

Sons of the American Revolution



HARRIS FERRY CHAPTER - PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY

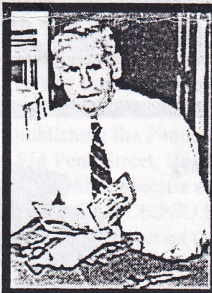
The Patriot Actor to Speak at Constitution Day



Cliff Romberger, who, along with his son Colt, were in the film *The Patriot* will be the guest speaker at the annual Constitution Day Luncheon, Sunday, Sept. 16 at noon. The joint DAR-SAR luncheon observes the 214th anniversary of the U.S. Constitution. It will be held in Mechanicsburg at the Navy Officer's Club. A reservation coupon is located on the back of the newsletter.

Cliff is a local man who is active as a Civil War re-enactor. If you saw the movie, he and his son were in the scene where they were raising militia at the church. He had a short speaking role and his son was in a number of scenes throughout the rest of the picture. He

is currently involved in several movie productions where he is supplying horses for various scenes.



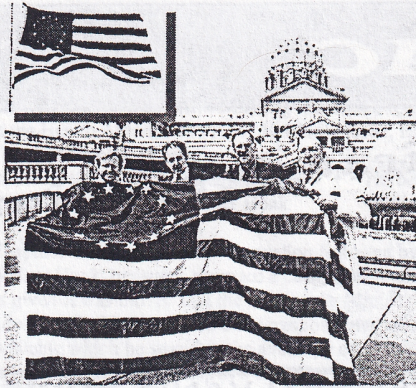
Fred Cardene 1924-2001

Fred M. Cardene Jr., 77 passed away at Holy Spirit Hospital in May 2001. Fred held several Chapter offices through the years, including secretary and more recently, vice president. Fred is survived by his wife Helen, son Robert, daughters Judith and Michelle and five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Originally from Scranton, he served in WWII in the Army Air Corps and was also member of several historical organizations including the Sons of Union Veterans.

Board Resignation

President Pringle reports that health concerns have caused Rich H. King of Hummelstown to resign as Second Vice President of the Harris Ferry Chapter. King was a prime mover in organizing the state Board of Management meeting Scheduled for February 2002. His leadership and guidance will be sorely missed.



Chapter Flag flies over Capitol

Once again, the Chapter's 13-star "Betsy Ross flag adorned the state Capitol Building on Flag Day (inset). The presentation was made to Rep. Jerry Nailor (R-New Cumberland), third from left, by Eric Bugaile, President John Pringle and Walker Hoak America's first official flag was created by a resolution of the Continental Congress meeting in Philadelphia on June 14, 1777, the day we now celebrate yearly as Flag Day. The resolution specified, "that the flag be 13 stripes alternate red and white; that the union be 13 stars, white in a blue field, representing a new constellation". Since the resolution did not

state how the stars were to be arranged, flag makers arranged them in different ways, among them rows, in a half circle, and



PASSAR Board Meeting
Friday - Saturday, November 2-3, 2001
At Ramada Inn
PA Turnpike Exit #10, Somerset, PA
15501

Hosted by the Somerset-Cambria Chapter

Schedule of Events

Friday, November 2

3:00-5:30 pm - registration

7:00pm- Somerset Co. Roof Gardens Chorus- An all male barbershop chorus

Saturday, November 3

8:00- 9:00am-Registration

9:00 am Board of Management Annual Meeting

9:30 am Ladies Program: Coffee, tea, sweets. Then visit the Somerset County Historical Center

12:30 Luncheon Buffet

Program: A Civil War Program~ by members of 142nd Regiment, PA Vol. infantry, Co.F

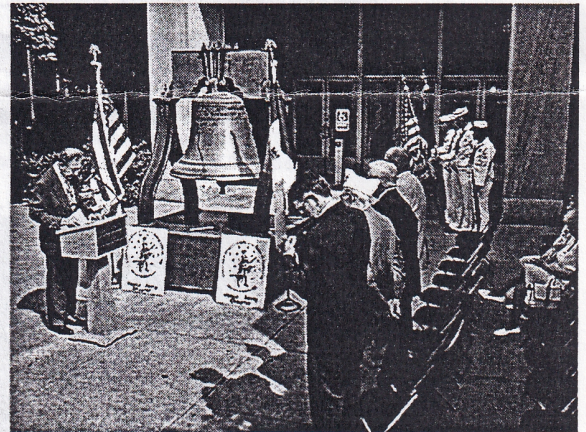
Reservation Form Deadline-19 Oct. 2001 Contact:

Larry Ream

223 Turkeyfoot Trail Road
 Markleton, PA 15551

Somerset Ramada Inn

P.O. Box 511
 Somerset, PA 15501
 (814) 443-4646
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President Pringle addresses the crowd at June 30 Liberty Bell Ceremony.

