



THE VALLEY COMPATRIOT

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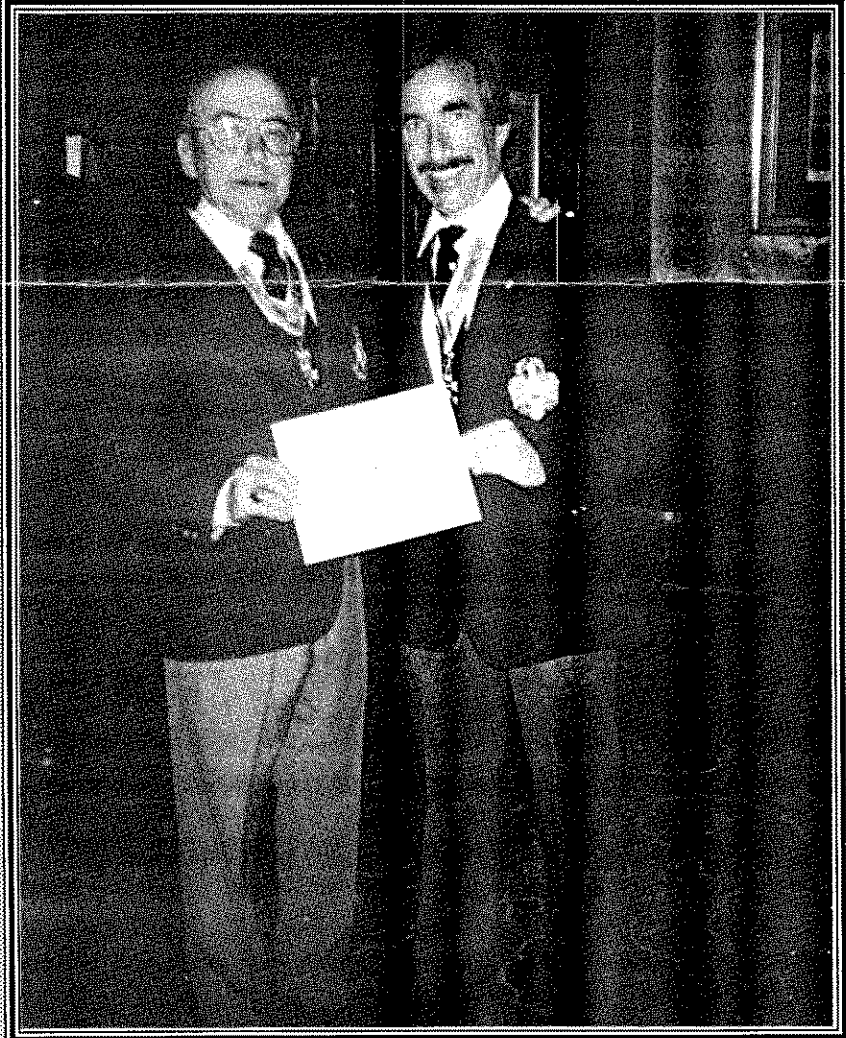
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**COMPATRIOT AUDEL H. HICKS, Sr. RECEIVING THE
MERITORIOUS SERVICE MEDAL FROM PRESIDENT
RICHARD H. BREITHAUPT**



National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution
San Fernando Valley Chapter

MONTHLY MEETING NOTICE

April 9th, 1994

The San Fernando Valley Chapter, SAR, will hold its regular monthly luncheon at Noon, Saturday. All members, applicants and guests invited.



Location

Tam O'Shanter Inn
2980 Los Felix Drive
Glendale, California
Los Felix off ramp of the Golden State Freeway (I-5)

PROGRAM

OFFICER MARY MIJACH
Community Service Officer
Glendale Police Department

One of Officer Mary Mijach responsibilities is educating the citizenry on safety. In these times of lawlessness, being "Street Smart" is a must - it can save your life! Officer Mijach will teach us what to look for, how to avoid trouble, and what to do if we are unfortunate enough to be a victim.

This meeting is a MUST!



THE VALLEY COMPATRIOT

The Valley Compatriot is the official newsletter of the San Fernando Valley Chapter, SAR. The opinions expressed herein are those of the authors and not necessarily those of the National Society, California Society or the Chapter.



