle       | 1940-1942    |
| Mrs. Leland Purnell        | 1942-1944* * |
| Mrs. Leland Purnell        | 1944-1946    |
| Mrs. Kelly E. McAdams      | 1946-1948* * |
| Mrs. George Boeck          | 1948-1950    |
| Mrs. James M. Taylor       | 1950-1952    |
| Mrs. Kelly E. McAdams      | 1952-1954    |
| Mrs. W. R. Davis           | 1954-1956    |
| Mrs. Jessie McElroy Smith  | 1956-1958    |
| Miss Hazel Broderick       | 1958-1960* * |
| Mrs. E. W. Schuhmann       | 1960-1962    |
| Miss Mariam Dozier         | 1962-1964    |
| Mrs. Kelly E. McAdams      | 1964-1966    |
| Mrs. James E. Webb         | 1966-1968    |
| Mrs. James E. Webb         | 1968-1970    |
| Mrs. J. F. Kramer          | 1970-1972    |
| Miss Hazel Broderick       | 1972-1974    |
| Mrs. Jessie McElroy Smith  | 1974-1976    |

Mrs. J. F. Kramer  
Mrs. Lemuel M. Rathbone

1976-1978  
1978-1980

\*These ladies served as Chapter and State Presidents simultaneously.

\*\* These ladies served as State Presidents also.

#### IV. BIOGRAPHICAL

1. Organizing President of Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter, Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore (See part A, III, 1 in Formation of Texas Society)
2. Honorary Texas Society Presidents from Chapter (See A, III, 1 in formation of Texas Society)
3. Chapter Members serving as Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812 State Officers and Committee Members

#### OFFICERS

From 1903 through 1980, sixty-six members from Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter have served as officers of the Texas Society, many of them serving second and third terms. (See part A, III, 2)

#### COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Thirty-six members have served on State Committees from 1946 through 1980. No record is available prior to 1946.

#### 4. Chapter Real Daughters and Real Granddaughters

Article II of our Society Constitution states one purpose is "to assist in the care and maintenance of our 'Real Daughters' in every way that will add to their comfort and happiness". A National Society Committee was set up to carry out this sacred trust. Through the years our "Real Daughters" have received many courtesies and assistance from Chapter, State and National levels.

Since the Real Daughters hold a special place in our hearts, they must be given special recognition in this review of our 75 years of Chapter History. They are listed as follows:

LOUISE ADELIN COX, MRS. WILBORN BARTON, State No. 28, of Salado, Texas. Ancestor - Robert Cox, N.C.

ELIZA WINGFIELD, MRS. BEAUFORD JACKSON SMITH, State No. 32, of Austin, Texas. Ancestor - Joseph Wingfield, West TN. Eliza was born April 23, 1818 in Murray County, TN. She was the daughter of Joseph Wingfield of TN and Lucy Wade of VA. Her grandparents were John Wingfield and Miss Morris of VA.

LENOIRE MORRIS, MRS. CHARLES R. MOREHEAD, State No. 36, of El Paso, TX. Ancestor - William V. Morris, KY.

SALLIE MORRIS, MRS. HENRY L. NEWMAN, State No. 37, of El Paso, TX. Ancestor - William V. Morris, KY. Lenoire and Sallie were daughters of William V. Morris (b. Feb. 5, 1792 - d. May 25, 1854) and wife Louisa Elliot Warder of Mayslick, KY. They were granddaughters of David Morris and Mary Hoturee. William V. Morris served first as a Private and later as Quartermaster in Capt. George W. Batt's Company, Donaldson's Regt. He fought in the Battle of New Orleans.

LAVINA ISHERWOOD, MRS. JAMES R. DURHAM, State No. 43. Ancestor-Pilgrim Francis Isherwood, PA. His wife was Rebecca Tilford.

LIZZIE NEBLETT, MRS. B. B. THROOP, State No. 47, of Austin, TX. Ancestor - Robert Neblett, VA. Her parents were Robert Neblett and Maria Powe of VA. of VA.

MARGARET WALKER, MRS. WILLIAM A. STEWART, State No. 52, of Austin, TX. Ancestor - James R. Walker, GA.

CORNELIA NEBLETT, MRS. JOHN H. W. DAVIS, State No. 70, of Navasota, TX. Ancestor - Robert Neblett, VA. (See No. 47)

CAROLINE TAIT, MRS. W. S. DELENEY, State No. 139, of Columbus, TX. Ancestor - James A. Tait, AL. She was born Oct. 18, 1896 in Wilcox County, AL, and her parents were James A. Tait of MD, and Caroline Goode of Wilcox County, AL.

AMELIA PRICE, MRS. STEPHEN A. CATLIN, State No. 132, of Kaufman, TX. Ancestor - Josiah C. Price of MD. Her parents were Josiah C. Price of Hartford, MD, and Sarah C.

JULIA JUDSON FINNELL, MRS. WILLIAM RICHARD HALL, State No. 135, of Ennis, TX. Ancestor - Collin Finnell, GA. Collin Finnell of Tuscoloosa County, AL, married Nancy Ferguson Browne of Christian County, KY. He resided in Iowa Park, TX when he received his pension.

PAULINE JONES, MRS. J. D. RUSSELL, State No. 145, of San Antonio, TX. Ancestor - Augustus Jones, TN. Augustus Jones married Hannah Elso of VA. His parents were John Rice Jones of the Northwest Territory and Mary Barger of PA. Pauline later became one of the founding members of Augustus Jones Chapter of San Antonio, along with her sister, MISS FANNIE GEORGE JONES.

MARY OPHELIA STONE, MRS. WILLIAM BOYCE, State No. 491, of Manor, TX. Ancestor - Samuel Stone, VA. (See article on grave marker dedication.)

MATTIE ALICE AUSTIN STONE, MRS. MAURICE S. HATCHER, State No. 427, of Austin, TX. Ancestor - Samuel Stone, VA.

MARY LOUISE BROWN, MRS. JAMES RIVES, held State No. 498. Ancestor - James Brown of N. C. He died in Dewitt, County, TX. His third wife was Mary McDaniel, mother of Mary Louise. He served as a Private in Captain Daniel Newman's Co. Tennessee Militia and fought in the Battle of New Orleans.

KATE BROWN, MRS. H. A. BALDWIN, State No. 515, of Austin, TX. Ancestor - John Brown, VA. Kate was born Feb. 22, 1851 at Fairville, MO. John Brown was born April 4, 1776 in Bath County, VA, and died Sept. 2, 1861 at Fairville, in Saline County, MO. He married first, Adelaide Kyle and second, Julia Carthrae.

FAYTHE KATHERINE PARKS, MRS. MARSHALL MARION TRAMMEL, State No. 569. Ancestor - John Parks of GA. John Parks was born in 1784 in GA, and died in 1852 in Newton County, MS. He married Nancy Cooksey of Savannah, GA. Nancy was born April 12, 1804 and died July 3, 1876 in Newton County, MS. She listed her family as follows: Myrna, William, Thomas, Heron, Jephtha, Faythe Katherine, and John. Her father served as a Private in Capt. Thomas F. Anderson's Riflemen, 14th Regt. Georgia Militia under Col. William James. He fought in the Battle of New Orleans and helped to pack General Pakenham's body in the barrel of Rum to be shipped home to England. Faythe Katherine Parks Trammel became a member of our Chapter March 29, 1940. She was residing at 3710 Cedar Street in the Confederate Women's Home and was totally blind. Her mind was clear and she was able to give all her information from memory. She was truly a remarkable lady.

While information on many of our Real Daughters was complete, we were unable to obtain similar genealogical information on others. This is regrettable as this information is always interesting.

#### Real Granddaughters:

|                          |                           |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore       | Mrs. Elijah Price Smith   |
| Mrs. G. B. Stowe         | Mrs. Charles F. Dickinson |
| Mrs. Cone Johnson        | Mrs. Elton Perry          |
| Mrs. L. E. McKean        | Mrs. Henry Hart Neill     |
| Mrs. Howard H. Taylor    | Mrs. Edwin Moore          |
| Mrs. George L. Walton    | Mrs. Edwin Bruce          |
| Mrs. T. A. Brown         | Mrs. Thomas M. Bossom     |
| Mrs. Jourdon W. Morris   | Mrs. Bert R. Stocking     |
| Mrs. Robert S. Lowe      | Mrs. John William Kyle    |
| Mrs. Frederick N. Chapin | Mrs. Wm. W. Meachum       |
| Mrs. William Hoover      | Mrs. R. M. Rowland        |
| Mrs. Wilson S. Isherwood | Mrs. R. H. Harrison       |
| Mrs. W. S. Birge         | Mrs. Frederick T. Weeden  |
| Mrs. James T. Cabell     | Mrs. A. C. Maxwell        |
| Mrs. Marion Wheeler      | Betty Ballinger           |
| Mrs. Andrew G. Mills     | Mrs. William Luke         |
| Mrs. H. C. Morris        | Mrs. F. S. Bowman         |
| Mrs. Edward Randall      | Mrs. O. B. Colquitt       |

Mrs. T. H. Bowman  
Mrs. William T. Roberts  
Mrs. Wm. E. Hawkins  
Mrs. J. C. McKeehan

Mrs. James M. Earnest  
Mrs. John T. Irvine  
Mrs. J. E. Pickle

(Many of the above Real Granddaughters started in the Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter and transferred to other Chapters as they were formed.)

Mrs. Andrew I. Smith  
Miss Alice Blackburn  
Mrs. Thomas R. Pettway  
Mrs. Arthur O. Watson  
Mrs. Hall Phillips  
Mrs. Ben C. Jones  
Dolly Mary Cloud Stone  
Mrs. David Ayers

Mrs. James H. Bunton  
Mrs. T. F. McCorcle  
Frances Gertrude Rogers  
Mrs. G. P. Robertson  
Mrs. Albert Ater  
Ola Beatrice Eldridge  
Ophelia Arnett Gilmore

#### V. MEMORIAL MARKERS PLACED BY THE CHAPTER AND THOSE MARKERS WHERE THE CHAPTER PARTICIPATED AT MARKING CEREMONIES

May 29, 1933 - Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter was host to the State Officers and the Capt. James Asbury Tait Chapter whose members placed a Soldier's Grave Marker on the grave of Captain Randall Jones in the State Cemetery in Austin, TX. He was the father of the Tait Chapter member and Real Daughter, Sallie C. Jones (Mrs. Joseph Bruckmueller). Captain Randall Jones of the Mississippi Territory Militia was born in Columbus, GA on August 19, 1786 and died in Texas in June 1873. Captain Jones married Mary Andrus. He came to Texas in 1820 and was one of Austin's "Old Three Hundred Colonists", and was a prominent figure in the Texas Republic.

October 31, 1948 - The Chapter participated in the placing of a bronze 1812 plaque on the original "Burhstone" of the mill of John Berry. This stone was relocated on the Williamson County Courthouse lawn in Georgetown, TX. John Berry, a native of VA and veteran of the War of 1812, came to Texas in 1826 as a member of Robertson's Colony. He married Hanah Devoe and they had twelve children. He died in December of 1867 and the Berry descendants still hold annual meetings at Georgetown.

November 23, 1953 - The Chapter sponsored the marking of the grave of Samuel Stone in the State Cemetery in Austin, TX. He was the father of our Real Daughter, Mary Ophelia (Dolly) Stone (Mrs. William Boyce). He was born in Virginia in 1792 and served as a Private in the Virginia Militia during the War of 1812. He married Mary Ann Chunn and came to Texas in 1839, settling near Bastrop. During the Mexican War of 1842, he was captured by General Adrian Wall and held prisoner for 2 years at Perote Prison in Mexico.

November 1955 - The Chapter placed a lay marker on the grave of our deceased member, Miss Minnie G. Dill (State No. 510) in Oakwood Cemetery in Austin, TX. Miss Dill was a devoted Chapter member and very active. She served as our Chapter President 1934-36. She taught school in Austin for 38 years and now Austin has a school named in her honor, the Minnie Dill Elementary School.

December 1962 - Our Chapter placed 3 lay markers on the graves of Chapter members. These graves are all located in Oakwood Cemetery in Austin, TX:

Miss Livie Elma Dill (State No. 88), sister of Miss Minnie G. Dill, was also an active Chapter member. Miss Livie Elma Dill served as our Chapter President 1928-30. These sisters are descended from Private Major Lea (Lee) born in Mississippi in 1771, died in Tennessee in 1822, and he married Lavinia Jarnigan. He served in the Mississippi-Tennessee Militia.

Ouida Wallace Ferguson (Mrs. George S. Nalle) (State No. 506). She was the daughter of Texas Governors James Edward Ferguson and Miriam A. Wallace Ferguson. She was active in patriotic and civic affairs in Austin, donating liberally to many Chapter projects. Her 1812 ancestors were John Lapsley, born 1783 in Virginia, died 1859 in Missouri and married Mary Wear McKee - he served as a Lt. in the Kentucky Militia; and James Ferguson, born 1783, died in Mississippi in 1847, married Fanny Philips Fitzpatrick, and served as a Private in the South Carolina Militia.

Margaret Quay Minter (Mrs. Paul Webb McFadden, State No. 90), served as Chapter President 1926-28 and as Texas Society President 1930-32. She was very active in patriotic affairs in Austin, and her husband served as Mayor of the City of Austin. Her ancestor was Andrew Quay of South Carolina.

April 3, 1971 our Chapter marked the grave of Michael Reed, the great grandfather of our member, Mrs. Walter Nass. The ceremony was held at the Reed Family Cemetery near Hollond, TX. Michael Reed served a tour of duty as a Private in the Lt. Joseph Driblebie's Co. 77th Regt. of Lt. Col. George Wierick of the Pennsylvania Militia in the War of 1812. He came to Texas and received a land grant in Bell County during the days of the Republic of Texas.

June 26, 1976 our Chapter joined with the Capt. James Asbury Tait Chapter of Houston in marking two 1812 Soldier's graves at the Barber Hill Cemetery in Mont Belvieu, Chambers County, TX. These soldiers were Hezekiah Williams, Private in the 15th Regt. and Samuel Barber of the 16th Regt., 2nd Brigade of Louisiana General Militia. These two veterans later settled in Chambers County. Samuel Barber was the great grandfather of our Chapter member, Eula Belle Maley Cook (Mrs. Sam G. Cook ) of Austin, TX.

June 12, 1977 our Chapter placed a marker on the grave of Elijah Simmons Collard at the Gourd Creek Cemetery, Walker County, TX. Elijah Simmons Collard is the ancestor of our Chapter members, Bonnie E. Gibson (Mrs. Frank Polk of Austin) and Melba I. Gibson (Mrs. J. Herbert Frossard of Madisonville, TX). He served in the War of 1812 as a Private in Capt. James Callaway's Co. of the U.S. Mounted Rangers and as Captain, 1st Batt., 3rd Regt., Territory of Louisiana, and as Capt. 2nd Batt. Territory of Missouri. He moved to Texas in 1803 and was elected to the Consultation of San Felipe in 1835, and assisted in writing the Texas Constitution and the Declaration of Independence.

November 10, 1977 the Chapter participated in the Texas Society's marking of a Real Granddaughter's grave, Jennie Bell Morrow (Mrs. Davis E. Decker) at the Odd Fellows Cemetery in Georgetown, TX. Her grandfather was Samuel (Sam) Houston, born in Rockbridge County, VA March 2, 1793. On March 24, 1813, Houston enlisted in the U.S. Army. He was wounded March 28, 1814, in an engagement with the Creek Indians of the Tallapoosa River at Horseshoe Bend. His gallantry won the attention of Gen. Andrew Jackson and he was promoted to 1st Lt. We all know of Sam Houston's later exploits in Texas and his services in the Army of the Republic and as President of the Republic of Texas and later as Governor of the State of Texas.

June 3, 1978 the Chapter served as hostess to the Texas Society at the Executive Council Meeting in Austin, and at the placing of a lay marker on the grave of Luella Robertson (Mrs. Zachary Taylor Fulmore) at Oakwood Cemetery in Austin, TX.

This was a part of the celebration of the 75th Anniversary of the Founding of the Texas Society and the Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter. Mrs. Fulmore was the daughter of Elijah Sterling Clack Robertson, founder of the Robertson Colony in Texas, a signer of the Texas Declaration of Independence. Her grandfather was Sterling Clack Robertson, born in Tennessee in 1772, died in Tennessee in 1842. He served as Deputy Quartermaster General TN Militia under Maj. Gen. William Carroll, and fought in the Battle of New Orleans.

Mrs. Fulmore was very active in many patriotic organizations in Austin and was appointed Organizing Regent for the Texas Society and Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter. We were organized June 9, 1903.

## VI. NARRATIVE HISTORY OF ACTIVITIES OF OLIVER HAZARD PERRY CHAPTER

The most memorable activity of our Chapter occurred in 1903 when Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore and eleven other ladies with vision gave birth to one of our great State's most important patriotic organizations, Daughters of War of 1812, affiliated with the National Society. For 12 years our Chapter was both State and Local. It soon became evident that one Chapter would be unable to satisfy the

interests of all those who wished to be a part of this recognition of our War of 1812 heroes. In 1915 the John Cavet Chapter was formed in Dallas, TX, and through succeeding years other individual Chapters were organized. The members of Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter take great pride in this our first and most far reaching activity. The Objectives of our Chapter and the Texas Society are the same as those of the National Society as listed in the constitution and Bylaws.

The first recorded activity of our Chapter was in the National Bulletin of 1908. The Chapter furnished the "Writing Room" of the Adone Seaman's Bethel in Galveston, TX. President Mrs. Milton Morris pointed out that this service to sea-going men was in line with the life and work of the 1812 patriot and naval hero, Oliver Hazard Perry, whose name our Chapter bears.

Our Chapter has marked or participated in the marking of twelve graves. These include the graves of soldiers as well as lay markers for our own beloved members. The most important of these was the marking of Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore's grave in Oakwood Cemetery on June 3, 1978, for she was the Founder of our Chapter which quickly grew into a statewide organization.

Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter hosted the Texas Society Annual Council Meetings in Austin, TX in the following years: 1915, 1921, 1930, 1931, 1933, 1940, 1941, 1944, 1945, 1954, 1956, 1960, 1962, 1965, 1971, 1976, and 1979, for a total of 17 of these important Texas Society meetings.

Our Chapter took special pride in the arrangements which our members made for these meetings. Adequate meeting facilities were obtained, social gatherings were a large part of the entertainment, and special speakers were supplied. Many little things were developed to add to the excitement of these functions, and each year the State Officers were generous with their praise.

Our Chapter was also privileged to host the Texas Society State Executive Board Meetings in Austin in the following years: 1931, 1932, 1938, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1947, 1949, 1955, 1963, 1968, 1974, 1978, and 1979. These were the only dates listed in the News-Letter. Our Chapter was happy to assist in the holding of 14 or more Texas Society State Executive Board Meetings.

Some of our most important activities and continued works were during the years when our Nation was at War. Our Chapter and many individual members were active in Red Cross Work; the sale of Bonds and War Stamps; entertaining soldiers and their families in homes and the U.S.O.; participating in Victory Gardens, Blood Banks, Women's Auxiliary Corps, National Defense, Patriotic Education, as Air Raid Wardens, Veteran's rehabilitation and any other task which would assist our war efforts. The enthusiasm of our

members during these trying times points up the feelings we have for those brave men who fight for our Country, and especially for the soldiers who fought in the War of 1812.

Our Chapter met, talked, planned, socialized, and listened to almost 300 interesting speakers in our first 75 years. During these meetings, under our capable officers, we developed those things which have banded us together in the work we have done and thereby justified our existence as a patriotic group. Even in those spartan war years our hostesses entertained us with beautiful surroundings, delicious refreshments and a fellowship which made the work which we needed to do seem most pleasant.

Looking back over these many years of unselfish dedication of so many of our members, some activities and accomplishments by their very nature seem important enough to merit special mention here.

During 1931-32 under Committee Chairman Mrs. Milton Morris, the Chapter accomplished notable work with Mexican families in Austin. Mexican women and girls were taught the principles of home making and personal hygiene. The weekly meetings where cooking, quilting, sewing and social conduct were taught, were opened by repeating the American Creed and giving the Pledge of Allegiance to the U.S. Flag. Every effort was made to lead these families into our community life.

Early in 1933 Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter concerned itself with one of the early efforts of conservation and protection of rare plants. Mrs. P. W. McFadden represented the Chapter at a Legislative Hearing on the protection of some native Texas plants - holly, mistletoe, and shrubs.

Our Chapter sponsored and aided the Boy Scouts in holding dedicatory services for the Flag Pole Installation at the Federal Fish Hatchery in Austin, TX.

As we recovered from our years of war work, we resumed the emphasis on our usual Society projects, locating and marking of 1812 soldier's graves, raising money for scholarships, and a more intensive support for all State and National Projects. Our Committees also worked on such projects as Philanthropy and Patriotism, Americanization, Patriotic Education, Conservation and other interesting subjects on trends in our Democracy.

Veterans of W.W. II were flocking back to Colleges and Universities to resume their education. Scarcity of housing necessitated turning many veterans away from the University of Texas. This gave us a most interesting project - finding homes for veterans. One member alone was instrumental in arranging housing for over 300 boys.

In 1953 Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter set up a loan fund of \$500.00 for music students at the University of Texas, and called it the Lulie Lane Maxwell Fund in honor of a former member. Mrs. A. H. Wolverton, a daughter of this member, presented the check to Jack C. Taylor, Endowment Officer and Dean E. W. Doty acknowledged the loan fund and thanked the Chapter.

Two Nike Bases were built near Austin and during the dedication ceremonies in 1960, bronze placques inscribed in honor of men from Austin who had served their country faithfully, were placed at the base of the flag poles on these installations. Each patriotic organization was invited to sponsor these placques. Our Chapter paid a sponsors fee and had "U. S. Daughters of 1812" added to the exclusive lists on these plaques.

In 1961 the Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812 files, which had been stored in the Daughters of the Republic of Texas Museum, were moved to the new Texas State Archives and Library Building. Mrs. Quebedeaux donated a 4 drawer steel cabinet and arranged for storage space in the Library. She supervised the moving and arranging of this material to make it more efficient for researchers to use.

In 1962 our members were concerned with the Monroe Doctrine in modern times; Poland and Yugoslavia trade; Communist propoganda in U.S. Mail; Reciprocal Trade Agreement; Col. Glen and Col. Sheppard in Space; Patriotism to be taught in the schools; resistance to subversion of our youths; National solvency; Domestic Peace Corps; and a Commemorative Stamp for the Sesquicentennial of Lake Erie.

In 1965 special efforts were directed to Reapportionment in voting areas, use of Zip Codes, Racial integrity, Christianity, Radio Free Europe, the Holy Bible, prayer in schools and helping to stamp out pornography.

In 1965 our Chapter made a "Flag with Feeling" for children in the School for the Blind in Austin, TX. The flag was made of various materials which to hands of the blind would denote proper colors. The flag was made in duplicate and fastened together at the edges so it "Feels" the same on both sides. It was presented during February American History Month, and was used to teach patriotism and proper use of the U. S. Flag.

In 1965 the last Chapter meeting of the year was held at the new University of Texas Academic Center. Our Chapter presented an 1812 Flag under glass in an ornate gold frame to the Center. This flag had been given to the Chapter by Mrs. Howell Bunton in honor of Past President Mrs. L. E. Purnell. Mr. G. T. Moffatt accepted the gift for the University. It will be hung in the Undergraduate Section of the Center where the inscription describing the flag can be easily read.

In 1976 our Chapter enrolled in the Bicentennial Patriot Program for the City of Austin, and participated in many of its activities. Mrs. Sam G. Cook, representing the chapter, was the recipient of an Award for Special Services for contributing over 300 hours of volunteer work in preparing 5 volumes of Scrapbooks of "Austin Bicentennial Happenings".

In addition to marking the grave of Founder Mrs. Z. T. Fulmore in celebration of the 75th Anniversary Year in 1978, our Chapter compiled and published the "75th Anniversary History of Oliver Hazard Perry Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812". This history was written by Mrs. Sam G. Cook.

Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter was host for the 76th Texas Society Council Meeting for 1979 in Austin, TX. This was one of the largest meetings in recent years with 53 members and guests registered. We were honored to have seven Honary State Presidents in attendance.

## JOHN CAVET CHAPTER

### I. FORMATION OF CHAPTER

It was early in 1915, and Mrs. Alvin Valentine Lane of Dallas had just started her term as President of Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812. The membership of the Texas Society was expanding State-wide and new local Chapters were badly needed. Mrs. Lane chose her home town for the organization of the second Chapter of the Texas Society.

Mrs. Milton Morris, retiring President of Texas Society had appointed Mrs. A. V. Lane as Organizer for a new Chapter. The organizational meeting was held March 15, 1915 with six members present. The Chapter was Chartered soon thereafter and became the second Texas Society Chapter.

The initial Chapter Officers were:

Regent - Mrs. A. V. Lane  
Vice-Regent - Mrs. Thomas Buford  
Recording and Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. Rufus Skinner  
Treasurer - Mrs. Thomas B. Love

The John Cavet Chapter was born in Dallas. The following Minutes of the first meeting are from the Chapter Archives in the handwriting of the Secretary, Mrs. Rufus W. Skinner:

"On Saturday morning, June 10th 1915 at 10 o'clock, the Dallas members of the United States Daughters of 1812 met at the home of Mrs. Rufus W. Skinner for the purpose of welding together the local Organization, and outlining its propoganda.