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 American Revolution, 306 Maple Road
 Edwin R. Miller, Secretary
 Eric Bugaile, Editor

RESERVATION-DAR/SAR Constitution Day Luncheon

Sunday afternoon, September 16, 2001 at The Officer's Club, US Navy Depot, Mechanicsburg

TO: Harris Ferry Chapter, SAR, c/o Walker Hoak, Treasurer (Tel. 545-3888)

107 North 34th street Harrisburg, PA 17109-3605

Enclosed is a check payable to the "Harrisburg Chapter, SAR" in amount of \$_____ for _____
 Luncheons at \$12.50 each.

NAME _____ TELEPHONE _____

NAMES of Guests: _____

(Thursday Sept 13th is Deadline for Reservations or Cancellation)



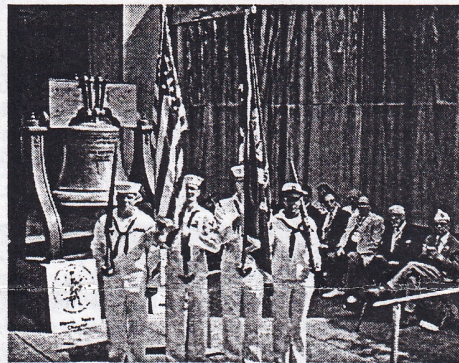
Excerpt from the Minutes of the Board of Management Meeting PASSAR, Bethlehem, PA February 3, 2001
President Pringle, Secretary Edwin Miller, Chaplain Robert Coleman and Board Member Willis Friese attended

"New Business

The Harris Ferry Chapter has presented a resolution that the National Society present a gold good citizenship medal to Charlton Heston in recognition for his work to protect the U.S. Constitution, and asks that PASSAR endorse said resolution and forward same to National for consideration. Watson Lupher moved, Charles Canning seconded, that PASSAR forward the Harris Ferry Chapter resolution to National for consideration; upon standing vote the motion was passed."

Activities Agenda 2001

- Sept. 16.- Constitution Anniversary Program with the DAR
- Sept 29 --Chapter Board Meeting
- Nov. 17 – Chapter Board Meeting
- Dec. 2 -- Annual Meeting
- Dec. 14 – Bell tolling commemorates Washington's death, 1pm



Navy Color guard at the annual Liberty Bell Ringing Ceremony. This year's ceremony was held June 30 at the state museum. Robert Coleman gave a stirring rendition of Patrick Henry's "give me liberty " speech.

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The Harris World Wide Web. The web site located at <http://maley.net/harrisferry> and is also accessible on a link from the Pennsylvania SAR site, www.sar.org/passar. Webmaster Robert MaFerry Chapter can now be found on the Icy can be e-mailed at sarinfo@maley.net. Members with e-mail addresses are invited to share their address with Maley.

**PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY
 SONS OF THE AMERICAN
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From: Arnold C. Emerson, President August 13, 2001
 To: Chapter Presidents

As you are aware, we are not publishing the Pennsylvania Minuteman Magazine due to not having an editor. This publication is our only way of keeping our membership informed of the important happenings of the State Society and events of other Chapters.

As a service project to our Society we are seeking a Chapter or individual to edit and publish the Pennsylvania Minuteman.. This project could be a great fundraiser for a Chapter. The Minuteman is published quarterly and there are certain due dates that must be maintained so that the membership is informed of specific events in a timely manner. Input is provided by Chapters, State President, State Secretary and State Committee Chairmen. There is a stipend associated with editing the Minuteman plus funds to cover the cost of publishing and mailing.

Individuals or Chapters interested in serving the PASSAR by editing and publishing the Pennsylvania Minuteman please contact me; Arnold C. Emerson at 514 Penn Street, Hollidaysburg, Pa. 16648-1546; Phone (814) 695-0777

If you have specific and procedural questions, please contact Mr. Steven Houtz at Steveh@OTCE.PSU.EDU

It is most important that we publish our Minuteman as soon as possible, so please discuss this in your Chapters, and consider this avenue of service to your Society. The Minuteman is one of the most important tools we have to keep our Society working together. Help make your organization stronger.

Sincerely,

Arnold C. Emerson President

**February 8-9, 2002
 PASSAR Board of
 Management Meeting
 Harris Ferry Chapter
 hosting**

CHAPTER OFFICERS 2001

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HARRIS FERRY CHAPTER

Minutes

Board of Management

January

The Board of Management Meeting was called to order by President John Pringle 20 January 2001 at 9:15 A.M. in the meeting room at the Health Alliance of PA, 4750 Lindle Road, Harrisburg, PA.

