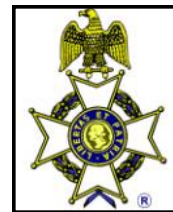


# Newsletter of THE GEORGIA SOCIETY

## Sons of the American Revolution



# The

July—September, 2013

# Hornet's Nest

### The President's Dispatch



President James E. Stallings, Sr.

My Compatriots,

I would like to begin my Dispatch by expressing my thanks to those Compatriots who, in their recruiting efforts, have increased the Georgia Society membership to an all time high. We now have 1700 members and very well may end the year with over 1750 members. Let's try very hard not to lose any members this year. Please begin to think about dues collections starting now rather than wait until towards the end of the year. We all have those individuals who, although, with the best intentions of continuing as members just don't get around to it and wind up being dropped and have to go through the re-instatement process.

Please start to work on developing a list of all who need a little "TLC" and let's strive for 100% in member retention as well as trying to regain some of our past members who just decided not to continue in SAR.

In a few days I will complete three quarters of my term as your president and almost daily I am reminded of the responsibility incumbent upon me to serve you well.

The month of August began with a continuation of activity for me as visits to

chapters were immediate as on August 3rd I visited the Rome Chapter where I brought Greetings from the Society and presented "Writing the Constitution". On the 8th I visited the Wiregrass Chapter, in Swainsboro, GA where I brought Greetings from the Society and presented "The War of 1812 in Georgia".

On August 20th I visited the John Collins Chapter where I brought Greetings from the Society and presented "Writing the Constitution". On the morning of August 24th I brought Greetings from GASSAR and participated with the Elijah Clarke Militia in a musket salute at the unveiling of a historical marker at the Ramoth Baptist Church of Christ near Eatonton, sponsored by the Sandy Springs Chapter NSDAR. That evening I visited the Joel Early Chapter, in Iron City, GA where I brought Greetings from the Society and presented "Uniforms of the American Revolution".

On August 27th at a called meeting of the Executive Committee of GASSAR the committee members discussed the feasibility of a possible donation from GASSAR to the Kettle Creek Battlefield Association.

September 9th found me in Waynesboro, GA visiting the Patrick Carr Rangers Chapter where we enjoyed an old fashioned catfish cookout in a rustic cabin on the bank of Brier Creek, after which I brought Greetings from the Society and presented "Writing the Constitution".

On 17 September I traveled to Young Harris, GA where I visited the Blue Ridge Mountains Chapter bringing Greetings from the Society and presenting "Writing the Constitution". That day was the 226th anniversary of the signing of that document.

On the 19th I attended the Constitution Day program sponsored by the Elijah Clarke NSDAR in Athens, GA where I participated with the GASSAR Color Guard.

On Saturday 21 September I attended the Constitution Week Luncheon sponsored by

Georgia Society DAR where I brought Greetings from GASSAR and presented two Certificates of Appreciation to the GSSDAR.

On September 26-28 I attended the NSSAR Fall Leadership Conference in Louisville, KY. There I attended a number of committee meetings and participated with the combined Color Guard in posting and retrieving the Colors during the ceremonies. I am most pleased that fifteen other Georgia Society Compatriots also attended.

October 3rd I traveled to Dalton, GA where I visited the Dalton Chapter, brought Greetings from the Society and presented "The Battle of Kings Mountain".

On October 5th I was honored to preside during the Chartering of the new Robert Forsyth Chapter in Cumming, GA. It was a great event and through the hard work of a number of individuals the chapter begins with fifty-five charter members, many who were installed that evening by their new president Allen Greenly.

On October 7, I, along with a number of Georgia Compatriots traveled to Gaffney, SC where we participated in the Battle of Kings Mountain Commemoration, after which many of us continued on to Savannah, GA and participated in the Battle of Savannah Commemoration on the 9th. where we were joined by other Compatriots.

On October 10 I visited the Marshes of Glynn Chapter in St Simons Island, GA where I brought Greetings from the Society and presented "The War of 1812 in Georgia".

October 12 I was in Augusta, GA where I brought Greetings from the Society and participated with the GASSAR Color Guard in the dedication of a bronze marker at the grave of Patriot John Milledge, former Congressman and Governor of Georgia.

*(Continued on Page 6)*

*The center of the fight for Independence in Wilkes County, Georgia, became known as "the hornet's nest" because of the stinging attacks made from there by the Georgia Patriots against the British and Tories.*

# The Hornet's Nest

©Copyright 2013



## Publisher

GASSAR  
James E. Stallings  
230 Calloway Drive  
Macon, GA 31204-2428  
478-745-4516  
jstallings7@cox.net

## Editor

William A. Greenly  
6044 Ivey Meadow Lane  
Cumming, GA 30040-6675  
678-965-4135  
wagreenly@gmail.com

The Hornet's Nest is published quarterly and copyrighted by the Georgia Society Sons of the American Revolution, Inc., a domestic nonprofit corporation, for members in good standing of the chapters in the state of Georgia. Please send articles and photos of your committee and chapter activities and announcements to the editor. **The deadline for input to the next edition is January 31, 2014.** Copyrighted articles previously published in other publications cannot be used without written consent of the author (Exception: US Government publications). Please send **changes or corrections of e-mail address** to the Secretary, **George H. Wheelless**, at his address listed in the Officers box at right.

Visit the State Society Web Site: [www.georgiasocietysar.org](http://www.georgiasocietysar.org)

## GEORGIA SOCIETY OFFICERS

### PRESIDENT

James E. Stallings, Sr.  
230 Calloway Drive  
Macon, GA 31204-2428  
478-745-4516  
jstallings7@cox.net

### SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT

Roger W. Coursey  
259 Stagecoach Avenue  
Guyton, GA 31312-5333  
912-728-3286  
captrog2000@yahoo.com

### SECRETARY

George H. Wheelless  
63 New Court  
Carrollton, GA 30116-5557  
770-836-1162  
secretaryga@comcast.net

### TREASURER

Terry E. Manning  
1201 Timber Glen Ct., SW  
Lilburn, GA 30047-7439  
770-564-8822  
temanning@aol.com

### REGISTRAR

Robert A. Sapp  
2649 Club Valley Drive  
Marietta, GA 30068-3519  
770-971-0189  
2rasapp@bellsouth.net

### EDITOR

William A. Greenly  
6440 Ivey Meadow Lane  
Cumming, GA 30040-6675  
678-965-4135  
wagreenly@gmail.com

### RECORDING SECRETARY

Virgil W. Palmer  
1061 Crabapple Circle  
Watkinsville, GA 30677  
706-255-6954  
palmervw@sarathenschapter.org

### CHAPLAIN

Roger G. Lamb, Jr.  
4044 Hickory Fairway Dr.  
Woodstock, GA 30188-2306  
770-591-4528  
rglmail@aol.com

### GENEALOGIST

William H. Raper  
P.O. Box 524  
Cornelia, GA 30531-0524  
706-778-2546  
whraper@yahoo.com

### CHANCELLOR

Chris E. Chapman  
1561 Aiken Chafin Lane  
McDonough, GA 30252  
404-787-4021  
chap1993@gmail.com

### HISTORIAN

James W. Lynch  
2734 Varlet Ct., SW  
Snellville, GA 30039-4448  
770-978-8362  
jimwlync@bellsouth.net

### SERGEANT-AT-ARMS

Jackson (Jay) Guest  
1240 Crabapple Circle  
Watkinsville, GA 30677-4125  
706-769-9269  
judgcejg@yahoo.com

## Regional Vice Presidents

### Northeast Region

Don Ray Thomas, Sr.  
1390 Shoreline Drive  
Tignall, GA 30668  
706-359-4085  
dpdastro@aol.com

### Northwest Region

Wayne L. Brown  
2062 Double Creek Drive  
Powder Springs, GA 30127  
404-694-4609  
engineerscorner@gmail.com

### Southeast Region

James H. Boatright III  
102 Thiot Lane  
Brunswick, GA 31525-2111  
912-267-7454  
jimmy\_boatright@yahoo.com

### Southwest Region

Carl M. Cates  
P.O. Box 4201  
Valdosta, GA 31604-4201  
229-245-2456  
C.Cates@mchsi.com

### Central Region

Robert P. Cruthirds  
129 Julee Emilyn Dr.  
Bonaire, GA 31005-9104  
478-922-0416  
rpruthirds@cox.net

### West Region

LCDR David G. Jessel  
10 College Street  
Newnan, GA 30263-2006  
770-254-8579  
ptljessel@charter.net

### East Region

Robert R. Turbyfill, Jr.  
309 Scotts Way  
Augusta, GA 30909-3132  
706-736-9602  
bobturbyfill@knology.net

### Metro Region

Milus Bruce Maney  
2603 Abilene Trail  
Snellville, GA 30078-3413  
770-972-1751  
MilusBruce@aol.com

### National Trustee

Ed Rigel, Sr.  
1504 Berkeley Court  
Gainesville, GA 30501-1260  
770-534-7043  
compatriorigel@charter.net

### Alternate National Trustee

Robert A. Sapp  
2649 Club Valley Drive  
Marietta, GA 30068-3519  
770-971-0189  
2rasapp@bellsouth.net

## Georgia Society Committee Chairman

### Americanism

William "Bill" Hay  
1489 Ridge Creek Way  
Columbus, GA 31904-1359  
704-323-1400  
Bill0626@knology.net

### Audit

Bobby D. Shaw  
2900 Barbara Lane  
Marietta, GA 30062-1433  
770-971-3416  
bdseds@bellsouth.net