A number of important decisions were made.

The following officers were elected and the new Secretary was asked to notify the ladies and request a response.

Regent - Mrs. Tom Buford  
Vice-Regent - Mrs. T. L. Westerfield  
Recording and Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. Rufus Skinner  
Treasurer - Mrs. Thos. B. Love  
Registrar - Mrs. Lucy Cary  
Historian - Mrs. W. W. Gibson

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Mrs. G. W. Sherrin, our State Corresponding Secretary, suggested that we call ourselves the John Cavet Chapter, he having been a private in the Pennsylvania Militia of the War of 1812, and is the ancestor of our State President, Mrs. A. V. Lane.

Out of esteem for her personality and in gratitude for her work in the Association's behalf, and in honor of the individual valor of her ancestor, we selected him as a representative of the men who put our country beyond disparaging criticism, setting it for the first time among the fixed and respected citizens of the world.

Thus as embodier of the Private Soldier of the War of 1812, we proudly and unanimously chose to call the local Organization the John Cavet Chapter of the United States Daughters of 1812."

John Cavet was born in 1770 and died in Pennsylvania in 1847. He married Jane Anne (McKean) Hughey, and their daughter Margaret married John Hughey.

## II. CHARTER MEMBERS OF JOHN CAVET CHAPTER

The 18 Charter Members are listed as follows:

|                     |                        |
|---------------------|------------------------|
| Mrs. R. C. Buckner  | Mrs. John S. Lowry     |
| Mrs. Thomas Buford  | Mrs. H. L. McLaurin    |
| Mrs. James M. Cary  | Mrs. H. C. McLaurin    |
| Mrs. O. B. Colquitt | Mrs. Carl Calloway     |
| Mrs. J. M. Earnest  | Mrs. J. C. Muse        |
| Mrs. George Gibson  | Mrs. G. G. Sheerin     |
| Mrs. W. E. Hawkins  | Mrs. R. F. Skinner     |
| Mrs. A. V. Lane     | Mrs. J. B. Stitler     |
| Mrs. Tom B. Love    | Mrs. T. L. Westerfield |

## III. LIST OF CHAPTER PRESIDENTS AND YEARS SERVED

|                          |           |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. A. V. Lane          | 1915-1917 |
| Mrs. Lucy Cary           | 1917-1921 |
| Mrs. A. V. Lane          | 1921-1922 |
| Mrs. Thomas Buford       | 1922-1924 |
| Mrs. Cora E. Behrends    | 1924-1926 |
| Mrs. T. L. Westerfield   | 1926-1927 |
| Mrs. O. B. Colquitt      | 1927-1929 |
| Mrs. Evans Pickard       | 1929-1931 |
| Mrs. Earle D. Behrends   | 1931-1933 |
| Mrs. C. C. Holt          | 1933-1935 |
| Mrs. A. S. Tugwell       | 1935-1937 |
| Mrs. Henry L. Tenison    | 1937-1939 |
| Mrs. M. N. Crestman      | 1939-1941 |
| Mrs. Neal Davidson       | 1941-1943 |
| Mrs. George E. Bell      | 1943-1946 |
| Mrs. Frederick B. Ingram | 1946-1947 |
| Mrs. Lora B. Glenn       | 1947-1951 |
| Mrs. Charles L. Syron    | 1951-1952 |

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|------------------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. George C. Mitchell, Sr. | 1952-1954 |
| Mrs. Edmond L. Crow          | 1954-1956 |
| Mrs. Verna T. Price          | 1956-1957 |
| Miss Mary Ethyl Waller       | 1957-1959 |
| Miss Marie Anna Garlington   | 1959-1961 |
| Mrs. Samuel H. Boren, Sr.    | 1961-1963 |
| Mrs. Joe N. Sanderson        | 1963-1965 |
| Mrs. James N. Michie         | 1965-1967 |
| Mrs. L. Warren Baker         | 1967-1969 |
| Mrs. Marshall D. Barnett     | 1969-1971 |
| Mrs. Emil P. Reed            | 1971-1973 |
| Mrs. Dan Lockey              | 1973-1975 |
| Mrs. Horace J. Kittrell      | 1975-1977 |
| Mrs. James C. Marshall       | 1977-1979 |

#### IV. BIOGRAPHICAL

1. Organizing President of John Cavet Chapter, Mrs. Alvin Valentine Lane. (See Part A, III, 1)

2. Honorary Texas Society Presidents from Chapter

|                          |                     |
|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Mrs. A. V. Lane          | 1915-1917           |
| Mrs. Thomas Buford       | June 1917-Nov. 1917 |
| Mrs. J. C. Muse          | Nov. 1917-June 1920 |
| Mrs. Robert S. Lowe      | 1922-1924           |
| Mrs. Cora E. Behrends    | 1928-1930           |
| Mrs. C. C. Holt          | 1934-1936           |
| Mrs. M. N. Crestman      | 1942-1944           |
| Mrs. Frederick B. Ingram | 1948-1949           |
| Mrs. Earle D. Behrends   | 1956-1958           |

(Biographical sketches of these nine Honorary Texas Society Presidents may be seen in Part A, III, 1)

3. Chapter members serving as National and/or Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812 Officers and Committee Members

#### NATIONAL SOCIETY OFFICERS:

|                                |           |
|--------------------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. Frederick Brewster Ingram |           |
| President National             | 1949-1952 |
| 4th Vice-President National    | 1947-1949 |

Mrs. Alvin Valentine Lane  
Treasurer National and 2nd Vice-President National

#### STATE OFFICERS:

From 1915 through 1980 John Cavet Chapter members have filled 66 State Offices, with 43 gallant ladies serving faithfully. (See Part A, III, 3 Roster Texas Society Officers.)

## COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

Over the 65 years of Chapter history, many of our faithful members served on State Committees and were active at both Chapter and State Levels.

### 4. John Cavet Chapter Real Daughters and Real Granddaughters

#### Real Daughters

MRS. MAJOR JAMES MILTON CARY (LUCY JEANETTE POWELL), was a Charter Member of John Cavet Chapter in 1915 with State No. 158 and National No. 3820. Her 1812 soldier father was Norborne Berkeley Powell. He was born September 3, 1791 in Nelson County, VA, and died at the Battle of Chunnamungee Ridge, Alabama October 5, 1862. His wife was Eliza Anne R. Holmes. He served as 4th Sgt. Virginia Artillery.

MRS. HUGH C. McLaurin, MD. (HARRIET EMILY LOVE), joined the Texas Society in 1915. She was a Charter Member of the John Cavet Chapter with State No. 166 and National No. 4113. Her 1812 ancestor was Robert Love. He was born in 1784 in York District, SC, and died in Copiah County, MS, August 28, 1865. He served as a Sergeant in the Mississippi-Tennessee Militia. His wife was Sallie Catching. Their daughter, Harriet Emily, married Hugh C. McLaurin.

MRS. WILLIAM PORTER MARTIN (ELIZA JANE BROWN), joined the Texas Society in 1926 with State No. 179 and National No. 4579. Her 1812 ancestor was Col. John Brown. He was born in North Carolina in 1779 and died in Tennessee in 1846. He married Nancy Clark Fox and their daughter Eliza Jane, married William Porter Martin.

Col. John Brown is listed as Col. and Brig. Gen. East Tennessee Militia. He was a valiant fighter in the Battles of Niagara Falls and Horseshoe Bend where the British were defeated. He was wounded, but later recovered and assumed his important military duties.

MRS. JOHN MARSHALL FARRIS (ELLEN D. BRADFORD), joined the Texas Society in 1926 with State No. 196 and National No. 4992. Her 1812 ancestor and father was Capt. Daniel Morgan Bradford, born in Farquer County, VA, September 2, 1793. He died in Huntsville, AL, October 13, 1869. His wife was Mary Brook Lamkin. Capt. Bradford served in the West Tennessee Militia.

MRS. SUSIE HARKER RANSOME was a transfer, National No. 8850 to the Texas Society from Atlanta, GA, and her State No. was 477. We could find no further information, other than she was listed as a Real Daughter from Georgia.

MRS. WARREN MELANDER JAMES GORDON (ANNIE ELIZA CHANEY), joined the Texas Society in 1939 with State No. 559 and National No. 12439.

Her soldier father was James Walter Chaney born in Maryland and died at Falmouth, KY, January 20, 1866. His wife was Lucinda Janey Dulaney. He served as Private in Capt. Charles G. Johnson's Co. 1st Regt. Terry's Mississippi Volunteers. He served under Brig. Gen. Claiborne in Louisiana.

#### Real Granddaughter

MRS. ROBERT PLEASANT ARCHER (MARION MARYIANNE DOBYNS), joined the Texas Society in February 1925, with State No. 344 and National No. 7616. Her parents were Thomas Jefferson Dobyns of Evansville, IN, and Clarissa Harlow McGary. Her grandfather and 1812 ancestor was Major Hugh McGary. He was born in Virginia in 1770 and died in Indiana in 1842. He commanded a Company of Indiana Militia. Mrs. Archer died January 25, 1926 at age 96 years.

#### V. 1812 MEMORIAL MARKERS PLACED BY JOHN CAVET CHAPTER

On April 7, 1924 the Chapter placed a grave marker at Lakeview Cemetery, Interlocken, Seneca County, NY, marking the grave of Lt. Tunis Covert, Jr. He was the ancestor of Mrs. Helmer Bekkelund. Lt. Covert was born in New Jersey in 1777 and died in New York in 1849. He married Cornelia Brokon. His service was in the New York Militia in the War of 1812.

On January 9, 1929, the graves of two Chapter Real Daughters were marked with the beautiful memorial marker for Real Daughters. The women so honored were Mrs. Lucy Powell Cary at Glenwood Cemetery, and Mrs. W. P. Martin at Oakland Cemetery in Dallas, TX.

The Chapter placed a soldier of War of 1812 marker on the grave of William Fairfax Gray in Glenwood Cemetery in Dallas in 1933. He was born in 1750 and died in 1835 and served as Lt. Governor in Massachusetts in 1810-1811 and as a member of the Senate in 1807-1808.

At the State Council Meeting on March 7, 1935 the Chapter sponsored the marking of the grave of Pvt. Eli Merrill. Two granddaughters unveiled the marker. He was born in North Carolina in 1787 and died in Texas in 1849. He married (1) Nancy McCray, and their son, Benjamin Merrill, married Margaret Fleming. Eli served as a Private in the North Carolina Militia.

In March of 1939 Cavet Chapter planted a live oak tree, in honor of President H. L. Tilson on the Campus of Southern Methodist University near the front of McFarlin Auditorium. They placed an official 1812 Tree Marker on this tree.

On November 8, 1939 the Chapter assisted in marking the grave of Gen. Nathaniel Smith in Palestine, TX. Mrs. P. S. Tilson our Curator National, and Mrs. Ira D. Sykes, Texas Society President,

officiated. Gen. Smith died in Texas in 1841. He married Martha F. Smith and their daughter, Mary M., married Dr. James Hunter. Gen. Smith served as Lt. in the Tennessee Militia during the War of 1812.

On May 28, 1950 two soldier's graves were marked. A memorial marker was placed on the grave of William Terrell Gillenwater in the Old Masonic Cemetery in Dallas. He served in East Tennessee Mounted Volunteer Militia and later as a Captain of Infantry in the War of 1812. He came to Dallas in 1865. The other marker was placed on the grave of Judge John Thomas in Greenwood Cemetery. He served in the Tennessee Militia and settled in Dallas in 1844.

The John Cavet Chapter was proud to honor George Mifflin Dallas by placing an 1812 marker and tablet on the Dallas County Courthouse lawn. George Mifflin Dallas was born in Philadelphia in 1792. His father Alexander James Dallas was Secretary of the Treasurer 1814-1816; his brother Commodore A. J. Dallas was in U. S. Navy during War of 1812; and George Mifflin Dallas followed his military service in the War of 1812 with a long governmental career, which included serving as a courier to bring the Treaty of Ghent to the U. S. for ratification and signing, and Vice-President of the United States 1845-1849. The City of Dallas and County of Dallas were named for this man.

The next markers were dedicated May 6, 1951 by the Cavet Chapter. These soldiers were first, James Lemmon, who as a boy of 12 years served as a messenger for General Washington in the Revolutionary War. He served in the War of 1812 as Sgt. Major in Captain John Hamilton's Co. of Infantry, 5th Regt. Kentucky Mounted Volunteers. The second soldier was Roderick Rawlins who served in the Indiana Mounted Rangers in Capt. John Biggers Co. These graves were located in Lancaster, Dallas County, TX.

In October of 1958 the Chapter honored one of its long-time, faithful members, Mrs. Charles Looney, by placing a lay memorial marker on her grave in New York.

A number of other grave markings were mentioned in reports of Chapter activities, but no dates or names were found.

## VI. NARRATIVE HISTORY OF ACTIVITIES OF JOHN CAVET CHAPTER

This Chapter, the second to be organized under the Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812, took over the State activities from the Mother Chapter, Oliver Hazard Perry, in June of 1915, and carried the State Organization until 1924, under Mrs. A. V. Lane, Mrs. Thomas Buford, and Mrs. Robert S. Lowe.

Their first Chapter endeavor was to fully acquaint all the members with the 1812 period, 1784 through 1815, and the aims of

the National Society. They also began looking into local matters to find areas needing their services. They were asked by Captain Hood of the U. S. Navy to contribute magazine subscriptions to the Reading Room of the Battleship Texas. A Chapter member, Mrs. Colquitt, while her husband was Governor of Texas, attended the christening of the Texas in the Navy Yard at Norfolk, VA on March 12, 1914. Captain Hood also requested a hand-made silk American Flag for the ship.

The Chapter ladies made the Flag of red and white on blue silk, 4 feet by 6 feet, with the stars carefully basted in place. The Flag was displayed first at a fund-raising entertainment given by the United Daughters of the Confederacy at which the Cavet Chapter had contributed the cost of a reserved logge in the Theatre, decorated with 1812 emblems and colors. The Flag was unfurled on the stage while the band played the Star Spangled Banner, and the great audience arose in salute.

It was displayed a second time in down-town Sanger's window on Flag Day 1916. The Flag was mailed to Captain Hood of Battleship Texas, and his letter of thanks was read to the Chapter. The Recording Secretary wrote, "It was pleasing and appreciative to a degree to fully repay this Chapter for its labor and interest, and causing all present to rejoice in having done something to add pleasure and inspiration to a crew of men who cast their years of activity for United States Preparedness".

The John Cavet Chapter started a Scrapbook in 1916, and this was probably one of the first Scrapbooks in our Texas Society.

At the March 1, 1917 meeting the Chapter sent a letter to the President of the United States, Woodrow Wilson, expressing faith in him in his relations with Germany and the present crisis, and pledging cooperation in case of War.

In the winter of 1917 the Chapter was doing Red Cross work at home. "In accordance with Mr. Herbert Hoover's plan for conservation of food, no refreshments were served at the meetings."

"The winter of 1917-1918 brought many and varied experiences to all Americans and to all patriotic organizations, including the John Cavet Chapter U.S.D. of 1812. Our order of meetings has been affected, as duty to our beloved country had been our first thought, since we entered the great struggle overseas, and declared war upon Germany, April 6th, 1917." (From Chapter Minutes.)

In March of 1918 the Chapter joined with other patriotic groups in making guidons (banners) to be used at the Aviators Squadron's, Camp Dick. Chapter members made 12 of the 25 banners needed for each Squadron, of ~~sa~~teen. These were service flags used for regular drills each day. The field is gold with crossed

signal flags; at the top is the number of the squadron and at the bottom is the Spread-Eagle representing the United States Aviation Corps.

The Chapter members were busy with Red Cross work, Canteen Work, and sale of War Savings Bonds and Stamps. One member served at Canteen work at Le Seur, France for 3 months, giving first aid treatment and food to soldiers on a 24 hour daily schedule.

The Chapter Minutes record the War's end - "The great news came on Monday nite November 11, 1918 when almost the whole world joined in the united celebration of the 'glad tidings of great joy' ".

The Chapter had contributed 1700 hours in making surgical dressings and refugee garments; made 250 Knitted garments; donated 250 books and countless magazines to Canteens; and assisted in and gave generously to Red Cross and Liberty Bond Drives. Countless hours were spent to alleviate suffering during the influenza epidemic of 1918-1919.

The John Cavet Chapter had hosted the State Associate Council Meetings, twice yearly for allmost all meetings since 1915, thru 1924.

Four Chapter Real Daughters attended the April 9, 1919 State Meeting in Dallas. These were Mrs. Lucy Cary, Mrs. E. J. Martin Mrs. Ellen D. Farris, and Mrs. Rutherford.

In 1920, the Chapter participated in the Reception Honoring General Pershing on his visit to Dallas.

A project was initiated in furthering "Americanism" by placing a printed flier or card of the "American's Creed" in all School History Books in the Dallas Schools. A thumb card was selected, printed and distributed to all Schools. The matter was referred to the State Textbook Commission for possible use elsewhere. This resulted in the "Creed" being included in the 1921 Edition of "American History". Prizes were offered for best recitations of the "Creed".

The first report that the John Cavet Chapter sent to the National News-Letter, appeared in the June 1922 issue. It states:

"The Chapter, of which Mrs. A. V. Lane is Regent, has had a remarkable record of service since its organization in March 1915. It is identified with all Red Cross work and Americanization is at all times stressed. It contributes to many worthy projects which indicate the progressiveness of its members."

In 1926 John Cavet Chapter listed 53 paid members with 23 papers to be verified. The National Society Board met in Dallas October 16 and 17, 1925.

A new Real Daughter, Mrs. Warren Milander James Gordon, was added to the Chapter in 1938. She died December 26, 1942, but was a faithful member during her time in the Chapter.

In 1940 the Chapter sponsored a 4-H Club Girl at the A. & M. College Summer Course.

By 1943 the Chapter was again deeply involved in War-time projects. They worked with other groups to get the City of Dallas to accept Old Masonic and Old Odd Fellows Cemeteries into the City Park Complex. Many War of 1812 soldiers are buried in these cemeteries.

In 1948 John Cavet Chapter stressed National Defense and was recovering from W.W. II. Gen. Edward H. Tarrant Chapter of Ft. Worth was invited to Join in many Cavet Chapter activities.

By 1950 our Chapter was lending its efforts to "Advancement of Americanism" with each 77 members ready to work at any project.

John Cavet Chapter continued its patriotic activities on into the 60's and 70's, working locally with other groups for bettering education, keeping abreast of National affairs, and contributing generously to State and National Projects of U. S. D. of 1812.

The Battle of New Orleans Luncheon in January of each year has continued to be the highlight of the Chapter activities, with speakers of note and many invited guests.

Chapter members continued to serve as Texas Society Officers and on the various Committees.

The Chapter hosted the State Board Meeting in Dallas on June 13, 1979, with Texas Society President Mrs. James C. Marshall, Jr., in charge of arrangements. John Cavet Chapter sponsored the dedication of a Memorial Lay grave marker for Alice Lane Ingram. The Ceremony was held at her grave site in Grove Hill Cemetery at 2:00 p.m. Alice Lane, Mrs. Frederick Brewster Ingram, had served as Texas Society President 1948-1949 and as President National 1949-1952.

The family of Mrs. Ingram was present and a granddaughter, Mrs. Blanche Evans, accepted the marker for the family. Among the distinguished guests at the dedication, we were honored to have Mrs. Earl L. Whitaker, Honorary President National, who represented the National Society in paying respect to Mrs. Frederick Brewster Ingram, also an Honorary President National.

## CAPTAIN AUGUSTUS JONES CHAPTER

### I. FORMATION OF CHAPTER

Captain Augustus Jones Chapter, San Antonio, TX, organized March 15, 1922, was named in honor of the 1812 heroic ancestor of a Real Daughter and Charter Member, Mrs. James T. Russell. The military career of Captain Jones included serving under General Henry Dodge in the War of 1812, as United States Marshall for Missouri during the administration of President Andrew Jackson (1828-1836), Captain of a Troop of Volunteer Cavalry in the Mexican War (1847) during which he was for a time Military Governor of Santa Fe, and Major General of Missouri State Militia for a number of years. A true patriot, the following was written of him by Firmin A. Rozier in his book entitled the "Early Settlement of the Mississippi Valley" published by G. A. Pierror & Son, St Louis 1890:

".... when a school boy... As he was sitting with his slate on his knee, a cavalry company passed, and when he heard the bugle sound, he broke his slate on his knee and getting a horse he rode up to the officer and said to him: 'I want to go with you.' The officer replied: 'You are too small for a soldier.' "

Young Jones continued to follow the soldiers until they crossed the Missouri River at St. Charles. The Indians were very troublesome at St Charles, and the officer had to take young Jones to keep him from being scalped. When they arrived at the upper Mississippi it was important that they should communicate with General Atkinson, who was on the eastern shore of the Mississippi river....no boat available to cross the river, Jones said to the officer:

'I can take the dispatch over the river'

'How will you take it?'

'I will put it in my cap, and swim my horse across the river.' "

Jones' plan was successful and he returned swimming his horse back across the river delivering General Atkinson's answer.

Andrew Jackson heard of the incident and when President of the United States he appointed Augustus Jones the United States Marshall of Missouri.

Chapter Minutes relate that the following seven ladies met in the Red Room of the St. Anthony Hotel, March 15, 1922, for the purpose of organizing a San Antonio Chapter of the Daughters of 1812 in Texas: Mrs. T. W. Beck, Mrs. Irwin Brown, Mrs. Richard Gentry, Mrs. Roger Fassett, Mrs. James Russell, Mrs. H. E. Heyck, Mrs. H. R. Wofford and Mrs. Edwin Brown, Organizing Regent, presiding. The following Officers were elected:

Regent - Mrs. Irwin Brown  
 1st Vice-Regent - Mrs. Harry Hyman  
 2nd Vice-Regent - Mrs. H. E. Heyck  
 Recording and Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. Laura Phillips  
 Treasurer - Mrs. Richard Gentry  
 Registrar - Mrs. Roger Fassett  
 Curator - Mrs. James Russell

The Chapter has had six mascots since its organization, namely:

Miss Elizabeth Grissom 1925-38  
 Miss Elizabeth Johnson Fassett 1938-46  
 Master Charles William Coleman 1946-54  
 Miss Deborah Lynn Parkinson 1954  
 Miss Adele Liegh Caruth 1978-80  
 Master D. Harold Byrd III 1978-80

## II. CHARTER MEMBERS OF CAPTAIN AUGUSTUS JONES CHAPTER

The Original Charter (now in possession of the Chapter Curator) dated April 8, 1922, was framed by Mrs. Irwin Brown, Organizing Regent and presented to the Chapter. All Charter Members are now deceased, namely:

|                        |                                   |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Mrs. James D. Russell  | Miss Ruby Cole                    |
| Mrs. H. R. Wofford     | Louise Alix Littlepage            |
| Mrs. Laura P. Phillips | Mrs. T. S. Moore                  |
| Mrs. Hilary E. Heyck   | Mrs. Mary Fisk Ross               |
| Mrs. R. H. Fassett     | Mrs. Paul Osterhout               |
| Mrs. Irwin Brown       | Mrs. Joe Carnal                   |
| Mrs. J. E. Curray      | Mrs. Evelyn B. Sterling           |
| Mrs. Richard H. Gentry | Mrs. J. E. Howze, State President |

## III. LIST OF CHAPTER PRESIDENTS AND YEARS SERVED

|                                     |           |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. Irwin Brown, Organizing Regent | 1922-1924 |
| Mrs. Henry R. Wofford               | 1924-1926 |
| Mrs. John J. Grissom                | 1926-1928 |
| Mrs. George Boeck                   | 1928-1930 |
| Mrs. R. H. Fassett                  | 1930-1932 |
| Mrs. W. P. Coleman                  | 1932-1934 |
| Mrs. Ross S. Neighbors              | 1934-1936 |
| Mrs. R. (Camille) Neighbors         | 1936-1938 |
| Mrs. J. E. Wright                   | 1938-1940 |
| Mrs. Henry R. Wofford               | 1940-1942 |
| Mrs. D. I. Freeman                  | 1942-1944 |
| Mrs. J. D. Carnal                   | 1944-1946 |
| Mrs. Robert H. Parkinson            | 1946-1948 |
| Mrs. R. G. Halter                   | 1948-1950 |
| Mrs. Robert H. Parkinson            | 1950-1952 |
| Mrs. J. D. Carnal                   | 1952-1954 |
| Mrs. A. M. Lyons                    | 1954-1956 |
| Mrs. Alford Williams                | 1956-1958 |

|                          |           |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. Robert H. Parkinson | 1958-1960 |
| Mrs. J. S. Hammonds      | 1960-1962 |
| Mrs. Edward W. Conley    | 1962-1964 |
| Mrs. Mark F. Upson       | 1964-1966 |
| Mrs. Lorenzo L. Skaggs   | 1966-1968 |
| Mrs. Phillip W. Harrell  | 1968-1970 |
| Miss Lucy Alice Posey    | 1970-1972 |
| Mrs. Lorenzo L. Skaggs   | 1972-1974 |
| Mrs. Quincy W. Bynum     | 1974-1976 |
| Mrs. Edwin Brown         | 1976-1978 |
| Mrs. Hubert E. Menger    | 1978-1980 |

#### IV. BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES

##### 1. Organizing Regent

MRS. IRWIN L. BROWN (PAULINE S.), was a member of the Texas Society with State No. 63 and National No. 1933, early in 1915. At that time she resided in Austin, TX. She was appointed the Organizing Regent for a San Antonio Chapter by Texas Society President Mrs. J. E. Howze.

