

is protested by the Daughters of the Confederacy for they want their children to be taught the true facts of the "War Between the States" and they <sup>claim that</sup> think that is not true of the Muzzy History.

Refreshments were served by the Ch. Mrs. Watkins Smith and her circle.

Respectfully Submitted  
Mrs. J. W. Johnson

## October Meeting of U. D. C. 1931

The October Meeting of U. D. C. was held at the home of Mrs. Fred McHarris with the Dixie Chapter as hostess & Mrs. J. B. Wood Ch.

It was a very interesting meeting as the Ia Division of the Daughters had been entertained <sup>off 224</sup> jointly by the two chapters of the Daughters only a few days previous when the following women were elected as State officers for the coming year.

President - Miss Anna Mann of Petersburg  
 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Pres. Mrs. Nottingham  
 2<sup>nd</sup> " " Mrs. Herbert Lewis  
 3<sup>rd</sup> " " Mrs. W. W. Cleve  
 4<sup>th</sup> " " Mrs. C. C. Guthrie  
 Rec. Sec. Mrs. W. O. Bickle, Klammton  
 Historian Mrs. Fitzhugh Palmer  
 Treas. Mrs. Mrs. H. E. Monroe, Ldy  
 Registrar Mrs. Wilmoth Anderson, Ldy.  
 Custodian - Mrs. Magnus Thompson  
 Recording Cross Miss Webb.

Delegates to the Gen Convention in Jacksonville from Nov. 15-21 were elected as follows:-

Delegates

- Mrs. C. L. DeWalt
- Mrs. J. B. Wood
- Mrs. J. W. Johnson
- Mrs. D. C. Jackson
- Mrs. C. E. Finckow
- Mrs. Beasley R.P.

Alternates

- Mrs. Wilmoth Anderson
- Miss Elizabeth Goch
- Mrs. John H. Davis
- Mrs. J. C. Burkes
- Mrs. D. L. Stroud
- Mrs. Lawrence Hooton

Reports were given. The Cor. Rec. reported having written four letters during the month. The Treasurer \$168 in bank to date. Mrs. Almond, the registra reported having 8 papers filled out ready to be sent in.

Miss M<sup>rs</sup> Coo made a plea for the fund Stratford, Jefferson Davis Foundation, and Maury Scholarship. The Maury Bust fund <sup>completely</sup> was paid for, by the daughters with <sup>[\$2,000 from his granddaughters \$500 for]</sup> The quota for our part for the Stratford fund was \$8461 of which \$5437 will be presented at the Gen. Con. in Jacksonville leaving \$3024 yet to raise. Our Da Leg. gave \$10,000 towards the amt. paid for Stratford which was \$24000 for the house + 11 acres of land.

The Jeff. Davis <sup>Hist.</sup> Foundation Fund <sup>is</sup> has yet to raise \$1615 for our quota - said we must impress upon our ch. to do their part. It's purpose is to promote the study of southern hist.

Many Mrs. Tol. \$4000

The Norman L. Randolph Fund gives relief to Southern women in the South, all checks signed by the Pres. Gen., who is at the present Mrs. L. M. Bastinsky of Ala.

The chapter went on record as the first chapter in the state to ask the gov. to issue a commemorative stamp to Gen. Robt E. Lee as proposed by the Richmond Stamp Club.

The motion for this action was made by Mrs. R. T. Beasley, a member of the L.G. Stamp Club. Four new members were present. One veteran, Mr. Pearman, died since the last meeting.

Mrs. Arthur Jennings provided the historical program, giving a sketch of Rutherford B. Hayes, the First Modern President.

At the close, refreshments were served by the hostess group. The home was decorated with flags & fall flowers.

The chapter adjourned to meet with Nathan B. Forest on Nov. 11.

Respectfully submitted

Mrs. J. W. Johnson.

## November Meeting of U. D. C. 1931.

The November Meeting of the U. D. C. met at the home of Mrs. St. M. McCorkle on Jackson St with the Malheur B. Forest Circle as hostess, Mrs. Haskins ch. The President presided. The ritual was read with Miss McCree as leader followed by the reading of the minutes by the Rec. Sec. and reports by the officers and chairmen of the circles.

Mrs. M. Hane ch of the benevolent com. reported there had been no deaths of the Veterans since Mr. Pearman's

The Cor. Sec. had written 22 letters since the last meeting besides typing 50 copies of the ritual for the use of the chapter. We are very fortunate in having Mrs. Evans for Cor. Sec.

Recorder of crosses, Mrs. Thumate, announced that she hoped to bestow 2 crosses for military service in Jan. to Mr. McCree + Dr. Peters.

The Custodian reported that she rec'd 13 flags + 17 green flags, the U. D. portion of the flags presented by the <sup>chaplains of the state</sup> daughter at the 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Con. of the Da. Division



Mrs. Booth appointed to interview Mrs. Hoskins and see what had been done by the Com. appointed at the meeting in Oct. to award a small gift to Mrs. Fluenter for her assistance on this evening.