### By-Laws

Edward P. Rigel, Sr.  
1504 Berkeley Court  
Gainesville, GA 30501-1260  
770-534-7043  
campriotrigel@charter.net

### C.A.R. Liaison

Robert W. Moore  
2870 Roswell Lane  
Columbus, GA 31906-1256  
706-561-8088  
mrwmkm@hotmail.com

### Color Guard

Edward P. Rigel, Sr.  
1504 Berkeley Court  
Gainesville, GA 30501-1260  
770-534-7043  
campriotrigel@charter.net

### Commemorative Events

William A. Greenly  
6440 Ivey Meadow Lane  
Cumming, GA 30040  
404-788-8824  
wagreenly@gmail.com

### Contest Oversight

Roger W. Coursey  
259 Stagecoach Avenue  
Guyton, GA 31312-5333  
912-728-3286  
captrog2000@yahoo.com

### DAR Liaison

Carl D. Bhame  
7240 Wynhill Drive  
Atlanta, GA 30328-1318  
770-394-1282  
cbhame@bellsouth.net

### Eagle Scout

William R. Coffeen  
3799 Westwick Ct., NW  
Kennesaw, GA 30152-3193  
770-419-2549  
billcoffeen@gmail.com

### Education

Ted Smith, Jr.  
P.O. Box 339  
Cornelia, GA 30531  
706-778-8686  
dts339@windstream.net

### Endowment Trust Fund

James E. Stallings, Sr.  
230 Calloway Drive  
Macon, GA 31204-2428  
478-745-4516  
jstallings7@cox.net

### Executive Committee

James E. Stallings, Sr.  
230 Calloway Drive  
Macon, GA 31204-2428  
478-745-4516  
jstallings7@cox.net

### Finance

Roger W. Coursey  
259 Stagecoach Avenue  
Guyton, GA 31312-5333  
captrog2000@yahoo.com

### Flag Respect

Paul I. Prescott  
111 Timber Ridge Court  
Woodstock, GA 30188-2262  
770-360-5766  
prescotp@bellsouth.net

### Fund Raising

Col. Robert F. Towns  
1261 Tanglebrook Drive  
Athens, GA 30606-5773  
706-548-7291  
rftowns@mindspring.com

### Historic Sites & Celebrations

Thomas M. Owen  
401 S. Alexander Ave.  
Washington, GA 30673-1786  
town50@hotmail.com  
706-678-5024

### IT Committee Chair & Webmaster

Thomas L. Roberts  
156 Little Mountain Road  
Dawsonville, GA 30534  
706-265-9157  
TLRoberts@mindspring.com

### Knight Essay

Hall A. Martin  
4448 Sandhurst Place  
Flowery Branch, GA 30542-4655  
770-530-0913  
hallmart10@bellsouth.net

### Library

T. Fisher Craft  
116 Ridley Circle  
Decatur, GA 30030-1117  
404-378-9590  
tfcraft@bellsouth.net

### Medals and Awards

George H. Wheelless, II  
63 New Court  
Carrollton, GA 30116-5557  
770-836-1162  
secretaryga@comcast.net

### Membership

J. Michael Tomme, Sr.  
1008 Landmark Drive  
McDonough, GA 30252-3973  
678-432-1161  
mtomme@bellsouth.net

### Nominating

J. Michael Tomme, Sr.  
1008 Landmark Drive  
McDonough, GA 30252-3973  
678-432-1161  
mtomme@bellsouth.net

### Patriot Medal

Kline O. Pugh  
452 River Forrest Run  
Cleveland, GA 30528-2578  
706-865-3345  
klinepugh@hemc.net

### Public Safety

Paul I. Prescott  
111 Timber Ridge Court  
Woodstock, GA 30188-2262  
770-360-5766  
prescotp@bellsouth.net

### Publicity

Charlie A. Newcomer, III  
1601 Spartan Lane  
Athens, GA 30606-5327  
706-543-3977  
canewcomer@att.net

### Rev. War Patriot's and Compatriots Graves

Milus Bruce Maney  
2603 Abilene Trail  
Snellville, GA 30078-3413  
770-972-1751  
milusbruce@aol.com

### ROTC

LCDR. David G. Jessel  
10 College Street  
Newnan, GA 30263-2006  
770-254-8579  
ptljessel@charter.net

### Rumbaugh Oration

George H. Wheelless, II  
63 New Court  
Carrollton, GA 30116-5557  
770-836-1162  
secretaryga@comcast.net

### Source Book

Kline O. Pugh  
452 River Forrest Run  
Cleveland, GA 30528-2578  
706-865-3345  
klinepugh@hemc.net

### Veterans

Robert P. Cruthirds  
129 Julee Emilyn Drive  
Bonaire, GA 31005-9404  
478-922-0416  
rpruthirds@cox.net

### Ladies Auxiliary

Teresa Coursey  
259 Stagecoach Avenue  
Guyton, GA 31312-5333  
912-728-3286  
coursey.teresa@yahoo.com



George H. Wheelless

## Message from the Georgia Society Secretary

### Current Membership

As of October 15, 2013, the total membership for the Georgia Society is as follows:

<b>REGULAR:</b>	<b>1,603</b>
<b>JUNIOR:</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>JUNIOR LIFE:</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>EMERITUS:</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>LIFE:</b>	<b>41</b>
<b>DUAL (Between States):</b>	<b>19</b>
	<b>=====</b>
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>1,707</b>

### Dues Collection

All chapters should be well under way in the collection of 2014 Dues. I have already received substantial submittals from 5 chapters. Remember the deadlines: chapter should have all dues by 31 Dec 2013 and I must receive dues from all chapters by 10 Jan 2014. Any questions or problems contact me: [secretaryga@comcast.net](mailto:secretaryga@comcast.net).

### Transfer of Chapter Membership

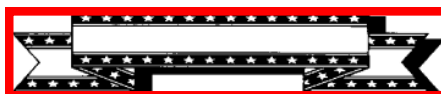
Instructions for transferring membership from one chapter to another within the Georgia Society is outlined in the Source Book. **Form 10.01 Transfer of Chapter Membership** is to be completed and sent to the appropriate chapter secretaries and the State Society Secretary. I have gotten many requests in the form of an e-mail or a message left on my phone to transfer a compatriot to another chapter. No other information was provided. National and State Numbers are needed as well a compatriot contact information. This will help chapters keep their Directories up to date and avoid confusion when it comes to dues collection.

### Reporting Compatriot Deaths

When reporting the death of a compatriot, use **Form 10.04F Obituary Reporting**. Form should be sent to the State Secretary and Chaplain. Please be sure to provide National and State Numbers as well as the date of death. This greatly helps the State Secretary and Chaplain maintain their records. A copy of the obituary is greatly appreciated.

### New Officer Notification

For the remainder of 2013 and into 2014 chapters will be electing and installing new officers. When reporting officer changes use **Form 10.07F**. If your chapter officers do not change, please send the form with NO CHANGES written on it.



# NEWS

of the  
*State Society*



Roger Lamb

## Message From the Georgia Society Chaplain

### The Joy of Failure

Of all the fears which assail us, fear of failure is often the most devastating. There is a poignant parable of the talents in the Gospel of St. Matthew, Chapter 25 of the man who fears failure so much he is unable and unwilling to do his job. He understood what was expected, but he was so fearful of failure he would not try.

Many times I realized how an isolated event applies to life, like when I was helping coach a boys' soccer team. There was one boy who was a great ball handler. He could maneuver the ball with grace, feet in perfect coordination. He could thread the ball past many moving opponents and place that ball right at a teammate's feet. He could work that ball right to the center of the goal - but he would not shoot. Why not? He could not tell me. For fear of failure? I assured him that he would not be criticized if he missed. He was part of a team, and the team did their best. If the team lost the game, they all lost the game. If the team won, they all won. But he would not shoot. How many of us in life will not take our shot for fear of failure?

This is the story of too many people. They try nothing, and they succeed. Thomas Edison once told someone he failed 421 times on an invention before he got it right on try 422. Edison stated he learned something from each of those failures, so in reality, he had 422 successes.

The story may be apocryphal, by therein lays the truth. It suggests attitude makes the difference. The seven last words of many a failed organization are, "We've never tried that before." Fear of failure prevents success. You can try and try again. What you cannot do is permit paralysis to keep you from trying. Success belongs to the brave soul who

is willing to try for the 422nd time.

It has been said a coward dies a thousand deaths, the brave but one. "Fear knocked on the door, faith answered, and, behold, there was no one there."

*Holy Father, in the course of this busy life, give us times of refreshment and peace; and grant we may so use our leisure to rebuild our bodies and renew our minds, that our spirits may be opened to the next challenges of your creation. Amen.*



Bill Kabel

## Message From the Georgia Society VA Voluntary Services Committee

IT'S HERE - - -

### The VIETNAM WAR VETERANS CORPS

New President General Joe Dooley authorized the NSSAR Veterans Recognition Committee to create the **Vietnam War Veterans Corps**. Compatriots who were awarded a Vietnam Service Medal and a Vietnam Campaign Medal may qualify for membership (See "Understanding the SAR Vietnam War Veterans Corps Eligibility").

The Committee has developed a Vietnam War Veterans survey form, and it is posted on the NSSAR website, under the "Veterans Recognition Committee" tab. Compatriots can complete the survey form on-line, and with certification by their Chapter President the form can be electronically submitted.

Don't miss the opportunity for all Georgia Compatriots to be awarded a handsome *Certificate of Patriotism*, signed by PG Dooley, in recognition of their service to America.

### The Vietnam War



For some the war ended long ago; for others it is not so. The war was a pro-longed struggle that is recorded in federal regulations for the U.S. personnel who fought in that conflict to have begun on the 28<sup>th</sup> of February 1961 and to have ended on the 7<sup>th</sup> of May 1975.