Pauline was born March 21, 1876 in Burton, TX. She was the daughter of James Early Brown and Margaret Ford Stone, who later moved to Austin, TX. Her grandparents were William Parrot Stone and Pauline Newton Ford. Pauline Ford's parents were James Ford, the War of 1812 ancestor and Annie Newton. James Ford was born in Fairfax County, VA, July 15 1778 and died in Bowlin County KY, September 30, 1858. He served as a private in Capt. Alexander Stuart's 3rd Regt. Kentucky Detached Militia, enrolled September 1, 1812.

Mrs. Pauline Brown was a very capable organizer. Her enthusiasm and leadership started the Captain Augustus Jones Chapter on a proud list of activities and support of the Texas Society.

##### 2. Honorary Texas Society Presidents from the Captain Augustus Jones Chapter

|                                          |           |
|------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. Henry R. Wofford                    | 1926-1928 |
| Mrs. J. D. Carnal (Mrs. J. N. Sanderson) | 1949-1950 |
| Mrs. Robert H. Parkinson                 | 1964-1966 |
| Mrs. Lorenzo L. Skaggs                   | 1976-1978 |

(Biographical Sketches of these four Honorary Texas Society Presidents may be seen in Part A, III, 1)

##### 3. Chapter members serving as National and/or Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812 Officers and Committee Members

Over the years 1922 to 1980 more than 60 Chapter members have served as Officers in the Texas Society, and numerous ladies have

served on State and National Society Committees. (See Part A, III, 2.)

#### 4. Captain Augustus Jones Chapter Real Daughters

Five Real Daughters are included on the Chapter Roster. Grave Marking Ceremonies, consisting of a Prayer, Memorial Service, and an ivy wreath from the Alamo centered by the Flag of 1812, and tied with the 1812 blue and gray ribbon have been conducted for most.

Mrs. Nettie Houston Bringhurst  
Daughter of General Sam Houston  
Grave Marked by Chapter

Miss Fannie George Jones, Columbus, TX.  
Daughter of Captain Augustus Jones  
Grave Marked by Chapter February 28, 1954

Mrs. J. D. (Pauline) Russell  
Daughter of Captain Augustus Jones  
Grave Marked May 30, 1942

Mrs. James Lightfoot Gulley (Sarah Eldridge)  
Daughter of Reverend Peter Eldridge  
Grave Marked October 18, 1952

Mrs. J. K. Harris (Lennie Eldridge)  
Daughter of Reverend Peter Eldridge

#### V. MEMORIAL MARKERS PLACED BY THE CHAPTER

Graves of 1812 soldiers marked with Official 1812 grave markers by the Chapter with impressive ceremony accompanying the unveiling of the markers are as follows:

Captain Augustus Jones, Columbus, TX.  
Marked by the Chapter on May 20, 1965  
Mrs. Mark Upson, Chapter President, and a group of Chapter members made a pilgrimage to Columbus, TX, to hold a Memorial Service and place a flower wreath upon the grave.

George Clover Brightman, Goliad, TX.  
Marked by the Chapter on September 8, 1935

Ben Milam  
Marked by the Chapter

Captain Thomas Applewhite, La Vernia, TX.  
Marked by the Chapter on October 8, 1939

General Nathaniel Smith  
Marked by the Chapter 1938-1939

John Green, 1812 Soldier of Georgia  
Grave marked by Mrs. Laurette Russell, a descendant

Major Charles Pierret, New Orleans, LA.  
Grave marked by Mrs. R. H. Fassett, a descendant

Reverend Peter Edlridge, Old Rock Church, Somerset, TX.  
Marked by the Chapter

Captain John Porter Blackburn  
Marked by the Chapter at Killeen, TX, June 4, 1923,  
being the first recorded Grave Marking in Texas

Hiram Allen  
Marked by Miss Nannie Williams in Alabama in 1930

Thomas East  
Marked by the Chapter, May 2, 1956 in George West, TX.

Chapter member Ruth Hutchins reports the marking of her War of 1812 ancestor's grave in Baton Rouge, LA on March 23, 1968, sponsored by Gen. Robert McCausland Chapter N.S.U.S.D. of 1812. Gen. Philomen Thomas was a native of Virginia, a Revolutionary War soldier, and statesman, serving as Legislator in Kentucky and later in Louisiana. He moved to Louisiana in 1805 and led the West Florida troops to take the Fort of Baton Rouge from the Spaniards. He commanded the 2nd Div. Louisiana General Militia in the War of 1812. He was a patriot and a good citizen.

The Augustus Jones Chapter placed Bronze Markers on graves of the following deceased members and Real Daughters:

Mrs. Nettie Houston Bringham, Real Daughter of General  
Sam Houston, Hero of Horse-Shoe Bend in War of 1812

Miss Fannie George Jones, Real Daughter, Columbus, TX.  
Grave Marked 1940-1941

Mrs. Sallie James Brickmiller, Real Daughter, Uvalde, TX.  
Grave marked May 30, 1941

Mrs. S. G. Miller, Mathis, TX.  
Died November 3, 1938 - Grave Marked May 30, 1941

Mrs. Paul Osterhout, Belton, TX.

Mrs. Ila Shaw Chadwick, San Antonio, TX.  
Died May 30, 1941 - Grave Marked May 30, 1942

Mrs. R. H. Fassett, San Antonio, TX.  
Grave marked May 30, 1942

Mrs. Pauline Jones Russell, Real Daughter of Captain Augustus Jones. Died September 15, 1941  
Grave marked May 30, 1942

Mrs. Sarah Jones Russell Burmeister, Uvalde, TX.  
Grave marked May 3, 1952

Mrs. Lennie Eldridge Harris, Real Daughter of Rev. Peter Eldridge. San Antonio, TX. Buried in Masonic Cemetery  
Grave marked May 3, 1952

Mrs. Leita Applewhite Small, San Antonio, TX.  
Grave marked May 3, 1952

Mrs. Sarah Eldridge Lightfoot Gulley, Real Daughter of Rev. Peter Eldridge. Uvalde, TX.  
Grave marked October 18, 1952

Mrs. Harry Hyman, Marshall, TX.

Mrs. E. H. Mooney  
Grave marked January 6, 1962

Mrs. R. E. Neighbors  
Grave marked December 7, 1962

Miss Laura Mussey  
Grave marked December 7, 1962

## VI. NARRATIVE HISTORY OF ACTIVITIES OF CAPTAIN AUGUSTUS JONES CHAPTER

The purposes of the Chapter reiterated the purposes of the Texas and the National Society; said purposes being to promote patriotism, to preserve and to increase knowledge of the American people by the preservation of documents and relics, the marking of historic spots, the recording of family history and traditions, the celebration of patriotic anniversaries, and especially emphasizing and teaching heroic deeds in the civil, military and naval life of those who molded this government of the United States and saved it from foes both within and without, between the close of the American Revolution and the close of the War of 1812; and to assist in the care and maintenance of our "Real Daughters" in every way that will add to their comfort and happiness. The intention of all Chapter plans and activity is the accomplishment of Chapter and National goals and furtherance of the work of the National Committees.

To promote patriotism, American History, especially of the 1812 period, has been stressed from the Chapter's beginning. Besides making use of the Reciprocity Bureau, the members have

written and read original papers at meetings and they have given talks on "1812 History" and current history. National Defense is stressed at each meeting. During the 1924-1932 Administration, yearly awards of five dollar gold pieces were given to the student of each high school making the best grade in American History, from 1932 on the Bronze Medals were substituted. Flag codes and copies of the George Washington Bi-Centennial song, entitled "Father of the Land We Love" were placed in public schools and the following Chapter Presidents presented flags: Mrs. John J. Grissom, President 1926-1928, gave an 1812 Flag to the Robert E. Lee School; Mrs. R. H. Fassett, President 1930-1932, presented a large 1812 Flag and stand to the Chapter; Mrs. R. H. Parkinson, President 1950-1952, presented the American Flag to a local school, and in 1961, Mrs. R. H. Parkinson presented the new fifty star flag to our Chapter.

To preserve and to increase knowledge of the American people by the preservation of documents and relics 1942-1944, Mrs. D. L. Freeman, President, presented a silver spoon which had belonged to the son of Mrs. Freeman's 1812 ancestor, to the National Museum, United States Daughters of 1812. During Mrs. R. G. Halter's term as President, 1948-1950, seven photostatic copies of valuable documents and genealogical records were sent to the State Chairman of Historical Records. The Chapter has carefully preserved a leather binder containing photostats, photographs, and articles of historic interest concerning Captain Augustus Jones, which were gathered and published by M. McAlexander of Salida, CO, great grandson of M. F. Jones, brother of Augustus. 1954-1956, when Mrs. A. M. Lyons was President, the Chapter presented the State President of 1812 a photostatic copy of the Signing of Texas as a State of the Union by President John Tyler, who in turn sent the copy to National Headquarters for preservation and historic interest.

Anxious to preserve historical landmarks, a Tree Marker was designed by Mrs. W. P. Coleman, Jr., President 1932-1934, for the marking of historic spots. Her design was accepted by the National Society as the National Tree Marker for 1812 on March 20, 1937. 1956-1958 President, Mrs. Alford Williams, the Chapter raised \$75.00 to pay Balch Brothers and West Company for a new mold for the Official 1812 National Tree Marker to replace the old one which was lost. 1934-1936, when Mrs. Ross S. Neighbors was President, a native oak tree was planted in the patio of the Alamo in memory of the Soldiers of 1812, who later helped win freedom for Texas. 1938-1940, during Mrs. John E. Wright's Presidency, a hickory tree was planted in the Alamo Plaza Park, honoring Mrs. W. P. Coleman, Jr., designer of the Tree Marker for the National Society. On December 7, 1957, the Chapter marked a tree in front of the Alamo in memory of David Crockett, using the beautiful new Tree Marker (the first one made from the new mold), which was unveiled by Mrs. Coleman's young grandson, Charles Coleman.

During the Centennial Celebration, Mrs. D. L. Freeman wanted to place a bronze county marker on the Court House of her native

Live Oak County. Since this County - not being named for an 1812 veteran did not qualify for the Official County Marker, Mrs. Freeman designed an 1812 Memorial Historic Land Mark, got it approved by the National Society, had it made and placed at George West, TX, the County Seat, financing it entirely by herself. It also honored Mrs. Freeman's mother, Mrs. Susan Frances East Miller and her grandfather, Thomas East, veteran of the Battle of New Orleans, buried in Live Oak County. On May 2, 1956, the first day of the County Centennial Celebration, Mrs. Freeman and a group of Chapter members, accompanied by Messrs. Coleman, Freeman, and Hammonds, proceeded to George West, where after the parade and luncheon, the handsome marker was unveiled and impressively dedicated by Mrs. Freeman, and accepted by Judge A. M. Edwards, with thanks and appreciation of Live Oak for the gift.

On August 24, 1956, an outstanding event of national importance involving Chapter participation, began with an invitation from the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce asking the members to attend the Commissioning of the USS Alamo. Mrs. Alford Williams, President, accompanied the Official San Antonio Delegation on the Navy Sky-master as the Navy's guest to attend the Ceremony at Pascagoula, Mississippi. Her presentation speech giving a 20 by 24 inch framed sepia photograph of De Young's painting of David Crockett in the Battle of the Alamo (a gift purchased by the Chapter) was carried over a National Radio Network. The USS Alamo's first port of call was at Galveston, TX, September 15th-17th, at which time a large group of our members were on hand and carried the Spirit of Texas and the U. S. Daughters of 1812 aboard.

Using the Menger Hotel as Headquarters, the Chapter has hosted the Annual State Council on the Following dates:

February 1937 - 34th Annual State Council, Mrs. R. E. Neighbors,  
President

1942 - 39th Annual State Council, Mrs. Henry R.  
Wofford, President

1947 - 47th Annual State Council - Mrs. Robert H.  
Parkinson, President. The Captain Augustus  
Jones Chapter was the first Organization to  
use the recently restored Little Church of La  
Villita holding the first service held there  
in 100 years. Mrs. McConnell, the honored  
guest, was the first National President to  
attend a State Council in Texas.

16-17, 1958 - 55th Annual State Council, Mrs. Alford  
Williams, President  
Mrs. Earle D. Behrends State President, presiding  
Mrs. Robert H. Parkinson, General Chairman

March 4-5, 1970 - 67th Annual State Council, Mrs. Phillip W. Harrell, President  
Mrs. Mark L. Upson, General Chairman  
Tea honoring Mrs. Behrends held at the Women's Pavilion at Hemisfair

1977 - 74th Annual State Council, Mrs. Lorenzo L. Skaggs, President  
50th Anniversary of Captain Augustus Jones Chapter. Entertained Mrs. Earl Leonard Whitaker, President National, with a lovely tea in the beautiful home of Mrs. Walter Gray Davis (Mrs. Carl Gildemeister.)

Throughout the years, the Chapter has provided for Veteran's Rehabilitation with cookies, stamps, knitted lap robes, scrapbooks, entertainment and money, not to overlook the many visits made by the Chairman, her committee and oftentime Chapter members. In 1953, Mrs. W. P. Coleman gave fifty volunteer hours at Lackland Hospital, painting portraits of the casualties in their hospital beds. The portraits were given to the boys, who sent them to wives, mothers, or sweethearts. Books, periodicals and paperbacks are, also, taken to the hospital.

A Chapter donation is divided between committees requesting money. Clothing is sent to the Schools and paperbacks to the American Merchant Marine Library Association. Donations are given by individual members.

Graves of two 1812 soldiers were located in 1979 during Mrs. Hubert E. Menger's term as President, namely: Private Silas Witt, buried at Old Perry Cemetery, Moody, TX, McLennan County. Ancestor of Mrs. James N. Gallemore and Mrs. Raymond Bostick.

Joseph Phillips, buried at Union Methodist Church Cemetery, Wellington, AL, Calhoun County. Mrs. Raymond Bostick's husband's grandfather.

Two flush type markers have been ordered and will be placed in June 1979 by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bostick and Mrs. James N. Gellemore. Mrs. Gellemore is a member and Mrs. Bostick has asked to be reinstated.

In 1979 Leta Baughn, State Membership Chairman, and our Club's Corresponding Secretary has offered \$100.00 statewide to the 1st Texas Chapter obtaining 30 new members. We, the members of the Captain Augustus Jones Chapter Daughters of 1812, like our intrepid ancestors, rise to the challenge. Our Club won a \$10.00 award for gaining the most members, seven in all, in earlier years. So! Why not repeat our earlier triumph?

## CAPTAIN JAMES ASBURY TAIT CHAPTER

### I. FORMATION OF CHAPTER

On May 31, 1922, Mrs. James J. Quinn organized the Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter, United States Daughters of 1812, in her home, 2617 San Jacinto, Houston, TX. The Chapter with its name honors the memory of an ancestor of Mrs. Wells Thompson and Mrs. Sam L. Green, Charter Members, who have the patriot's commission in the War of 1812 framed and hanging on a wall in their home. Two other Charter Members, Mrs. P. R. Cruse and Mrs. T. T. Player, are also descendants of this illustrious ancestor.

Captain James Asbury Tait's son, Dr. Charles Tait, became one of Texas' distinguished pioneers, not alone in the military service he gave, but also in the services he rendered in the establishing of Baylor University, one of the State's oldest and most noted institutions of learning.

The first Officers of the Chapter were:

President - Mrs. J. J. Quinn  
Vice-President - Mrs. Wells Thompson  
Recording Secretary - Mrs. Eugene Truett Harris  
Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. Ben Talbot  
Registrar - Mrs. George Beriet  
Treasurer - Mrs. Roy T. Walker  
Parliamentarian - Mrs. Henry Grady Harrison

### II. CHARTER MEMBERS OF CAPTAIN JAMES ASBURY TAIT CHAPTER

|                           |                             |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Mrs. Mary Hunt Affleck    | Mrs. Z. J. Henderson        |
| Mrs. J. B. Aguilo         | Miss Pauline Higdon         |
| Mrs. B. T. Atkerson       | Mrs. George Osborn          |
| Mrs. Robert Baldwin       | Mrs. T. T. Player           |
| Mrs. George Beriet        | Mrs. James J. Quinn         |
| Mrs. Edward C. Brock      | Miss Roselie Reed           |
| Mrs. P. R. Cruse          | Miss (Dr.) Samuella Spiller |
| Mrs. John T. Garrison     | Mrs. Ira D. Sykes           |
| Mrs. Sam L. Green         | Mrs. Ben Talbot             |
| Mrs. Eugene Truett Harris | Mrs. Wells Thompson         |
| Mrs. Henry Grady Harrison | Mrs. Roy T. Walker          |

### III. LIST OF CHAPTER PRESIDENTS AND YEARS SERVED

|                     |           |
|---------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. J. J. Quinn *  | 1922-1924 |
| Mrs. B. A. Talbot * | 1924-1926 |
| Mrs. Ira D. Sykes   | 1926-1927 |
| Mrs. E. C. Brock    | 1927-1929 |
| Mrs. R. L. Newton*  | 1929-1930 |
| Mrs. P. S. Tilson*  | 1930-1932 |

|                             |           |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. E. J. Cherault*        | 1932-1933 |
| Mrs. A. S. Foote            | 1933-1934 |
| Mrs. I. B. McFarland*       | 1934-1936 |
| Mrs. Ira D. Sykes           | 1936-1938 |
| Mrs. D. H. Smith*           | 1938-1940 |
| Mrs. R. B. Browder*         | 1940-1942 |
| Mrs. O. F. Carroll          | 1942-1943 |
| Mrs. B. A. Talbot*          | 1943-1946 |
| Mrs. M. A. Bridges          | 1946-1948 |
| Mrs. I. B. McFarland*       | 1948-1949 |
| Mrs. Karl A. Martin         | 1949-1950 |
| Mrs. O. F. Carroll          | 1950-1951 |
| Mrs. C. L. Farquharson*     | 1951-1953 |
| Mrs. Walter T. Lewis        | 1953-1955 |
| Mrs. Frank R. Smith*        | 1955-1956 |
| Mrs. J. A. Newsome          | 1956-1958 |
| Mrs. Eugene T. Harris, Sr.  | 1958-1959 |
| Mrs. I. B. McFarland*       | 1959-1960 |
| Mrs. Loretta G. Thomas*     | 1960-1962 |
| Mrs. J. A. Newsome          | 1962-1964 |
| Mrs. Ira D. Sykes           | 1964-1966 |
| Mrs. John C. Williams       | 1966-1968 |
| Mrs. Grady Kirby            | 1968-1970 |
| Mrs. John C. Williams       | 1970-1972 |
| Mrs. Grady Kirby            | 1972-1974 |
| Mrs. Charles H. Fay         | 1974-1976 |
| Mrs. Mary S. Bock           | 1976-1978 |
| Mrs. F. Nadyne Barrow Bowen | 1978-1980 |

#### IV. BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES

1. Organizing President of Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter,  
Mrs. James J. Quinn (See Part A, III, 1)
2. Honorary Texas Society Presidents from Chapter

|                             |                |
|-----------------------------|----------------|
| Mrs. James J. Quinn*        | June 1924-1926 |
| Mrs. P. S. Tilson*          | June 1932-1934 |
| Mrs. Ira D. Sykes           | June 1938-1940 |
| Mrs. Ike Barton McFarland * | June 1944-1946 |
| Mrs. Ben A. Talbot*         | June 1950-1952 |
| Mrs. C. L. Farquharson *    | June 1958-1960 |
| Mrs. Loretta Thomas*        | June 1962-1964 |
| Mrs. Grady Kirby            | June 1970-1972 |
| Mrs. Charles H. Fay         | June 1978-1980 |

(See Biographies of these women in Part A, III, 1)

\*Deceased

REGINA HIGDON SYKES (MRS. IRA D. SYKES)

The Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter wishes to expecially honor Mrs. Ira D. Sykes, a Charter Member and three Times President of the Chapter. She served as State Society President in 1938-1940.

Regina Higdon Sykes was born July 12, 1888, in Llano, TX, the third daughter in a family of six girls of Lyde Davis and William Posey Higdon. The father was a graduate of the Boston School of Pharmacy while the mother, having been educated at the Sam Houston Normal College in Huntsville, TX, was an early school teacher.

Mrs. Sykes' grandfather, Captain John W. Davis, came to Texas from Kentucky in 1853. He had graduated with a law degree from Center College. Captain Davis was active in the State Legislature; and, even though he had come to Texas with many slaves, he spoke against secession. Nevertheless, he served for four years in the War between the States.

After the Higdon family moved to Dallas, Regina Higdon taught for three years in the Dallas City Schools. In 1911 she made a summer trip to Colorado Springs and was the first woman to climb Pikes Peak in Colorado, making the round trip the same day. In 1912 Regina Higdon married Ira D. Sykes, an accountant and auditor in Dallas; and they moved to Kingsville, TX, where their first child, Lyde Gene, was born on April 1, 1915. Lyde Gene was the first child born in the new Kleberg County Hospital.

Mrs. Sykes joined the Woman's Club in Kingsville and organized the Sidney Lanier Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, in addition to being involved in many phases of war work during World War I. In 1917 the Sykes family moved to Houston and soon afterwards their second child, Ira D. Sykes, Jr., was born on November 17, 1919.

In Houston, Mrs. Sykes was a member of the Woman's Club and served as President in 1932-1934. She was the President of the Fourth District of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs and became State Secretary. In 1938 she was President of the City Federation of Women's Club, and she helped to organize the Pan American Round Table.

Mrs. Sykes served on several Committees of the Houston Chamber of Commerce and the Houston Symphony and the Museum of Fine Arts. She led several Chamber of Commerce excursions to

many different parts of Texas to acquaint Texans with the Annual Houston Fat Stock Shows. A member of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, for 54 years, she twice served as Regent of the Lady Washington Chapter. In 1940 she organized the Ann Poage Chapter, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, in Houston. The Chapter was named for her ancestor, Ann Poage, a woman of such distinguished service during the American Revolution that a Chapter could be named for her rather than for a male patriot. This Daughters of the American Revolution Chapter was organized especially for professionally trained women who worked outside the home and was the first Chapter to meet on Saturdays. She organized it just in time to guide it through extensive volunteer work during World War II.

Other memberships include the Daughters of the American Colonists; the National Society, Daughters of the Founders and Patriots of America; the Colonial Dames of America; and the National Huguenot Society - in addition to the United Daughters of the Confederacy to which she belonged for over sixty years.

For two years, 1927-1929, Mr. Sykes was sent as a CPA to Austin, to be Auditor for the State Highway Commission. During this time Mrs. Sykes took advantage of the educational opportunities offered by the University of Texas to work on her degree. Mature students at that time were most unusual, and many stumbling blocks had to be overcome for her to pursue her studies. Her academic standing for both years was summa cum laude.

Mrs. Sykes' Christian leadership and influence were felt in every activity of her beloved church, the South Main Baptist Church of Houston. She taught at many levels in the Sunday School, and for 45 years she devoted herself to teaching a large, well attended class for adult women.

Mrs. Sykes began her strong Democratic political involvement with her appointment as County Chairman for Women during the several campaigns of Franklin D. Roosevelt. She organized the Democratic Women's Club and served as its first President. She helped with the campaigns of Albert Thomas, U. S. Representative from Harris County until his death, and Lyndon B. Johnson, when he was seeking the nomination for the United States Presidency. She ran for the Texas Legislature from Harris County, coming in third in a slate of seven.

Mrs. Sykes reached her 91st birthday in 1979, and now resides with her daughter, Mrs. C. Robert Paul, Jr., and her family in Colorado Springs, Colorado. She is a true inspiration to all who know her, including her three grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

3. Chapter members serving as Texas Society and/or National Officers and Committee Members

STATE OFFICERS

(See list Texas Society Officers Part A, III, 2)

NATIONAL OFFICERS

|                              |           |
|------------------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. P. S. Tilson            |           |
| 4th Vice-President National  |           |
| 2nd Vice-President National  | 1943-1946 |
| Curator National             | 1937-1938 |
| Mrs. Ike Barton McFarland    |           |
| Recording Secretary National | 1943-1946 |
| Mrs. Loretta Grim Thomas     |           |
| 4th Vice-President National  | 1967-1970 |
| Mrs. Grady Kirby             |           |
| Assistant Curator National   | 1972-1975 |

(See Biographical Sketches Part A, III, 1)

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Many members have served as Chairmen National and on National Committees

4. Real Daughters and Real Granddaughters of Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter

REAL DAUGHTERS

MRS. JOSEPH BRUCKMULLER (NEE SALLIE C. JONES), joined the Texas Society in 1932 with State No. 511 and National No. 10,790. Ancestor - Captain Randall Jones, of Mississippi. He was born in Georgia in 1786 and died in Texas in 1873. He married Mary Andrus. Captain Jones served in Mississippi Territory Militia in the War of 1812.

MRS. JOHN HALL WISE (NEE VIRGINIA ARCHER), joined the Texas Society in 1926 with State No. 329 and National No. 7281. Ancestor - Richard Henry Archer of Virginia. He married Judith Ann Proudfit. He served as Private and Cpl. in the Virginia Riflemen.

