

SAR Chapter Newsletter

Harris Ferry Chapter

HARRISBURG, PA

FEBRUARY 1988

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An Invitation to you and your lady...

The George Washington Dinner

Sponsored Annually by the DAR and SAR Chapters
of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania



SUNDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 21, 1988

AT THE HARRISBURG COUNTRY CLUB

Reception (cash bar) at 6:00 Dinner at 7:00

Dress Optional (black tie preferred)

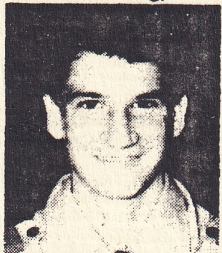
Reservations at \$15.00 per person. (See form below)

REV. PAUL STAUNING TO ADDRESS WASHINGTON DINNER

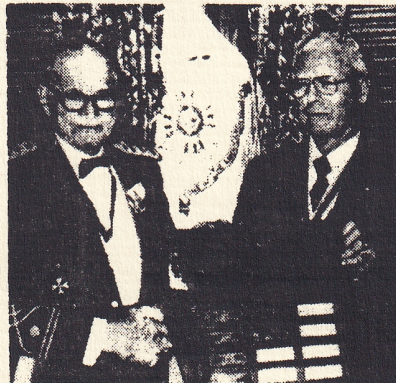
"Washington's Contribution to the U.S. Constitution in 1787" is the topic of the address to be delivered by the Rev. Paul W. Stauning, retired former pastor of Pine Street Presbyterian Church, as this year's guest speaker at the annual George Washington Dinner of the DAR and SAR chapters of Harrisburg. A former recipient of the coveted George Washington Gold Medal of the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge, Rev. Stauning is a recognized authority on both aspects of his topic — Washington the man and also the historic convention over which he presided in 1787.

OUR EAGLE SCOUT WINNER

Aaron L. Book, 16, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry E. Book, of Mechanicsburg, was adjudged winner among the area's 83 new Eagle Scouts of 1987, eligible to compete in the contest the SAR sponsors nationally.



As winner at this level, he is to receive an SAR medal from our chapter, and remains a contender for the statewide trophy,



THE ACTIVITIES TROPHY won by Harris Ferry Chapter for 1987 is shown here, being presented to Chapter President LTC Oscar H. Stroh, at the December din-

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INDEXING HISTORIC GRAVES

With two volumes of "Dauphin County Tombstones and Inscriptions" already in print, Chapter President Oscar H. Stroh plans to have his third volume ready for publication later this year.

In the process of researching primarily the older cemeteries, Stroh has located and identified some 30 or more Revolutionary graves never before reported to SAR, and he hopes to be able to add another 100 this year.

In that aspect of his work, he tabulates not only the data inscribed on the stones, but also checks the military records of