### The Vietnam Era Veterans Issue

Vietnam Era is a term used by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs to classify veterans of the Vietnam War. For VA purposes, in accordance with the Code of Federal Regulations Chapter 38 Paragraph 3.2 (f), the Vietnam Era is the period beginning on February 28, 1961 and ending on May 7, 1975, inclusive, *in the case of a veteran who served in the Republic of Vietnam during that period.*

For those who did not serve in the Republic of Vietnam the term Vietnam Era is defined as the period beginning on August 5, 1964 and ended on May 7, 1975 inclusive. The U.S. Congress, U.S. Department of Defense and the Department of Veterans Affairs elected to designate those years as such into two groups to accord special privileges to all persons who served the country's armed forces during that time.

### The Vietnam Service Medal

The Vietnam Service Medal is a campaign medal and is retroactive to 1961. It supersedes and replaces the Armed forces Expeditionary Medal, which was issued for Vietnam service prior to 1965. The responsibility of the Vietnam War Veterans Corps Task Force and the Veterans Recognition Corps Committee is to verify a Compatriot's service to country so as to recommend to the President General that an SAR member is entitled to receive a Certificate of Patriotism and to have his name added to the NSSAR Vietnam Veterans Corps. The verifying instrument in this regard for the Vietnam War Veterans Corps is the Vietnam Service Medal (VSM).

### Eligibility for the NSSAR Veterans Corps

Much thought has gone into the structure for qualifying Compatriots for one of its three Veteran Corps—The World War II Veterans Corps, the Korean Service Veterans Corps (KSVC); and/or the Vietnam War Veterans Corps. Veterans Recognition Committee procedures and administrative actions must conform to SAR Policy, especially as it links the awarding of an SAR War Service Medal (WSM) to Campaign Medals. When it comes to forwarding a request for the President General's signature on a Certificate of Patriotism, we must be accurate in the understanding of SAR Policy and confident the Compatriot is an eligible veteran and that he participated in a military campaign that

*(Continued next page)*

(Continued from Page 5)

merits his acceptance into the World War II Veterans Corps, KSVC, and/or Vietnam War Veterans Corps. To these ends, it's important that parties understand the campaign medals that qualify Compatriots for the issuance of a Certificate of Patriotism.

**Qualifying Campaign Medals Sets**

**For the World War II Veterans Corps:** (1) American, (2) European-African Middle Eastern, (3) Asiatic-Pacific.

**For the**



**Korean Service Veterans Corps:** (1) Korean Service Medal, (2) Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, (3) Korean Defense Service Medal, (4) United Nations Service Medal, (5) Korean War Service Medal.



**For the Vietnam War Veterans Corps:** (1) Vietnam Service Medal, (2) Vietnam Campaign Medal.



**NOTE:** A stand-alone *National Defense Service Medal* is **NOT** a qualifying medal for the *Vietnam War Veterans Corps*.

(Continued from Page 1)

I would like to encourage our chapters and individual members to consider participating in donations to any of the following worthy SAR causes.

- Georgia Fellows: A \$250 donations will entitle anyone to membership as a Georgia Fellow.
- NSSAR Friends of the Library: \$25 membership
- NSSAR Campaign for Advancing America's Heritage CAAH: Any donation will be matched but a \$250 donation will earn an individual a Lamplighter Award or a chapter a Presidential Flag Streamer. Congratulations to the Coweta Falls Chapter for earning the Presidential Flag Streamer which will be presented at the BOM.
- NSSAR George Washington Endowment Fund: A donation of \$1000 entitles an individual to membership as a George Washington Fellow.
- Donations to USO

The Georgia Society is honored to have four Compatriots to offer for General Offices in NSSAR. Hon. Michael Tomme, NSSAR Registrar General is a candidate for Secretary General, Hon. Col. Robert Towns, NSSAR Historian General is a candidate for the office of Historian General, Hon. Larry Guzy is a candidate for Librarian General and the Hon. Dr Edward Rigel, Sr. is a candidate for Surgeon General.

Next year in July 2014 the National Congress will be held in Greenville, SC. Please consider attending this meeting as a delegate from Georgia to support our candidates.


My schedule for the rest of my term, so far, will be the following:

- 16 October 2013 Executive Committee Meeting
- 17 October 2013 Four Rivers Patriots Chapter (Installation of Officers)
- 24 October 2013 Edward Telfair Chapter
- 26 October 2013 BOM
- 9 November 2013 Valdosta Chapter
- 11 November Veterans Day Ceremony and Flag Retirement Ceremony with DAR
- 12 November 2013 Marquis de Lafayette Chapter

- 16 November 2013 Compatriots Charles Eason Hall, Sr., and Charles Quillian Hall Grave Marking in Columbus, GA.
- 19 November 2013 Casimir Pulaski Chapter
- 23 November 2013 Fort Morris Ceremony at Sunbury, GA
- 5 December 2013 Samuel Elbert Chapter
- 7 December 2013 Battle at Vann's Creek Commemoration
- 10 December 2013 Joseph Habersham Chapter (Candlelight Service)
- 12 December 2013 William Few Chapter
- 14 December 2013 Wreaths Across America in Andersonville, GA
- 14 December 2013 George Walton Chapter
- 4 January 2014 Color Guard Luncheon
- 15 January 2014 Executive Committee Meeting
- 17-18 January 2014 Battle of Cowpens
- 21 January 2014 Blue Ridge Mountains Chapter (Installation of Officers)
- 24-25 January 2014 BOM and Annual Conference

Again, it is my honor to serve you all.

James E. Stallings, Sr.

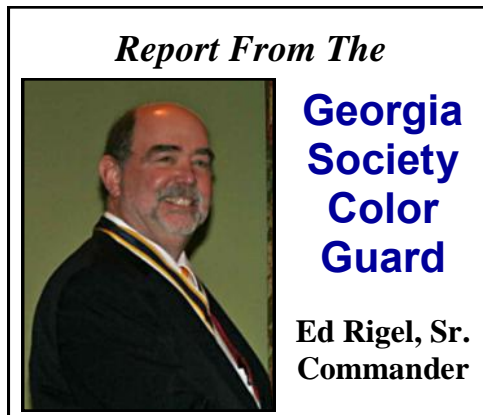


**Message From the Georgia Society Rumbaugh Orations Committee**

*George H. Wheelless*

THE 2014 GEORGIA SOCIETY  
RUMBAUGH ORATIONS FINALS  
WILL BE HELD  
APRIL 26, 2014  
FOLLOWING THE GEORGIA SOCIETY  
BOM  
IN BARNESVILLE, GA





### Color Guard Schedule


#### 2013

- 05 Oct - Compatriot Murray McAfee Grave Marking, La Fayette, GA 1100 hrs.
- 05 Oct - Robert Forsyth Chapter Charter Banquet, Cumming, GA
- 07 Oct - Kings Mountain
- 09 Oct - Battle of Savannah
- 12 Oct - John Milledge Grave Marking, Summerville Cemetery, Augusta, GA 1300 hrs
- 19 Oct - Yorktown Day, Yorktown, VA
- 19 Oct - Patriots Job Bowers, David Carter, and Angus McCurry Grave Markings, Hart County, 1000 hrs
- 20 Oct - War of 1812 Grave Marking, Banks County, 1430 hrs
- 26 Oct - GASSAR BOM meeting, Barnesville, GA 1000 hrs
- 23 Nov - Fort Morris-Sunbury Memorial Cemetery, Midway, GA 1000 hrs
- 06 Dec - March of the Toys, Ballground, 1830 hrs
- 07 Dec - Vann's Creek Commemoration, Elbert County, GA 1100 hrs

#### 2014

- 04 Jan - GASSAR Annual Color Guard luncheon, Holiday Inn Roswell, 1130 hrs.
- 18 Jan - Cowpens
- 24 Jan - GASSAR Annual Conference, Duluth, GA
- 08 Feb - Kettle Creek Commemoration Ceremony, Washington, GA
- 09 Feb - Heroes of the Hornet's Nest Commemoration, Elijah Clark State Park, Lincolnton, GA
- 28 Feb - 01 Mar NSSAR Spring Leadership, Louisville, KY
- 01 Mar - Battle of Briar Creek
- 14 Mar - Georgia State Society DAR Annual Meeting Opening Banquet, Evergreen Marriott, Stone Mountain, GA
- 15 Mar - Battle of Guilford Courthouse, Greensboro, NC



	<p><i>Georgia Society Meeting Dates</i></p>
	<p><b>President James E. Stallings, Sr.</b></p>



**GA Society Executive Committee Meetings - 2013**

**10:00 AM**

Saint Peter Claver Catholic Church  
Social Hall  
131 Ward Street  
Macon, GA 31204

