



The Continental Society Daughters of Indian Wars



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THE CALUMET

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MOTTO: "OUR HANDCLASP OF FRIENDSHIP SHALL ENDURE"

Dear Daughters,

I have just returned from a wonderful visit in California. Many thanks to Martha Hanley, Billie Bailey, and the California Daughters.

I had the privilege of installing the new California Board, and Jane Bledsoe installed our new Provincial Governor, Sally Hlavay from Calgary.



left to right:
Governor General
Susan Chamberlain with
newly installed Calif.
State Governor, Mary Lewis.



left to right:
Governor General
Susan Chamberlain with
Organizing Provincial
Governor, Sally Hlavay
of Calgary.

GOVERNOR GENERAL'S LETTER
(continued)



Front row l to r Mrs. Richard H. Rice, Registrar General; Mrs. George T. Lockwood, Second Deputy Governor General; Mrs. Charles W. Chamberlain, Jr., Governor General; Mrs. Larry W. Bledsoe, Chaplain General; and Mrs. Kenneth M. Bailey, Recording Secretary General. Back row l to r Mrs. William Conti, CA; Mrs. Harley J. Hammond, Librarian General; Mrs. Enver B. Hoff, Honorary Governor General and Parliamentarian. Mrs. Francis A. McKee, Honorary State Governor CA; Mrs. Floyd M. Lewis, State Governor CA; Mrs. John D. Hanley, Honorary State Governor CA; and Mrs. Cecil L. Shagena, CA.

I was thrilled to be presented with two gifts--one \$ 150.00 for the Scholarship Fund and a new book called "The First Angelinos",The Gabrielino Indians of Los Angeles."

Reports were read from the Executive Board, Chairmen and State/Provincial Societies. All reports are read whether you are present or not. Out of 25 societies only 7 reported. PLEASE Governors--at the September 5th and 6th 1997 Annual meeting in Atlanta, GA let's have 100% reporting!

GOVERNOR GENERAL'S LETTER
(continued)



THE GANG

From left clockwise:

Dorothy Hoff

Susan Chamberlain

Jane Bledsoe

Shirley Spuhler

As you know my project for the next two years is increasing the Scholarship Fund. For each individual who contributes \$ 100.00 I shall send them a gold feather pin. If a Society has earned \$ 500.00 (5 individuals giving \$ 100.00 or more) I shall send a gold Indian Head to be passed down with the Governor's pin and sash. If an individual gives \$ 500.00 they will earn the Indian Head, but not the State Society. If said person also wants a feather they must give another \$ 100.00. I am keeping track of the states and individuals. So far:

Massachusetts	\$ 800.00
California	750.00
Georgia	100.00
Iowa	100.00
Maryland	100.00
Illinois	45.00
Arkansas	30.00

* If you can only afford \$ 50.00 this year and \$ 50.00 next year you have earned your feather.



We have a new Junior Membership Chairman, Mrs. Thomas P. O'Brien (Susan).

GOVERNOR GENERAL'S LETTER
(continued)

I was very proud to represent you at the Woodcock-Garrison House marking by the Massachusetts Society, CDXVIIC in North Attleboro on December 11, 1996. A lovely luncheon followed at the Lafayette House, Foxboro, MA, where the photo was taken. Your Governor General is shown with Mrs. James J. Lucas, Massachusetts State President, CDXVIIC.

I hope to see you in Washington, DC at our Annual Spring luncheon April 15, 1997 at the MAYFLOWER HOTEL, 11:30 am

DON'T FORGET to mail your check for \$ 30.50 to our Treasurer General, Mrs. Hugh D. Blocker, Sr. 3202 Superior Lane, Bowie, MD 20715-1997 Make your check payable to TREAS.GEN.CSDIW.



DON'T LET YESTERDAY USE UP TOO MUCH OF TODAY
Will Rogers
Cherokee

In Bonds of Peace,

Susan M. Chamberlain

Governor General

REMEMBER OUR ANNUAL COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE SEPT. 5 & 6 in Atlanta, GA Please mark your calendars. Rooms will be \$ 89.00 for a single and double. A triple will be \$ 99.00 to \$ 109.00. The address will be Wyndham Garden, Buckhead Hotel, 3340 Peachtree Rd. NE, Atlanta, GA. Telephone 404-231-1234. More details in next CALUMET.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO BYLAWS TO BE VOTED UPON IN
SEPTEMBER 1997 IN ATLANTA, GA AT ANNUAL COUNCIL MEETING.
Article XV AMENDMENT OF BYLAWS Section 1

These bylaws may be amended at the annual Council meeting of the Society by a two-thirds vote, provided that the amendment has been submitted in writing thirty (30) days prior to the Annual Council.