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- Robert C. Emrey - 1991
- Audel H. Hicks - 1990
- Robert C. Emrey - 1989
- D. F. "Bill" Semerau - 1988
- Roger E. Robertson - 1987
- Col. George A. Eckert - 1986
- George S. Van Dorn - 1985
- LtC James Bellah - 1984
- Donald N. Moran - 1981-83

COMPATRIOT'S IN THE NEWS

Compatriot **Audel H. Hicks** was awarded the SAR's Meritorious Service Medal at the February 19th meeting. Del has been active at the Chapter, State and National level for many years. The Presentation was made by Chapter President **Richard H. Breithaupt**. This presentation is depicted on the front cover.

Compatriot **Samuel R. Fulkerson** was presented his SAR Membership Certificate at the same meeting. A photograph of the presentation is shown to the right. Sam's Mother and Grandmother are active members of the DAR.

Compatriot **Matthew B. Grindal** came to us from the CAR. In the CAR newsletter they first mentioned that Matthew was turning 21 years of age and would be transferring to the SAR. In their next newsletter they wrote that Matthew had transferred. In the last issue of their newsletter they reported on how much they missed him! Obviously, we got a good man.

Compatriot **Donald Norman Moran** has been advised that the National Society, S.A.R. intends to bestow the coveted Minuteman Medal on him at the National Congress in New Orleans this forthcoming June. The Minuteman Medal is awarded to a maximum of six Compatriots per year and is awarded for the Compatriot's efforts at the National level.

BIRTHDAYS

Robert C. Emrey 04/16
 D. F. "Bill" Semerau 04/19
 Charles K. Stalh 04/19
 Donald H. McLaughlin 04/21
 Ned W. Robertson 04/28

ANNIVERSARIES

Ned and Royanna Robertson
 27 April 1975



Sam Fulkerson receiving his membership certificate from President Breithaupt

THE D.A.R. STATE MEETING

The Daughters of the American Revolution in the State of California held their Annual meeting at the Burbank Airport Hilton Hotel. The San Fernando Valley Chapter set up a recruiting table in the central lobby on Friday and Saturday, March 11th and 12th. Compatriots Donald H. McLaughlin, Audel H. Hicks and Donald Moran manned it.

At the Saturday evening banquet our full Color Guard, manned by the cadets of Crescenta Valley High School Air Force ROTC. Our thanks to LtC Beverly and Sgt. Hintz for their assistance.

After the ceremonies, the Chapter presented these fine young people the SAR's Outstanding Citizenship pins and certificates.

Joining our Color Guard was David Fischman's "South Coast Volunteers", the Fife and Drum Corps, Dressed in our Chapter's musician's uniforms they made a spectacular appearance. Numerous positive comments from the DAR and guests were over heard.

WHERE HAVE BOB AND VIRGINIA BEEN?

Conspicuous by their absence at the March Meeting, several of our members asked about the whereabouts of Bob and Virginia Emrey. As you all know Bob is State President of the CASSAR and Virginia is President of the Ladies Auxiliary. Their calendar is something that must be viewed to be believed. For your information these are the more recent activities of Mr. and Mrs. President:

February 19th

Bob was the Keynote Speaker at our Massing of the Colors

February 26th

Bob and Virginia attended the Semi-Centennial Celebration of the Riverside Chapter and swore in their Officers.

February 27th

Bob and Virginia attended the Trustees Meeting in Louisville, Kentucky.

March 11th and 12th

Bob and Virginia attended the State DAR Meeting participating in all activities. They broke away long enough to fly to Fresno and attend that Chapter's meeting.

Bob presented Compatriot Vernon Pharr with the Patriot Medal and Margaret Pharr and Bernice Taylor the Martha Washington Medal.

March 17th

Bob and Virginia attended the Western District Meeting held in Hawaii.

March 26th

Bob and Virginia attended the Joint DAR and SAR annual meeting sponsored by the Thomas Jefferson Chapter at the Alameda Naval Air Station.