**April 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**July 17<sup>th</sup>**

**October 16<sup>th</sup>**

**January 15<sup>th</sup>**

**GA Society Board of Managers Meetings - 2013**

**10:00AM**

Garden Patch Restaurant  
100 Southland Drive, Barnesville, GA 30204-1573

**April 13<sup>th</sup>**

**July 27<sup>th</sup>**

**October 26<sup>th</sup>**

**GA Society Annual Conference - 2014**

**January 24-25, 2014**

Sonesta Gwinnett Place  
1775 Pleasant Hill Rd.  
Duluth, GA 30096



## 2013 New Members

## Georgia Society New Members From July 17, 2013 to October 15, 2013

	<u>Registered</u>	<u>New Member</u>	<u>Patriot</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
<b>Atlanta</b>	30 Jul 2013	Frank Raiford Hudson	John Raiford	David Andrews Noble
	30 Jul 2013	James Norris Freeman	John Green	David Andrews Noble
	30 Jul 2013	James Michael Freeman	John Green	David Andrews Noble
	30 Jul 2013	Edward Christian Rogge, Jr.	Joseph Jones	David Andrews Noble
	05 Aug 2013	Burton Wheeler Martin, Jr.	John Stewart	David Andrews Noble
	08 Aug 2013	Benjamin Robert Dukes	James Brewer	Robert Allen Adams
	11 Sep 2013	Alton Ray Jones	Samuel Holliman	David Andrews Noble
	11 Sep 2013	Alton Richard Jones	Samuel Holliman	David Andrews Noble
	11 Sep 2013	William Patrick Jones	Samuel Holliman	David Andrews Noble
	16 Sep 2013	Cameron Loren Paul Moore	Burt Moore	David Andrews Noble
	16 Sep 2013	Wayland David Moore II	Burt Moore	David Andrews Noble
	23 Sep 2013	Keith David Karlick	Curtis Cleveland	David Andrews Noble
	23 Sep 2013	David Rosinger	Curtis Cleveland	David Andrews Noble
	23 Sep 2013	Jordan Vance Karlick	Curtis Cleveland	David Andrews Noble
	23 Sep 2013	William Davis Skinner	John Lowe	William Cecil McCullough
<b>Button Gwinnett</b>	20 Jul 2013	Johnnan David Hyatt	James Gilmore	Harold Douglas Ford
	05 Aug 2013	Eric Thomas Pheysey Russell	Isaac DeNyse	Harold Douglas Ford
	05 Aug 2013	Richard James Russell	Isaac DeNyse	Harold Douglas Ford
	05 Aug 2013	Richard Eugene Russell	Isaac DeNyse	Harold Douglas Ford
	13 Aug 2013	Phillip Sidney Howard	Burroughs Higginbotham	Milus Bruce Maney
	23 Sep 2013	John Earl Cunningham, Jr.	Fredrick Nantz	Milus Bruce Maney
<b>Cherokee</b>	30 Jul 2013	Edward Allen Dewey	Jacob Hagar	James Charles Lance
	30 Jul 2013	Bobby Warren Bradford	Samuel McGaughey	James Charles Lance
<b>Coweta Falls</b>	08 Aug 2013	Aaron James Polk	James Bridges	Charles Key Koone
<b>Edward Telfair</b>	16 Sep 2013	Reed Lawrence Engle	Jacob Engle	Roger William Coursey
	23 Sep 2013	William Stephen Thomas	Lewis Nobles	Roger William Coursey
<b>Captain John Collins</b>	30 Jul 2013	William Ralph Forrester, Jr.	William Brimer	Larry Thomas Guzy
	15 Aug 2013	Freddie Lloyd Blackwell	Robert Higginbotham	Robert Vale Blackwell
	11 Sep 2013	Charles Dillard Hunt, Jr.	Michael Steffey	Larry Thomas Guzy
	23 Sep 2013	Frank Wilmonte Johnson III	John Johnson	Larry Thomas Guzy
	30 Sep 2013	Charles Reed Hutto	Peter Barnes	Larry Thomas Guzy
	30 Sep 2013	Jacob Gardner Hutto	Peter Barnes	Larry Thomas Guzy
<b>John Milledge</b>	16 Sep 2013	Lawrence Robert Kenyon	Burwell Moring	William Glenn Neely III
	16 Sep 2013	Roger William Beckham	Moses Penn	William Glenn Neely III
<b>Joseph Habersham</b>	09 Sep 2013	James Lawrence Raper	Stephen Poe	William Hughes Raper
	30 Sep 2013	Stacey Lee Wade	John Corn	William Hughes Raper

(Continued on next page)

(Continued from Page 9)

	<u>Registered</u>	<u>New Member</u>	<u>Patriot</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
<b>Lyman Hall</b>	05 Aug 2013 13 Aug 2013 20 Aug 2013 28 Aug 2013 18 Sep 2013 30 Sep 2013	Kenneth Marvin Rearden Delton Moraine Summers Michael Joy Riemann Paul Barry Straus Norman Porter Evans Colvin Waymon Ingram	Christopher Denman Edward Hopkins John Knight William Parham Thomas Hartley John Ingram	Edward Paul Rigel, Sr. Hall Alexander Martin Edward Paul Rigel, Sr. Hall Alexander Martin Edward Paul Rigel, Sr. Edward Paul Rigel, Sr.
<b>Marquis de Lafayette</b>	18 Sep 2013	Matthew John Swab	Johannes Schwab	David George Jessell
<b>Marshes of Glynn</b>	28 Aug 2013 28 Aug 2013 11 Sep 2013	Nathaniel James Cuvelier Steven Dennis Ford Edward Cameron Whittle	Henry Eads Benjamin Castor William Gainer	Robert Hudson Lear Robert Hudson Lear Robert Hudson Lear
<b>Piedmont</b>	08 Aug 2013 08 Aug 2013 27 Aug 2013	Frederick Miller Reese, Jr. Russell Frederick Redding, Jr. Thomas George Souders	William Brockett Samuel Newcome Richard Bridges	Eugenius Sheppard Hammack Eugenius Sheppard Hammack Eugenius Sheppard Hammack
<b>Robert Forsyth</b>	30 Jul 2013 30 Jul 2013 30 Jul 2013 30 Jul 2013 30 Jul 2013 30 Jul 2013 05 Aug 2013 05 Aug 2013 08 Aug 2013 12 Aug 2013 12 Aug 2013 12 Aug 2013 12 Aug 2013 15 Aug 2013 22 Aug 2013 22 Aug 2013 22 Aug 2013 22 Aug 2013 22 Aug 2013 22 Aug 2013 22 Aug 2013 22 Aug 2013 22 Aug 2013 22 Aug 2013 22 Aug 2013 22 Aug 2013 27 Aug 2013 27 Aug 2013 27 Aug 2013 27 Aug 2013 30 Sep 2013 30 Sep 2013	Donald Austin Hairston, Sr. Jack William Roland Flikeid John Eric Flikeid Roland Jarrell, Jr. Frank Edward Clark John Henry Adair, Jr. John David Brothers George Edward Brothers James Alan Yoho Milo Clark Hampson Matthew Donald Hampson Merrick Nelson Theobald, Jr. Merrick Nelson Theobald, Sr. Christopher Michael Russo Jerold Bradley Sanders James Harold Henderson Jerry Philip Henderson Jonathan Scott Henderson Stephen Andrew Henderson Justin Carl Jackson, Jr. Justin Carl Jackson, III Christopher William Johnson David Ben Johnson Charles Haywood Meagher Glenn Alan Trembley Logan Wilson Trembley Connor John Trembley Scott David Eastin William Travis Eastin	Joseph Morgan John Mintum John Mintum Nathan Arendall Benjamin James John Alderman Cornelius Brothers Cornelius Brothers Casper Larrick Zackquill Morgan Zackquill Morgan Duncan MacMullin Duncan MacMullin Charles Word Edward Sharp Robert Henderson Robert Henderson Robert Henderson Robert Henderson William Cotton William Cotton Griffith Johnson Griffith Johnson Henry Weidner Andrew Creveling Andrew Creveling Andrew Creveling Achilles Eastin Achilles Eastin	William Allen Greenly William Allen Greenly William Allen Greenly William Allen Greenly Robert Alvyn Sapp William Allen Greenly
<b>Rome</b>	23 Sep 2013	Rickie Lamar Holsomback	Arthur Fuller	Robert Smith Evans

(Continued Next Page)

(Continued from Page 10)

	<u>Registered</u>	<u>New Member</u>	<u>Patriot</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
<b>Samuel Elbert</b>	12 Aug 2013 12 Aug 2013 12 Aug 2013 12 Aug 2013	James Stuart Lyle, Jr... Jeffrey Thomas Lyle Barry Glenn Ray James Emerson Ray	Thomas Fortson Thomas Fortson John Cunningham John Cunningham	James Stuart Lyle, Sr. James Stuart Lyle, Sr. Larry Norman Richardson Larry Norman Richardson
<b>Valdosta</b>	19 Jul 2013	John Ashton McRae	John Grammar	John Henry McRae
<b>Washington—Wilkes</b>	11 Sep 2013	John Alfred Owen	Stephen Richmond	Thomas Milne Owen
<b>William Few</b>	08 Aug 2013 30 Sep 2013	James Marcel Britt Albert Lewis Tankersley, Jr.	Frederick Grady Edward Carter	William Howard Colbert William Joseph Tankersley