The chapter voted and it was carried that <sup>new</sup> members brought in to the O. D. C. by the ch. or one of its members should be <sup>is</sup> members of her circle for the year. <sup>new</sup> Veterans were assigned to the <sup>new</sup> circles by ties. It was decided that a basket should be sent to each Veteran on Thanksgiving. Mrs. McHane to be Gen. Ch. & that she must suggest to the ch. of the circles what ~~each~~ baskets should contain, the baskets to be paid for ~~from~~ the Treasures of the O. D. C. from its funds. Also a basket should be sent to our local beneficiary, Miss Perrow and \$5 to Miss Gnutter.

The delegates to the 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the United Daughters of the Confed. to be held in Jacksonville Nov. 15-21 were instructed to cast the vote of the O. D. C. to Mrs. Byrne of N. Va for President General.

The business being completed, the ch. of the hostess chapter, introduced the speaker of the evening, Dr. Mississ who gave a most interesting

and instructive talk on "The Confederate Navy."

Mrs. I. M. Armstead sang an Armistice song, "There is no Death" and an encore "Love's Old Sweet Song."

Very beautiful & delicious refreshments were served. The home was decorated with flags and autumn flowers and foliage.

Adjourned to meet with the John McCausland Circle on Dec 9.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mrs. J. W. Johnson.

## December Meeting of U. D. C. - 1931.

The Gen. Mc Cawland Circle was hostess to the U. D. C. at the home of Mrs. Maher's on Court St on Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>.

The Pres., Mrs. De Mott, presided. The ritual was read, lead by the Chaplain, Miss Mollie Lowry.

The reports of the officers followed. Mrs. Mc-Whane's report was read by the Pres. She sent baskets to the veterans on Thanksgiving Day as authorized by chapter. The Treasurer, Mrs. Horton, reported \$197.91 cts. in bank to date, \$25 collected since last report and followed with the checks issued.

Cor. Rec. stated that four letters had been <sup>sent</sup> Registrar, no report.

Historian, Mrs. Hoskins, resigned and Mrs. Arthur Jennings member of a P. C. Chapter was appointed to act as Historian for the present. She distributed the year books.

Custodian, Mrs. Strand, said that the flags were used at every meeting. The J. E. B. Stuart Circle had the best attendance, seven present, Mrs. Anderson ch. formerly Mrs. Ingram's circle.

Miss McCue read a letter from Mrs. G. Filmer <sup>expenses</sup> giving an account of Miss Mary Gunther's, at the <sup>Hilltop</sup> Panatorium and Miss McCue made a motion and it was recorded & voted upon by the chapter that the treasurer Mrs. Horton should send Miss Gunther \$10 each mo. until further notice.

Mrs. Davis, Director, gave a wonderful report of the interest shown by the children both in interest and attendance, each being shown later in their program of entertainment.

Recorder of Crosses, Mrs. Drumate, could not say positively that the two crosses of Honor would be awarded in Jan. but that she hoped to hear from Mrs. John H. Goodwin, <sup>of Phila.</sup> Custodian of Crosses of Honor & Service, saying they were ready.

Mrs. R. P. Beasley, Confederate Veteran. Four subscriptions for \$5.00. If possible many should subscribe for this year \$700 had to be paid out of the General D. D. C. treasury to meet its <sup>Confederate Veteran</sup> expenses, 663 sub-  
scriptions dropped during the past year. 137 of them fr. Va. The \$700 was of the Emergency Reserve Fund, created to assist the Confederate Veteran Magazine when re-

no doubt Mr. was a little irregular but I  
knew Mrs. T. wanted you to know that  
so I supplied it.

ceipts are insufficient for necessary expenses.

A committee was appointed by the Pres.  
to furnish <sup>for the veterans</sup> a Christmas tree, dinner, basket  
or etc. etc. Committee: -

Mrs. McHane, Mrs. Beasley, Mrs. Evans, Mrs.  
Shumate, Mrs. McLoche, Mrs. Almond.

Motion made by Mrs. Davis & seconded &  
carried by the Chapter, that the Prog.  
for our chapter meeting would be  
changed, entertainment first followed by  
the business: -

<sup>over</sup> The address & music, etc. refreshments, business.

Mrs. J. W. Johnson gave a report of the  
38<sup>th</sup> annual Convention of U. D. C. held in  
Jacksonville, Fla. from Nov. 16-21, 1931.

The Children of the Confederacy furnished  
a program of entertainment emphasizing  
the Christmas note. Bettie Reoth read a  
paper on Wade Hampton, Statesman & Soldier.  
The four confederate flags were described,  
the Conquered Banner by Father Ryan,  
read & red Christmas candles distributed.