MRS. ANDREW COCHRAN ZUMWALT (NEE MALZENA ANN GREGORY) with State No. 327 and National No. 7279. She was the Daughter of Umbelton S. Gregory of Fairfax County, VA. and his second wife Amanda Malvina Crooks. Her ancestor,

Umbelton Gregory was born in Virginia in 1798 and died in Texas in 1864. He served as Private in the 5th Regt. VA Militia. Mrs. Zumwalt died January 23, 1943.

MRS. JAMES W. MAHON (NEE PHYNETTA GREGORY). Ancestor - Umbelton Gregory. She was sister to Mrs. Andrew Cochran Zumwalt.

MRS. JOHN C. ABERCROMBIE (NEE JANE MINERVA SIMS), was the daughter of Col. John Sims of South Carolina. He died in Texas in 1867. His wife was Mahala Mackay. He served in the SC Militia in the War of 1812.

#### REAL GRANDDAUGHTERS

MRS. ROBERT LEROY NEWTON (ANNIE BRADFORD), joined the Texas Society April 16, 1925 with State No. 349 and National No. 7663. She was the granddaughter of Daniel Morgan Bradford (1793-1869) Huntsville, AL, who served as Captain in West Tennessee Militia in War of 1812. Annie was born in Huntsville, AL, the daughter of Henry Clay Bradford and Anna Watkins.

MRS. DANIEL HOUSTON SMITH (SUSAN MIMS), joined the Texas Society, March 23, 1931 with State No. 486 and National No. 10,342. She was the granddaughter of William McPherson of Fayetteville AL, enlisted in Albany, NY. He served in New York Militia under Capt. Buckley. Susan was born Feb. 18, 1879 in Fayetteville AL, the daughter of James Mallard Mims and Roxannah Margaret McPherson. Susan died August 18, 1869.

MRS. JENNIE MORROW DECKER (JENNIE BELLE MORROW), joined the Texas Society in 1955 with State No. 816 and National No. 16,181. Jennie was born March 2, 1871 in Georgetown, TX, the daughter of Capt. Joseph Clay Stiles Morrow and Nannie Elizabeth Houston. Her grandfather, General Sam Houston, served as Pvt., Sgt., Ensign, 3rd Lt., and 2nd Lt. in the 7th VA. Inf. and 1st Inf. from August 24, 1813 to March 1818. He was Commander-in-Chief of the Texas Army in 1836, First President of the Republic of Texas in 1836, U. S. Senator 1846-1859, Governor of Texas 1859-1861.

#### V. MEMORIAL MARKERS PLACED BY CAPTAIN JAMES ASBURY TAIT CHAPTER

March 1926 - Our Chapter marked the grave of Umbelton Gregory at Fayetteville, TX. He was a close friend of General Jackson, and was with him at New Orleans. Umbelton Gregory was the father of two of Tait Chapter's Real Daughters: Mrs. Andrew Cochran Zumwalt and Mrs. James N. Mahon, both of Columbus, TX.

May 1930 - Our Chapter unveiled the official marker honoring the memory of its Real Daughter, Mrs. Virginia Archer (John Hall) Wise, and her father, Richard Henry Archer, who fought with Gen. Jackson at the Battle of New Orleans. Mrs. Wise died in 1929.

December 1930 - Our Chapter has given \$20.00 to place a tree and marker on Memorial Drive in Houston, honoring the memory of Lt. Ephriam Bollinger, who is a great-uncle of two of our members, Mrs. A. L. Pankey and Mrs. Lula Rambaud.

June 1931 - Mrs. Henry E. Maddox, Tait Chapter member, told of the dedication of a grave marker to her ancestor, Malachi Saunders, at Ranah Cemetery near Gordon, GA.

May 29, 1933 - Marker placed at grave of Capt. Randall Jones in Austin, TX. Capt. Jones is the father of our Real Daughter, Mrs. Joseph Bruckmuller, nee Sallie Jones.

March 1934 - Our Chapter placed a soldier's Grave Marker on the grave of Capt. William Fairfax Gray in Glenwood Cemetery, Houston, TX. Captain Gray was born in Fairfax County, VA November 3, 1787, son of William and Catherine Gray. In 1811 he was Commissioned a Captain in the 16th Regt. Virginia Militia and served throughout the War of 1812. In 1821 he was made a Lt. Col. and was known as Col. Gray throughout his life. He attended the Texas Constitutional Convention at Washington-on-the-Brazos in 1836. He moved his family to Texas in 1837 and settled in Houston. He served in various governmental offices in Texas, as District Attorney, Clerk of Texas Supreme Court. He died in Houston April 16, 1841 and was buried in the Old City Cemetery, now Founders Memorial Park. In 1872 his remains were removed to Glenwood Cemetery.

July 9, 1936 - During the visit to Texas of the President National, Mrs. John Francis Weinmann of Little Rock, AR, she dedicated a pecan tree and bronze marker to the Soldiers of the War of 1812 who fought for the Independence of Texas in 1836. The tree and the marker were the gifts of the Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter of Houston. The tree came from General Sam Houston's old home in Huntsville, TX. The ceremonies took place at San Jacinto Battlefield.

September 17, 1938 - A hickory tree was dedicated at San Jacinto Battlefield by Tait Chapter in honor of the Veterans of the War of 1812 who fought for Texas' Independence. Mrs. D. H. Smith, Chapter President, presided at the ceremonies.

1939 - An 1812 Marker was placed at the grave of Samuel Clifford Brooks at Willis, Texas.

November 9, 1939 - Our Chapter dedicated a marker to General Nathaniel Smith, patriot of the War of 1812, and ancestor of Miss Mary Kate Hunter, a Chapter member.

March 31, 1940 - An 1812 Marker was placed at the grave of Mrs. Sallie Jones (Joseph) Bruckmuller, a Real Daughter, who died March 4, 1938.

March 2, 1944 - A visit to the home of the late Mrs. Andrew Cochran Zumwalt and the planting of a Lombardy cedar at her grave took place.

October 1951 - A lay marker was placed at the grave of Mrs. Phineas S. Tilson.

1954 - The grave of Mrs. James N. Mahon at Columbus, TX, was marked. Mrs. Mahon was a Real Daughter.

January 26, 1961 - Mrs. John C. Williams, Tait Chapter Member, presented a portrait of Col. John Sims, her great-grandfather, to the Masonic Lodge at New Waverly, TX. Col. Sims was a South Carolinian, raised near the home of Andrew Jackson. He fought in the War of 1812, the Mexican War, and, despite his advanced age, the War Between the States. He died in New Waverly in 1868, age 78.

February 17, 1969 - Our Chapter placed 1812 markers at the graves of two Real Daughters of veterans of the War of 1812: Mrs. Margaret Houston (William L.) Williams, daughter of Gen Sam Houston, and Mrs. Jane Minerva Sims (John S.) Abercrombie, daughter of Col. John Sims, founder of the John Sims Lodge, AF&AM of New Waverly. Col. Sims was born in South Carolina and died in Texas in 1867. His wife was Mahala Mackay. Their daughter, Jane Minerva, married John C. Abercrombie. Their daughter, Mahala C., married Joseph Benson Cottrell. Col. Sims served as Colonel of a South Carolina Militia Regiment in the War of 1812. Descendants of both veterans are members of Tait Chapter. Mrs. Jennie Morrow Decker is granddaughter of Gen. Sam Houston, and Mrs. E. A. Everitt his great-granddaughter; Mrs. John C. Williams is great-granddaughter of Col. Sims. Mrs. Margaret Houston Williams and Mrs. Jane Minerva Sims Abercrombie are both buried at Glenwood Cemetery, Houston.

July 15, 1970 - Tait Chapter placed an 1812 marker at the grave of Mrs. Nancy Elizabeth Houston Morrow, oldest daughter of Gen. Sam Houston. She died on May 19, 1920, and is buried at the Odd Fellows Cemetery, Georgetown, TX.

May 30, 1972 - Our Chapter placed an 1812 marker at the grave of Sgt. James Taylor White, Sr. near Anahuac, TX, at the James Taylor White, Sr. Family Cemetery.

June 26, 1976 - 1812 markers dedicated to Pvt. Hezekiah Williams of the 15th Regt. and to Pvt. Samuel Barber of the 16th Regt., Second Brigade, Louisiana General Militia of the War of 1812, were unveiled in marking ceremonies at the Barber-Williams Cemetery in Mont Belvieu, TX. Mrs. Floyd Williams of the Captain

James Asbury Tait Chapter, and Mrs. Sam G. Cook of the Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter each gave the history and service of their ancestors, respectively, and directed the unveiling of the 1812 Markers.

November 10, 1977 - Tait Chapter joined with Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812 Board, to dedicate a marker to Jennie Belle Morrow (Mrs. David Evan Decker). She was a real Granddaughter, and is buried in the Odd Fellows Cemetery in Georgetown, TX.

May 25, 1979 - Mrs. Louise C. Holubec of Tait Chapter marked the grave of her 1812 ancestor, Nimrod Funk, at Diamond Grove Cemetery, Jacksonville, IL. Pvt. Funk was born in 1794 in Virginia and died 1879 in Illinois. His wife was Evey Leib. He served in Capt. Allen S. Bacon's Co. under Col. Bunch, and fought in the Battle of Horse Shoe Bend.

#### VI. NARRATIVE HISTORY OF THE CAPTAIN JAMES ASBURY TAIT CHAPTER

The proud inspiration for the beginning of our Chapter was reported in the News-Letter, Vol. 4, No. 5, November 1924 -

"Before a crowd of possibly 100 people, most of them descendants of Captain James Asbury Tait, the Daughters of 1812 of Alabama unveiled a marker in the Lower Plantation Cemetery of the Tait family in Wilcox County. Judge Charles Tait, and his son, James Asbury Tait, were early pioneer developers of lower Wilcox County. Capt. James Tait was a soldier in the Indian War of 1813 and a Captain in the volunteer army service at New Orleans. Capt. Tait came into the Alabama Territory two or three years earlier than his father, and was so enthusiastic over the new country that he persuaded the latter to settle there. Mrs. Sanford McMurphy, a former National Officer of the Daughters of 1812, placed the marker. Mrs. Lottie V. Tait Beck presided and directed the program. Mr. Peter A. Brannon of the Department of Archives and History made the address."

Immediately following Mrs. Quinn's two years as President of the Chapter, she was elected State President for 1924-1926. Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter was hostess in 1926 to the State Council which was held in the home of Mrs. Cara Bryan Chapman and Miss Johnelle Bryan, with Mrs. Ben A. Talbot presiding.

Ever in pursuit of accomplishment of the objectives for which N.S.U.S.D. of 1812, and hence the Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter were organized, we have sponsored and participated in innumerable projects to meet these objectives.

One very significant contribution toward the realization of desired goals was the untiring effort which our Chapter's membership lent to patriotic activities during World War II - such

activities as Red Cross sewing at home and in centers; War Bond sales for which the Chapter received a Certificate of commendation; American Women's Volunteer Services; Scrap and Paper Drives; home canning; conservation of fats for the Government; Victory gardening; and knitting and sewing in groups. In 1943 Mrs. I. B. McFarland was Supervisor of "Victory Gardens" for Harris County and Houston. In that same year, the Chapter laid claim to a member who was a WAVE - Ensign Lyde Jene Sykes, daughter of Mrs. Ira D. Sykes, a Charter Member and Honorary State President. Ensign Sykes, a Smith College graduate, was at that time stationed in New York City working on "secret military matters".

In 1944, complying with a request from a Chaplain at Camp Hood, Chapter members collected books for the soldiers in the detention center there. Also, books and magazines were donated to U.S.O. Centers and to the Merchant Marine Library, and to Liberty Ships leaving the Port of Houston.

The Chapter adopted an interesting activity in 1944 - the Graduate Station of the War Shipping Administration of the U. S. Maritime Service. These were the boys in the Navy who went out to sea in Merchant Marine ships and manned the guns on those vessels - a most perilous service, as on the cargo ships the Navy personnel is small and the crew is not large. Tait Chapter's President, Mrs. B. A. Talbot, and the State President, Mrs. I. B. McFarland, were the first to take ice cream and cake to the boys one afternoon, and each week thereafter was marked with some such special courtesy. A few days before Christmas, 1944, the Chapter gave the boys a "jolly" Christmas party complete with tree and elaborate refreshments. U. S. Navy Officers in charge of this operation were very appreciative and complimentary of our efforts.

The Chapter joined in a huge Fourth of July program in 1944 sponsored by Sons of the American Revolution at which Captain Eddie Rickenbacker was the principal speaker. Thousands attended this inspiring meeting at Miller Memorial Theatre (outdoor) in Hermann Park.

During 1944 and 1945 our Chapter President, Mrs. B. A. Talbot, was on the Bond Drive Speakers Bureau.

The tradition of caring and doing for the welfare of our servicemen did not end with the cessation of active warfare. At the beginning of each two-year administration the Chapter President appoints a Veteran's Rehabilitation Committee which delivers to the Veterans Administration Hospital in Houston several times each year a generous supply of paperback books, magazines, playing cards, shaving cream, tooth paste and brushes, combs, etc., as well as many dozens of cookies for the pleasure and comfort of the veterans. In 1978 a cash donation was made to the Hospital toward funding a Christmas party for the patients.

Many years ago we adopted a dual purpose program to both beautify the local and surrounding communities, and to memorialize servicemen and some of their descendants by planting and marking of trees and shrubs. In 1930, \$20.00 was donated to place a tree and marker on Memorial Drive honoring the memory of Lt. Ephriam Bollinger, a great-uncle of two Chapter members, Mrs. A. L. Pankey and Mrs. Lula Rambaud.

In 1932, three magnolia trees were planted on Buffalo Drive in Houston, two by the Captain James Asbury Tait Chapter. One of the trees was planted in honor of Mrs. J. J. Quinn, founder of the Chapter, and charter member, and the other honored Mrs. P. S. Tilson, State President. The third tree planted was given by Mrs. Tilson honoring U. S. Daughters in Texas.

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In March 1945, in support of Texas' Roadside Development Program, we cooperated in planting a tree or a shrub in honor of each son or daughter of our members who were serving in the armed forces.

In addition to the above outlined program, the Chapter has placed numerous markers at the graves of members' ancestors who fought in the War of 1812, as well as at the graves of all four of our Real Daughters. On the 10th of November 1977, we joined with the State Board of the Daughters of 1812 in dedicating a marker to the memory of Mrs. Jennie Belle Morrow (David Evan) Decker, a Real Granddaughter of General Sam Houston and his wife, Margaret Lea Houston, and a daughter of Mrs. Nancy Elizabeth Houston (J. C. S.) Morrow. Mrs. Decker was a member of Tait Chapter and died in Houston on March 16, 1977, at age of 106. She is buried in the Odd Fellows Cemetery in Georgetown, TX. During her lifetime Mrs. Decker endeared herself greatly, not only to the Daughters of 1812, but to the many other patriotic organizations in which she participated, as well as to the City of Houston and the State of Texas.

Her birthdays were always marked by lovely parties attended by many dignitaries, and her host of friends throughout the years reminded her of their affection with their visits and notes of good wishes.

In February 1969, the State Council of the Daughters of 1812 was hosted by Tait Chapter in Houston, with Mrs. Cecil T. Hays, President National, attending. During the Council Meeting the Chapter sponsored the marking of graves of two Real Daughters of 1812 veterans, Mrs. Margaret Houston (William L.) Williams, daughter of General Sam Houston, and Mrs. Jane Minerva Sims (John S.) Abercrombie, daughter of Colonel John Sims.

Once during each two-year administration the Chapter has hosted a reception for new citizens following Naturalization Court proceedings at the Federal Building in Houston. Cookies, Cakes, sweet rolls and doughnuts, along with coffee, tea, and soft drinks, have been served to the new citizens at each such reception. All refreshments left over from the receptions have been delivered to the Veterans Administration Hospital for the enjoyment of the patients there.

One of the highlights of each year since the Chapter's inception has been the sponsoring of an essay contest on the subject of the War of 1812 among students of a selected school. The winner of the contest is presented with an 1812 History Award. This program has stimulated a keen interest among students in the history of the War of 1812, and competition has run high. The enthusiasm and response shown in the annual contests have been most rewarding to the Chapter, as well as to the participating students.

Programs for each Chapter meeting, with invited speakers, are carefully planned, with particular stress on subjects relevant to the War of 1812 period. The second meeting of each fiscal year is devoted to a Navy Day Program, and many of the speakers have been Officers from the Naval ROTC Unit at Rice University. The speaker usually presents a program including slides showing the military capabilities of the United States in missiles and air and sea craft, compared to the capabilities of other nations, particularly those who might be considered unfriendly or hostile toward the United States. At our meeting in January of each year we celebrate the Victory at the Battle of New Orleans, and an appropriate program is presented.

An account of some of the other events worthy of special mention which have taken place over the lifetime of the Chapter follow:

In early 1928 three boxes of clothing were sent to the Carcassonne Community Center in Kentucky. In February 1928 the Chapter hosted a bridge party to raise money for the Wakefield Memorial Fund for restoring the home of George Washington in England.

On April 28, 1941, Mrs. A. C. Zumwalt, one of our Real Daughters celebrated her 100th birthday. The Texas Legislature sent a memorial congratulating her.

In 1942 Miss Porter Carson, granddaughter of General Enoch Carson of Louisiana (served under General Jackson), presented Tait Chapter with two epaulettes and a scarf which General Carson wore on his 1812 uniform.

During 1945-1946, year books were given to the Houston Public Library honoring our organizer and founder, Mrs. J. J. Quinn, and \$60.00 was sent to five Mountain Schools honoring Chapter President, Mrs. B. A. Talbot.

In 1947, Tait raised funds to help furnish housing to visiting families of disabled veterans at the Houston Veterans' Hospital. The Chapter mourned the death of Mrs. P. S. Tilson on Dec. 5, 1947. Mrs. Tilson had held two National Offices, as mentioned earlier in this History.

In 1948 Tait Chapter donated funds to be applied toward bringing the BATTLESHIP TEXAS to her permanent berth in Houston. Also, the Chapter worked to support the fight against the Polio Epidemic. The Chapter hosted the State Council in March of 1948.

In 1952 the Chapter sponsored a History Essay Contest among Seniors at Sam Houston State Teachers' College in Huntsville, TX. The winner of the contest, which was conducted in honor of Mrs. B. A. Talbot, was awarded a prize of \$50.00

In 1953 the Chapter made donations of history books to the Foundren Library at Rice University, the Houston Public Library, the Fort Bend County Library and the American Merchant Marine Library. Also during that year members did 500 hours of volunteer hospital work.

In 1958 the Chapter President, Mrs. Eugene Truett Harris, visited the Old Stone Church of St. Michael located in Princeton, near Dartmoor Prison, County Devon, England, to view the 1812 Memorial Window, a gift of the National Society U.S. Daughters of 1812 memorializing American prisoners of war detained there between 1813 and 1816.

Mrs. Harris also reported two Tait Chapter grave markings:

1. The grave of its Organizing President, Mrs. J. J. Quinn in Arkansas. (Her 1812 ancestor, George Washington Sorrells is buried in Waldron, AR and this marking may have been for his grave.)
2. The grave of John Sleet Major, Pvt. in Kentucky Militia, near Kearney. MO.

During 1960 a 49-Star Flag was presented to Davis Elementary School. In 1961 the Chapter sent boxes of clothing to the Caney Creek School, and preented 2-50-Star Flags to Boy Scout Troops.

The Chapter was saddened by the death of Mrs. I. B. McFarland on January 7, 1962. Mrs. McFarland was considered an expert in Texas History, and much of her research work is on file in the Texas State Library in Austin and at the Sam Houston State University Library in Huntsville.

Also in 1962, copies of marriage records of Galveston County were prepared and bound by the Chapter for the Houston Public Library, the 1812 Memorial Library and the Texas State Library. In that same year, Tait Chapter presented a book entitled "Trees, Shrubs and Woody Vines of the Southwest", authored by Robert A. Vines, to the Sam Houston State Teachers' College Library honoring the memory of Mrs. I. B. McFarland.

During 1963 an antique French armchair with its original Aubusson tapestry covering, and an antique mahogany library table with matching bench were presented to the Sam Houston Shrine in Huntsville by Chapter members.

The death of Mrs. C. L. Farquharson, a former Daughters of 1812 State President and a member of Tait Chapter, was greatly mourned in September of 1964. Mrs. Farquharson was a former opera singer, and a noted speaker for patriotic organizations. Two books were given to the Texas State Library in her honor.

There are many illustrious families represented through the membership of Tait Chapter, and the Chapter is proud to possess a gavel made from a tree which shades the grave of Captain James Asbury Tait.

Tait Chapter continues to grow - it is one of the largest Chapters in Texas. Its members work hard to preserve and increase knowledge of the history of the American people by the preservation of documents and relics, marking of historic spots, recording family histories and traditions, celebrating patriotic anniversaries, teaching of heroic deeds in civil, military and naval life of those who molded the government of the United States of America. In general to promote PATRIOTISM.

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DELAYED REPORT: Mrs. H. A. Brewer (Ann Lucille Nye) reports an Historical Marker at Florence in Northern Alabama honoring her Great-great-grandfather, General John Coffee. It reads as follows:

"GENERAL JOHN COFFEE  
Cavalry Commander under Andrew Jackson  
Throughout the War of 1812  
Negotiated many Treaties Ceding  
Indian Lands to the U.S.  
Made Original Surveys of Tennessee Valley"

## LT. SILAS ALEXANDER CHAPTER

### I. FORMATION OF CHAPTER

Moved by a patriotic impulse and by the fact that East Texas had no Chapter of the Daughters of 1812, a small group of representative women from surrounding towns met at the beautiful home of Mrs. Earle Mayfield September 17, 1941 for the purpose of establishing such a Chapter, this being the 154th Anniversary of the signing of the Constitution and the 166 year of American independence.

It was their desire to promote patriotism, to increase their knowledge of history especially of the important developments during the period of 1812. To preserve the records of our forefathers who helped establish and maintain liberty and freedom for our country and to preserve family history and tradition, our Charter Members formed this Chapter.

Officers elected at this meeting were:

President - Mrs. Earle Mayfield  
Vice-President - Mrs. Burnet Price  
Chaplain - Mrs. W. R. Bishop  
Historian - Mrs. Richard B. Levy  
Secretary - Mrs. B. R. Hayslip  
Treasurer - Mrs. John Hughes  
Registrar - Mrs. Earle Mayfield  
Flag Bearer - Miss Alice Wadlington  
Parliamentarian - Mrs. John Blythe Mayfield

At the time of organization Mrs. W. A. Quebedeaux was State President. Mrs. W. N. Crestman of Dallas, State Historian, was an honored guest at this meeting. It was reported in the minutes that the gavel used for this meeting was made from a piece of the historic "Old Ironsides".

The Chapter was named for Mrs. Earle Mayfield's great grandfather, Lt. Silas Alexander. Lt. Alexander was born in Maury County, TN. in 1796 and died in Smith County in 1868. His will is recorded in the Smith County Court House as of March 1868 and this writer has found and read the will which is in perfect condition. Lt. Alexander is buried in the Chapel Hill Cemetery about ten miles east of Tyler. He served in the War of 1812, first as a Private soldier and later as a 3rd Lt. Often the Chapter boasted of being the proud possessor of two wonderful flags, the nation's flag honoring Mrs. W. F. Fischer, State First Vice-President, and United States Daughters of 1812 flag honoring Mrs. H. C. Mosley, State Auditor.

## II. CHARTER MEMBERS OF THE LT. SILAS ALEXANDER CHAPTER

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Mrs. Hattie Mayfield       | Mrs. Ora L. Mayfield         |
| Mrs. Aline Lee Fisher      | Mrs. Lela Bray Hayslip       |
| Mrs. Dorothy H. Morley     | Mrs. Lelor Isabelle Marshall |
| Mrs. Vannie H. Hughes      | Mrs. Ella Larsen Price       |
| Mrs. Mary H. Davidson      | Mrs. Mary DeLoach Levy       |
| Mrs. Zeno W. Jones         | Mrs. Martha W. Allen         |
| Miss Allie Wadington       | Mrs. Myrtle D. Mosley        |
| Mrs. Jessilyn C. Bishop    | Mrs. Mary Heath Roberts      |
| Mrs. Moselle A. McLendon   | Mrs. Carol Mosley Cox        |
| Mrs. Roberta W. Crosthwait |                              |

## III. THE LT. SILAS ALEXANDER CHAPTER PRESIDENTS WERE AS FOLLOWS:

|                           |                      |
|---------------------------|----------------------|
| Mrs. Earle B. Mayfield    | 1941-1944            |
| Mrs. John B. Mayfield     | 1944-1946            |
| Mrs. B. R. Hayslip        | 1946-1947 (resigned) |
| Mrs. Robert J. Henderson  | 1947-1948            |
| Mrs. M. V. Davidson       | 1948-1950            |
| Mrs. Howard Dodd          | 1950-1952            |
| Mrs. John B. Mayfield     | 1952-1954            |
| Mrs. James I. Wood        | 1954-1956            |
| Mrs. A. M. Sutton         | 1956-1958            |
| Mrs. Earle B. Mayfield    | 1958-1959            |
| Mrs. James O. Trulove     | 1959-1960            |
| Mrs. Earl G. Hadley       | 1960-1964            |
| Mrs. Mary Hughes Davidson | 1964-1966            |
| Miss Louise Cocker        | 1966-1970            |
| Mrs. Philip Dibert        | 1970-1974            |
| Mrs. Howard Dodd          | 1974-1980            |

## IV. BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES

### 1. Organizing President of Lt. Silas Alexander Chapter, Mrs. Earle B. Mayfield.

Miss Ora Lumpkin was born February 20, 1882, in Meridian, TX. Her father Simon Lumpkin was a lawyer and her mother was Laura Alexander. She married Earle B. Mayfield, and three sons were the result of this union: John Simon Mayfield of Bethesda, MD; Earle Bradford Mayfield, Jr. of Dallas; and Horace Maurice Mayfield, M.D., who is now deceased.