Those in attendance were:

Robert Coleman	Edwin Miller	Herbert Braden	Willis Friese	John Pringle	William Lunsford
Richard King	Walker Hoak	William Marshall	Robert Maley	Eric Bugaile	

Chaplain Coleman gave the invocation followed by the Pledge to the Flag.

Walker Hoak, treasurer, reported a cash balance of \$3215.69. All bills have been paid to this date. Motion carried to accept the report as given. It was moved that the Secretary's Minutes be accepted as mailed. Motion carried.

Edwin Miller then reported on correspondence received from Oscar Stroh. Oscar stated that he has 100 Thompson's Battalion books available which he would make available on consignment to the Chapter. Discussion followed and it was suggested that another letter be sent indicating the Chapter's desire to move as quickly as possible on the selling of the books.

William Lunsford, Chairman Eagle Scout Awards Committee, reported on progress of obtaining required information from local Scout Councils and PASSAR Scout Committee.

Herbert Braden, Vice President, reported on the status of the Chapter's hosting the PASSAR Quarterly Meeting in February 2002. He moved that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the Radisson the binder fee for holding the dates and space required. Motion passed. Discussion then followed on the possibilities of speakers and presenters for the various programs needed.

Robert Coleman, Awards Committee Chairman, stated that the Committee is continuing to work on acquiring a biography for Charlton Heston. Also, that the Committee is establishing a standard procedure for the operation of the Committee.

The Nominating Committee, Robert Coleman, Chairman, proposed Eric Milliron and Whitley Simmons to fill the recent Trustee vacancies. It was moved and accepted.

Eric Bugaile, during a discussion of the newsletter, suggested that 11 x17 inch paper be used to improve the appearance of the SAR Almanac. It was agreeable to all.

Willis Friese discussing the Old Hanover Cemetery stated that SAR grave markers are not available if the deceased has already been recognized with a stone. He also indicated that many of the burial sites are not known in order to mark them appropriately.

A new committee was established to review the Chapter's current Bylaws and make any appropriate recommendations. The Committee consists of Willis Friese, Eric Bugaile, and William Marshall.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:00 P.M.

April

The Board of Management Meeting was called to order by President John Pringle 28 April, 2001 at 9:10 A.M. in the meeting room at the Health Alliance of PA, 4750 Lindle Road, Harrisburg, PA.

Those in attendance were:

Robert Coleman	Edwin Miller	Herbert Braden	Richard Rice	John Pringle	William Lunsford
Eric Milliron	Walker Hoak	William Marshall	Robert Maley		

Chaplain Coleman gave the invocation followed by the Pledge to the Flag.

President Pringle reported that everything is "on track" for the Awards Luncheon in May. He reminded the Board of the Linglestown Memorial Day Parade which starts at 1:00 P.M. on May 28th. President Pringle reviewed the Chapter's calendar and its participation with the DAR. Motion carried to accept the President's report.

It was moved that the Secretary's Minutes be accepted as mailed. Motion carried. Secretary Miller then provided the Board with a copy of the Activities of the Chapter that must be completed in-order to receive recognition from the State Society. By popular demand an order form was provided to obtain nametags from the National.

Walker Hoak, treasurer, reported a cash balance of \$3039.82. All bills have been paid to this date. Motion carried to accept the report as given.

Herbert Braden, First Vice President, reported on the status of the Chapter's hosting the PASSAR Quarterly Meeting in February 2002.

Membership Chairman, William Marshall, reported that four new applications were being reviewed.

William Lunsford, Chairman Eagle Scout Awards Committee, thanked those that have given assistance and cooperation to him in assuming the duties of his new position as Chairman. His submitted written report was accepted as provided.

Robert Coleman, Awards Committee Chairman, reported on the number and status of the medals under consideration by the Committee. Action was taken on the recommendation of awarding the Bronze Good Citizenship Medal to William Lunsford and the Meritorious Service Medal to Fred Cardene. Recommendations moved and seconded. Motion passed.

Robert Maley made the recommendation and motion to award the Law Enforcement Commendation Medal to Patrolman Jeffrey Vargo of the Susquehanna Township Police Department and the Medal of Heroism to Sergeant Brian A. Lingle of the same department. Motion carried. Presentations will be made at the luncheon on May 20th. Gift certificates will also be presented.

President Pringle moved to establish a bank account for the underwriting the cost of recognition of individuals for medals and citations. It would be funded by contributions from individuals and be known as the Awards and Recognition Account. Motion was seconded and passed.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 P.M. respectfully submitted,

Edwin R. Miller

Secretary

Harris Ferry Chapter

NEXT BOARD MEETING: September 29, 2001 at 9:00 A.M. in the Health Alliance of PA Building, Exit 1, Rt. 283, East on Lindle Road to 4750, next to Marriot, drive to rear of building, employee entrance parking lot.