Delicious refreshments served.

Adjourned to meet with A. P. Hill Circle

Jan. 19

Respectfully,

Mrs. J. W. Johnson.

## January Meeting of U. D. C. 1932

The January meeting of U. D. C. was held at the Elks Club on Jan. 19 with the A. P. Hill as hostess, Mrs. George Dinguid ch.

A short business session preceded the celebration of the 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the birth of Robert E. Lee.

Short reports were given by the officers present. Mrs. C. H. Almond, registrar, announced that from Jan 1, 1932, an initiation fee of \$1.25 will have to be paid when joining the daughters of the Confederacy. One dollar for a transfer from one chapter of the Confederacy to another, 50 cts. to be paid to each of chapters + from the chapters to the State registrar and from the State registrar to the Registrar General.

Mrs. Almond, also stated, that Mrs. Hammers, Mrs. Mc-Ghie's + Miss Blount's had been received + that they were now members of the U. D. C.

Mrs. John Davis reported that the children's ch. had their original chart + requested the mother chapter to furnish a frame so that it would be preserved for future reference. Moved + seconded

that Mrs. Davis' request would be granted.  
The correspondent Rec. wrote 15 letters  
this month.

The Pres. announced that she had at-  
tended two meetings of the Daughters since  
the last meeting. The Christmas enter-  
tainment at the Library of the Veterans  
and at Patrick Henry Hotel Roanoke  
when the U. D. C. was invited to meet  
with the W<sup>m</sup> Walths ch. Each was very  
enjoyable and she wished that more of  
the Daughters could have been present.

Mrs. John H. Davis was the speaker of the  
afternoon in the Program that followed  
the business session.

She announced <sup>and</sup> that during the mo. of Jan.  
we pray tribute to three great heroes,  
Robt. E. Lee, Fontaine Maury & Thomas  
Jonathan Jackson. On this memorable  
occasion she would speak of Lee as  
Pres. of Washington College; Fontaine  
Maury, Pathfinder of the Seas & Stonewall  
Jackson as a Stonewall.

She spoke of the overtures made to Lee  
one with a salary of \$10,000 but he refused all, saying  
that his work was with the young men of the

"Lost Cause" and accepted the position as Pres. of Washington College with a salary of \$1500. The student body consisted of 27 young men but during his presidency it numbered more than 400. He improved the curriculum &c. during his administration.

He spoke of Maury as the Pathfinder of the Seas, that his <sup>physical</sup> map of the seas illustrated paths in the water equal to the paths on land, that no doubt many of us could recall the Maury's geography we studied years ago.

Thomas Jonathan Jackson would always be Stonewall Jackson to the Daughters.

Military crosses were conferred upon Dr. Don Peters, Robert Edward McClure & William Lee Younger by the Pres. Mrs. De Moll. Miss McClure read the rules governing the conferring of the crosses, <sup>in the presence of Mrs. Chupade</sup> Dr. Peters gave reminiscences of his father, the late Wm. Peters, L.L.D. who served as Col. in the War "Between the States".

The poem Robert E. Lee, by Miss Phronce March, which was won <sup>the Loving Cup</sup> at the Gen. Con. in Jacksonville was read by Mrs. Arthur Jennings.

Beltie Scott read the poem, "The Sword of Lee" by Father Ryan.

Mrs. Stroud gave the Invocation, a prayer by Bishop Capers of D. C. (Charleston) Southern songs interspersed the program sang by Mrs. M<sup>e</sup> Casland, accompanied by Mrs. Bessie Collins.

Punch was served during the social period

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs J. W. Johnson.

## February Meeting of U. D. C. of D. D. C.'s.

The Feb. meeting of the U. D. C met at the home of Mrs. Emil Berger's on Feb. 10 with the J. E. B. Stuart Circle as hostess and Mrs. Wilmoth Anderson ch.

The Program preceded the business session followed by refreshments.

Mrs. D. R. Gay read a comprehensive paper on "George Washington, the Virginian." Mrs. D. E. Stimp read extracts from addresses by Judah P.

Benjamin <sup>(all year)</sup> <sup>(see 1862)</sup> <sup>(see 1862)</sup> the Confederacy of cabinet <sup>[of the U. S. States]</sup>

Mrs. Drvin Trent, accompanied by Prof. Berger, sang, "Drink to Me Only with Thine Eyes" and "Without a Song."

The home was decorated with flags and red + white flowers. Several guests were present.

A motion by Mrs. Jackson was carried by <sup>unanimous</sup> <sup>yes</sup>. The chapter to plant a tree in the Riverside Park, the place to be decided by the following committee, Mrs. Jackson, ch and Mrs Jennings and Mrs. McCordle.