Mrs. Mayfield is a member of many patriotic, historical and educational organizations. On September 17, 1941, she organized the Lt. Silas Alexander Chapter, United States Daughters of 1812, with 19 members. The Chapter was named for her Mother's ancestor, Silas Alexander, who was born in 1796 in North Carolina and died in 1869 in Tennessee. He served as a Lieutenant in the West Tennessee Militia during the War of 1812.

Having a passion for books, Mrs. Mayfield was a collector, and this love of books has been continued in her son, John Simon Mayfield. She also has an outstanding spoon collection. Her literary interests have been very useful for the beautifully researched speeches and reports and programs she gave for her many organizations. Her letters are considered works of art. She entertained in her home as long as she was able and was a most gracious hostess. She is now living at the nursing home in Tyler. She is a life-long Methodist.

## 2. Texas Society Presidents from the Chapter

Mrs. John B. Mayfield 1946-1948

Miss Mildred Littlejohn 1972-1974

(See Part A, III, 1 in formation of Texas Society)

## 3. Lt. Silas Alexander Chapter members serving as National and/or Texas Society Officers and Committee Chairmen

### STATE OFFICERS

Parliamentarian - Mrs. Earle B. Mayfield 1940-1942

1st Vice-President - Mrs. F. W. Fisher 1940-1946

Chaplain - Mrs. John B. Mayfield 1944-1946

Recording Secretary - Mrs. M. V. Davidson 1946-1948

Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. Burnett Price 1946-1948

Treasurer - Mrs. B. R. Hayslip 1946-1948

Registrar - Mrs. Earle B. Mayfield 1946-1948

Chaplain - Mrs. Earle B. Mayfield 1950-1954

4th Vice-President - Mrs. Earle B. Mayfield 1956-1958

Recording Secretary - Miss Mildred Littlejohn 1970-1972

### NATIONAL COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN:

Mountain Schools - Miss Mildred Littlejohn 1974-1978

Insignia - Miss Mildred Littlejohn 1978-1980

## 4. Chapter Real Daughter

Mrs. Sarah Melissa Smith, daughter of James Mayfield, Sgt. in the Kentucky Militia. We regret that further information on this Real Daughter was not available.

## V. MEMORIAL MARKERS PLACED BY THE CHAPTER

The Chapter placed a Soldier's Grave Marker on the Grave of General James Smith. General Smith was born in Spartanburg County, SC, September 10, 1792, son of Henry and Rachel (Clark) Smith. The family moved to Lincoln County, TN where James Smith

served in the War of 1812. He married Hannah Parker in 1816 and in 1835 they moved to Texas in the Nacogdoches area. Gen. Smith organized a troop of Cavalry and fought in the Texas Revolution, receiving a tract of land in Rusk County near Henderson, TX. He rose from Capt. to Col. and to Inspector General in the Texas Army-guarding the Northwest Frontier and in the Regulator-Moderator War in Shelby County. He served in the Texas House of Representatives from Rusk County 1846-1847. This Session created the new County of Smith, named after General James Smith.

The Chapter placed a Soldier's Grave Marker on the grave of Captain Andrew Hamilton. Captain Hamilton was born in South Carolina in 1794 and died in Texas in 1859. He married Deliliah Smith. Their daughter, Emeline, married James Brown and their son, young H. Hamilton married Mary Smith. Captain Hamilton served in the South Carolina Militia in the War of 1812.

The Chapter placed a Lay Grave Marker on the grave of their Real Daughter, Mrs. Sarah Melissa Smith of Tyler, the grandmother of Senator Earle B. Mayfield.

#### VI. NARRATIVE HISTORY OF LT. SILAS ALEXANDER CHAPTER

In 1942 reports show all members busy in war work and all had bought War Bonds. One member was an instructor in the Red Cross Bandage Room, one a member of Tyler Day Nursery Board, and one chairman of Finance Committee and active in the War Chest Drive. At the request of Mrs. Mayfield, members of the Society all joined at noon each day in silent prayer for our Country and for the men and women in our Country's uniform in service.

In 1943 the Chapter was fortunate to have a grandchild born to one of the members, Mrs. John V. Hughes. In October the State President, Mrs. M. N. Crestman, was a guest for a program which was a dramatic history of American Red Cross given by a Red Cross Official in uniform. As Tyler is the Rose Garden of America, the honor guest was presented two thornless Tyler rose bushes. At this time the Chapter boasted of having members of three generations who were descendants of the illustrious Lt. Andrew A. Finck, one of the best known men of his day in Central New York. He served as a Lieutenant in the New York Militia in the War of 1812.

The Chapter continued their war work and helping with the USO at Camp Fannin which was located just about seven miles north of Tyler -- and again they boasted of the Chapter's slogan "100% participation in war work".

Mrs. John Blythe Mayfield followed Mrs. Earle B. Mayfield as President and they kept ever before them this Chapter would be in front when Victory comes.

Possibly one of the most patriotic and worthwhile programs the Chapter ever had was the marking of three 1812 graves. They were the graves of General James Smith in Henderson, Captain Hamilton near Overton, and the grave of a Real Daughter, Mrs. Sarah Melissa Smith, the grandmother of Senator Earle. B. Mayfield, in Tyler.

For several years it was the custom for Mary Tyler Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, National Society Daughters of American Revolution and Lt. Silas Alexander Chapter Daughters of 1812 to observe Constitution Day with a luncheon.

In 1970-1972 Miss Mildred Littlejohn served as State Recording Secretary under Mrs. Grady Kirby's regime. In 1972-1974 Miss Littlejohn served as State President. (See Part A, III, 1 in the formation of Texas Society for Biography)

At present, the Chapter has become very small, but Mrs. Howard Dodd has been acting President for several years and tries to keep up enthusiasm for the group.

## GENERAL EDWARD H. TARRANT CHAPTER

### I. FORMATION OF CHAPTER

The General Edward H. Tarrant Chapter was organized in Ft. Worth on March 18, 1948 by Mrs. Nelson Leonard (Kate Hill), under Mrs. John B. Mayfield, Texas Society President.

The first Chapter meeting was held August 13, 1948 and plans were set in motion for a County Historical Marker for the Court-house lawn honoring Gen. Edward H. Tarrant.

The Chapter was named for Gen. Edward H. Tarrant. He was born in 1796 in North Carolina, and died at Fort Belknap, TX, August 2, 1858. The family moved to Tennessee and Tarrant served in several Campaigns against the Indians and was with Andrew Jackson at the Battle of New Orleans, in the War of 1812. He studied law in Tennessee and came to Texas in 1835. He was a veteran of the Texas War of Independence, and commanded the Texas Ranger Forces on the Northwest Frontier in 1837. He was a Representative from the Red River District in the Texas Congress in 1838. As Brigadier General, he led his Command in the Battle of Village Creek in 1841. This Victory over the Indians helped open the present Tarrant County area for settlement.

His remains were removed in 1859 to the plantation home near Italy, TX. In 1928 the Daughters of the Republic of Texas had his body moved to the Pioneer Rest Cemetery in Ft. Worth.

### II. CHARTER MEMBERS OF THE CHAPTER

|                         |                          |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| Mrs. Uel Stephens       | Mrs. Vernon Brown        |
| Mrs. Nelson Leonard     | Mrs. Earl L. Byers       |
| Mrs. William E. Lord    | Mrs. William F. Wright   |
| Mrs. William Letchworth | Mrs. Frederick Herman    |
| Mrs. Charles Atkinson   | Mrs. Alice Stewart Beard |
| Mrs. C. C. Peters       | Mrs. W. W. Wilson        |
| Mrs. George T. Spears   |                          |

### III. LIST OF CHAPTER PRESIDENTS AND YEARS SERVED

|                       |           |
|-----------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. Nelson Leonard   | 1948-1950 |
| Mrs. Uel Stephens     | 1950-1952 |
| Mrs. Earl L. Byers    | 1952-1954 |
| Mrs. Giles Berry      | 1954-1956 |
| Mrs. W. F. Wright     | 1956-1958 |
| Mrs. Charles W. Lewis | 1958-1960 |
| Mrs. Marvin Nichols   | 1960-1962 |
| Mrs. Merrill W. Joy   | 1962-1964 |
| Mrs. C. W. Atkinson   | 1964-1966 |
| Miss Pauline Jeffries | 1966-1968 |

|                      |           |
|----------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. Uel Stephens    | 1968-1970 |
| Mrs. Jack C. Taylor  | 1970-1972 |
| Mrs. V. G. Gillette  | 1972-1974 |
| Mrs. W. I. Fleetwood | 1974-1976 |
| Mrs. Homer Roper     | 1976-1978 |
| Mrs. Homer Roper     | 1978-1980 |

#### IV. BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES

##### 1. Organizing President

MRS. NATHANIEL NELSON LEONARD (KATE NELSON HILL), held State No. 655 and National No. 14,387. She transferred from Willis Brewer Chapter on March 17, 1948 to become Organizing Regent for the General Edward H. Tarrant Chapter.

Kate was the daughter of John Cameron Hill and Adina Stark of Ft. Worth. Her grandparents were John Taylor Stark and Mary Katherine Nelson of Virginia. Mary Katherine Nelson was a Real Daughter. Kate's other grandparents were George Nelson and Elizabeth Porter. George Nelson was born in Farquer County, Va, in 1784 and died in Warrington, VA, March 24, 1860. He served as Private in Capt. Lamar White's Co. 99th Regt. Virginia Militia in the War of 1812.

Mrs. Leonard died in the summer of 1965, and her leadership and activities in the Chapter were sorely missed.

##### 2. Honorary Texas Society Presidents from the Chapter

|                    |           |
|--------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. Uel Stephens  | 1952-1954 |
| Mrs. Earl L. Byers | 1968-1970 |

(See Part A, III, 1 for Biographical Sketches)

##### 3. Chapter members serving as National and/or Texas Society Officers and Committee Chairmen

###### NATIONAL OFFICER:

President National - Mrs. Uel Stephens 1958-1961

###### STATE OFFICERS:

|                                               |           |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------|
| 2nd Vice-President - Mrs. Nelson Leonard      | 1950-1952 |
| 3rd Vice-President - Mrs. W. A. Letchworth    | 1950-1952 |
| Recording Secretary - Mrs. W. E. Huster       | 1952-1954 |
| Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. W. F. Wright   | 1952-1954 |
| Registrar - Mrs. T. P. Perkins                | 1952-1954 |
| Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. Nelson Leonard | 1956-1958 |
| Treasurer - Mrs. T. P. Perkins                | 1956-1958 |
| 3rd Vice-President - Mrs. Earl L. Byers       | 1958-1960 |

|                                               |           |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Chaplain - Mrs. John W. Crutcher              | 1958-1960 |
| 2nd Vice-President - Mrs. Giles E. Berry      | 1960-1962 |
| Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. W. F. Wright   | 1960-1962 |
| 1st Vice-President - Mrs. Marvin Nichols      | 1962-1964 |
| Parliamentarian - Mrs. Uel Stephens           | 1964-1966 |
| 4th Vice-President - Mrs. C. W. Atkinson      | 1966-1968 |
| Chaplain - Mrs. John W. Crutcher              | 1966-1968 |
| President - Mrs. Earl L. Byers                | 1966-1968 |
| Parliamentarian - Mrs. Uel Stephens           | 1966-1968 |
| Parliamentarian - Mrs. Uel Stephens           | 1968-1970 |
| Parliamentarian - Mrs. Earl L. Byers          | 1970-1972 |
| Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. V. G. Gillette | 1972-1974 |
| 4th Vice-President - Miss Pauline Jeffries    | 1976-1978 |

#### COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Over the years eight Tarrant Chapter members have served on State Committees.

#### 4. Chapter Real Daughters:

MRS. HERMAN GUSTAVE BONORDEN (MARIE SOPHRENE BURNHAM) was the last of our Societie's Real Daughters.

Her ancestor father was Rev. Jonas Burnham, born in Massachusetts in 1796, and died in Maine in 1889. He served as a Cabin Boy and Midshipman in the U. S. Navy in the War of 1812. He married Mrs. Mary L. Wells Hart.

Marie was born October 9, 1878 in Farmington, ME. At the age of four she had scarlet fever and both her ear drums were destroyed, leaving her permanently deaf. She attended Wheaton College and graduated from Stanford University. She married first, David Halfin, second a Mr. Browning, and last Mr. Bonorden. She had one son, Paul F. Browning.

She became a member of Daughters of 1812 in 1917 in Kansas City, MO. She was presented with a Real Daughter Pin. Later she transferred to General Edward H. Tarrant Chapter in Ft. Worth.

Marie was active in various local and National Organizations, including American Association of University Women, Daughters of the American Revolution, and Order of Eastern Star.

At age 69 she enrolled in the University of Texas at El Paso to work on a M. A. Degree in English. She was an accomplished writer and many of her poems were published. In 1948 and 1949 she traveled to Massachusetts and Maine to do Genealogical Research on her family.

On October 9, 1967 she received a letter from President Lyndon Baines Johnson acknowledging her as being the only surviv-

ing daughter of a man, Rev. Jonas Burnham, who had participated in the War of 1812.

Mrs. Bonorden was an independent lady until her blindness and broken bones forced her to curtail her activities. She died at Providence Memorial Hospital on June 29, 1973, and is buried in Evergreen Cemetery in El Paso, TX.

#### V. 1812 MEMORIAL MARKERS PLACED BY THE TARRANT CHAPTER

On May 18, 1949 the Tarrant Chapter participated in placing a Memorial Monument to General Edward H. Tarrant on the Courthouse lawn in Ft. Worth, TX. The Tarrant County Historical Society and many business leaders had joined in financing the Monument. The National and Texas Society Presidents and other Officers N.S.U.S.D. of 1812 were present at the dedication ceremony.

The Chapter marked the grave of Col. David Kerr McEwen with an 1812 Soldier's Grave Marker in the Hood Cemetery in Parker County, TX. Col. McEwen was born in Tennessee in 1781 and died in Texas. He married Lydia Lane, and their daughter, Elizabeth, married Azariah Jesse Hood. Col. McEwen served as 2nd Lieutenant Tennessee Militia in the War of 1812.

In 1959 Mrs. Uel Stephens, President National and member of Gen. Edward H. Tarrant Chapter, marked the grave of her great grandfather, Major Thomas Briscoe of West Virginia. This 1812 Soldier was buried in Zion Episcopal Church Cemetery in Charles Town, WV.

#### VI. NARRATIVE HISTORY OF GENERAL EDWARD H. TARRANT CHAPTER ACTIVITIES

In 1948 the Chapter opened its year with an open meeting on October 1st, inviting the Tyler and Dallas Chapters and members of other patriotic societies. Mrs. Ingram of Cavet Chapter and 4th Vice-President National gave the program.

The Chapter was concerned with fund raising for the General Tarrant Marker, and support of State and National Projects.

In 1949 the Chapter joined with Cavet Chapter of Dallas in celebrating the election of Mrs. F. B. Ingram as President National. The June meeting of the Texas Society Executive Board was held in Mrs. George C. Mitchell's home in Ft. Worth. The Chapter programs were concerned with study of the National Organization and History of the 1812 period.

The Tarrant Chapter sponsored the formation of the John Hudnall Chapter of Abilene in 1951, with Chapter members attending meetings at the new Chapter on several occasions.

Members from the Chapter attended Associate Council Meetings of the National Society and kept alive their enthusiasm for Society Projects. The Chapter hosted the State Board Meeting November 8, 1952, and hosted the Golden Jubilee Anniversary Meeting of the Texas Society in February 1953, with an outstanding meeting.

The Chapter was always concerned with support for their Real Daughter, Mrs. Marie Sophrene Burnham Bonorden. In 1955, Mrs. Uel Stephens was serving as Corresponding Secretary National.

In the late fifties the Chapter was concerned with Civil Defense and work with the Veteran's Hospitals. Teaching the use of the U. S. Flag in the schools was continued. In 1959 a 50-star U. S. Flag was given to Waverly Heights School in Ft. Worth honoring Mrs. Uel Stephens, President National. A large cash donation was made to Mrs. Marie Bonorden for her Christmas gift.

Tarrant Chapter hosted the Texas Society Council Meeting March 1961. Mrs. Merrill W. Joy gave an outstanding program on "Historic Landmarks in Texas". The paper was presented to the National Reciprocity File. The Chapter continued to support the U. S. Public Health Hospital with gifts of money, books and recreational items.

In 1962 the Chapter presented the sum of \$125 to Ft. Worth Technical High School to be used for five senior students' Scholarships. The State Board met in November 1962 with the Tarrant Chapter as hosts. The membership had increased to 39, with one Associate Member and four Junior Members. Two very important books were given to the Ft. Worth Public Library - "Tennessee Soldiers in the War of 1812" and "Index to Certified Copy of List of American Prisoners of War of 1812-1815, Ottawa, Canada and List of Prisoners of War Who Died at Dartmoor, England, 1812-1815". News-Letters from 1956-1962 were donated to the Texas State Library. The Chapter had a fund raising project of selling Christmas cards each year to raise money for State and National Projects.

Mrs. Leonard Nelson, Organizing Regent, and Tarrant Chapter President died in summer of 1965 and a fifty dollar donation in her honor was sent to Bacone College.

The Chapter hosted the Texas Society Council Meeting in March 1967. Scholarships in the Ft. Worth High Schools were continued. In 1968 the very capable Chapter member, Mrs. Earl L. Byers, was serving as Texas Society President, and the Tarrant Chapter celebrated its 20th Anniversary. Mrs. Byers presided at the Tait Chapter marking of graves of two Real Daughters, Margaret Houston Williams and Jane Minerva Sims Abercrombie on February 17, 1969.

Tarrant Chapter hosted the State Board Meeting November 1970. Mrs. Grady Kirby, State Society President, presided.

## JOHN HUDNALL CHAPTER

### I. FORMATION OF CHAPTER

The John Hudnall Chapter of Abilene was organized in October of 1951 by Mrs. A. M. Ewing and was Chartered November 9, 1951.

Mrs. Ewing, a new and enthusiastic member of Gen. Edward H. Tarrant Chapter, moved to Abilene in 1950. The Tarrant Chapter urged her to organize a new Chapter in Abilene under their sponsorship. The Abilene ladies, who were eligible to become members, met the idea for a new patriotic organization with alacrity. Their willingness and ability to work matched their enthusiasm.

During the summer of 1951, Mrs. Adlai M. Ewing was very busy visiting prospective members of the new Chapter to be organized in Abilene. Being a vivacious, young new comer Mrs. Ewing appreciated the interest of Mrs. R. E. L. Norwood in citing her to eligible friends, whose ancestors had served in the War of 1812. On November 9, 1951 a group of interested women met at the Windsor Hotel for a luncheon. With them as guests and sponsors were Mrs. Uel Stephens, President Gen. Edward H. Tarrant Chapter; Mrs. Nelson Leonard, 2nd Vice-President; Mrs. W. A. Letchworth, 3rd Vice-President; all of Ft. Worth. Mrs. Ewing greeted the ladies and introduced Mrs. Frederick Brewster Ingram, President National U.S.D. of 1812, who addressed the assembly. Mrs. Ben Talbot, President Texas Society, also spoke to the group. Mrs. Nelson Leonard, as Texas Society Organizer, made the presentation address. Mrs. W. A. Letchworth presented the Chapter with a set of flags, and Mrs. W. W. Wilson gave them the gavel made from wood from the South Carolina home where Andrew Jackson was born. The Program closed with a talk by Mrs. J. D. Trammell, the great-granddaughter of John Hudnall, for whom the Chapter was named. Mrs. Ewing and Mrs. Ira F. Muse were great-great-granddaughters of this man. E

The first slate of Officers was:

President - Mrs. A. M. Ewing, Snyder, TX.  
Vice-President - Mrs. H. W. McDade  
Chaplain - Mrs. Jay Terry, Moran, TX.  
Recording Secretary - Mrs. C. H. Robertson  
Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. Worth Norwood  
Treasurer - Mrs. A. L. Short  
Registrar-Genealogist - Mrs. R. E. L. Norwood  
Librarian-Curator - Mrs. Hilliard Rowe  
Historian - Mrs. Dallas Scarborough  
Parliamentarian - Miss Tommie Hazelwood Clack

## II. THE OTHER CHARTER MEMBERS OF THE CHAPTER WERE

Mrs. J. D. Trammell  
Mrs. Robert B. Hall  
Mrs. George Likins  
Mrs. Alvin F. Nemir  
Mrs. W. E. Rees

Mrs. Philip Smith  
Mrs. J. M. Wagstaff  
Mrs. John Walker  
Mrs. W. W. Hair

The members voted to name the Abilene Chapter after Mrs. Ewing's great-great-grandfather, John Hudnall, who fought in the War of 1812. They chose the white carnation as their flower and for their motto - "Make you the world a bit more beautiful and better because you have been in it."

John Hudnall was the son of William Hudnall (b. 1732) and his wife, Frances Smith, who were married in 1757. John was born in Goochland County, VA, June 22, 1763. His paternal grandfather was Thomas Hudnall.

Gertrude Hardy Ewing's grandfather, Hammett Hardy, states in his written memoirs of his grandfather, John Hudnall:

"He was born in Virginia, married in Virginia, served Virginia, and died and is buried in Virginia. John Hudnall loved Virginia!!"

John Hudnall married Martha (Patty) Newman, daughter of Ninco Newman, Dec. 14, 1793. They had eight children. Mrs. Ewing's great-grandfather, Cena Hudnall, born December 31, 1808 in Bedford County, VA, was the baby of the family. Martha Hudnall, her mother, died in 1809 and her father married Frances Miles McGhee, March 7, 1811. They had fourteen children born to them, making a total of twenty-two children for John Hudnall. They reared most of them to maturity. Several sons became professional men; three were practicing physicians.

Hammett Hardy further describes his grandfather:

"John Hudnall was a man of strong character, full of energy and initiative. He acquired a large estate in land and slaves. He had a very strong religious tendency, and was a member of the Old School Presbyterian Church. John Hudnall served the State of Virginia faithfully through war and peace with his time and money."

John Hudnall's war records show he fought in the American Revolution and in the War of 1812. He was drafted into the United States service in 1780, during the American Revolution, into the Militia of Bedford County, VA, to guard valuable property. After six weeks, he left this service, but was drafted again in 1781 to serve under Captain Trigg, with his father, William Hudnall,

serving as Lieutenant. He served as a scout, southeast of Petersburg and in the lower part of Virginia. After great hardships and sufferings during his scouting missions, he was discharged only to be drafted a third time, and he then served seven more weeks.

From the Department of the Army, Office of Adjutant General, Washington, D.C., comes the report that John Hudnall served in the War of 1812 as Private in a company of infantry commanded by Capt. Samuel Downing, 37th Regt. Virginia Militia, in the county of Northumberland. He served six tours of duty and was discharged December 6, 1814.

He died at his home in Bedford County, Oct. 19, 1844, and is buried in Bedford County, VA.

### III. LIST OF CHAPTER PRESIDENTS AND YEARS SERVED

|                         |           |
|-------------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. Adlai M. Ewing     | 1951-1952 |
| Miss Tommie Clack       | 1952-1961 |
| Mrs. George H. Likins   | 1961-1963 |
| Mrs. Worth Norwood      | 1963-1965 |
| Mrs. Robert R. Milstead | 1965-1979 |

### IV. BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES

#### 1. Organizing President, Mrs. Adlai Merriman Ewing (Gertrude "Trudie" Annah Hardy)

Gertrude Hardy was born in Ft. Worth, TX and was the daughter of William Hammett Hardy and Gertrude Annah Fry. She attended high school in Ft. Worth and was a member of the Children of the Confederacy. She was a Charter Member of the Junior Woman's Club and helped with many welfare groups in the City through her Clubs and her Church, the First Presbyterian Church where she served as a Sunday School teacher and Superintendent of the Primary Department. Miss Hardy later attended Texas State College for Women in Denton, TX, Weslyn College in Ft. Worth and Baylor University at Waco.

She married Adlai Merriman Ewing, a high school sweetheart, in Marietta, Oklahoma on September 1, 1933. Mr. Ewing was born in Iola, KS. and his parents were Henry Wallis Ewing and Alice Elizabeth Sweet. The A. M. Ewings had one daughter, Carol E. Vaughn, born February 1, 1936 in Texon, TX.

A. M. Ewing was a Certified Public Accountant and during W.W. II served as a State Accounting Executive in Texas for the Office of Price Administration. He was stationed at Takoma Park, MD. After the War he was transferred to the Foreign Service and served as industrial attache in the Diplomatic Corps. Many cities in the United States and abroad were home to the Ewings.

Mrs. Ewing always maintained her patriotic society affiliations and her Church work. She was a member of Daughters of the American Revolution, United Daughters of the Confederacy, and in 1940, when they were again living in Ft. Worth, she was asked to join the Gen. Edward H. Tarrant Chapter, Texas Society N.S.U.S.D. of 1812.