1994 ROSTER OF CHAPTER MEMBERS

No	Compatriot's Name	Address	City	State	Zip
1	JERRY A. BAKER	8532 Nevada Street	West Hills	CA	91304
2	CHARLES D. BARNARD	5410 Bedford Avenue	Los Angeles	CA	90056
3	RICHARD BREIHAUPT	17220 Hemmingway Street	Van Nuys	CA	91406
4	JAMES W. BROWNING	7753 Via Sorrento	Burbank	CA	91504
5	KENNETH M. BURDICK	1561 Hillside Drive	Glendale	CA	91208-2418
6	JEFFREY E. BURGESS	4802 New York Avenue	Glendale	CA	91216
7	DAVID S. BURNETT	25619 Cielo Court	Valencia	CA	91355
8	BERNI K. CAMPBELL	31333 East Nine Drive	Laguna Niguel	CA	92677
9	Dr. CLIFFORD J. CRAFT, III	23715 W. Malibu Rd, Suite 544	Malibu	CA	90265
10	JOHN G. CRAFT	249 Hanover Street	Costa Mesa	CA	92626
Dual	Rev. GARY ALAN DICKEY	22167 Bryant Street	West Hills	CA	91304-2306
11	WILLIAM T. DOYLE	P.O. Box 800442	Santa Clarita	CA	91380
12	Col. GEORGE A. ECKERT	1253 North Havenhurst	Los Angeles	CA	90046
13	ROBERT C. EMREY, Sr.	171 Wonderview Drive	Glendale	CA	91202
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23	REGINALD HUMPHREY	1126 North Reese Place	Burbank,	CA	91506
24	MARVIN C. HUTCHINS	9067 Amboy Avenue	Sun Valley	CA	91352
25	BRUCE A. JAGGER	7548 Stewart Avenue	Los Angeles	CA	90045
26	PAUL L. KIRK	9358 Wystone Avenue	Northridge	CA	91324
27	JAMES R. LAUGHLIN	3808 West Avenue N	Palmdale	CA	93551
28	FLOYD H. LAWRENCE	43827 27th West	Lancaster	CA	93536
29	WALLACE C. LEEDY	5530 Spanish Oak Lane #E	Agoura	CA	91301-3729
30	DONALD H. McLAUGHLIN	23614 Dunsmore Lane	Valencia	CA	91355
31	DONALD R. McDOWELL	1923 Santa Cruz Street	San Pedro	CA	90732
32	JAMES A. McKENZIE	20401 Coulson Street	Woodland Hills	CA	91367

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No.	Compatriot's Name	Address	City	State	Zip
33	JAMES A. McKELLEP	10031 Leona Avenue	Tujunga	CA	91042
34	ROBERT S. MOORE	8012 Glenties Lane	Sunland	CA	91040
35	DONALD N. MORAN	1248 Herzel Avenue	Lancaster	CA	93535-4379
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38	Dr. GLEN S. ROBERTSON	3680 Shadow Grove Road	Pasadena	CA	91107
39	NED W. ROBERTSON	1333 San Antonio Creek	Santa Barbara	CA	91324
40	ROGER E. ROBERTSON	19411-136 Business Ctr.	Northridge	CA	91324
41	GEORGE B. ROBINSON	9725 Obeck Avenue	Arleta	CA	91331
42	GEORGE C. RODEARMEL	1428 Hacienda Drive	La Canada	CA	91011
43	MARK V. RUDD	42558 Ranch Club Road	Lake Elizabeth	CA	93532
44	D. F. "Bill" SEMERAU	3524 Altura Avenue	La Crescenta	CA	91214
45	STEPHEN B. SMITH	8269 Redbush Lane	Panorama City	CA	91402
46	CHARLES K. STAHL	22333 Melodi Lane	Santa Clarita	CA	91350
47	DAVID STIELOW	P.O. Box 10373	Burbank	CA	91510
48	JAMES P. STUBBLEFIELD	2472 Shields Avenue	La Crescenta	CA	91214
49	GEORGE S. VAN DORN	2648 Risa Drive	Glendale	CA	91208
50	PHILO VAN WAGONER	8891 Collingwood Drive	Los Angeles	CA	90069
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54	DOUGLAS D. WHITLEY	2940 Mad River Lane	Ontario	CA	91761
55	LtC EDGAR D. WHITLEY	1809 Hill Street	Santa Monica	CA	90405
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57	WILLIAM L. WOOD	16300 Schienborn Street	Sepulveda	CA	91343

1994 MEMBERSHIP CHAPTER REPORT

The above 1994 San Fernando Valley Chapter Membership Roster is based on the annual reports submitted to the State Society at the end of March.

We regret that we had to drop two members for non-payment of dues, and we had to accept four resignations. Our seventh member loss was the demise of long time

member Bill Dunwoody.

Thanks to the efforts of former President Donald H. McLaughlin's Membership Task Force, the Chapter gained twelve new members in 1993-1994 - - less the loss of seven members we have a net gain of five members. President Richard H. Breithaupt has expressed his desire

to keep the "Taskforce" concept going and to place additional efforts in getting our extentions (Colonel Newhall, Captain Lancaster and Ridgecrest).