**Total 87**



**Way to go chapters!**



# In Memory of

## Our Fathers, Our Brothers, Our Sons

## Our Compatriots

# 2013



### Georgia Society Deceased Members January 1, 2013 to October 6, 2013

<u>Compatriot</u>	<u>Nat'l No.</u>	<u>Chapter</u>	<u>DECEASED</u>
Charles Milton Bratton	180286	Samuel Elbert	05 Jan 2013
William Webb Harrington, Sr.	161746	Coweta Falls	08 Jan 2013
Charles Lewis Bausch	139473	Coweta Falls	14 Jan 2013
John Winthrop Crim	136761	Coweta Falls	26 Jan 2013
Richard Gladstone Neal, Jr.	137334	Athens	01 Feb 2013
John Robert Jones	156173	Capt. John Collins	02 Feb 2013
Jack Ray Bozeman*	130027	Samuel Elbert	09 Feb 2013
Herbert Brown Braselton, Sr.*	140796	Lyman Hall	15 Feb 2013
Marcus Odian Denard	177336	Washington—Wilkes	26 Feb 2013
Charles Franklin Hyder	163481	Button Gwinnett	02 Mar 2013
Richard Russell Simpson, Sr.	140031	Coweta Falls	08 Mar 2013
Thomas Porter McIntosh, Sr.	152246	Button Gwinnett	21 Mar 2013
Jack Monroe Averett, Sr.	163166	Coweta Falls	05 Apr 2013
Leon Jack Swertfeger, Jr.	158295	Atlanta	05 Apr 2013
Francis Walbridge Bonner	73754	Coweta Falls	05 May 2013
Fred Darwin Womack	170412	Wiregrass	25 May 2013
George Deane Allen	174165	LaGrange	26 May 2013
Edmond Earl Dowlen, Jr.	157706	Atlanta	24 Jul 2013
Joseph Jordan Tankersley	186756	William Few	05 Aug 2013
Charles William Hatcher	162442	Valdosta	05 Aug 2013
Donald Booton Frederick, Jr.	120155	Dalton	15 Aug 2013
James Lafayette Clark	154605	Dalton	28 Aug 2013
James David Hardaway	171103	William Few	29 Aug 2013
Gordon Burns Smith	165801	Edward Telfair	30 Aug 2013
Robert Lee Aston	160184	Samuel Elbert	01 Sep 2013
Joe Delbert Gilbert	172889	Coweta Falls	01 Sep 2013
Denver David Gray	127504	Atlanta	07 Sep 2013
Phillip Webb Potts	131423	Atlanta	21 Sep 2013
John Thomas Patterson	154703	Coweta Falls	25 Sep 2013
Harrell Case Fountain	76573	Casmir Pulaski	06 Oct 2013

Please check this list of deceased members.  
If any are missing, please contact George  
Wheless.

**Gone but not  
forgotten**

\* - Past State President

# NEWS

of the

## Georgia Society Chapters

### Atlanta

On Thursday, October 10, the Atlanta Chapter SAR unveiled to its members its new "Georgia's Sacred Soils" exhibit to be displayed in the near future at the Atlanta History Center, Georgia Archives, and other metro-area locations. The display includes soil samples (and one water sample!) taken from 28 engagements in Georgia during the Revolutionary War at which patriots were either killed, wounded, or captured. The samples are keyed to a map of the colony and brief descriptions of the sites and numbers killed and wounded. Pamphlets provide a summary of the site information. Chapter Chaplain Harold Brooks blessed the display and Reverend John McAliley, a retired Navy Chaplain, consecrated the soils in a very moving ceremony.



Area chapters interested in co-hosting the display at suitable venues are encouraged to contact us to schedule a display (preferably 30 days or longer). Also available for grave dedications from the Atlanta Chapter are a mixture of the 28 soils that may be

ceremoniously sprinkled at a Patriot's grave, likely including a battle at which they served our new nation.

Registrar David Noble was the guiding hand behind the project with wife Alice assisting in research, Color Guard member Jim Hankins assisting in the soil retrieval and signage, Eagle Scout Chairman Richard Marsh contributing woodworking skills, President Terry Manning editing the pamphlet text, and Mae Belle McAliley designing the pamphlet. It has truly been a chapter initiative!

The Atlanta Chapter recognized Lynette Rosinger of the Fort Peachtree Chapter with the SAR Medal of Appreciation in September for her outstanding liaison this last year in coordinating SAR participation in a joint July 4<sup>th</sup> parade float that won first place for best characters, a field trip to commemorate the grave of Patriot William Few in Augusta, and Constitution Week displays and activities that included a skit to the SAR chapter on the trials and tribulations related to creating the Constitution. The meeting was also highlighted by a presentation by Ruth Reddick of the Cherokee Chapter NSDAR on fascinating behind the scenes activities at the convention in 1787. The Atlanta Chapter is also creating a "Sacred Soils of Georgia" exhibit planned for display at the Atlanta History Center and at the Georgia Archives highlighting 28 military engagements in Georgia during the war with soil samples collected from each site.



Lynette Rosinger

### Coweta Falls

Members of Coweta Falls Chapter engaged several activities throughout the summer months. On July 4<sup>th</sup>, Chapter Color Guard members Bill Hay, Dan McMichael and Roy Collier, along with the Hamilton Guards unit, participated in demonstrations and ceremonies at the National Infantry Museum and Soldier Center. Bill Hay also had the Traveling Trunk on display. Chapter Compatriot Hon. Clay Land, Judge of the Federal District Court, presided in his

courtroom over the induction of 35 new citizens on September 3. Chapter members David Fox and Bill Hay attended and distributed US Constitution Booklets. David Fox attended a meeting of the Columbus Consolidated Government Council that same evening to receive the Mayor's Proclamation of Constitution Week.



Three Coweta Falls Chapter, SAR, Color Guard members & members of 1st Hamilton Legion: Bryan Becker, Dan McMichael, Dan Hutchinson, Bill Hay, Lynn Lynwood, Roy Collier, Mark Brown & Foy Pippin

At our regular meeting on September 12, Chapter Charter member Edward Warner Neal received his 35-year membership certificate and pin. As an architect, Ed Neal has been involved in major historic preservation projects locally and throughout the state.



Bill Hay discussing items from the Traveling Trunk

At the same meeting Bob Galer received his 25-year membership pin.

*(Continued next page)*

**Hornet's Nest Deadline**  
**January 31, 2014**  
**Make sure your Chapter news**  
**gets published!**

(Continued from page 13)



Edward Warner Neal Receives 35 year SAR Membership Pin & Certificate from President Hugh Rodgers



L to R - Tim Spooner, Sheila Spooner, President James E. Stallings, Sr.



Robert Fulton Galer receives 25 Year Recognition Certificate & Pin from Pres. Rodgers

**Joel Early**

On August 24, Georgia Society President James E. Stallings, Jr. and his wife Remona, were guests of the Joel Early chapter in Southwest Georgia. President Stallings presented a program on "Uniforms Worn in the American Revolution". He also inducted our 32nd member, Mr. Harold Richard Williams, who is a descendant of Patriot Zoath Spooner. President Stallings presented Homer and Sheila Spooner of Cottonwood, AL. good citizenship pins and certificates for their patriotism. The Spooners have built crosses and stenciled names of 170 soldiers and have placed them alongside the road in Cottonwood during veterans holidays.



**Marshes of Glynn**

**"Come & Take It!" Celebration at Fort Morris on Saturday, Nov. 23**

Fort Morris was where 235 years ago Colonel John McIntosh made his defiant reply, "Come and Take It!" to a British demand for surrender. Fort Morris, Georgia's ONLY Revolutionary Historic Site with extensive earthworks, stands as a testament to the will and fortitude of the Patriots exhibited during the American Revolution.

The Georgia Society SAR Historic Sites & Celebrations Committee and the Marshes of Glynn SAR Chapter invite you to participate in the "Come & Take It!" Celebration on Saturday, November 23, 2013, at the Fort Morris Historic Site in Liberty County, near Midway, Georgia.

Starting in 2006, Children, Daughters and Sons of the American Revolution have supported Fort Morris personnel in the annual Celebration. James Stallings, Georgia Society SAR President, will serve as Master of Ceremonies for the Memorial Ceremony at 10:00am. Georgia Society and Florida Society SAR Color Guards and the Colonel Elijah Clarke Militia will be joined by Revolutionary War re-enactors from the Second Company Georgia Artillery, Sunbury Militia and the British 33<sup>rd</sup> Regiment of Foot. They will honor the memory of Liberty County Patriots with a Presentation of Colors, Musket Salute, Cannon Salute and Taps, following the Wreath Presentations by representatives of CAR, DAR, SAR and other heritage organizations.

This year, SAR Compatriots will demonstrate "Life in Revolutionary Georgia" featuring the SAR Revolutionary War tent, along with many historical clothing, cooking and writing items. In addition, musket and cannon drills, skirmishes and more are part of the celebration which lasts until 4:00pm, and brings many visitors to Midway, Sunbury and Fort Morris Historic Site.



2012 Color Guard



2012 Musket Salute



Come and Take It flag

A hospitality get-together at the Richmond Hill Holiday Inn Express, sponsored by the Marshes of Glynn SAR Chapter, is scheduled for 5:00pm Friday evening, November 22, prior to dinner at nearby Steamers Seafood Restaurant. After the Memorial Ceremony on Saturday morning, lunch will be available at the Sunbury Crab Company on the Medway River where the Georgia Navy Galleys were based during the Revolutionary War.

We recommend that you visit the nearby historic Midway Church, Museum and Colonial Cemetery. Midway was the home to numerous Revolutionary War personalities, including Dr. Lyman Hall, Button Gwinnett and Governor Nathan Brownson. Several Historical Markers are erected in front of the Midway Church and twenty-one Revolutionary War soldiers are buried in the Colonial Cemetery at Midway.

(Continued on next page)

(Continued from Page 14)



**Midway Church and Cemetery**

Fort Morris is currently open only on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of each week. According to Jimmy Boatright, President of Marshes of Glynn SAR Chapter, "Your attendance at the Come and Take It! Celebration is critical to help insure the Fort Morris Historic Site remains open -- a priceless piece of Georgia's Revolutionary War Trail." For more information, contact Jimmy at 912-617-3699 or by email at [jimmy.boatright@yahoo.com](mailto:jimmy.boatright@yahoo.com).