Her ancestor was John Hudnall, who was her great-great-grandfather. He served as Private in the Virginia Militia during the War of 1812. As noted above, Mrs. Ewing was the Organizing President of the John Hudnall Chapter in Abilene.

Mrs. Ewing entered American Red Cross volunteer work in 1953 while living in Houston, TX. She continued this work as well as Veteran's Hospital work in Dallas and Waco, and in 1961 received a Bronze Award Pin for 1,750 hours of service in the American Red Cross.

The Ewings were transferred to Valley Forge, PA, in 1970, and Mr. Ewing died there in 1971. Mrs. Ewing returned to their old home in Waco, TX, continuing her volunteer work. She was awarded a 25 year pin in 1978 for 4,647 hours of volunteer work with Red Cross. She has been a faithful member of John Hudnall Chapter and an inspiration to all of us.

## 2. Texas Society Presidents from the Chapter

(Mrs. George S. Likins - 1966-1968

See part A, III, 1 in formation of Texas Society)

## 3. Chapter members serving as National and/or Texas Society Officers and Committee Chairman

### STATE OFFICERS:

Treasurer - Mrs. Alvin F. Nemir 1952-1954  
3rd Vice-President - Miss Tommie Clack 1956-1958  
Librarian - Mrs. Chas. H. Roberson 1960-1962  
1st Vice-President - Mrs. George H. Likins 1964-1966  
President - Mrs. George H. Likins 1966-1968  
Recording Secretary - Mrs. Robert R. Milstead 1966-1968  
Chaplain - Mrs. Robert R. Milstead 1970-1972  
4th Vice-President - Mrs. Frances Marion Graham 1972-1974  
Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. R. W. Norwood 1974-1976  
2nd Vice-President - Mrs. R. W. Norwood 1976-1978  
Historian - Mrs. Robert R. Milstead 1976-1978

### COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Correct Use of the Flag - Mrs. George Likins 1974-1976  
Restoration Frigate Constellation - Mrs. Robert R.  
Milstead 1974-1976

Bacone College - Mrs. Ima Cotton Jennings 1974-1976  
Location of 1812 Graves - Mrs. George H. Likins 1976-1978  
National Headquarters - Mrs. R. W. Norwood 1976-1978  
Scrapbook - Mrs. Robert R. Milstead 1976-1978  
Budget and Finance - Mrs. George H. Likins 1978-1980  
Historical Landmarks - Mrs. Albert Billy Alkek 1978-1980  
1812 Markers - Mrs. Albert Billy Alkek 1978-1980  
Veteran's Rehabilitation - Mrs. P. M. McKee 1978-1980

#### 4. Chapter Real Daughter

MARY WILLIAM HOUSTON, MRS. JOHN SIMPSON MORROW

Mary William Houston was born April 9, 1850 in Huntsville, TX. She was the daughter of Gen. Sam Houston and Margaret Lea Houston. She was called "Willie". Mary William married John Simpson Morrow and moved to Taylor County, TX. in 1885, to benefit Mr. Morrow's health, but he lived only six months after their arrival. This left her alone to raise a son, John Houston Morrow, and two daughters, Maude Louise and Jessie Morrow.

The growing town of Abilene needed a postmaster. On January 4, 1889, Mrs. Morrow became the first woman postmistress in the town and held that position until 1911. When she retired, she had served longer than any other Abilene Official - twenty-two years. Her children attended the public schools in Abilene and married there. John Houston Morrow married, first Miss Maybelle Hardy and after her death, Miss Faye Griffin. Maude Louise married Mr. J. B. Heitchew and their only child was Houston Heitchew. Jessie married Robert E. McDonald.

Mrs. Mary William Houston Morrow died December 14, 1931 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jessie McDonald in Stamford, TX. She is buried in the Masonic Cemetery in Abilene.

The John Hudnall Chapter placed a Real Daughter grave marker at Mrs. Morrow's grave on July 7, 1971. Mr. Bryan Bradburry, prominent Abilene Attorney, gave the Memorial Address. Distinguished guests present were Mrs. Frederick B. Ingram, Honorary President National; Miss Nan Jones, State Chairman Memorial Markers, both of Dallas; Mrs. Grady Kirby, President Texas Society from Houston; Mrs. Robert R. Milstead, State Chaplain; Mrs. George S. Likins, Honorary Texas Society President; Mrs. R. W. Norwood and Mrs. Ima Cotten Jennings, all of Abilene.

Relatives honored as special guests were: Mrs. Robert E. McDonald, daughter; Mrs. Robert A. Teasdale of Dallas, granddaughter; and Mrs. Edward A. Everitt of Houston, a niece of Mary William Houston Morrow. The Rev. Joe Owen, pastor of the First Central Presbyterian Church gave the invocation and Mrs. Milstead, President of John Hudnall Chapter presided.

## V. 1812 MARKERS PLACED BY JOHN HUDNALL CHAPTER

In 1955 Mrs. Dallas Scarborough, a noted historian and Chapter member, gave money for two 1812 soldiers' grave markers to be placed on the graves of Bailey Hardeman and Thomas Jones Hardeman, both sons of Thomas and Mary Perkins Hardeman of Davidson County, TN. They fought in the War of 1812 with the West Tennessee volunteers. They came to Texas in the fall of 1835 settling in the Matagorda area. They distinguished themselves in the days of the Republic of Texas and were reburied in the State Cemetery in Austin in 1936-1937. These markers were credited to the John Hudnall Chapter.

On June 25, 1967 the John Hudnall Chapter and Mrs. George S. Likins, President Texas Society, placed an 1812 Historical Marker on the 'buhrstone' of John Berry's Mill dated 1846. This stone is located on the Courthouse lawn in Georgetown, TX. John Berry, a native of Virginia, born 1793 - died 1874, was a Private in the Virginia Troops. He came to Texas in 1826 and is buried in the Berry Cemetery at Gans Mill Farm near Georgetown. This grave had been given an 1812 Soldier's Marker by the Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter in 1946.

The John Hudnall Chapter also placed a lay 1812 Memorial Marker on the grave of Real Daughter, Mary William Houston Morrow, July 7, 1971. See details under Real Daughter.

## VI. NARRATIVE HISTORY OF JOHN HUDNALL CHAPTER ACTIVITIES

The programs in the early years of the Chapter were studies of American History leading up to the War of 1812 and also of the local history of the area of Taylor County, TX.

One of the first projects of the Chapter was to place a Historical Marker on the Courthouse grounds honoring the man for whom the County was named. Since no record had been left of the naming of the County when it was created on February 1, 1858 from parts of Bexar and Travis Counties, considerable research had to be done. The County was finally organized in 1878 and Abilene was made County seat about 1881. The Hudnall Chapter went to work to get the County legally named. President Miss Tommie Clack and Historian Mrs. Dallas Scarborough presented a petition to Judge Reed Ingalshe asking permission of the Commissioners Court of Taylor County to get the matter before the Texas Legislature, so that the County could be legally named for three Taylor brothers, sons of Anson Taylor of Liberty, TX, who had died in the Alamo.

Senator Harley Sadler introduced the bill in the Senate, and Representative Truett Latimer in the House, and the bill passed, Thus Taylor County was legally named.

The Chapter began work to raise money for a monument. Flags were sold, lectures were given and Mr. Lincoln Borglum, the famous sculptor of Mount Rushmore National Memorial in South Dakota, was selected to design the monument. The stone is of Texas pink granite with a bronze Texas shaped plaque, and bearing an inscription telling the story of the three Taylor brothers.

The monument was dedicated April 8, 1956 and unveiled by Mrs. A. M. Ewing and Her sister, Mrs. Ira F. Muse of the Hudnall Chapter. It was presented to the Taylor County on the 75th Anniversary of its founding. This project was started in 1952 and completed in 1956, a truly remarkable achievement. The Hudnall Chapter also placed a County Historical Road Marker on the highway outside the City limits.

The Chapter started out by winning a \$15.00 prize for organizing with the largest number of members (18) and then won a \$15.00 prize at the State Council Meeting in 1952 for the greatest gain in membership.

In 1967 when Hemisfair was being built and promoted in San Antonio, TX, Mrs. Likin of the Hudnall Chapter was Texas Society President. She attended a luncheon in the Pan American Building in Washington, D.C. hosted by Pearl Mesta, President and Mrs. Johnson led the group of National Women's Organizations in recognizing Hemisfair. When the beautiful Women's Pavilion was completed, the Daughters of 1812 were invited to a party at the Pavilion and a plaque was presented to Texas Society President Mrs. Likins and Past-Honorary President Mrs. Robert Parkinson as thanks for their support of this project.

The Chapter proudly continued to participate in all State and National projects. It hosted the Texas Society Council in March of 1968, on the Diamond Jubilee of the founding of the National Society, and again in March of 1978 for the Diamond Jubilee of the founding of the Texas Society. The John Hudnall Chapter participated in local and civic projects and in helping the West Texas Rehabilitation Center and in aiding Veterans of all Wars.

## STEPHEN WILLIAMS CHAPTER

### I. FORMATION OF CHAPTER

The Stephen Williams Chapter was Chartered with 7 members on March 9, 1976 in College Station, TX, and is named for the ancestor of the Organizing President, Mrs. Joseph C. Brusse. Williams was a soldier in the 6th Regt., Mississippi Militia and served under Andrew Jackson in the Battle of New Orleans. Born in 1786 in Granville County, NC, he came to the area now known as Clarke County, AL, from Wilkes County, GA. Here he met and married his wife Jane Black, daughter of John Black, in 1810. In Clarke County, AL, Williams was active in establishing a Baptist church in Salem shortly before coming to Texas. In Texas he quickly became active in Baptist work and served from 1841 till his death as a member of the Baptist Education Society which was instrumental in chartering Baylor University at Independence, TX. This Society was the founding influence on all Baptist institutions of higher learning in Texas. Williams also served in the Republic of Texas and received a land grant in Washington County, TX, later moving to Fayette County where he died in 1848.

### II. CHARTER MEMBERS OF STEPHEN WILLIAMS CHAPTER

|                                   |                         |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Mrs. Joseph C. Brusse             | Robert Scott Henry      |
| Miss Alison Anne Brusse           | Mrs. Walter K. Henry    |
| Miss Cindi Lea Brusse             | Mrs. Jesse G. Locke     |
| Miss Nancy Louise Brusse          | Mrs. J. Milton Nance    |
| Miss Louis <sup>e</sup> Giddings  | Miss Frances Reasonover |
| Mrs. Mary Frances Sullinger Gough | Mrs. Raymond L. Rogers  |
| Miss Laura Katherine Henry        |                         |

### III. LIST OF CHAPTER PRESIDENTS AND YEARS SERVED

|                         |           |
|-------------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. Joseph C. Brusse   | 1976-1978 |
| Miss Francis Reasonover | 1978-1980 |

### IV. BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES

#### 1. Organizing President

Mrs. Joseph C. Brusse was appointed Organizing President for a Chapter to locate in College Station, TX, on March 10, 1975, by Miss Hazel Broderick, Texas Society President, and approved by Mrs. Enos S. Horst, President National. It was through the efforts and with the encouragement of Mrs. Grady S. Kirby, State Organizing Chairman, and Mrs. Charles H. Fay, that this appointment was made.

Mrs. Brusse was born Frances Lamar Williams on August 23, 1921, in San Marcos, TX, the daughter of Leslie Dunn Williams and Corre

Christine Ivey. When she was three years old the family moved to Bastrop, TX, where she attended school and graduated from Bastrop High School in 1939. At Baylor University, while studying for a B.A. Degree in Speech and Drama, she was active in Baylor Theater, Baylor French Theater, sang in the A Capella Choir, and was a member of the Baylor Theater Touring Company, performing in Macbeth, Family Portrait and Bornded in Texas at schools, churches, and U.S.O. installations around Texas in the spring of 1942. At Baylor she was elected to National Honorary Fraternities Alpha Chi, Beta Pi Theta, Alpha Psi Omega, Pi Gamma Mu, and was a member of the hereditary Organization, First Families of Baylor, a group of students whose parents or grand parents had attended Baylor University.

After graduating from Baylor in 1942 she worked briefly for the Texas Parks Department and the Department of Education in Austin before her marriage on October 3, 1942, to Joseph Cleveland Brusse in Brenham, TX. Mrs. Brusse has been a legal secretary with a law firm in St. Louis, MO, while her husband was attending St. Louis University. She has taught in the public schools of Brenham and College Station and at Allen Academy in Bryan.

In 1967 she received a M.S. Degree in Education from Texas A. & M. University. She is a member of First Baptist Church of College Station and has served as Sunday School Teacher of Youths and Adults, and is Director of Women's Missionary Union and Chairman of the Church History Committee. She has been active as Den Mother for Cub Scouts and served in various capacities in Band Booster and Choir Props, parents' organizations for the music programs in the local high school. She is a life member of Campus Study Club having served as President and as Program Chairman. She served as a member of the Brazos County Bicentennial Committee as Chairman of Coordination of Club and Group Participation and Calendar, and as Chairman of the Subcommittee on Oral History. She has served on the Board of the Opera and Performing Arts Society (OPAS) for three years and is active in the OPAS Guild.

She was co-compiler of the book Selected Bible Records for La Villita Chapter DAR, Genealogical Records Committee, and has been C.A.R. Sponsor.

Her Heritage and Historical Society memberships include La Villita Chapter DAR (Regent 1972-1974), Robert Henry Chapter DRT (President 1975-1977), The Governors Chapter DAC, The Huguenot Society, St. Bartholomew Chapter, Washington County Heritage Society, Hays County Historical and Genealogical Society, Texas State Genealogical Society and Brazos County Genealogical Society.

In addition to being Organizing President of Stephen Williams Chapter U.S.D. of 1812, she has served Texas Society U.S.D. of 1812 as State Chairman for Veterans Rehabilitation and Location of 1812 Graves, and is presently serving as State Curator. She is a family

genealogist and has been instrumental in the formation of the Williams-Rhem Family Reunion, bringing together descendants of Stephen Williams and Jane Black and William Brock Rhem and Sarah E. Rhem, early Texas pioneer families. Other hobbies she enjoys are Swimming, Photography and quilting.

Mrs. Brusse and her husband have four sons, Joseph C. Brusse III, Leslie Williams Brusse, David Lamar Brusse and Claude James Brusse, and six grandchildren, Cindi Lea Brusse, Alison Anne Brusse, Jennifer Joy Brusse, Nancy Louise Brusse, Gerrit Williams Brusse and Kathryn Lyn Brusse.

#### V. 1812 MEMORIAL MARKERS PLACED BY STEPHEN WILLIAMS CHAPTER

The grave of Stephen Williams was marked by the Chapter on June 4, 1978. The grave is located on the Williams Farm near Winchester, Fayette County, TX. Information on the life and service of Stephen Williams is given in the section on history of the Chapter Name.

#### VI. NARRATIVE HISTORY OF STEPHEN WILLIAMS CHAPTER

Stephen Williams Chapter began in the mind of Mrs. Brusse when her father, Leslie Dunn Williams, encouraged her to become interested in family genealogy through tales of the prowess of great great grandfather, Stephen Williams, in the Battle of New Orleans and the Indian skirmishes on the frontier. Credit must also be given to Caroline Tait Thompson who had organized in the 1920's James Asbury Tait Chapter U.S.D. of 1812 in Houston, because it was through her interest in Stephen Williams as a supplemental line that encouraged further research on this line. Beginning with the simple desire to have the grave of Stephen Williams appropriately marked, Mrs. Brusse worked on researching the life of Stephen and then became interested in the work of the United States Daughters of 1812. Through the encouragement of the members of Texas Society, she was appointed Organizing President and the Chapter was Chartered March 9, 1976, with 7 members. The Charter remained open through March of 1977 and Charter Members were increased to thirteen, including five Junior Members. Present membership is 14.

Meeting dates were set for the first two years of the Chapter's life to coincide with important dates and battles during the War of 1812 period. Mrs. J. Milton Nance, Vice-President and Program Chairman, developed interesting programs on those battles and incidents. The second and third year's programs majored on biographies of ancestors of members and their participation in the War of 1812.

The Chapter has participated in State and National Projects and Committees and has been particularly interested in the Lulie

Huey Lane Scholarship to a Sophomore ROTC student majoring in Liberal Arts at Texas A. & M. University.

Three Chapter members are presently serving as State Chairmen of Committees, Miss Frances Reasonover as Chairman of Lineage and Historical Records, Mrs. J. Milton Nance as Chairman of Star Spangled Banner Flag House, and Mrs. Brusse as Chairman of Location of 1812 Graves.

This busy young Chapter will host the March 1980 Texas Society Council Meeting in College Station, TX.

The Chapter Officers for 1979-1980 are;

President - Miss Frances Reasonover  
Vice-President - Mrs. J. Milton Nance  
Chaplain - Mrs. Jesse G. Locke  
Recording Secretary - Mrs. Walter K. Henry  
Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. Frances Gough  
Treasurer - Mrs. Joseph C. Brusse  
Registrar - Miss Louise Giddings  
Ensign - Robert Scott Henry

## ALEXANDER DAUGHERTY CHAPTER

### I. FORMATION OF CHAPTER

The Organizational Meeting of the Alexander Daugherty Chapter United States Daughters of 1812 was held at the home of the Organizing President, Mrs. Warren L. Faller, Midland, TX, on Thursday December 2, 1976 at 2:00 p.m. Members present were Elizabeth Faller, Elizabeth Denham, Mignon Pearson, Myra Glass, Clyde Cross and Wanda Perry. Carolyn Sowell, Leaf Faller, and Dorothy Truitt were unable to be present. Guests and prospective members present were Margurite Crain, Sandra Staley and Peggy Linne.

A resume of the life of ALEXANDER DAUGHERTY, ancestor of Elizabeth Faller and Leaf Faller was given as follows:

Alexander Daugherty, son of Cornelius Daugherty and wife Mary Hill of Pennsylvania and Virginia. Alexander Daugherty was born about 1762, probably in Augusta County, VA. The Daugherty Family lived in Virginia until they moved to what is now Madison County, KY, about 1776. They lived there at Estill's Station during the Revolutionary War. Alexander Daugherty and his father Cornelius Daugherty both have Revolutionary War Service. Alexander Daugherty, a Pioneer of Virginia, Kentucky and Tennessee was always ready to come to the defense of his Country, his State, his Community and his family in time of trouble. The families living in the Early Fort of Kentucky during the American Revolution had to be always alert and brave -- the dangers from Indians and Tories was an every day occurrence.

Alexander Daugherty married Margaret Rodgers on March 3, 1791 in Madison County, KY. They moved to Overton County, TN, about 1802-03. Alexander Daugherty enlisted in the War of 1812 in Cumberland County, KY, November 20, 1814. He is on the Roll of Capt. Ed. Wilburn's Company, Kentucky Detached Militia, 14th Regt. of Kentucky Militia commanded by Col. Parker.

Alexander Daugherty was a man in his late forties when he answered his Country's Call to Arms during the War of 1812. He participated in most of the Indian troubles of the North West and was in the Battle of the Thames and was also in the Battle of New Orleans. He is a sterling example of the man of his day. He and his wife reared a family of fine sons and daughters, a highly respected family, in Overton County, TN. His sons and sons-in-law followed him to the War of 1812 and all of his sons and grandsons served the Confederacy during the Civil War.

Alexander Daugherty, prominent Pioneer of Overton County, TN, died June 15, 1846 at Livingston, TN. There is a street in this town named for him and also a family graveyard called the

Daugherty Cemetery. In 1854 his widow, Margaret Rodgers Daugherty, age 87, received Bounty Land for his services in the War of 1812.

## II. CHARTER MEMBERS OF THE ALEXANDER DAUGHERTY CHAPTER

|                        |                        |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| Mrs. Warren L. Faller  | Mrs. George Staley     |
| Mrs. Richard L. Denham | Mrs. George H. Glass   |
| Mrs. John E. Cross     | Miss Carolyn E. Sowell |
| Mrs. Max Perry         | Mrs. Bruce Pearson     |
| Mrs. Aubrey Linne      |                        |

## III. LIST OF CHAPTER PRESIDENTS AND YEARS SERVED

|                       |           |
|-----------------------|-----------|
| Mrs. Warren L. Faller | 1976-1978 |
| Mrs. Aubrey A. Linne  | 1978-1980 |

## IV. BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

### 1. Organizing President

MRS. WARREN L. FALLER (ELIZABETH JO ANTHONY), Organizing President of the Alexander Daugherty Chapter, United States Daughters of 1812 was born in Brownfield, TX, April 2, 1930 to Earl Elwood Anthony, Sr. and wife Mary Bessie Adaline Fowler Anthony as their third child.

She was reared in Brownfield, TX, and attended Belhaven College in Jackson, MS, a Business Major. Elizabeth Jo Anthony married Warren Leslie Faller in Midland, TX, June 20, 1954. They have three children -- Leslie Elizabeth Adaline (Leaf) born Aug. 14, 1957; Anthony Warren (Tony) born Feb. 22, 1959 and Christine Vorhees (Chrissie) born March 20, 1962.

Elizabeth Faller is a Past Regent of the Lt. William Brewer Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution; Regent of the Norman's Pride Chapter, Daughters of the American Colonists; Organizing Regent Midland Colony Magna Charta Dames; Regent of the Aaron Estes Chapter, Daughters of the Republic of Texas; a member of the Jamestowne Society; a member of the Washington Family Descendants; a member of the Descendants of the Colonial Clergy; a member of the Seven Brothers Theus Chapter of United Daughters of the Confederacy; a member of the Dr. John Woodson Chapter Colonial Dames of the Seventeenth Century.

Her husband and her children are her main interest -- genealogy and gardening are her hobbies.

2. Honorary Texas Society Presidents from Chapter - none.

3. Chapter members serving as Texas Society and/or National Society Officers and Committe Members:

Mrs. Richard L. Denham - State Librarian  
Miss Carolyn Sowell - Chairman Junior Membership

4. Alexander Daugherty Chapter Real Daughters and Real Grand-daughters - none.

V. 1812 MEMORIAL MARKERS PLACED BY CHAPTER - none

VI. NARRATIVE HISTORY OF CHAPTER

The first slate of Officers of the Alexander Daugherty Chapter was:

President - Mrs. Warren L. Faller  
Vice-President - Mrs. Richard L. Denham  
Chaplain - Mrs. John E. Cross  
Recording Secretary - Mrs. Max Perry  
Treasurer - Mrs. George H. Glass  
Registrar - Miss Carolyn Sowell  
Historian - Mrs. Bruce Pearson

Four meetings a year were planned.

By the second meeting, the papers of Mrs. Aubrey Linne and Mrs. George Staley had been approved and Mrs. Linne was appointed Yearbook Chairman.

The above slate served a second term. By the fall of 1978, the Chapter had grown to 12 members with Mrs. Solon Crain's ancestor records being approved. By January 1979 the Chapter had eight prospective members working on their papers.

Many excellent programs have been presented pertaining to the study of the War of 1812. Titles of some of the Programs are: "Facts We Should Know About the War of 1812", "Francis Scott Key", "Mr. Madison's War", "Diary of a Soldier of the War of 1812", "Battle of New Orleans", and a "Recipies, Jewelry, China, etc. Show and Tell Luncheon".

Goals for the Chapter are for every member to establish Supplemental Lines.

## MICAJAH FORT CHAPTER

A new Chapter is being organized in West Columbia, TX, with MRS. ANDREW PICKENS RASCO as Organizing President. This Chapter will be named for Micajah Fort, fifth generation of Forts in this Country, descending from Elias Fort, his great-great-grandfather, who settled near Jamestown, Isle of Wight, VA, during the middle 1600s. He was born about 1769 to Elias and Ann Rawls Fort in Halifax Co., NC. His father was the son of Elias and Olive Pittman fort. His mother was the daughter of William and Dinah Rawls.

In Sept. 1812, he volunteered as Private at Wadlington, KY, in the Company of Capt. Dudley Williams, Lt. Daniel Moore Volunteer Co. from Christian Co., KY. This company was attached to a Regt. of Illinois Volunteers commanded by Col. Trammell in the war of the United States in what is commonly called General Hopkins' Expedition against the Kickapoo and other Nations of Indians in the War of 1812. He was honorably discharged at Camp Russell, IL, about Nov. 5, 1812. He drew bounty lands and a pension for services rendered to his Country.

MRS. ANDREW PICKENS RASCO (MARY LEE SHEPHERD) was Born December 22, 1923, at Groesbeck, TX in Limestone Co. Her parents were Ottie G. Shepherd and Seth Juanita Sullivan of Groesbeck. She met and married Andrew Pickens Rasco in Marlin, Falls Co., TX. They have three children, Tommy Robinson Rasco, Beth Ellen (Mrs. Jerry Wayne Anderson) and Suzanne (Mrs. John Joe Duque).

Mary Rasco now lives in West Columbia, TX. She is retired from the Florist business and devotes her time to family, Methodist Church activities, patriotic societies and her hobby of Genealogy. She is a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Colonial Dames, United Daughters of the Confederacy and Magna Charta Dames.