Compatriot Berni K. Campbell, our Registrar advises several men are working on their applications and we anticipate a good response from our recruiting efforts.





THE VALLEY COMPATRIOT



REPORT OF THE TREASURER

ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION	01/01/93 to 12/31/93	01/01/94 to 03/13/94	1994 Adopted Budget
Beginning Balance:	\$ 383.08	\$ 197.16	\$ 197.16
Chapter Dues:	2,643.50	2,215.00	2,350.00
Contributions: General Fund:	1,227.00	280.00	280.00
Permanent Fund:	302.63	125.00	125.00
Color Guard Fund:	140.00	15.00	15.00
ROTC Fund:	0.00	15.00	15.00
Other:	77.56	95.00	95.00
Meeting Revenues:	2,783.37	553.00	2,550.00
Donated Computer System:	5,714.31	0.00	0.00
Interest:	14.35	4.00	14.00
Other Revenue:	1,355.66	0.00	300.00
Total:	14,641.46	3,499.16	5,941.16

CHAPTER'S EXPENSES

Meeting Expenses:	\$ 2,957.42	\$ 561.00	\$ 2,030.00
Medals and Awards:	444.75	115.23	345.00
NSSAR/CASSAR Dues:	2,464.00	1,610.00	1,645.00
Office Supplies:	110.41	110.42	110.42
Postage:	449.16	172.52	400.00
Printing: Valley Compatriot:	1,277.95	372.93	1,000.00
Miscellaneous:	73.10	52.60	0.00
To the Permanent Fund:	302.63	125.00	125.00
Bank Fees:	168.47	0.00	169.00
Computer Systems:	5,714.31	0.00	0.00
Color Guard Expenses:	0.00	197.53	0.00
Other Expenses:	482.10	123.04	0.00
Total:	14,444.30	3,440.06	5,824.42

TOTALS

Total Chapter Revenues:	14,641.46	3,499.16	5,871.10
Total Chapter Expenses:	14,444.30	2,946.06	5,824.42
Funds Available:	197.16	58.89	46.74

Respectfully submitted: Dr. Clifford J. Craft, III, Treasurer.
15 March 1994



SPECIAL FUNDS

Trustees Roger E. Robertson and Audel H. Hicks advised the Chapter that the Permanent Fund now has a total of \$15,537.80.

The contributors to the fund are:

Charles D. Barnard
Arthur Wm. Barrett
Richard H. Briethaupt
Berni K. Campbell
Dr. Clifford J. Craft, III
Col. George A. Eckert, Jr.
Robert C. Emrey, Sr.
Col. Thomas D. Gillis
Philip Reid Giltmier
Leland B. Hawkins, III
Audel H. Hicks, Sr.
Audel H. Hicks, Jr.
Craig A. Hicks
Bruce A. Jagger
Donald Ross McDowell
James A. McKenzie
James A. McKellep
Donald H. McLaughlin
Robert Sterling Moore
Donald Norman Moran
Norman Philip Moran
Thomas Jefferson Ponton
James R. Reynolds
Dr. Glen S. Robertson
Ned W. Robertson
Roger E. Robertson
D. F. "Bill" Semerau
Charles K. Stahl, Jr.
Mrs. Walter G. Turnell
George Sutherland Van Dorn
Philo Van Wagoner
Walter High Walley
Thomas H. Warden
Robert J. Wiley, Sr.

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WALTER G. TURNELL R.O.T.C. FUND

This fund presently has \$10,270.24

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All donations to the S.A.R. are tax deductible under the provisions of I.R.S. 501C. Our tax exemption number is: 95-368578



The Minutes of the March 19th Meeting

The Chapter held its monthly luncheon at the Tam O'Shanter Inn in Glendale on March 19th. President Richard H. Breithaupt presiding.

PRESENTATION OF NEW MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATE

President Richard H. Breithaupt presented Samuel Roy Fulkerson his SAR Membership certificate. Sam is a descendant of Patriot Robert Sheppard. His Mother and Grandmother are active DAR members.

PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

President Richard H. Breithaupt presented Audel H. Hicks the SAR's Meritorious Service Medal for his years of service at the Chapter, State and National levels. certificate of Appreciation.