## **Piedmont**

At the July chapter meeting, the guest speaker was Mr. Hubert Nix. Mr. Nix, is a collector of arrowheads and Indian artifacts. He began collecting arrowheads and Indian artifacts when he was ten years old. A large number of items in his collection were obtained when Lake Altoona was built. He used some of the arrowheads in an artistic way to form the heads of animals, Indians and birds. He brought a selection of these framed items for display at the meeting and they are shown in the photos below.



The chapter's August speaker was Mr. Michael Hitt, author and historian for the Roswell Preservation Commission. Mr. Hitt came dressed in the uniform of a Union Officer and he discussed the events surrounding the Roswell Manufacturing Company during the civil war. This company



was a large industrial complex in 1864 and it supplied cloth for uniforms of Confederate Soldiers and other textiles. Mr. Hitt, who is a policeman by training, remarked that he always searched for truth in his job and, therefore, he spent ten years in compiling the historical facts of the people who worked in this mill. When Roswell was occupied by Union forces in 1864, General Sherman ordered that anyone associated with this mill was to be arrested for treason. The men, women and children associated with Roswell Manufacturing were rounded up and arrested. They were placed in wagons and transported to Marietta where they were temporarily confined at the Marietta Military Academy which was under the control of Union forces. The men were separated from the women and children and all were subsequently relocated by box cars to Louisville, Kentucky where they were confined by the Union Army for the duration of the war. Some died of disease and a few families were reunited at the end of the war and some of those returned to Roswell.

On September 16, 2013 Compatriots Paul Prescott, George Thurmond and Gerald Breed visited Fellowship Christian School in Roswell to present the SAR Traveling Trunk to students in Mr. Jonathan Fickley's eighth grade U.S. History classes. The day began when Gerald and Paul met with Mrs. Kathy Teston, Head of School, Mr. Tony Tacquard, Middle School Principal and Mr. Fickley. Compatriot Breed and Prescott presented a copy of Heroes of Kettle Creek for use in the school's Media Center. Below are photos of the visit provided by Mrs. Melinda Williamson, Communications Fellowship Christian School.



**Paul Prescott and George Thurmond with students at Fellowship Christian School**

## **Robert Forsyth**

The Robert Forsyth Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution held its charter banquet on October 5, 2013 at The Reid Barn in Cumming. Over 100 members, guests and dignitaries attended the banquet. The dignitaries included H. Ford Gravitt, Mayor of Cumming and R. J. (Pete) Amos, Chairman of the Forsyth County Board of Commissioners.

Also in attendance were three national officers: Lindsey Cook Brock, Secretary General; J. Michael Tomme, Registrar General; and Col. Robert F. Towns, Historian General. Six Georgia Society state officers: James E. Stallings, Sr., President; Roger Coursey, Senior Vice President; Robert A. Sapp, Registrar; Roger Lamb, Chaplain; Milus Bruce Maney, Central Region Vice President; and Don Ray Thomas, Northeast Regional Vice President, were in attendance, as well as seven past presidents of the Georgia Society.

The evening began with the dignitaries being piped in by bagpiper John Mortison of the Piedmont Chapter followed by the posting of the colors by members of the Georgia Society Color Guard.



**L to R - John Mortison, Paul Prescott, Ed Rigel, Jr., Tom Owen, Larry Guzy, Bruce Maney and Ed Rigel, Sr.**

(Continued next page)

(Continued from Page 14)

After dinner, the program began with the Chartering Ceremony for the Robert Forsyth Chapter conducted by James E. Stallings, Sr., President of the Georgia Society and J. Michael Tomme, Registrar General. During the Chartering Ceremony, Allen Greenly was inducted as the first president of the new chapter. After his induction, President Stallings presented President Greenly with the Sons of the American Revolution Meritorious Service Medal for his work on behalf of the Georgia Society.

The Chartering Ceremony was followed by the Induction Ceremony of 23 new members into the National Society Sons of the American Revolution conducted by chapter President Greenly, J. Michael Tomme and Robert A. Sapp. The new members included two brothers, and seven sets of fathers and sons. Member's wives pinned the Sons of the American Revolution rosette on their husband's and sons' lapels as part of the ceremony.

Subsequently the installation of officers was led by James E. Stallings, Sr. with assistance from J. Michael Tomme.



**L to R - Matthew T. Patton, Editor; Timothy Bassett, Genealogist; Roland Jarrell, Historian; Daniel P. Miles, Sr., Sergeant-at-Arms; Charles H. Meagher, Chancellor; Christopher Russo, Registrar; John E. Flikeid, Chaplain; William Walker, Treasurer; Edward P. Rigel, Jr., Secretary; Thomas R. Davis, Vice President; and Allen Greenly, President**

President Greenly then made a few remarks. He stated that in March, the chapter had 11 members to help form the Robert Forsyth Chapter. Membership has grown steadily. Now the chapter is being chartered with 55 members, and there are seven more potential members.

President Greenly presented Joyce Mortison, a member of the Chestatee River Chapter, and Melissa Danielsson, a member of the Martha Stewart Bulloch Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Medals of Appreciation for their work helping with the new members of the Robert Forsyth Chapter. Joyce Mortison was

responsible for recruiting four new members, and Melissa Danielsson was responsible for recruiting 18 new members.

President Greenly then presented Mayor H. Ford Gravitt the Sons of the American Revolution Bronze Good Citizenship Medal for his 44 years of public service.



**President Allen Greenly presenting Mayor of Cumming, GA H. Ford Gravitt the Bronze Good Citizenship Medal**

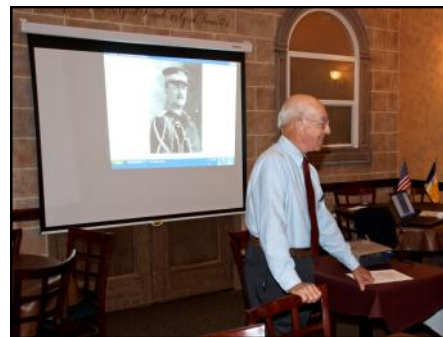
The evening concluded with the Retiring of the Colors by the Georgia Society Color Guard followed by the Charter Chapter Flag Presentation Ceremony. President Stallings presented the new chapter with a set of flags including the American Flag, State of Georgia Flag and the Sons of the American Revolution Flag.

### William Few

The Col. William Few Chapter met Monday evening September 23rd at the Garlic Clove Restaurant for our 2013 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter meeting. With 27 members and guests in attendance, we welcomed Russell K. Brown, Chapter Parliamentarian/Judge Advocate, as our program presenter. Dr. Brown presented a program on the life of Archibald Butt, who was a Major in the United States Army and military aide to Presidents Theodore Roosevelt and William Howard Taft, 1908-1912. Major Butt boarded the doomed *RMS Titanic* in April 1912, and is remembered for aid and comfort to fellow passengers while the ship sank. A close friend of Butt, President Taft gave the eulogy at his memorial service. The "Archibald Butt Memorial Bridge", which crosses the Augusta Canal at 15<sup>th</sup> Street in Augusta, is named in his honor. Butt's life story was previously profiled in the Winter 2012 issue of *The SAR Magazine*.

Chapter business was conducted, with special emphasis on the upcoming grave marking of Gov. John Milledge. With the supporting cooperation of the College Hill, Augusta, and Nancy Hart (Milledgeville) chapters of the DAR, we are planning a grave

marking ceremony for Revolutionary War patriot and former Georgia statesman and governor, John Milledge at his gravesite in Augusta's Summerville Cemetery on the 12<sup>th</sup> of October. This event is expected to have statewide implications and will be attended by many SAR/DAR chapter organizations and members, as well as community leaders and organizations from throughout the state. The ceremony will take place graveside on the 12<sup>th</sup> at 1pm, with a reception to follow at Meadow Garden. All are welcome to attend.



**Dr. Russel K. Brown**

Recognition of Supplemental Certificates was made to three Chapter members. Richard Noegel and William Tankersley were on hand to receive their certificates this evening. We were also pleased to have several potential new members in attendance this evening.



**Richard Noegel presenting to William Tankersley**



**Bill Colbert Presenting to Richard Noegel.**



## Wiregrass

"The Wiregrass Chapter", Georgia Society, Sons of the American Revolution held its monthly meeting Thursday night, August 8, 2013 at the Emanuel Medical Center Cafeteria at 6:00. We had 25 members and guests present for the meeting. After our evening meal, Wiregrass Chapter President Henry Wilder Smith, Jr., introduced our guests, conducted a short business meeting and then introduced our program for the evening, the Georgia Society, Sons of the American Revolution President James E. Stallings, Sr. President Stallings mentioned a few of his goals for the Georgia Society and then conducted a very interesting program on "The War of 1812 in Georgia". One of the items of interest that came out in the questions time was that even though Emanuel County was formed in December, 1812, they formed a company of soldiers to fight with the Georgia militia. On November 6, 1817, William Rabun was elected Governor of Georgia and formed 5 Divisions of the Georgia Militia which was made up of 10 Brigades. The first Division was commanded by MG John Floyd and his 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade was commanded by BG William Byrd. The 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade was made up of Bulloch, Tattnall, Screven, Emanuel, Montgomery, Burke and Jefferson counties. Each county formed a company of Militia. The Georgia Society of the SAR has 31 Chapters that are comprised of over 1,600 members. Three areas of interest of the society are that we promote patriotism, conduct patriotic activities and in every event preserve the ideals of freedom.



L to R - Steve Burk, VP, Georgia Society President James E. Stallings, Sr., and Henry Wilder Smith, Jr., President



## New Medal

The Roger Sherman Medal may be awarded to SAR members who have rendered faithful service to their chapter, state society, or to the National Society over multiple years. This medal is awarded for significant service which lacks the requirements for the Meritorious Service Medal. Suggested minimum Eligibility Guidelines: Served as an active Officer for a minimum of two (2) years, or Served as an active Committee Chairman for a minimum of three (3) years, or Served as an active Committee Member for a period of four (4) years. Officers, Committee Chairmen, and Committee Members must have actively served. Only active service should be taken into account for awarding this medal.