The Micajah Fort Chapter has been in the process of organization for the past year, its name has been accepted at National, and members' papers are being processed. Charter members of the Chapter will be:

Rasco, Mrs. Andrew Pickens (Mary Lee Shepherd)  
Morris, Mrs. A. M. (Lelia Mae Bradbury)  
Slonek, Mrs. Otto F. (Lee Lucille Thomas)  
Thompson, Mrs. Ronald J. (Janice Chapman)  
Mitchell, Mrs. G. Wade (Zuleika Weems)  
Loggins, Mrs. Reuben Burch, Jr. (Donna Chesney)  
Biggers, Mrs. J. E. (Ester Hall)  
Choate, Mrs. W. M. (Coryne Boggs)  
Mayerle, Mrs. E. A. (Eurilla Herrin)  
Burkholder, Mrs. A. C. (Nanetta Key)  
Sechrest, Mrs. C. L. (Kathleen Sullivant)  
Walters, Mrs. Wyatt (Alma Rhodes Kirkpatrick Wolfe)  
Barnhardt, Mrs. H. A. (Jewell Kirkpatrick)  
Laurents, Mrs. L. L. (Valma Kirkpatrick)  
Massingill, Mrs. L. L. (Juanita Taylor)  
Schwevel, Mrs. R. L. (Patricia Chesney)  
Thompson, Miss Janice Lee, FADD

## DELAYED REPORTS OF CHAPTER ACTIVITIES

These reports are of such interest that the Editor feels they must be included.

June 1941 - JOHN CAVET CHAPTER OF DALLAS, marked the grave of George H. Beeler, who served as a Private in the District of Columbia Militia in the War of 1812 . George H. Beeler was born in Virginia on March 8, 1796 and died in Texas July 20, 1861. He married a Miss Sarah of Kentucky. Their daughter, Zeria Beeler, married Dr. A. D. Rice. The families came to Dallas, TX in 1848. Private Beeler was the ancestor of Chapter member, Mrs. Henry Hamilton (Hattie Rice), a Real Granddaughter. He was buried in the Odd Fellows section of the Old Dallas Cemetery.

Hattie Rice Hamilton was the daughter of Zeria Beeler and A.D. Rice. She married Henry Hamilton in 1869. It was her pleasure until she died in 1941, to see that the graves of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Rice, and grandparents, George H. and Sarah Beeler, were kept clean of weeds and grass. She worked diligently to have the City keep this old cemetery in good order.

July 25, 1979 - Mrs. Raymond H. Bostick (Betty Jane Bond) of CAPT. AUGUSTUS JONES CHAPTER OF SAN ANTONIO, reported the marking of her War of 1812 ancestor, Joseph Phillips' grave. The marking was done by three great-great-granddaughters, Mrs. Bostick of San Antonio, Mrs. Doris Bond Gallemore of Houston, and Mrs. Mona Bond Cosby of Falfurrias, TX. The ceremony was sponsored by the National Society U.S.D. of 1812 under the direction of Mrs. R. H. Cox of Birmingham, AL, Ex-President of the Alabama Chapter.

Joseph Phillips' grave is located in the Union Methodist Church Cemetery in Wellington, AL. A native of the Union District, SC, Phillips was born May 4, 1790. He was married twice to sisters, Sarah Elizabeth and Jane Pressley, daughters of Charles Pressley of South Carolina. Phillips' father, Peter, and grandfather, Gabriel, both came from Ireland and were soldiers in the Revolutionary War. Joseph Phillips served in Capt. Daniel Felder's Co., in Col. Meen's Regt. SC Militia in the War of 1812.

He died July 13, 1859 in Union Church Settlement, Calhoun Co., AL. His sons were Abel, Jonathan, George W., Louis, Monroe, Charles, Joseph E. and Newton. The last two sons came to Texas. His daughters were Pleasant, Dora who married a Mr. Cobb, and Catharine who married J. D. Hollingsworth.

Joseph Phillips was a man of considerable wealth before the Civil War. He owned six square leagues of land, part of which he received on a Land Warrant for service in the War of 1812, and he operated a flour and grist mill. Two of his sons, George W. and Jonathan, served in the Confederate Army.

PART C. FORMATION AND NOTES ON DISBANDED CHAPTERS

William Ferguson Chapter - Greenville

James McCuiston Chapter - Paris

Willis Brewer Chapter - Ft. Worth

Colonel William Sterling Chapter - Pattison

Lt. Col. John Findlay Chapter - Palestine

William Ramey Chapter - Brownwood

Robert James Lowery Chapter - Corsicana

John Wesley Boatner Chapter - Lubbock

William Wilcoxson Chapter - Beaumont



PART C. FORMATION AND NOTES ON DISBANDED CHAPTERS

WILLIAM FERGUSON CHAPTER

This Chapter was organized in Greenville, TX. on October 26, 1921. Mrs. Lee R. Hoover was Organizing President under Mrs. J. E. Howze, Texas Society President.

The first Officers were:

Regent - Mrs. Lee R. Hoover  
Vice-Regent - Mrs. C. B. Jones  
Recording Secretary - Mrs. M. C. Tull  
Corresponding Secretary - Kate A. Dinsmore  
Treasurer - Mrs. John M. Boles  
Historian - Miss Bess Waters  
Registrar - Mrs. Charles T. Kennedy

Other Charter Members were:

|                         |                       |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Miss Mattie Wright Carr | Mrs. E. L. Stivers    |
| Miss Sarah E. Dinsmore  | Mrs. Ike B. McFarland |
| Miss Pennington         | Mrs. E. M. Pinckard   |

The Chapter disbanded and three members transferred to State membership. They were Mrs. Hoover, Mrs. Jones, and Miss Carr.

The Chapter's namesake, William Ferguson, was born in 1793 in South Carolina and died there in 1874. He married Mary Ferguson. Their daughter, Elizabeth A., married John Waters. William Ferguson served as Private in the South Carolina Militia during the War of 1812.

JAMES McCUISTON CHAPTER

This Chapter was organized in Paris, TX. on October 6, 1921 by Miss Constance McCuiston under the direction of Mrs. J. E. Howze, Texas Society President. The first officers were:

Regent - Miss Constance McCuiston  
Vice-Regent - Miss Katherine Harms  
2nd Vice-Regent - Mrs. W. P. Duncan  
Corresponding Secretary - Miss Florence Rose  
Treasurer - Mrs. C. G. Curtis  
Registrar - Mrs. T. Henry Harms  
Historian - Mrs. John Merrick Davis  
Curator - Mrs. G. L. Means  
Chaplain - Mrs. Scott R. Breath

Other Charter Members were:

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| Margaret E. Buford      | Mrs. O. L. Gregory       |
| Katherine McDow Brooks  | Miss Fannie Laura Duncan |
| Mrs. W. T. Moore        | Miss Maggie Lou Moore    |
| Mrs. Cornelius Curtis   | Miss Ida Terrell         |
| Mrs. Scott L. Galbreath |                          |

The Chapter's namesake, James McCuiston, was born in North Carolina in 1758 and died in Tennessee in 1826. He married Jean Nicholson. Their son, Anthony McCuiston, married Nancy Winsette. James McCuiston served as Private in the North Carolina Militia in the war of 1812. This Chapter disbanded in 1930 or 1931.

#### WILLIS BREWER CHAPTER

This Chapter was organized in Ft. Worth, TX. March 26, 1926. The Organizer was Mrs. Edgar Wiley Bounds, under direction of Mrs. J. J. Quinn, Texas Society President. The first Officers were:

Regent - Mrs. Edgar Wiley Bounds  
First Vice-Regent - Mrs. Turman Conner  
Secretary-Treasurer - Mrs. Joseph Edwin Taulman  
Registrar - Mrs. Jack Sylvester Norris

Other Charter Members were:

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| Mrs. V. W. Allen         | Mrs. J. E. Gardner   |
| Mrs. C. C. French        | Mrs. E. E. Powell    |
| Mrs. C. S. Peters        | Mrs. Clint J. Taylor |
| Miss Annie Laurie Walker |                      |

In 1931 Willis Brewer Chapter reported planning ceremonies for unveiling a marker being erected to the memory of Gen. Edward H. Tarrant, a soldier in the War of 1812, and for whom Tarrant County was named. Contract for the marker was awarded to McNeal Marble Co. of Marietta, GA. The marker was unveiled and dedicated May 15, 1932 at the final resting place of Gen. Tarrant. He had died at Fort Belknap, August 2, 1858. He was reburied in his home town of Italy, TX in 1859. In 1928 the Daughters of the Republic of Texas had his body removed to the Pioneer Rest Cemetery in Ft. Worth.

The Chapter's namesake, Willis Hamlin Brewer, was born in Georgia in 1790 and died in Mississippi in 1869. He married Mary Walpole and their son, Samuel B., married Rebecca Attaway. Willis Brewer served as Private in the Georgia Troops in the War of 1812.

The Chapter disbanded in 1942, reporting it "had demised because of lack of a quorum." Several members transferred to the John Cavet Chapter of Dallas.

### COLONEL WILLIAM STERLING CHAPTER

This Chapter was organized in Pattison, TX on May 22, 1926. The Organizer was Miss Evelyn Belmont Sterling under the direction of Mrs. J. J. Quinn, Texas Society President.

The Charter Members were:

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| Mrs. J. B. Bolding  | Mrs. L. L. Green             |
| Mrs. B. D. Leggett  | Mrs. F. L. Norris            |
| Mrs. F. W. Norris   | Mrs. Ed. Sterling            |
| Mrs. W. M. Sterling | Mrs. Trent Newton            |
| Mrs. J. B. Powers   | Miss Evelyn Belmont Sterling |

The Chapter's namesake, Col. William Sterling, was born in Connecticut in 1768 and died there in 1827. He married Jerusha Ely. Their son, Thomas Sill Sterling, married Mary Falconer. William Sterling served as a Colonel in the Connecticut Militia in the War of 1812. This Chapter was disbanded in 1941.

### LT. COL. JOHN FINDLAY CHAPTER

This Chapter was organized in Palestine, TX on May 22, 1926, under the direction of Mrs. J. J. Quinn, Texas Society President. No further information could be found in our Archives.

The Chapter's namesake, John Findlay, was born in Pennsylvania in 1766 and died there in 1838. He married Nancy Brownson and their daughter, Mary B., married Judge George Paul Torrence. Their son, William I. Torrence, married Sarah Hamilton. John Findlay served as Lt. Col. in the Pennsylvania Militia in the War of 1812.

### WILLIAM RAMEY CHAPTER

This Chapter was organized in Brownwood, TX on June 7, 1926. Mrs. C. P. Early was the Organizer under the direction of Mrs. J. J. Quinn, Texas Society President. The Charter Members were:

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| Mrs. F. S. Abney       | Mrs. Addie M. Martin       |
| Mrs. A. H. Bell        | Mrs. V. T. Mallory         |
| Mrs. N. A. Bell        | Mrs. Hickman Joseph Moseby |
| Mrs. Herman B. Bellis  | Mrs. J. Tom Padgitt        |
| Mrs. E. M. Boon        | Mrs. Corey Addison Posey   |
| Mrs. E. Y. Early       | Mrs. John R. Quinn         |
| Mrs. J. M. Early       | Mrs. V. Y. Robnett         |
| Mrs. T. E. Edwards     | Mrs. R. B. Rogers          |
| Mrs. Effie G. Fentress | Mrs. R. A. Smith           |
| Mrs. F. E. Harrell     | Mrs. T. Clyde Smith        |
| Mrs. R. S. Love        | Mrs. L. M. Tarrant         |
| Mrs. L. L. Weaver      | Mrs. J. A. Walker          |
| Mrs. C. P. Early       |                            |

The Chapter's namesake, William Ramey, was born in Kentucky in 1790 and died there in 1823. He married Jane Sanders. Their son, James M., married Nancy Reddick. William Ramey served as Private in the Kentucky Militia in the War of 1812.

The Chapter disbanded in 1931 after a very encouraging start, working in the schools for patriotic education and working with Spanish War Veterans in Texas.

#### ROBERT JAMES LOWERY CHAPTER

This Chapter was organized in Corsicana, TX on November 11, 1926. Mrs. J. J. Quinn was Texas Society President.

There is no listing of Officers or Charter Members. When the Chapter was disbanded in November of 1928 ( or 1938 - two dates being given in the records) three members were transferred to State membership. These were: Mrs. D. W. Rice, Mrs. E. M. Polk, and Mrs. James W. Dyers.

The Chapter's namesake, Robert James Lowery, was born in South Carolina in 1783 and died in Mississippi in 1825. He married Eliza Wren and their son, James Francis, married Melissa Emma Clark. Robert James Lowery served as a Lt. in the Mississippi Militia in the War of 1812.

#### JOHN WESLEY BOATNER CHAPTER

This Chapter was organized in Lubbock, TX on July 4, 1928 and Chartered September 18, 1928. Mrs. Cecil Boatner Woods was the Organizer under the direction of Mrs. Cora E. Behrends, Texas Society President. The Charter Members were:

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|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| Mrs. Cecil Boatner Woods | Miss Virginia Mullican       |
| Mrs. W. W. Word          | Miss D. H. Boatner           |
| Mrs. Lon A. Mullican     | Miss Hortense Raglans        |
| Mrs. O. M. Fowler        | Mrs. John W. Scott of Denton |

The Chapter's namesake, John Wesley Boatner, was born in South Carolina in 1793 and died in Mississippi in 1864. He married Rachel Agner and their son, John, married Ellen Barnett. John Wesley Boatner served as Private in the South Carolina Militia in the War of 1812.

#### WILLIAM WILCOXSON CHAPTER

This Chapter was organized in Beaumont, TX on February 29, 1932. Mrs. E. L. Nall was the Organizer under the direction of Mrs. Paul W. McFadden, Texas Society President.

The first Officers were:

Regent - Mrs. E. L. Nall  
Vice-Regent - Mrs. John Gilbert  
Recording Secretary - Mrs. W. B. Livesay  
Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. A. B. Marks  
Treasurer - Margaret T. Bryan  
Registrar - Mrs. L. B. Pipkin  
Historian - Mrs. Presley H. Mahon

Other Charter Members were:

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|------------------------|---------------------|
| Mrs. Norvell Lipscomb  | Mrs. R. E. Rachford |
| Mrs. W. P. H. McFadden | Mrs. W. C. Sperling |
| Miss Martha K. Dearing |                     |

The Chapter's namesake, William Wilcoxson, was born in Kentucky in 1794 and died there in 1874. He married Katerine, and their daughter, Nancy, married John Walker Dearing. William Wilcoxson served as Private in the Kentucky Militia in the War of 1812.

The Chapter requested permission to disband December 17, 1936.



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STATE BOARD MEETINGS

June 3, 1978 . . . . . Hancock Center, Austin, Texas  
November 1, 1978 . . . . . Stagecoach Inn, Salado, Texas  
June 13, 1979 . . . . . North Park Inn, Dallas, Texas  
November 3, 1979 . . . . . San Antonio Counrty Club  
San Antonio, Texas

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ANNUAL STATE COUNCIL MEETINGS

March 6-7, 1979 . . . Howard Johnson Motor Lodge, Austin, Texas  
Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter Hostess.  
Mrs. Lemuel M. Rathbone, General Chairman  
Miss Hazel Broderick, Council Coordinator  
March 3-4, 1980 . . . . . Ramada Inn, College Station, Texas  
Stephen Williams Chapter, Hostess.

CONSTITUTION U. S. DAUGHTERS OF 1812  
STATE OF TEXAS

Article I

This Society shall be called the National Society of the United States Daughters of 1812, State of Texas.

Article II - Membership

Section 1. Chapter may be formed when seven eligible persons so desire, subject to the approval of the State Executive Committee.

Section 2. All Chapters in the State of Texas in good and regular standing in the National Society shall be members of the State Society of Texas.

Section 3. In recognition of her active and faithful service to the Texas Society, Honorary Membership may be conferred on the outgoing State President by a two-thirds vote of the state members present at any regular meeting.

Section 4. Each member shall have both a national and state number, said number to remain on file in case of death, resignation or transfer.

Article III - Officers and Their Election

Section 1. The officers of this Society shall be a State President, a First, Second, Third and Fourth State Vice Presidents, a State Chaplain, a State Recording Secretary, a State Corresponding Secretary, a State Treasurer, a State Registrar, a State Historian, a State Librarian, and a State Curator. These offices with a State Parliamentarian (who is appointed by the State President) with Chapter Presidents and Past State Presidents shall constitute the Executive Committee.

Section 2. Election of officers shall be held at State Council on even numbered years. Election shall be by ballot, except when there is only one candidate for an office, in which case the ballot may be dispensed with by unanimous consent and the election be by oral vote.

Section 3. The term of office for all elected officers shall be two years. No officer may succeed herself by election, but may be elected for two years although she may have served by appointment, the unexpired term of her predecessor. No officer may serve on the State Board longer than six consecutive years, except that nothing in this section shall be construed as applicable to a member holding Honorary Office for life, to State Presidents, or to prevent any member, regardless of services in other offices from being elected to State President.

Section 4. All officers shall assume the duties of their office upon election and installation except the incoming State Treasurer. The outgoing State Treasurer shall continue to serve for 30 days following State Council in order to settle all bills. She shall

turn over her books to her successor following auditing by the Auditing Committee.

a. The State President shall appoint an Auditing Committee consisting of a Chairman and two members who live in the same city as the State Treasurer and who shall audit the books prior to State Council on odd numbered years. On even numbered years the Treasurer's books shall be audited within 30 days after the State Council at which new State Officers were installed.

Section 5. No member may serve as State President and Chapter President at the same time for longer than four months in order to complete a term of either office.

Section 6. A Nominating Committee consisting of one member from each Chapter shall be elected at the final business session of State Council on odd numbered years.

a. Nominations for candidates for State Officers must come from the chapter of the nominee. Nominations may be made from the floor of the State Council.

b. Nominations for candidates to represent the Texas Society in National offices must come from the chapters of the nominees and must be submitted to each chapter in the state in written form at least six weeks before State Council. Election shall be according to regulations for State Offices.

c. No candidate may be eligible for a State Office or to represent the Texas Society in a National office, unless she has been a member of a chapter of the Texas Society for two years.

Section 7. Elections shall be by ballot. Three tellers shall be appointed by the State President and two elected by the State Council.

Section 8. Vacancies among the State officers, or chairmen of committees, shall be filled by appointment of the State President, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee. Appointees shall hold office until the following State Council.

#### Article IV - Meetings

Section 1. The annual meeting of the Society shall be held each year between February 1st and April 1st, the date and place of meeting, subject to the decision of the State Board of Directors.

Section 2. The order of Business shall be:

1. Invocation, Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.
2. National Anthem.
3. Report of Committee on Credentials.
4. Reading of the Minutes.
5. Report of Officers.
6. Report of Standing Committees.
7. Special Committees and Special Orders.
8. Unfinished Business and General Orders.
9. New Business
10. Program of the Day.
11. Adjournment.

Section 3. Special Meetings of the State Society may be called by the State President or upon the written request of 15 members.

Section 4. The Board of Directors shall meet in November preceeding State Council and again prior to June 15th.

Section 5. Meetings of the State Board of Directors shall be called by the State President or upon request of three members of the State Executive Committee.

#### Article V - Amendments

Section 1. This Constitution may be amended at any session of State Council by a two-thirds vote, provided that a copy of the proposed amendment shall have been sent to each chapter at least six weeks before the meeting of the State Council.

Section 2. Bylaws may be amended at any session of the State Council by a two-thirds vote.

### BYLAWS

#### Article I - Fees and Dues

Section 1. The total amount of the State and National initiation fees and State and National dues shall be seventeen dollars and fifty cents (\$17.50).

a. The State initiation fee shall be three dollars (\$3.00) and State Dues two dollars (\$2.00), total five dollars (\$5.00). The National initiation fee is ten dollars (\$10.00) and National dues are two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50), total twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50). State fees and dues of five dollars (\$5.00) and National fees and dues of twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50) making a combined total of seventeen dollars and fifty cents (\$17.50) is remitted for each prospective member by the Chapter Treasurer to the State Treasurer. The State Treasurer remits twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50) to the Treasurer National and retains five dollars (\$5.00) in the State Treasury.

Section 2. The annual State and National dues shall be four dollars and fifty cents (\$4.50) payable to the State Treasurer. Of that amount, National dues are two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) which is remitted by the State Treasurer to the Treasurer National; and State dues are two dollars (\$2.00), which is retained by the State Treasurer in the State Treasury.

a. All members of the Texas Society who have attained one hundred (100) years of age are exempt from payment of all State fees and dues.

b. Honorary Presidents National and Honorary Vice-Presidents National who are members of the Texas Society shall be excused from payment of State fees and dues.

Section 3. All dues are payable on the first day of October, and members become delinquent after December 31.

Section 4. Applicants admitted to membership after January first shall not be liable for National and State dues until a year from the following October.

Section 5. National and State initiation fees and dues for Juniors shall be three dollars (\$3.00) payable to the State Treasurer. An initiation fee of two dollars (\$2.00) and annual dues

of fifty cents (\$.50), total amount of two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) shall be sent to the Treasurer National. Annual State dues of fifty cents (\$.50) shall be retained by the Texas Society.

Section 6. Supplemental Lines carry a fee of four dollars and fifty cents (\$4.50). Fifty cents (\$.50) shall be retained by the State Society.

The Handbook of the N.S.U.S.D. 1812 states: "The State President prepares each year the roll of all members in her state...." "and before the name of each new member whose application papers have been signed by the President National after January 1st and before October 1st, she places a capital N."

#### Article II - Duties of Officers

Section 1. The State President shall preside at the sessions of the State Council and at all meetings of the State Society and of the State Board of Directors. She shall have power to call meetings of the State Society and of the State Board of Directors. She shall appoint all chairmen of committees except the elected members of the Nominating Committee, and shall be an exofficio member of each. She shall furnish to the President National, before October 1 of each year, a correct alphabetical list of members with addresses and numbers. She shall send to the President National and to the Chairman of the National Committee on Credentials, on or before April 1 of each year the names and addresses of all officers, and of all delegates and alternates to the Associate Council. No communications or appointments sent out in the name of the Society by an officer or member thereof, shall be considered official to which the President has not affixed her signature.

Section 2. The four State Vice Presidents in their order shall, at the request of the State President, or in her absence, discharge the duties of the State President and such other duties as shall be assigned to them.

Section 3. The State Chaplain shall keep a record of the names and numbers of all deceased members and shall notify the Chaplain National of all deaths. She shall conduct the devotional exercises and the annual memorial service for the sessions of the State Council and for the meeting of the Board of Directors.

Section 4. The State Recording Secretary shall keep the minutes of all meetings of the Society and of the Board of Directors. She shall send a typewritten copy of these minutes to the State President. She shall file report of State Officers and State Chairmen.

Section 5. The State Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence not otherwise provided for or as requested by the State Council, the Board of Directors or the State President.

Section 6. The State Treasurer shall collect and deposit the funds of the State Society in a bank approved by the President and the Treasurer. She shall pay all bills which have been approved by the State President or authorized by the State Council, and shall send to the Treasurer National all dues and fees as well as pledges contributed for national purposes. The Treasurer's books shall close March 1 for audit.

Section 7. The State Registrar shall keep a record of the names and addresses, dates of admission, marriage, resignation, transfer, suspension, reinstatement and death of members of the State Society. She shall file the records upon which memberships have been granted; she shall give desired assistance to chapter registrars to tracing lineages.

Section 8. The State Historian shall have charge of all historical material. She shall file a State Scrapbook, clippings and pictures pertaining to activities of the State Society and of the Chapters. She shall be responsible for the Historical Program of the State Council.

Section 9. The State Librarian shall collect and preserve such books and papers as may be of historical interest and value in this Society. Those books and papers shall be listed and marked with the names of the Society and of the donor. Those to be retained in the State shall be given into the custody of the State Curator.

Section 10. The State Curator shall make a list of all relics, gifts, and souvenirs presented to the National and to the State Societies, and prepare a brief history of same. Duplicate lists shall be filed with the Secretary and State Historian. She shall receive the lineage papers of the members and file them in a safe and approved place.

#### Article III - Committees

Section 1. The State President shall appoint, subject to the Executive Committee, all Standing Committees as listed by the National Society. Special Committees may be appointed by the State President subject to the approval of the Executive Committee. Duties of all committees shall be as prescribed by the Executive Committee.

Section 2. Each Committee shall present a written report at the State Council.

Section 3. The Committee on Credentials shall receive the credentials presented by the Chapters for representation at the State Council and prepare an accurate list of those entitled to vote.

Section 4. The State President and five members from her own chapter (these members to be chosen by the State President) shall compile and publish the State Proceedings. These Proceedings shall be published at the conclusion of her term of office and shall be ready for distribution by the following October.

#### Article IV - Representation

Section 1. Each chapter shall be entitled to representation at the State Council by its President or her alternate, and by its fully accredited delegates.

Section 2. Each chapter shall be entitled to a delegate for each five members for whom state dues have been paid, and may elect as many alternates as it desires.

Section 3. The ex-officio delegates to the Associate Council from the State Society shall be those holding office March 1 preceeding the annual meeting of the Associate Council. They shall not exceed thirteen in number and shall, with the Past State Presidents, the Organizing State President and the Chapter Presidents,

constitute the voting representation of the State Society.

Section 4. Chapters in arrears for State dues of any year, shall not be represented in the State Council of the preceeding fiscal year.

#### Article V - Voting Body

Section 1. The voting body shall consist of the Officers, Honorary Officers of the State Society, Chairmen of Standing Committees of the State Society, Officers and Honorary Officers of the National Society whose residence is in Texas, Chapter Presidents and Chapter Delegates, or their alternates.

Section 2. No person shall be entitled to more than one vote.