Mrs. M<sup>c</sup>Wane, ch. of benevolent Com. told of the meeting at the Elks Club. She was instructed by the ch. to present Mr. Burch + Com. Wood, valentine, <sup>to</sup> boxes of candy

at the <sup>celebration</sup> 101<sup>st</sup> birthday of Mr. Birch + 86<sup>th</sup> birthday of Com. Wood at the regular meeting of the Children of the Confederacy on Feb. 11 at the home of Mr. Birch's granddaughter, Marie Coston. It was said that Mrs. E. B. Higgins, ch. of the Jefferson Davis Circle of which Mr. Birch is an <sup>honorary</sup> ~~member~~ would be a guest.

Mrs. Arthur Jennings, acting historian of the chapter, reported that fight against Muzzy's history being used in the school still goes on. A letter rec'd from Mrs. Palmer, State historian that she was using her influence to get it out of the schools, that her blood boils at many of its statements and that many of our children are asking, "What is the truth, that Muzzy is <sup>alleging</sup> ~~alleging~~ <sup>that</sup>

The statement of treasurer, \$120.59 to The registra absent.

The Cor. Rec. wrote 6 letters during the mo. Mrs. M<sup>c</sup> Cue reported having raised \$33.66 for Jefferson Davis Foundation Fund and \$59.09 for Stratford + that she was ready to receive contributions from members particularly those who had not contributed, that she states quote

was not yet completed for either fund and that Da. must not fail in her obligations, that ~~the~~ daughters must pay their portion if possible.

Mrs. R. P. Brasley & Mrs. De Mott made application for two crosses of honor for World War Veterans.

A letter was read from Mrs. W. C. Flournoy urging collection of <sup>reminiscences of</sup> southern history before it is too late to obtain it at first hand from those who lived during the War Between the States. Invitation was read to the memorial services for Spanish War Veterans at G. M. C. A. on Feb 15<sup>th</sup> by Rev. E. Craighill Camp, D. C. S.

Mrs. John Davis gave a flourishing report of the C. Ch., told of the birth day party to be given on Feb. 11, to Mrs. B. + Com. W., tree planting, framing of charts, etc. etc.

It was suggested by Mrs. Brasley + others that we would shower two of our sick members Mrs. Ingram & Mrs. H. L. Johnson with valentines.

The Pres. suggested the members reading Mrs. Church's book, *La Senne, Old-plantation Life*. Adjourned to meet Mar. 9 with Mrs. Davis on Lansing Ave. Respectfully sub. Mrs. Johnson

## March Meeting of U. D. C. of D. D. C.'s 1932.

The March meeting of the U. D. C. of D. D. C.'s was at the home of Mrs. D. M. Davis on Lansing Ave. with the Matthew Fontaine Maury as hostess, Mrs. James Bush, ch.

The U. D. C. has been regularly using the Programs sent out by the State Hist. The Program consisted of a sketch of Gen. John B. Gordon read by Mrs C. R. Warthen. Excerpts from "The Antietam" written by ~~James~~ was read by Mrs Mary McFue. Mrs. Glen McCarland sang two songs "A Birthday" + "What's in the Air". Two violin + piano solos, "Souvenir" + "Song of Love" were played by Misses Katharine Ford and Miss Mildred Hamilton, R. Macon Col. students. Refreshments were served by the hostess group. The home was decorated with Confed. flags. The Chapter had the honor of having Mrs. St. John Wilson Lawton of Charleston, S. C. formerly Miss Ruth Jennings of Fla. + former Pres. Gen. of the Confederacy as guest.

The business session proceeded as usual. Mrs. McWane, ch of her com. told of the celebration of the 101 birthday of

Mr. Birch at the home of his daughter  
 Mrs. Coston at the regular meeting of the  
 children of the Confederacy. That there were  
 between 15-18 veterans present. That the  
 honorees Mr. Birch & Com. Wood were  
 presented found boxes of candy from the  
 O. D. C. chapter. She also stated that  
 there had been no deaths among the  
 veterans this winter. She complimented  
 Mrs. Davis' children for the fine work  
 that they are doing and gave great  
 praise to Mrs. Davis as leader.

Cor. Rec. reported 3 letters written during  
 Treas. balance in bank \$135.38.

The registrar, Mrs. C. H. Almond delivered  
 three certificates of membership to Mrs.  
 Garland Hammer, Miss <sup>Rose</sup> Hunt + Mrs. G. C.  
 Mc Gehee. She explained the initiation <sup>cost</sup> fee  
~~\$1.25~~ of becoming a Daughter of the Confederacy  
 25 cts to be sent in with the papers to the  
 state registrar for the certificate and when  
 the papers are returned the chapter treasurer  
 must send the state treasurer \$1.45, \$1.25  
 as initiation fee + 20 cts. capitation tax.

The total \$1.70 paid by the applicant.

The historian, Mrs. Jennings, reported  
 that the state senate did not pass bill  
 to refuse to adopt Muzzy's history.