AMEND ARTICLE IV officers, SECTION 2 BY SUBSTITUTING A NEW SECTION 2

Existing Bylaw

Section 2 The Nominating Committee shall consist of three members to be elected at the annual meeting of the year preceding elections. The nominating committee shall select its chairman.

The section will then read:

Section 2 The Nominating Committee shall consist of three members, two to be elected at the Annual Meeting of the year preceding elections, and the Chairman to be appointed by the Governor General.

AMEND ARTICLE V Duties of Officers, SECTION 1 BY DELETING THE WORDS AT THE END OF THE FIRST SENTENCE IN SECTION 1.

Existing Bylaw

Section 1 The Governor General shall preside at all meetings of the Council of the Continental Society, and the Executive Board. Her signature shall be on file with the bank for the accounts of the Society's funds. She shall appoint any committees she deems necessary to perform tasks not otherwise assigned. She shall be ex-officio member of all committees except the Nominating Committee. She shall appoint a member to serve as Parliamentarian during her term of office.

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AMEND ARTICLE V Duties of Officers, SECTION 5 BY INSERTING
ADDITIONAL WORDS IN THE FIRST SENTENCE, AND DELETING LAST SENTENCE.

Existing Bylaw

Section 5 The Recording Secretary General shall keep a record of the proceedings of the Council, and of the Executive Board in a book kept for the purpose and shall furnish the Governor General with a copy. She shall not permit the minutes to be taken from her custody except by vote of the Council, but she may permit members to read the minutes. She shall prepare and send a digest of the business transacted at the Executive Board and such others as the Board may direct. She shall keep a correct roll of the membership, and shall perform such other duties as generally pertain to her office.

The section will then read:

Section 5 The Recording Secretary General shall keep a record of the proceedings of the Council, and of the Executive Board, and the Board of Management in a book kept for the purpose and shall furnish the Governor General with a copy. She shall not permit the minutes to be taken from her custody except by vote of the Council, but she may permit members to read the minutes. She shall prepare and send a digest of the business transacted at the Executive Board and such others as the Board may direct.

AMEND ARTICLE VIII BOARD OF MANAGEMENT, SECTION 1 BY SUBSTITUTING
A NEW SECTION 1.

Existing Bylaw

Section 1 The Board of Management shall be comprised of the elected Continental Officers General, the Honorary Governors General, the State Governors (or in their absence the State First Deputy Governors.) A quorum shall be fifteen voting members.

The section will then read:

Section 1 The Board of Management shall be comprised of the elected Continental Officers General, the Honorary Governors General, the State OR Provincial Governors (or in their absence the State or Provincial Deputy Governors) and Continental Chairmen. A quorum shall be nine voting members.

AMEND ARTICLE XIII INSIGNIA BY DELETING THE LAST SENTENCE.

Existing Bylaw

The Insignia of this Society shall consist of a seven-pointed star with a peace pipe in the center, attached by a broken arrow to a ribbon with stripes of blue, red, white, yellow and blue, which are the colors of the Society. Official jewelers are Bailey, Banks and Biddle of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Article XIII will then read:

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ZUNI POTTERY

This large bulging wide mouthed earthenware pot is called an "Olla". The vessel is used either for storage, cooking, or as a container for water.

Here are corrections for the yearbook:

Our Junior Membership Chairman has resigned, and we are so fortunate to have Mrs. Thomas O'Brien (Susan) to fill this void.

Recording Secretary is Mrs. Kenneth M. Bailey (Billie)

Lineage is Mrs. Ralph E. Russell (Marie) 281-471-4068

LIFE members who are not listed as such in the yearbook are:

Helen R. DoBell
Jean Falck
Ellen Farrell
Jane Hilliard

Yearbooks are for sale--\$ 2.00 if mailed to you. Send a request to the Registrar General, Mrs. Richard Rice.

The report in the last CALUMET on the amount of money brought in on the voices at the last Annual Council meeting was incorrect. Instead of \$ 300.00 the amount was \$ 539.00, plus \$ 200.00 honorariums was also given for the Scholarship Fund. Thank you, everyone!

Under the State Societies in the yearbook ILLINOIS was left out. Illinois is chartered; Josefa Lee Hammond (Mrs. Harley J.)

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