#### Article VI - Duties of Chapters

Section 1. It shall be the duty of each chapter in the State:

a. To send notices to the State President and to the State Corresponding Secretary of the Election of all chapter officers, committee chairmen and date of their election or appointment.

b. To send to the State President and to the State Registrar, before September 1 of each year, a correct list of its members with correct addresses, State and National numbers, name of ancestor, and his place of residence.

c. To send to the State President and to the Chairman of Credentials for the State Council the names and addresses of officers, delegates, and alternates who are to represent the chapter at the State Council.

d. To send to the State President the names and addresses of chapter presidents or their alternates who are to represent the chapter at the Associate Council.

e. To notify the State President and the State Registrar without delay of the resignation, transfer, suspension, reinstatement, marriage, or death of a member.

f. To pay to the State Treasurer not later than November 1, of each year, the annual dues of the chapter.

g. To send to the State President and to the State Recording Secretary the name of the chapter, the date of organization, the number of its members, the names of its officers, a copy of the chapter Bylaws and to send annually a copy of the chapter yearbook or outline of work.

#### Article VII - Fiscal Year

The Fiscal Year shall extend from March fifteenth.

#### Article VIII - Government

Section 1. The State Board of Directors shall consist of the Executive Committee, National Officers whose membership is in Texas, the Ex-State Presidents, the Chapter Presidents or their alternates, and the Chairmen of the Standing Committees.

Section 2. The State Board of Directors shall transact all necessary business between the meetings of the State Council and shall have the power, when directed by the State Council, to approve the minutes of the last day of the State Council.

It shall have the power to act upon all questions referred to it by the State Executive Committee or by a branch of the Society.

The State Board of Directors shall have no power to appropriate funds for any purpose without the approval of the State Council.

Section 3. All printed matter issued in the name of the State Society by any officers or chairmen must be approved by the President before being sent to press.

Section 4. Five shall constitute a quorum for the State Executive Committee, ten for the State Board of Directors, and fifteen for the meeting of the State Council, provided previous notice has been sent.

#### Article IX - Parliamentary Authority

Robert Rules of Order Revised shall govern the proceedings of this Society when not covered by the State Constitution and Bylaws.

#### EXCERPTS FROM THE NATIONAL CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS:

##### CONSTITUTION

##### Article II - Purposes

The purposes of this Society are to promote patriotism and to preserve and increase knowledge of the history of the American people, by the preservation of documents and relics, the marking of historic spots, the recording of family histories and traditions, the celebration of patriotic anniversaries, teaching and emphasizing the heroic deeds of the civil, military and naval life of those who moulded this Government between the close of the American Revolution and the close of the War of 1812, and urge Congress to compile and publish authentic records of men in civil, military and naval services from 1784 to 1815 inclusive, and to assist in the care and maintenance of our "Real Daughters" in every way that will aid to bring comfort and happiness.

##### Article III - Membership

Section 1. Any woman over eighteen years of age, of good character, and who is descended from an ancestor who rendered civil, military or naval service to our Country during the years 1784-1815 inclusive, shall be eligible to membership, provided the applicant shall be acceptable to the Society and shall take the pledge of allegiance to the United States.

Section 2. Children may join the Society and shall be called Juniors and be governed by the rules that govern all other members.

##### BYLAWS

##### Article IX

Section 7. Chapters shall be governed by the National and State rules. They may adopt rules for the control of their affairs not inconsistent with the National and State rules.

MEMBERSHIP ROLL  
 TEXAS SOCIETY OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY  
 UNITED STATES DAUGHTERS OF 1812

| State National                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Chapter |
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| 1066 19130 Albert, Mrs. Elizabeth W. (Elizabeth Watson)<br>1519 Vassar, Houston, TX 77006<br>Ancestor: Pvt. Jeremiah Frazer, KY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Tait    |
| 1188 20909 Alkek, Mrs. Albert Billy (Margaret Loyce McFarland)<br>Rt. 1, Box 2, Bandera, TX 78003<br>Ancestors:<br>William McFarland, Jr., OH      Isaac Wiseman, NC<br>Hezekiah Owen, NC                Nathan Upchurch, NC<br>Jacob Miller, NC                    Peter Smith, NC<br>Lancelot Junkin, PA                William Olive, NC<br>George Miller, NC                  Richard Wilson, NC<br>Jacob Wiseman, NC                  Richard Owen, NC<br>Solomon Wagner (Waggoner), TN    William Barker, NC<br>Arthur McFarland, OH                Isham Herdon, NC | Jones   |
| 1102 19611 Allen, Mrs. Charles Burton (Virginia Newell Reed)<br>6535 Bob-o-links Drive, Dallas, TX 75210<br>Ancestor: William Richards, VA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Tait    |
| 783 15743 Allen, Mrs. Lester E. (Gladys D. McIver)<br>5424 Edlen Drive, Dallas, TX 75220<br>Ancestor: Lt. Lemuel Tanner, LA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Cavet   |
| 1009 18154 Anderson, Mrs. Ralph Clifford (Flossie Lorraine Whitmire)<br>P. O. Box 3604, Baytown, TX 77520<br>Ancestor: Captain Peter Watts, KY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Tait    |
| 1121 20045 Andrews, Mrs. Andrew Jackson, Jr. (Karolyn Harding Kelso)<br>5722 Alvarado, Houston, TX 77035<br>Ancestor: Alexander Hunter, VA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Tait    |
| 1270 21590 Archer, Mrs. Harry Walter (Lennie Mae Christian)<br>2232 Cos, Liberty, TX 77575<br>Ancestor: Captain Galba Matthews, GA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Tait    |
| 819 16226 Austin, Miss Eleanor R.<br>806 Studio Drive, LaMarque, TX 77568<br>Ancestor: Lt. Andrew A. Finck, NY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Tait    |
| 660 14408 Austin, Mrs. G. T. (Carolyn D. Larsen)<br>806 Studio Drive, LaMarque, TX 77568<br>Ancestor: Lt. Andrew A. Finck, NY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Tait    |
| 695 15035 Bailey, Mrs. Sterling H. (Ollyne Yantis)<br>631 Finch Avenue, McKinney, TX 75069<br>Ancestor: John Yantis, KY and VA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Cavet   |
| 1253 21396 Baird, Delila Mildred<br>909 East Johnston, Rotan, TX 79546<br>Ancestor: William Richardson, NC                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Hudnall |
| 1252 21395 Baird, Josie Mae<br>909 East Johnston, Rotan, TX 79546<br>Ancestor: William Richardson, NC                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Hudnall |

766 15511 Baker, Mrs. Louis Warren (Grace Lee Halstead) Cavet  
4221 Greenbrier Drive, Dallas, TX 75225  
Ancestor: Jonathan Halstead, GA

1172 20734 Ballard, Mrs. Cecil Raymond (Maurice Bradford) Jones  
Box 443, Stockdale, TX 78160  
Ancestor: Thomas Averette, GA

1011 18213 Ballard, Mrs. Samuel Charles (Johnnie Belle McDonald) Perry  
Neches, TX 75779  
Ancestor: John Freeman, GA and TX

1000 17909 Barbee, Mrs. F. V., Jr. (Eleanor McCall) Perry  
203 Nancy Lou Street, El Campo, TX 77437  
Ancestor: James Burleson, Sr., TN

1220 21127 Barber, Mrs. Bradley O. (Eula Marie Beverly) Perry  
704 Nolan, Killeen, TX 76541  
Ancestor: David Scarborough, MS

1140 20306 Barnes, Mrs. Jonathan K. (Carlotta Elnora Berner) Tait  
429 Euclid, Houston, TX 77009  
Ancestor: Daniel Hamlen, TN

1028 18399 Barnett, Mrs. Marshall D. (Eunice Mary Hicks) Cavet  
7242 Lakewood Boulevard, Dallas, TX 75214  
Ancestor: William Richards, VA

699 15053 Barrett, Mrs. Arthur E. (Will Winna Crenshaw) Cavet  
7308 Mason Dells, Dallas, TX 75230  
Ancestor: General David Meriwether, GA

971 17557 Barrow, Mrs. Vernon Gilbert (Lillian M. Mansell) Tait  
1114 Manatee Lane, Houston, TX 77090  
Ancestor: Gideon Johnson, SC

999 17908 Barry, Mrs. Lloyd K. (Mary Elizabeth Groesbeck) Jones  
P. O. Box 531, Silver City, NM 88061  
Ancestor: Lt. Richard Phelps, MD

890 16953 Bartlett, Mrs. Dwight M. (Nellie R. Holman) Perry  
912 Pugo Street, Lake Charles, LA 70601  
Ancestor: Captain Henry F. Delany, KY

1082 19379 Barton, Beth Lynne Perry  
Rt. 2, Box 312, Belton, TX 76513 Junior  
Ancestor: Robert Cox, SC

1043 18806 Batot, Mrs. Lester Felix (Sarah Ragsdale) Jones  
P. O. Box 213, Falfurrias, TX 78355  
Ancestor: William Ragsdale, KY

1100 19605 Baucom, Mrs. Byrne V. (Corinne Grace Conner) Tait  
2801 West Lane Drive, Houston, TX 77027  
Ancestor: Samuel Humphreys Williams, TN

1068 19158 Baughn, Mrs. Milton H., Jr. (Anna Letyr Proctor) Jones  
259 Wyanoke Drive, San Antonio, TX 78209  
Ancestors: Col. John Cotton, MS; Thomas Proctor, KY

258 6208 Behrends, Mrs. Earl D. (Daisy Teagarden) Cavet  
5455 Richard, Dallas, TX 75214  
Ancestor: William Teagarden, PA

1021 18327 Bell, Mrs. Burness Ward Jones  
1819 Babcock Road, San Antonio, TX 78229 Apt.702  
Ancestors:  
Sgt. William Loftin McDow, SC Capt. Thomas Lewis, KY  
Gen. John Edwards, KY Gov. James Garrard, KY

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| 910  | 17122 | Bell, Miss Marion Louise<br>2019 Dryden Road, Houston, TX 77030<br>Ancestor: John Bell, PA                                             | Tait  |
| 1078 | 19320 | Benson, Mrs. Joseph M. (Barbara Fitzgerald)<br>1313 Town Circle, Baytown, TX 77520<br>Ancestors: Philip Winfree, LA; Samuel Fisher, LA | Tait  |
| 1171 | 20682 | Bergman, Mrs. John Edward, Sr. (Ella Estelle Lyford)<br>402 Rockhill Drive, San Antonio, TX 78209<br>Ancestor: James H. Walker, SC     | Jones |
| 1255 | 21398 | Best, Mrs. Robert Doyle (Myra Frances Yates)<br>5844 Royal Lane, Dallas, TX 75230<br>Ancestor: Edmund Penn, VA                         | Cavet |
| 1098 | 19528 | Black, Mrs. Elbert M. (Dorothy Brough)<br>452 S. Burnet Drive, Baytown, TX 77520<br>Ancestor: Benjamin White, TN                       | Tait  |
| 1108 | 19771 | Boatwright, Mrs. Leon (Jessie Mai Eubank)<br>Box 287, Mabank, TX 75147<br>Ancestor: Elias M. Eubank, VA                                | Cavet |
| 1042 | 18805 | Bock, Mrs. Mary Stalnaker (Mary Hale Stalnaker)<br>2217 B Nantucket, Houston, TX 77057<br>Ancestor: William Pope DuVal, FL             | Tait  |
| 1004 | 18017 | Bostick, Mrs. Raymond (Betty Jane Bond)<br>900 Ivy Lane, San Antonio, TX 78209<br>Ancestor: Joseph Phillips, SC                        | Jones |
| 1152 | 20513 | Bourgeois, Mrs. Raymond Louis (Lasca Zerelda Sullivan)<br>2917 Lafayette, Houston, TX 77005<br>Ancestor: Lt. Asahel Root, NY           | Tait  |
| 1090 | 19466 | Bowen, Mrs. Nadyne (Florence Nadyne Barrow)<br>7304 Staffordshire, Apt. 4, Houston, TX 77030<br>Ancestor: James Taylor White, LA       | Tait  |
| 1180 | 20903 | Boyt, Mrs. E. V. (Kathleen Nelson)<br>P. O. Box 566, Devers, TX 77538<br>Ancestor: John B. Roden, AL                                   | Tait  |
| 1208 | 21060 | Bradford, Mrs. Marvin T. (Gertrude Gillespie)<br>13119 Boheme, Houston, TX 77079<br>Ancestor: Malachi Madison Sanders, GA              | Tait  |
| 1191 | 20921 | Brainard, Mrs. Ernest Scott (Billie Jayne Dawson)<br>2119 Lipscomb, Amarillo, TX 79109<br>Ancestor: Captain George Caperton, AL and TN | Tait  |
| 1224 | 21178 | Brazeel, Mrs. Carl Gay (Frances Asbury Ware)<br>15751 Steamboat Lane, Houston, TX 77079<br>Ancestor: Jesse Blocker, SC                 | Tait  |
| 1251 | 21394 | Brewer, Mrs. Howard Alvis (Anna Lucille Nye)<br>1202 Felton, Baytown, TX 77520<br>Ancestor: John Coffee, TN and LA                     | Tait  |
| 1261 | 21497 | Bringhurst, Miss Nancy<br>3820 Swarthmore, Houston, TX 77007<br>Ancestor: John Sims, SC                                                | Tait  |
| 630  | 13865 | Broadbent, Miss Josephine<br>241 West Craig Place, San Antonio, TX 78212<br>Ancestor: Hon. James Fisk, VT                              | Jones |
| 723  | 15220 | Broderick, Miss Hazel<br>3400 Oakmont Boulevard, Austin, TX 78703<br>Ancestor: Robert Rowe, NC                                         | Perry |

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| 958  | 17379 | Brown, Miss Maria Theresa McCulloch<br>Ave Nogales 240 - San Isidro, Lima, Peru<br>Ancestor: Alexander McCulloch, TN                                                                         | State              |
| 1177 | 20790 | Brusse, Mrs. Joseph Cleveland (Frances Lamar Williams)<br>2807 Celinda Circle, College Station, TX77840-Williams<br>Ancestor: Stephen Williams, MS                                           | Williams           |
| 1127 | 21205 | Brusse, Alison Anne<br>5066 South 161st Circle, Omaha, NB 68135<br>Ancestor: Stephen Williams, MS                                                                                            | Williams<br>Junior |
| 1128 | 21206 | Brusse, Cindi Lea<br>5066 South 161st Circle, Omaha, NB 68135<br>Ancestor: Stephen Williams, MS                                                                                              | Williams<br>Junior |
| 1239 | 21253 | Brusse, Nancy Louise<br>2807 Celinda Circle, College Station, TX 77840<br>Ancestor: Stephen Williams, MS                                                                                     | Williams<br>Junior |
| 1273 | 21628 | Buckellew, Mrs. Cleveland Oren (Ruth Farrow)<br>One East Upshaw, Temple, TX 76501<br>Ancestor: John Stephenson, TX and LA                                                                    | Perry              |
| 1138 | 20291 | Butler, Mrs. Wilburn Jake (Verna Lee Smith)<br>7934 Glenheath, Houston, TX 77061<br>Ancestor: Joseph Dunman, LA                                                                              | Tait               |
| 672  | 14729 | Byers, Mrs. Earl L. (Winna Bell Pickett)<br>2801 Covert Avenue, Ft. Worth, TX 76115<br>Ancestor: John Pickett, TN                                                                            | Tarrant            |
| 1115 | 19970 | Bynum, Mrs. Quincy Webb (Paulina Rachel Crowell)<br>134 East Mulberry Avenue, San Antonio, TX 78212<br>Ancestor: David Archibald, OH                                                         | Jones              |
| 1181 | 20906 | Callaway, Mrs. Agnes Tenny (Agnes Merle Tenny)<br>2828 Bammel Lane, Houston, TX 77098<br>Ancestors: Col. Samuel Higginbotham, VA<br>Capt. William Fortson, GA; Lt. Thomas Fortson, Jr. VA&GA | Tait               |
| 1295 | 21735 | Callaway, Andrew Stuart<br>2764 Dean Parkway, Minneapolis, MN 55416<br>Ancestor: Col. Samuel Higginbotham, VA                                                                                | Tait<br>Junior     |
| 1294 | 21734 | Callaway, Carrie Agnes<br>7300 Geneva Drive, Austin, TX 78723<br>Ancestor: Colonel Samuel Higginbotham, VA                                                                                   | Tait<br>Junior     |
| 1293 | 21733 | Callaway, Graham French<br>6039 Darkwood Drive, Houston, TX 77088<br>Ancestor: Colonel Samuel Higginbotham, VA                                                                               | Tait<br>Junior     |
| 1292 | 21732 | Callaway, Karen Marie<br>6039 Darkwood Drive, Houston, TX 77088<br>Ancestor: Colonel Samuel Higginbotham, VA                                                                                 | Tait<br>Junior     |
| 1296 | 21736 | Callaway, Lewis Lynne<br>7300 Geneva Drive, Austin, Texas 78723<br>Ancestor: Colonel Samuel Higginbotham, VA                                                                                 | Tait<br>Junior     |
| 1297 | 21737 | Callaway, Sarah Elizabeth Fielding<br>2764 Dean Parkway, Minneapolis, MN 55416<br>Ancestor: Colonel Samuel Higginbotham, VA                                                                  | Tait<br>Junior     |
| 1046 | 18826 | Callender, Mrs. Richard E. (Martha V. Linder)<br>209 Lee Avenue, College Station, TX 77804<br>Ancestor: Captain Greef Johnson, MS                                                            | Tait               |

1003 18005 Caswell, Mrs. Homer Newton (Edith C. Cook) Perry  
1607 Elm Street, Georgetown, TX 78626  
Ancestor: Enoch Hooper, KY

736 15299 Clack, Miss Tommie Hudnall  
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Ancestor: Private Raleigh Clack, TN

1122 20046 Clark, Mrs. Claribel Grace Tait  
Apt. 214 Center Ct., 4605 N. Braeswood, Houston, TX 77096  
Ancestor: Sgt. Jonathan Olds, MA

1226 21180 Clark, Mrs. Robert Malcolm (Annie Pauline Webb) Cavet  
2909 State Street, Biloxi, MS 39535  
Ancestor: Jonathan Hardy, AL

1145 20383 Claypool, Mrs. Robbins Marshall (Claire Westwood Blocker) Tait  
4807 Bellaire Boulevard, Bellaire, TX 77401  
Ancestor: Jesse Blocker, SC

1283 21688 Cobb, Mrs. Herschel N. (Evelyn Ponder Hebert) Cavet  
3644 Caspar Drive, Dallas, TX 75200  
Ancestor: Joseph DeVance Hamilton, LA

825 16325 Coker, Miss Mary Louise Alexander  
313 East 2nd Street, Tyler, TX 75701  
Ancestor: John Cunningham, AL and TN

459 9527 Coleman, Mrs. William P., Jr. (Florence Yeamans) Jones  
1331 Lockhill-Selma Road, San Antonio, TX 78213  
Ancestor: Henry Russell, NY

604 11886 Colglazier, Miss Elva B. Perry  
2110 Rio Grande Street, Austin, TX 78705  
Ancestor: John Wetzel, PA

424 8611 Colwell, Mrs. Dennis G. (Ellen Shelton) Cavet  
1502 West Colorado, Dallas, TX 75208  
Ancestor: Jacob Smith, TN

899 17025 Conley, Mrs. Edward W. (Lois Sparkman) Jones  
7834 Broadway, Apt. 506, San Antonio, TX 78213  
Ancestors: Capt. John Spinks, William Sparkman, TN

1149 20433 Cook, Miss Mary Edith Perry  
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Ancestor: Enoch Hooper, KY  
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1167 20626 Cook, Mrs. Sam G. (Eula Belle Maley) Perry  
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Ancestor: Samuel B. Barber, LA

1299 21758 Cooper, Mrs. Mary Collie, Sr. (Mary Evalyn Collie) Williams  
740 Garden Acres, Bryan, TX 77801  
Ancestor: Duncan C. Campbell, TN

594 13222 Cox, Mrs. Thomas W. (Carrol Mosby) Alexander  
505 South Broadway, Tyler, TX 75702  
Ancestor: Colonel John Mosby, TN

1037 18731 Crain, Mrs. B. W., Jr. (Ann Lacy) Tait  
Box 2146, Longview, TX 75601  
Ancestor: Alexander Carter, NC

1264 21515 Crain, Mrs. Solon Patrick (Marguerite Starr) Daugherty  
1203 W. Cuthbert, Midland, TX 79701  
Ancestor: Hezekiah Williams, Jr., LA

1276 21668 Cranek, Miss Jane Alice Tait  
525 Wallace Street, Columbus, TX 78934  
Ancestor: Captain James Asbury Tait, GA  
Junior

1182 20907 Crews, Mrs. James Edward, Jr. (D'Anne McAdams) Tait  
253 Royal Oaks, Huntsville, TX 77340  
Ancestor: Sgt. Philip Gatch, IL

1212 21076 Cross, Mrs. John Ellsworth (Clyde Ola Parmelly) Daugherty  
1607 Winfield Road, Midland, TX 79701  
Ancestor: Solomon Robbins, AL

678 14888 Crutcher, Mrs. John W. (Owene Breckenridge Peeler) Jones  
622 Terrell Road, San Antonio, TX 78209  
Ancestor: Jacob Peeler, GA

728 15248 Curry, Mrs. Basil H. (Elizabeth Lee Harris) Cavet  
10546 Stone Canyon Road, Apt. 124, Dallas, TX 75230  
Ancestor: Brig. Gen. James Cox, KY

891 16954 Daniel, Mrs. T. Price (Jean Houston Baldwin) Perry  
600 West 10th Street, Austin, TX 78701  
Ancestor: Lt. and Ens. Sam Houston, TN and TX

576 13002 Davidson, Mrs. Mary H. (Mary Hughes) Alexander  
16808 El Camino Road, Houston, TX 77058  
Ancestor: Sgt. Pleasant Vincent, GA

1070 19168 Davis, Mrs. E. E. (Katherine S. Berry) Hudnall  
745 B South Park, San Angelo, TX 76901  
Ancestor: Asa Harrell, NC

1250 21380 Davis, Mrs. Grover William (Marjorie Elizabeth Holtje) Tait  
416 East Gaywood, Houston, TX 77089  
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931 17187 Davis, Mrs. Joe C. (Cornelia Smither) Tait  
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1007 18121 D'Olive, Mrs. Norman Sedoin (Valley Fern Lowery) Tait  
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1185 20865 Dollins, Mrs. R. E. (Martha Romaine Irvine) Tarrant  
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1237 21249 Freeman, Mrs. William Washington (Myra Myrtle Rickman)  
7927 Braes Meadow, Houston, TX 77071 Tait  
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943 17285 Fricke, Mrs. Leslie Louie (Charlotte Henri Groesbeck)  
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1025 18358 Gallemore, Mrs. James Neal (Doris Vivian Bond) Jones  
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1146 20388 Garrett, Mrs. Virgil Fenton (Hattie Mae Douglas) Cavet  
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1201 21000 Giddings, Miss Louise Adelia Williams  
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990 17870 Gildemiester, Mrs. Carl (Robbie Elizabeth Peyton)  
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1211 21075 Glass, Mrs. George Holt (Myra Elizabeth Best)  
1802 Huntington, Midland, TX 79701 Daugherty  
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1231 21210 Gough, Mrs. Mary Frances (Mary F. Sullinger) Williams  
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1026 18387 Grace, Mrs. Oscar J. (Lillian Davenport) Tarrant  
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1217 21084 Graham, Mrs. Thomas Eugene (Wilna Roberta Russell)  
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1117 20019 Grantham, Mrs. Leonard, Sr. (Vivian Emeline Hazard)  
58 West 34th Street, San Angelo, TX 76901 Hudnall  
Ancestor: William A. Butler (Boetler), TN

1176 20770 Gray, Mrs. Mackey Myers (Lillian Reid) Hudnall  
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Ancestor: James Luna, TN

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| 272  | 6268  | Harris, Mrs. Eugene Truett, Sr. (Mary Belle Smith)<br>John Knox Village of Florida, Apt. 1103<br>651 S. W. 6th Street, Pompano Beach, FL 33060<br>Ancestor: John Sleet Major, KY | Tait               |
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1183 20863 Irvine, Mrs. James, Sr., (Mildred McCorkle) Tarrant  
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1159 19655 Irwin, Mrs. Felix Louis (Martha Agnes Suttle) Tait  
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1033 18523 Jones, Miss Nan Cavet  
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1260 21496 McKee, Joe Frank Sargent Hudnall  
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1165 20619 McKee, Mrs. Pleas Milton (Annabet Sargent) Hudnall  
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629 13841 Mendez, Mrs. Henry (Edna Mae Reagan Bradford) Jones  
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1263 21514 Morrow, Mrs. Ruple (Lelia Vera Adams) Hudnall  
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A PRAYER FOR REMEMBRANCE

Almighty God, who gave our forebears the strength, the courage and the tenacity to make sacrifices which helped to hold and to improve the heritage which Thou didst provide for us, we now call upon Thee asking that Thou continue to look with favor upon us.

We fall so far short of being worthy of these favors that we can only ask for forgiveness for our shortcomings and pray for the courage needed to continue the tasks which our ancestors so carefully laid out and for which they were not allotted the time to complete. May we see the need and do what we can to be worthy of the blessings we have inherited.

We thank Thee for life and for the opportunity to make our great land and heritage a better country for our posterity. We reserve the principles and virtues of our dear departed. Amen.

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