MINUTES OF THE FEBRUARY 19th MEETING

It was moved Donald H. McLaughlin and Seconded by Audel H. Hicks that the minutes of the February 19th Meeting be accepted as published. The Motion Carried.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

In the absence of Treasurer Dr. Clifford J. Craft, III Secretary Donald Norman Moran presented the written Treasurer's report. The report revealed a decreased amount of donations and a substantial shortfall in operating funds. The report is to be published in the April issue of the Valley Compatriot.

REPORT ON THE PERMANENT FUNDS

Compatriot Audel H. Hicks reported that the earnings from the Bleham Fund have again declined.

REPORT ON THE VETERAN'S BOOK DRIVE.

In the absence of Chairman Edgar D. Whitley, Compatriot Audel H. Hicks reported that deliveries were made to Brentwood,

Sawtelle and Wadsworth Hospitals. Sepulveda V. A. Hospital is definitely being torn down owing to earthquake. There are no plans to rebuild it.

REPORT ON OUR R.O.T.C. PROGRAM

In the absence of Chairman Edgar D. Whitley, Compatriot Audel H. Hicks reviewed the program and stressed the need for members to volunteer as presenters. The list of schools and dates of ceremonies was published on page 8 of the March Valley Compatriot.

REPORT ON THE MASSING OF THE COLORS

President Richard Breithaupt reported on the George Washington Commemorative Massing of the Colors, which took place on February 20th. President Breithaupt announced that we are already planning next years event.

DAR STATE MEETING

The Annual State meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution was held March 10th, 11th and 12th. We manned a recruiting table and our Color Guard (manned by the Crescenta Valley AFROTC) presented the colors at the March 12th They were joined by the Fifes and Drums of David Fischman's South Coast Volunteers. The South Coast Volunteers wore the uniforms of the Life Guard's Musicians furnished by our Chapter.

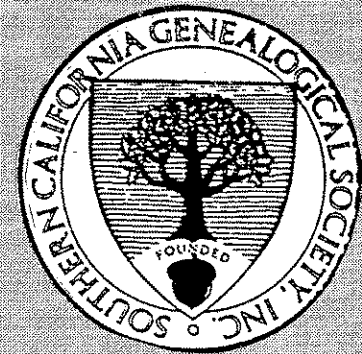
JULY 4th REVOLUTIONARY WAR ENCAMPMENT

We have been advised that Knott's Berry Farm will sponsor a Revolutionary War encampment at the site of their full scale reproduction of the Independence Hall this forthcoming July 4th. We have been invited to furnish our color guard, but as re-enactors rather then color guard duty. This is an

opportunity to gain some needed Publicity for the SAR

There being no further business before the Chapter President Richard H. Breithaupt declared the meeting was adjourned.

Donald Norman Moran, Secretary



The SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

25th ANNUAL JAMBOREE at the Exhibition Building, The Pasadena Center 300 East Green Street Pasadena, California

MAY 21st and 22nd, 1994

For all of the Compatriots of the SAR, genealogy is extremely important, for others it is a consuming passion. For the balance of us it is an addiction!

The Jamboree is fun - it is a learning experience, a chance to socialize with many old friends and it does help the addiction, if only for a little while!

Since the San Fernando Valley Chapter was formed in 1981, we have had a recruiting/information table at the Jamboree. It has been futile recruiting ground. We need volunteers to help both Saturday and Sunday.



SAN FERNANDO VALLEY CHAPTER'S CALENDAR

April 9th, 1994
 Monthly Luncheon
 Program:
 Officer Mary Mijach
 Glendale Police Dept.
PERSONAL SAFETY
 The Tam O'Shanter
 Restaurant
 2980 Los Filix Dr. Glendale

May 14th, 1994
 Monthly Luncheon
 Joint Meeting with the
 Pasadena Chapter

The Tam O'Shanter
 Restaurant
 2980 Los Filix Dr. Glendale

YEAR AT A GLANCE

9 April Monthly Luncheon
 (Revised Date)
 15 April CASSAR Meeting
 14 May Monthly Luncheon
 (Revised Date)
 Joint meeting with
 the Pasadena Chapter
 21 May S.C.G.S. Jamboree
 4-8 June NSSAR Congress
 July Chapter is Dark
 Aug. Chapter is Dark
 18 June Monthly Luncheon
 17 Sept. Monthly Luncheon
 15 Oct. Monthly Luncheon
 Nov. CASSAR Meeting
 19 Nov. Monthly Luncheon
 Dec. Monthly Meeting

April 15th & April 16th
 The ANNUAL
 S.A.R.
 MEETING OF THE
 MEMBERSHIP
 Monterey Bay

May 21st & 22nd
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