Unlike the Meritorious Service Medal, an SAR member may receive the Roger Sherman Medal more than once via the Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster for an additional two (2) years or more of outstanding active service to the National Society, State Society or Chapter after the presentation of the compatriot's first Roger Sherman Medal. The service is counted cumulatively rather than consecutively, and may not be added concurrently for multiple offices, committee chairmanships, or committee membership.

The medal for Chapter use is bronze in color and bears on the obverse a portrait of Roger Sherman within the inscription "Roger Sherman Medal". The medal for State Society use is antique silver in color. The medal for the National Society use is gold in color. The reverse of the medal is inscribed "In Appreciation for Service to the SAR". It is suspended from a chest ribbon and is accompanied by a certificate, which should be engrossed and presented with the medal. The medal is available in miniature.

## **Commemoration of the Siege of Savannah**

The Siege of Savannah or the Second Battle of Savannah was an encounter of the American Revolutionary War in 1779. The year before, the city of Savannah, GA, had been captured by a British expeditionary corps under Lieutenant Colonel Archibald Campbell. The 1779 siege itself from September 16 to October 18, 1779 consisted of a joint Franco-American attempt to retake Savannah. On October 9<sup>th</sup> a major assault against the British siege works failed. Each year, on October 9<sup>th</sup>, the GA Society SAR joins the Coastal Heritage Society in the Commemoration of the assault on the British fortifications that took place in 1779. Among

the many killed in that battle were Patriot General Casimir Pulaski and Patriot Hero Sergeant William Jasper. The GA Society Color Guard led a contingent of GA SAR members and members of other local lineage organizations in an early morning parade that loosely followed the course of the French and American Patriots who assaulted the British held Spring Hill Redoubt. Compatriots participating this year were Jimmy Boatright, Roger Coursey, James Lynch, Bruce Maney, Charlie Newcomer, Tom Owen, Paul Prescott, Bill Ramsaur, Ed Rigel, Sr., James Stallings, Don Thomas, Sr., and Larry Whitfield. We were honored to be joined this year by NSSAR President General Joseph Dooley, VASSAR, who is a Dual Member of the GA Society.



President General Joseph Dooley



The Color Guard gathered before dawn for the Commemorative Parade. Joining Color Guard Commander Edward P. Rigel, Sr. and State President James E. Stallings, Sr. in the front row was NSSAR President General Joseph Dooley.

*(Continued next page)*



(Continued from Page 17)



The local fife and drum served to help keep the procession in step. (A very tough assignment)



Stops were made along the route to Spring Hill Redoubt as a local historian dramatically reviewed the course of the battle.

Following the Commemoration of the Battle of Savannah, State Color Guard Commander Ed Rigel, Sr. led a group of eighteen that included NSSAR President General Joe Dooley, GA Society Color Guardsmen, and spouses, most who are members of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The GA Society subsidized the cost of the two-hour trolley tour. Commander Rigel narrated a journey through and around the many squares of Savannah's Historic District with the trolley making stops as allowed. While the filming of a movie regarding *Sponge Bob Square Pants* (of all things!) interfered with the intended route, the trolley was able to maneuver to enough squares to fulfill the intent of the tour. The city of Savannah was founded in 1733 by General James Oglethorpe. Although cherished by many today for their aesthetic beauty, the first squares were originally intended to provide colonists space for military exercises.

The original plan resembles the layout of contemporary military camps, which were likely quite familiar to General Oglethorpe.

First stop, **Johnson Square**, named for Robert Johnson, colonial Governor of South Carolina and a friend of General James Oglethorpe, Georgia's founding Trustee. Johnson Square was the first of Savannah's squares and remains the largest of the 24. Buried in Johnson Square is Revolutionary War General and hero of the Southern Campaign, Nathanael Greene. The cornerstone of the monument to Green was laid by the Marquis de La Fayette in 1825.



L to R - President General Joseph Dooley, President James E. Stallings, Sr., Sr. VP Roger Coursey, Tom Owen, Larry Whitfield, Charlie Newcomer, James Lynch, Bill Ramsaur, Ed Rigel, Don Thomas, Sr., and Jimmy Boatright at Johnson Square and the Nathaniel Green Monument



Madison Square and the Jasper Monument

Also visited was **Madison Square** named for our fourth President James Madison. Sometimes referred to as Jasper Square, Madison Square holds the monument dedicated to Sgt. William Jasper whose first brush with notoriety was at the defense of Fort Sullivan outside of Charleston, SC, in 1776 when he recovered the shot away flagstaff of the South Carolina flag during the Battle of Sullivan's Island, raised it on a

temporary staff, and held it while under fire until a new staff could be installed. At the Siege of Savannah, he received his death wound while fastening to the parapet the standard which had been presented to his regiment. His hold, however, never relaxed, and he bore the colors to a place of safety before he died. Madison Square features vintage cannon from the Savannah Armory. These now mark the starting points of the first highways in Georgia, the Ogeechee Road leading to Darien and the Augusta Road leading to Augusta. The square also includes a monument marking the center of the British resistance during the Siege.



L to R - President General Joseph Dooley, President James E. Stallings, Sr., Sr. VP Roger Coursey, Tom Owen, Bruce Maney, James Lynch, Charlie Newcomer, Ed Rigel, Sr., Don Thomas, Sr., and Jimmy Boatright at Monterey Square and the Pulaski Monument.

The contingent also made a stop at **Monterey Square** which commemorates the Battle of Monterey (1846) in which American forces under General Zachary Taylor captured the city of Monterey during the Mexican-American War. In the center of the square is a monument honoring General Casimir Pulaski one of only five Generals who died in battle during the Revolution. While leading a daring charge against British forces during the 1779 Battle of Savannah he was gravely wounded, and died shortly thereafter. The cornerstone for the Pulaski monument was also laid by Marquis de LaFayette in 1825, but in Chippewa Square. The cornerstone was moved and the monument to Pulaski erected in 1853. Monterey Square is the site of Mercer House, built by Hugh Mercer. The house, and the square itself, were featured prominently in John Berendt's 1994 true crime novel *Midnight in the Garden of Good and Evil*. The square has been used as a setting for several motion pictures, including the 1997 film version of Berendt's novel

(Continued next page)

(Continued from Page 18)



President General Dooley studies the inscription on a monument - the contingent attracted quite a group of curious (to say the least) onlookers



Commander Rigel in a "Group Photo" - that is, he has a group of cameras suspended from both wrists.

Due to restrictions related to trolley stops, several other squares were visited and driven around while Commander Rigel narrated the significance of each. **Ellis Square** was named after Henry Ellis, second Royal Governor of the Georgia colony. It was also known as Marketplace Square, as from the 1730s through the 1950s it served as a center of commerce. Prior to Union General Sherman's arrival in December 1864 it was also the site of a slave market. **Wright Square**, the second square established in Savannah and originally

named Percival Square for Lord Percival, generally regarded as the man who gave the colony of Georgia its name (a tribute to Great Britain's King George II). It was renamed in 1763 to honor James Wright, the third, last, and perhaps most notable of Georgia's royal governors. The square is the burial site of Tomochichi, a leader of the Creek nation of Native Americans. Tomochichi was a trusted friend of James Oglethorpe and assisted him in the founding of his colony.

**Telfair Square**, originally named St. James Square, was renamed in 1883 to honor the Telfair family. It is the only square honoring a family rather than an individual. The Telfairs included former Governor Edward Telfair, Congressman Thomas Telfair (Edward Telfair's son), and Mary Telfair benefactor of Savannah's Telfair Museum of Art.

The Sponge Bob filming allowed for just a brief glimpse of **Reynolds Square** named for Capt. John Reynolds, governor of Georgia in the mid-1750s. Reynolds was in fact an unpopular governor and it is said that the celebration held upon his arrival in the colony was rivaled only by that held upon his departure. The square contains a bronze statue honoring John Wesley, founder of Methodism. Wesley spent most of his life in England but undertook a mission to Savannah (1735-1738), during which time he founded the first Sunday school in America.

The trolley then found its way back to the Savannah Visitor Center and History Museum and site of Battlefield Memorial Park and the Spring Hill Redoubt.



Spring Hill Redoubt - site of the bloody October 9, 1799 assault by Georgians, South Carolinians, and French as they sought to recapture Savannah from the British.



## NEWS

### National Trustee Report on the Fall Leadership/Trustee Meeting 27-28 September 2013

Fifteen members of the Georgia Society attended the NSSAR Fall Leadership meeting. Each was asked to submit to me the salient activity of the Committee meetings they attended that I might distribute to the Society. Eight members responded, though two of those just listed the Committee meetings they attended. Seven chose not to respond. And so it goes.

**From the Trustees Meeting:** NSSAR membership as of 24 September 2012 is 31,656.

**Supplemental Applications:** To be presented at 2014 Congress – Increase the fee to \$80 effective with the last date of that Congress.

States are encouraged to ratify the amendment to Bylaw #23 passed at 2013 Congress. (To be addressed at GA Society October BOM; a technical issue to bring NSSAR Bylaws into compliance with State of Kentucky statutes).

TX Society will host the 2018 Congress.

The first group of the Vietnam Veterans Corps were presented their Certificates of Patriotism. From the Georgia Society, Bill Kabel and Tom Owen were present to receive their Certificates. Jay Guest and Bob Wylie will receive theirs at a later date. Two members of the Georgia Society were presented Certificates of Appreciation from President General Joe Dooley for their assistance with the NSSAR display at the Boy Scout National Jamboree – Bill Coffeen from the Capt. John Collins Chapter, and Carter J Wood from the Lyman Hall Chapter.

Coweta Falls and Lyman Hall Chapters were recognized for their contributions to the Center for Advancing America's Heritage. The Handbook Committee stood to inform the Society of proposed changes to the NSSAR Handbook. The Handbook will be expanded from 3 to 7 volumes. Volume 1 will remain the same covering the NSSAR Constitution and Bylaws. The other 6 volumes will contain what was in the old Volumes 2 and 3, but made to be more user friendly.

(Continued next page)

(Continued from Page 19)

The Exec Comm delayed the publishing of the new Handbooks in order that review and feedback might be accepted from the membership before being made official. Feedback should be made by 01 December 2013 on the new Handbooks that were to be posted online by 01 Oct (but as of the date of this writing are not yet available).

The only really contentious issue was brought up by the Legal Advisory Committee. Basically, the NSSAR Bylaws state that a Society may be formed in any foreign country by fifteen or more Compatriots who are residents thereof. There are several Societies, Germany, Switzerland, Canada, Mexico, to name a few, that do not have fifteen residents. The Legal Advisory Committee recommended that those Societies that do not meet the requirements of the Bylaws be given a certain length of time to comply or be disbanded. (Bottom line – those Societies who do not meet the requirements of the Bylaws still field a Trustee who carries the same vote as a Society that does.) The matter was postponed until the Spring Leadership meeting. PG Dooley asserted his leadership ability by keeping the discussion pertinent.

#### Reports from Committees:

**Americanism** -- Couple of changes to the Americanism & President General's Contest will be posted on line and ready for use for end of the year contest. New Middle School Brochure Contest information is online.

**Chaplain** – Plans for the Memorial Service to be held in conjunction with the 2014 Congress were extensive. Concerns were expressed for the safety of those participants in the procession from the hotel to the church site and will be addressed.

**Color Guard** – GA Compatriot Paul Prescott was presented the Von Steuben Medal. The Vigil at Mount Vernon for George and Martha Washington has been designated a National Color Guard event. “Let Freedom Ring - National Bell Ringing Ceremony” was designated a National Color Guard event. Nominations for Color Guardsman of the Year are due 31 Dec 2013.

**Council of State Presidents** – GA Compatriot Roger W. Coursey will serve on the NSSAR Nominating Committee.

**Eagle** – Presentation on the NSSAR presence at the Boy Scout National Jamboree was presented. GA Compatriot Carter J Wood was approved for the Burt Boy Scout Volunteer Award.

**Flag** – Voted to ask Merchandise to make the “The American Flag” booklet and the “Your Flag, My Flag, Our Flag” brochure available in bulk. The committee also explored ways

to increase participation in the Admiral Furlong Award including presenting a certificate at the state annual meeting to the chapters who participated. The committee also approved the idea of NSSAR recognizing states that have 100 percent chapter participation and districts that have 100 percent participation.

**Genealogy** -- Grandparents will no longer be able to sign applications for Junior Membership; parents must be aware of the application.

**Historic Sites, Celebrations, and Reenactments** – The Committee roster contains 58 members and will be reviewed to reduce the size. The Commemoration of the Crossing of the Dan and the Commemoration of the Battle of Fort San Carlos were approved as a National Historic Sites, Celebration and Reenactments event.

**Medals & Awards** -- The Wounded Warrior Coin is ready for purchase. A special Medal honoring Commodore John Barry, born in Wexford, Ireland and whose birthplace will be visited during PG Dooley's SAR Irish Adventure Trip to Ireland will be given to SAR participants making the trip.

**Medical** – The Committee will bring to the Congress Planning Committee and the 2014 Congress Host Committee concerns for the safety of the Color Guard during the Memorial Service activities. Water for consumption and a cool location for the Guard to wait once they have arrived at the service location will be strongly encouraged. It was also suggested the Committees consider using multi-passenger golf cart-type vehicles, equipped with water to follow the crowd to pick up any that need assistance and/or give out water.

**Membership** – Issues with Operation Reach, a collaboration between Ancestry.com and the NSSAR to identify potential SAR members were discussed. While there is potential with the concept, there are issues still to be addressed.

**Merchandise** -- A new medal, 125th Anniversary of the Sons of the American Revolution, has been approved and is available to Members who are active in 2014. Shipments will begin Jan 6, 2014.

**Minuteman** -- Minuteman Award Class of 2014 applications are to be received by the Executive Director, NSSAR (not the Committee Chairman) before 01 Jan 2014, signed by the applicant and 2013-14 state society President.

**Public Safety** – The committee proposed that the Heroism Medal be given more attention from the committee and that each medal awarded should go through the committee. Committee also promoted the use of Certificates when a Law Enforcement, Fire

Safety, or EMT Medal was not justified. **ROTC/JROTC/Service Academy** -- New forms will be online to be used by high schools and colleges to give the information on the cadet to receive the Bronze and Silver Medals.

**Veterans** -- Stark Award points may be earned for the laying of wreaths on Veterans' graves in association with the Wreaths Across America (200 maximum points). Chapters allowed 1 point for each wreath sponsored in the Wreaths Across America program (maximum of 200 points).

**Veterans Recognition** – Several of the Armed Forces Services have denied the NSSAR the use of their logos on the Military or War Service certificates; new certificates will not contain those logos. The SAR will hold firm on its requirement for verifiable documentation for awarding its medals or awards, i.e. the DD 214 form.



With the funds raised during this initial fund drive, the KCBA intends to purchase acreage adjacent to the existing battlefield. The purchase of this acreage will allow the KCBA to start the application process for grants that will be used for the construction of a parking lot, restroom facilities, informational kiosk, and trails with historical signage. This will greatly improve the educational aspect of the battlefield for visitors.

This is one of the most pristine battlefields in America today. It looks very much like it did 200 years ago, and that's valuable." Georgia is in the top 10 states for heritage and cultural tourism and these travelers spend more money and stay longer and travel more often than most.

Now that the Kettle Creek Battlefield Master Plan has been accepted by the Wilkes County Board of Commissioners, KCBA is working on plans for the exact location and design of roads, trails, buildings, and other features which were beyond the scope of the master plan. The association will also be working with the University of Georgia's Carl Vinson Institute on the next steps to take. "The KCBA is working with the Carl Vinson Institute to develop an 18-24 month strategic implementation plan.

# Georgia Society Sons of the American Revolution Annual Conference

January 24-25, 2014

## Registration Form

Sonesta Gwinnett Place

1775 Pleasant Hill Road, Duluth, Georgia 30096

(At Exit 104 Pleasant Hill Road on I-85 in Gwinnett County)

Reservations: Phone 1-855-463-3095 or <https://gc.synxis.com/rez.aspx?>

[Hotel=58939&Chain=5157&arrive=1/22/2014&depart=1/26/2014&adult=1&child=0&group=0122SONSAR](https://gc.synxis.com/rez.aspx?Hotel=58939&Chain=5157&arrive=1/22/2014&depart=1/26/2014&adult=1&child=0&group=0122SONSAR)

Rooms: \$82 plus taxes (Rate guaranteed through January 1, 2014)

Please mail this registration form by December 31, 2013 with check payable to "Georgia Society SAR" to President James Stallings, 230 Calloway Drive, Macon, GA 31204

[Education Committee Flea Market Open Early Friday Afternoon and Early Saturday Morning](#)

### Schedule of Events – Friday, Jan 24:

2:00 -- 5:30 pm Registration \_\_\_\_\_

3:30 -- 5:30 pm Hospitality Suite \_\_\_\_\_

4:00 pm Registrar Training Seminar – Check if you plan to attend the Seminar \_\_\_\_\_

6:00 pm Reception (Cash Bar) \_\_\_\_\_

7:00 pm Member Awards Banquet (Members, Wives, and Guests) \_\_\_\_\_ x \$45 = \_\_\_\_\_  
(Black Tie, Business Suit, Uniform)

### Schedule of Events – Saturday, Jan 25:

7:30 – 8:20 am Hospitality Suite \_\_\_\_\_

8:00 – 8:20 am Late Registration \_\_\_\_\_

8:30 am Memorial Service (Members, Wives, and Guests) \_\_\_\_\_

9:15 am Winter Board of Managers Meeting (Members) \_\_\_\_\_

9:15 -- 10:00 am Ladies' Program \_\_\_\_\_

10:15 -- 11:00 am Ladies Auxiliary Annual Meeting \_\_\_\_\_

10:45 am GA Society Annual Meeting and Election of Officers (Members – Everyone votes!) \_\_\_\_\_

11:45 am Chapter and Youth Awards Luncheon & Installation of 2014 Officers  
(Members, Wives, and Guests) (Business Attire or Uniform) \_\_\_\_\_ x \$30 = \_\_\_\_\_

**Late Fee \$20** ([Registration postmarked after December 31, 2013](#)) \$20 \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Remitted** Friday Banquet, Saturday Banquet (+/- Late Fee) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Registration Information

Name To Appear on Name Tag (Member): \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

State Title(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter Title(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Name To Appear on Name Tag (Wife): \_\_\_\_\_

Name To Appear on Name Tag (Guest): \_\_\_\_\_

Name To Appear on Name Tag (Guest): \_\_\_\_\_

Name To Appear on Name Tag (Guest): \_\_\_\_\_

Name To Appear on Name Tag (Guest): \_\_\_\_\_